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## GET TO KNOW YOUR RPL STAFF



NAME: Melisa Davis

DEPARTMENT: Front Desk Clerk

WHAT DO YOU LIKE BEST ABOUT YOUR JOB:

I really love books. You could say I'm in heaven working with books. I also like that we do things with our patrons.

WHAT DO YOU ENJOY READING:

I like many different kinds of books. Mysteries and books that come out in movies of any kind.

WHAT MOVIE WOULD YOU RECOMMEND TO ANYONE:

The Book Thief. It's one of my favorites. The Other Boleyn Girl is another.

FAVORITE FOOD:

I have to say Chuck Roast. You can make different meals with it.

WHAT DO YOU LIKE TO DO IN YOUR FREE TIME:

I read a lot, love music and spending time with my Dad, children and grandchildren.



## Champagne Videos on a Kool-Aid Budget Make Memorable Videos on the Cheap

Sponsored by the Rushville Public Library and  
the Open Resource

Want to learn how to make memorable videos for family, friends, work or your own personal content? This is a 3-week class for you.

Session 1: October 30, 1:00 p.m.

- ◆ Session 1 will focus on using your smart phone, ipad or video camera device to "show, don't tell" your story.

Session 2: November 6, 1:00 p.m.

- ◆ Session 2 teaches filming and production basics (even on a budget) like lighting and sound.

Session 3: November 13, 1:00 p.m.

- ◆ Editing and "post-production" will be the emphasis on Session 3, including free and/or cheap online software to get your videos from good to great!

All sessions will be held at the Open Resource for 1 hour.

Sign up at: [rushvillelibrary.com](http://rushvillelibrary.com)



## John Gridley Memorial Art Contest Winners

Congratulations to our winners of the John Gridley  
Memorial Art Contest!

Robin Winzenread Fritz is the winner of the Hanging Art  
category having submitted a beautiful painting of a  
covered bridge.

Ranae Woodhull is the winner of the Folk Art category  
having submitted a quilted panel of Rush County icons  
and historical points of interest.



### The Library Will Be Closed:

Columbus Day—Monday, October 11

Veterans Day—Thursday, November 11

Thanksgiving—Thursday, November 25 and

Friday, November 26

### Director's Message



Fall is just around the corner. The heat of the summer will be leaving us. Time for leaves to turn and our minds to prepare for the changing of seasons. It will be beautiful, it always is. It will be cooler, it always is. Embrace the season, that's our message.

As the days begin to shorten for the coming of winter, take time to enjoy the outdoors.

Here at RPL, we want to help in this, so we are having fall and Christmas story walks. Remember that each storywalk is only up for one week, so make time to experience them while they're here...much like the changing of the leaves.

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Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:30 a-6:30p  
Friday 8:30 a-5pm  
Saturday 9am-3pm  
Sunday Closed

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- \*Evergreen Indiana Online Catalog
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- \*Magazines and streaming videos
- \*Magazine and Newspaper Subscriptions
- \*Microfilm Collection
- \*25,000+ Book Collection



**INFANT & TODDLER EVENTS**

Storytime with Miss Pam

Ages: Infant through Pre-K

Session 2 starts November 4

Call us at (765) 932-3496 or come in to see us for more information.



**CHILDREN'S EVENTS**

Gaming Club

October 27

Grades 3-6

Join Miss Melisa from 3:15-4:15 on the last Wednesday of each month to play different games and have snacks.

This is a FREE program

NO NOVEMBER EVENT



**Storywalks**

What is a storywalk? A Storywalk is a book that has been taken apart and presented page by page around a path to promote reading, exercise, and family time.

Fall Storywalk

October 18-24 at the North Veterans Park

Christmas Storywalk

November 19-29 at the RPL Discovery Park



1000 BOOKS BEFORE

KINDERGARTEN

Start your child's love of reading and make sure they are ready for one of the biggest moments of their young lives—starting kindergarten.

Register your kiddo for this free, easy-to-do program.

You read 1,000 books to your newborn, infant and/or toddler before they start kindergarten.

- Receive instructions, tips, a reading log and a reusable bag at sign-up.
- Your child earns prizes for every 100 books logged.
- Earn a Certificate of Achievement and a free hardback book when you reach 1,000 books!

You can read any book, the same book over and over, or come to storytime to reach 1,000 books. Does reading 1,000 books seem totally overwhelming? We promise, it's not! See us at the front desk to get started.



**YOUNG ADULT EVENTS**

**Activities**

Pumpkin Party—Oct. 15, 5:00-7:00 at RPL

Join us as we live out our fall fantasies by decorating pumpkins, playing pumpkin-themed games, & eating some pumpkin foods!

DIY Candle Making—Nov. 12, 5:00-7:00 at RPL

Limit of 10 for this program

Teens, keep your spirits bright this winter by joining us for a DIY candle making event! Customize your candle to your desire!

Teen events are FREE & include snacks &/or a meal.

**Young Adult Book Club**

Held at the Mocha Moose, 245 N. Main St., from 3:30-4:30.

Oct. 20—#Murder Trending by Gretchen McNeil

Welcome to the near future, where good and honest citizens can enjoy watching the executions of society's most infamous convicted felons, streaming live on The Postman app from the suburbanized prison island Alcatraz 2.0.

November 17-To Be Announced



**ADULT PROGRAMMING**

October 5, 10:00-11:00 am

Staying Scam Safe with Diana Stone—Has someone contacted you unexpectedly? Have they promised you something? Have they asked you to do something? Join us for a free educational program about common scams, steps you can take to protect yourself and your information, and how to report scams and fraud.

November 6, 9:00 am -12:00 pm

Christmas Wreath Making with Ashley: Want to spruce up your Christmas décor? Attend a hands on class on how to make your own wire mesh Christmas wreath to hang on your door or give as a holiday gift. All materials will be supplied. Sign up online for the class or call the library to reserve your spot. Cost of this class is \$10. Limit 10 people.

**ABC Book Club**

The first Wednesday of each month, 10:00-11:30 am. Everyone welcome.

October 6—Bear Town by Fredrik Backman: In the tiny forest community of Beartown, the possibility that the amateur hockey team might win a junior championship, bringing the hope of revitalization to the fading town, is shattered by the aftermath of a violent act that leaves a young girl traumatized.

November 3—Rosie Project by Graeme Simsion: Don Tillman, a professor of genetics, sets up a project designed to find him the perfect wife, starting with a questionnaire that has to be adjusted a little as he goes along. Then he meets Rosie, who is everything he's not looking for in a wife, but she ends up his friend as he helps her try and find her biological father.

♦ Heart 'n Hand Quilt Guild invites all crafters to join them on the 3rd Monday of each month, at 1:00 pm, in the RPL meeting room. All skill levels are welcome.

