

## JUNE PROGRAMS AND EVENTS



## ET YOUR ARTISTIC SIDE SHINE!

Grab your paint brushes, colored pencils, or crayons for *Summer Reading* 2025: Color Our World! Whether you want to tour local sculptures and murals with your family, visit community parks, or have a colorful scavenger hunt in your backyard, *Summer Reading* 2025 encourages you to find beauty and art wherever you go!



• **Sign Up**: Scan the QR code or visit *vigo.beanstack.org* to sign up for Beanstack starting May 1. If you're new to *Summer Reading*, you can create an account for yourself and each family member.

• **Register for Summer Reading**: Beginning May 30, you can sign in to your Beanstack account and select the challenge that's right for you and each member of your family.

- **Choose Your Challenge:** Select from Families (Ages 0-5), Kids (Ages 6-11), Teens (12-18), and Adults (19 and over).
- **Pick Up a New Book:** After you've signed up, visit your nearest Library branch to choose a new book while supplies last.
- **Earn Badges:** Once you've signed up for *Summer Reading 2025*, complete badges to earn by exploring the community, trying new things, and reading for hours! Every age group has its own set of challenges.

• Enter to Win a Grand Prize: Each reading or activity badge you earn gives you a ticket to the grand prize drawings. You can put all your tickets into one prize or spread them out among several prizes available for your age group. Winners will be drawn at the end of *Summer Reading*. Grand prizes are limited to one per winner.

#### PRIZES SUPPLIED BY

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Ages 0–15: Start the summer with a splash at the *Summer Reading Kick-Off*! Play in the blast from the Foam Homies' foam cannon, toss around beach balls, and dance to the music, or learn more about the Terre Haute Parks and Recreation Department. Before the party ends, sign up for *Summer Reading 2025*, and select a new book to take home.

Please wear quick-drying, comfortable clothes. The foam is hypoallergenic and dye-free. Toddlers ages 3 and under will have a separate play area from older children.

Celebrate your freedom, heritage, and dreams. Vigo County Public Library will be closed **THURSDAY, JUNE 19** in honor of **JUNETEENTH**.



#### **STORYTIMES**



#### **Tiny Tot Time**

Mondays, June 2 to June 30 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room

Ages 0–2: Introduce your infant to new books, experiences, and skills while you strengthen your bond with them at *Tiny Tot Time*! In this group setting, your child will interact with children their age, learn to listen to others as a librarian reads to them, and strengthen their hands through fingerplays, shakers, and scarves while you discover tips for how to build these skills at home.

#### L'Heure du Conte: Bilingual Storytime

Tuesday, June 3 from 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. 12 Points Library = Garage

Ages 3–5: *Parlez-vous français*? You and your little one will enjoy exploring a new language at *L'heure du Conte*! Learn about French culture and language through songs, nursery rhymes, books, games, activities, and stories.



#### **Baby Lap Sit Storytime**

Tuesdays, June 3, June 17 & June 24 from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room B

Ages 0–1: Strengthen your bond with your little one through songs, stories, and bounces at *Baby Lap Sit Storytime*. *Baby Lap Sit Storytime* will help your child learn new sounds and words, recognize pictures, shapes, and colors, and encourage their imagination and creativity! After *Baby Lap Sit Storytime*, your baby can enjoy thirty minutes of playtime with others.

#### **STORYTIMES**

#### **Read to Rover**

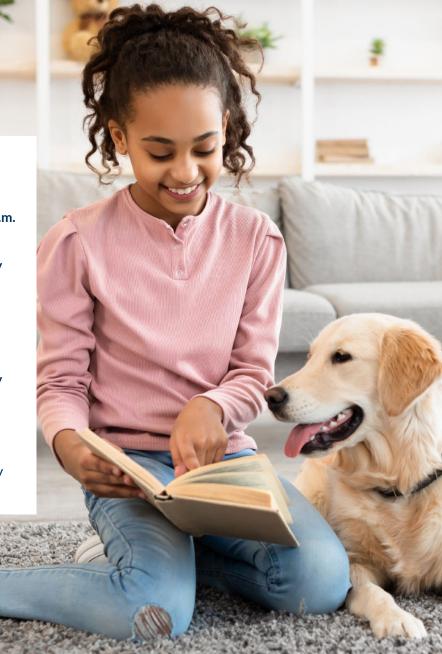
#### Main Library

Saturdays, June 7 & June 21 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Call 812.232.1115 to register. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

#### West Branch Library

Monday, June 16 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room A Call 812.232.2121 to register. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

All Ages: Share a book with a furry friend from *Love* on a Leash. These good-natured therapy dogs are eager to listen to your child practice reading aloud in a stress-free setting, complete with cuddles, belly rubs, and ear scratches!



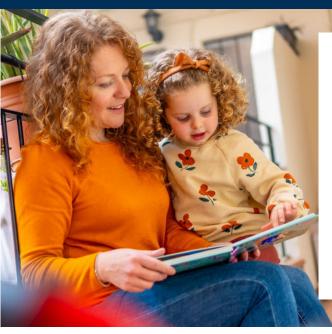


#### **Preschool Storytime**

Wednesday, June 11 from 12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. 12 Points Library • Youth Services

Ages 3–5: Get your preschooler ready for the next big step in their education journey with *Preschool Storytime*. At *Preschool Storytime*, your child can practice their listening skills, develop their vocabulary, improve their motor skills with songs, dance, stories, and more.

#### **STORYTIMES**



#### Wiggle Worms Storytime

Wednesdays, June 4 to June 25 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Thursdays, June 5, June 12 & June 26 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room

Ages 2–5: Start your toddler or preschooler on the path to a successful year in Kindergarten with *Wiggle Worm Storytime*. At *Wiggle Worm Storytime*, your child will build early learning skills through listening to, reading, and discussing stories; practicing the alphabet; and expanding their vocabulary. They will also develop fine motor skills by performing fingerplays and body movement-based activities. Each storytime ends with a half-hour session of free play for you and your child to socialize with others.

#### **Music Makers Storytime**

Fridays, June 6 to June 27 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. West Branch Library = Lobby

Ages 2–5: Whether you're looking to bond with your little one, meet new friends, or prepare for their first day at Kindergarten, you can capture your child's imagination at *Music Makers Storytime*. At *Music Makers Storytime*, your child won't be able to sit still as they dance to music, move with interactive books, play with scarves, egg shakers, and more.



Nuture your infant or toddler's love of reading, invigorate their imagination, and develop their language and listening skills. Visit *vigolibrary.org/kids* or scan the QR code to learn more!





#### Paint & Splash

Monday, June 2 from 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. 12 Points Library = Garage Driveway Registration begins Friday, May 2 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 5-11: Start the summer outside at *Paint & Splash*! Your child will express their creativity by turning a pre-drawn flower or animal on canvas into a personal masterpiece, then wash off the mess as they play on the splash pad! Please dress for paint- and water-related messiness.





#### Lego<sup>®</sup> Lab

Monday, June 2 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Main Library **=** Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Monday, May 5 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 6–11: Challenge your child's construction skills, teamwork abilities, and creativity at *Lego® Lab*! Your child can attempt the monthly challenge or build their own designs. At the end of the evening, spend a few minutes touring everyone's designs and learn how others solved problems in their own builds. Parents and caregivers with children under nine should assist with building.

#### **Music Makers Academy**

Wednesdays, June 4 to June 25 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. West Branch Library = Lobby

Ages 4–8: Your child can sing, read, write, and play at *Music Makers Academy*! Every session of *Music Makers Academy* will weave storytime with self-made music, furry friends, and guest musicians to build your child's vocabulary, develop their imagination, and encourage them to explore.



# Fantastic Apt Book Club



## Danger! Tiger Crossing by Lin Oliver

Tuesday, June 3 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Wednesday, May 7 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 7–12: Tiger Brooks decides to investigate the mysterious house next door, along with his new upstairs neighbor, Luna Lopez. Inside, they find Viola Dots, a reclusive painter, and the golden Fantastic Frame that pulls them into Henri Rousseau's painting *Tiger in a Tropical Storm*. Now they have to find Viola's missing son David, dodge dangerous animals, survive unpredictable storms, and escape the painting before they're stuck inside it forever.



## Splat! Another Messy Sunday by Lin Oliver

Tuesday, June 17 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Wednesday, May 20 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 7–12: Tiger Brooks and Luna Lopez enter the Fantastic Frame once again. This time, they splash into the Seine River, landing in the world of Georges Seurat's pointillist masterpiece A *Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte*. Chased by police and blamed for the chaos, they must set things right before the frame closes. In the middle of it all, they uncover fresh clues about David's whereabouts and the strange magic behind the Fantastic Frame.

### Pancakas k Pankas k Pankas Pankas A Summer Reading Party at 12 Points Library

Thursday, June 5 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. 12 Points Library = Kitchen Registration begins Tuesday, April 1 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

All Ages: Enjoy a breakfast of pancakes, waffles, and cereal, watch cartoons or a pancake-making demonstration, and sign up for *Summer Reading 2025* as you relax with your neighbors.



#### Art Smart

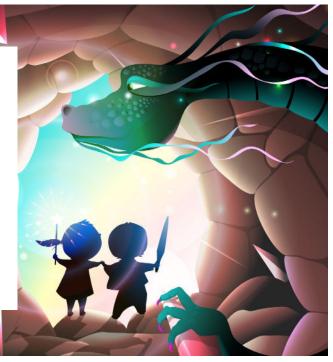
Thursday, June 5 from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room B

Ages 6-12: Travel back in time with your child to ancient Western civilizations and create modern interpretations of their art. At *Art Smart*, your child will design and decorate a life-size sarcophagus fit for an Egyptian pharaoh.

#### MagiKids

Thursday, June 5 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room

Ages 8–18: Start your child on the journey to becoming a powerful wizard with *Magic: The Gathering*, a turn-based trading card game, and *MagiKids*! Developed to introduce young players to the concepts of *Magic: The Gathering*, *MagiKids* encourages participants to sort and build their own custom deck of spells, creatures, and artifacts before they challenge other players to a game that relies on skill just as much as luck and that encourages them to use critical thinking skills to overcome the pitfalls of random chance.





#### **Art Adventures**

Fridays, June 6 & June 20 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room

Ages 3–5: It's time to get messy with *Art Adventures*! From painting with toy car wheels to making marbled paper with shaving cream, your child can experiment with unlimited ways to make art while improving their motor skills, developing their creativity, and increasing their confidence.

#### Marker Ink Chromatography

Friday, June 6 from 4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Friday, May 9 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 6-12: What colors are used to make purple or green? Your child can find out for themselves at *Curious Kids: Marker Ink Chromatography*. Use coffee filters and water to break marker inks into their individual components, discover what capillary action is, and explore how colors travel through paper in this hands-on experiment that turns simple supplies into a colorful science lesson.

#### Fresco Painting with Oobleck

Friday, June 20 from 4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Main Library = Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Friday, May 23 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 6-12: Can art last for thousands of years? Your child can find out at *Curious Kids: Fresco Painting with Oobleck*! Mix cornstarch and water to make a gooey surface, then paint on it while it's still wet. See how the paint sinks in, just like in authentic frescoes, compare your child's results with paint on damp paper, and explore why ancient artists' works have lasted so long.

#### ANIMAL COLORS QUEST

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Monday, June 9 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. West Vigo Community Center = 127 West Johnson Avenue = West Terre Haute, IN 47885

Monday, June 9 from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Collett Park = 2201 North 7th Street = Terre Haute, IN 47804

Ages 8-12: Many animals use colorful fur, feathers, and scales to warn off predators, hide from prey, and communicate messages! At *Art of the Wild*, your family will meet six wild ambassadors and discover how their unique colors help them survive, adapt, and thrive in their natural environments.



#### Young Yarners

Mondays, June 9 to June 30 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Main Library **=** Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Monday, June 2 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event. Please plan to attend all sessions.

Ages 8-12: Your child can learn to crochet in this hands-on 8-week series! Each week builds a new skill, from holding a hook and yarn to making stitches like single, double, and triple crochet. Practice through creative activities and work toward a final project—a colorful granny square. At the end of the sessions, all the squares will be joined to make a cozy community blanket!





Tuesdays, June 10 & June 24 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Visit vigolibrary.org/events to register. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event. Please plan to attend all sessions.

Ages 6–15: Travel to deep, dark jungles, arid deserts, and even the frigid Arctic in search of reptilian, avian, and furry friends at *Animals Around the World*! In every session, your child will learn about a unique animal through stories and crafts—and may even get to meet the featured animal.









CARD



#### **Pokémon Creation**

Thursday, June 12 from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Thursday, May 15 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 6–15: Who's that Pokémon? You decide at *Pokémon Creation*! Use a premade template to design a unique Pokémon, complete with stats, special moves, type, description, region, and even a custom evolution line.

#### **3D Print Night**

Fridays, June 13 & June 27 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. West Branch Library - Lobby

All Ages: Learn how to take your ideas from concept to creation at *3D Print Night*! At this interactive demonstration of the West Branch Library's 3D printer, you'll journey through every phase of designing a print—from the inception of an idea to a polished product.





#### Lego<sup>®</sup> Lab: Challenge Series

Wednesday, June 18 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Wednesday, May 21 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event. Please plan to attend all sessions.

Ages 8–12: Is your child up for a new Lego<sup>®</sup> challenge? At the *Lego<sup>®</sup> Lab Challenge Series*, your child can complete monthly builds with the help of their teammates, solve unusual problems, and experiment with new designs while improving their spatial awareness, self-confidence, and concentration.

SUMPLE NUMBER

Saturday, June 21 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Fowler Park = 3000 East Oregon Church Road = Terre Haute, IN 47802

All Ages: Bring history to life this summer at Fowler Park's Pioneer Village! You and your family can visit the Schoolhouse to experience what life was like for early teachers and their students in a one-room schoolhouse and learn how quill pens were made and used.



VIGO COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT



#### Lego<sup>®</sup> Stop Motion Animation

Monday, June 23 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Monday, May 26 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 8–12: Encourage your child to turn their ideas into reality, experiment with creative problem-solving, and work cooperatively with others. Teams of two will build models, create background scenery, move the Lego® mini-figs between scenes, and add voiceovers to produce their own short film using a *Lego® Stop Motion Animation* kit.

#### Maker Hour: Abstract Sculpture Art

Wednesday, June 25 from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room B

Ages 6 & Up: Build a one-of-a-kind 12-inch sculpture using floral wire, sticks, cardboard, feathers, beads, yarn, and more!





#### Libratory

Thursday, June 26, from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. West Branch Library ■ Meeting Room B

Ages 6–11: Do you have a budding artist or a mad scientist whose creativity is waiting to be unleashed? Stop by the *Libratory* and get ready to experiment! *Libratory* takes ideas from some of your children's favorite stories and turns them into concepts that they can experience hands-on. Your child might program a robot, help create and implement a plan to harvest rainwater for West Branch Library's garden, or create an artistic masterpiece! Each session is a chance to engineer, create, and play. Some projects may take place over multiple sessions.

# GET MESSY ON

#### Saturday, June 28 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Coy Park = North 16th Street = Terre Haute, IN 47804

Ages 3-12: Dig, splash, and play in the mud with toys, dinosaurs, and more on *Mud Day*! Your children can connect with nature, forget about screens, and discover the fun in getting dirty as they make mud pies and explore with their hands. Kiddie pools with mud with be available for little ones.







#### **Pokémon Card Creation**

Thursday, June 26 from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Main Library • Youth Services Program Room Registration begins Thursday, May 15 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 6–15: Do you have a dream chase card? Or would you prefer to create your own one-of-a-kind Pokémon card? At *Pokémon Card Creation*, you can make your own shadowless Charizard card, give a "Driftalon" five hundred hit points, or dream up a shiny version of a Water-Psychic type! Draw your Pokémon on a double-sided card, add stats and special moves, and more!

#### **Board Game Design Night**

Monday, June 30 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. West Library • Meeting Room B

Ages 6 & Up: Got an idea for a board game?Learn how to bring it to life! In this hands-on workshop, you'll explore why people play games, build a prototype using game pieces and household materials, and test your ideas with others. Bring your own supplies or use bits provided by *The Game Crafter*. A published game designer will be on hand to answer questions.



#### ABCmouse: Interactive Learning Adventures Your Child Will Love

Turn education into a thrilling adventure with *ABCmouse*! Tailored for ages two to eight, your child will discover interactive lessons, games, and activities designed to spark curiousity and build confidence. With personalized learning paths, progress tracking, and exciting rewards, your child will stay engaged in reading, math, science, art, and more.

Visit vigolibrary.org/kids to register for ABCmouse with your library card!



#### TEENS

#### **Glue Stained Glass**

Wednesday, June 4 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Main Library • Teen Space

Ages 12-18: Create your own stained glass-style art using Elmer's glue and paint. At *Glue Stained Glass*, you'll design a colorful pattern, outline it with glue, and fill it in with vibrant paint to mimic the look of real stained glass. Once it dries, you'll have a framed piece to take home and hang in a window or on a wall. No glass cutting required—just creativity!





#### **Clue Escape Room**

Tuesday, June 10 from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 11 from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Thursday, June 12 from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room A Please call 812.235.2121 to register.

Ages 12 & Up: A crime has been committed—and it's up to you to solve it! Step into Mr. Boddy's mansion for a real-life version of the classic mystery game *Clue*. Search for clues, question suspects, and use your detective skills to discover who killed Mr. Boddy before time runs out. Participants are encouraged to dress as their favorite *Clue* character.

#### **Cooking Basics for Young Adults**

Wednesday, June 11 from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. 12 Points Library = Kitchen

Visit vigolibrary.org/events to register. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 14–19: Ready to start cooking but not sure where to begin? Join Gail Wright from Purdue Extension for a hands-on introduction to kitchen basics. Learn how to boil water, prep ingredients, follow simple recipes, and make healthy meals from scratch. This session covers essential skills every beginner cook should know, whether you're preparing to cook at home or getting ready for life on your own.



#### TEENS

#### **Styrofoam Printmaking for Teens**

Thursday, June 12 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. 12 Points Library - Garage

Registration begins Tuesday, April 15 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 13-18: Discover the art of printmaking by creating your own monoprint using Styrofoam. Start by drawing an image on paper, then transfer it onto a Styrofoam sheet by tracing it with a pen. Once your design is ready, roll on some ink and press it onto paper to reveal your finished print. This hands-on project is a great introduction to printmaking techniques and a fun way to turn a simple sketch into a bold piece of art.

#### **Experience VR**

Saturday, June 14 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Main Library ■ Haute Create

Ages 12 & Up: Create intricate clockwork mechanisms, save a fantasy world, become a spy, or travel to distant planets with either the HTC Vive<sup>™</sup> or the Meta Quest 2 VR headset.





#### Adventures Unbound: A Library D&D Campaign

Monday, June 16 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Main Library - Haute Create

Ages 16 & Up: Have you ever dreamed of being a formidable fighter wielding a broadsword or a cunning wizard with a tome of arcane spells in hand? Whether you're an experienced dungeon crawler or new to the world of *Dungeons & Dragons, Adventures Unbound* will introduce you to new adventures and other travelers! Each session will focus on a self-contained quest, with dice and pre-created character sheets available for those who require them. Experienced players may bring their own character sheet geared towards a low-level journey.

#### TEENS

#### **Cozy Crafts: Totebag Painting**

Tuesday, June 24 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Main Library • Teen Space

Ages 12-18: Customize your own canvas tote bag with paint and creativity! Choose any design you like—patterns, quotes, characters, or original art—and turn a plain bag into a functional piece of art you can use every day.





#### Tabletopia: Gaming with Terre Haute Tabletop

Tuesday, June 24 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Main Library • Haute Create

Ages 16 & Up: Bring out your inner artist with *Tabletopia*! From placing tiles to build a beautiful mosaic, drafting cards to create an epic story, or bidding on artwork to expand your collection, new players will discover creative contemporary board games and skilled plays can meet with at regular sessions to experience new challenges and connect to Terre Haute's board game community.

#### **Stop Motion Claymation for Teens**

Wednesday, June 25 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Main Library = Lifelong Learning Center Registration begins Wednesday, April 23 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 12–18: Create your own stop-motion film at *Stop Motion Claymation for Teens*. Begin by developing your storyboards, sculpting your characters and set, and learning how to shoot and assemble frames for your finished work. Work on your film may require attending monthly sessions.







#### **Photo Magic**

Thursday, June 26 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. 12 Points Library • Kitchen Registration begins Thursday, April 10 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 14 & Up: Learn how to turn your favorite phone photos into canvas art using Mod Podge transfer techniques. *Photo Magic* will guide you through the steps of applying printed images to canvas, creating a personalized piece of art to take home. All supplies, including canvas and materials, will be provided. Email your chosen photo to *cward@vigolibrary.org* before the class so that prints can be prepared in advance. Finished canvases will need to dry at home.

## CALL FOR ART: CON AT THE CROSSROADS FAN ART SHOW!

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#### **ART & TECH**

#### Virtual Art Studio: Open Brush Creations

Sunday, June 1 to Monday, June 31 during business hours Main Library • Haute Create

Ages 12 & Up: Step into a world of endless creativity with the *Virtual Art Studio*, an immersive experience using the virtual reality art app Open Brush. Put on a VR headset and use motion controllers to paint in 3D space, creating art that floats, glows, and surrounds you. This digital studio allows you to experiment with color, shape, and movement in ways that are not possible on paper or canvas. Whether painting bold strokes in midair or adding fine detail to a floating sculpture, you'll explore a whole new dimension of art.





#### Sew Simple: Tote-ally Awesome Book Bags

Tuesday, June 10 from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Main Library - Haute Create

Registration begins Tuesday, May 13 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 13 & Up: Learn how to sew your own book tote in this handson sewing program. Start with the basics, including how to thread a sewing machine and operate it safely. Then follow step-by-step instructions to cut fabric, stitch pieces together, and create a sturdy, stylish tote bag—perfect for carrying books and more. All materials and machines will be provided.

## Design for a Cause: Canva for Beginners

Tuesday, June 10 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Main Library • Lifelong Learning Center Registration begins Tuesday, May 13 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 13 & Up: Explore the world of digital design with Kris Toney of Kris Toney Designs. Learn the basics of graphic design, including how to choose the right fonts, colors, and images to create eye-catching flyers and social media posts. Then put your skills to work by designing a poster for a cause you care about.



#### **ART & TECH**



#### **Colors of Creativity: Sublimation Workshop**

Friday, June 13 from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Main Library - Haute Create

Registration begins Friday, May 16 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 13 & Up: At *Colors of Creativity*, you will design a simple graphic, print it on Haute Create's sublimation printer, and transfer it onto a sublimation blank using a heat press. Bring your own fabric item to print on and discover how easy and affordable it can be to make personalized items. Items that are 100% polyester work best, but you can also use 60% or greater polyester blend fabric.

#### Customize It! Screen Printing Workshop

Tuesday, June 17 from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Main Library = Haute Create Registration begins Tuesday, May 20 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 13 & Up: Discover how screen printing works, explore ways to personalize everyday items, and leave with a custom piece you made yourself at *Customize It!* Design a custom stencil using a Cricut cutting machine then use that stencil to screen print onto a zipper pouch or small bag. All materials will be provided.





#### Your Web in Full Color: Weebly Customization Workshop

Wednesday, June 25 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Main Library • Haute Create

Registration begins Wednesday, May 28 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Ages 16 & Up: Want to build your own website but not sure where to start? Join Kris Toney from Kris Toney Design and *Your Web in Full Color* for a beginner-friendly workshop on Weeble, a free and easy website builder. Learn how to customize layouts, add images and text, and create a site that fits your personal or project needs. No coding required.



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#### **Coffee & Crosswords**

Mondays, June 2 to June 30 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. 12 Points Library - Meeting Room

Sharpen your pencil and your mind at *Coffee & Crosswords*! Spend an hour relaxing with crosswords or word searches while you sip on coffee and chat with other cruciverbalists—a fifteen-letter word for people who enjoy crosswords. Do you not have the time to stay? Stop by the 12 Points Library and pick up a crossword puzzle to take home!





#### **Decks, Dice & Dominoes**

Wednesdays, June 4 & June 18 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room B

Challenge friends and fellow enthusiasts to card, board, and tile games at *Decks*, *Dice* & *Dominoes*! Whether you're a cunning tactician, a master bluffer, or a secret grandmaster, you can indulge in timeless traditional games like Euchre, chess, or dominoes or discover new classics, including Settlers of Catan, Carcassonne, or *Kingdomino*!

#### Crafternoons @ West

Mondays, June 2, June 16, June 23 & June 30 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room B

Grab your yarn and crochet hooks, your fabric and sewing supplies, or even your junk journal and washi tape for a relaxing afternoon at *Crafternoons*. Meet with a group of crafters every week to share ideas, show off projects, or just dedicate time to your WIPs—no matter what you're creating! Beginning crochet help, assistance from an experienced textile crafter, and sewing machines will be available. Supplies will not be provided.



## Painting a Secure Future with Life Insurance

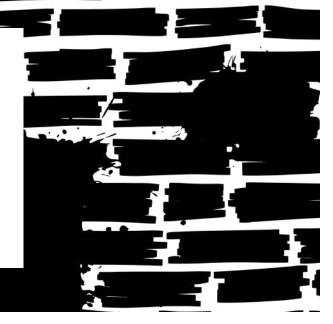
Wednesday, June 4 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Main Library • Meeting Room B

Learn the basics of life insurance in a clear, no-pressure setting with local agent Jason P. Edwards. Discover how life insurance works, what types of policies are available, and how to figure out the right fit for your needs and goals. Whether you're exploring coverage for the first time or just want to understand it better, *Painting a Secure Future* will help you feel more confident about your options.

#### **Erasure Poetry**

Friday, June 6 from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 12 Points Library • Meeting Room Registration begins Friday, May 9 at *vigolibrary.org/events*. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Try a new form of creative expression at *Erasure Poetry*. Use a marker to redact a printed page, revealing only the words that speak to you and shape a unique poem. No writing experience needed—just curiosity and a willingness to play with language.



#### Friends of the Library Book Sale

Saturday, June 7 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday, June 8 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Main Library • Meeting Rooms A, B & C

Shop for books, DVDs, CDs, and more at the *Friends of the Library Book Sale*. Thousands of items will be available at low prices, from current bestsellers to your favorite classics. Proceeds from your purchases will be used to fund Library programs and services you enjoy!

#### **Book Bling**

Saturday, June 7 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Main Library = Lifelong Learning Center

Ages 11 & Up: Add some sparkle to your favorite story at *Book Bling*! Bring a book from home or pick one up at the *Friends of the Library Book Sale*. Then visit the Lifelong Learning Center to decorate your cover with rhinestones and turn it into a glittering masterpiece.



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down lessons. Just straight talk from Jeffrey about the things girls care about most—and it's backed up by Scripture." —Shellay Breen, singer, Point of Grace a

# INTENTIONALLY BLACK IMMERSION OF THE ARTS

Tuesday, June 10 at 6:00 p.m.

African American Culture Center 

Lower Level 
Indiana State University 309 North 8th Street 
Terre Haute, IN 47807

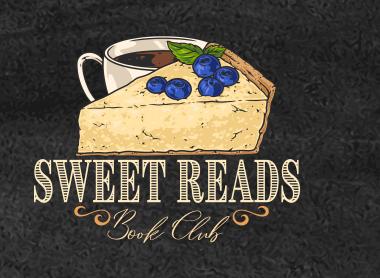
Celebrate Black creativity through art, music, and movement at *Intentionally Black*. Experience live painting, jazz performances, African dance, spoken word poetry, and a curated showcase of artwork by local Black artists.



#### **Color Your World with Love: Fostering Pets, Changing Lives**

Wednesday, June 11 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Main Library • Meeting Room C

Learn how you can make a difference in a pet's life even if you can't commit to full-time ownership. At *Color Your World with Love*, staff from the Humane Shelter will explain what pet fostering involves, including the benefits, challenges, and how to get started. Discover how fostering can help animals in need while fitting into your lifestyle.



Thursday, June 12 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. The Magpies' Nest = 2170 North 13th Street Suite 101

Offred lives as a Handmaid in the Republic of Gilead, where women are stripped of their names, rights, and families. Assigned to a high-ranking Commander, her sole duty is to bear children in a rigid regime. Constantly watched and silenced, she must navigate a world of fear, ritual, and control. Yet beneath her quiet obedience, Offred holds tightly to memory, desire, and small acts of defiance that keep her sense of self alive in Margaret Atwood's *The Handmaid's Tale*.

Enjoy a sweet treat, good company, and a great book every month at the *Sweet Reads Book Club*. Don't have time for a traditional book club? Join the VCPL *Facebook Club* to discuss this month's book on your schedule at *bit.ly/vcpl\_fbbookclub*.

<sup>тне</sup> HANDMA1D'S TALE

MARGARET ATWOOD



Saturday, June 14 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Main Library • Lifelong Learning Center

Learn the basics of loom weaving while creating your own custom yarn coasters with simple techniques that can be used later for small projects or expanded into larger designs. All materials are provided, and no prior experience is needed.





#### **Entrepreneur's Office Hours**

Wednesday, June 18 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Main Library - Collaborative Space 6

Starting, growing, or relocating your business? Let Jared Ell, your regional Ecosystem Navigator from the West Central Indiana Small Business Development Center, connect you with the resources you need! If you can't attend *Office Hours*, visit *ConnectIND.com* and select "Get Matched" to schedule a meeting at a time that works better for you.

#### Sacred Colors: Mandala Art for Mindfulness

Wednesday, June 18 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Main Library = Lifelong Learning Center Registration begins Thursday, May 1 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Explore a calming approach to creativity in this meditative workshop led by Anna Bychkova, a certified art therapist from Ukraine with a master's degree in psychology. Participants will use yarn to create personal mandalas, focusing on self-expression, emotional balance, and confidence-building. The session blends simple crafting techniques with therapeutic concepts to support emotional well-being.





#### Art Is Where You Find It: Indiana Watercolor Shape

Monday, June 23 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. West Branch Library = Meeting Room B Registration begins Monday, May 26 at vigolibrary.org/events. If this event has reached maximum capacity, non-registrants may be turned away on the day of the event.

Create a watercolor painting of a rural Indiana scene on a pre-cut wooden state shape. Use stamps to add texture and personal touches to your design. *Art Is Where You Find It* is designed for beginners and requires no previous watercolor experience. All supplies are provided.

#### Bingo by the Books

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Wednesday, June 25 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. West Branch Library • Meeting Room B

Gather with your friends and neighbors for refreshments, and be ready to shout, "Bingo!" as you play traditional and non-traditional bingo games for a chance to win prizes. Bingo cards and number makers will be provided.



#### **Community Health Fair**

Wednesday, June 25 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. 12 Points Library • Kitchen

Access expert care and essential resources at the *Community Health Fair*. The Union Hospital Family Medicine Residency program will provide family physicians, a psychologist, a respiratory therapist, and other specialists offering free medical screening and basic care. Additionally, other local organizations will be on hand to provide immunizations, dental exams and referrals, hygiene kits and seasonal need items, food education, Medicaid enrollment assistance, distribution of Narcan, and more.

## SPASTELS & PETTICOATS A Victorian Tea in the Park

Saturday, June 21 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Collett Park = 2414 North 7th Street = Terre Haute, IN 47807

Dress in your Victorian best and spend an afternoon enjoying tea, lemonade, and refreshments at *Pastels* & *Petticoats*. Compete in classic lawn games for prizes or relax with a watercolor painting activity using provided supplies. Costumes and creativity are welcome throughout the event.



#### Bob Ross' Happy Little Cookbook Club

Friday, June 27 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. 12 Points Library ■ Kitchen

Whip up some happy little dishes at *Bob Ross' Happy Little Cookbook Club*! Taste-test the main dish, "Work It, Work It, Work It Meat Loaf,' while you help create sides like "Happy Garlicky Potato Clouds" and "Curly Topped Veggie Mac and Cheese" from *The Bob Ross Cookbook* by Robb Pearlman. Whether you're new to the kitchen or already love to cook, you'll learn hands-on in true Bob Ross style—no mistakes, just delicious little accidents.





#### VISIT YOUR NEAREST LIBRARY LOCATION

Main Library 680 Poplar Street Terre Haute, IN 47807 812.232.1113

Monday	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Thursday	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Friday	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

#### West Branch Library

125 North Church Street West Terre Haute, IN 47885 812.235.2121

Monday	12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Thursday	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed

#### **12 Points Library** 2200 North 13th St Terre Haute, IN 47804 812.645.3625

Monday	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Thursday	12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
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