

TEEN ZONE

July/Aug 2013

ALL PROGRAMS ARE FOR
GRADES 6 THROUGH 12
UNLESS STATED OTHERWISE.



Chocolate Gems

Tue, July 2, 6:00-7:30

Unofficial Hunger Games

Tue, July 9, 6:00-8:00

Craft-It!

Tue, July 16, 6:00-7:30

Zombie Apocalypse

Tue, July 23, 5:30-7:30

Teen Book Club

Mon, July 29, 6:30-7:30

TAB

Tue, July 30, 6:30-7:15

Summer Reading Party (High School)

Thurs, Aug 1, 7:50-9:30

Summer Reading Party (Middle School)

Fri, Aug 2, 5:50-7:30

Teen Book Club

Mon, Aug 19, 6:30-7:30

Craft It!

Tue, Aug 20, 6:00-7:30

TAB

Tue, Aug 27, 6:30-7:15

CLOSED
Thurs, 4TH OF JULY

Fri, Aug 31 - Mon, Sep 2
for LABOR DAY

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MAIN LIBRARY

200 W. Washington St.
Bluffton, IN 46714
260-824-1612

OSSIAN LIBRARY

207 N. Jefferson St.
Ossian, IN 46777
260-622-4691

Email: [youngadult@
wellscolibrary.org](mailto:youngadult@wellscolibrary.org)

Chocolate Gems

Tuesday, July 2
6:00-7:30

Who needs to dig for gems, when you can create your very own and eat them too? Come create chocolate gems that you can take with you and share, or eat it yourself!

Registration is requested by Monday, July 1.

Un-Official Hunger Games Survival

Tuesday, July 9
6:00-8:00

Come join us for 2 hours of jam-packed survival skills instruction with Professional Survivalist **Creek Stewart**. This program will start with instruction and discussion of Hunger Games survival strategy and then will quickly move outside to learn Hunger Games survival skills hands-on! Each participant will receive an Orange Sling Survival Back-Pack, which they get to keep, with items to use during the program.

There is a **25 participant limit** for this program and there will be a **\$5 returnable deposit** to reserve your spot. Permission forms must be signed by a parent or guardian and may be picked up at the Reference/Teen Dept. **Registration must be made with a staff member by Monday, July 8.**



Zombie Apocalypse

Tuesday, July 23—5:30-7:30

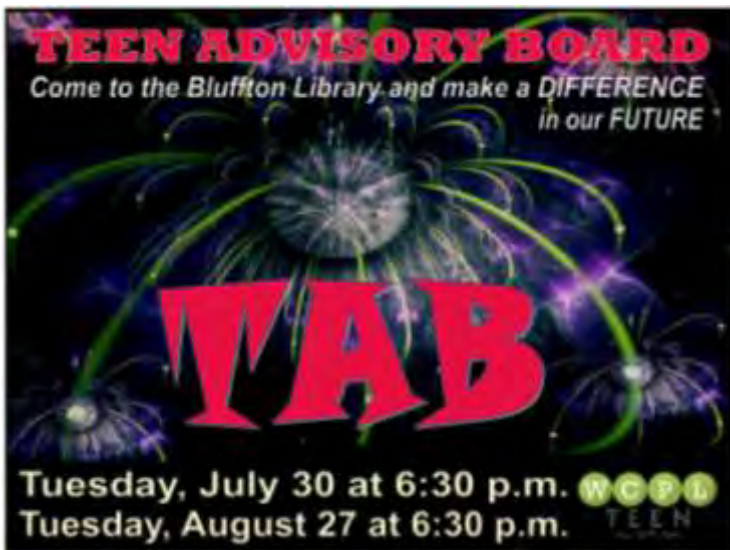


Can you survive the Zombie Apocalypse? Throughout the library we will have survival items for varying point values. Each person must assemble a survival kit of five items they find. Your survival skills need to be sharp to build the best kit to win the prize, and of course to avoid the Library Staff Zombies! We will have target practice and Zombie make-up activities as well. Bring your friends and see who survives! **Registration is required by Saturday, July 20.**

Craft It! @ the Library

FOR ALL AGES! Tuesday, July 16 & August 20—6:00-7:30

Calling all scrapbookers, crocheters, knitters, jewelry makers and generally crafty folks! Do you have a craft project and need space and time to work on it? Come to the library and craft along with other crafters. Whether you are crocheting, knitting, scrapbooking, or your Pinterest pins are just piling up, all ages and skill levels are welcome to come. We will provide the space, time, die-cut machine and light refreshments; **you provide the project** and conversation! **Bring your friends and we'll see you there!**



TAB

Tuesday, July 30—6:30-7:15
Tuesday, August 27—6:30-7:15

Do you need volunteer credit? Do you wish you had a say in Teen Programming? Join the **Teen Advisory Board**, open to all teens in grades 6-12. You don't need to sign up, just show up! We usually meet in the board room or the staff room on the second floor, from 6:30-7:15 on the last Tuesday of each month. Snacks are always provided. **We hope to see you there!**

TOP YA TITLES

1. Burned: Pretty Little Liars
2. Civil War: Front Line
3. Stealing Parker
4. Musashi #9
5. How to Save a Life
6. Crossed
7. Albrek's Tomb
8. First Day on Earth
9. Maximum Ride Manga
10. The Authoritative Calvin & Hobbes

TOP YA AUTHORS

1. Sara Shepard
2. Gabrielle Lord
3. Tahehiko Inoue
4. Miranda Kenneally
5. Cecil Castellucci
6. Sara Zarr
7. Jeff Parker
8. Pam Bachorz
9. Brian Michael Bendis
10. Mark Forman



Teen Book Club

Monday, July 29—6:30-7:30

Monday, August 19—6:30-7:30



Do you love to read? Come join other Teens on the last Monday of the month (unless otherwise publicized) and discuss a book chosen by your group. The book for July is ***Hattie Big Sky***, and for August will be ***The Hobbit***. The Teen Zone will have extra copies of the title for book club readers, so drop by today and pick up a copy! Snacks and drinks will be provided.



New Website!

The library's website has a new look! It contains lots of useful information and links. With school starting back up, be sure to check out the Teen Zone's homework help section. If you lose your copy of the newsletter, you can always find a copy of our most recent newsletter on the Teen Zone page. We'll also be posting blogs with Teen Zone information from time to time, so check back often to see what's new!



Summer Reading After-Hours Party!

High School: Thursday, August 1—7:50-9:30

Middle/Jr. High School: Friday, August 2—5:50-7:30

Congratulations all Middle School/Jr. High/High School patrons who finished the Summer Reading Program! Come enjoy a night of Wii on the big screens, games, pizza, snacks, and hide-and-seek in the library! You must have a permission slip from the library signed by a parent or guardian to attend.

FUNDING FOR ALL EVENTS IS MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH THE WELLS COUNTY FOUNDATION.



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200 W. Washington St.
Bluffton, IN 46714

"I am looking
for someone
to share in an
adventure..."
~ *The Hobbit*

Mango?



Want to brush up on your foreign language skills before school starts? Maybe you want to learn a new language on your own like Spanish, German or even Pirate. Well then, check out a free service the library offers called Mango through our database page on the website; just click on the Research tab on the homepage.

REGULAR EVENTS AT THE LIBRARY

Game Days: Come to the Teen Zone on **Wednesdays from 4:00 to 6:00** to play board games. We provide snacks! Bring your friends & family!

Manga Club: Meets the **first Monday of the month from 6:00 to 7:30** to discuss all things Manga. **There will be no Manga Club in July and August** for Summer Break.

Teen Book Club: Meets the **last Monday of the month from 6:30 to 7:30** to discuss a book chosen by the group. We will be meeting on **July 29** and **August 19**.

(TAB) Teen Advisory Board: Usually meets the **last Tuesday of the month from 6:00 to 7:15**. We will be discussing and planning upcoming activities. This looks great on college applications, and counts toward Volunteer Hours. We will meet on **July 30** and **August 27**.

Open Wii Days! Round up some friends and come play in the study rooms or on the Teen Zone TV **ANY TIME** they are available! You must have a library card in good standing to play.