Bargains await you and your library card.

See where on Page 2.
Find Great Deals This Month... with your Library Card!

To celebrate Library Lovers Month in February, the Kendallville Public Library has teamed up with local businesses and organizations to offer special discounts to customers who show their library card.

Here are the deals you can get this month (and some beyond), just by showing your library card when you visit!

- **Unleashed: Grooming, Boarding, Boutique (Rome City):** 10% off services from February 15 (opening day) through March 15. Call (260) 303-7387 to book an appointment.
- **Culligan of Kendallville:** $50 off the purchase of new equipment in February.
- **Gaslight Playhouse:** Season ticketholders get a free concession item at all 2019 performances.
- **Cole Center Family YMCA:** Get a free guest pass one time in February.
- **Pizza Forum:** A FREE order of breadsticks when you purchase any XL pizza at regular menu price in February.
- **K & L Tool and Supply:** Get a free gift just for stopping by and showing your library card in February.
- **Murphy’s Townhouse Candles LLC:** Get any of these discounts: Buy 1 Wax Warmer and get 4 Tarts free, buy 1 candle and get one 1/2 off, or spend $45 and get a $10 gift certificate for your next visit.
- **Drs. Roush and Will Optometrists:** Get a free gift, and 20% off one pair of non-prescription sunglasses (Kendallville location only).

Available Now - Wireless Printing!

Here’s how to use it at the Kendallville Public Library. The service is coming soon to the Limberlost Branch.

- Connect to the KPL wireless network.
- Open your Internet browser, and type 192.168.110.102 in the address bar.
- Enter an ID. It can be anything you want, but you’ll need to remember it for another step.
- Send your document to the printer called PRINTER.
- Go to the print station in the computer lab, and log in with the ID you entered in step 3.
- Highlight, pay for, and print your documents from there.

*Android users - print through your official Cloud Print app.

Find out more on the Kendallville Public Library's website: kendallvillepl.org

Some Surprises Top the List of "Most Checked Out" in 2018

At the Kendallville Public Library, the number of checkouts, both print and digital combined, increased substantially in 2018. Last year, 178,968 items were checked out from the Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost Branch, up more than 12,700 items from the year before. Great news! So that got us wondering...what items were most popular?

If you look at the overall collection, including books, DVDs and all the library’s “things,” the hottest items were the library’s Mobile Hotspots. There are 16 in circulation, and they were checked out more than 380 times last year. And still – several years after we began circulating mobile hotspots – there is a waiting list. To date, we have never had even one mobile hotspot returned that didn’t already have a reserve on it for another patron.

Interestingly enough, the number two most popular item is actually a collection of books. It’s the AlphaTales letter series, a leveled reader for kids just learning the alphabet. It’s great to see that there are so many parents out there making sure their kids get a great head start on their education.

The third most popular item checked out from the Kendallville Public Library is something else that’s in high demand, especially for kids. A Ps4 Wireless Controller, perfect for when you need to expand your game to your other gaming needs.

The other items rounding out the most popular overall include People Magazine, Adult “Note-Able” Books, Animal Phonics readers, Mama’s Seriously Good Freezer Meals, and Melissa Hartwig’s Clean My Space. Each library branch has a waiting list for these items due to demand.

Lynette, Circulation Manager

“I love when a patron comes into the library for the first time and they are amazed about the building and all the things we offer. We continue to keep growing with the needs of the community and I think of how much we have achieved and how lucky we are to be able to do so.”

Keep an eye out for our new staff spotlights! Meet the team, and learn a little more about why they love to work at KPL.

Free Make & Take Projects at the Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost Branch

- **February 4 through February 16:** Simple Paper Snowman
- **February 18 through March 2:** DIY Handwarmers
- **March 4 through March 16:** Shamrock Wreath
- **March 18 through March 30:** Post-It Note Flowers

Fast and fun projects for all ages in The Cortex and Limberlost Branch.
Rubber vs. Glass
By Lawrence F. Lowery

Twin Bill and Mary are headed to a glass factory for a field trip, but before their trip they get in a friendly debate on which material is better: rubber or glass. Bill points out how rubber is waterproof and can bounce and float. Mary shows Bill that her glass marble can bounce, and tells him of a fisherman she saw using glass floats to hold up his fishing net. What they observe on their journey to the glass factory, as well as what they learn while there, teaches both of them that glass and rubber have similar properties, although they are different substances.

Curriculum Connections: Physical science (characteristics and properties of matter) and engineering (choosing the right materials for a job or project).
# February 2019

at the Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost Branch

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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**

**Cardfight Saturday**
10:00 a.m. - KPL

**Downtown Kendallville**
Chocolate Walk 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.
Kendallville Chamber of Commerce

**Garage Sale**
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - KPL

**Cardfight Saturday**
10:00 a.m. - KPL

**Cortex Day!**
Try out The Cortex, learn the equipment and make a Spring Wreath
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - KPL
Teen News & Events
Grades 6 and Up

The Umbrella Academy Volume 1: The Apocalypse Suite
By Gerard Way

In an inexplicable world-wide event, 47 extraordinary children were born to mothers who saw no signs of being pregnant before having their gifted children. Eccentric millionaire Reginald Hargreeves adopted seven of these children, knowing somehow that they would save the world.

These seven children form the Umbrella Academy, a dysfunctional family of superheroes with magnificently strange powers. Their first adventure into superhero terrain pits them against a robotic Eiffel Tower set to destroy Paris and the rest of the world.

This exceedingly imaginative graphic novel is a must read, especially if you are looking forward to watching the Netflix series set to debut this month.

Readers of strange superhero comics will enjoy this title.

Read-a-like: Battling Boy by Paul Pope
Reviewed by Marie Kaufmann, Teen Services Manager

Sadie
By Courtney Summers

Sadie hasn’t had an easy life. She and her sister have grown up on their own and though she loves her sister Mattie, raising a child when you are still a child is an extremely difficult task. Despite this, Sadie has tried her best to provide a normal life for both of them in an isolated small town.

Then one day, Mattie is found dead and Sadie’s entire world crumbles. After a disastrous police investigation, Sadie decides to take matters into her own hands and bring her sister’s killer to justice. With very few clues, Sadie hits the road to search for her sister’s murderer.

This book, told clue by clue, will keep you on the edge of your seat until the very end.

Readers of thrillers will love this book.

Read-a-like: One of Us is Lying by Karen M. MacManus
Reviewed by Marie Kaufmann, Teen Services Manager

Cardfight Saturday!

Saturdays at 10:00 a.m.
Kendallville Public Library

Teen Movie Night

at the Lumberton Branch Library

Monday, February 11
6:00 p.m.

Catch a newly released movie on our big screen!

Free Events with Popcorn • Open to Teens in Grades 6+

GALAXY CAKE POPS

Tuesday, February 5
4:00 p.m.

Free Event • Open to Grades 6+

KENDALLVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Milkshakes & Masterpieces

Tuesday, February 19 at 4:00 p.m.
Kendallville Public Library

Satisfy Your Sweet Tooth & Your Need to Create!

Open to Teens in Grades 6+

Intention Bracelet

Tuesday, February 26 at 4:00 p.m.

Free Event • Open to Grades 6 and Up

New Flooring in The Cortex!
New Release Fiction:
- The Border by Don Winslow
- Catfight by Susan Mallery
- A Case of Blas by Mary Daheim
- The Chief by James Patterson
- Chocolate Cream Pie Murder by Jon良好 Fluke
- Connections in Death by J.D. Robb
- The Dead End by Jane Corry
- Devil's Daughter by Lisa Kleypas
- The Forgiving Jar by Wanda Brunstetter
- The Girl in the Glass Box by Andrea Nguyen
- The Good Life by Tom Rosenthal
- Good Riddance by Elissb Kinsella
- The Hiding Place by C.J. Tudor
- House Arrest by Mike Lawson
- The Huntress by Kate Quinn
- I Wanted Her by Adele Parks
- I Own You One by Sophie Kinsella
- A Justified Murder by Jude Deveraux
- Killer Thriller by di Bates
- The Lost Man by Jane Harper
- The Matchmaker's List by Sonya Lalli
- Mending Fences by Suzanne Woods Fisher
- Mission Critical by Mark Greaney
- Never Tell by Lisa Gardner
- The Next to Die by Sophie Hannah
- Open Carry by Marc Cameron
- The Silent Patient by Alex Michaelides
- The Victory Garden by Rhys Bowen
- Watcher in the Woods by Kelley Armstrong
- The Wedding Guest by Jonathan Kellerman
- The Winter Sister by Megan Collins

New Release Non-Fiction:
- 90 Seconds to a Life You Love by Joan I. Rosenberg
- Brave, Not Perfect by Resthma Saujani
- Dinner for Everyone by Mark Bitman
- The Polar Bear Expedition by James Carl Nelson
- Recipes for Your Perfectly Imperfect Life by Kimberly Snyder
- Say Nothing by Tim Johnston
- The Silent Patient by A. J. Finn
- Never Tell by Lisa Gardner
- The Matchmaker's List by Andrea Nguyen
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- The Wedding Guest by Jonathan Kellerman

KPL Advantage on OverDrive
With KPL Advantage, you get first access to all titles purchased by the Kendallville Public Library. *That means shorter wait for your favorite books!
*Cardholders with a number prefix of 27516 purchased by the Kendallville Public Library.

New & In February

Monthly Adult Events:
- Pilates on Tuesday, February 19 at 6:00 p.m. - Kendallville
- Creative Canvas with Carl Mosher: Chickadee on Monday, February 25 at 5:30 p.m. - Limberlost
- Bingo on Wednesday, February 27 at 6:00 p.m. - Kendallville

Adul
Events & Services
Dining with Diabetes

Follow-up for Participants of November's Series
Thursday, February 28
12:00 p.m. - Kendallville Public Library

Register, select your character and pick up info at the Adult Customer Service Desk

This is a Heart Smart program is for anyone who wants to maintain or lose weight.
Learn to monitor your fat, fiber and make simple changes to your diet that will improve your heart health.
This program is a 12-week session, beginning 2/1 at 10:00. Call 260-347-4850 ext. 4000 to register.

www.kendallvillepubliclibrary.org/heartsmart

See Through Mason Jar - Wednesday, February 13 at 1:00 p.m. - Kendallville Public Library

Join the Glass!
Tuesdays in February
February 5, 12, 19 & 26
10:00 to 1:00 p.m.

Location: Kendallville Public Library

Please plan to attend all 4 sessions.

This is a Heart Smart program is for anyone who wants to maintain or lose weight.
Learn to monitor your fat, fiber and make simple changes to your diet that will improve your heart health.
This program is a 4-week session, beginning 2/1 at 10:00. Call 260-347-4850 ext. 4000 to register.

www.kendallvillepubliclibrary.org/heartsmart
Adult OverDrive Fiction eBook
1. Cottage by the Sea by Debbie Macomber
2. 16th Seduction by James Patterson
3. Before We Were Yours by Lisa Wingate

Adult OverDrive Non-Fiction eBooks
1. Believe Me by Yolanda Hadid
2. Fire and Fury by Michael Wolff
3. Turning the Tables by Teresa Guidice

Kids OverDrive Fiction Audiobook
1. A Wrinkle in Time by Madeleine L’Engle
2. The Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan
3. Night of the Living Dummy by R.L. Stine

Kids OverDrive Non-Fiction Audiobooks
1. Blizzard! by Jim Murphy
2. Kennedy’s Last Days by Bill O’Reilly
3. Eat Healthy by Lisa Greathouse

Kids OverDrive Fiction eBooks
1. Harry Potter and the Cursed Child by J.K. Rowling
2. Wonder by R.J. Palacio
3. Scaredy Squirrel Goes Camping by Melanie Watt

Kids OverDrive Non-Fiction eBooks
1. The Wimpy Kid Movie Diary: The Story of All Three Movies by Jeff Kinney
2. Deadly Dinosaurs by D.K. Readers
3. The Wimpy Kid Movie Diary: The Next Chapter by Jeff Kinney

Teen OverDrive Fiction Audiobooks
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2. Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children by Ransom Riggs
3. One of Us is Lying by Karen McManus

Teen OverDrive Non-Fiction Audiobooks
1. Hitler Youth by Susan Campbell Bartoletti
2. Blizzard of Glass by Sally M. Walker
3. Lincoln’s Grave Robbers by Steve Sheinkin

Teen OverDrive Fiction eBooks
1. The Book Thief by Markus Zusak
2. Turtles All the Way Down by John Green
3. Thirteen Reasons Why by Jay Asher

Teen OverDrive Non-Fiction eBooks
1. Marni by Marni Bates
2. Leonardo da Vinci by Dan Danko
3. Skyscrapers by Donna Latham