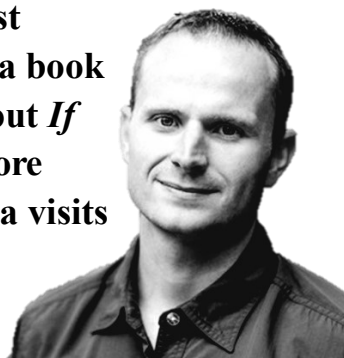


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## BOOK DISCUSSION

**Friday November 1**  
**12:00 p.m.**

This is your last chance to join a book discussion about *If She Wakes* before Michael Koryta visits Portland on November 7!



Bring your lunch and join in on the discussion of *If She Wakes* by Michael Koryta. JCPL 315 N. Ship St. Portland, IN

## AUTHOR VISIT

The time has finally come! Michael Koryta will visit Portland! Free tickets to the presentation and book signing are still available at the Jay County Public Library. **See page 2**

## HEARD AT THE LIBRARY

**“While on a flight, my wife was reading *If She Wakes* by Michael Koryta. The stewardess noticed and commented that she has seen a lot of people reading the same book!”**

*-Jay County Public Library Patron*

**Tara Beckley is a senior at idyllic Hammel College in Maine.** As she drives to deliver a visiting professor to a conference, a horrific car accident kills the professor and leaves Tara in a vegetative state. At least, so her doctors think. In fact, she’s a prisoner of locked-in syndrome: fully alert but unable to move a muscle. Trapped in her body, she learns that someone powerful wants her dead—but why? And what can she do, lying in a hospital bed, to stop them?

## DIY HOME: Fabric Wreaths

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## AUTHOR VISIT

The Jay County Public Library will host Michael Koryta to discuss his newest book *If She Wakes*, answer questions, and sign books on:

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019  
6:30 P.M. ARTS PLACE AUDITORIUM**

Receive your FREE ticket at the Jay County Public Library.

Space is limited.

**315 N. Ship St. Portland, IN 47371**

## ABOUT THE AUTHOR

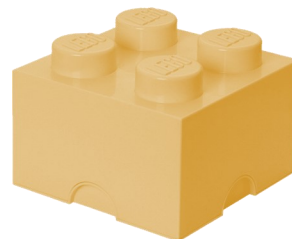
Michael Koryta (pronounced ko-ree-ta) is the author of many novels, some which have won the Los Angeles Times Book Prize, Great Lakes Books Award, and St. Martin's Press/PWA Best First Novel Prize, while also earning nominations for Edgar, Quill, Shamus and Barry awards. In addition to winning the Los Angeles Times Prize for best mystery, his novel *Envy the Night* was selected as a Reader's Digest condensed book. His work has been translated into nearly twenty languages. His novels *So Cold the River*, *The Prophet*, *Those Who Wish Me Dead*, and *Cypress House* are currently being actively adapted for television and feature films. A former private investigator and newspaper reporter, Koryta graduated from Indiana University with a degree in criminal justice. He currently lives in Camden, Maine and Bloomington, Indiana.



## LEGO BRICK CHALLENGE

Are you a master builder? Put your skills to the test on **Thursday November 14, 3:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.**

Build a piece of fruit for the cornucopia and leave it on display for everyone to admire! This event is for all ages, so gather your family and build together!



## GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY

Many thanks to those who have made gifts to the library in memory or in honor of friends and loved ones.

### Anonymous Gift in Honor of Jack Ronald:

*Say Nothing* by Patrick Radden Keefe

*Brunelleschi's Dome* by Ross King

*The Map of Knowledge* by Violet Moller

*The Lies that Bind* by Kwame Anthony Appiah

Would you like to make a gift to the library? Ask for a gift form at the circulation desk or print one from our website. Drop it off or return it by mail.

Gifts may also be made to further the work of the library through the endowment at The Portland Foundation. More information is available at the library or at the Foundation's website <http://portlandfoundation.org>.

## DIY HOME: FABRIC WREATH CRAFTS

There's nothing better than home-made! Gather your family and friends and join the DIY Home Club for *Fabric Wreath crafts* on **Monday, November 11 6:00 p.m.**

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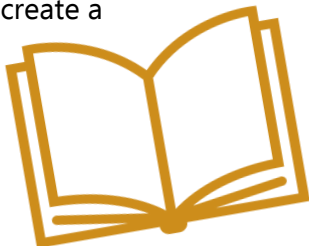


## CRAFTERNOON: CREATE A BOOK

Families, Join Miss Linda to create a book! Work together to create your masterpiece!

**Wednesday, November 20, 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.**

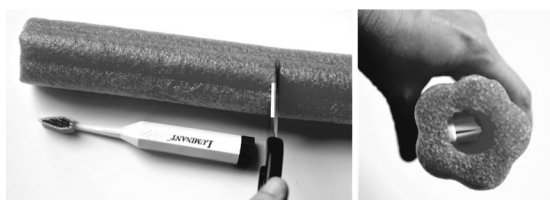
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## FAMILY STEAM LAB: TURKEY BOTS

**Family STEAM Lab: Turkey Bots**  
**Saturday, November 23, 10:00 a.m.**

Join Miss Alison and create *Turkey Bots*. This fun program has limited space, so call and register your family today! (260)726-7890



## CARTOONS & COOKIES

**School is closed, but JCPL is open!**

Join the Jay County Public Library for *Cartoons and Cookies*!

**Friday, November 29, 2:00 p.m.**



## CLUB DATES

**DIY Home** Monday, November 11, 6:00 p.m.  
*Homemade Fabric Wreaths*

**JCPL Book Club** Monday, November 18, 7:00 p.m.  
*The Home for Unwanted Girls*, by Joanna Goodman

**Friends of JCPL** Tuesday, November 19, 6:30 p.m.

**Writer's & Reader's Circle** Monday, November 25, 6:30 p.m.

**Hook & Needle Club** Tuesday, November 26, 10:30 a.m.

## DIY DREAM CATCHERS

Bring your family to the Jay County Public Library to make *Dream Catchers*!

**Wednesday, November 27, 5:00 p.m.**

Space is limited. Call and register your family today!  
**(260)726-7890**

## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY NEWS

The Friends of the Library supported the Adult/Teen Crafternoon in October along with other adult and children's programs. They will also help provide refreshments at Michael Koryta's Book Signing event on November 7<sup>th</sup>. Be a part of this support by joining the Friends of Jay County Public Library. Applications available at the library or online at <https://www.jaycpl.lib.in.us/support-the-library/friends-of-the-library-2/>

**The next Friends Meeting is Tuesday, November 19, 6:30 pm.**

*Come early at 6:00 p.m. to help fold newsletters and get informed about things that are happening in the library.*



## AFTERNOON AT THE MOVIES



**The Lion King**

**November 8, 3:30 p.m.**

**Free Movie & Popcorn!**  
**Kids 7 & under must be accompanied by an adult**

## STORY TIME & MOTHER GOOSE

*"You can find magic wherever you look. Sit back and relax, all you need is a book." -Dr. Seuss*

Join Miss Kay & Miss Linda  
Mondays & Tuesdays  
10:00 a.m. for Story Time

Join Mother Goose  
Fridays 10:00 a.m.



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#### LIBRARY HOURS

MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.  
SATURDAY 8:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.



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# SPECIAL EVENT

## THANKSGIVING STORY WALK

-Join the Jay County Public Library-

**November**  
**11-30**

315 North Ship Street  
Portland, IN 47371

For more information on Story Walks,  
check out the link below.

<https://www.gvpl.ca/virtual-branch/storywalk/>

## Once Upon a Time...

Story Walk is an innovative and delightful way  
for children — and adults! — to  
enjoy reading and exploring at the  
same time. Pages from a children's  
book are posted along a  
path. As you stroll down the  
book path, you're directed  
to the next page in the story.

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