

May Newsletter

Empowering People Through Knowledge

2024

Special points of interest:

- Board Meeting, May 14 at 6:30
- Children's Afterschool, Thursdays at 4:30
- Storytime, Fridays at 11:00
- Free Comic Book Day, May 4
- Greyt Readers, May 7

Hours & Closings

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday	10:00-6:00
Tuesday & Thursday	10:00-6:30
Saturday	9:00-1:00
Sunday	Closed
May 20 In-service	Closed
May 27	Closed

Children's Programming

Storytime-Preschool age

Fridays at 11:00

Bring your preschooler and join us for books, dancing, and crafts.

Greyt Readers-K-5th grade

May 7 4:30-6:00

Have a reluctant reader or a child that loves dogs? Stop in between 4:30 and 6:00 to read to visiting grey hounds. This program helps encourage children to read.

for a fun night of creating Star Wars crafts and activities. No sign up required.



Someone Special Gift Program May 9 at 4:30

Come join us at the library where the little ones will come to make a special gift for that special person (mom, grandma, someone awesome) in their life.

Please sign up.

time and making a pretty little fairy to take home with you.

Family Movie: Trolls Band Together May 23 at 4:30



Robot Day May 30 from 1:00-6:00

Stop in anytime explore with robots, try to drive one around, and make your own cute little robot.



Star Wars Night May 2 @ 4:30pm-All ages

Get ready for Star Wars Day by hanging with us! Stop in



Fairy Tea and Craft Time May 16 at 4:30

Join us for tea

Fundraiser for projects in downtown Ligonier



MAY 18TH

SHOW TIME: 9 AM - 1 PM
LOCATION: 300 S MAIN ST LIGONIER, IN 46767

INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING? ONLY \$5 TO ENTER YOUR CAR(S) & AWARDS
BEST CLASSIC CAR 12PM TROPHY
BEST MODIFIED CAR ANNOUNCEMENT GIVEAWAYS

FAMILY EVENT
POP UPS & FOOD TRUCKS
DOOR PRIZES IN DOWNTOWN BUSINESSES
3 POINT SHOOTING CONTEST

POWERED BY Hollywood Cafe, KING, ACORN, GRONDED, MAIN STREET LIGONIER, Auto Zone, Clean

Contact mainstreetligonierevents@gmail.com

Crafty Crew: Macrame Plant Hanger

Crafty Crew will be meeting on May 21st at 5:30 to create a macramé plant hanger. It will come with a pot to plant in. Class size is limited to 12 so please sign up if you are interested by calling the library. This is a good beginner class. Class is free to adults.



Heads up! Main Street in front of the library will be closed during Cars & Coffee event. We will still be open!



Coming in June:
Adventures Begin at
Your Library Summer
Reading Challenge!
Sign up starts June 1st.
Watch for program
announcements.



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LIBRARY

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**FREE
COMIC
BOOK
- DAY -**
1st SATURDAY
IN MAY!

**CELEBRATE
FREE COMIC BOOK DAY
ON MAY 4, 2024!**

The Ligonier Public Library is joining in on Free Comic Book Day. Titles are marked as appropriate for all ages. Limit of 2 per person until supplies run out!

Open Book Homeschool Group

ROBOTS!
Join us May 22 at 2:00 for Homeschool Group. This month's program will be on robots! Come have a guided time learning how they work and create your own fun little robot to take home with you.



Novel Points Book Club: *We Were Once a Family: A Story of Love, Death, and Child Removal in America*

Join us for discussion on this all important book and topic on May 28 at 5:00. Copies of the book can be picked up at the adult circulation desk. On March 26, 2018, rescue workers discovered a crumpled SUV and the bodies of two women and multiple children at the bottom of a cliff along the Pacific Coast

Highway. Investigators soon concluded that the crash was a murder-suicide, but there was more to the story: Jennifer and Sarah Hart, it turned out, were a white married couple who had adopted six Black children from two different Texas families in 2006 and 2008. Behind

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the family's loving facade was an alleged pattern of abuse and neglect that had been ignored as the couple withdrew the children from school and moved west. It soon became apparent that the State of Texas knew all too little about the two individuals to whom it had

given custody of six children. The result is a riveting narrative and a deeply reported indictment of a system that continues to fail America's most vulnerable children while upending the lives of their families.



Twisted Stiches

May 8 at 2:00
Bring your knitting or crochet project to work on and socialize with fellow crafters. Share tips and tricks or just enjoy a bit of time to work. We will have coffee or tea available to enjoy. The group will meet the 2nd Wednesday of the month. Can't make it, but still interested? Let us know times that will work as we are just starting this group!



Teen Café: String Art

Join us May 29 at 4:30 to let your creativity blossom. We won't string you along as we show you how to make this relaxing art piece. Using string and paint. Drinks

will also be provided. Turning Point Coffee is providing coffee for this fun night.