

**BELL
MEMORIAL
PUBLIC
LIBRARY**

Library Hours:

Monday—Thursday:

9:00 am—7:00 pm

Friday & Saturday:

9:00 am—5:00 pm

Sunday:

(Sept.—May)

1:00 pm-5:00 pm

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The Bell Bulletin

August 2020

TVSC first day of school will be Wednesday, August 12, 2020!

There are no changes to the school calendar or schedules. School will begin Aug. 12, for students. Student start and dismissal times will remain the same as last year: Elementary: 8:40 a.m. / 3:30 p.m., TVMS: 8:11 a.m./3:16 p.m. (6th grade) 8:15 a.m./3:20 p.m. (7th-8th grade), TVHS: 8:15 a.m./3:30 p.m.

As Indiana sees rise in coronavirus cases, governor requires Hoosiers to wear face masks

Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb announced that face masks would be mandatory throughout the state during a press conference Wednesday.

Starting July 27, anyone age 8 or older will be required to wear a face mask in indoor public spaces, commercial entities, transportation services or in outside public spaces where social distancing is not possible.

"The simple act of covering our faces, as odd as it may feel, can help us prevent the transmission of the virus, which is why this is the next prudent step that we as a state need to take," Holcomb said.

In school, masks will be required for any children in third grade or older, as well as faculty, staff, volunteers and anyone else in the school. Masks will also be required for co-curricular and extracurricular activities that do not involve strenuous physical activity.

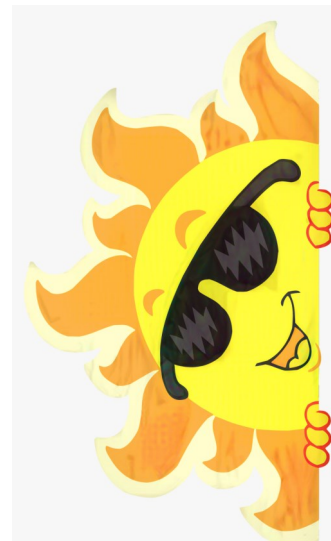
While not required, it is recommended that children ages 2 to 7 wear a mask as well.

Anyone who is eating, drinking, participating in strenuous physical activity or has a medical condition that prevents them from wearing a mask is exempt.

While not wearing a mask is considered a Class B misdemeanor, Holcomb said enforcement will not be strict.

"Please know that the mask police will not be patrolling Indiana streets," Holcomb said.

Recipe: Ambrosia Salad



TOTAL TIME: Prep: 10 min. + chilling **YIELD:** 4 servings.

Ingredients

- 1 can (15 ounces) mandarin oranges, drained
- 1 can (8 ounces) pineapple tidbits, drained
- 1 cup miniature marshmallows
- 1 cup sweetened shredded coconut

1 cup sour cream

Directions

1. In a large bowl, combine the oranges, pineapple, marshmallows and coconut. Add sour cream and toss to mix. Cover and refrigerate for several hours.



~Virtual Creative Corner~

We are doing Creative Corner virtually until we are able to meet in person. This month's craft kit will be a Bubble Bracelet. Kits can be picked up at the library; please call 574-353-7234 or 574-551-9007 to reserve yours. Kits will be available by August 17th (colors will vary). There will be a limited supply, so it's on a first come, first serve basis. This will be posted to both our website www.bell.lib.in.us and our Facebook page www.facebook.com, search for Bell Memorial Public Library. If you decide to participate and create the craft project at home, please share a picture of your completed craft with us on our Facebook page. We'd love to see what you are doing!
Happy Crafting!



~Kids/Teens & Young Adults~

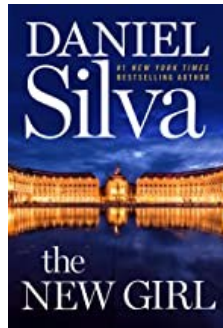
Kids: Parents, we have a plastic tote located at our main entrance that contains packets full of activities that the kids can do while at home. The packets change each week, so be sure to check back often. We are also posting kids crafts each week to our Facebook page www.facebook.com; search for Bell Memorial Public Library.

Teens & Young Adults:

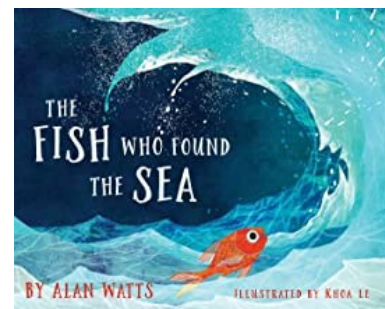
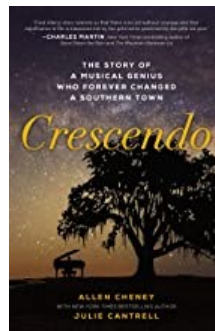
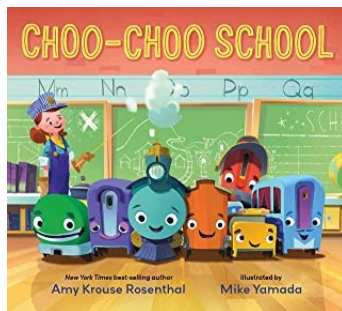
Keep an eye out on the Teen Facebook page www.facebook.com; search for bmpl teens for updates and craft projects!



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Come see any staff member at Bell Memorial Public Library for information on how to get started.

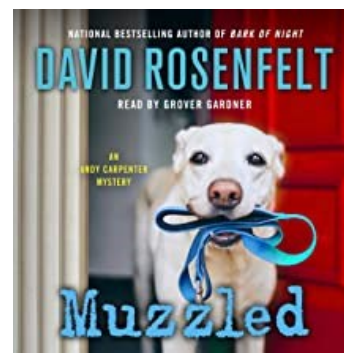
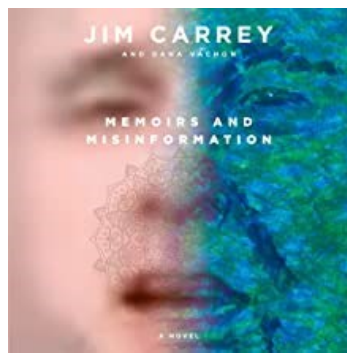
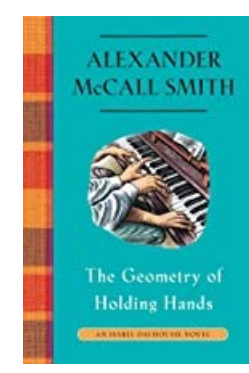
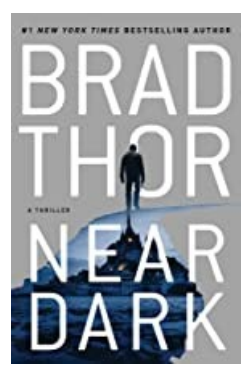
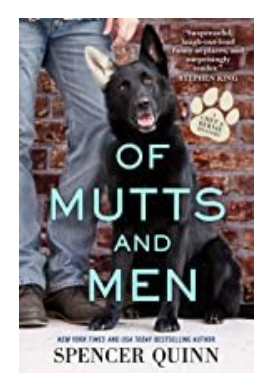
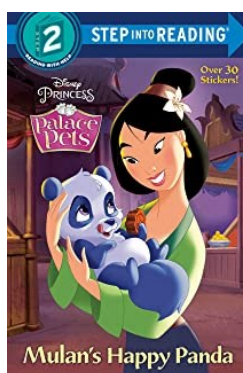
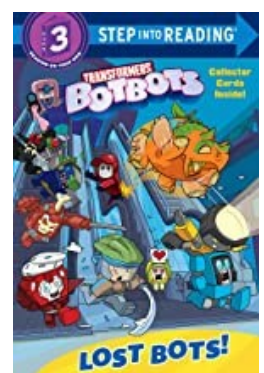
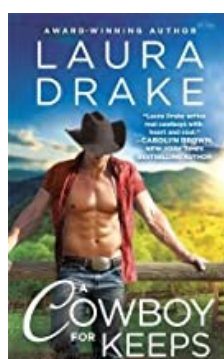
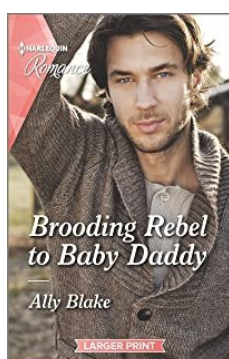
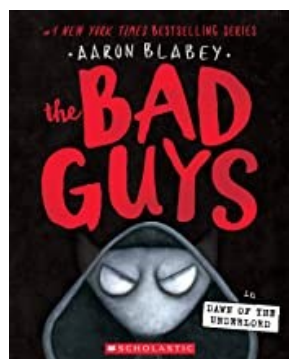


Dolly Parton's Imagination Library!!!

Bell Memorial Public Library has partnered with Kosciusko County United Way to be a registration spot for Dolly Parton's Imagination Library. Dolly Parton's Imagination Library is available to all children under 5 who live in Kosciusko County. Each child receives a free book every month until they turn 5. The books are in groups per birth year so Brother doesn't get the same set as Older Sister. Anyone can sign a child up and have the books delivered to the designated address. Patrons can fill out the registration forms and we will take care of the rest. Forms are located at our main Circulation desk.

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Coming Soon!!!





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