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I have something in common with George Costanza. I prefer to not leave anonymous tips. When I see a tip jar, I'm happy to put something in there. I just want the person working there to SEE me put something in there. Unlike George, I'm not going to take my tip OUT if an employee hasn't witnessed my good deed. It's all in the timing.

If you are an anonymous tipper, I admire you. But, if you are an anonymous donor who just contributed \$500 for a library-sponsored open swim at Brown Pool...well, you're basically a hero. This person (who shall remain nameless) should also be a hero in your book because you can benefit from his or her generosity. The anonymous sponsorship, given in the library's name, will allow YOU, dear patron, to swim FOR FREE at the library's open swim event scheduled for Friday, June 3rd from 8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. at Brown Pool.

Swim, slide, splash, and just enjoy an all-out good time at the pool. Some familiar library faces will be there, hosting fun activities and registering kids for the Pendleton Library's summer reading program. This year's theme is "On Your Mark, Get Set...READ," and it's bound to be our best year yet with the Mascot Stampede, the Great Worm Race, and lots of awesome prizes. Registration begins Tuesday, May 31st, and participants can register at any time during the program which runs through July 8th. We hope to see you at the library, and the pool, this summer!



Lynn Hobbs PCL Director

#### Friends of the Library News

The 3rd Annual Lucky Duck Race will take place on Sept. 10. Support the library by donating \$5 to pick a duck that may win a prize!

The next book sale will be July 8-13th. Note that Friends of the Library members get an early peek at the sale on July 7th, from 5-8 p.m. Become a Friend, and you, too, can be a part of this pre-sale opportunity.

Pick up the new Friends of the Library cookbook. This collection of recipes from local "chefs" is available at the library. The cookbook is \$9.



Please take a moment to "like" Pendleton Community Public Library's Facebook page! We have reached over "1000" likes! Thank you for helping us reach that goal. We love our patrons! Like us back!

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#### Children's Programs

#### **Community Garden**

June 15th @ 10 a.m. & June 16th @ 3 p.m. Ages 8-12

Come out and help your library and your community. Learn about our community garden, then help clean up the garden with Miss Sara by pulling weeds.

Gloves recommended.

#### **Robotics with Mr. Claxon**

June 17th & 24th, 10 a.m.-Noon Kids entering grades 4<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>

This two-session event will have you learning about the world of robotics. You'll even get a chance to try building. If you have any broken R/C toys at home, please bring them along for spare parts and exploration. Registration is required, space is limited!



#### Paper Mache-Messy Art

June 30th @ 4 p.m. Ages 7-12

Come learn the messy and fun art of paper mache in the kids' programming room. We will learn how to use materials around your house to create these interesting works of art.

#### **Block Party with Purdue Extension**

June 30th, 9:30-11:00 a.m. Ages 18 months-8 years

Come check out how YOU can help your child learn, play, and grow with blocks!



#### DONUTS WITH DADDY

Saturday, June 18th 10:00 AM

Come enjoy the local favorite Quack Daddy Donuts at Donuts with Daddy! Refreshments and entertainment will be provided. Space is limited, so please make sure to register by calling the library.

Storytime Ages 3-7	Toddler Time Ages Birth-3	Preschoolers Full STEAM Ahead with the Library
Tues. June 7, 10 a.m.	Wed. June 8, 10 a.m.	Preschool Play Dough Wednesday, June 1, 10:00 a.m.
Wed. June 8, 1 p.m.	Thurs. June 9, 10 a.m.	Ages 2-6, let the kids get their creative juices flowing with kid-safe clay.
Tues. June 21, 10 a.m.	Wed. June 22, 10 a.m.	You and Me Yoga Thursday, June 2, 10:00 a.m.
Wed. June 22, 1 p.m.	Thurs. June 23, 10 a.m.	Ages 1-6, children and their caregivers will move along with Miss Sara as we read an interactive story that incorporates many yoga positions. This interactive storytime is sure to delight.



Sign up for the Summer Reading Program and earn great prizes while having fun reading. Be sure to check out these awesome events coming soon as part of the Children's Summer Reading Program. On Your Mark, Get Set...READ!



#### **Professor Steve**

Welcome back PCL favorite Professor Steve as he shows us some amazing science in his "Science of Basketball Show." This Summer Reading Kick-off event will take place on Thursday, June 2nd, at 1 pm.

#### The Mascot Stampede

Tie on your running shoes and join us for the Children's Summer Reading premier event. The Mascot Stampede will jump off at 9 am on Saturday, June 11. Along this family-included 2K (1 mile) fun run, which starts and ends at the library, you will get to high-five some of the mascots from local sports teams. Pictures can be taken with the mascots at the end of the race, and WEEM will be there to help us jam to some tunes. Don't miss the FUN!

#### The Great Worm Race

PCL will be turning into Wiggley Field on Tuesday, June 21st at 11 am. Come and participate in a rare event: worm racing! Each child will pick out a worm to race against others to see if it is the fastest worm in town. Worms will race in 'heats' until we finally have a speedy winner. And yes, there will be a real trophy for the winner (and one for the worm)!

#### Yarn Bombing

Have you ever seen a yarn bombing? It's crazy and colorful outdoor fun! Come by the library any time on Wednesday, June 29th and help us make our library look fun and funky!

#### Get Set to Splash Pool Party

A pool party just for the library's kids? Yes, of course! Complete the Summer Reading Program and you will earn a ticket into the grand finale of On your Mark, Get Set...READ! This splashin' good time will take place on Saturday, July 9th from 6:30-8 pm. You must have earned a ticket from the Summer Reading Program to come to this event. (P.S. Earning a ticket isn't too hard. Ask us for details!)





#### Get in the Game & READ 2016 Teen Summer Reading Program

Starts Tuesday, May 31st For everyone in Grades 6 through 12

This summer's teen reading program is all about gaming! Life-size games, board games, video games, movies, crafts, trivia, and scavenger hunts will occur all summer long at your library. Reading books will gain chances for awesome gift card prizes and guaranteed candy! The Grand Prize this year is a \$150 gift card to a store of your choosing. Register today at the library!

#### Teen Advisory Board (T.A.B.)

Tuesday, June 7th 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Grades 6 through 12

Want to help make the library "teen-friendly?" Join the Teen Advisory Board in offering advice on teen programming, the teen book collection, and other library services. This month we will be discussing activities at this summer's lock-in and new events for the 2016-17 school year. Snacks and refreshments provided.

#### **Anime Society**

Thursday, June 9th 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. Grades 6 through 12

Are you a teen looking to watch a new anime series? Or maybe you want to watch anime but don't know where to start? Come and watch anime with the Anime Society. Bring your interest in manga and trading cards with you as well. We will explore the newest and greatest anime from Japan. Snacks and refreshments provided.

#### **Pendleton Gaming League**

Every Monday this June 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Grades 9 through 12

Prove you're the best gamer around by competing in this epic 6-week summer gaming league. The winner of each event will each receive a \$10 GameStop gift card.

# GAME READ

The Game Corner

Every Wednesday this June 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. Grades 6 through 12

Every Wednesday, there is a friendly video game tournament at "The Game Corner." Featuring a different game each week, the winner of the tournament chooses the next week's game. Snacks and refreshments provided.

#### **Nerd Central Station**

Every Friday this June 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. Grades 6 through 12

Explore your inner-nerdiness by discovering and discussing a single video game series each week. Franchises such as Fallout, Metal Gear, Deus Ex, Uncharted, and Portal and video game classics like EarthBound, The Oregon Trail, and The Last of Us will be discussed and analyzed. Board games and geeky coloring pages will be also be available to attendees. **The Biblioteen Book Club** Tuesday, June 21st 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Grades 9 through 12

The Biblioteen Book Club will be discussing the book *Dorothy Must Die* by Danielle Paige. You are welcome to attend and join at the meeting! Snacks and refreshments provided.

#### **Bodacious Book Brigade**

Tuesday, June 28th 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Grades 7 through 9

The Bodacious Book Brigade will be discussing *Stargirl* by Jerry Spinelli. Join us for fun discussions about books and stuff, as well as snacks and refreshments!

#### Adult and Family Programs

#### FEED YOUR MIND

Adult Summer Reading Program Begins June 6

We're excited to announce that the 2016 Adult Summer Reading Program will begin on June 6th. This year's theme is health and exercise; all feed &

participants will receive a bingo card with their introductory packets, and the first 100 to reach bingo will receive a Friends of the Library water bottle! We will still be reviewing books, posting those reviews, and earning gift cards to Amazon or Marsh, so everyone 16+, get ready to Feed Your Mind with Adult Summer Reading at PCL!

SIT, STITCH, UNWIND Monday, June 6th and 20th 6:00-7:30 PM

Unwind with our circle of crafters on the first and third Mondays of each



month! All skill levels are welcome, even if you want to learn. Chances are there will be someone here to help! Already know how to knit or crochet? Bring your project, share your skills, and spend some quality time with this friendly group. Drop in any time! No registration required.

#### WORK OUT AT THE "Y-BRARY"

We're partnering up with the Pendleton Y to offer free classes twice a month!

#### HIIT (HIGH INTENSITY INTERVAL TRAINING) Saturday, June 4th 9:30 AM

Pendleton Y instructor, Alisa Perrel will be offering a HITT class once a month beginning in June! High intensity interval training (HIIT) has the potential to torch maximum calories in a minimum amount of time. The idea is that you do short periods of all-out work followed by short periods of active rest to make the body work harder than it does during steady-state cardio. This workout can be modified accordingly for all levels. No registration required. FREE!

#### YOGA

Saturday, June 25th 9:30 AM (Last Saturday of every month)

Local instructor, Carol Hanna will be leading an hour of yoga targeting a total body



strengthening and stretching workout which ends with peaceful relaxation. Suitable for all skill levels. Please bring your own mat or towel if you have one. No experience necessary! No registration required. FREE!

### LAWYER IN THE LIBRARY

Wednesday, June 8th 10:00 AM-2:00 PM



FREE and confidential legal help

will be offered through Indiana Legal Services, Inc. (ILS) to those meeting eligibility guidelines. There will be 20-minute time slots available for reservation between the hours of 10 am and 2 pm. If you are interested in reserving a spot, please stop at the circulation desk or call the library at 778-7527. Please refer any additional questions to Kristen Case, Adult Programming and Outreach Specialist, Pendleton Community Library, 765-778-7527 or kcase@pendleton.lib.in.us

#### AARP SMART DRIVER COURSE

Monday, June 27<sup>th</sup> 12:30-4:30 PM

Refresh your driving skills with the AARP Smart Driver Course! You will learn

- Defensive driving techniques
- Proven safety strategies
- New traffic laws and rules of the road

Plus, there are no tests to pass! You simply sign up and learn. Ask your insurance agent if completion of this course will qualify you for a multi-year discount on your car insurance.

Class size limited! Please call the library at 778-7527 or stop at the circulation desk to register.

- \$15 for AARP members
- \$20 for non-members

Find more information at www.aarp.org/drive