



The Bell Bulletin

October 2023

Bell Memorial Public Library

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FALL FESTIVAL



Saturday, October 21st
from 2:00pm-4:00pm
FOOD, GAMES, PRIZES,
& More!!



Library Hours:
Monday-Thursday
9:00am-7:00pm
Friday 9:00am-5:00pm
Saturday 9:00am-1:00pm
CLOSED Sunday

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Stephen Boggs

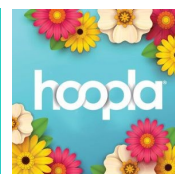
sboggs@bell.lib.in.us

Download the Libby and Hoopla apps for access to e-books, audios, and more!
Contact us if you need your Libby account activated.

Trick or Treat
at the Library
October 31
5:30-7:00pm



Banned Books Week October 1-7, 2023



Visit our website:
www.bell.lib.in.us

Free Adult Activities

Ages 19+

Questions? Contact Pat plancet@bell.lib.in.us

CRAZY CRAFTERS

DIY Soap

Tuesday, October 3

5:00-7:00pm in our

Reference Area. Please

sign up in the Main Library!



Join us Monday, October 9 at 1:00pm for the movie *The Ghost Breakers* in the Large Conference Room.

A radio broadcaster, his quaking manservant and an heiress investigate the mystery of a haunted castle in Cuba. Starring Bob Hope and Paul & Paulette Goddard.

Popcorn & water will be provided.

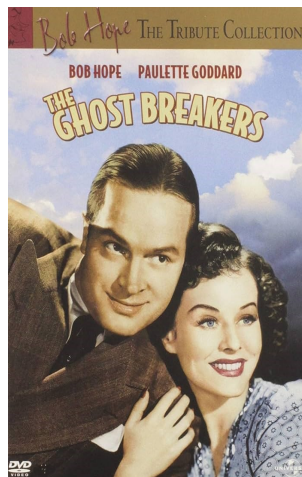
Needle Night

Bring what you're working on and join us in our

Reference Area

Thursday October 5

4:00-6:00pm



Purdue Extension
Presents:

Clutter Free
October 12,
19, & 26

At 6:30pm in the Large
Conference Room

Please sign up in the
Main Library!

Purdue Extension
presents Crockpot
(slow cooker) Cooking

Tuesday, October 10 at 12:30-1:30pm
in the Senior Center

Come learn the benefits, how to
select, and some cooking tips of the
Slow Cooker.

Please sign
up in the Main
Library!



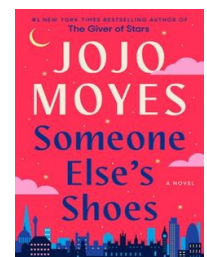
Adult Book Club

Join us Tuesday,

October 17 from

5:30-7:00pm in our

Reference Area to discuss
the book *Someone Else's
Shoes*.



Free Children's Activities



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October 2023 Story Time Plans

October 6, 2023: World Space Week Theme

Books: *Blast Off*, by Ruth Owen

Clara And Clem in Outer Space, by Ethan Long

Craft: Paper Shuttle Craft



October 13, 2023: Corn Theme (Corn is the Grain of the Month for October)

Books: *Racoon and Ripe Corn*, by Jim Arnosky

Craft: Fall Corn Magnet



October 21, 2023: Pumpkin Theme

Books: *Big Pumpkin*, by Erica Silverman

Five Little Pumpkins, by Ben Mantle (illustrator)

Craft: Paper Straw Pumpkin



October 28, 2023: Halloween Theme

Books: *Halloween Mice!*, by Bethany Roberts

Mouse's First Halloween, by Lauren Thompson

Craft: Friendly Monster Watercolor Blowart



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Obituaries on
the Genealogy
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The Akron-Mentone News - July 10, 1991 5

Mentone citizens used to wake to the arrival of milk bottles on their doorsteps, delivered by Rex and Dearl Tucker. The milk was bottled in the barn between Tucker and Franklin Streets now owned by Gerald Romine. Here, their delivery wagon pauses on Main Street.

Iris Thompson submitted this photo.

How to Make Pumpkin Pie Spice

YIELDS:	PREP TIME:	TOTAL TIME:
5 serving(s)	5 mins	5 mins



Directions: Whisk together cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg, allspice, and cloves in a small bowl until well combined. Store in a small jar or container.

Ingredients: 3 tbsp ground cinnamon, 2 tsp ground ginger, 2 tsp nutmeg, 1 1/2 tsp ground allspice, 1 1/2 tsp ground cloves

Coming Soon...





OCTOBER 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 Adult Craft Night DIY Soap 5-7pm	4	5 Needle Night 4-6pm	6 Preschool Story Hour 10am & 2pm	7
8	9 Movie Monday The Ghost Breakers 1pm	10 PU Extension Crockpot Cooking 12:30-1:30pm	11	12 PU Extension Clutter Free 6:30pm	13 Preschool Story Hour 10am & 2pm	14
15	16	17 Adult Book Club discuss "Someone Else's shoes" 5:30-7pm	18	19 PU Extension Clutter Free 6:30pm	20 Preschool Story Hour 10am & 2pm	21 Fall Festival 2-4pm
22	23 Euchre 6:00pm Large Conf. Room	24	25	26 PU Extension Clutter Free 6:30pm	27 Preschool Story Hour 10am & 2pm	28
29	30 Library Board Meeting 6:30pm Public is welcome to attend	31 Halloween Trick or Treat 5:30-7pm				

HOLIDAYS AND OBSERVANCES: 9: COLUMBUS DAY, 31: HALLOWEEN