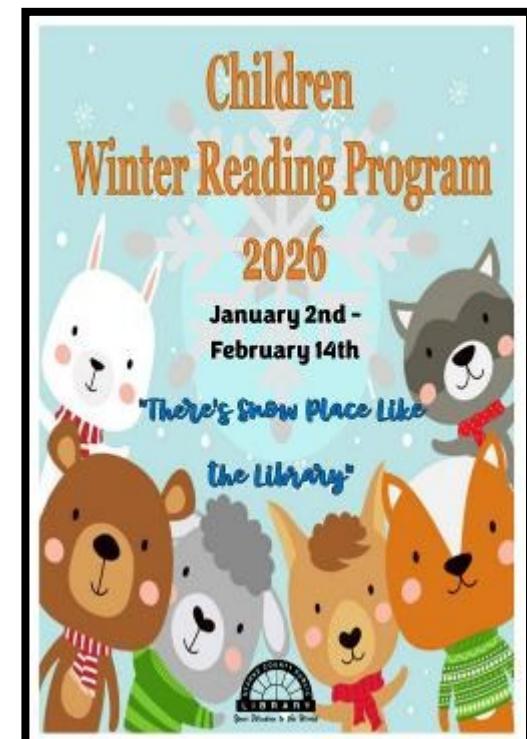
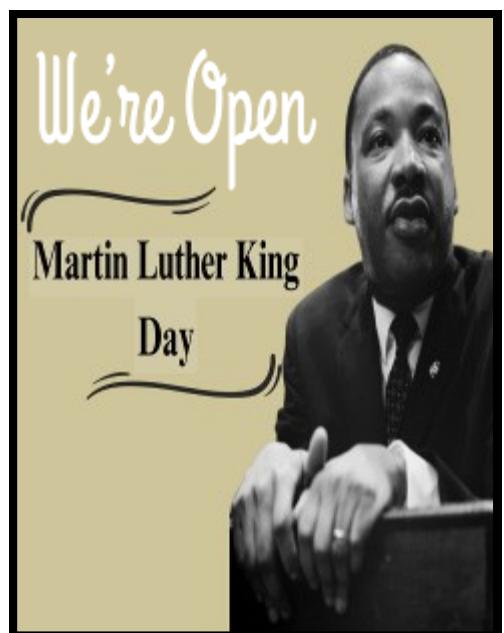
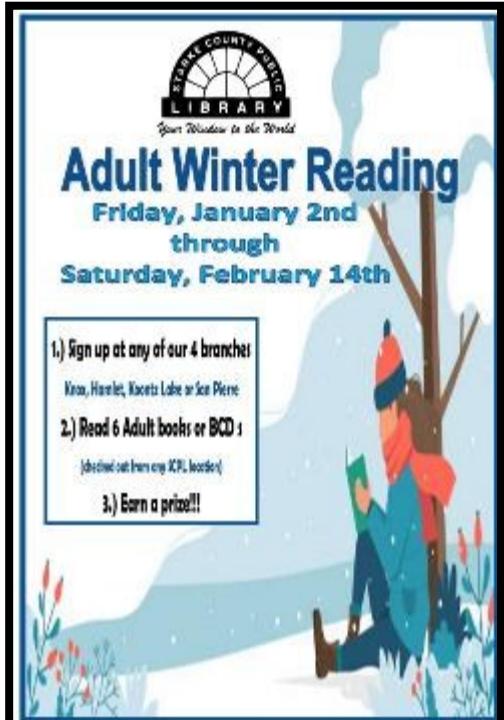


# Now Read This!



*Your Window to the World*  
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[www.scpls.org](http://www.scpls.org)





# Classes for All Ages

## Card Making - Class

**Henry F. Schriener**  
**Knox Branch**  
 Tuesday, January 6th  
 5 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.  
**Presented by:** Jennifer Merle-Hamscher  
**\$5 cost** for materials  
 Come join Jennifer in making 2 themed cards.  
 Please **RSVP** or call 574-772-7323

**2026 Diamond Art SCHEDULE**



2:00pm - 4:00pm	3:30pm - 5:30pm
January 6th	January 22nd
February 3rd	February 19th
March 10th	March 26th
April 7th	April 23rd
May 5th	May 21st
June 9th	June 25th
July 7th	July 23rd
August 4th	August 20th
September 8th	September 24th
October 6th	October 22nd
November 3rd	November 19th
December 1st	December 17th

Please see the Circulation Desk for new kits/kit payments.



**Family Program**



**Paint Class**

**KNOX BRANCH**

**Tuesday, January 13th**  
 Noon-2pm

**Wednesday, January 14th**  
 10am-Noon

**Thursday, January 8th**  
 5pm-7pm  
**\*\*No Bonus Class\*\***  
**Possible scheduled extra classes**

**\$5 per person/**  
**Must Prepay**  
**receipt needed to attend**  
**No refund if**  
**cancelled day of class!!!**  
**LIMITED SEATS**  
**Sign up at**  
**Circulation desk**  
**No call ins**

Tutorials are available  
 @ each branch  
 just ask  
 Vicki, Treasure  
 or Carla  
 for the supplies!!!

### SCPLS Book Club 2026 Schedule

January 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	Remarkably Bright Creatures by Shelby Van Pelt
February 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	The One by John Marrs
March 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	The Correspondent by Virginia Evans
April 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	For Reasons Unknown by Michael Wood
May 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	The Things We Cannot Say by Kelly Rimmer
June 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	White Oleander by Janet Fitch
July 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	Under the Tulip Tree by Michelle Shocklee
August 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	The Lake of Lost Girls by Katherine Greene
September 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	Dolores Claiborne by Stephen King
October 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	Buffalo Hunter Hunter by Stephen Graham Jones
November 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	In the Sanctuary of Outcasts by Neil White
December 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2026	Let it Snow by John Green, Maureen Johnson & Lauren Myracle

**KNOX BRANCH**

## CROCHET classes

**Every Monday @ NOON**  
 around the fireplace



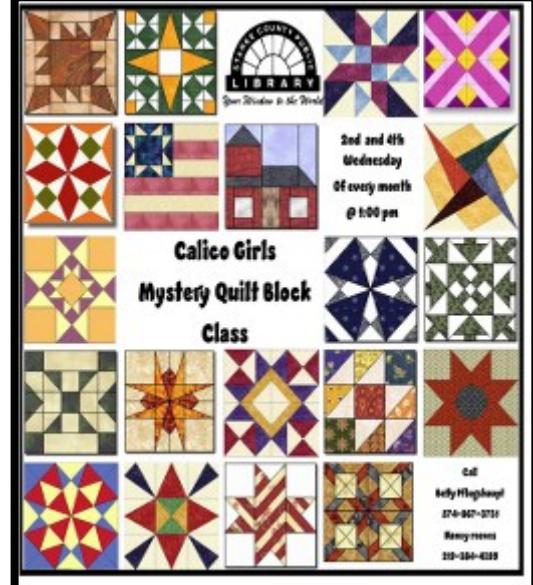


**ALL AGES WELCOME**





**AM Quilters**  
 1st and 3rd Monday  
 Henry F. Schricker  
 Meeting Room  
 9am-Noon



# COLOR ME CALM

Coloring is a great way to reduce stress and have fun! Drop in and unwind anytime the library is open.



Supplies are @ The Circulation Desk.  
 Coloring pages are by the Programming Office.

**3-D Printer Workshops**

**Starke County Public Library** Your Window to the World **D-LITE** Open Library and Learning Technology Initiative

D-LITE Lab for Kids: Open lab with appointment  
 D-LITE Lab for Teens: Open lab with appointment  
 D-LITE Lab for Adults: Open lab with appointment

This project is made possible by a grant from the U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services, administered by the Indiana State Library.



**MANGO** Language-learning centered around you.

more than 70 languages including Spanish, French, Japanese, Brazilian Portuguese, German, Mandarin Chinese, Greek, Irish, and Italian

**Let's go for a WALK**

Contact Andrea Brown, (574-772-7525 Ext. 1009) RSVP Please!

**Monday - Friday**  
**8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.**  
 Meet in front of the  
Henry F. Schricker Knox Branch  
 Part of Moving Starke County Forward

**INSPIRE**  
 Lifelong learning library for Hoosiers

**A to Z databases**

The Premier Job Search, Reference, and Mailing List Database. The database includes 2.3 million job listings, 30 million business profiles, 1.1 million healthcare professionals, and much more, ideal for sales leads, mailing lists, market research, employment opportunities, finding friends and relatives, and much more!

**NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE**  
 Explore, Discover, Share

We have added all of the United States to our collection starting March 1st.

**FREE ACCESS** from home or onsite with a **GREEN** Starke County Public Library card.

# January Programs for Infant through Teens

  
10:00am  
1:00pm  
Wednesday  
January  
21st and 28th





**Preschool Storytime**  
For kids ages 3-5 years  
Fun stories, songs, dance, activities, and crafts!

  
10:00am  
1:00pm  
Thursday  
January  
22nd and 29th



## TODDLER TIME



Storytime just right for children 2 years and younger, with caregiver, featuring stories, puppets, music, activities, and crafts!

  
**LEGO LEAGUE**  


Tuesday, January 27th  
3:30 - 4:30pm Lego Challenges  
5:30 - 6:30pm Freebuild  
We have the Legos. You bring the creativity. Spend time free building and put your cool creations on display for others to enjoy!



For all ages


**CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE®**  


## LIBRARY READ-ALOUD BOOK CLUB

**Tuesday, January 20th**  
**3:30pm - 4:30pm**

Get ready for a new adventure book every month where you help decide what happens! Be prepared to solve puzzles and play games along the way as the story unfolds! All Ages!



 **Programs for Kids**

**SCPL RC RACING Car Club**

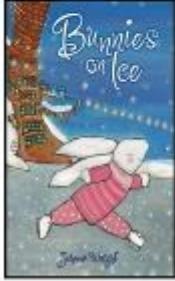
**Friday, January 23rd**  
3:30 pm - 4:30pm

Get Behind the wheel for some speed, jumps, and bumps at our Remote Control Car Club. Help make new track obstacles and spend time racing with your Cars or ours!

All Ages Welcome!

 **INDOOR StoryWalk**

**Friday, January 2nd - Saturday, February 14th**  
Open Regular Library hours



Follow the trail and do like a bunny does at our indoor StoryWalk throughout the library as you read the story **Bunnies on Ice** by Jotanna Wright.

 **WELCOME TO KANOPY KIDS**

**Movies for Younger Kids**



**StoryTime**  
Bunny Time, Library Classics



**NEW! KANOPY KIDS**  
EDUCATIONAL AND ENRICHING VIDEOS FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES

**SIGN UP TODAY!** [KANOPO.COM](https://kanopy.com)

**Children's Winter Reading Program 2026**  
**"There's Snow Place Like the Library"**

**January 2nd Kick-Off Day!**

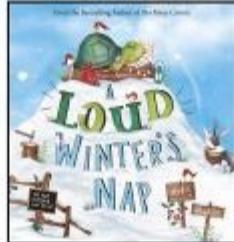
Kids can sign up for our Winter Reading Program, go "ice skating" in the library, get creative at the hot chocolate bar, play fun indoor games, & read a story at the indoor StoryWalk! "Ice Skating" in the Library open regular hours January 2nd - 19th. Socks Required!



 **StoryWalk**

**Wythogian Park**

The Knox Parks and Recreation Department and the Starke County Public Library partnered together to present the StoryWalk Project at Wythogian park.





**LITTLE PIM**  
fun with languages

 **TEEN LEVEL UP GAMING**

Join in our new gaming club for teens grades 6-12th.



3:30pm - 4:30pm  
Wednesday, January 7th

 **Teen Library Council**

**Thursday, January 22nd**  
3:30pm - 4:30pm

**Be a Library Influencer!**

Come see some favorite graphic novels and manga, hang out with friends, and help plan teen programs and book purchase ideas!



**TEEN Bingo!**

Come see me, Jordan, New Teen Coordinator, at the Starke County Public Library (Knox branch)



Goal with 1 teen come	Graphic Novel	Read a teen book	Book talk	Book with a new cover	Book with a new title	Book with a new author	Book with a new genre	Book with a new series	Book with a new publisher	Book with a new release	Book with a new cover	Book with a new title	Book with a new author	Book with a new genre	Book with a new series	Book with a new publisher	Book with a new release
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# Branch

## Branch Canvas Painting

Koontz Lake  
Hamlet  
San Pierre

Available on Demand  
\$5 per person

Tutorials available  
at each branch



Branching Out!

With Miss Carla

San Pierre Branch  
Storytime

3:00 PM CST  
Wednesdays  
January  
11th and 25th  
February  
8th and 22nd  
March  
11th and 25th



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Research  
Databases



2025  
SCPL Board Meetings

Stake County Public Library Board meetings are held the  
second Tuesday of every month @ 4:15pm

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2/11/25  
3/11/25  
4/16/25  
5/11/25  
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