Support your community and decrease your library fines... all without cash!

Plus, get your game on with our new Outdoor Game Collection.
Outdoor Game Collection Now Available

The Kendallville Public Library has wasted no time in getting an Outdoor Game Collection started. This new collection was the winner of a public vote during the library's Summer Adventure. Though the library didn't quite reach its 35,000 item check out goal required to award the community prize, the support for outdoor games (over a STEM Demo Table and Book Bike) was so overwhelming that the library staff decided the new collection needed to be added anyway.

Many games are available for check out at the Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost Branch, and more are on the way. Games include Bocce, Bottle Bash, Connect Four, Croquet, Horseshoes, Pickleball, Badminton, Viking Chess, Checkers, Ladder Toss, Rollers, Yard Dice, Yard Pong, Battleship, Bean Bag Bucketz, Lawn Bowling, Corn Hole and giant Jenga.

Up to five items can be checked out for seven days, and can be renewed once if no holds have been placed on the item.

Will Waive Fines...for Food

Patrons of the Kendallville and its Limberlost Branch can give a gift and get rid of their fines at the same time. The Food for Fines program will run from Monday, September 10 through Saturday, September 22. For each item donated, the library will forgive $1 in fines, up to a $25 fine value.

Patrons may bring non-perishable food items, paper products, hygiene products or cleaning products to the library. The library will donate those items to local food pantries, and the patron’s fines will be reduced accordingly. All items must be new, in their original packaging, not damaged and not expired. Items will stay in the community in which they were donated. More details, including the complete policy, are available online or in the library.

Meet Author Mark Andrew Poe!

Have you met Harry Moon? If you’re in grades 3-5 in an East Noble School, you will. Plus, you’ll meet his creator! As part of the Kleiman Creative Writing Contest, the Kendallville Public Library has invited Mark Andrew Poe, creator of the Harry Moon book series, to visit local schools and make a stop at the library in September.

On Wednesday, September 5, Poe will stop by North Side and Wayne Center to talk about his stories, meet students and sign books, while he will stick around and do the same at Avila, South Side and Rome City on Thursday, September 6. These presentations are only open to elementary students, but good news! We’re holding a special reception for Mark at the Kendallville Public Library on Wednesday, September 5 from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. that everyone can attend.

The visit is a fun way to kick off the Kleiman Creative Writing season - the biggest season yet - as we celebrate our 20th year!

Cemetery Restoration Records Now Available

The Kendallville Public Library now has volumes full of information about the Lake View Cemetery restoration project.

Before and after photos of each historic grave marker are provided, as well as details about each individual restoration from the early 2000’s through more recent years. The information is housed in binders located in the library’s Russell Frehse Genealogy Center.

Taste of Kendallville Coming September 22

Experience the Heart of Kendallville is hosting Taste of Kendallville on Saturday, September 22 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. beginning at the Kendallville Chamber of Commerce. The Kendallville Public Library will be a part of this event, demonstrating an Instant Pot and an Air Fryer, as well as offering cookbooks about those items for checkout. There will be a $5 fee for a passport for an adult or child age 12 and older. One child under age 12 is included with each passport purchased. For more information, contact the Kendallville Chamber of Commerce.

Experience the Heart of Kendallville has a busy fall coming up, and Design Your Climb will be part of it!

Design Your Climb: Personal Growth has added a temporary challenge track that will run September and October during the busy season of the downtown events. Activities include a car show on September 8, Taste of Kendallville on September 22, Food Truck Friday on October 5, Vintage Market on October 6, and Trick or Treat on Main Street planned for October 27.

Register for Design Your Climb online (if you haven’t already), and on your activity log, check off each event that you attend. You’ll earn two points for each one! There are seven events listed, so that’s enough for up to 14 points. Not online? Pick up a bookmark at the library or the Kendallville Chamber of Commerce to participate.

Activities need to be logged before November 1. The library will hold a random drawing on that date for a $50 Kendallville Chamber of Commerce Gift Check. Everyone with 10+ points is eligible to win.

Design Your Climb is a collaboration between the Kendallville Public Library and East Noble School Corporation. Community organizations are teaming up with us, as well, to sponsor challenge tracks!

Get started with Design Your Climb on our website at www.kendallvillelibrary.org or through our mobile app.
**Extra Yarn**  
*By Mac Barnett, Illustrated by Jon Klassen*

Annabelle lives in a cold little town where everything is either the white of snow or the black of chimney soot. She finds a box filled with yarn of every color, and knits a sweater for herself and for her dog.

Soon she knits a sweater for everyone in her class and in her town. She knits sweaters for animals and houses and still she has extra yarn. One day, an archduke arrives in town and demands to buy the yarn that never ran out. She refuses to sell it, but later that night he steals the yarn from her home. He goes home, opens the box of yarn, and finds it empty. He angrily throws it out the window into the ocean, where it travels back to the little town and finds its way back to Annabelle, full of extra colorful yarn.

**Curriculum Connections:** Creativity, Metaphorical Illustrations, Community, Literary Refrains

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**Blackout**  
*By John Rocco*

Everyone is always busy. But what happens when the lights go out? In a city-wide blackout, communities and families gather together. There is a block party in the sky and in the street. There is free ice cream, shadow puppets, and grilled food.

When the lights come back on and everything returns to normal, one child doesn’t necessarily like normal and flips the lights back off. The family chooses to ignore their distractions and gather around the table to play a game by candlelight.

**Curriculum Connections:** Family, Cause and Effect, Storytelling

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**Let’s Learn SHAPES**

This month, the Children’s Play area in the Kendallville Public Library is a wonderland of shapes! All the activities featured in September are geared toward helping your children learn about shapes, while improving their motor and literacy skills. You’ll find old favorites to play with like LEGOs and foam blocks. But we’ll have plenty of new activities, too, like shape monsters, magnet tiles and even shapes Yoga.

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**Activities for Kids**  
*Birth - Grade 5*

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**Felt Heart Magnets**  
*Wednesday, September 5  
1:00 p.m.  
Kendallville Public Library*

**Pasta Sculptures**  
*Wednesday, September 12  
1:00 p.m.  
Kendallville Public Library*

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**Stained Glass Pretties**  
*Wednesday, September 26  
1:00 p.m.  
Kendallville Public Library*

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**Stories with the Mayor…and More!**

*Wednesdays, September 5, 12, 19 & 26  
5:30 p.m. @ Bixler Lake Park*

Meet Kendallville Mayor Suzanne Handshoe and other guest readers in Bixler Lake Park (just south of the Kendallville Public Library).

Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and settle in for a story. All ages are invited, and it’s a great outdoor family activity!

In the event of rain, the story session will be cancelled.

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**DOT DAY PARTY**

*Thursday, September 20 at 4:00 p.m.  
Limberlost Branch Library*

STOP IN TO CELEBRATE!
# Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost Branch

**September 2018**

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- The age categories of the programs below represent a majority of the ages for which the event is intended. For specific age ranges for each event, please refer to the more detailed information found elsewhere in this newsletter.
- Infant/Toddler Programs
- Preschool Programs
- Elementary Programs
- Teen Programs
- Adult Programs
- All Ages / Family Programs

**Locations:**
- KPL: Kendallville Public Library
- LB: Limberlost Branch
Black Panther: The Ultimate Guide
By DK Publishing

Did you enjoy the blockbuster hit Black Panther? If the answer is yes, then this book is surely for you. In it you will explore all the weapons, technology, and super suits that Wakanda has to offer from the Black Panther’s inception in 1966 to the present day.

Not only does it include information about all the King of Wakanda’s accessories, it also delves into a comprehensive showcase of Black Panther artwork and classic characters like T’Challa himself, Luke Cage, The Falcon, and Storm. You will also read detailed information about his enemies including Doctor Doom and Ulysses Klaw. Read this book to become a Black Panther expert.

This is an absolute must-read for Black Panther fanatics.

Read-a-like: Marvel Encyclopedia: The Definitive Guide to the Characters of the Marvel Universe by DK Publishing
Reviewed by Marie Kaufmann, Teen Services Manager

Captain Marvel Vol 1: Higher, Further, and Faster
By Kelly Sue DeConnick

Captain Marvel is Earth’s mightiest hero. Carol Danvers, deep-space adventurer, decides to take on a mission which involves returning an alien girl to her home planet. She arrives on the planet during the Galactic Alliance’s uprising on Spartax. While on the girl’s home world, Carol discovers that she knows the villain who is to blame for the resettlement of the girl’s people.

Unfortunately, the same man blackmails Captain Marvel to try and turn the Avengers against her. Will Captain Marvel successfully champion the right to revolt against the Galactic Alliance? Will the Avengers still trust her in the end? Read this comic to find out.

This is a must-read for those anticipating the 2019 movie release of Captain Marvel.

Read-a-like: Guardians of the Galaxy Vol 1: Cosmic Avengers by Brian Michael Bendis
Reviewed by Marie Kaufmann, Teen Services Manager

Magazines are coming soon to...

Cardfight Saturday!
Saturdays at 10:00 a.m.
Kendallville Public Library
Choose Your Game:
Yu-Gi-Oh: $5 Fee (Includes Cards)
Vanguard: $3 Fee (Bring Cards)

OverDrive
Watch for details!

FLUID PAINTINGS
Tuesday, September 11
4:00 p.m.
Free Event • Open to Grades 6+
KENDALLVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

FORTNITE PARTY
Tuesday, September 4
4:00 p.m.
Free Event • Open to Grades 6+
KENDALLVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

DIY STRESS BALLS
Tuesday, September 25
4:00 p.m.
Free Event • Open to Grades 6+
KENDALLVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Limberlost Teens:
Stop by the branch each week for a new project! We’ll provide the supplies, and you can come in and create - whenever you want. Library activities you love, on your own time. See you soon!
Coming up this fall at the Kendallville Public Library:

Zentangle Pumpkin on Wednesday, October 10 at 6:00 p.m. - KPL
Decorate a pumpkin with this relaxing, repetitive art. Jane Rhea (Certified Zentangle-TM Teacher), will guide the class. Some tangling experience is recommended. Registration is required for this free event and begins on September 26. Sign up by calling 343-2010 or register through our online event calendar at www.kendallvillelibrary.org.

Dining with Diabetes on Thursdays, November 1, 8, 15 & 29 at 12:00 p.m. - KPL
The Purdue Extension Office presents Dining with Diabetes, an important four-session series on managing type 2 diabetes. Adults with diabetes and those at risk are encouraged to attend, but family members, caregivers and supporters are welcome as well. The course will cover what diabetes is, carbs and sweeteners, fats and sodium and how to put all the information together. These are Lunch and Learn activities, so healthy foods will be provided. Registration is required for these free events and begins on October 18. Sign up by calling 343-2010 or register through our online event calendar at www.kendallvillelibrary.org.

The Friendship Connection Food Pantry has made a special request for diabetic-friendly items to be made available to its shoppers. If you are able, please bring a non-perishable food item or two to donate.