



BUCHANAN
DISTRICT LIBRARY



Location & Hours

Sunday: Closed
Monday: 9-6
Tuesday: 9-6
Wednesday: 9-8
Thursday: 9-8
Friday: 9-6
Saturday: 9-2

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Library Board Meetings

Are held the 3rd Thursday of the month unless otherwise noted and are open to the public.

March 19, April 16
6:30-8:00pm



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LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

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SPEAKER MEGAN GOODRICH

Join Megan Goodrich, founder of One Month at a Time, for a

discussion about period poverty—what it is and who it effects, along with an overview of how One Month at a Time is aiming to help those affected by period poverty in our community. Bring your questions and donations of period products if you wish. Light refreshments will be served at this free event.

Wednesday, March 18
6:00-7:30pm

MEET THE AUTHOR: SUSAN SHAPIRO



Join local author Susan Shapiro as she discusses her book *Speaking for the Dying: Life and Death Decisions in*

Intensive Care. For many of us, our biggest, life-and-death decisions—literally—will be made by someone else. This book shines a bright light on a role few of us will escape and offers steps that patients and loved ones, health care providers, lawyers, and policymakers could undertake before it is too late.

Thursday, March 26
6:30-8:00pm.



Visit the Hacienda on Portage Ave. in South Bend on **Sunday, March 29** and 20% of

your order will benefit the Buchanan District Library! Pick up tokens at the library. Can't make it to Hacienda that day? Pre-order \$20 gift cards through us!



SENIOR DAY LUAU!

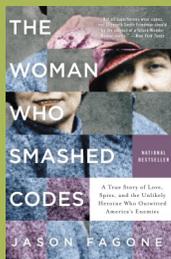


Adults 60+ join us for a Luau themed afternoon of games, prizes, appetizers, wine tasting, crafts, & more!

Saturday, April 25
3:00-5:00pm.

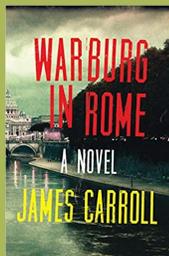
BUCHANAN BOOK CLUB

First Wednesdays 6:00-7:30pm.



APRIL 1

The Woman Who Smashed Codes
By Jason Fagone



MAY 6

Warburg in Rome
By James Carroll

ADULT CRAFT CLASSES

Classes are free; supplies are provided. Sign up at the Front Desk.



WED. MAR. 11

Coloring
10:30-11:30am

THURS. MAR. 19

Bird Necklaces
10:30am or 1:00pm

WEDNESDAY, APR. 8

Coloring 10:30-11:30am

THURSDAY, APR. 16

Craft to be announced
10:30am or 1:00pm



SPRING BREAK FUN



Monday, April 6:

Tech Take Apart: Have you ever wanted to get into the guts of a machine but were afraid to try? Join us as we take apart different kinds of technology. Please bring your own screw drivers if you are able; a limited number of screw drivers will be available for use. For ages 10-15. Registration is required; space is limited. 10:30am-12:00pm.

Lego Free Build: Come build something awesome with Legos! Cool creations will be displayed in the library. 1:30-3:00pm.



Tuesday, April 7:

Tech Make-a-Bot: Come make a robot or other creations with the pieces from Tech Take Apart. For ages 10-15. Registration required; space limited. 10:30am-12:00pm.



Wednesday, April 8

Curious Kids' Museum: Join the Curious Kids' Museum for "Believe in the Impossible," an Alice in Wonderland themed event that uses Alice's adventures and games to create positive feelings about yourself. 2:00-3:00pm.



Thursday, April 9:

Lego Free Build: Come build something awesome with Legos! Cool creations will be displayed in the library. 10:00-11:30am.

Dog Agility Demonstration: Join the Echo Dog Agility Club as they demonstrate how their dogs do agility courses. 2:00-3:00pm.

Friday, April 10:

Film Festival and Movie Showing: Join us for popcorn and viewing all the entries to our Kids and Teens Short Film Festival! Want to enter your own film? See the next page for more information. Short films will be followed by a feature length movie, title to be decided. Starts at 11:00am in the library's Community Room.



Pokémon Club

Bring your Pokémon cards and have fun trading, battling, or just talking Pokémon! For ages 7–12.

Tuesdays, 4:00–5:00pm
January 14–April 28

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME



Come sing, dance, listen to a story, and make a craft! For children up to 6 years.

Wednesdays 10:30–11:30am
January 15–April 29

littleBits GEEKY BITS CLUB

Build special projects using littleBits electronic circuits. For ages 8–14. Space is limited; certification and registration required.

Wednesdays 4:00–5:15pm
March 18–April 1

Thursdays 4:00–5:15pm
April 23–May 7

NEW TO LITTLEBITS?

Join our Beginning Bits class to become a certified Geeky Tech!

Wednesday, March 11, 4–5:30pm

JACK KNIGHT CAFÉ

Middle school kids, come play games, do a craft, eat a snack, and chill out after a long day at school!



Thursdays 3:00–4:00pm
January 30–April 30

JOURNALING

Come create a memorable journal! Journals and supplies provided, or feel free to bring your own. For 4th grade and up.

Thursdays, 4:00–5:00pm
March 5–26

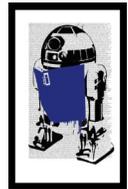


KIDS & TEENS SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

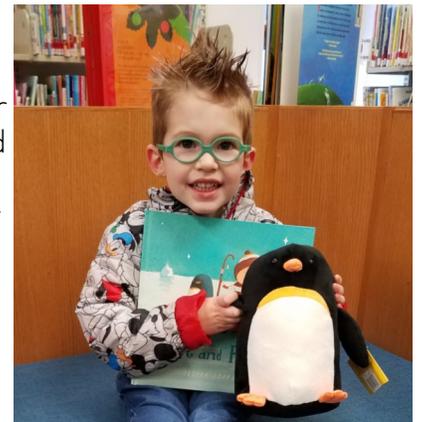
Kindergarteners through 12th graders, make a 2 minute movie summarizing your favorite book! Submissions will be accepted through **MARCH 31**, and top winners will receive gift cards to Niles Wonderland Cinema. Go to www.buchananlibrary.org for more information.

STAR WARS DAY

Stop by the library on Monday, **MAY THE 4TH** for make and take Star Wars crafts and activity pages. Those in Star Wars clothing or costumes will get a button!



Preschoolers through 4th graders can enter to win a book and plush toy at the Front Desk every time they check out a book. Ellis won January's drawing. Congratulations!



MARCH 2020

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| <div data-bbox="77 814 310 1029"> </div> | | 30 | 31 Pokémon 4:00 Last Day to Enter Film Festival | <div data-bbox="695 877 889 1024"> </div> <p>Saturday, April 18: Save the date for the School Farm's annual Plow Day! With a pancake breakfast, antique tractors, and more, it's fun for the whole family! 3588 Andrews Road.</p> | | |

APRIL 2020

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