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*Koala T. Bear visits with
Marlene Glenz.*

Harvest of Community Resources Day

Lutheran General Hospital has partnered with the Indian Trails Public Library, United Way of Buffalo Grove, and BVM Communications, Inc. to debut its third BVM "Helping Hands Community Information Kiosk", an innovative and convenient way for you to find helpful health information.

To celebrate the introduction of this unique community-focused information source, the partners will host "A Harvest of Community Resources Day" beginning at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 20th at the library. Representatives from Lutheran General Hospital, United Way of Buffalo Grove, the Indian Trails Public Library District, and other local community leaders and VIP's will participate in a "ribbon cutting" event and demonstration of the kiosk. Following the ceremonies, entertainment, face-painting, apple cider and donuts, and a special appearance by Mr. Koala T. Bear (representing "quality" communities) will add to the day's festivities for young and old. **The public is invited to attend and join us in unveiling the newest of our library services!**

The "Helping Hands Kiosk" provides free, easy touch-screen access to a wide range of information from over 3,500 human service agencies, plus timely healthcare information provided by Lutheran General Hospital.

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Coupon!*

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*Happy
Holidays
from the
Board &
Staff!*

Our Mission

*Providing resources
to Read, Access,
and Participate in
the world of ideas.*

*- Adopted by the Board of
Library Trustees
October, 1999*

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NEW PROGRAMS:

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February 2002 Cable Guide

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The Hurricane Saxophone Quartet

From Bach to the Beatles and beyond! This four women saxophone ensemble combine their talents for a memorable performance.
Premieres February 5, 10am & 7pm

Mawi Asgedom

Join us for an inspiring lecture by **Mawi Asgedom**, a remarkable individual who overcame many obstacles to be successful in life.
Premieres February 7, 10am & 7pm

Young Steinway Concert Series

Join us this month for wonderful music from **Maria Stamas** on the piano, and **Sophia Bourkova** on the violin.
Premieres February 12, 10am & 7pm

Human Genome Project

Former National Public Radio journalist **Mara Tapp** will lead a panel discussion on the Human Genome Project and how it affects families and individual's everyday lives. The panel will also debate the social, legal and ethical issues involved in the new knowledge of human DNA.
Premieres February 14, 10am & 7pm

What's New In Libraries?

Many public school libraries have become better known as media centers. Join **Sarah A. Long**, Director of the *North Suburban Library System*, and host as she meets with **Barbara Stretch** who will give us a tour of the media center at the *Plum Grove Junior High School* in Rolling Meadows, and show us how students and teachers have learned to integrate technology into their everyday school lives. Next we will visit the campus of *Northwestern University* and meet with **David Bishop**, Library Director who will give us a tour of the campus library and talk about the services that the library provides for faculty, students and the public on What's New In Libraries?
Premieres February 13, 10am & 7pm

Magic for Muggles Workshop

John Morrissey, author of many books on clowns and magicians, will lead a fun-filled workshop for children on how to do magic tricks.
Premieres February 19, 10am & 7pm

Prairie Brass Band

The Prairie Brass Band, a traditional British style brass band, will perform and entertaining concert including favorite pieces from their summer concert series.
Premieres February 21, 10am & 7pm

One Woman Russian Play

Zinaida Liberchuk, a Russian actress will give a one woman stage performance of "Medea" based on the Euripides tragedy.
Premieres February 26, 10am & 7pm

Tax Seminar Series 2002

Tax season is upon us and once again **Richard J. Augustine, CPA**, and his staff share some tax planning tips. They cover tax forms, preparation, changes for 2002, and tax and investment planning.
Premieres February 20, 10am & 7pm

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Library Receives \$5,000 Grant from North Suburban Library System Foundation

Have you ever wondered what to do when a friend who is a member of a different faith or culture experiences a major life event, such as the birth of a new baby or the death of a family member? Or the significance of ash prints on a forehead, or eight candles?

We are pleased to announce that thanks to a generous "Tolerance Initiative" Grant from the North Suburban Library System Foundation, the library will be offering a series of programs titled "Tapestry: Weaving A Strong Community" in cooperation with the North Suburban Interfaith Council. Watch for announcements of dates, times and topics and join us for this fascinating look at the individual threads that come together in our community!

Used Book Sale Dates

Preview Night
Friday, May 19th
6:00- 8:30 PM

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General Sale Dates
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Sunday, May 21st
1:00 PM- 3:30 PM

Admission is free to all attendees on General Sale dates.

Bechtel Fellowship Awarded to Simonetta

Youth Services Department Head **Kathleen Simonetta** has been awarded the **Bechtel Fellowship** by the **Association for Library Service to Children** of the **American Library Association**. Her topic of research will be "*Who children's book protagonists turn to for help in resolving conflict,*" a topic which relates to modern day concerns. She will be using the historical literature



Kathleen Simonetta

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In My Dream s... I Do by Linda Saran. Illustrations by Ilene Robinette. Copyright 1999, E & M Publishing.

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Hidden Valley Ranch Donates \$5,000



Left to Right: Dana Rich, Hidden Valley Ranch Grants Committee Chair; Michael Berger, Foundation President; Tamiye Meehan, Library Director; and Paul Siedsma, Hidden Valley Ranch Plant Manager.

Library Foundation President Michael Berger has announced the receipt of a \$5,000 grant from the Clorox Foundation/Hidden Valley Ranch Corporation (HVR). The funds will be used to purchase materials in the areas of Easy English, citizenship preparation, career information, parenting, and other materials in Spanish. Paul Siedsma, Hidden Valley Ranch Plant Manager, stated: "By placing these materials in the library, we hope people will take advantage of the many educational resources and programs the library has to offer." Dana Rich, Hidden Valley Ranch Grants Committee Chairperson, felt that gesture would benefit the employees of Hidden Valley Ranch, as well as the entire community.

For information, call Sally Decker Smith, Adult Services Department Head, at 459-4100.

Treasure or Trifle – What's it Worth?



Frederick Dose, President of Frederick Dose Appraisals, Ltd., specialists in art and antique appraisals, will be at the library on Tuesday, August 15th, at 7:00 p.m. Have one of your treasures appraised. Items must be small enough to fit on a table or your lap. If larger, you may bring in a picture of the item. Only 50 items will be appraised. **Each family is allowed only one item to be appraised.** Jewelry, sports cards, and Beanie Babies will not be appraised. When registering, please indicate if you will be bringing an item for appraisal. **The library is not responsible for loss or damage.** Items may be brought in one hour before the presentation and labeled with your name. No children under the age of sixteen will be allowed in the room. **This program is a fundraiser for the Foundation of Indian Trails Public Library.**

An admission fee of \$5 will be charged. If you are bringing an item to be appraised, an additional fee of \$3 will be charged. Registration is required. Limit: 80 adults.

The New Library Catalog Is Coming! Just "Point and Click"



Our library's catalog will have a new look in June! The library purchased the **Horizon integrated library system** from Epixtech this year to replace its old Geac system. We've been upgrading our computers to provide better access to the library's collections. Information about the library's 220,000 books, videos, CDs and books-on-tape will be at your fingertips on our **New On-line Catalog**. You may log on from home through Internet or use at the library. We are happy to introduce this easy to use, web-friendly interface **WebPAC** to you. **New features will include:**

- The ability to review your patron record.
- The ability to request materials from within the catalog.
- And much more!

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Summer Activities for Children & Teens

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Camp Gotta-Wanna-Read. . . is the place to be this summer at the Indian Trails Public Library!



Follow the reading trail and discover great books along the way! Join us for this year's **Summer Reading Club** which features hiking along a fun-filled path of activities and crafts. **This program is for non-readers through 5th grade.** You can participate at the library or at any **Summer Book Van stop** between **Monday, June 5th, and Saturday, August 12th.** *The last day to join the reading club is Friday, August 4th.*

Camp Gotta-Wanna-Read Craft Programs

Join us at the library for a fun-filled hour of camp crafts! In **Session I**, you can make your own *camp journal and mini rainbow mobile*. During **Session II**, you'll be making a *skunk bookmark and a "Don't Bug Me" door hanger*. Sign up for one session or both! Each session will be from **10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.** This program is open to Indian Trails Public Library cardholders and is **limited to 65 participants per session in grades K through 6th.** **Registration is required.** Please have your Indian Trails library card ready when registering. *Out-of-district residents will be placed on a waiting list and called as space permits.*

Session I: Wednesday, June 14th and/or

Session II: Wednesday, July 26th

Gather 'Round the Campfire

On **Saturday, August 12th, from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**, get together to celebrate the end of the Summer Reading Club.

Participants and their families are invited to join us at Horizon Park (immediately south of the library) for food, friends, and fun! **Jim Beet**, head chef of the **Weber Grill in Wheeling**, will demonstrate campfire cooking with a taste for all! **Snacks, beverage, entertainment, and special prize drawings** add to the festivities at this end-of-summer reading event.



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Summer Reading Program for Teens

Join us for our fun new teen summer reading program (**6th-9th grade**)! Read **five** books, fill out an evaluation form for each one, and win great prizes. Teen readers are also eligible to win fantastic weekly prizes. Keep reading and you'll have even more chances to win! **The grand prize winner will receive a \$50 gift certificate from Best Buy.**

Prizes!!!

All readers and non-readers participating in **Camp-Gotta-Wanna Read** are eligible to win fantastic weekly prizes and grand prizes from **Borders Book Store** and **Noodle Kidoodle!** Come to our big finale on **Saturday, August 12th**, and be eligible to win additional door prizes!!



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How to Buy a First Home

Banco Popular will present a program in *English and Spanish* for first-time homebuyers, featuring FHA, Fannie May/ Freddie May, and Sub credit paper, as well as other financing options, on **Sunday, October 15, 2000**, at **2:30 p.m.** A program for children in Spanish will be held at the same time. *Registration required/Limit 80/Large Meeting Room.*

Asistencia Para Compra Casa por Primera Vez y English and Spanish

EL Banco Popular les invita a un seminario gratuito de "Asistencia Para Compra Casa por Primera Vez" **Domingo 15 de Octubre del 2000**, hora: **2:30 p.m.**, en la biblioteca. La presentacion sera de: programas disponibles y programas de FHA Fannie May/Freddie May, y Sub credito. Tambien habra programas para ninos en Espanol en ese mismo tiempo. Es necesario registrarse, el limite es de 80 personas.

Used Book Sale

Preview Night

Friday, October 20 th

6:00- 8:30 PM

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General Sale Dates

Saturday, October 21st

9:00 AM- 4:00 PM

Sunday, October 22nd

1:00 PM- 3:30 PM

Admission is \$0 to all attendees on General Sale dates.



Make A Difference

Can you imagine a world without books? **Would you like to help encourage reading and teach your children to make a difference in the lives of other children who are less fortunate than them?** To celebrate **Make-A-Difference Day 2000**, we will be collecting books for disadvantaged children **ages 4-7 years old** between **9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 28th.** New hardcover or paperback editions of **English, Spanish, or bi-lingual English/Spanish books** will be accepted. All materials will be used as reading incentive prizes at Outreach programs planned to serve **families residing within the boundaries of the Indian Trails Library District.** The programs will be funded through a generous grant from the **American Library Association/Association for Library Services to Children and WGBH Public Television (Boston).**



Viva Mexico!

Celebrate **Mexican Independence Day** at the Indian Trails Public Library from **7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Friday, September 15th.** We will tell the story commemorating this great day, and make a craft. All ages are welcome to attend. **Registration is required.**

Venga a celebrar el Dia de la Independencia de Mexico **viernes el 15 de septiembre, 7:30 a 8:30 p.m.** Contaremos la historia conmemorando este gran dia, y haremos un proyecto de arte. Bienvenidas a todas las edades. **Se requiere inscripcion.**

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Hispanic Folktale

Come and enjoy an Hispanic folktale, *The Riddle of the Drum*, **Tuesday, January 23rd, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.** We will tell a story and make a craft. This story will be told in English. All ages are welcome. **Registration is required.**

Venga a escuchar un cuento de hada mexicana, *La Adivinanza del Tambor*. **El martes, 23 de enero, a las 1:00 p.m. hasta las 3:00 p.m.** También haremos un proyecto de arte. Vamos a contar este cuento en inglés. Todas las edades bienvenidas. **Se requiere registrarse.**



Las Posadas

Come celebrate Las Posadas, an Hispanic Christmas celebration, at the Indian Trails Public Library from **7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., on Thursday, December 21st.** We will make a craft and tell a story of the special activities of this tradition. This program will be presented in Spanish and English. **Registration is required. All ages welcome.**

Venga a celebrar Las Posadas, una celebración navideña hispana, en la biblioteca de Indian Trails, **el jueves, 21 de diciembre.** Haremos una decoración y contaremos la historia de las actividades especiales que hacen para esta tradición. También haremos un proyecto de arte. Este programa será en español y inglés. **Se requiere registrarse.** Todas las edades bienvenidas.

Used Book Sale

January 19, 20, & 21

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Hora de Cuentos Familiar en Español

(Family Storytime in Spanish)

Venga y disfrute cuentos, poemas, y canciones en español para niños de 3, 4, o pre-kindergarten 5 años (Come and enjoy stories, poems, and songs in Spanish for 3, 4, and pre-kindergarten 5 year olds.)

Los Sábados (Saturdays)

El 23 de diciembre (December 23rd)

El 6 de enero (January 6th)

El 3 de febrero (February 3rd)

Todas a las 10:30 a.m. hasta las 11:00 a.m.

(All at 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.)

Se requiere registrarse. (Registration is required.)



Tapestry: Weaving a Stronger Community*

Come listen and learn, ask questions, and take away the information you need to do

the right thing when a neighbor of a different faith experiences a joyful or sorrowful event.

Light

Sunday, December 3rd, at 2 PM

The Reverend Sue Beadle of Hope Lutheran Church, and Rabbi Steven Hart of Temple Chai, will discuss the use of light in religious observances at this dark time of year.

Freedom & Rebirth

Sunday, February 25th, at 2 PM

Rabbi Marc Belgrad of Congregation Beth Am, and the Reverend Paul Klopke of Living Christ Lutheran Church, will share insights into spring observances.

*Underwritten by a generous grant from the North Suburban Library Foundation, and offered in cooperation with the Northwest Suburban Interfaith Council.

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Treasure or Trifle - What's it Worth?

Join **Frederick Dose**, President of **Frederick Doses Appraisals, Ltd.**, who specializes in art and antique appraisals on **Monday, June 4th**, at 7:00 p.m., to learn the monetary value of your treasure. Items must be small enough to fit on a table or your lap. If larger, you may bring in a picture of the item. **Only fifty items will be appraised. Each person is allowed only one item.** Sports cards and Beanie Babies will not be appraised. When registering, please indicate if you will be bringing an item. **The library is not responsible for loss or damage.** Items may be brought in one hour before the presentation and labeled with your name. **The admission fee is \$10 which includes, if you wish, an appraisal of one item.**

Foundation Director **Larry Cahall** has donated **4 White Sox tickets** to be raffled during this benefit program for the **Foundation of Indian Trails Public Library District.** Registration required. Limit: 80 adults/no children under 16 allowed. Location: Large Meeting Room.

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\$3 person/ \$6 family for non-members.

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Sat., April 21st 9:00 AM- 4:00 PM
Sun., April 22nd 1:00 PM- 3:30 PM

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on General Sale dates.

Friends Receive Generous Donation from National Service Industries, Inc.

The Friends of the Indian Trails Public Library District recently received a \$200 donation through **National Service Industries, Inc.**, (Atlanta, GA) "**Dollars for Doers**" Program. The program makes contributions to the non-profit organizations that its employees volunteer for in their communities. The donation was made for the service the **Friends' Used Book Sale Co-Chairman, Mr. James L. McCarthy III**, has made to our library. McCarthy is the Environmental Coordinator for **Major**



James L. McCarthy
Book Sale Co-Chair

Reflector Products, a Division of **Lithonia Lighting**. We thank both National Service Industries, Inc., and Mr. McCarthy for their generosity and support of the Friends.

Sears Awards

\$35,000 Family Literacy Grant!



Sears, Roebuck and Co. contributed \$35,000 to the **Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District**, to extend the impact of our library's current family programming in 2001.

The library will sponsor four programs led by experts in early childhood education. The experts will address the importance of reading to children and provide guidance in the selection of age appropriate materials. Funding will also be used to reinforce stories told in library family storytimes to enable family follow-up and repetition. The library will provide copies of one book presented in each session to each family attending the session. Thanks to Sears, these books will be offered each month for one year to families who register for and attend **Toddler Family Story Time, PreSchool Family Story Time, Family Fun Night**, and **Spanish Family Story Time**. After one year, families could have a high quality collection of children's books through the generosity of the **Sears Family Enrichment Fund**.

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Trails Tales

A newsletter for school children and their parents



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Tamiye Meehan, Director
Kathleen Simonetta, Head of Youth Services

Attention Preschool Parents! For information on preschool programs, please consult the Library District Newsletter.

"Connect for Kids" Day to Kick Off National Library Week in April

Look to "Connect for Kids" in the Youth Services Department on **Saturday, April 8th, from 1:00-3:00 p.m.**, as we host an event to focus attention on the variety of resources available to children and their families, both at the library and in the the Indian Trails community. For children of all ages and their families. Information, crafts, snacks. Drop in and see what we have to offer! **No registration required.**



Children's Author/Illustrator at Library

Award-winning artist Eric Rohmann will help us celebrate National Library Week by presenting an interactive program on bookmaking. He will bring some of his artwork, show what did and did not work, and talk about how books are made. While here, he will autograph copies of his books.

Eric Rohmann is best known for his wordless picture book *Time Flies*, which won a Caldecott Honor. Other books illustrated/written by Mr. Rohmann include: *King Crow* by Jennifer Armstrong; *Prairie Train* by Antoine 'O Flatharta; and *Cinder-Eyed Cats*.

This program is for school-age students and adults. Choose **one** of the following times:

Saturday, April 15th

11:00 a.m. OR 12:30 p.m.

Registration is required.

PLEASE NOTE: The library will be closed all day on Friday, May 12th, for a Staff In-service Training Day.

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Yiddish and Laughter Yet Again

Rabbi Barry Schechter of Skokie's *Kol Emeth Synagogue* is back with his ever-popular series of talks.

Premieres June 5, 10:00am & 7pm

Hugh Holton

Hugh Holton, author of seven novels (*Presumed Dead*, *Windy City*, *Chicago Blues*, *Violent Crimes*, *Red Lightning*, and *The Left Hand of God*) talks about his most recent novel, *Time of the Assassins*.

Premieres June 7, 10:00am & 7pm

Young Steinway Concert Series

This month's gifted performers are JooEun Shim on the piano, and Stephanie Jewell on the violin.

Premieres June 12, 10:00am & 7pm

Chocolate Creations

Pastry chef Rose Deneen shows you how to create chocolate candies, 3-D chocolate heart boxes, heart suckers, chocolate-dipped heart cookies and a chocolate heart wreath.

Premieres June 14, 10:00am & 7pm

What's New In Libraries?

LOOKING FOR FUN THINGS TO DO THIS SUMMER? SARAH LONG HAS SOME GREAT SUGGESTIONS!

Your library might just have the answer to fun activities for children and families this summer. Join host Sarah A. Long, Director of the North Suburban Library System, on a visit to the "World's Fair" at the Palatine Public Library. Did you know about the Dandelion festival for children in Waukegan hosted by the Waukegan Public Library and Park District? We'll see what the children are doing and attend a special summer concert at the Waukegan Public Library. So be sure to watch **What's New In Libraries?** and look for the **Where's Mary?** contest at the beginning of the program. All you have to do is locate Mary Witt, who is the executive producer of the program, and send us and email or postcard with your answer.

Premieres June 20, 10am & 7pm

Choral Music from the Renaissance Through the 20th Century

The North Park University Chamber Singers present choral music from the Renaissance through the 20th century, including operatic excerpts for solo voices. Premieres June 19, 10:00am & 7pm

The Balsters

Join us for a delightful family oriented magic show, featuring the husband and wife team of the Balsters.

Premieres June 21, 10:00am & 7pm

Teas - The History, the Lore, the Aromas

For Mitch Jancek, the owner of Sailor's Teas in Arlington Heights, his interest in tea began as a hobby and has become a career.

Jancek shares his expertise, learned while in the Orient with the U.S. Navy.

Premieres June 26, 10:00am & 7pm

Trails Tales

A newsletter for school children and their parents



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Scottish Folktale

Join us Monday, March 26th, from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Indian Trails Public Library to enjoy the Scottish folktale "The Page Boy and the

Silver Goblet". We will also make a craft. All ages are welcome.

Registration is required.

Magician Skylar Knight

Come to the Indian Trails Public Library at 10:00 a.m. on March 29th to see Skylar Knight, Magician Extraordinaire. Skylar will perform such illusions as visual vanishes and the floating ball. Now pick a card, any card, got it? Good! Skylar will reveal to you what your chosen card is at this event. See you then.



Registration is required.

The Mad Hatters

Join us on Saturday, March 3rd, at 12:30 p.m., when the Junior League of Chicago's Mad Hatters Theater presents a 30-minute drop-in program. The program is for children 3 to 9 years old to promote reading and communication skills. Location: Large Meeting Room

Spring, 2001

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Trustee Election Results

The Election results are in. Trustees **Doris Wagner**, **Earl M. Sabes**, **Donald L. Roalkvam**, and **Henry Hackney, Jr.**, all were re-elected to serve on your Library Board. Our new Trustee, **Gwendolyn M. Barlow**, who received more votes than her opponent, **Robert I. Sherman**, was sworn in on April 18, 2001.



L to R: Trustees **Larry Cahall**; **Donald Roalkvam**; **Doris Wagner**; **Gwendolyn Barlow**; **Henry Hackney, Jr.**; and **Patricia Murray**. Not Pictured: **Earl Sabes**.

Friends Sponsor Native American People's Exhibit



"Native People of Illinois: 1673 - 1835" will be on display at the library from June 1st to July 30th. The exhibit was created by the **Schingoethe Center for Native American Cultures at Aurora University**. It focuses on the historic period of Illinois Native People which spans roughly 160 years, beginning with the canoe voyage of Marquette and Joliet into the land of the French called *Illinois*. The exhibit is divided into three sections: **Woodland and Prairie Life** describes the food, clothing, housing, and household goods; **People and Places** identifies the tribal groups who have called Illinois their home; **Times of Change** is a chronological outline broken down into three main periods -- the Illiniwek and the French; Warriors, Prophets, and Settlers; and the removal to the West. The exhibit is open during the library's general business hours. *Exhibition fees have been underwritten through the generosity of the Friends of the Library.*

Used Book Sale

Preview Night

Friday, July 20th
6:00- 8:30 PM

Free admission: 2001 Members.
Non-members: \$3 person/
\$6 family

General Sale Dates

Saturday, July 21st
9:00 AM- 4:00 PM

Sunday, July 22nd

Closed/No Sale
Admission is Free
on General Sale dates.



Sue: Up Close and Personal

Come and find out why Sue is such a spectacular fossil, both from the scientific standpoint and what she can tell us about the life of a Tyrannosaurus Rex. **Dr. Darin Croft**, a Research Associate at the **Field Museum**, lecturer and teacher at the University of Chicago, will present a very special one hour presentation on Sue for the whole family at 7:00 p.m., on **Monday, June 25th**, in the Large Meeting Room. Using a variety of photos taken over ten years, you will learn the process that a fossil must go through before being exhibited at the **Field Museum**. Come and discover Sue, other dinosaurs, fossils, and paleontology. **Registration is required and limited to 80 people.**

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Library Sponsors Second Annual Library Card Promotion

The Indian Trails Public Library District staff knows that the key to combating this nation's high illiteracy rate is by reading. The more you read, the better you get at it. The better you are at reading, the greater chances you have at becoming successful in the adult working world. The educators in our district are working hard to make sure our children will grow up to be literate adults. The library extends what is done in our schools by providing a larger selection of reading materials, and making them available more hours and on more days. What do you need to take advantage of a library? A library card, of course!

This year the Indian Trails Public Library District and area organizations will ask area schools to count the number of staff and students who own library cards. We will also ask them to encourage staff and students to use those library cards. At least one participating school will receive money to purchase materials for their learning center. You can help your school and your children by getting your children library cards and bringing them to the library to use them. Read together often and/or set aside time each day for family silent reading. Give your children the skills they need to be successful adults!

Russian Fair

Join us at the library on **Saturday, September 15th, from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.** as we celebrate our Russian community. We will have a day of storytelling, arts and crafts, along with members of our Russian community to help us with the festivities! Everyone is invited to come and join in the fun of this drop-in program.

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FALL, 2001

Indian Trails Public Library District

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Grandparent's Day!!!

Come celebrate Grandparent's Day with us on **Sunday, September 9th, from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.** We will learn about the history of Grandparent's Day, share stories about our grandparents, and make cards and gifts for them. Bring the whole family! This is one celebration you don't want to miss. **Registration is required. This program is for all ages and limited to 50 participants. Out-of-district residents will be placed on a waiting list and called as space permits**

Foundation Will Sponsor Free Small Business Workshops

Robert S. Pinzur of the Long Grove firm of **Pinzur & Hartstein, Ltd.**, will be presenting two Small Business Workshops. Sponsored by the **Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District**, the workshops will cover: State and federal tax requirements, state licensing requirements, general bookkeeping/financial information, and employment regulations. Join us in the Large Meeting Room on either **Wednesday, October 10th, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**, or **Wednesday, October 24th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** Both sessions are identical. **Registration is required. Limit: 75/session.**

David J. Huber, CFP, President of the Huber Financial Group will present a workshop on financial planning and insurance needs for small businesses from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., on **Monday, October 1st** in the Large Meeting Room. **Registration is required. Limit: 75/session.** Sponsored by the **Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District.**



Author Mem Fox to Visit Library

Renowned author and literacy expert Mem Fox will reveal the amazing emotional and intellectual impact that reading aloud to children has on their ability to learn. Parents and educators are invited to join her on **Thursday, September 20th, at 6:00 p.m.** A copy of her new book, **Reading Magic: Why Reading Aloud to Our Children Will Change Their**

Mem Fox

Lives Forever, will be given to each

registered adult who attends this program, which is proudly sponsored by Sears, Roebuck and Co. **Registration is required and limited to 125 adults. To register, call Lillian Taylor at 847-459-4100, ext. 246. Out-of-district residents will be placed on a waiting list and called as space permits.**

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Science Fiction Author Frederik Pohl



Frederik Pohl

Award-winning author Frederik Pohl will discuss his new book, **Chasing Science: Science Spectator Sport**, and sign books on **Tuesday, January 15th, at 7:00 p.m.**, in

the Large Meeting Room. He is one of the first-rank writers in the field of science fiction. Mr. Pohl has been honored with the Edward E. Smith and Donald A. Wolheim Memorial Awards, the international John W. Campbell Award (twice), the French Prix Apollo, the Yugoslavian Vizija, the Nebula (three times, including "Grand Master") and the Hugo (six times: he is the only person to have won the Hugo both as writer and editor), as well as the American Book Award and United Nations Society of Writer's Award.

In addition to science fiction, Pohl is a noted lecturer and teacher in the area of future studies, and is the author of many other non-fiction works. Many of his works have been adapted for radio, television, and film. He has traveled widely, sometimes to lecture on behalf of the United States State Department. He is past president of both World SF and the Science Fiction Writers of America, and is currently the Midwest Area Representative of the Authors Guild. **Registration is required and is limited to 90.** This program is co-sponsored by the Buffalo Grove Park District.

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Steve Cushing

Voice of the Blues

In celebration of African-American History Month, **Steve Cushing**, host of the award-winning radio program on WBEZ, "**Blues Before Sunrise**," will present a fascinating, multi-media program recounting the lives and livelihoods of well-known blues personalities. The bluesmen and blueswomen have fascinating stories to share about their lives and careers, their recordings, and the by-gone

world that spawned the blues. Interview subjects include classic blues singer Alberta Hunter, whose recordings career began in 1921; and Billy Boy Arnold, a Chicago native and recording star of the 1950's. These unique interview segments and others are accompanied by a co-ordinated slide show, including vintage photographs, rare records, music catalogues, and much more. Join us on **Sunday, February 10th at 1:30 p.m.**, in the Large Meeting Room. **Registration is required and is limited to 80.**

Closing Notice:

All Day Closings

Thursday, Dec. 20th & Friday Dec. 21st

Collection and furniture moving

Monday, Dec. 24th & Tuesday, Dec. 25th

Christmas Eve and Christmas Day

Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2002

New Year's Day

1:00 P.M. Closing

Tuesday, Dec. 31st

New Year's Eve



Cris Mazza

Author Cris Mazza

Chicago writer Cris Mazza will discuss her new book, **Girl Beside Him**, a novel about love, instinct, and the havoc kindled by nature gone awry. Cris has written eight other books of fiction including **Dog People**, a novel, and **Former Virgin**, a short work of fiction. Her other books include **How to Leave the Country** (winner of the Penn/Nelson Algren Award) and the

critically acclaimed **Is It Sexual Harassment Yet?** She was named NEA fellow of 1999, and is a professor in the **Program for Writers** at the University of Chicago. Join us on **Monday, December 10th, at 7:00 p.m.**, in the Large Meeting Room. There will be a book signing following the program. **Registration is required and is limited to 80.**

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Read, Access, and Participate in the World of Ideas!

Read, Access, Participate @ Your Library

On **March 19th**, you will determine how much the Indian Trails Public Library can do to provide you and your family with sufficient resources to Read, Access, and Participate in the World of Ideas. The Indian Trails Public Library District is requesting a \$0.04 increase in the operating levy, taking it from .23 to .27. If this referendum is approved, it will be the first increase in 25 years. (Continued page 3).

Library Referendum
Vote
March 19th!



Fern Schumer Chapman

Motherland

Fern Schumer Chapman will discuss her book, **Motherland**, a finalist in the National Jewish Book Awards for 2000. Chapman, a former reporter for the **Chicago Tribune** and **Forbes**, has taught journalism at Northwestern University

and has written for **The Washington Post**, **The Wall Street Journal**, **Fortune**, **U.S. News & World Report**, and many other publications. Join us on **Tuesday, April 16th, at 7:00 p.m.**, in the Large Meeting Room. Registration is required. Limit: 80.

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Jim Trelease

Author Jim Trelease to Visit Library

Best selling author Jim Trelease will address parents, teachers, and the general public on **Tuesday, April 2nd, beginning at 6:30 p.m.** Trelease is the author of the **New York Times** bestseller **The Read Aloud Handbook**, and the editor of two popular anthologies. He will

speak on "Reading Aloud: Motivating Children to Make Books Into Friends, Not Enemies."

A copy of his book, **The Read Aloud Handbook**, will be given to each registered adult who attends this program, which is proudly sponsored by Sears, Roebuck and Co.

To register, call Lillian Taylor at 847-459-4100, ext. 246.

Closing Notice

All Day Closings

Sunday, March 31, 2002

Easter Sunday

Monday, May 27, 2002

Memorial Day (Observed)

A library at my door



Free Library Service for Blind and Physically Handicapped People

Voices of Vision: Talking Books

Karen N. Rybacki, Director of the **Voices of Vision Talking Book Center**, will present a program on

the **National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped**. **Voices of Vision** provides books and magazines in audio and Braille format. **There is NO CHARGE for the equipment or services.** All items are delivered directly to your home. Come and find out more about the program, its history, and how you may be able to qualify for this tax-supported service. Join us on **Thursday, April 11th, at 2:00 p.m.**, in the Large Meeting Room. Registration is required. Limit: 80.

Uncover! Discover! Read!

Summer Reading Program 2001

Uncover! Discover! Read! is the thing to do this summer at the Indian Trails Public Library! Become an explorer and discover great books throughout time. Join us for this year's Summer Reading Game, which features fun-filled activities and crafts based on local and statewide historical landmarks. **This program is for non-readers and readers through 5th grade.** You can participate at the library or at any summer Book Van stop between **Monday, June 11th, and Friday, August 10th. The last day to join the Summer Reading Program is Friday, August 3rd.**



Prizes!!

All readers and non-readers participating in **Uncover! Discover! Read!** are eligible to win fantastic weekly prizes and grand prizes from **Borders Book Store** and **Zany Brains!** Come to our **Family Picnic on Saturday, August 11th**, and be eligible to win additional door prizes!

Summer Reading Program for Teens



Join us for our fun teen summer reading program (**6th-9th grade**)! Read a minimum of **seven** books and fill out a summary form for each one. Once you have completed your minimum reading, you will receive all your prizes. You are also eligible to win fantastic prizes at our Family Picnic on August 11th.

June - Activities for Young People & Teens

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Indian Trails Public Library District 355 S. Schoenbeck Rd., Wheeling, IL 60090-4499 Telephone: 847-459-4100			May 31 Teen Volunteer Meeting 7:00 p.m.	1 Family Fun Night.. 6:30 p.m.	2
3	4 Summer Book Van Service Begins!	5 Visit the Book Van!	6 Visit the Book Van!	7	8	9 Puzzle Exchange 2:00 p.m.
10 Library Closed	11 Summer Reading Program Begins! Summer Crafts 10:00 a.m.	12 Visit the Book Van!	13 Vamos Juntos a La Escuela 7:00 p.m. Visit the Book Van!	14	15	16 Vamos Juntos a La Escuela (Let's Go to School Together) 11:30 a.m.
17 Library Closed	18 Summer Crafts 10:00 a.m. Visit the Book Van!	19 Visit the Book Van!	20 Visit the Book Van!	21 Teen Computer Game Night. 7:00 p.m.	22 Packing for Pioneer Life 2:00 p.m.	23 
24 Library Closed	25 Summer Crafts 10:00 a.m. Sue: Up Close & Personal 7 p.m. Visit the Book Van!	26 Visit the Book Van!	27 Visit the Book Van!	28	29 Dino-Magic 2:00 p.m.	30

July - Activities for Young People & Teens

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Library Closed	2 Family Fun Night 6:30 p.m. Visit the Book Van!	3 Visit the Book Van!	4 See you at the parade!  Library Closed	5	6 	7
8 Library Closed	9 Summer Crafts 10:00 a.m. Visit the Book Van!	10 Visit the Book Van!	11 Babysitting Workshop 9:30 a.m. Visit the Book Van!	12 Babysitting Workshop 9:30 a.m.	13 Mehndi Body Art 1:00 p.m.	14 Buffalo Grove Then & Now 2:00 p.m.
15 Library Closed	16 Summer Crafts 10:00 a.m. Visit the Book Van!	17 Improv Workshop 6:00 p.m.	18 Visit the Book Van!	19 Teen Computer Game Night 7:00 p.m.	20	21

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Silent Auction Set for April

The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District is sponsoring a **Silent Auction** during the month of April. All items will be on display at the library, and bids will be accepted during the entire month. Plan to visit the library and see the exciting auction items on display. Be adventurous -- submit your bid and help support the Foundation. If you have any questions or wish to contribute items for the silent auction, please contact **Mary Kedroski** or **Chris Gibson** at **847-459-4100**.

Carson's Community Day March 1st

The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District is participating with **Carson Pirie Scott Stores** in a "Carson's Community Day" event by offering special discount coupon packets.

For a donation of \$5 that goes to the Foundation, the donor receives one \$5 coupon to use on almost any merchandise purchase in the store, and six 20% off coupons (10% on small electronic, furniture, mattress, area rug, or lamp item). The coupons are valid for regular, sale- or clearance- priced merchandise only on **Saturday, March 1st**.

Each packet also has a registration form for a chance to Win A Trip For Two To The Riviera Maya, Mexico

Your donation will be used by the Foundation to pay for projects such as the purchase of a bookmobile, to be used 12 months of the year, and the remodeling of the children's preschool area. Coupon booklets may be purchased at library information desks. For additional information, call **Mary Kedroski** at **847-459-4100**.

Kathy Ryg
to speak at
Volunteer
Recognition
Ceremony



See page 11 for details

Kathleen Ryg

Library Co-Sponsors Passport to the World

Sunday, February 23, 11:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Wheeling Community Recreation Center

Bring the whole family for fun and learn about our rich cultural heritage at the same time.

The festival features exciting performances of exotic dance, music, and more, plus artisans demonstrating their native crafts. Local ethnic eateries will have their menu favorites for you to try. Don't miss the library's booth with colorful crafts for children to make and take.

Then, put a colored pin in the giant map of the world to show where your family came from -- and see where your neighbors are from!

The Community Recreation Center is located at 333 W. Dundee Rd. in Wheeling. For additional information call 847-465-3333.

Celebrate Asian American Heritage Month @ your library!

Asian Treasure Bag Coming!

Sunday, May 18th, at 3:00 p.m.

Nancy Wang and **Robert Kikuchi-Yngojo** of **Eth-Noh-Tec**, have performed stories for adults and children alike, nationally and internationally. Nancy and Robert weave music, dance, rhythmic dialogue, lively facial expressions, and the spoken word to inspire the imagination and to bring their stories to life. Their highly stylized and lyrical movement is often accompanied by musical instruments such as Japanese taiko drums, voice and the ditze, and shakuhachi bamboo flutes of Asia.

Eth-Noh-Tec works to bridge cultural gaps while addressing a worldwide humanity that is important to us all. They have performed for a presidential inauguration and appeared at the Smithsonian, on NPR's "All Things Considered", and Public Broadcast Television.

Their stories

originate from countries throughout Asia, including China, Tibet, Japan, Cambodia, and the Philippines. These stories include the ancient folktales "The Long Haired Girl" (China), "The Bird of Happiness" (Tibet), "The Man Who Planted Onions" (Korea), and "Trouble Talk" (Cambodia). Pictures and more information can be found on the web site, www.ethnohtec.org.

Registration is required and limited to 100.



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Treasure or Trifle: What's it Worth?



What is your painting or vase really worth? Back by popular demand, Frederick Dose, President of Frederick Dose's Appraisals, Ltd., specializing in art and antique appraisals, will appraise one item for you. Join us on **Monday, August 26th, at 7:00 p.m.**, to learn the monetary value of your treasure. Items must be small enough to fit on a table or your lap. If larger, you may bring in a picture of the item. **Only fifty items will be appraised.** Each person is allowed only one item. Sports cards and Beanie Babies will not be appraised. When registering, please indicate if you will be bringing an item. The library is not responsible for loss or damage. Items may be brought in one hour before the presentation and labeled with your name. **No children under the age of sixteen will be allowed in the room.** Registration is required and limited to 80 participants. **This program is a fund-raiser for the Foundation of Indian Trails Public Library District. An admission fee of \$10 will be charged, which includes an appraisal of one item.**

Rosa Kuhn - Volunteer of the Year!



Rosa won the North Suburban Library System's (NSLS) Volunteer of the Year Award for her efforts in helping us bring library services to the Hispanic Community, especially at Summer Book Van stops. Presenting Rosa (center) her award are William Seiden, NSLS Board President, and Sarah Long, Director of NSLS and past president of the American Library Association.

Closing Notice

All Day Closings

Mon., May 27, 2002

Thurs., July 4, 2002

Mon., Sept. 2, 2002

Memorial Day

Independence Day

Labor Day



Congressman
Mark Kirk

Legislative Visits

U.S. Congressman
Mark Kirk

Kilmer School Award

IL Representative
Sidney Mathias

Family Picnic

Summer 2002

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Go Figure! @ Your Library

Coming soon to the Indian Trails Public Library is **Go Figure!**, an interactive exhibit geared towards 2- to 7-year-olds and the adults in their lives. This exciting exhibit uses children's literature to help make beginning math concepts exciting and fun. Come to the library between **October 12th and November 21st** to interact with the tall, free-standing, open books and learn about **Arthur's Pet Business**, what happened **When the Doorbell Rang**, all about **The Quilt**, and more. Indian Trails is one of only 75 libraries nationally to receive this exhibit, which was created by the Minnesota Children's Museum in collaboration with the American Library Association. Major funding for this unique attraction is provided by the **National Science Foundation, Cargill, and 3M**. Watch for more details in the next newsletter.



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Family Picnic!

Join us on **Saturday, August 10th**, from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m., as we get together to celebrate the end of the Summer Reading Program. All participants and their families are invited to join us at Horizon Park (immediately south of the library) for food, friends, and fun! Snacks, beverages, and special prize drawings add to the festivities at this end-of-summer reading event. **Joe Mastro**, from **Wa-Pa-Ghetti's Pizza** in Wheeling, will demonstrate the art of making pizza, with a bite for all! **Amy Lowe**, a celebrated musician and performer will present a fun-filled program, which includes interactive stories and songs!

	Visit the Book Van!	Visit the Book Van!	Visit the Book Van!	9:30 AM	9:30 & 10:30 AM	9:30 AM
21 Library Closed	22 Visit the Book Van!	23 Preschool Storytime 10:00 AM Visit the Book Van!	24 Summer Fun Crafts 10:00 AM Visit the Book Van!	25 Preschool Family Storytime 9:30 AM	26 Preschool Family Storytime 9:30 & 10:30 AM Summer Storytelling 1:00 PM Cuentos y Arte del Verno para la Familia 6:00 PM	27 Preschool Family Storytime 9:30 AM
28 Library Closed	29 Visit the Book Van!	30 Preschool Storytime 10:00 AM Make Your Own Picture Book 1:00 PM Visit the Book Van!	31 Visit the Book Van!			

August - Activities for Children & Teens

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Bubbles! Bubbles! Bubbles! 1:00 PM	2	3
4 Library Closed	5 Visit the Book Van!	6 Tangram Fun 1:00 PM Visit the Book Van!	7 Visit the Book Van!	8 Toddler Family Storytime 9:30 AM	9 Toddler Family Storytime 9:30 & 10:30 AM	10 Toddler Family Storytime 9:30 AM Summer Reading Family Picnic 2:00 PM
11 Library Closed	12 Visit the Book Van!	13 Visit the Book Van!	14 Visit the Book Van!	15	16 Cuentos y Arte del Verno para la Familia 6:00 PM	17
18 Library Closed	19 Visit the Book Van!	20 Visit the Book Van!	21 Last day of Summer Book Van Service 2002!	22 Preschool Family Storytime 9:30 AM Calling Homeschoolers 1:00 PM	23 Preschool Family Storytime 9:30 & 10:30 AM	24 Preschool Family Storytime 9:30 AM
25 Library Closed	26	27	28	29	30	31

Join the fun at the Summer Book Van! June 3rd - August 21st, 2002

SUMMER BOOK VAN SCHEDULE

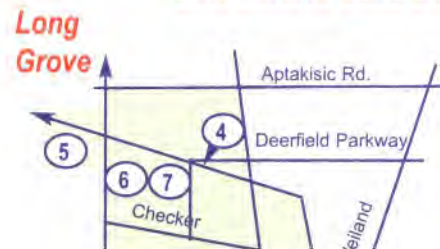
Van service to the residents of the library district will be in effect from June 3 through August 21, 2002. *Horario de la Biblioteca Móvil del Verano este horario tiene efecto desde el 3 de junio, hasta el 21 de agosto, 2002.*

MONDAY (LUNES)

1 2:15 -3:00 Longfellow School (& camp)
501 S. Arlington Heights Rd. RG

Horario de la Biblioteca Móvil del Verano

Este horario tiene efecto desde el 3 de junio del 2002 hasta el 21 de agosto, 2002.



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Children's Author Rosemary Wells



Rosemary Wells

Rosemary Wells, renowned author of best selling children's books and proponent of early learning will visit the library on **Monday, September 9th, at 6:30 p.m.**, to talk to adults about the importance of reading to children. Her presentation will include data from early childhood experts about the importance of the growth of mind and spirit in

the first years of life, when a child learns to love and trust, speak and listen. A copy of either *Read to Your Bunny* or *Timothy Goes to School*, both written and illustrated by Rosemary Wells, will be given to the first 125 registered adults who attend Ms. Wells' presentation, which is proudly sponsored by **Sears, Roebuck and Co.** Other books may be purchased to support the Friends of the Library. To register, call Lillian Taylor at 847-459-4100, ext. 246.

Meet Congressman Kirk



Congressman
Mark Kirk

U.S. Congressman Mark Kirk will discuss the measures the United States Government has proposed to insure national security since 9-11, and how they will affect your right to privacy. Join us at **10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 23rd**, in the Large Meeting Room.

Registration is required.
Limit: 125

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Go Figure! @ Your Library



The Indian Trails Public Library is one of 75 libraries in the country to host **Go Figure!**, an interactive exhibit that links math and literature together for children two to seven years old and the adults in their lives. **Go Figure!** will be at the library from **October 13th through November 21st**. The five books featured in this unique exhibit are *Arthur's Pet Business* by Marc Brown; *The Doorbell Rang* by Pat Hutchins; *Frog and Toad Are Friends* by Arnold Lobel; *Goldilocks and the Three Bears* retold and illustrated by James Marshall; and *The Quilt* by Ann Jonas. Each story is represented by a large free-standing book and accompanied by an activity that will help bring understanding to the story and math concepts. Come on in and enjoy the exhibit while it's here.

Go Figure! was produced by the Minnesota Children's Museum and the American Library Association, with financial assistance from the National Science Foundation and the Cargill and 3M Corporations.



Stuart Murphy

Author Stuart Murphy will Appear at Grand Opening of *Go Figure!* Exhibit

Stuart Murphy, popular children's book author, will be here on **Sunday, October 13th, from 2:00 to 2:45 p.m.**, to help us celebrate the arrival of **Go Figure!** Mr. Murphy will talk to children and adults about **Go Figure!**, math, picture books, and his books in the "MathStart" series. During his presentation, Mr. Murphy will share thoughts on how parents can help their children be better at math. The first 100 families who pre-register and attend this program will receive one of Mr. Murphy's books, which he will autograph following his presentation. To register, call Lillian Taylor at 847-459-4100, ext. 246.

Legislative Visit

Illinois Representative Sidney Mathias of Buffalo Grove will be here to help us celebrate the Grand Opening of the **Go Figure!** Exhibit at **2:00 p.m., on Sunday, October 13th**. Come join us for an afternoon of fun for the whole family!



Representative
Sidney Mathias

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Endangered Treasure: Our Arctic National Wildlife Refuge Exhibit

This exhibit is composed of 50 large color photographs taken by eight internationally recognized wildlife photographers. These photographs present compelling images of the landscapes, mammals and birds of the **Arctic National Wildlife Refuge** in Alaska.

The exhibit's sponsor, the **Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District**, invites you to attend the grand opening of the exhibit at **2:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 14th**. *Registration is not required. Refreshments will be served. Children under 12 must be accompanied by a parent.*

The exhibit will be on display at the library from December 14, 2002 through Fenbruary 21, 2003.

The exhibit is partially sponsored by the Sierra Club, the Natural Resource Defense Council, the American Conservation Association, and the Wilderness Society. Exhibition coordinator, Lauri Giblin.



Along with over 170 children and parents from the community, Illinois Representative Sidney Mathias and his wife Rita were on hand to celebrate the opening of the Go Figure! Exhibit.

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Carson's Community Day Event

The **Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District** is participating with Carson Pirie Scott stores in a "**Carson's Community Day**" Event by offering special discount coupon packets.



Trustee Larry Cahall

For a donation of **\$5.00** that goes to the **Foundation**, the donor receives six coupons, each worth \$10.00 with a \$50.00 purchase. The coupons are valid for regular, sale, or clearance priced merchandise only on **Saturday, November 23rd**. Some restrictions apply.

Each packet also has a registration form for a chance to **win a trip for four to Lake Powell, Arizona.**

The winner gets round trip airfare and five nights aboard a 59-foot houseboat at this great recreation area, an estimated value of **\$8,650!** *(Continued on page 2, column 2.)*



Chris Fascione

Juggling Funny Stories

Chris Fascione is back and better than ever! Join us on **Saturday, December 21st, from 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.**, as he brings literature to life through his performance of "Juggling Funny Stories"! Using a combination of storytelling, mime, clowning, and a touch of juggling, this show will educate, entertain,

and lead children into the world of books. *This program is for children of all ages and their families. Registration is required. Out-of-district residents will be placed on a waiting list and called as space permits.*

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Syd Lieberman

Eavesdropping on Life

Monday, June 9th -- 7:00 p.m.

Syd Lieberman, an internationally acclaimed storyteller, award-winning teacher, and author of two books, will present

Eavesdropping on Life, featuring many of his best-loved stories about

growing up in Chicago and raising a family in Evanston. Audiences enjoy hearing his original, personal and historical pieces, as well as his signature versions of Jewish literary tales. Syd's work has garnered awards from the **American Library Association**, **Parent's Choice**, and **Storytelling World**. He has taught storytelling at the **Kennedy Center** and **Disney World**; received commissions from Johnstown, Pennsylvania, and the Smithsonian Institute; and performed at the U.S. Holocaust Museum. In 2002, Syd was featured in a PBS storytelling special.



D. Kucha Brownlee

Jumping Jambalaya

Saturday, June 14th -- 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

A series of six multi-cultural programs will be held at the library during June, July, and August. To kick off these programs, storyteller **D. Kucha Brownlee** will perform her "Jumping Jambalaya" act. Be prepared for her wonderful folktales and interaction with children, as well as adults.

See related story on page 5.



Sadarri and Amber

Journey from West Africa

Saturday, August 23rd -- 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

To conclude the multi-cultural program series, the mother-daughter team of **Sadarri and Amber** will be here to take you on a journey to West Africa, the Caribbean, and the United States, through the use of stories and activities. Sway to the music and rhythm with dance and sign language.

Sunday Hours Expanded!

We're keeping the promise we made to you during the last referendum. **Beginning June 8, 2003, the library will be open from 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m. on Sundays year-round. Thank you for your continued support!**

Holiday Closing Notice

All Day Closings

Monday, May 26, 2003 Memorial Day
 Thursday, July 4, 2003 Independence Day
 Monday, Sept. 1, 2003 Labor Day

American Red Cross Babysitting Workshop



Monday, July 14th, and Tuesday, July 15th, from 1:00 to 4:30 p.m.

The American Red Cross Babysitter's Training Course will teach you how to make good decisions, ways to keep yourself and the kids safe, how to handle an emergency or illness, and how to perform first aid. **You must attend both days to receive your certificate.** Registration is required and limited to 20 participants, ages 11 and up. A \$20 non-refundable fee is due at time of in-person registration. Out-of-district residents will be placed on a waiting list and called as space permits.

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Paul Frank

Money Matters

Tuesday, September 30th
10:00 a.m.

In today's economic conditions, people are struggling with financial matters. Interest rates on CD's are at 50-year lows, the stock market is down, and inflation is raising prices on the things we all need every day. What's a person to do? **Paul Frank, CPA, CFD, and Neil**

Zweiban, Attorney at Law, will discuss how to avoid some of the costly mistakes being made and will help you discover ways to preserve your assets so you never run out of money. Learn how to legally lower taxes on your Social Security benefits, increase your spendable income, and leave a larger inheritance to your children. Discover how to avoid the cost and publicity of probate and what can be done to avoid estate taxes. **Refreshments will be served.**

Registration is required. Limit: 100.

Holiday Closings

Mon., Sept. 2, 2003 **Labor Day**
Thurs., Nov. 27, 2003 **Thanksgiving Day**



Treasure or Trifle

Tuesday, September 16th
7:00 p.m.

What is your "treasure" really worth? **Mr. Karl Gates**, who specializes in art and antique appraisals, will appraise one item for you. Items must be small enough to fit on a table or your lap. If larger, you may bring in a picture of the item. Only 60 items will be appraised. Each person is allowed only one item. Sports cards and Beanie Babies will not be appraised. When registering, please indicate if you will be bringing an item. The library is not responsible for loss or damage. Items may be brought in one hour before the presentation and labeled with your name. No children under the age of sixteen will be allowed in the room. This program is a fund-raiser for the Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District. **An admission fee of \$10.00 (payable in advance) will be charged, which includes an appraisal of one item.**

Registration is required. Limit: 80 adults.

Family Fun Fair

Sunday, September 7th
1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Come one! Come all! The **Children's Champions of the Indian Trails Public Library District** is sponsoring a fun fair. Celebrate "Grandparents' Day" by enjoying a fun-filled afternoon of playing games, eating food, and winning prizes. This fund-raiser will help the Children's Champions obtain more materials and programs to benefit the children of our community.



Carson's Community Day Event

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For a donation of \$5.00 that goes to the Foundation, the donor receives six coupons, each worth \$10.00 with a \$50.00 purchase, and a **chance to win a great prize**. The coupons are valid for regular, sale, or clearance-priced merchandise on **Saturday, November 22, 2003, only**. This is clearly the best day to begin your holiday shopping. **Watch for coupon sales at the library.**

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Candace Fleming

Candace Fleming to Visit the Library

Saturday, January 24th, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Calling all parents, teachers, librarians, and youth advocates! Author **Candace Fleming** and librarian **Kathy Simonetta** will join forces to bring to your attention the best new informational books for

youth. Candace, author of *Ben Franklin's Almanac*, will talk about researching and bookmaking. Kathy, a member of the **2004 Robert F. Sibert Informational Book Award Committee**, will talk about criteria that makes an award-winning book and share some of the best informational books written for youth in 2003. A copy of one of Ms. Fleming's books will be given to a representative of each family or organization who pre-registers and attends the program. Other books by Fleming may be purchase before and after the program. For more information, call **Kathy Simonetta** at **847-459-4100, ext. 243**. (R)



Max & Donna Daniels as the Lincolns

An Evening with Mr. & Mrs. Lincoln

Tuesday, February 17th, 7:00 p.m.

On the evening of April 14, 1865, President and Mrs. Lincoln (**Max and Donna Daniels**) reflect on the events of the past four years and their plans for the future. Flashbacks include: their courtship and marriage, the births of their children, Lincoln's legal and political careers, his Presidency during the Civil War, and the family's personal traumas. It ends as the President realizes it's time to leave for Ford's Theatre. (R 120 - 5th grade - adults)



Bookmobile Service Begins Jan. 5th!

See page 2 for the map and schedule.

Foundation News

Get ready to place your bids! Last year's Silent Auction was such a success, we've decided to sponsor another **Silent Auction in April, 2004!** If you would like to donate items to the auction, please call **Mary Kedroski** or **Chris Gibson** at **847-459-4100**.

We welcome **Jalal Clemens** to the **Foundation Board**. A successful business consultant, Jalal most recently worked with the largest geographic United Way on the East Coast. He has an MBA from Clarkson University, is a Quality Assurance manager for the **Illinois State Disbursement Unit**, and owns the **You are Art** portrait studio.

Holiday Closings

The library will be closed all day on:

Thurs., Nov. 27	Thanksgiving Day
Wed., Dec. 24	Christmas Eve
Thurs., Dec. 25	Christmas Day
Thurs., Jan. 1	New Year's Day

The library will close at 1 PM

Wed., Dec. 31	New Year's Eve
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Passport to the World

Sunday, February 22nd,
11:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Bring yourself or your entire family to the *Passport to the World* festival at the **Wheeling Park District**

Community Recreation Center, 333

West Dundee Road. The festival will feature free entertainment, crafts, games, and prizes! Did we say prizes? Receive a prize when you play a game of Continental Twister at the **Indian Trails Public Library booth** where the object of the game is to twist your body as you locate the continent your hand/foot is assigned to find. Right hand Asia! Once you're done twisting around the world, you can then refuel your tired self at one of the local eateries where hot and delicious items are available for snacks or lunch. The library will have a multi-lingual staff on hand to explain library services, including the new Bookmobile! Applications for library cards will be available along with other library information. *This festival is co-sponsored by the library, Wheeling Park District, and the Village of Wheeling.*



Visit Our New Bookmobile!

See page 2 for the map and schedule.

Silent Auction Set for April

The **Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District** is again sponsoring a Silent Auction. During the month of April, plan to visit the library and see the exciting auction items on display. Bids will be accepted during the entire month of April. **The Silent Auction will end at 9:00 p.m. on April 29th.** Winning bidders will be called on Friday April 30th. Be adventurous -- submit your bid and help support the Foundation for the library.

On **Saturday, May 1st, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.**, the Foundation will host a bake sale in the Large Meeting Room. Refreshments will be served and auction items may be picked up at that time. **If you have any questions or wish to contribute new items or gift certificates for the Silent Auction,** please contact **Mary Kedroski or Chris Gibson at 847-459-4100.**



Carson's Community Day

Saturday, February 28th

The **Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District** is again participating with Carson Pirie Scott stores in a "Carson's Community Day" event by offering special discount coupon packets.

For a donation of \$5 that goes to the Foundation, the donor receives one \$5 coupon to use on almost any merchandise purchased in the store, and six 20% off coupons (10% on small electronics, furniture, mattresses, area rugs, or lamp items). The coupons are valid for regular, sale, or clearance-priced merchandise **only on Saturday, February 28th.** Coupon booklets may be purchased at any of the library information desks **beginning January 24th.** For more information, call **Mary Kedroski at 847-459-4100.**

Foundation Thanks You

The **Foundation** thanks you for your support of the Carson's Community Day coupon sale held on November 22, 2003. We made a profit of \$1,436.28. This will be used for remodeling the preschool children's area and the operation of the new Bookmobile. **We are grateful for your support!**

Holiday Closings

The library will be closed all day on:
Easter Sunday Sunday, April 11th
Memorial Day Monday, May 31st

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State Senator Susan Garrett (D 29) congratulates Anna Kwiatowska for her volunteer efforts during the National Volunteer Week ceremonies. Volunteer Coordinator James McCarthy and Library Director Tamiye Meehan look on. Related story on page 10.

Visit Our New Bookmobile!



See page 2 for the map and schedule.

Family Fun Fair

Sunday, September 19th

1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Children's Champions is sponsoring their second annual Family Fun Fair! The whole family is invited to participate in a fun-filled afternoon of playing games, eating food, and winning prizes.

This fund-raiser will help the Children's Champions obtain more materials and programs to benefit the children of our community.

Infant Massage Program

Monday, August 23rd, 10:00 - 11:15 a.m.

A certified Infant Massage instructor will show you massage techniques for your baby. Expectant mothers are welcome to observe, but they must sit on the perimeter of the room. **Note: Only children involved in the program are allowed in the room. R 15 babies, ages newborn-crawling.**



Book of the Year

"Suburban Mosaic Book of the Year"

Indian Trails is pleased to be participating in the "Suburban Mosaic Book of the Year" program that will begin in September. A consortium of public libraries, schools, churches, and community groups, with the assistance of the **Daily Herald**, has come together to create a shared experience for people of all ages and cultural backgrounds, with the goal of reaching a deeper understanding of the various cultures that make up the northwest suburban area.

Three books have been chosen: *The House on Mango Street* by Sandra Cisneros for teens and adults, *Breadwinner* by Deborah Ellis for middle school students, and *Everybody Cooks Rice* by Norah Dooley for students in primary grades. We have multiple copies of all the books, in both English and Spanish, and many on tape or CD, too!

Throughout the area, from September through December, book discussions and programs for adults, children, and families will be held in libraries, as well as many other locations. Watch for more information in our Fall newsletter and in the Daily Herald! Read any or all of the books and be ready to join us in September as we all participate in one of the biggest reading projects ever seen!

Holiday Closings



The library will be closed all day on:

Memorial Day Monday, May 31st
Independence Day Sunday, July 4th
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Celebrate Native American Heritage Month

During Native American Heritage Month in November, come to the library during normal library hours to view the traveling exhibit, **Native Peoples of Illinois (1673-1835)**. This exhibit, created by the Schingoethe Center staff, outlines the people and events shaping the region from Marquette and Jolliet's exploration of Illinois in 1673 until the 1830s. *The Illinois State Historical Society gave an "Award of Superior Achievement" to this exhibit.*



Suburban Mosaic Book of the Year

Please Note: Author Norah Dooley will be speaking at the library on October 11th (time to be announced). Deborah Ellis will be appearing at the library in November. For the date and time, please inquire at the Information Desk.

In September, the Indian Trails Public Library will participate in the "Suburban Mosaic Book of the Year" program, which will encourage people in the northwest suburbs to read books and join discussions with the goal of reaching a deeper understanding of the various cultures that make up this area. The program is sponsored by public libraries, schools, churches, community groups, and the **Daily Herald**.

Three books have been chosen: **The House on Mango Street** by Sandra Cisneros for teens and adults, **Breadwinner** by Deborah Ellis for middle school students, and **Everybody Cooks Rice** by Norah Dooley for students in primary grades.

We have multiple copies of all three books, in both English and Spanish, and many on tape and CD, too! We will be hosting book discussions on each title, as well as several programs in keeping with the theme of cross-cultural understanding.

Book Discussions For Adults

Tuesday, September 28th

7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 19th

10:00 a.m.

Indian Trails will be holding a morning and an evening book discussion on **House on Mango Street**. Tom Herrmann will be leading these discussions. **R 40 adults for each group.**

Immigration and Cultural Awareness

Monday, November 1st

7:00 p.m.

Irene Rodriguez Folley and Leticia Ortiz of Meadows Community Services, will discuss immigration and cultural awareness as part of the **Suburban Mosaic Book of the Year** program. Topics to be discussed will include: the legal permanent resident process, the citizenship process, immigrant rights, and the need for education for cultural awareness. The speakers will answer questions in both Spanish and English. **R 120 adults.**

The World at Our Doorstep:

Learning to Build Relationships Across Cultural Boundaries

Thursday, December 16th

7:00 p.m.

This interactive workshop will use fun activities to help you uncover your cultural perspective and develop useful skills to communicate with people who are different from yourself. Heidi Moll Schoedel of Exodus World Service brings over 15 years of experience helping people build strong cross-cultural friendships. Exodus' mission is to link volunteers with newly arriving refugee families. **R 120.**

Book Discussions For Children

Children in grades 3rd-8th are invited to participate in our Suburban Mosaic Book of the Year Program discussions.

Everybody Cooks Rice by Norah Dooley

Monday, September 13th

4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

The Breadwinner by Deborah Ellis

Thursday, September 23rd

4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

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Carson's Community Day Event - February 26, 2005

The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District is again participating in a "Carson's Community Day" event on Saturday, February 26, 2005, by offering special discount coupon packets.

For a donation of \$5.00 the donor receives a \$5.00 coupon and six 20% Off coupons to use in addition to Carson's great one day sale prices (some exclusions apply). The packets also include two bonus offers and a registration form for a chance to **win a trip for four to Nuevo Vallarta, Mexico, including round trip airfare and seven nights accommodations at the Marival Resorts and Suites.** Coupons may be purchased at library information desks and at the Bookmobile. A perfect time for your spring shopping. For additional information, please contact Mary Kedroski at 847-459-4100

Silent Auction - April 2005

Get ready to place your bids! Last year's Silent Auction was such a success the Foundation for Indian Trails Public Library has decided to sponsor our 4th Silent Auction in April, 2005.

All items will be on display at the library, and bids will be accepted during the entire month of April. **If you would like to donate goods (new items only) or services to the auction, please contact Mary Kedroski or Chris Gibson at 847-459-4100.**



Spring 2005 Bake Sale

The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library will be sponsoring a Bake Sale on **Friday, April 15th, from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m., and Saturday, April 16th, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** We will have many varieties of home-baked goods. The library staff will again use their varied talents in baking some delicious items including homemade bread, muffins, cookies, brownies, cakes, pies, etc. If you would like to donate bake goods, please contact **Mary Kedroski or Rella Adas at 847-459-4100.**

Thank You!

The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library District thanks you for your support of the Carson's Community Day Coupon Sale held on November 20, 2004. This event was a success because of your participation. We hope you enjoyed your shopping experience.

News of the Foundation's activities is continued on page 4, column 1.



Join Us for the Senior Citizen Expo Extravaganza!

Tuesday, April 19th, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Free to seniors and their families. Mark your calendar for the **5th Annual Senior Citizen Expo.** This event, coordinated by the Buffalo Grove Park District and the Village of Buffalo Grove, provides a dynamic one-stop shop for seniors to interact with vendors and service providers, enabling them to become familiar with the wide range of services available to them. The expo will be held at **The Arboretum Club, 401 Half Day Road, Buffalo Grove, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Free lunch, raffles, give-a-ways, and more are all part of this exciting day. Flyers with additional information will be available at the Buffalo Grove Park District or the Village of Buffalo Grove. **For further information, please contact Terri Ebner at 847-850-2117 or Phillip Versten at 847-459-2518.**

Closing Notice

Easter Sunday

Sunday, March 27th Closed All Day

Staff Institute Day

Friday, May 6th Closed 9 AM - 2 PM

Memorial Day

Monday, May 30th Closed All Day

Please note!

The Bookmobile will not be in service when the library is closed.



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Illinois Comptroller Dan Hynes

Stem Cell Research

Monday, September 12th
7:00 p.m.

Illinois Comptroller Dan Hynes, or a member of his staff, will be at Indian Trails Library to discuss the proposed creation of a state-funded institute that will award \$1 billion in stem cell

research grants over the next decade, instantly placing Illinois on the cutting edge of 21st century medical science. **R 120.**

Art on View at the Library

During the month of **June**, Long Grove's **Tobin Fraley** will exhibit photographs of the Reed-Turner Woodland Nature Preserve. In **July**, Palatine artist **Doris Mamon** will show pastels of landscapes, flowers, and animals.

The new "Front Room" is open to the public, and artists will be able to display their work in it as well as the traditional Large Meeting Room. **Local artists who are interested in exhibiting their work are encouraged to contact Jim McCarthy at 847-459-4100.**

International Fair/ Ethnic Food Court

Sunday, August 7th 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Come and celebrate the diversity of our community with an afternoon of music, fun, crafts, and food for the whole family! Enjoy listening and dancing to Big Band stalwarts "In full Swing" jazz ensemble and other bands. Embark on an exotic culinary journey as a variety of local ethnic restaurants take your taste buds to away places.

"Front Room Finds"

"Front Room Finds" provides access to the latest bestsellers without waiting! The collection will be updated regularly and will contain new books by favorite authors of our patrons. The books will be available for a 7-day checkout. "No reserve, no renewal" means that if the book is there, you can check it out. As always, we will be taking names for the reserve list for our regular copies. And, the rental collection will remain for those who need a book right away that is not otherwise immediately available. If you've found a book you've been waiting for in the Front Room Collection, we ask that you let us know so that we can remove your name from our reserve list.



E-PAY Is Now Available!

The Indian Trails Public Library District is one of eight libraries in Illinois to offer a new service provided by Illinois State Treasurer Judy Baar Topinka. The service called **E-PAY**.

The **E-PAY** program was launched by Topinka's office in 2000 under a state master services agreement that is available for participation by all counties and local governments in Illinois. According to Library Director Tamiye Meehan, "Our E-PAY electronic payment service will provide greater convenience to the community." **E-PAY** will allow you to make your payments over the Internet for MasterCard, American Express and Discover cardholders. Visa cannot yet be accepted. The library's E-PAY service has started with fine and fee payment and donations. A transaction, or user fee, is added to the payment amount for the convenience of this service. The state and local participants who use this program do not receive any revenue from the convenience fee.

This service is available now. Log on to the library's web site, <http://www.indiantrailslibrary.org>, to see how the payment service can work for you or visit the library at 355 S. Schoenbeck Road, Wheeling.

Closing Notice

Memorial Day

Monday, May 30th Closed All Day

Independence Day

Monday, July 4th Closed All Day

Labor Day

Monday, September 5th Closed All Day

Please note!

The Bookmobile will not be in service when the library is closed.

Holiday Parades

We'll be participating in the **July 4th Parades** in Wheeling and Prospect Heights, and the **Labor Day Parade** in Buffalo Grove. *See you there!*



Mural donated to the library by Linda Fabry of Buffalo Grove

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Happy Holidays!

Spend An Afternoon With Angels

Author Joan Wester Anderson Speaks

Sunday, December 3rd, 2:00 p.m.

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i-Pod Shuffle, Computer Software, and More!

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WINTER 2007-2008

A photograph of the Indian Trails Public Library District building entrance. The building is a two-story brick structure with a large glass facade above the entrance. The entrance is covered by a white, arched canopy. There are two sets of glass doors leading into the building. To the left of the entrance, a bicycle is parked. To the right, an American flag is flying on a pole. The building is surrounded by greenery, including trees and bushes. The sky is clear and blue.

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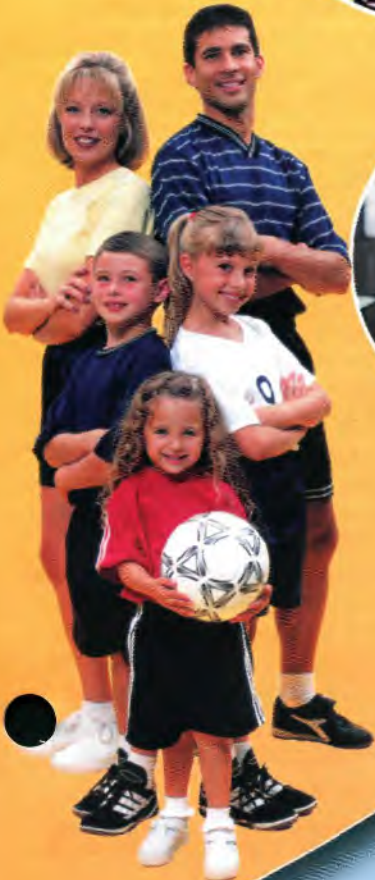
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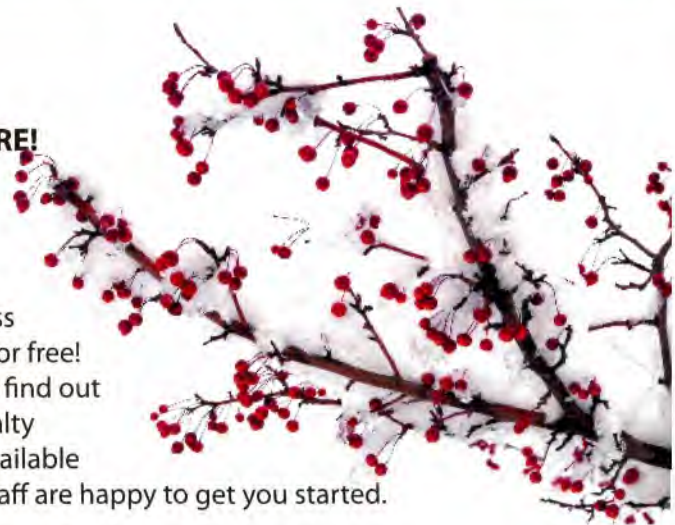
HELP US GO GREEN!

The Friends of the Library are now selling re-useable bags in three different colors with three different literacy-related messages. They sell for \$2 each and may be purchased at the Checkout Desk. Pick up a few, they are great for holiday gift giving or get some for everyday use. Help save the planet and support the Friends.



ANCESTORS ARE HERE!

Are you related to President Obama? Sarah Palin? or Rush Limbaugh? The library provides you with access to www.Ancestry.com for free! Research your relatives, find out where your lines of royalty come from! Access is available from the library only. Staff are happy to get you started.



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Find hundreds of digital books and videos to download and enjoy anytime and anywhere! Check out our downloadable books, audio and print, when you visit North Suburban Digital Consortium. No overdue fines and it's quick and easy. You can download from home or work and place an item on hold if it's checked out. Choose from hundreds of authors today.

IN THE FRONT ROOM...

December... Pen & Ink Drawings by John Green
January... Photographs by Rafal and Joanna Parzych
February... Exhibition of Civil War Diary of Stephen E. Bowen

LIBRARY CLOSING

The library will be closed from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on *Friday, December 3*, for staff training. The building will open for business as usual at 1:00 p.m. On *Friday, December 24*, and *Saturday, December 25*, the library will be closed for Christmas Eve and Christmas. On *Friday, December 31*, the library will be closed at 1:00 p.m. for New Year's Eve, and all day on *Saturday, January 1, 2011*.



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COMPUTER NEWS

Our public computers are being upgraded! They are faster and more powerful, but as technology moves forward, some things change. The new systems will not have floppy disk drives. Floppy disks are an outdated and unreliable form for saving data; in fact, they are no longer even made. If you have a floppy disk we recommend you replace it with a USB Drive (also known as Flash Drive or Thumb Drive). They are smaller, hold data better, and hold a lot more than any floppy disk can. The library sells USB Drives in our vending machine and, of course, can find them at any store that carries electronics.



e-READER EXTRAVAGANZA

The library has stacks and stacks of books—some of them are not on the shelves! Come to the library and see how e-Readers work. We will provide a Nook, a Kindle, and others for hands-on demonstrations! Drop by any time between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 23.



Last year Indian Trails Public Library surveyed our library communities regarding the library's future direction. The results were fairly consistent across neighborhoods and age groups.

Your community asked for these Library Improvements...

- A broader assortment of video, audio, and online materials
- More adult programming...a broader selection of programs and additional seating to eliminate patrons from being turned away from popular events
- Increased programming and activities for children, pre-teens, and teens
- More enclosed quiet study areas for individual and small group work
- More comfortable seating throughout the building

A Window of Opportunity has opened for funding these requested improvements

In 2012, the library will complete payment of the bonds funding our 1996 building addition. These bond payments are paid from your annual tax levy. A referendum has been proposed for the April 5, 2011, election to use the same dollar amount spent on the old bond issue to finance these new improvements.

This could be a win/win situation. The referendum proposal would create a facility that is more responsive to its patrons' desires. Voting for the library referendum WILL NOT increase your tax bill.

Current plans to meet the requests of our communities

Some library improvements currently under consideration include:

- Wider selection of shelved and online video and audio materials
- Increased space for more children's and adult programming...including a wider range of topics and in-depth multi-session programs
- Separate activity spaces for pre-school/youth, pre-teens, and teens
- More enclosed study areas for students, adults, or small group projects
- Expanded areas for both teen and pre-teen study and socialization
- More comfortable seating throughout the library

The library welcomes your input. Address your comments and suggestions to Library Director, Tom Simiele (tsimiele@IndianTrailsLibrary.org).

INTERNET SEARCH ENGINES

Online Searching Techniques will give you the information to harness the power of the web to find the information you seek. Learn about Google and other leading search engines. As the web expands more every day, good search techniques become essential! Come to the hands-on classes, then practice during the dedicated lab time. Please register at indiantrailslibrary.org

Instruction: Monday, March 7, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday, March 9, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 12, 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Lab time: Saturday, March 19, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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A MIDSUMMER KNIGHT'S READ

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! All ye Lords and Ladies.
A proclamation from King Dewey and his Queen,
Lady Reader, has been declared over all the land.

The Library of Indian Trails has announced that
A MIDSUMMER KNIGHT'S READ
Shall commence on
the 11th day of June
and shall cease on
the 6th day of August.

We beseech ye to join the crusade so our King
and Queen may claim victory by reading more
books than all the other lands.

Slaying a few dragons may help, too!
Register at the Kids Desk. The last day
to sign up will be July 30th.

Birth-8th grade. R



MANGO FOR LEARNING LANGUAGES!

Learning a foreign language can be most frustrating to many people. Mango, an online language learning system, teaches practical conversation skills for a wide variety of languages and it's FUN. Everyday dialog with native speakers, interactive lessons, and a unique teaching style, Mango increases your ability to use, adapt and build on what you learn. The Google translation search engine (while not a substitute for human translation) helps translate the "gist" of one language conversation to another. Great for non-native English speakers to learn and practice a new language.



The Indian Trails Public Library has purchased digital music rights! Now, with your Indian Trails library card and secret PIN number, you can download three songs weekly to your computer, iPod, MP3 player, or all three using Freegal from the Sony Music Catalog. Best of all, you don't have to return them and there are no overdue fines!

MATERIALS AT YOUR FINGERTIPS - 24-HOUR LOCKERS!

So much to do? Time running short? Take your time by calling us to let us know you would like to pick up your library selections from our 24-hour lockers. Punch in the secret code and your checked out materials are inside waiting for you!

LOADING UP ON LIBRARY DOWNLOADS!

Indian Trails has books, audiobooks, movies, and music you can download to your favorite device! Let us show you how to put books on your eReader, music or audiobooks on your MP3 or other place. A staff member will be available in the Small Meeting Room on Saturday, June 18, sharing the potential of OverDrive and Freegal collections! Drop in any time between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

SPACE! THE FINAL FRONTIER

Join us in the Front Room of the Library to honor the lift-off of Space Shuttle Atlantis for its final mission on Tuesday, June 28th at 2 p.m. What a ride it's been!



MEDIAEVAL FAIRE

Saturday, August 6, 1:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Celebrate the end of our Summer Reading Program with fun-filled festivities including food, a face painter, balloon sculptor, falconer, and a demonstration by the Chicago Swordplay Guild on the style of Medieval European Swordsmanship. If you would like, dress up in your finest medieval costumes. Let the celebration begin!

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FRONT PAGE NEWS!

Checkout eReaders from the Library! Exclusive to Indian Trails Public Library cardholders in good standing, the Library has five Nooks, five NookColors, and five Amazon Kindles that can be checked out for two weeks. These devices are pre-loaded with adult fiction and non-fiction titles—plus, the NookColor has children's titles.

Experience the novelty of reading using electronic paper technology. If you own an eReading device, drop by on Saturday, January 7, between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., to learn how to download library books and audiobooks. Staff experts will walk you through the process step-by-step.

If you can't wait that long—visit <http://indiantrails.lib.overdrive.com> and follow the instructions on our site. Call, visit, e-Mail (go to Library website home page, "Contact Us"; click on "Ask a Librarian"), or IM (indiantrailslib) for more information.



JUST THE FAX, PLEASE!

The Library now has a public fax machine! Send documents across the United States or around the world. The machine is easy to operate, uses a credit card or a prepaid fax cash card, and is conveniently located in the "Holds" room on the first floor of the Library.

DISPLAY CASES

Do you have a collection the Library could put on display? Do you collect native or folk art, military medals, snow globes, or other interesting collectables? If so, the Library would like to display your collection in one of our locked display cases for a period of one month. Contact Lillian Taylor at 847-459-4100, ext. 246, for a display application or additional information.

LIBRARY WELCOMES NEW DIRECTOR

David J. Seleb greeted staff and board members on Tuesday, November 1, as he started his first day on the job. David comes to Indian Trails from the Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District where he was director since 2007. He was also director of the Blue Island Public Library and has worked in both the Suburban and Metropolitan Library Systems.



David brings experience in working with Rotary, Chambers of Commerce, as well as community groups. Library staff and board are looking forward to working with him as Indian Trails sets priorities for service. Please take the opportunity to meet David for yourself on Monday, December 12, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the Front Room. Light refreshments will be served.

READING GARDEN PHASE I COMPLETE

The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library is pleased to invite everyone to visit the brick Reading Garden. Thanks to generous donations of local library lovers and community members, Indian Trails has a space to celebrate people who have made a difference in our lives by engraving their names on bricks, seat rocks, and boulders. Phase 1 of the Reading Garden project showcases 80 specially engraved bricks.



The Foundation is pleased to provide this special opportunity to honor and memorialize people who have made a difference, while raising money that can be used to endow capital projects for our Library. If you would like to participate in this effort, it's not too late! What you see is just the beginning. Support the Library by purchasing a brick for Phase 2. Ask for a brochure, go to the Foundation's website <http://www.indiantrailslibraryfoundation.org/gardenindex.html>, or e-Mail garden@indiantrailslibraryfoundation.org.

SNOW! EXPLORE THE MAGIC OF THE SEASON

It's always been a pressing question, but when the snow melts, where does the white go? Come listen to Buffalo Grove artist John Green as he explores this artful question at a public reception from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 8, in the Front Room. Refreshments will be served. Registration is required.

"Snow" related artworks by John Green, Linda Treshansky, and Russell Blanchard will be on display in the Front Room from December 1-30, 2011, during normal Library business hours.

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Christmas Eve: Saturday, December 24
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New Year's Eve: Saturday, December 31
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New Year's Day: Sunday, January 1

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RECEPTION AND EXHIBITS OF LOCAL ARTISTS

The original oil paintings of Chicago area artist Monica Stanton will be on display in the Indian Trails Public Library's Large Meeting Room from

March 2 through 28. Centered on dancers and musicians, the collection is entitled "Dance, Dance, Play", and consist mostly of human figures and portraits worked in dramatic palettes and brushstrokes, revealing the intensity and depth of Stanton's real-life experience. Everyone is invited to meet Ms. Stanton at an Open House reception on Saturday, March 3, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. at Indian Trails. Light refreshments will be served.



DONOR WALL RECOGNITION

Honor a friend or loved one while giving the gift of reading to your friends and neighbors. The Library has established a "Donor's Wall" located in the lobby of the main Library. Donations will be recognized as follows:

Sponsor	\$250 to \$999.99
Patron	\$1,000 to \$4,999.99
Benefactor	\$5,000 or more

All levels of recognition will be permanently recorded and acknowledged in the Library's Annual Report. In addition, donations made at the Patron level and above will be displayed on the Donor Wall.

Checks should be made payable to The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library. The Foundation is a 501 (c) 3 entity, and all donations to the Foundation are tax deductible.

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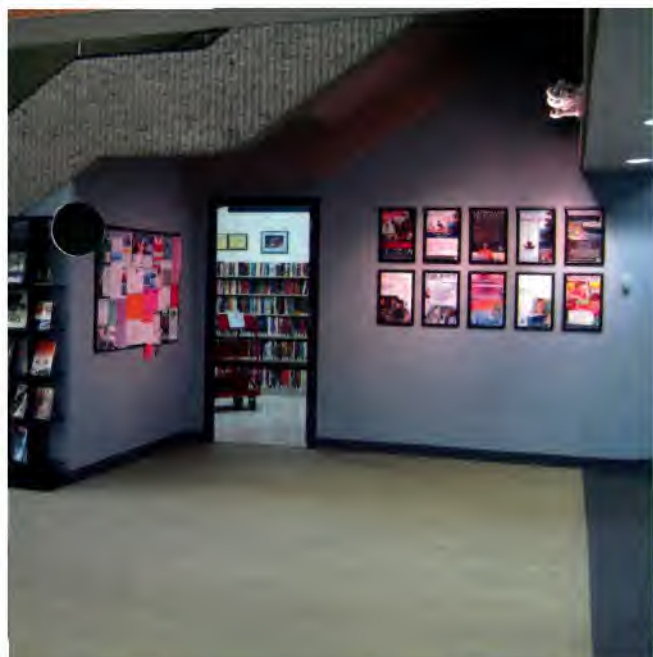
Easter:
Sunday, April 8
Staff Institute:
Friday, May 11 until 2.p.m.
Memorial Day:
Monday, May 28



The Art Studio "Artishock" will have their paintings on display in the Front Room here at Indian Trails Public Library during the month of May, titled "Between Drawing and Painting." Their artwork lessons are designed to introduce fundamental visual art concepts to children and adults by developing the ability to identify the elements of art in the environment and in works of art. A public reception will be held on Sunday, May 6, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Light refreshments will be served.

BOOK DONATIONS

Do you have books piled up everywhere in your home? Have you read them and now you don't know what to do with them? Don't throw them out! Consider donating them to the Library so they can be included in our quarterly Used Book Sale. Children's as well as adult books are needed. The book or books you have enjoyed reading will, hopefully, bring joy to someone else. The Friends of the Library and Children's Advocates thank you! The Library's Used Book Sales are held in January, April, July, and October.





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Summer Reading Program June 9-August 4

We're spilling the beans!

Our 2012 Summer Reading Program is the best thing since sliced bread! Show everyone what a smart cookie you are by signing up at the library. It's a piece of cake!

Kids and Teens (birth-grade 8): Read for nine hours this summer to complete three "meals" – breakfast, lunch, and dinner! After finishing each meal, return to the library to pick up your prizes. Read with Me (pre-readers) can still participate when a parent or guardian reads to them! You're never too young to enjoy a tasty book!

High School (grades 9-12): Sign up and receive a FREE copy of a book from your high school's summer reading list. Keep reading all summer and have the chance to win great prizes.

Adults (ages 18 and older): Read books or eBooks from three of the six selected categories and you'll receive a lunch box. Finish all six categories and be entered in the grand prize drawing for a food processor.

Registration begins Saturday, June 9; last day to register is July 28.

MEET THE AUTHOR: JOHN SCALZI

Meet award-winning sci-fi author John Scalzi on Sunday, June 10. See back page for details.

BOOKMYNE APP PUTS LIBRARY CATALOG IN YOUR HANDS

How would you like to have hundreds of thousands of items at your fingertips – all free to read, view, and listen to? It's easy and it's yours!

With the BookMyne app for Apple and Android devices, you can search the Indian Trails Library catalog, place holds, check your account, and even browse suggested titles for books, eBooks, audiobooks, CDs, and DVDs.

Download the BookMyne app today at www.sirsidynix.com/bookmyne. Once installed on your Apple or Android device, you will have a portable catalog ready to use and enjoy.

NEW @ THE LIBRARY!

- Requests for DVDs and Blu-rays can now be made from other libraries through Interlibrary Loan (new titles excepted).
- You may check out or reserve as many items, including video games, as you wish.
- Try it before you buy it – check out a Kindle or Nook for up to two weeks.

PROTECTING YOUR PRIVACY

Q. I called the library to find out about my reserves and overdue material and was told they couldn't give me that information without my library card number! I gave them my name and address, why did they need my card number?

A. Not being able to get the information you want can be frustrating, but to protect your privacy, the library has a policy of not divulging any personal information over the phone without a library card number. We have a responsibility to protect your right to confidentiality on what you read and materials you use. Carrying your library card with you is an easy way to make sure you can access your information anytime you want, either by phone or via your account on the library's website.

PHCC IS MOVING!

In August, the Prospect Heights Convenience Center will relocate to a new larger space at 99 E. Palatine Rd., directly behind the McDonald's restaurant. Watch for more information on our website, www.indiantrailslibrary.org or at the library.



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Now Open! New Prospect Heights Branch

99 E. Palatine Rd, Prospect Heights

Grand Opening Ceremony

Saturday, September 29, 12:30-2:30 p.m.

Celebrate the grand opening of our new branch in Prospect Heights with food, music, and fun! Sign up for your library card and discover all the library has to offer.



Michele Davis and Library Director David Seleb at the luncheon sponsored by the Wheeling/Prospect Heights Chamber of Commerce.

Michele Davis receives Employee Excellence Award

Congratulations to Michele Davis, Head of Youth Services, who recently received the Employee Excellence Award from the Wheeling/Prospect Heights Chamber of Commerce. Michele, who has worked at Indian Trails Library for nine years, became the Youth Services manager in April 2010. She was nominated by fellow employee Rose Johnson, who credits Michele for turning the children's area into a "vibrant, colorful, and inviting place for children and their families."

MUZZY Online: Award-winning language resource for kids

This new interactive language resource is available on our website or at <http://bit.ly/muzzylogin>. Just enter your library card number to access games and activities in English, French, Italian, German, and Spanish. Immersion learning is available in Mandarin Chinese, Portuguese and Russian.

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Food for Fines January 2–31, 2013 1 can = \$1 off in fines

Pay your fines AND help stock the Wheeling Food Pantry! Donate a canned food item during January and receive \$1 off toward overdue fines.

Please remember

- Only non-expired items accepted.
- No glass containers, dented cans, cans without labels, or open packages accepted.
- Does not apply to fees for missing or damaged items or lost materials.
- Bring items to the Member Services Desk on the first floor.

The Weather May Be Frightful but the Library is Still Delightful!

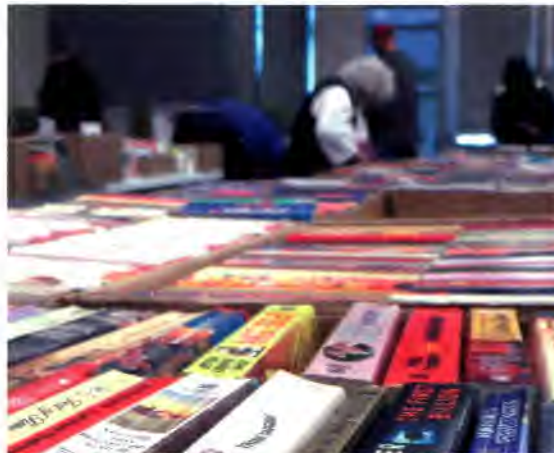
Don't let bad weather keep you from accessing library services and information! Visit us online at www.indiantrailslibrary.org 24/7 to research a topic, download eBooks, or request materials. We're always open!

Homebound Services

When a physical or medical condition prevents you from visiting the library or accessing services, contact us to arrange for a personal visit to your home or care facility. Call Abida at 847-279-2245 or email asalahuddin@indiantrailslibrary.org for more information.

Children's Advocates

Do you want to help enhance the library experience for children in your community? Please consider joining the Children's Advocates in their work to help change the lives of the children in our district. Call Rose at 847-279-2248 to find out how you can help.



Friends of the Library Seek Used Book Donations

Do your gently used books need new readers? We are always seeking donations of used books, DVDs, and Blu-rays in good condition for the Friends of Library Used Book Sales. Please drop off your donations at the Member Services Desk on the first floor. Unfortunately, we can't accept textbooks, encyclopedias, magazines, or outdated audio-visual items. All proceeds benefit library programs and services.

3M Cloud Discovery Station

Your eBooks are just a click away!

Just past the reference desk on the second floor of the library the 3M Discovery Station holds more than 600 books, ready to be downloaded by eager readers. If placed in traditional stacks, 600 books would need 24 shelves.

But it isn't about saving space.

Digital books are here to stay and their popularity is only going to grow as publishers increase eBook offerings. Besides the 3M system the library offers two other eBook options (Overdrive and Freading) that allow members to access eBooks. For all three options, members can access the catalog and download eBooks from home with their library card number. What sets the 3M system apart is its simplicity and the Discovery Station, that offers a wonderful interactive experience for browsers.

Although any eReader (with the exception of the Kindle) can be used with the 3M system, members can also check out 3M eReaders at the Circulation Desk.

Want to learn more? Our staff will help set up your eReader and download your first eBook.



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What you do today can improve all your tomorrows.

- Ralph Marston



The recent completion of the library's 2013-2015 Strategic Plan will lead to many opportunities for our members and staff. If you have visited the library recently, you've noticed some of the changes we are making to meet the demands of today's library users: our member services desks were moved to better greet people visiting the library, more staff has been moved to the floor to assist you, and we are ramping up our technology offerings.

In 2013 you are going to notice more changes as we adapt and create new opportunities to serve you. Here is just a sample of some of the exciting things you will see:

1 Tech Bar – The Friends of the Library have generously funded our Tech Bar (expected to open in spring on the second floor). Here you will have the opportunity to try out every eReader we have in the library, learn how to download eBooks to your personal device, and get help with technology.

To learn more about the 2013 Strategic Plan, see the Director's Column on page 2 or visit our website.

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- 2 Refurbished High School Area** – Today's teens are flocking to our library in greater numbers than ever to use computers and the creative software available to them. Our new high school area (The Studio) includes four computers, collaborative work space, and comfortable seating where groups can meet and talk.
- 3 Hot Picks (formerly Front Room Finds)** – Our newest books, DVDs, and Blu-rays have moved to the space behind the Member Services Desk on the first floor.
- 4 KidsZone** – New shelving will make browsing easier and allow Youth Services to expand its offerings.
- 5 Renovated Small Meeting Room** – Our Small Meeting Room is being redesigned to include more storage and new furniture to improve training and program opportunities for our members.

The Indian Trails Library District stands at the doorway of opportunity. We are excited and energized by the feedback we have received from members as we continue to make the library a vibrant place for information and innovation. Our commitment remains, as always, how do we best serve you. We know it is by initiating and embracing the opportunities that will move your library forward and upward.



2013 Friends Used Book Sale

April 19, 5–8:30 p.m.

\$3 admission for non-Friend Members, Children's Sale Room, free admittance.

April 20, 9 a.m.–4:30 p.m. FREE

April 21, 12–3 p.m. FREE, \$3 bag sale

Friends Meeting Dates

Thursdays: March 21, April 11, May 16, 9:30 a.m.



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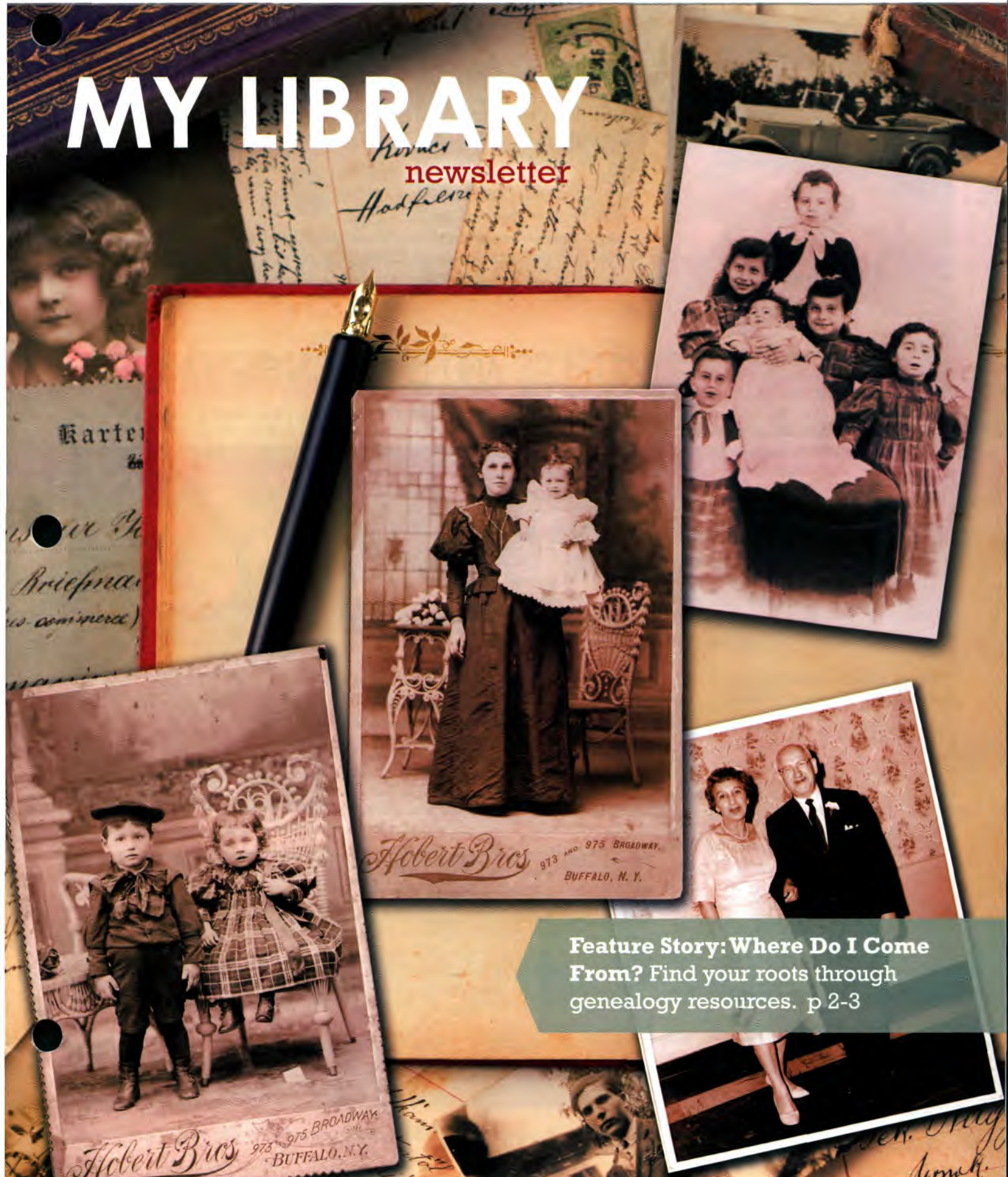
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- Bond over favorite books and storytimes
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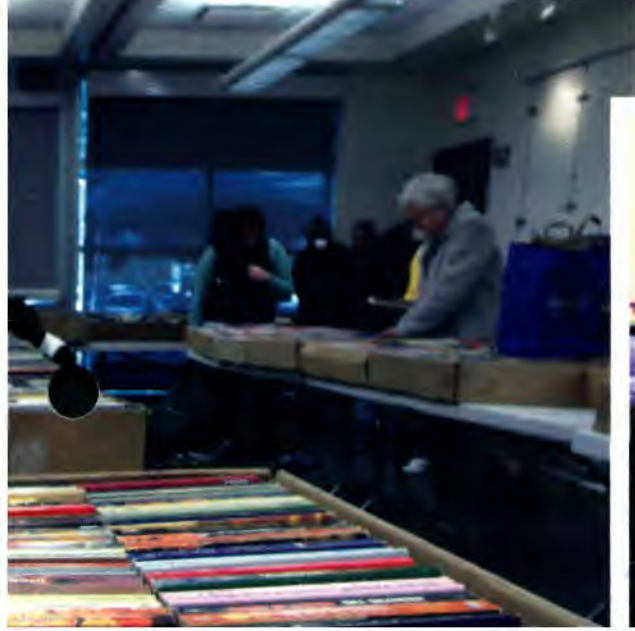
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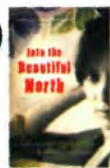


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