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Thankfully, we don't receive a lot of complaints at the library. So, when we do, we take them pretty seriously. In the 10 plus years that I've been the Director here, the #1 complaint that we get is that it's too loud in the library. No matter how libraries evolve, there will always be the expectation for quiet space, and I totally respect that. And, you know what? It IS too loud in our library. For those using our public computers, you hear the phone ringing, the scanner beeping, the DVDs clacking against each other, kids squealing, and we laugh...a lot.

Allow me to introduce our new Quiet Zone... We have repurposed our Indiana Room into a quiet study zone for those who need to work without distractions. Cozy up in front of the fireplace. Use your laptop or tablet at a table or comfy chair. Or log into one of our new PCs to get your work done in a comfortable, quiet environment. Those who enter, should silence their phones, hush their voices, and tread carefully...for they have entered the Quiet Zone.

We hope that this new space will be a great feature for our patrons. We've upgraded our wi-fi to guarantee the fastest speeds, and we provide basic office supplies and equipment like a scanner, printer, fax machine, hole punch, stapler, etc. We want the library to be your home away from home and your office away from the office.

For those of you who regularly use our local history and genealogy collections, we've made some improvements there too. The collection has been relocated to higher, more accessible shelves. Additionally, the collection is now located closer to the reference desk, so that research assistance is at the ready. We're excited to roll out these improvements, and we hope that everybody will love them!



Lynn Hobbs
PCL Director

Friends of the Library News

The next book sale will be January 13-18. Note that Friends of the Library members get an early peek at the sale on January 12, from 5-8 p.m. Become a Friend, and you, too, can be a part of this pre-sale opportunity.

The Friends of the Library cookbook makes a great gift! This collection of recipes from local "chefs" is available at the library. The cookbook is currently on sale for \$7.



Please take a moment to "like" Pendleton Community Public Library's Facebook page! We have reached over "1200" likes! Thank you for helping us reach that goal. We love our patrons! Like us back!

Do You Remember Books?

Have you ever played the "Did I already read that?" guessing game at the library? Great news: it is easy to keep a list of all of your checked out library books. The Pendleton Community Public Library has a free service called "maintain reading list" available for all patrons. If you would like this service, please ask the Circulation Desk to put a check mark on that option, or you may check this option on your account via our website. As soon as the option is selected, the library begins remembering your reading history.

This is a wonderfully useful tool for readers; no more taking a book home that you've already read (unless you want to reread). When you're in the library, we can check your list for you, print it for you, and help guide you to new materials.

Stop in or get online to access the free "maintain reading list" feature at your Pendleton Community Public Library!

Children's Programs

Storytime

Tuesday, Nov. 1, 10 a.m. **

All ages welcome

The library is closed, but we will have a special story time at Quack Daddy Donuts!

Mo Willems Party-Open House

Saturday, November 5th, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Featuring Piggie and Elephant!

We will have a variety of activities to accompany our Mo Willems theme. If you're a fan of Piggie and Elephant, Pigeon, Knufflebunny, or any of his other memorable characters, then this is the place for you!

Book Clubs are Back!

Bookworms- Monday, Nov. 14th, 6 p.m.

Rocket Readers- Monday, Nov. 21st, 6 p.m.

Page Turners- Monday, Nov. 28th, 6 p.m.

Lego Free Build

November 16th, 5:30 p.m.

Ages 6-12

Friday Free Build is back! Come play and build with our Lego kit. Let your imagination run wild!

Family Reading Night

Thursday, November 17th, 6:30 p.m.

Come and celebrate National Family Reading Night with us. We will have a special nighttime story for the whole family. Pajamas are welcome for this camp-out themed event.

New Storytime Feature
Bilingual Storytime

Wednesday, November 23, 10 a.m.

Enjoy an hour of stories, songs, and crafts in both English and Spanish.

La hora del cuento

Miércoles 23 de noviembre a las 10:00 am

Disfruten una hora de cuentos, canciones y manualidades en inglés y español.

SAVE THE DATE

Holiday Open House

Sunday, December 11th, 1-3 p.m.

Featuring Silly Safaris and Santa and his Reindeer

Storytime Ages 3-7	Toddler Time Ages Birth-3	Full STEAM Ahead with the Library Preschool
Tues. November 1, 10 a.m.* Location: Quack Daddy Donuts	Wed. November 2, 10 a.m.	Duplo Playdate Tuesday, November 29, 10 a.m.
Tues. November 15, 10 a.m.	Thurs. November 3, 10 a.m.	We are playing with Duplos this morning! Come and join the fun. Use your imagination to create anything from a skyscraper to an elephant. Show us what you can build.
	Wed. November 16, 10 a.m.	
	Thurs. November 17, 10 a.m.	

YARN TWISTERS

Mondays, November 7th and 21st - 6:00 PM
(First and Third Mondays of every month)

Do you knit, crochet, or enjoy another yarn craft? Meet old friends and new as we teach and learn from each other. Experienced crafters willing to help beginners are encouraged to join! Bring your current project or start a new one! No registration is required. Feel free to drop in at any time between 6:00 and 7:30!

THE IDITAROD with Karen Land

Sunday, November 13th - 2:00 PM



Karen Land, a three-time participant in the 1,100-mile Iditarod Sled Dog Race across Alaska, will visit the Pendleton Community Library for the second time! If you missed this program back in 2015, be sure to make it this time. Karen's stories about her experiences with the race and her team of dogs are funny, interesting and extremely enjoyable. We

will also be joined by a very important member of Karen's team! This program is perfect for all ages. No registration required.

WORK OUT AT THE "Y-BRARY" - HIIT (HIGH INTENSITY INTERVAL TRAINING)

November 12th- 9:30 AM
(Second Saturday of every month)

Pendleton Y instructor, Alisa Perrel will lead High Intensity Interval Training (HIIT). This class can be as hard or as easy as you want to make it. HIIT has the potential to push you to your limits, but is also completely modifiable, allowing you to tailor this workout to fit your needs. Give it a try and see what you think! No registration required. FREE!

REFINE YOUR RESUME

Need a little help putting the final touches on your resume or cover letter? Would you like to have some helpful feedback? We are here to help! Call the library today to set up your 15-minute one-on-one session with our knowledgeable staff. Please bring a printed copy of your resume and/or cover letter, or provide a digital copy to work with.

WORK OUT AT THE "Y-BRARY" - YOGA

Saturday, November 26th - 9:30 AM
(Last Saturday of every month)



Local Y 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!

STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THESE UPCOMING PROGRAMS!

Want to be one of the first to know about upcoming events? "Like" our Facebook page and check our website often!

STRING ART

Saturday, December 3rd- 1:00 PM - Space is limited to 16!
Please call to sign up beginning November 1st.

LAWYER IN THE LIBRARY

Wednesday, December 14th - 10:00-2:00 PM

BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, December 18th - 1:00-5:00 PM