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Join us for the Grand Opening of the Young Readers Center!



The grand opening of the Young Readers Center is a family friendly event with guest speakers Superintendent Glenda Ritz and Indiana author April Pulley Sayre, followed by an open house with Clifford and Garfield!

When: Thursday, October 6, 2016,
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

You are Invited to the Hoosier Homecoming Celebration



Hoosier Homecoming (#HoosierHomecoming) is a free family-friendly event. It is a way for every Hoosier to celebrate Indiana's 200th birthday!

Hoosier Homecoming will take place on **Saturday, October 15, 2016 from noon to 5:00 p.m. on the Indiana Statehouse Campus.** The event will celebrate Indiana's 200 years of statehood



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[Library Clerk](#)

Hamilton North Public Library

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Huntington City-Township Public Library

[Circulation Supervisor](#)

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Indianapolis Public Library

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Indiana State Library

[Information Services Librarian & Archivist](#)

Indiana University Kokomo Library

[Head of Adult Services](#)

Jackson County Public Library

Where: Indiana State Library, 315 W. Ohio St, Indianapolis, IN Parking available in the Ohio St. garage (enter garage via New York Street), enter Library via Senate Avenue.

RSVP:

Christy Franzman,
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(317-232-3700)

Event Details:

- Remarks and ribbon cutting will be from approximately 5:00 pm to 5:30 pm with an open house directly following until 7:00 pm.
- Light refreshments will be provided.
- Garfield and Clifford will be available for photographs.
- The first 50 children will receive a complimentary tote bag filled with goodies including a copy of Clifford the Big Red Dog.
- Other various free giveaways while supplies last!
- Live harp music will be performed throughout the event by Harp with Abigail
- Library staff will be stationed throughout the space to answer questions.
- Free parking will be available in the state government parking garage between Ohio and New York Street. Just inform the attendant you are here for an event at the State Library. The garage must be accessed via the New York Street Entrance. Driving directions can be accessed [here](#).

Celebrate Family History Month at ISL's Genealogy and Local History Fair

with music, food, entertainment and more!

Who will be there?

- The Hunter Smith Band, who sing the official song of the Bicentennial Celebrations, "Indiana Moon"
- Cook & Belle • Janet Gilray, who sings the official Bicentennial sing-along song
- Brett Wiscons
- Re-enactor presentations including the Hoosier icon Ernie Pyle
- Dignitaries
- Indiana Bicentennial Commissioners and Indiana Bicentennial Commission Staff
- Re-enactors including Abraham Lincoln, Indiana's first governor Jonathan Jennings, Garfield and others!
- Hands on Indiana – a project engaging the public to celebrate Indiana's Bicentennial by pledging to sustain Indiana's Air, Water, Food, Energy, and Biodiversity.
- Choc-ola
- Face painters
- 40+ food trucks and artisans
- And more!

What are the perks?

The only thing you'll pay for at this event is food!

Enjoy free parking, free entertainment and a free front row seat to history!

What can I do there? What about the kids?

There will be lots to do at Hoosier Homecoming. Enjoy the entertainment on multiple stages

[Senior Information Assistant - Full Time](#)

Monroe County Public Library

[Program Coordinator](#)

Otterbein Public Library

[Young People's Services Assistant](#)

Elkhart Public Library

To see the complete list of current openings listed on the ISL Continuing Education Jobs page click [here](#)

In The News



Is Your Library Making News?

[Andrews library staff does away with iconic classification system](#)

Andrews-Dallas Township Public Library

[Crown Point Library seeks donations for upcoming exhibit](#)

Crown Point Community Library

[Danville to host annual film festival](#)

Danville Public Library

[Indy Library Scores \\$3M in Grants](#)

Indianapolis Public Library

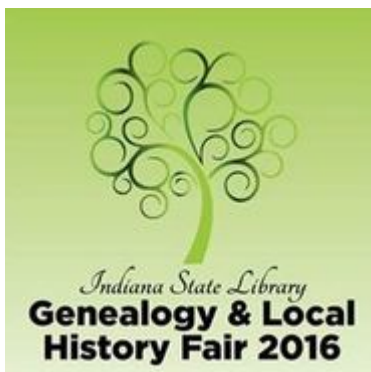
[Jeffersonville goes All-In](#)

Jeffersonville Township Public Library

[Bookmobile offers reading to families around community](#)

Monroe County Public Library

[Former teacher tutors students through Monroe County Public](#)



Make plans to join us for the 2016 Indiana Genealogy and Local History Fair at the Indiana State Library!

This is a free event! Each session (there will be four sessions) is worth 1 LEU. To receive LEUs, you must register via email at crward@library.in.gov.

The Indiana State Library will host the annual Indiana Genealogy and Local History Fair on Saturday, October 22, 2016 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This year's theme is "200 Years of My Indiana Home." Attendees will learn how to incorporate local history, architecture, house history, and maps and other land record resources into their family research. The following fabulous door prizes will be given away:

- 1 annual World Explorer individual memberships to Ancestry.com
- 1 annual Newspapers.com subscription
- 1 annual Fold3.com subscription
- 1 annual AncestryAcademy.com subscription
- 1 AncestryDNA kit
- and more!

Lunch is on your own. Click [here](#) to receive your \$5.00 parking voucher for the Fair.

For more information, see our [Events](#) page.

throughout the day. Be part of the dedication of Bicentennial Plaza, the Statehouse Education Center, two public art pieces and the finale of the Indiana Bicentennial Torch Relay. There will be lots for the kids too! Get faces painted, take tours of the Indiana Statehouse, take home a photo from the interactive TapSnap photo booth, explore the Bicentennial bison herd, complete the Indiana Humanities scavenger hunt, and so much more!

How long should I plan to be there?

Hoosier Homecoming is from noon to 5 p.m. on Oct. 15, and you won't want to miss a minute of it. Entertainment and programming are planned for continually for the entire event!

Learn more about this event at www.indiana2016.org by clicking the Hoosier Homecoming tab.



Hello, and welcome to the Government Information Minute.

This bi-weekly column is brought to you by the Government Information Librarians at the [Indiana State Library](#). We cover current resources on Govt Info at local, state, national, and international levels. It's all for you, to keep you updated and well-informed! Suggestions and comments welcome. Check out more Indiana Govt Info updates on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

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Upcoming Workshops & Important Dates

[Grand Opening of the Young Readers Center](#)

When: October 6, 2016, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Rosetta Stone Training for Libraries](#)

When: October 6, 2016, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where: Webinar

[Introduction to INSPIRE](#)

When: October 7, 2016, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where: Webinar

[Evergreen Indiana Fall Cataloging Roundtable](#)

When: October 13, 2016

Where: Webinar

[Maker Space Petting Zoo](#)

When: October 13, 2016, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Where: Jeffersonville Township Public Library

[How Do I Know if I'm Stressed??](#)

When: October 18, 2016, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where: Webinar

[Evergreen Indiana Regional Roundtable - Southeast Indiana](#)

When: Thursday, October 20, 2016, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Jackson County Public Library

[Evergreen Indiana Regional Roundtable - Central Indiana](#)

When: Friday, October 21, 2016, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

[ISL Genealogy & Local History Fair](#)

When: Saturday, October 22, 2016,

The Indiana Center for the Book is pleased to announce the 2016-2017 Letters About Literature Competition



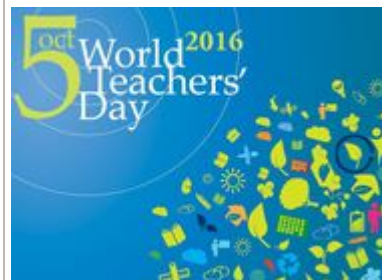
Letter Writing Contest supported by the Library of Congress: Letters About Literature

is open to youth in grades 4-12. Students are asked to write a letter to an author in response to a book that changed how they perceive the world. Letters About Literature awards prizes on both the state and the national levels. State Winners win cash prizes and advance to the national level. A panel of national judges for the Center for the Book in the Library of Congress will select one National Winner per competition level to receive a \$1,000 cash award. Deadlines, guidelines and more information can be found by clicking [here](#).

All Indiana semifinalists and finalists for both contests will be invited to the Indiana Youth Literary Day and Awards Ceremony sponsored by the James & Madeleine McMullan Family Foundation on April 29, 2017. Participants will have the opportunity to engage in creative writing workshops presented by Indiana writers, and will be honored at a ceremony following the day's activities. All attendees will receive free books and are invited to an exclusive book-signing reception at the beautiful Indiana State Library in downtown Indianapolis following the ceremony.

Please feel free to share this information with your school

Celebrate World Teachers' Day



Today October 5, 2016 is [World Teachers' Day](#), which also marks the 50th anniversary of the adoption of the 1966 ILO/UNESCO [Recommendation concerning the Status of Teachers](#). It is also the first world Teachers' Day (WTD) to be celebrated within the new Global Education 2030 Agenda adopted by the world community one year ago. This year's theme "Valuing Teachers, Improving their Status," along with the roadmap for the new agenda, the [Education 2030 Framework for Action](#), highlights that access to an equitable and quality education hinges on teachers who must have adequate training, support, and compensation to recruit and retain them. [UNESCO](#) first proclaimed October 5th to be World Teachers' Day back in 1994. Celebrate all of the teachers in your life past, present, and future!

For general information on celebrating and supporting teachers in Indiana, see the [Indiana Department of Education](#), the [Indiana State Teachers Association](#), and the [School of Education & Indiana Center on Teacher Quality](#), both at Indiana University Bloomington.

Free training on [lynda.com](#)

10:00 am - 4:00 pm
Where: Indiana State Library

[Get Gaming in your Library](#)
When: Tuesday, October 25, 2016,
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Where: Webinar

[Welcome to WorkOne](#)
When: Wednesday, October 26,
2016, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Where: Webinar

[Human Resource Training](#)
When: October 27, 2016, 9:00 am -
4:00 pm
Where: Indiana State Library

[Evergreen Indiana Regional
Roundtable - Southwest Indiana](#)
When: Friday, October 28, 2016,
10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Where: Spencer County Public
Library

systems, your public librarians,
teachers, homeschooling families,
and anyone else who might have
Indiana youth interested in
participating in these inspirational
competitions. For more information
visit
<http://www.in.gov/library/lal.htm>.



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