

BranchDistrictLibrary.org

Event Highlights

One Book, One County 2023
March Is Reading Month
Seed Library Opening

Program Guide for Children, Teens & Adults



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2023 ONE BOOK ONE COUNTY

FIRE KEEPER'S DAUGHTER

BY ANGELINE BOULLEY

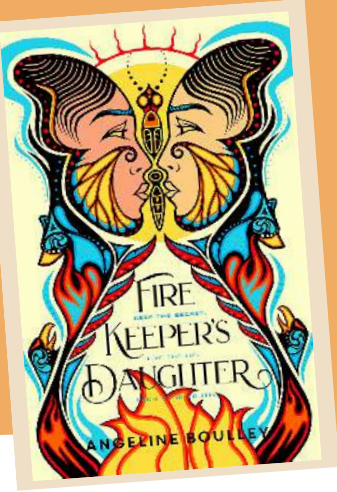
Eighteen-year-old Daunis Fontaine has never quite fit in, both in her hometown and on the nearby Ojibwe reservation. She dreams of a fresh start at college, but when family tragedy strikes, Daunis puts her future on hold to look after her fragile mother. The only bright spot is meeting Jamie, the charming new recruit on her brother Levi's hockey team.

Yet even as Daunis falls for Jamie, she senses the dashing hockey star is hiding something. Everything comes to light when Daunis witnesses a shocking murder, thrusting her into an FBI investigation of a lethal new drug.

As the deceptions—and deaths—keep growing, Daunis must learn what it means to be a strong Anishinaabe kwe (Ojibwe woman) and how far she'll go for her community, even if it tears apart the only world she's ever known.

Copies of the book are available at any library or on digital library provider [hoopla](#)

To learn more about
One Book One County please visit
BranchDistrictLibrary.com/oboc2023



JOIN US AT OUR BRANCHES FOR GREAT DISCUSSIONS!

Alganssee: March 22, 5:30

Bronson: March 30, 6:00

Coldwater: March 22, 10:00 &
March 28, 5:30

Quincy: March 21, 6:00

Sherwood: March 23, 6:00

Union Twp.: March 27, 4:00



Discover. Connect. Get Inspired.

March, April, May 2023



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CHILDREN



Attend events encouraging literacy and other great activities for children under 13 unless noted.

TEEN



Join in the fun with events just for teens. Explore new skills and make new friends. For ages 13-18 unless noted.

ADULT



Dig deeper into books, craft classes, continuing education, and community events at your library. Adult events are for ages 18+.

ALL AGES



Attend programs, craft classes, and reading challenges. Programming for all ages to do together.

All library events are free and open to the public and a library card is not required to attend.

Some events may require registration. Sign up at BranchDistrictLibrary.org/calendar

Algansee
(517) 639-9830
580-B S. Ray-Quincy Rd.
Quincy

Bronson
(517) 369-3785
207 N. Matteson St.
Bronson

Coldwater
(517) 278-2341
10 E. Chicago St.
Coldwater

Quincy
(517) 639-4001
11 N. Main St.
Quincy

Sherwood
(517) 741-7976
118 Sherman St.
Sherwood

Lucille E. Dearth
Union Twp.
(517) 741-5061
195 N. Broadway St.
Union City

Alganssee

Children's Events

Tuesday Tales

Stories, songs, and crafts.

Held at 1070 E. Central Rd., in Quincy at Paula Preston Daycare.

Weekly on Tue. at 10:30

Little Explorers Storytime

Storytime, songs, and activities.

Weekly on Wed. at 10:30

Toddler Movie

Join us for a movie and snack after story time.

Wed., Mar. 1, Mar. 15, Mar. 29, Apr. 12, Apr. 26, May 10, May 24, 11:00

Lego Club

Come build amazing creations with Legos. Best for ages 6 and up.

Fri., Mar. 3, Mar. 17, Mar. 31, Apr. 7, Apr. 21, May 5, May 19, 4:30

Exploring Hydroponics

Have you ever thought about planting a garden in your house? Come explore the possibilities of hydroponic gardens.

Thu., Mar. 2, 4:30

Let's Play With Our Food!

Let's play in the dirt and learn how science transforms seeds into food.

Thu., Mar. 9, 4:30

Dates and times are subject to change.

Visit BranchDistrictLibrary.org/calendar for current information.



Octopus Plants? How Plants Regenerate

Did you know that Octopus can regrow their tentacles? So can plants! Let's explore this fascinating science.

Thu., Mar. 16, 4:30

Fishy Farmers

Meet the fish of Aquaponics and learn what they do.

Thu., Mar. 23, 4:30

Recycled Container Gardens

Recycle used containers into homes for our plants.

Thu., Mar. 30, 4:30

Weaving Webs

Learn about spiders as we create webs (dream catchers) of our own.

Thu., Apr. 6, 4:30

Yummy Honey in my Tummy

Study bees and how they pollinate, as we pollinate our own garden with cheeto dust.

Thu., Apr. 13, 4:30

Smelly Homes

Roll your own dung (playdough) house as we learn about the Dung Beetle.

Thu., Apr. 20, 4:30

Beautiful Butterflies

Explore how a caterpillar transforms into a butterfly.

Thu., Apr. 27, 4:30

Hide and Seek Spring

Learn how to seek out food as we learn about foraging from nature.

Thu., May 4, 4:30

ID That Tree

Have you ever wondered what a tree's name is? Come meet some and learn how to identify them.

Thu., May 11, 4:30

Who's Been Here?

The animals are all up and moving. Let's learn how to tell who has been by.

Thu., May 18, 4:30

Up in the Sky

Listen for bird song as we explore what makes each bird special.

Thu., May 25, 4:30

Algansee (cont.)

Adult Events

Book Club

Join us as we discuss our favorite books that we have read over the past month.

Fri., Mar. 3, 5:00

Tue., May 2, 5:00

St. Patrick's Day Wreaths

Create a green and festive themed wreath. [REGISTER](#)

Tue., Mar. 7, 12:30

Porch Welcome Signs

Create a porch welcome sign that can change with the seasons. [REGISTER](#)

Thu., Mar. 16, 12:30

One Book One County

Join us for a discussion of the 2023 selection *The Firekeepers Daughter* by Angeline Boulley.

Wed., Mar. 22, 5:30

Easter Egg Decor

Create colorful Easter Egg decorations.

Tue., Apr. 4, 12:30

Tabletop Spring Trees

Bring spring into your home with a tree. [REGISTER](#)

Thu., Apr. 20, 12:30

Wooden Hanging Calendar

Make a wooden calendar to remember the special dates in your life. [REGISTER](#)

Tue., May 2, 12:30

Garden Markers and Signs

Inspire your potted plants with adorable signs and create garden markers for your veggies. [REGISTER](#)

Thu., May 18, 12:30

All-Ages Events

Family Movie Night

Join us for Family Movie Night and a free viewing of *Bridge to Terabithia*.

Fri., Mar. 1, 4:30

Family Craft

Come create a magical Fairy Garden. [REGISTER](#)

Fri., Mar. 24, 4:30

Family Movie Night

Bring the family and enjoy a free activity as we watch *Bug's Life*.

Fri., Apr. 14, 4:30

Family Craft

Everyone can get creative as we turn buttons into a beautiful spring bouquet.

Fri., Apr. 28, 4:30

Family Movie Night

Bring the family to enjoy a free viewing of *Over The Hedge*.

Fri., May 12, 4:30

Family Craft

Come create and press leaves and flowers into unique wall art.

Fri., May 26, 4:30

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The image is a promotional banner for Hoopla, a digital library service. It features a blue background with the Hoopla logo in white. Below the logo, the text 'Tap Into Discovery. Instantly Read, Listen, and Watch with Your Library Card' is displayed. On the right side, there is a photograph of a hand holding a tablet displaying the Hoopla interface. At the bottom, there are logos for various devices and services: App Store, Google Play, Roku, Amazon Fire TV, and Chromecast.

Toddler Time

Join us for stories, fingerplays, songs, and play time. Best for ages baby - 3 years but all ages are welcome.

Weekly on Thu. at 10:15

Friday Tales

Join us for stories, fingerplays, songs, and simple crafts. Best for ages 3-5 but all ages are welcome.

Weekly on Fri. at 10:15

Stories and More

A storytime for school-age children. Join us for stories, games, and crafts. Best for ages 6-11.

Weekly on Wed. at 5:00

Kid's Craft : Popsicle Stick Flower Pot

Popsicle sticks, tin can, and tape make a nice flower pot to take home. [REGISTER](#)

Thu., Mar. 2, 5:00

Stuffed Animal Sleepover

Drop your stuffed animal off any time between 4:00-6:00 on Mar. 29. Your stuffed animal will get to have a fun sleepover at the library with all sorts of games, crafts, stories, and snacks. Come at noon on Thursday, Mar. 30, to pick up your stuffed animal and enjoy a pizza party with them!

Wed., Mar. 29, 4:00-6:00

Kid's Craft: Glob Painting

Have you ever heard of Glob Painting? It sounds messy but you will be amazed at the awesome Spring painting you will create! [REGISTER](#)

Thu., Apr. 20, 5:00

Kid's Craft: Bird Kite

Learn how to make a bird kite that will fly! [REGISTER](#)

Thu., May 4, 5:00

Tween/Teen Events

Anime

Join us for a look at our anime books and movies.

Mon., Mar. 6, 4:00

Book Discussion

A conversation about *The Dark Is Rising* by Susan Cooper.

Mon., Mar. 13, 4:00

Tinkering with Sound!

What is a diddley bow? Come and find out!

Mon., Mar. 20, 4:00

Manga

Join us for a look at a great manga series.

Mon., Mar. 27, 4:00

HOMESCHOOL ESCAPADES

Weekly on Wednesdays at 2:00

(Best for School Age Children)

Mar. 1, Tinkering: Sound - make a diddley bow!

Mar. 8, Tinkering: Magnetism - come work with magnets!

Mar. 22, Tinkering: Mechanics - learn how to make carnival-type games.

Apr. 5, Electronics: Check out Makey Makey, Snap Circuits, Copper Tape, Little Bits, Dot and Dash, and Conductive Clay.

Apr. 12, Puppetry: Shadow Puppets - make your very own shadow puppets and learn how to use them.

Apr. 19, Games: Join us for a fun hour of board games.

Apr. 26, Crankie! Make a Crankie Theater and entertain your family for hours!

May 3, Legos. Play at the Lego Wall, and build a car to race. So many ideas.

May 10, Art Steve's Way: Air-dry Clay

May 17, Celebration! Join us for the end of our spring homeschool sessions. We will have games, snacks, and lots of fun.

Bronson (cont.)

Poetry

Maybe you are a poet and just don't know it! Try your hand at writing all sorts of poetry.

Mon., Apr. 10, 4:00

Board Games

Ticket to Ride, Pandemic, Munchkin, Chess, Checkers. Refreshments will be served.

Mon., Apr. 17, 4:00

Crankie Theater

This is a storytelling form used long before TV. Make your very own Crankie Theater.

Mon., Apr. 24, 4:00

Minute to Win It

Join the fun in the Minute to Win It challenges. Contests of skill that will have you cheering and laughing.

Mon., May 1, 4:00

Clay Art

Create a masterpiece using air-dry clay.

Mon., May 8, 4:00

Anime

Join us for a look at our anime books and movies.

Mon., May 15, 4:00

Adult Events

Wine Glass Bunny

Turn an upside down wine glass into a cute bunny just in time for spring decorating.

REGISTER

Thu., Mar. 9, 4:30

Attracting Pollinators to Your Garden

Learn about pollinators active in our gardens and what you can do to make your yard more attractive to pollinators. Presented by the Branch County Conservation District.

Sat., Mar. 25, 10:00

One Book One County

Join us for a discussion of the 2023 selection *The Firekeepers Daughter* by Angeline Boulley.

Thu., Mar. 30, 6:00

Spring Glob Painting

Using little globs of paint you will turn your canvas into a beautiful Spring painting. You won't think it's possible but join us and be amazed!

REGISTER

Thu., Apr. 13, 4:30

Mosaic Candle Holder

Create a beautiful colored glass mosaic candle holder.

REGISTER

Thu., May 11, 4:30

Book Discussion

Pick up your copy of "Two Old Women" starting April 10. Copies will be available at the Bronson Branch or on Hoopla.

Join us on May 10 at 6:30 for a discussion at the Bronson Branch.

All-Ages Events

Family Fun Night

Perler Beads and Shrinky Dinks. Kids love them and adults get to try them too.

Fri., Mar. 3, 6:30

History of Gilead Township and East Michiana

In conjunction with the Bronson Area Historical Society we have author Michael Biesiada here to talk about his book *A History of Gilead Township and East Michiana*.

Thu., Mar. 23, 6:00

Shadow Puppets

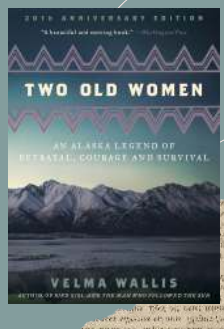
Make your very own shadow puppets and learn how to use them.

Fri., Apr. 14, 6:30

Family Event - Stevens Puppets

The tale of *Sleeping Beauty* comes to life with puppets! **Held at the Bronson Theater.**

Sat., Apr. 29, 3:00



Coldwater

Children's Events

Family Night Storytime

Join us for a bedtime story, calming music, and coloring.

Weekly on Mon. at 5:30

Storytime

Join us to read, write, sing, talk and play!

Weekly on Tue. at 10:30

Builders Club

Use different mediums to create structures.

Mon., Mar. 20, Apr. 17, May 15, 3:00

Homeschool Hour

Join us for an hour of fun: crafts, STEM, history, and life skills. It will be something new and fun each month!

Thu., Mar. 9, Apr. 13, May 11, 1:00

Everything St. Patty Party

Learn about St. Patty's Day. Enjoy an Irish inspired snack, jokes, and make a craft to celebrate.

Fri., Mar. 17, 1:00

Homeschool Movie Night

Join us for light refreshments and a classic movie *The Prince of Egypt*.

Fri., Mar. 24, 4:00

Easter Egg Mosaics

Create an Easter Egg Mosaic out of construction paper to take home and display.

Wed., Apr. 5, 4:00

D.E.A.R (Drop Everything And Read)

Bookmark giveaway and we will help you find the perfect book that will make you want to DEAR!

Wed., Apr. 12, 9:00–7:00

Mother's Day Craft

Make a special wooden ornament for your grown-up at home!

Fri., May 5, 1:00

Memorial Day Celebration

Come and learn about the holiday with a story, craft, and a game.

Fri., May 26, 1:00

Teen Events

Teen/Tween Anime Night

Watch anime and have a Japanese inspired snack! For ages 10-18.

Wed., Mar. 22, Apr. 26, May 24, 4:00

Art Club

Come and make art with local artist Ben Lyon.

Tue., Apr. 4, 5:00

Find a Poem

Drop in and create some poetry using book pages black out markers.

Apr. 1 - Apr. 29

Earth Day Craft

Create an Earth Day inspired craft out of recycled book pages to take home.

Fri., Apr. 21, 2:00

Native Bee House

Come and create a native bee house and learn about pollinators.

Wed., May 10, 4:00

Adult Events

Book Club Mixer

Interested in joining a book club or adding new members? Come to this event and find other book lovers in the community.

Mon., Mar. 20, 5:00

One Book One County

Join us for a discussion of the 2023 selection *The Firekeepers Daughter* by Angeline Boulley.

Wed., Mar. 22, 10:00

Tue., Mar. 28, 5:30

Morning Book Club

A fiction/nonfiction book club that explores a wide variety of titles. The April selection is *Wild: from lost to found on the Pacific Crest Trail* by Cheryl Strayed.

Wed., Apr. 26, 10:00

May Day Door Hanger

Using a Mason Jar, paints, and a ribbon. Decorate the jar and create a fresh flower bouquet to give to your May Day recipient. **REGISTER**

Fri., Apr. 28, 2:00

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BOOK A DAY CHALLENGE

Starting March 1, pick up a calendar sheet in Kids' Place. Challenge yourself to read a book a day, color the calendar and at the end of the month return your worksheet for a sweet treat. For ages 12 and under!

Visit the Coldwater Branch to get started!

MARCH IS READING MONTH

BOOK BINGO

Ages 18 and up can grab a Bingo Card, starting March 1, from the Coldwater Branch and challenge yourself for March is Reading Month.

All participants will receive a prize.



Coldwater (cont.)

Record Club

Bring some and listen to some records! Share concert experiences and your love for music with like minded people. **REGISTER**

Thu., May 4, 5:00

Getting Started with Libby!

Learn to borrow magazines, ebooks, and audiobooks from Libby! **REGISTER**

Fri., May 19, 10:00

Morning Book Club

A fiction/nonfiction book club that explores a wide variety of titles. The May book is *Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus.

Wed., May 24, 10:00

All-Ages Events

Art Club

Learn the tips and tricks from professional artist Ben Lyon to create something totally unique to take home and display. For ages 12 and up.

Mon., Mar. 6, 5:00

Vaping 101

The Branch-Hillsdale-St. Joseph Community health educator will be here to discuss vaping and how it effects the body. For ages 12 and up.

Wed., Mar. 8, 2:00

Mario Day

Show your love for Mario and the Nintendo Friends by playing Mario Kart and having a Mario inspired snack.

Fri., March 10, 4:00

Teen VS Adult Trivia

Come play trivia teens vs adult for a prize. For ages 12 and up.

Wed., Mar. 15, 4:00

Earth Day Upcycling

Create several items with upcycling in mind.

Fri., Apr. 21, 1:00

Scoop the Balloonatic

Back by popular demand! Join Scoop while he teaches a class on balloon twisting, then order up a balloon creation from his menu board. All materials supplied.

Sat., Apr. 29, 1:00–3:00

Art with Emma

Create something new and cute to display at home. For ages 12 and up.

Mon., May 1, 4:00

Movie and Card Creation

Come make a card and watch a family favorite movie, *Brave*.

Thu., May 11, 4:00

Spray Paint with Ben

Learn how to do graffiti and other spectacular spray painting techniques. You can take home whatever you make! For ages 12 and up.

Wed., May 31, 4:00

Quincy

Children's Events

Storytime at Little Orioles Preschool

Read a variety of books and do an activity sheet. **Held at 15 E. Liberty St., in Quincy at Little Orioles Preschool. Weekly on Thu. at 11:00**

Storytime

Story time for toddlers. Best for age 2-5. Book, snack, and craft.

Weekly on Fri. at 10:30

Play Doh Party!

Come use your imagination and play with Play-Doh.

Mon., Mar. 6, 3:30

Looking for Leprechauns

Let's make binoculars and then go on a scavenger hunt! **Mon., Mar. 13, 3:30**

Library Scavenger Hunt

Come get a card from the librarian and go on a scavenger hunt! It's going to be a real fun time!

Mon., Mar. 20, 3:30

Slime Party!

Come get your hands slimy! We're going to make slime and then play with it for an ooey-gooley time.

Mon., Apr. 10, 3:30

Earth Day Project

Decorate provided plant pots and plant a flower in honor of Earth Day.

Mon., Apr. 17, 3:30

Quincy (cont.)

May Day! Basket Making

We're going to make a May Day basket with paper and fill it with goodies.

Mon., May 1, 3:30

Make Your Own Puzzle

Put together a blank puzzle and color/decorate it to make your own.

Mon., May 15, 3:30

Glass Bead Suncatcher

Come make a fun suncatcher to display this Spring season!

Mon., May 22, 3:30

Teen Events

Game Day!

We have plenty of fun games planned. Bring your friendly competition to the table and try to win a prize!

Wed., Mar. 8, 3:30

DIY Scented Sugar Scrub

With provided supplies, we're going to make our own scented sugar scrub! Come try it out - take it home and use it!

Wed., Mar. 15, 3:30

Tween\Teen Anime Club

Come watch Anime!

Wed., Mar. 22, 3:30

Easter Projects

We're going to make twine Easter eggs & chalk pastel bunnies. Come join the fun!

Wednesday, April 5, 3:30

Earth Day Project

Decorate provided plant pots and plant a flower in honor of Earth Day.

Wed., Apr. 19, 3:30

DIY Bath Bombs

Make bath bombs with provided ingredients; perfect for relaxing.

Wed., Apr. 26, 3:30

Stranger Things Mad Libs

Come join the fun with Mad Libs, Stranger Things style.

Wed., May 3, 3:30

Glass Bead Suncatcher

Make a fun suncatcher out of glass beads.

Wed., May 17, 3:30

Bad Art Night

Make the ugliest art with provided supplies for a chance to win a prize.

Wed., May 24, 3:30

Adult Events

Word Search & Sudoku Race

Get out of the dreary weather and come join in some fun, friendly competition

Tue., Mar. 7, 11:00

One Book One County

Join us for a discussion of the 2023 selection *The Firekeepers Daughter* by Angeline Boulley. For ages 13 and up.

Tue., Mar. 21, 6:00

B.Y.O.P. (Bring Your Own Poetry)

Bring your favorite poem, whether you've written it or it's just one of your favorites, to the library to share with others. The poems will be hung in the library for the month of April for National Poetry Month.

Tue., Apr. 4, 11:00

Local History Presentation

Karen Hargrave & Teddy Sinclair will be doing a presentation on local history from the Quincy Historical Society.

Thu., Apr. 20, 6:30

All-Ages Events

Cake Decorating Class

A presenter will show everyone how to decorate cakes and cookies. It's going to be a fun and yummy time!

Tue., May 9, 4:00

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Sherwood

Children's Events

Storytime

A special time with the littles.
For ages 0-5.

Weekly on Thu. at 10:30

Shamrock Art

Bright colors and Shamrocks equals a creative piece of artwork. For ages 5-12.

Tue., Mar. 14, 4:00

Lucky Charm Catapults

Build your very own catapult and test it out with Lucky Charms! For ages 5-12.

Tue., Mar. 21, 4:00

Easter Egg Wreath

Create an easy paper Easter Egg Wreath to hang in your window!

Tue., Apr. 4, 4:00

National Pet Day Crafts

Bring your favorite photos of your pet and celebrate National Pet Day with a craft!

Tue., Apr. 11, 4:00

Teen Events

Learn to draw a Leprechaun

Challenge your drawing skills by drawing a unique Leprechaun.

Tue., Mar. 7, 4:00

Paper Bag Books

A fun way to keep your notes safe by creating a fun paper bag book!

Tue., Apr. 25, 4:00



Spring Break 2023

Fri., Mar. 24, 2:00: Switch Games Fun Day

Mon., Mar. 27, 2:00: Movie Day

Tue., Mar. 28, 2:00: Craft Day

Thu., Mar. 30, 2:00: Board Games

Fri., Mar. 31, 2:00: Switch Games Fun Day

Activities for ages 5-18 at the Sherwood Branch!



Adult Events

One Book One County

Join us for a discussion of the 2023 selection *The Firekeepers Daughter* by Angeline Boulley.

Thu., Mar. 23, 6:00

B.Y.O.Y (Bring Your Own Yarn)

Bring any craft project and relax at the Library! Limited supplies are available to craft with.

Thu., April 20, 5:00

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Union Twp.

Children's Events

Storytime

Stories, songs, and crafts.

Weekly on Wed. at 11:00

Creating STEAM

Play games, explore sciences and more!
Ref **Canceled** will be served!

Thu., Mar. 2, Mar. 16, Apr. 6, Apr. 20, May 4, May 18, 3:30

Kids Creating STEAM!

Fun activities focused on STEAM and the you and your Best for ages 3-10.
Canceled

Thu., Mar. 9, Apr. 13, May 11, 3:30

Drop Everything and Read!

Annual celebration of reading where we are encouraged to "Drop Everything and Read!" Cupcakes will be served and everyone will get a party favor!

Wed., Apr. 12, 3:00-5:00

Union Twp. (cont.)

Teen Events

Teens Creating STEAM!

We will be trying out our
level of STEAM and crafts
for ages 11-19.

Canceled

**Thu., Mar. 23, Apr. 27,
May 25, 3:30**

Adult Events

Libby Basics

Learn to borrow digital
magazines, ebooks, and
audiobooks from Libby!

Tue, Mar. 7, 5:00

One Book One County

Join us for a discussion of
the 2023 selection *The
Firekeepers Daughter* by
Angeline Boulley. For ages
13 and up.

Mon., Mar. 27, 4:00

String Art! Old Time Crafts Live!

Learn the popular craft of
string art! Participants will
receive supplies and
instruction for creating a
flower design. **REGISTER**

Tue., Apr. 4, 1:00

All-Ages Events

Taking Time To Stitch

Join us for a time of stitching
and visiting! Materials will be
provided but feel free to
bring along projects to work
on and your lunch.

Weekly on Thu. at 12:00

Celebrating Women's History Month

Displayed titles about
famous women will be
available for patrons to look
at and answer quiz questions

March 1 – 31

A Doll's Party

Celebrate Hinamatsuri, a
Japanese holiday also
known as Doll's Day.
Play dolly dress up and enjoy
refreshments. Be a
"slow" fashion show
where all the displayed
clothing is handmade and a
special display of books.

Sat., Mar. 4, 10:00–12:00

Yes, You Can Can!

Explore the art of canning
This will not be a
demo but rather an
informational session. For
ages 13 and up.

Tues., Mar. 21, 4:30

Canceled

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Spine Poetry Challenge!

Create a poem using the
spines of books to display
the lines of the poem!

April 1 – 30

Crochet! Old Time Crafts Live!

Learn the art of crochet and
see what can be made with a
crochet hook and yarn!

Tue., Apr. 25, 4:30

Bookmark Scavenger Hunt!

In honor of Children's Book
Week, celebrate all month
long with a bookmark
scavenger hunt!

May 1 – 31

Make Your Own Rub! Spice Club Live!

Bring on grilling season as
we make our own rub for
seasoned meats. Spices will
be supplied. For ages 13 and
up.

Canceled

Tue, May 30, 4:30



**ROOTS AND SHOOTS
SEED LIBRARY
SPRING CELEBRATION!**

Celebrate the new garden year with refreshments,
new seeds to choose from, door prizes, and
inspiring visits with other garden enthusiasts.

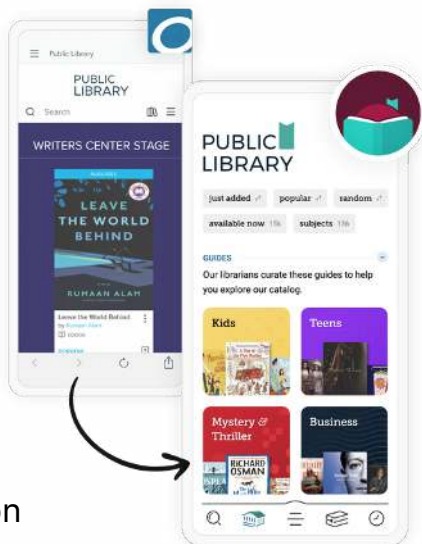
**SATURDAY, MARCH 18
9:00 – 1:00
UNION TWP. BRANCH**

The OverDrive App is being discontinued.



Making the switch to Libby is easy!

- 1 Download the free Libby app.
- 2 Find your library and sign in.
- 3 Your loans, holds, and wish list items will be on your Shelf.



Libby.

The library reading app from OverDrive



Scan this QR code to learn how to install Libby on your device (including Kindle Fire tablets), review FAQs, register for free training, & more!

It's time to give Libby a try! All your loans, holds, and wish list items will be waiting for you in Libby when you add your library card.

Coming Soon

June 5 - July 28, 2023

Summer Reading Program for
all ages and all locations!



Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater
Mon: 11:00 - 5:00 Tue: 12:00 - 5:00 Wed: 11:00 - 5:00 Thu: 12:00 - 5:00 Fri: 11:00 - 5:00 Sat: 9:00 - 1:00	Mon: 10:00 - 6:00 Tue: 10:00 - 6:00 Wed: 10:00 - 6:00 Thu: 10:00 - 6:00 Fri: 10:00 - 6:00 Sat: 10:00 - 1:00	Mon: 10:00 - 7:00 Tue: 9:00 - 7:00 Wed: 9:00 - 7:00 Thu: 9:00 - 7:00 Fri: 9:00 - 7:00 Sat: 9:00 - 4:00
Quincy	Sherwood	Lucille E. Dearth Union Twp.
Mon: 10:00 - 5:30 Tue: 10:00 - 5:30 Wed: 10:00 - 6:00 Thu: 10:00 - 5:30 Fri: 10:00 - 5:30 Sat: 10:00 - 1:00	Mon: 1:00 - 5:00 Tue: 9:00 - 6:00 Wed: 8:00 - 2:00 Thu: 9:00 - 5:00 Fri: 1:00 - 5:00 Sat: 9:00 - 1:00	Mon: 1:00 - 5:00 Tue: 9:00 - 6:00 Wed: 9:00 - 5:00 Thu: 9:00 - 5:00 Fri: 9:00 - 4:00 Sat: 9:00 - 1:00

All locations will be closed on Monday, April 3
and Monday, May 29.



The idea is simple. The rewards are priceless.

Reading Program for Infants, Toddlers, and Preschoolers

Pick out books at home or at the Library and start reading to your child today! Track your child's progress using an online app, Beanstack, or paper logs from the library. Children will receive small incentives as they read!



Ask a staff member or visit
BranchDistrictLibrary.org/1000Books