

GARY PUBLIC LIBRARY SCHEDULE of EVENTS

For kids & adults • September / October 2013



GPL LOCATIONS & HOURS

DU BOIS LIBRARY
1835 Broadway 886-9120
Monday - Thursday.....9am-8pm
Friday & Saturday.....noon-4pm

KENNEDY BRANCH
3953 Broadway 887-8112
Monday - Thursday.....noon - 8pm
Friday & Saturday.....10am - 5pm

BRUNSWICK BRANCH
4030 W. 5th Ave. 944-9402
Monday - Thursday..noon - 8pm
Friday & Saturday..noon - 4pm

WOODSON BRANCH
501 S. Lake St. 938-3941
Monday - Thursday.....noon - 8pm
Friday & Saturday.....10am - 5pm

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Print copies available at all library locations.

For print copies of 10 or more, contact PR@garypubliclibrary.org.

SEPTEMBER

9 Monday

- Family Movie Time - Watch a popular DVD, 4-6pm @ Woodson

12 Thursday

- Let's Rock Your Locker Craft Time - Make decorations for your locker. Make it rock this year. Materials provided by Gary Public Library, 4-6pm @ Woodson

16 Monday

- Family Story Hour - Duck into reading: Stories, finger plays, and craft, 4-5pm @ Woodson

26 Thursday

- Family Fun - Play board games and puzzles, 4-6pm @ Woodson

30 Monday

- Drop Everything and Draw - How to draw books will be provided, 4-5pm @ Woodson



September is
Library Card Sign-Up
Month!



Sign up today @ any GPL location

"THANK-YOU FOR USING YOUR LIBRARY CARD DRAWING" - Enter your library card number into GPL weekly drawing. Use your library card to check out materials, or for computer usage. Drawings will be held on Thursdays at 4:00 p.m. Prizes will include library card holders, library bags and more surprises. Winners do not have to be present. All ages are welcomed.
September 3-30 @ Woodson

OCTOBER

7 Monday

- Family Movie Time - Watch a popular DVD, 4-6 @ Woodson

17 Thursday

- R.L. Stine Day - Come and discuss your favorite Stine book. Bring a snack, 4-5pm @ Woodson

24 Thursday

- Pumpkin Decorating - Bring your own and decorate. Materials will be provided by GPL, 4-5pm @ Woodson

28 Monday

- Family Story Hour - Pumpkin Patch: Stories, finger plays, and craft, 4-5pm @ Woodson

31 Thursday

- Halloween Fun - Games, treats, and scary movies, 5-7 @ Woodson



Felecia Tate, Young Adult Librarian at the Kennedy Branch Library, held a Fish Tank Giveaway. The contest was held in conjunction with the 2013 Summer Reading Program. It began June 10 and ended August 1. To qualify for the contest, contestants had to be ages 13-18 and read a minimum of 25 books. Robert Membres read a total of 37 books and was rewarded the fish tank, pictured at left, from Michael's Waterworld. Michael's Waterworld will install the fish tank for free and will give detailed instructions on how to

care for the tank and the three free fish.

More Young Adult Programs will be announced at a later date.

Pictured left to right - Cornelius Stewart, parent; Michael Otano, Micheal's Waterworld, Robert Membres, Mrs. Tate



Ongoing Programs featured monthly @ our library locations!

@ Du Bois

- Chess Club - For all ages. First Saturday of each month, noon - 3pm
- Dominos - Third Wednesday of each month, 1- 6pm

@ Brunswick

- Free Health Checks - Blood pressure checks and blood glucose testing provided by the Northwest Indiana Black Nurses Association. First Saturday of each month, noon - 4pm
- Genealogy Group - First & Third Saturday of each month, 10am - 12 noon
- Thursday Story Hours - Every Thursday of each month. Pre-school - 3rd grade, 2 - 4pm
- Kennedy Book Club - Third Thursday of each month, 6 - 7pm
- Saturday Children's Movies - Every Saturday of each month, 1 - 3pm
- Preschool Story Time - Every Friday (call for availability one week in advance 887-8112 x. 406)
- Saturday Afternoon Movies - Fourth Saturday of each month, 2 - 4pm

@ Kennedy

- Arts & Crafts - Second Thursday of each month, 4pm
- Story Time - First Wednesday of each month, 3 - 4:30pm
- Autism Support Group - Second Wednesday of each month, 6 - 7pm
- Weight Loss Support Group - Every Thursday of each month, 4pm
- Bingo - Third Saturday of each month, 2 - 4pm

@ Woodson

- Card Games - Fifth Tuesday of each month, 1- 6pm
- Morning Bishop Theatre Playhouse - Fourth Saturday of every other month, 3pm - 4:45pm, beginning March 23; May 25; July 27; Sept. 28; Nov. 23
- Checkers - Fourth Thursday of each month, 1- 6pm
- Chess - Every Monday, 1pm - 6pm

Come & Join
the **CHESS CLUB**
@ DuBois Branch

**AWARDS!
SPECIAL GUESTS!**



- For all ages!
- First Saturday of each month @ noon - 3:30pm
- Chess sets provided or bring your own
- Chess players of all levels welcome
- Learn or improve your skills

Co-sponsored by the Friends of the Gary Public Library

The GPL Senior Citizen
Friendship Club will resume
Wednesday, Sept. 4 at 1pm
Du Bois Library

