

SPECIAL
POINTS OF
INTEREST:

- Pack-A-Backpack,
August 1 and 2
- Moana Movie,
August 7, 3:00
- Crafty Crew, Au-
gust 7, 6:00
- Board Meeting,
August 14, 6:30
- Novel Points,
August 27, 5:30



HOURS AND
CLOSINGS

Monday- 10:30-
Friday 6:30

Saturday 8:00-
1:00

Sunday Closed

August 31 Closed

September 1 and 3 Closed

August Newsletter

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One State / One Story: Frankenstein Event:

A Visit With Mary Shelley

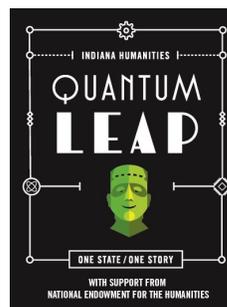
This one-woman show is a unique opportunity to meet Mary Shelley, author of *Frankenstein*, on August 16 at 5:00 at the Ligonier Public Library. The show was created and performed by Adrienne Provenzano. Learn about Shelley's life, love, and losses and how she transformed her experiences into her art. In this dynamic portrayal, Adrienne Provenzano considers the creative process in depth, compares different versions of *Frankenstein*, and puts Mary Shelley's life as a 19th century literary woman into historical context.



The audience members have an opportunity to speak with Mary Shelley on how creative expression plays a role in their own lives. This show is free to attend.

Adrienne Provenzano is an accomplished professional musician, actress, and educator. Certified as an interpretive guide through the National Association for Inter-

pretation, Provenzano's historic portrayals are engaging and informative. Mary Shelley, Gene Stratton-Porter, Sarah Bolton, Amelia Earhart, and Beatrix Potter are among the significant women of history that Provenzano portrays.



One State / One Story: *Frankenstein* is an Indiana Humanities program and has been made possible in part by a major grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities and in

partnership with the Indiana State Library and Indiana Center for the Book. Any views, findings, conclusions, or recommendations expressed in this program do not necessarily represent those of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Free copies of the book, *Frankenstein*, are available for pickup by the adult circulation desk.

Pack-A-Backpack

There will be free backpack distribution for children on free and reduced lunch programs at the Ligonier Public Library on Wednesday, August 1, from 1:00-6:00 and Thursday, August 2, from 11:00-5:30! This event is made possible by Catholic Charities and the Retired Senior Vol-

unteer Program. Backpacks will be filled with school supplies (May not contain all supplies needed, but most that the school has requested). To qualify, students must attend West Noble School Corporation, parents must provide an ID, provide proof that the child is on Free or

Reduced Lunch Program, have Food Stamp/SNAP card, or their TANF card to receive assistance. Parents will also be required to provide the names, date of birth, grade, and name of school for each child receiving supplies. For additional information, call RSVF at 260-925-0917.



Non-fiction Book Sale!

The weeding continues! Come check out what books we now have for a donation. Self-help, religion, history, who knows what treasure you might find!

Thank You to Our Summer Reading Supporters:

- *American Electric Power
- *Applebees Neighborhood Grill
- *Avalon Village
- *Biddle Chiropractic
- *Bruce Drago D.D.S.
- *Burnworth – Zollars
- *Campbell and Fetter Bank
- *Carlex
- *Casey's General Store
- *Charger House Restaurant
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- *Dairy Queen
- *DKA, Inc.
- *Farm Bureau Insurance
- *Fashion Farm
- *Fisher Insurance
- *Grounded Coffee
- *G. & S. Products
- *Lake City Bank
- *Leti's Tacos
- *Ligonier Animal Clinic
- *Ligonier Liquor Store
- *Ligonier Telephone Co.
- *McDonald's
- *Nipsco
- *Owen's Supermarket
- *Pizza Hut
- *Robert Stone M.D. and Lura Stone
- *Rotary Club of Ligonier
- *Sands Accounting
- *Sprague Lawn Service
- *Star of the West Co.
- *Super Wash Car Wash
- *Superior Sample
- *Tenneco Automotive
- *Tincaps Reading Program

Interactive Movie Night: Moana

How do you make Moana more fun? With a bag of props and a bunch of crazy movements! Enjoy this fun family movie on August 7 at 3:00. We will also have popcorn and soda. Come sing your heart out and enjoy the show.



Need a quick weekend getaway? Check out a free family pass to Eiteljorg Museum in Indianapolis with your library card. Good for a full week. Ask at the adult desk.



Storytime Returns

Storytime returns September 5! Join Miss Angie as we learn about the alphabet, read amazing books, sing, dance, and do crafts. This free program is perfect for preschoolers to help with socialization. It happens every Wednesday at 11:00 September through May.

Painted Sign: A Crafty Crew Project



Don't miss the fun of making your own painted sign out of barn wood.

The library will be providing barn wood and supplies for you to create your own special message for your home. Join staff on August 7 at 6:00. You must sign up to attend. Call the library and ask for Jed. Anyone is welcome to attend.

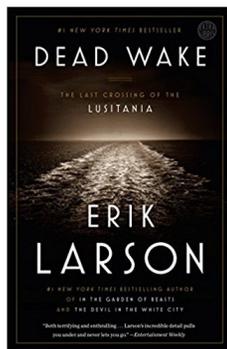
Looking ahead: Cork

Magnet Craft will be the project for the month of September. On September 4 at 6:00, you can stop in to choose to make one of several projects out of corks.



Novel Points Discussion Night

Join staff as we discuss the book, *Dead Wake*, by Erik Larson over dessert on August 27 at 5:30. On May 1, 1915, with WWI entering its tenth month, a luxury ocean liner as richly appointed as an English country house sailed out of New York, bound for Liverpool, carrying a record number of children and infants. The passengers were surprisingly at ease, even though Germany had declared the seas around Britain to be a war zone. For months, German U-boats had brought terror to the North



Atlantic. But the *Lusitania* was one of the era's great transatlantic "Greyhounds"—the fastest liner then in service—and her captain, William Thomas Turner, placed tremendous faith in the gentlemanly strictures of warfare that for a century had kept civilian ships safe from attack.

Germany, however, was determined to

change the rules of the game, and Walther Schwieger, the captain of *Unterseeboot-20*, was happy to oblige. Meanwhile, an ultra-secret British intelligence unit tracked Schwieger's U-boat, but told no one. As U-20 and the *Lusitania* made their way toward Liverpool, an array of forces both grand and achingly small—hubris, a chance fog, a closely guarded secret, and more—all converged to produce one of the great disasters of history. Copies are available at the adult desk for check out.