Wells County Public Library

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Bluffton—Main Library
200 West Washington Street
Bluffton, Indiana 46714
260-824-1612
Monday—Thursday
9 am to 8 pm
Friday
9 am to 6 pm
Saturday
9 am to 2 pm

Ossian Branch Library
207 North Jefferson Street
Ossian, Indiana 46777
260-622-4691
Monday—Thursday
9 am to 8 pm
Friday
9 am to 5 pm
Saturday
9 am to Noon

Library Closings:

New Years:
Tuesday, January 1

President’s Day:
Monday, February 18

Easter:
Friday, April 19 & Saturday, April 20

Memorial Day:
Saturday, May 25 & Monday, May 27

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A BLIZZARD of books
After Hours Party
Bluffton: Friday, March 29: 5:30-7:30 pm
Grades 4-8. Enjoy a night of Wii on the big screens, games, pizza, snacks, and hide-and-seek in the library. This party will be beach themed for all of us who didn’t get to go Florida for Spring Break. You must have a permission slip from the library signed by a parent or guardian to attend. Registration is required so that we have enough snacks and supplies.

Glow-in-the-Dark Party and Easter Egg Hunt
Bluffton: Thursday, April 18: 7:30-9:00 pm
Grades 6-12. Join us for an evening of food, fun, and games all with a glow-in-the-dark theme. There will be a glow-in-the-dark Easter Egg hunt and lots of other fun games and activities. This program starts later than usual so that it will actually be dark out when we are doing part of it. Since this program will take place mostly after the library has closed for the night, you must have a permission slip from the library signed by a parent or guardian to attend. Registration is required by April 17 for a guaranteed spot in this program.

T-shirt Makeover
Bluffton: Monday, May 20: 6:00-7:30 pm
Grades 6-12. Create your very own unique T-shirt. We will have lots of different supplies available for creating your own one-of-a-kind T-shirt including fabric paint, tie-dye materials, sharpies, and bleach pens to name a few. All you need to bring is one or more T-shirts that you want to make over and your creativity. Ask your parents first before you bring the T-shirt(s) and wear older clothes just in case you get a little messy. Registration is required by May 18 for a guaranteed spot in this program so sign up today!

Program Cancellation Info
If the following school districts are closed due to inclement weather, all programs will be cancelled. If the school has a delay, then programming will proceed as normal.

Main Library (Bluffton): Bluffton-Harrison School District
Ossian Branch: Northern Wells Community Schools

Monthly Programs
Teen Book Club
Bluffton: Jan. 3, Feb. 7, Mar. 7, and Apr. 4
Meets the first Thursday of the month from 6:30-7:30 pm
Grades 7-12. Join us for a fun evening discussing the book of the month, enjoying a snack, and participating in related activities.
- January’s book: The Best Christmas Pageant Ever
- February’s book: Slahthog’s Gold
- March’s book: The Juvie Three
- April’s book: book of your choice

Manga Club
Bluffton: Jan. 7, Feb. 4, March 4, April 1, & May 6
Meets the first Monday of the month from 6:00-7:30 pm
Grades 6-12. Discuss the latest Manga books, draw, trade cards, and just have fun.

JL Crew
Bluffton: Jan. 15, Feb. 19, March 19, & April 16
Meets the third Tuesday of the month from 6:30-7:30 pm
Grades 4-6. Join us for a night of fun activities that are centered around a different theme each month. Registration appreciated.

Try it Tuesday
Bluffton: Jan. 29, Feb. 26, Mar. 26, Apr. 30, and May 28
Meets the last Tuesday of the month from 6:30-7:30 pm
Grades 6-12. Fun tech activities. Registration appreciated.
- Jan & Feb: Bloxels (create your own video game)
- March: Osmo programs
- April: Little Bits snap circuits
- May: Edison robots

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)
Bluffton: Jan. 30, Feb. 27, Mar. 20, Apr. 24 and May 29
Meets the last Wednesday of the month from 6:00-6:45 pm
Grades 6-12. Do you need volunteer credit or wish you had a say in teen programming at the library? Join the Teen Advisory Board. You don’t need to sign up, just show up for the meetings. Snacks are always provided.

Teen Zone & Movie Events
Saturday @ the Movies
Bring pillows and snacks to watch movies on the big screen. Movies are free. Children 6 and under must be accompanied by an adult. Popcorn served at movies at Bluffton (Main Library).

Ossian Branch:
Saturday @ the Movies

Bluffton:
- “Smallfoot” (PG)
- “Happy Feet” (PG)
- “Frozen” (PG)
- “Sgt. Stubby: an American Hero” (PG)
- “March of the Penguins” (G)
- “Greatest Showman” (PG)
- “Teen Titans Go to the Movies” (PG)

Ossian: May 11 at 10 am
- “Sgt. Stubby: an American Hero” (PG)

“TBA” indicates date is still to be announced.

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