

## LIBRARY PROGRAMS

## Putnam County Library District announces October programs

The Putnam County Library District has announced upcoming programs for October. Events will be held at the following libraries:

### Hennepin

- Wednesday, Oct. 17 — a movie matinee, featuring "Gremlins," will be at 3:15 p.m.
- Thursday, Oct. 18 — Crafty Thursday: Leaf Rubbing at 4 p.m.
- Thursday, Oct. 25 — Lori Boekeloo from Tank pet shop in Princeton will bring exotic birds to the library.
- Every Friday — Story time for children ages 2-5 at 10:30 a.m.

### Granville

- Monday, Oct. 1 — A book discussion group will meet at 1 p.m. Book, audio and DVDs will be discussed at this first gathering for the group.
- Tuesday, Oct. 9 — The Secretary of State's office will present a free Rules of the Road review course from 1 to 3 p.m. To pre-register, call the Granville library at 815-339-2038 or the Hennepin library at 815-925-7020.
- Tuesday, Oct. 16 — A Lego Hour will be from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
- Saturday, Oct. 20 — Bow Wow Stories, a fun activity for good readers, and struggling readers, will be at 10 a.m. Kids can read aloud to Gigi, the reading dog, for about 5 minutes. Gigi loves stories, and everyone is encouraged to read.
- Saturday, Oct. 20 — A movie day, featuring

"Frankenweenie," will be at 1 p.m. Snacks will be available.

- Every Tuesday — Story time for children ages 2 to 5 at 11 a.m. Stop in for stories, crafts, activities and more.
- Every Thursday — Wee Ones, 30 minutes of stories and songs ideal for little ones under 3 years of age, at 10 a.m.

### Putnam (Condit)

- Saturday, Oct. 6 — Books and Brunch, a morning gathering to enjoy coffee and a light breakfast with fellow readers, will be from 9 a.m. to noon.

• Thursday, Oct. 18 — Mark Walczynski will discuss his trip down in Cartagena, Colombia. A port city founded in the 16th century with a tropical climate, Cartagena is a walled town with colonial buildings.

### Magnolia

- Saturday, Oct. 6 — A fire safety class for kids will be at 10 a.m.
- Tuesday, Oct. 9 — Freedom House will discuss bullying and sexual harassment at 5:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, Oct. 23 — Jim Gibbons will discuss the actor Andy Griffith at 6 p.m. Griffith was famous for his roles in "The Andy Griffith Show" from 1960 to 1968 and Ben Matlock in the legal show "Matlock" from 1986 to 1995.
- Tuesday, Oct. 30 — Mike Anderson will present spooky stories at 6 p.m. Stories will include

spooky and funny to scary and thought-provoking.

- Every Tuesday and Thursday — Homework Helper will be offered from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

### McNabb

- Wednesday, Oct. 3 — Button Craft, where participants create a craft with buttons, will be at 4 p.m.
- Wednesday, Oct. 10 — Game Night, where participants can play classic board games, will be at 5:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, Oct. 24 — Dead People of Illinois program at 6 p.m. Are you dying to know where the famous people of the state are buried or the creepiest tombstones lie? John Lynn has been there to tell their tales.
- Every Wednesday — Homework Helper will be offered from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

### Standard

- Tuesday, Oct. 23 — Classic movies will return this fall. "Hocus Pocus," a 1993 film, will be showing on the big screen at 12:30 p.m.

### Library district notes:

- On Monday, Oct. 8, all Putnam County libraries will be closed due to Columbus Day.
- On Friday, Oct. 12, the Hennepin and Granville library branches will be closed for a staff meeting. These branches will remain closed for the remainder of the day.

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Sunday Social