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The Westfield Washington Public Library will strive, in partnership with local organizations, to provide quality services, materials and facilities that fulfill the educational, informational, technological, cultural and recreational needs of the entire community.

Friends News— Book Sale June 6-13

Happy Day!

Friends Board:

Virginia Fiscus, President
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The next Friends meeting will be held on June 9 at 6:00 p.m. We encourage members or prospective members to attend these short meetings.

All your input is needed and appreciated, especially for our upcoming annual bazaar and silent auction to be held on October 11th.

Book Sales in 2009:

June 5: Preview 6-7:30 pm
June 6-13: Library Hours
Aug. 7: Preview 6-7:30 pm
Aug. 8-15: Library Hours
Oct. 2: Preview 6-7:30 pm
Oct. 3-10: Regular Hours
Nearly New Book Sale:
Dec. 4: Preview 6-7:30 pm
Dec. 5-12: Regular Hours



Happy Father's Day, June 21st

Father's Day...Dads don't always get the recognition they deserve. In *The Official Hugs Book* mentioned on page 7, one of the top ten occasions for hugging is Father's Day (page 119). Even if a dad doesn't ask for hugs, you can be sure he wants them, and more often than just on Father's Day. On Father's Day we stop to pay tribute to the man who bears the title of Dad. Friend. Counselor. Hero!



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The Library Board meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Library Hours
Monday-Thursday 9:00 AM-8:00 PM
Friday 9:00 AM-6:00 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM-5:00 PM
Closed Sunday

Summer Reading Program June 8th—August 15

Be Creative @ Your Library

The theme for this year's summer reading program is "Be Creative @ Your Library." As in the past, you will need to read and/or listen to ten books and you will also receive credit for attending adult programs, book discussions, ESL classes, or reading three magazines or reading three children's books to a child. Sign up at the Information/Reference Services desk or at our web site www.wwpl.lib.in.us.



There will be some very nice prizes to work toward, including prizes donated from around the Westfield business community with a grand prize drawing at the end of the program.

Following the theme of creativity, we invite you to join us at the Westfield Washington Public Library for **Craftivities** during the summer. Each Wednesday night at 6:30 pm from June 17th through August 5th, will be a free open-crafting night for adults and teens.

Gather in a relaxed atmosphere with fellow crafters to work on your art and enjoy a cup of herbal tea. Each week will feature a demonstration of a different craft, followed by free time

to work on the craft of your choice. A variety of selected materials will be available to use but feel free to bring your own project. For more information, please call the Information/Reference Services desk at 317-896-9391.

There are also different craft programs listed on page 4, such as one stroke painting, jewelry design and watercolor painting. The dates and times are listed.

Blood Drive—June 29

The Blood Mobile will visit the Westfield Washington Public Library on Monday, June 29th, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. We hope you can participate in the Give Blood—Get Books program. This is an opportunity to help the community by donating blood. Each donor will be able to choose a free book.

ESL Program Celebrates...

The Westfield Washington Public Library's English as a Second Language (ESL) program recently celebrated its 5th anniversary. Over two dozen people attended the ESL get-together on May 16th at its off-site facility. Everyone, including tutors and students, had a good time socializing with one another.

Special thanks to Jean Rodgers who decorated our area and to Jean and Mary Worl who have spent many hours improving our special classroom.

In 2008, 485 sessions of English classes were offered by the library. The WWPL ESL/Literacy program is funded by the Dollar General Literacy foundation.

If you would like to be part of the ESL program, either as a student or a tutor, contact Nancy Lee at the Westfield Washington Public Library at 317-896-9391.



Pictured above (facing the camera) enjoying the party are: Laura Souto (student) Arlene Shodrock (teacher) Aaron Trincado (teacher) Josephine Nguyen (student) Terry Xu (student) Kristi Lammers (teacher)

Audio/Video Department...

Summer vacations may turn into "staycations" due to the economy lately. With the help of the Westfield Washington Library, your family can visit many places in the comfort of your own home (without spending a dime). Check out the Travel display in the AV Department for DVDs on America's Most Scenic Drives. View the sights of *New York City—The Greatest City in the World*. Or if you are interested in foreign travel, follow the Pilot Guides to *Australia, Brazil, Canada, Mexico, and London*.

New DVDs:

- Bride Wars*
- Charlie & Me*
- Curious Case of Benjamin Button*
- Flirting with Forty*
- Hotel for Dogs*
- Last Chance Harvey*
- Nothing But the Truth*

New CDs:

- Sounds of the Universe*, Depeche Mode
- Together Through Life*, Bob Dylan
- The Distance*, Taylor Hicks
- Death Magnetic*, Metallica

- In the Hands of God*, Newsboys
- Long Fall Back to Earth*, Jars of Clay
- Fight for Love*, Elliott Yamin

New Books on CD :

- First Family*, David Baldacci
- Deadlock*, Iris Johansen
- Running Hot*, Jayne Ann Krentz
- 8th Confession*, James Patterson
- Handle With Care*, Jodi Picoult
- Loitering With Intent*, Stuart Woods

Flag Day...



Fly your flag proudly! In the United States, Flag Day is celebrated on June 14. It commemorates the adoption of the flag of the U.S. which happened that day by resolution of the Second Continental Congress in 1777. In 1916 President Woodrow Wilson issued a proclamation that officially established June 14 as Flag Day; in August 1949, National Flag Day was established by an Act of Congress.

WWPL Board Meetings—May 13, 2009...

May 13, 2009 Board Meeting

Circulation of materials for the month of April 2009 was 41,278 compared to 38,313 for April of 2008. This was over a 7% increase from April 2008 statistics.

New Library cards issued in April: 177.

The Library Board decided to go ahead with the Migration to Evergreen Indiana. Evergreen Indiana is a web-based open source Integrated Library System and is funded by the Indiana State Library through the Library Services and Technology Act

grants. There is no membership fee and costs are minimal. We have sent in the paperwork and are awaiting word from the Indiana State Library as to when the migration will take place. We believe it will be sometime in the first quarter of 2010. The library staff will keep our patrons informed as to when the migration will take place and all of the new benefits of Evergreen Indiana.

The board meeting minutes and packets are posted on the library's website at www.wwpl.lib.in.us.

Magazine Sponsorships

If you are interested in adopting one of our current magazines, we still have a few "orphans" that are waiting. Here is a list of the magazines from which to choose:

<i>Alternative Press</i>	\$10
<i>Country</i>	\$11
<i>Herb Companion</i>	\$20
<i>Modern Bride</i>	\$13.50
<i>People</i>	\$53
<i>Scrapbooks, Etc.</i>	\$20
<i>TAPS Para Mag.</i>	\$56
<i>Teen Vogue</i>	\$10
<i>This Old House</i>	\$11
<i>Wall Street Journal</i>	\$199

Magazine Rack...

"5-Minute Flat Belly Meals!" in *Prevention* lists flat belly building blocks. If you think you're too busy to lose weight, this article has one word for you: MUFA (monounsaturated fatty acids). These plant-based compounds are the basis of the diet. The foods include: olives, nuts and seeds, avocado, oils and dark chocolate.

"Hangin' in the Hood" in *Horticulture* makes the reader think outside the basket, and beyond begonias for hanging planters that attract lots of attention. A variety of plants are suitable for hanging baskets. Good choices include dittany of Crete, million bells, nasturtiums, verbena and flowering maple.



In *Living Without* is an article "Time for Tea." According to Chinese legend, the story of tea began on a blustery day in 2737 B.C. when Emperor Shen Nung was sitting under a wild tea tree. A gust of wind sent a few leaves drifting down into his cup of warm water. He took a sip and the rest is history. The article describes all types of tea.

Book Review...A Month of Hugs

The Official Hugs Book (158.2) by Martha Bolton would be an ideal gift book. It is the complete version of the who, what, when, where, why and how of hugging. There are even Hug Coupons in the back of the book that can be copied and handed out. Also included is a Hug

Specialist Certification that can be copied and given to a special person who has completed their course in hug-dom!

What is a hug: To clasp or hold closely as with affection.

Why should you hug? Hugs keep

us busy thinking the right things.

Who should you hug? Your friends. Friends don't let friends go un-hugged!

Check out this book for a quick cute read, and get ready to hug!

