

# Library Hours

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| Sunday    | Closed |
| Monday    | 9-8    |
| Tuesday   | 9-8    |
| Wednesday | 9-8    |
| Thursday  | 9-8    |
| Friday    | 9-6    |
| Saturday  | 9-3    |

 812-829-3392  
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 10 S Montgomery ST  
 Spencer, IN 47460



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| Tuesday   | Whitehall Holiness Church<br>3:30 pm-4:30 pm          | Freedom Baptist Church<br>5:00 pm-6:00 pm         |
| Wednesday | Cunot Community Center<br>11:00 am-12:00 pm           | Coal City Volunteer Fire Dept.<br>4:30 pm-5:30 pm |
| Thursday  | Kingston Ridge Apartments, Gosport<br>3:30 pm-4:40 pm | Gosport, Downtown<br>4:45 pm-5:45 pm              |
| Friday    | Greenbriar Apartments, Spencer<br>12:30 pm-1:30 pm    | Sweet Owen Manor, Spencer<br>1:35 pm-2:30 pm      |

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OWEN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

# NEWSLETTER

April Showers Edition





# EXCITING NEW ITEMS AVAILABLE FOR CHECKOUT

VISIT THE LIBRARY  
OR CALL FOR  
MORE INFO

## AVAILABLE NOW

- Two Child Wagon
- Metal Detector
- PA System
- Large Bluetooth Speaker
- 100ft Heavy Extension Cord
- Floor Dryer
- Posthole Digger
- Large Wide Push Broom
- Dewalt Cordless Drill
- CD Players
- Wheelchair
- Walker

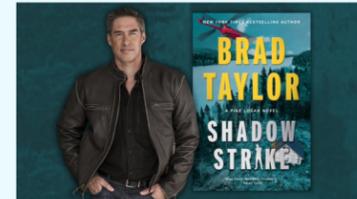


# OCPL VIRTUAL AUTHOR TALKS *for April*



### On a Mission: The History of US Women Astronauts

with Smithsonian Curator Emerita Valerie Neal  
Thursday, April 2nd 2026 at 2:00 PM EDT



### On Writing Action-Packed and Suspenseful Spycraft with Brad Taylor

Former Special Forces and New York Times  
Bestselling Author of the Pike Logan Series  
Tuesday, April 14th 2026 at 7:00 PM EDT



### Lush Lyricism and Intimate Confessions with Miranda Cowley Heller

New York Times Bestselling Author of The  
Paper Palace and Reese's Book Club Pick  
Wednesday, April 22nd 2026 at 2:00 PM EDT



### On Writing Beloved Characters and Powerful Portrayals of Resilience in Virtual Conversation with Jason Reynolds

Award-Winning and New York Times  
Bestselling Author  
Thursday, April 30th 2026 at 7:00 PM EDT

TUNE IN LIVE TO ASK  
QUESTIONS OF THE  
AUTHORS

BRINGING BESTSELLING  
AUTHOR TALKS TO OUR  
COMMUNITY

VIEWABLE ONLINE IN YOUR HOME  
GO TO [OWENLIB.ORG](http://OWENLIB.ORG) FOR MORE INFO

# APRIL

## Upcoming

### Regular Events

#### Baby and Toddler Storytime **Every Tuesday**

Infants and toddlers. (0-3) Stories, songs, playtime and more. Learn to interact with others. Siblings welcome.

**10:00am**

#### Homeschool Group **Every Wednesday**

School age children (Kindergarten and up). Stories, short lessons, crafts and activities. \*Following the public school calendar.

**11:00am**

#### Preschool Storytime **Every Thursday**

Stories, crafts, activities and more. Preschool age (3-5)

**10:00am**

#### Watercolor Painting Class **First Friday**

This is a Free Class with Zoe Dean. All Materials Provided.

**:2:00-3:00pm**

#### Friends of the Library Booksale **Sat Apr 11th**

Stop by and see what's available in the library community room. There is always a wide variety of material to choose from at low prices. All sales benefit the library.

**9:00-2:00pm**

#### Adult Euchre Night **Wed Apr 1st**

Community Room - 18 years or older  
**6:00 - 7:45PM**

#### Mini Art Open Studio **Mon Apr 6th**

Demos & Open Studio  
First Mondays. Make some miniature sized artwork, and help fill our new Free Little Art Gallery!

All Ages, Youth Department Activity Room. First Monday of every month.

**5:30-7:00pm**

#### Writing Workshop **Tue Apr 7th**

Are you an aspiring author, or just someone who enjoys creative writing? Join us for a Writing Workshop led by author Julia Karr. Community Room  
**6:00 pm**

#### Lego Club **Thurs Apr 9th**

Second Thursdays. Youth Department Activity Room. For our school age friends. Drop in anytime.  
**3:00- 5:00pm**

#### After School Craft **Fri Apr 10th**

Second Fridays. Youth Department Activity Room. For our school age friends. Drop in anytime.  
**3:00-5:00PM**

#### Tail Trail Book Club **Fri Apr 10th**

At the MyPath Trail Tale  
**6:15 pm**

#### Cupcakes and Canvas **Tues Apr 14th**

Youth Department Activity Room  
Spots are limited. Call to reserve your spot today.

**6:00pm**

#### Youth Euchre Night **Wed Apr 15th**

Activity Room - Youth and Teen  
**6:00 - 7:45PM**

#### Polymer Clay **Thur Apr 16th**

Activity Room  
Teens and Adults welcome.  
**6:00pm**

#### Pat Otto - Spring Music Series **Fri Apr 17th**

Hearth Room  
**4:00 - 5:00pm**

#### Teen Chef Cooking Class **Tue Apr 21st**

Ages 13-18  
Youth Department Activity Room  
Spots are limited. Call to reserve your spot today.  
**4:00pm**

#### Jr Chef Cooking Class **Wed Apr 22nd**

Ages 8-12  
Youth Department Activity Room  
Spots are limited. Call to reserve your spot today.  
**3:30pm**

#### All Ages Board Game Night **Mon Apr 27th**

.All Ages, Activity Room  
**5:30-7:00pm**

#### Spirit Paranormal **Thurs Apr 30th**

Cursed Dolls and Haunted Objects  
**6:00pm**

# SPIRIT

PARANORMAL

*Cursed Dolls and Haunted Objects*



with  
Chris "Chief" Lawson  
Thursday April 30<sup>th</sup>  
6:00PM



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