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NewsNotes

JAY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

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JCPL LOVES OUR COMMUNITY!

Visit the library this month as we show our love for our patrons and our community! We hope that you will join us for several free service weeks and the variety of ways we plan to show our appreciation to you.

In February, we will be offering free services on the following weeks:

February 6-11 - Fine free for our patrons!

February 13-18 - Free printing/copying

February 20-25 - Free faxing/emailing

Join us for free giveaways this month!

February 1 - Pop into the library on the first of the month for some popcorn!

February 6 - Grab a piece of chocolate when you visit.

February 14 - Have some hot cocoa on us!

February 20-25 - Receive a library voucher that may be applied toward fines/service fees.



Finally, you'll have a chance to say what you love about JCPL! Stop by the circulation desk during the month of February, pick up a heart, and write what you love most about JCPL and leave it for others to see when they visit.

Thanks to our Jay County Community for your support of the library, and we're looking forward to seeing you in February!

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CHOCOLATE LOVER'S POP-UP @ JCPL!

Will you be the library's Valentine? Stop by on **Valentine's Day** and visit the chocolate lover's pop-up table inside the library to get a free hot cocoa and chocolate candy, while supplies last.

TAX FORMS

JCPL has tax forms available! We have a limited number of state tax booklets available for free. When those are gone, we will print them for \$2. Federal tax booklets and forms are free. Take a look in our tax form file cabinet. If there is a form you need but can't find, let us know and we will be happy to print that for you. Be sure to see us in February for your tax forms!

WINTER READING CHALLENGE

The Winter Reading Challenge has begun—but it's not too late! The final day of the challenge will be **February 25**. All you have to do is read three books and write each title on the form provided to build a snowman. You may complete as many of the Build a Snowman sheets as you want. All ages may participate and will be eligible to enter to win a variety of grand prizes. For children ages 0-12, a prize basket will be available to choose a small prize as a reward for every form that is completed. Come build a snowman with us and enjoy reading this winter!



ABRAHAM LINCOLN VISIT

Join us on **Thursday, February 23 at 6 p.m.** for a special appearance by President Abraham Lincoln as he visits JCPL during his birthday month! During his appearance, he will trace his journey from log cabin to the White House. Learn more about his youth in Indiana (age 7-21) and many other aspects of his life! This will be a unique experience you will

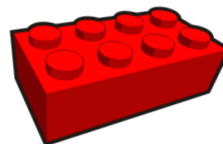


not want to miss, especially if you love history!

No sign up necessary but there will be a cut-off capacity limit due to space limitations, so get here early to get your seat!

FAMILY STORY TIME

Kids preschool age and younger with their caregivers are welcome to join us for stories, songs, and activities during Family Story Time! Story Time will meet in the Community Room on **Tuesday mornings at 10 a.m., from February 7 through April 25.**



LEGO PLAY

Legos will be available to play with in the children's area on the following days in February:
Thursday, February 9 from 3:30-7:00 p.m.
Saturday, February 18 from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

ABC SUPPLEMENT SOUP

Are you curious about supplements and which ones you should take? Join us on **Thursday, February 2 at 2 p.m.**, where Purdue Extension's Amanda Bullion will be teaching us all about what supplements are and which ones can help different parts of your health. She will also help you pick out ones to build your perfect ABC supplement "soup" to best fit your needs! **Please stop by or call the library to register for this event!**

EARLY SEASON VEGETABLE GARDENING

Attention gardeners or those who want to start growing your own food! Spring will be here before you know it, so now is the time to start thinking about prepping your garden! Join us on **Tuesday, February 7 at 6 p.m.** for the next segment in our gardening series! In this session, Purdue Extension's Justin Curley will be teaching on how to properly take care of early vegetable plants or seeds so that you can get the most fruition. He will also be discussing the different types of vegetables that you can plant early and the timing necessary for it to grow. No experience necessary to attend! **Please call or stop by the library to register for this event!**

CLUB DATES

JCPL Friends:

Tuesday, February 21, 6:30 p.m.

Meet at 6 to fold newsletters.

TRUE CRIME UNIVERSITY: DIGITAL EVIDENCE

Join us on **Monday, February 20 at 6 p.m.** this month for our next session of True Crime University. February's session topic is digital evidence, which includes evidence found on computers, social media, search engines, cell phones, and more! Warning: content discussed in these programs may be graphic in nature and disturbing to some, so only those 18 and older may attend. The goal of this program is to provide those attending with information that will help them understand forensic science in criminal investigations, while also adding elements of true crime. **There is a limited space for this event so call or visit the library to register.**



“Love has nothing to do with what you are expecting to get—only with what you are expecting to give—which is everything.”
-Katharine Hepburn



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DID YOU MISS IT?

Here are some highlights from Story Time last year. If you have children preschool age or younger and have never been to Story Time, be sure to check it out soon! Family Story Time is starting back up **February 7 and running through April 25. They meet Tuesday mornings at 10 a.m.**

