

# BOOKENDS

A glowing jack-o'-lantern with a carved face, set against a background of bokeh lights and a lit candle.

Findlay-Hancock County Public Library

Serving the Community Since 1890

October 2021

**FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY WEEK**

OCTOBER 17-23

**TEENTOBER**

**TEN THINGS YOU MAY NOT KNOW  
ABOUT THE LIBRARY BUT SHOULD**

## OUR VALUES

We value free and open access to the library and library services for all citizens.

We value our patrons by serving them equally, respectfully, and with a friendly attitude.

We value lifelong learning and reading for joy.

We value the privacy of our patrons.

We value our community by playing an active role in improving quality of life.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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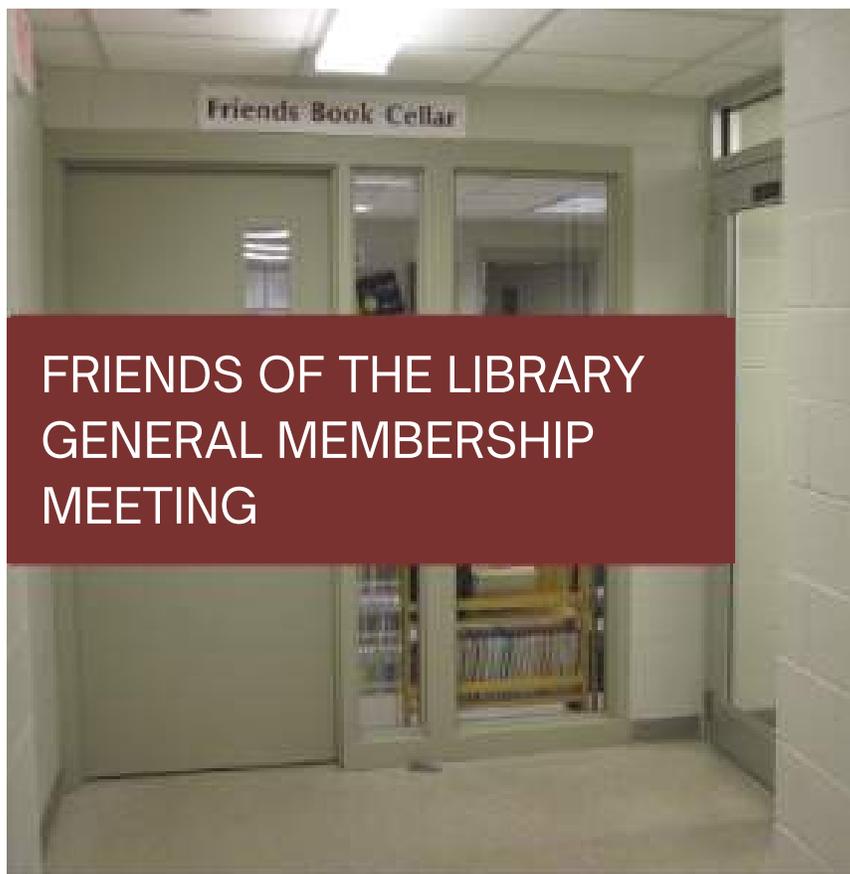
Mrs. Rosemary Rooker

## BOARD MEETING

The next board meeting is scheduled for October 12, 2021, at 4:30 pm at the Findlay-Hancock County Public Library.

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**October 6 at 6:30 pm  
in the Lindamood Room**

Director Sarah Clevidence will provide an update on the library's new strategic plan.

## A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

### FINDLAY - HANCOCK COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Dear Friends,

At the Ohio Library Council's Convention and Expo this month, major awards will be presented to honor those individuals and organizations that made significant contributions to Ohio's public library community. There are several categories to celebrate the individuals and groups who make our libraries so successful, but one of the most exciting to watch is the Library Innovation Award. Libraries are full of innovative people, working to find the best ways to serve their unique communities. Past winners have created new services, formed new partnerships and built programs fill the needs of their patrons.

The past year has forced every library to reach for new levels of innovation and creativity to meet needs during a pandemic. Libraries statewide developed new virtual programs, created curbside pickup for low contact access to library material and even became high volume distributors of COVID-19 test kits.

It is exciting to announce that this year, the Ohio Library Council will present the Library Innovation Award to ALL Ohio Public libraries and staff members for their innovative work during the pandemic, acknowledging and celebrating "Ohio public library employees, their remarkable resiliency and unwavering dedication to serving their communities."

Please join me in congratulating the staff of the Findlay-Hancock County Public Library, and our peers around the state. I agree wholeheartedly with the sentiment of Michelle Francis, OLC Executive Director: "My hope is that when members look back on these awards, they will see how the pandemic showed Ohio's public libraries at their best."

Kudos, my friends.

*Sarah Clevidence*

Sarah Clevidence, Director  
Findlay-Hancock County Public Library

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# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY WEEK



Help us to celebrate our Friends of the Library from October 17 - October 23.

The Friends of the Library, a volunteer, non-profit organization dedicated to supporting the library and its relationship with the community, is a vital part of the Findlay-Hancock County Public Library. These enthusiastic volunteers operate the Book Cellar, the used bookstore in the lower level of the library. The Friends of the Library also provide funding for popular programs such as CommunityREAD, SummerREAD, and WinterREAD, help by providing promotional materials for the Bookmobile, supporting staff development, and providing prizes for many library contests. The Friends also help to fund many digital platforms such as Overdrive, Hoopla, and our NewsBank database, which offers access to current and archived newspaper articles from over 3,000 newspapers across the United States. They hold much-anticipated special bi-annual book sales to bring the community wonderful books, DVDs, CDs, and other fantastic material at bargain prices. Their contributions to the community are immeasurable, and our lucky patrons reap the rewards of all of their hard work.

Be a difference maker this year, and join the Friends of the Library by going to the library's website at [www.findlaylibrary.org/fotl](http://www.findlaylibrary.org/fotl) and filling out a membership form. Everyone needs a new Friend!



“The Friends of the Library is such a beneficial organization to the library. Their generous support of CommunityREAD allows us to help promote literacy throughout the community and get everyone talking about some amazing books. I am so thankful for all that they do.”

— Joel Mantey  
Adult Services Manager

# TEENTOBER

TeenTober is a nationwide celebration hosted by the Youth Adult Library Services Association, and recognized by public libraries every October. It aims to celebrate teens and promote year-round teen services and literacies. Of course, you already know we have a terrific book selection for teens, but there's so much more!

TeenTober is all about teens and the Findlay-Hancock County Public Library has a lot to offer! You can read, listen, watch, learn, or even try a new hobby using our free digital resources, Libby (Overdrive) and Hoopla. You can also download graphic novels, comic books, audiobooks, e-books, magazines, and newspapers. These resources also allow you to stream music, tv shows, and movies for free!

Our website offers digital resources to provide teens with educational support. Use Learning Express Library to take practice tests for the ACT and SAT, try Mango Languages to help with your Spanish homework, check out a new hobby or craft using Creativebug, or prepare for your career using LinkedIn Learning, which provides access to over 16,000 expert-led courses. Visit [www.findlaylibrary.org](http://www.findlaylibrary.org) to access these handy online library services with just a library card and an internet connection, or use the free Wi-Fi at the library.

Are you more of a people person? Our teens have enjoyed outstanding programming this year including Teen Career Chats, Teen Culture Crafts, evenings hanging out at The Loft, College Advice Night, Game Nights, and even a virtual trip to the Toledo Zoo and Aquarium.

Teens can also serve on the Youth Advisory Board to help plan more programs, review books for other teens, and more. For more information, please pick up an application at the teen desk or ask one of our staff members.

We're also on social media, so find out what's going on at the library and check us out! Don't forget to follow, comment, tag us, check-in, and share at:

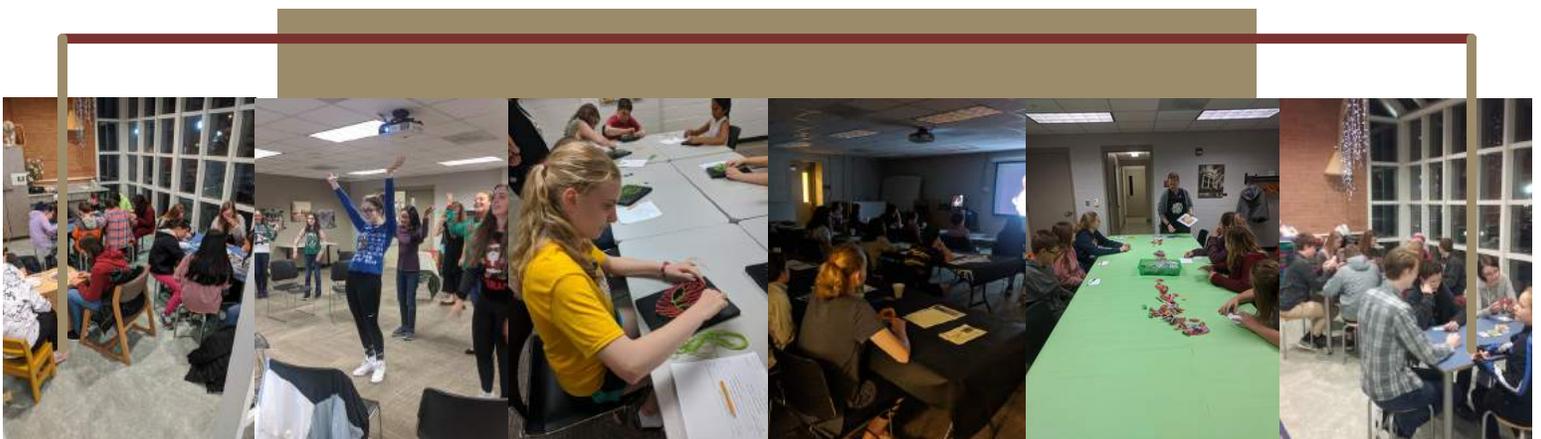
Facebook: [www.Facebook.com/fhcpl](http://www.Facebook.com/fhcpl)

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YouTube channel : Findlay Library

Pinterest: [www.Pinterest.com/findlaylibrary](http://www.Pinterest.com/findlaylibrary)

Enjoy a hair-raising program to celebrate TeenTober. Teens can register at [www.findlaylibrary.org](http://www.findlaylibrary.org) to go on a spooky flashlight tour of the Hancock Historical Museum and learn a little bit of history about Findlay and Hancock County with some eerie, historical tales on October 19 at 6:00 pm. Join us for a hauntingly good time!



# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

## ZOOM STORYTIME

**Tuesdays  
at 10:00 am**

REGISTER

This is a weekly live and interactive Storytime experience for children via Zoom so you can join us from home or anywhere! Registration and more information at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).

## AT-HOME MAKERSPACE FALL FLASHBACK

**October 12 & 26 at 6:00 pm  
on Facebook**

Miss Sarah presents art, science, and engineering projects. Create something fun with supplies you can find at home. This fall, we are re-posting our favorite videos on Facebook.

## STORYWALK®

**All Month at Riverside Park**

The story for October is *A Werewolf Named Oliver James* by Nicholas John Frith.

## ZOOM BABY STORYTIME

**Wednesdays  
at 10:00 am**

REGISTER

Join us for the Baby Storytime you know and love, from the comfort of home! This program is recommended for children ages birth - 36 months, and their caregivers. Registration and more information at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).

## STORYTIME AT THE PARK

**Thursdays at 10:00 am  
at the Waterfalls Pavilion at  
Riverside Park**

Join us at the park for themed stories, songs, activities, and a craft! Storytime is for children of all ages.

## BABY STORYTIME AT THE PARK

**Fridays at 10:00 am**

Come to the park and enjoy songs, stories, rhymes, and other fun activities for our youngest learners. This program is recommended for children ages birth - 36 months, and their caregivers.

## MAKERSPACE FOR HOMESCHOOLERS: EXPLORE ENGINEERING

**October 7  
at 2:00 pm**

REGISTER

**in the Lindamood Room**

Explore engineering by trying building challenges with some of our favorite engineering supplies like Legos, Keva Planks, and more. Space is limited and registration is required. Registration and more information at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).

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## TWEEN NIGHT: MAD LIBS

**October 14  
at 6:00 pm**

REGISTER

**in the Lindamood Room**

Play Mad Libs and even learn how to create your own! Recommended for grades 2 - 6. Registration and more information at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).

## ZOOM FAMILY STORYTIME

**October 18  
at 6:00 pm**

REGISTER

**on Zoom**

Enjoy the same great stories, songs, activities, and crafts at a more convenient time for you. Please register at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).

## DRAWING CLUB

**October 21  
at 6:00 pm**

REGISTER

**in the Lindamood Room**

Join us for drawing tutorials and hang out with other young artists. Recommended for grades 2 and up. Registration and more information at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).

## FAMILY NIGHT: FALL SCAVENGER HUNT AT OAKWOODS

**October 25 at 5:00 pm  
at Oakwoods Nature**

**Preserve**

Enjoy an evening at Oakwoods Nature Preserve (1400 Oakwoods Lane, Findlay) while completing a fall-themed outdoor scavenger hunt with your family! More information at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).

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# TEEN PROGRAMMING

## TEEN BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

**Saturdays at 10:00 am on Facebook**

Get ready for some great book recommendations from the FHCPL's Youth Advisory Board Members. #FHCPL #TeenTakeover



## SPOOKY HISTORICAL TALES OF FINDLAY

**October 19 at 6:00 pm** [REGISTER](#)  
**at the Hancock Historical Museum**

Learn a little bit of history about Findlay and Hancock County with some spooky, historical tales. Deb Wickerham, from the Hancock Historical Museum, will lead us on a flashlight tour of the museum. Registration and more information at [findlaylibrary.org](http://findlaylibrary.org).



**hoopla**  
*For Teens*

# ADULT PROGRAMMING

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## TAKE ACTION AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT

**October 4 at 6:00 pm**  
**in the Lindamood Room**

Learn how to help a survivor, spot abusive characteristics, and about other services that Open Arms provides to the community.

## SPICE WORLD

**October 18-23** [REGISTER](#)  
**at the Library**

This month we are making beef pares to celebrate Filipino American Heritage Month! The kits will be available to pick up October 18-23. Please register at [www.findlaylibrary.org](http://www.findlaylibrary.org).

## LET'S TALK ABOUT PREDIABETES

**October 18 at 6:00 pm**  
**in the Lindamood Room**

Kirsten Seele, Registered Dietitian from NWO, will join us to talk about prediabetes prevention and care.

## MONEY MONDAY: TAX-FREE INVESTING

[REGISTER](#)

**October 18 at 5:30 pm on Zoom**

Andrew Stepleton from Edward Jones will show us how certain investments can deliver tax-free income and possibly keep you in a lower tax bracket. Register at [www.findlaylibrary.org](http://www.findlaylibrary.org).

## BOOK TALK

**Fridays at 10:30 am on Facebook**

Find out what book our staff is recommending this week!

## TOSSED TREASURES: HOW WE ALL CAN WASTE LESS FOOD

**October 20 at 4:30 pm** [REGISTER](#)  
**in the Lindamood Room**

Learn about the impact of food waste, meal planning and food preparation, and get some great recipe ideas to minimize this growing issue. Register at [www.findlaylibrary.org](http://www.findlaylibrary.org).



## CRAFTERWORK

**October 27 at 6:00 pm** [REGISTER](#)  
**in the Lindamood Room**

Come and make a macramé ghost with us! Register at [www.findlaylibrary.org](http://www.findlaylibrary.org).

# 10 THINGS YOU MAY NOT KNOW ABOUT THE LIBRARY BUT SHOULD

Not very computer savvy? No worries. We have one-on-one computer technology training to help teach you basic computer use, how to use social media, help downloading e-books, and more!



It's Thursday night in Hancock County and your kids are complaining about being bored again. Put down the remote and the potato chips, and spend some quality family time at one of Miss Sarah's super-fun children's programs nearly every Thursday at 6:00 pm at the library. Check the calendar on our website, our Facebook page, Pinterest, Instagram, and our YouTube channel for tons of cool programs, pics, and videos for adults, teens, and children. It's lame to be bored.

You can learn to speak French, Italian, or maybe a little Pirate with Mango Languages in our online reference collection—for free! Seriously. Pirate. Check it out.



Don't you hate it when you need to print something and you're out of ink? You can print to the library from your device and pick it up at the library later! Don't you love technology?

Dude, you don't even have to get out of bed to use the library. With Apps like Hoopla and Libby, you have access to tons of material from your computer, tablet, or phone!



Career a little in the dumps? Our Career Collection can fix that with material on resumes, cover letters, interview skills, career choices, and job hunting. Who doesn't want to make more coin?

We can help you reach the stars! Really, we can. You can check out a beautiful Orion telescope for up to two weeks!

We're fine free! As long as you return your material undamaged, it's all free! Check out all the details of our fine free policy at <https://www.findlaylibrary.org/content/circulation-policy>



Problem. You want to buy a new computer but aren't sure which one has what you need. Solved. We have Consumer Reports in the library and on our website. Again, it's free! We solve problems. It really is what we do.

We answered 66,508 questions from patrons last year. If we don't know the answer right away, we're information ninjas and we'll find out.



**CALL US AT 419-422-1712 OR VISIT US IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS AWESOMENESS.**

# BOOK DISCUSSIONS

## FICTION ADDICTION BOOK DISCUSSION

October 4 at 2:00 pm  
in the Lindamood Room

Read *Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann and join the discussion in the Lindamood Room!

## LIT LOVERS BOOK DISCUSSION

October 11 at 6:30 pm  
in the Lindamood Room

Read *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens and join us for a great discussion.

## BOWS AND BLASTERS SCIENCE FICTION & FANTASY BOOK CLUB

October 13 at 6:00 pm  
in the Lindamood Room

This month's book is Part II of *Dune* by Frank Herbert. This month, we'll be discussing the end of the book. Copies are available at the reference desk and e-book/audiobook copies are available on Libby. Join our Bows & Blasters Facebook group!

## GENTLE READS BOOK DISCUSSION

October 14 at 2:00 pm  
in the Lindamood Room

Read *Just Look Up* by Courtney Walsh and join us for a discussion.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON BOOK GROUP

REGISTER

October 18 at 1:00 pm  
on Zoom

Join us on Zoom for a discussion of *The Officer's Daughter: A Memoir of Family and Forgiveness* by Ella Johnson. Please register at [www.findlaylibrary.org](http://www.findlaylibrary.org).

## 50 NORTH BOOK DISCUSSION

October 21 at 10:00 am  
at 50 North

Read *Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann, then join us at 50 North (339 E. Melrose Avenue, Findlay) for a discussion.



# CONGRATULATIONS

## THE WINNERS OF OUR BALLOONFEST DRAWING & HANCOCK COUNTY FAIR DRAWINGS!



## HUMAN LIBRARY®

October 16  
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm  
in the Findlay High School  
Cafeteria

The Human Library® is a safe place where you can speak one-on-one with someone you might otherwise never have the chance to meet.

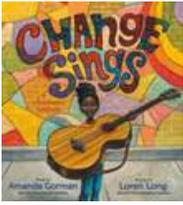
Our volunteers have unique life experiences, stories, or beliefs, and have agreed to become living 'books' you can 'check out' for 15 minutes at a time. Listen, ask questions, and learn about the members of your community. See people as stories, not stereotypes.

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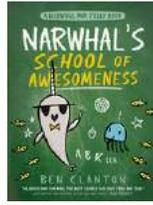
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**CHILDREN'S**


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**CHANGE SINGS: A CHILDREN'S ANTHEM**
**AMANDA GORMAN**

A young girl leads a cast of characters on a musical journey where they learn that they have the power to make changes in the world.


**NARWHAL'S SCHOOL OF AWESOMENESS**
**BEN CLANTON**

Narwhal and Jelly become substitute teachers for a school of fish when Mr. Blowfish comes down with a cold and must use their unconventional methods — and love of waffles — to make the day a success!

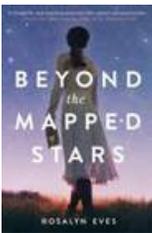

**WILLODEEN**
**KATHERINE APPLLEGATE**

When the annual migration of hummingbirds, a source of local pride and income, dwindles and no one knows why, Willodeen, armed with a magical birthday gift, speaks up for the animals she loves and vows to uncover this mystery.

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**TEENS**


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**BEYOND THE MAPPED STARS**
**ROSALYN EVES**

A sweeping adventure set in the late 19th century, about science, love, and finding your place in the world.


**DARK AND SHALLOW LIES**
**GINNY MYERS SAIN**

A teen girl disappears from her small town deep in the bayou in this chilling debut supernatural thriller.


**YOUR LIFE HAS BEEN DELAYED**
**MICHELLE I. MASON**

Past and present collide in a captivating YA debut about a girl who takes off on a flight and lands 25 years later.

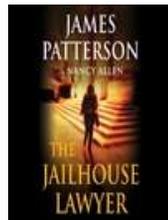
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**FICTION**

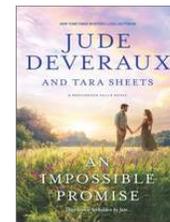

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**DAUGHTER OF THE MORNING STAR**
**CRAIG JOHNSON**

When Lolo Long's niece Jaya begins receiving death threats, Tribal Police Chief Long calls on Absaroka County Sheriff Walt Longmire along with Henry Standing Bear as lethal backup.


**THE JAILHOUSE LAWYER**
**JAMES PATTERSON & NANCY ALLEN**

In picture-perfect Erva, Alabama, the most serious crimes are misdemeanors. Then why is the jail so crowded? And why are so few prisoners released? There's only one place to learn the truth behind these incriminating secrets.

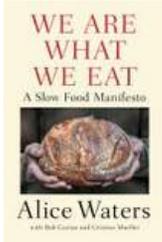

**AN IMPOSSIBLE PROMISE**
**JUDE DEVERAUX**

Liam O'Connor has one purpose in this life — to push the woman he loves into the arms of another man. The Irish rogue unknowingly changed the course of destiny when he fell in love with Cora McLeod over a century ago. Can he let go of love?

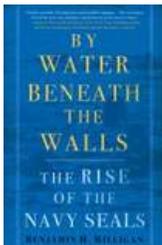
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**NONFICTION**

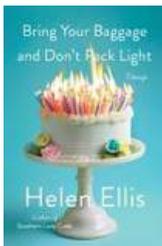

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***WE ARE WHAT WE EAT : A SLOW FOOD MANIFESTO*****ALICE WATERS**

From chef and food activist Alice Waters, an impassioned plea for a radical reconsideration of the way each and every one of us cooks and eats.

***BY WATER BENEATH THE WALLS: THE RISE OF THE NAVY SEALS*****BENJAMIN H. MILLIGAN**

A former Navy SEAL chronicles the history of the special operations unit, from their beginnings as unarmed World War II frogmen to their rise to America's first permanent commando force, deployed on counterterrorism and capture-kill missions.

***BRING YOUR BAGGAGE AND DON'T PACK LIGHT: ESSAYS*****HELEN ELLIS**

The bestselling author of *American Housewife* and *Southern Lady Code* returns with a viciously funny, deeply felt collection of essays on friendship among women.

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**MOVIES**


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***BLACK WIDOW******F9: THE FAST SAGA******OUT OF DEATH***


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**MUSIC**


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***CINDERELLA (ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK)***  
**CAMILA CABELLO*****HOW LONG DO YOU THINK IT'S GONNA LAST?***  
**BIG RED MACHINE*****MERCURY: ACT 1***  
**IMAGINE DRAGONS**

# September Memorials & Honorariums

## MEMORIALS

**In Memory of:  
Diane Spears**  
by Bluestone Neighbors

**In Memory of:  
Betty L. Walter**  
by FHCPL Board and Staff

**In Memory of:  
Peg Logsdon**  
by Beta Sigma Phi  
Findlay Council

**In Memory of:  
Danielle Robinson**  
by Carol McKitrick

## HONORARIUMS

**In Honor of:  
Jim Flechtner**  
by FHCPL Board and Staff

**In Honor of:  
Jerry Casey**  
by FHCPL Board and Staff

The Findlay-Hancock County Public Library appreciates the opportunity to be a part of a lasting tribute that will be enjoyed by the entire community. Patrons often donate to the library to purchase a book(s) for a deceased family member, friend, or co-worker. Other patrons donate to purchase a book(s) in honor of retirements, birthdays, anniversaries, and special occasions.

Donors may suggest specific titles or subjects for memorials/honorariums or allow our professional selectors to choose appropriate items. A special bookplate will be placed in each donated book identifying the person being memorialized or honored, as well as the name of the donors. Please [click here](#) for more information or to donate, or contact us at 419-434-1480.

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Read for Life	419-422-3755
Teen Services	419-434-1300



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Findlay, Ohio 45840

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**Sarah  
Clevidence**  
*Director*  
419-434-1479

## BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

### MONDAY

Arcadia 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
Van Buren 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

### TUESDAY

Vanlue 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
Mt. Blanchard 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

### WEDNESDAY

Mt. Cory 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
Benton Ridge 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

### THURSDAY

Jenera 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
Rawson 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Join the  
Extension and Outreach  
Department this month  
at these Community Events:

October 23 at 5:00 pm-8:00 pm  
Spooktacular!  
Hancock Historical Museum

October 26 7:00 pm  
City of Findlay Halloween Parade  
Downtown Findlay

