

SEPTEMBER 2019

SPENCER COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Official newsletter of SCPL



September is **LIBRARY CARD
SIGN-UP MONTH!**

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*A library card
brings stories to life!*

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Monthly Highlights for September

*see calendar for times and
locations

September 5th
Recipe Swap



September 9th
Richland Book Club

Mondays, beginning week of
September 9th
Preschool Storytime
Baby & Toddler Storytime

September 9th & 23rd
Homeschool Hangout

September 18th & 23rd
Adult Crafternoon

September 24th
Camping Party
(registration required)

September 25th
BINGO

September 25th, 26th, & 28th
Escape Room



ESCAPE ROOM

What hot trend gets people working together, solving problems, sparks creativity and rewards innovation? Escape rooms!

You've come to the library for an overnight camp-in event. Your friend encourages you and a group of others to sneak off and snoop around the library. You creep into the librarian's office and hear a scratching noise. You start to panic. Are you hearing things? All of a sudden a loud piercing howl is heard throughout the library. You go to the door, only to discover it has locked. How are you going to escape and WHERE are those noises coming from?!

Escape/puzzle rooms are interactive live adventure games that appeal to all ages and abilities, and provide people with a chance to be a part of a story and their community as they problem solve. Gather your friends and reserve your spot today!

Congratulations Piper!

SCPL's 1st Child to complete 1000 Books Before Kindergarten



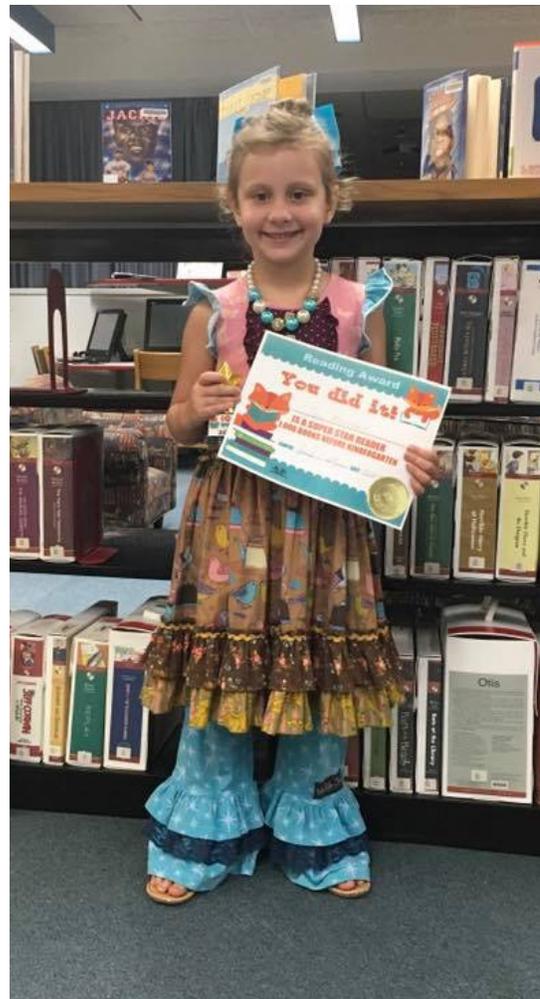
The Spencer County Public Library recently started a 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program. This program promotes reading to newborns, infants, and toddlers and encourages parent and child bonding through reading. The goal of the program is to establish strong early literacy skills that will allow children to gain the confidence to become strong readers.

We are pleased to announce our first participant to complete the program, Piper! Piper is 5 years old and will attend Luce elementary as a kindergartener in August where she looks forward to the games they play in PE. Piper lives with her parents and 3 siblings. She enjoys playing with her father and going swimming with her family. When she is not reading, she is helping her mother at their local store, Pied Piper Children's Resale, shooting Piper's Pick videos. She has several pets at home, including, Snappy the snapping turtle, Alinda Harper the bunny, Jake the dog, and Nikko the cat. When asked her favorite book out of the 1000 she read this summer, she recommends *We Don't Eat Our Classmates* by Ryan T. Higgins.

This book is about Penelope Rex's first day of school and finding out it is hard to make friends when her classmates are so delicious! That is, until Penelope gets a taste of her own medicine and finds she may not be at the top of the food chain after all. Piper's favorite part of the story is when Penelope gets bitten by the class goldfish. Piper also enjoys Katie Woo stories.

Piper hopes to be a cowgirl archeologist when she grows up. She is currently working on a digging project in her yard where she hopes to unearth a dinosaur bone. While on vacation at Hilton Head, Piper found a shell shaped like a unicorn horn that contained a snail. Piper is happiest spending time with her family and her bunny.

If you see Piper, make sure you congratulate her on reading 1000 books before kindergarten. We here at the Library can't wait to hear about Piper's first year in school and look forward to her weekly visits. If you have a preschooler, or know someone who does, we encourage you to participate in this program. Stop by any branch of the SCPL for more information.





“ONE LIVES IN THE
HOPE OF
BECOMING A
MEMORY.”
— ANTONIO
PORCHIA

In memory of Elizabeth (Woodruff) Chamberlain, *More News Tomorrow: A Novel* by Susan Richards Shreve presented by Rockport High School Class of 1953-located at Main Library-Rockport

In memory of Frieda Beard, *Someone to Honor* by Mary Balogh presented by Mary Anne Parker & Gretchan Reine- located at Main Library-Rockport

In memory of Ralph DeWeese, *The Road Home* by Richard Paul Evans presented by Rockport High School Class of 1951-located at Main Library-Rockport

In memory of Rhonda McMican, *Chocolate Cream Pie Murder* by Joanne Fluke presented by The Sermersheims (Eric, Marilyn, Kara & Casey & Dillon Haley)-located at Parker Branch-Hatfield

In memory of Clyde Moran, *The Road Home* by Richard Paul Evans presented by LTHS Class of 1964-located at Parker Branch-Hatfield

In memory of Marshall Wahl, *Bark of Night* by David Rosenfelt presented by Richland Book Club and Recipe Swap-located at Parker Branch-Hatfield

In memory of Hugh Barclay, monetary donation presented by Staff at the Rockport Library

Hint

Have you ever wanted to know the next book in a series? Did you know this information can be found in Evergreen?!? Look up any book in the series and this information can be found by scrolling down the page and looking under Awards, Reviews, & Suggested Reads.



Selections From the New Shelf

Fiction

1. *The Plus One* by Sarah Archer
2. *Silent Footsteps* by Jo Bannister
3. *The Bitterroots* by C. J. Box
4. *A Dangerous Man* by Robert Crais
5. *The Seekers* by Heather Graham
6. *You're Dead* by Chris Knopf
7. *Smokescreen* by Iris Johansen
8. *The Flatshare* by Beth O'Leary

Non Fiction

1. *The Book of Help* by Megan Griswold
2. *Keto Diet For Dummies* by Rami Abrams
3. *Crisis in the Red Zone* by Richard Preston
4. *Ladysitting: My Year With Nana* by Lorene Cary
5. *Bish Bash Bosh! Your Favorite Plants* by Henry Firth
6. *Woodstock 50th Anniversary* by Mike Greenblatt
7. *Inseperable* by Shaquem Griffin
8. *Hollywood, Her Story* by Jill Tietjen

DVDs

1. *Hostile Planet*
2. *Love At Sea*
3. *Poms*
4. *Mr. Mercedes: Season 1*
5. *Uglydolls*
6. *Us*
7. *Manifest: Season 1*
8. *Secret Life of Pets 2*

Children's

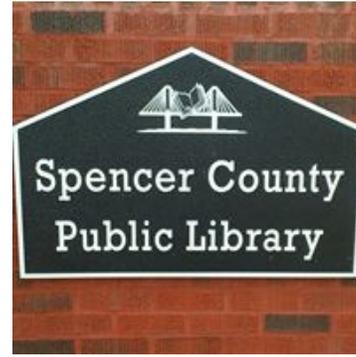
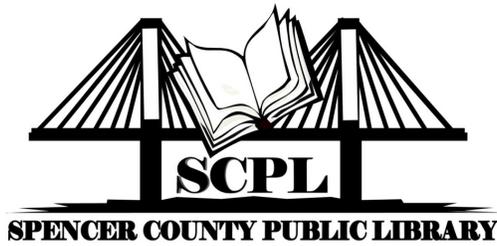
1. *A Father's Love* by Hannah Holt
2. *Alan's Big, Scary Teeth* by Peter Jarvis
3. *Bear Out There* by Jacob Grant
4. *Bear's Book* by Claire Freedman
5. *Bedtime for Little Bulldozer* by Elise Broach
6. *Can I Keep it?* by Lisa Jobe
7. *Firefly Home* by Jane Clarke
8. *Cookiesaurus Rex* by Amy Dominy

Audiobooks

1. *The Inn* by James Patterson
2. *The Russian* by Ben Coos
3. *The Perfect Girlfriend* by Karen Hamilton
4. *Willing To Die* by Lisa Jackson
5. *The Lieutenant's Nurse* by Sara Ackerman
6. *One Good Deed* by David Baldacci
7. *Little Faith* by Nickolas Butler
8. *The Friends We Keep* by Jane Green
9. *Under Currents* by Nora Roberts

Young Adult

1. *Evil Librarian* by Michelle Knudsen
2. *Hope and Other Punchlines* by Julie Buxbaum
3. *Missing, Presumed Dead* by Emma Berquist
4. *The Grief Keeper* by Alexandra Villasante
5. *The Things She's Seen* by Ambelin Kwaymullina
6. *Loyalty* by Megan DeVos
7. *There's Something about Sweetie* by Sandhya Menon



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Rockport, IN 47635

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F. 812-649-4018 W.

Monday & Friday 8am-5pm
Tuesday–Thursday
8am-9pm
Saturday 9am-3pm

Grandview Branch

403 W Main St,
Grandview, IN 47615

P. 812-649-9732
F. 812-649-1963

Monday 9am-8pm
Tuesday-Friday 9am-5pm
Saturday 9am-3pm

Parker Branch-Hatfield

925 N CR 900 W,
Richland, IN 47634

P. 812-359-4030
F. 812-359-4048

Mon-Wed & Friday 9am-5pm
Thursday 10am-6pm
Saturday 9am-12pm

MaryLee Vogel Branch-Richland

6014 Division St,
Richland, IN 47634

P. 812-359-4146
F. 812-359-4223

Monday-Friday 9am-5pm
Saturday 9am-12pm

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