Level Up with a Library Card!

March 🌼 April 🌼 May

2020
Whether you’re a new parent, a student, a young professional, a teacher, a homeschooler or a senior citizen, there’s something here for you. And it’s all free.

You Can Borrow From...

- 300,000+ Books & ebooks
- 40,000+ Audiobooks & eaudiobooks
- 30,000+ Movies
- 16,000+ Music albums
- 7,000+ Magazines & newspapers
- 300+ Art prints
- 200+ Learning kits & puzzles
- 40+ Wi-Fi hotspots
During Your Next Visit...

Enjoy free wi-fi
Check your email
Swing through our drive-up
Reserve meeting space
Discover Westerville’s past
Ask an expert for help
Attend an event
Feed your imagination

For details, visit westervillelibrary.org/benefits
You Can Keep Items For...

**Hourly**
- Bike locks (3)
- Laptops (3)
- Video games (1)

**7 days**
- Most movies (DVDs/Blu-rays)
- eMusic/eVideos

**21 days**
- eBooks/eaudiobooks
- Items borrowed from other libraries (except movies)

**14 days**
- New books, audiobooks, etc.
- Juvenile holiday books
- Magazines
- Music CDs
- Playaway Bookpack, Launchpad & View
- TV series
- Wi-Fi hotspots

**28 days**
- Most books
- Most audiobooks/Playaways
- Electricity usage monitors
- Art prints/bags
- Baskets
- Kits
- Nonfiction movies
- Puzzles
- Readalongs

You may manage your account in person, by phone, or online. Eligible items will automatically renew. Return items to the library at 126 S. State Street or to your school office or library (participating schools only).

About Your Library Card

You or your legal guardian (if under 18 years of age) are responsible for all items borrowed with your library card. To borrow items, you must show your library card or photo ID.

To ensure that your library card account remains in good standing, notify the library immediately if your card has been lost or stolen or your contact information has changed.

Failure to return items on time and in good condition may result in fees for the replacement cost of the item, a processing fee of $5 and if 55 days overdue, a non-refundable materials recovery service charge of $10. Items borrowed from other libraries are subject to the rules of the lending organization. For details about all applicable library policies, visit westervillelibrary.org/policies.

All Ohio residents are welcome to apply for a card!
Visit the Imagination Station
Encourage little ones to put thoughts into words, tell stories, share, and problem-solve with this ever-changing interactive play area. These skills help them become better readers and writers when they start school.

Upcoming themes include: **Farm Chores** *(March)*, **Camping** *(April)*, and a **Bakery** *(May)*.

Borrow a Learning Kit
Build important life skills together with your favorite kid. Encourage curiosity, strengthen bonds, and gain a deeper understanding of the world.


Listen & Read Together
Match sounds to written words with readalongs, a collection of over 300 books paired with ready-to-play audiobooks. Hearing and seeing words at the same time can greatly improve reading success rates. Perfect for travelers, reluctant readers, and English learners.

Get started at westervillelibrary.org/level-up
By April 1, every home will receive an invitation to participate in the 2020 U.S. Census. If you live in the United States, you are required by law to complete the census by answering a short list of questions. In return, the Census Bureau is bound by law to protect your answers and keep them strictly confidential. Find out more: www.2020census.gov.

You can respond online, by phone, or by mail. Stop by to fill out the census online using the dedicated station on the second floor of the library, or the courtesy phones on the first floor. Free service. No library card required.

**Tunes & Tales  *Kate and the Beanstalk* Ages 3-8 & their families**

*Fee, Fi, Fo, Fum’un! Chant along with a brand-new musical rendition of *Kate and the Beanstalk* performed by the Westerville Symphony and narrated by the library.*

*Then, get up close and personal with the musicians for an instrument meet and greet.*

*Each family will receive a copy of the book, while supplies last.*

*Registration is required for every attendee.*

For details, visit westervillelibrary.org
“Our private kindergarten class had a blast on their field trip to the Westerville Public Library!”

-Goddard School in Westerville (Polaris)
**Art Lab**  Ages 6-8
- Explore different art styles and learn about different artists.

**Budding Artists**  Ages 4-6
- Explore different artistic styles, mediums, and techniques while focusing on art as process (not finished product).
  - March 6: Paper
  - April 3: Scissors
  - May 1: Oil Pastels

**Balloon Workshop**  Ages 8-11
Make your own balloon animals during this workshop by expert balloon twister Erica Carlson.

**Building Kawaii Animals**  Ages 8-11
- Learn the ins and outs of drawing, kawaii style! Practice drawing several types of critters in this class, then complete a final project to take home.

**Drop-In Spring Craft**  Ages 3-6
Celebrate spring by making paper flowers out of your hand prints. *While supplies last.*

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**Elephant & Piggie Party**  Ages 3-8
- Celebrate this playful and wildly popular early reader series, *Elephant & Piggie* by Mo Willems. Listen to favorite stories, make Elephant or Piggie ears, write your very own Pigeon story, and take pictures with these life-sized friends.

**Fun at the Farmers Market**  All ages
- Enjoy family-friendly activities and chat with your favorite library staff while you shop.
  - Location: Corner of N. State St. & E. Home St.

**Game On**  Ages 6+
- On your mark, get set, play! Try out a new board game or an old classic with your friends or family.

**Innovation Academy**  Ages 8-11
- Build and explore while flexing your mental muscle, problem solving, and learning new skills. Tues. 2-3pm: Homeschool Edition.
  - March 17: Circuitry
  - April 21: Art

**Chatterbox Visit with Columbus Speech & Hearing Center**  All ages
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**Puppet Palooza**  Fri. April 24  6-8pm
Enjoy a unique and family-friendly puppet show, then become a puppeteer yourself during this Uptown Westerville event.

**Farm Animals**  Fri. May 22  6-8pm
See, touch and learn about a variety of farm animals. And while you’re here, register for the 2020 Summer Reading Challenge.
Junior Teen Advisory Board  Ages 11-14
Middle schoolers, make your voice heard! Talk about books, share ideas for upcoming activities and receive volunteer credit.

* LEGO Club  Ages 8-11
Challenge yourself to build something awesome with your fellow LEGO superfans!

- March 4: 5 Minutes or Less
- May 6: Free Build
- April 1: Minute to Win It

Make & Take Crafternoon  Ages 3-11
Drop in to make crafts. Experiment with a button maker, 3Doodler pen, Perler beads, and more.

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Play & Learn  Ages 0-24 months
- Encourage exploration of the senses and concepts such as gravity, motion, light, sound, water, and bubbles with a variety of interactive stations. Designed especially for babies and toddlers.

Sloth Storytime  Ages 3-6
- Celebrate our favorite slow-moving creature with stories, songs, and sloth-themed crafts.

Tail Waggin’ Tutors  Ages 6-11
- Whether you're a new reader or just need practice, sign up for 10 minutes of read-aloud time with gentle, certified therapy dogs Rooney, Rizzo, or Dart.

Ultimate Squishy Makeover Challenge  Ages 8-14
- Transform a squishy into something totally different using puffy paint and some creativity!

Write It: Tween Fiction Writing Workshop  Ages 8-11
- Learn what makes a good fiction story, then write one of your own.

Young Engineers Club  Ages 6-8
- From technology twisters to building challenges with food, take risks and try new ideas to solve a variety of problems using your engineering brain.

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Prewalkers | Tu | Mar 3 - Apr 28 | 11:30am-12pm | Lapsit Storytime
0-24 months | M | Mar 2 - Apr 27 | 11:30am-12:15pm | Baby Storytime
0-24 months | W | Mar 4 - Apr 29 | 9:30-10:15am | Baby Storytime
24-36 months | M | Mar 2 - Apr 27 | 9:30-10:15am | Toddler Storytime
24-36 months | Th | Mar 5 - Apr 30 | 9:30-10:15am | Toddler Storytime
3-5 years | M | Mar 2 - Apr 27 | 1:30-2pm | Preschool Storytime
3-5 years | Tu | Mar 3 - Apr 28 | 9:30-10am | Preschool Storytime
3-6 years | W | Mar 4 - Apr 29 | 11:30am-12:15pm | Wonderworks
4-6 years | Th | Mar 5 - Apr 30 | 11:30am-12pm | Yoga Tales*
Family | Sa | Mar 7 - May 30 | 10-10:30am | Tales@10

**Baby Storytime** 0-24 months
Enjoy books, songs, activities, and rhymes chosen especially for lap babies and walkers. Then stay and play with a variety of toys and everyday objects.

**Lapsit Storytime** Prewalkers
Connect with your baby and other parents while enjoying songs, rhymes, and interactive elements. Designed especially for babies who are not yet walking.

**Preschool Storytime** Ages 3-5
Bring your imagination to dance, sing, and pretend. Enjoy books, flannel boards, rhythm instruments, and more.

**Toddler Storytime** 24-36 months
Enjoy rhymes, songs, and stories. Then stay and play with a variety of toys and everyday objects.

**Wonderworks**
**a STEAM Storytime** Ages 3-6
Explore the world of science, technology, engineering, art, and math (STEAM) with books, songs, and hands-on activities.

**Yoga Tales** Ages 4-6
Stretch your mind by listening to and acting out stories using a variety of yoga poses and meditation techniques.

No storytimes in May.
Summer schedule begins June 1.

Registration may not open until 14 or 28 days prior to event.

*Except March 14*
DIY Pop Sockets  Ages 12+
Showcase your personality and style by decorating a cell phone grip. Then make an earbuds headphone holder to match!

Ultimate Squishy Makeover Challenge  Ages 8-14
Transform a squishy into something totally different using puffy paint and some creativity!

Homework Help Center  All ages
Whether you’re in elementary school, middle school or high school, staff and volunteers can help you understand your assignment, start your studies and find ways to do research. Mon - Thurs  5-8pm.

Junior Teen Advisory Board  Ages 11-14
Middle schoolers, make your voice heard! Talk about books, share ideas for upcoming activities and receive volunteer credit for attending.

Teen Advisory Board  Ages 14-18
High schoolers, make your voice heard by joining TAB! Share ideas about library activities, collections and spaces like the Teen Center. Receive volunteer credit for attending meetings.

Free Music
Download or stream songs for your computer or device with Freegal Music.

5 free downloads per week that are yours to keep
5 hours of free streaming music daily
No wait, no fines
Get started at westervillelibrary.org/freegal

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Interested in volunteering at the library? Need service hours for school?

Apply Online
Fill out a volunteer application at westervillelibrary.org/teen-volunteers. You must be 12 to 18 years old to apply to be a teen volunteer. Parental permission is required.

Register for Orientation
Sign up at westervillelibrary.org/orientations. After you attend orientation, you will receive an email with your login information for Volunteer Center.

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**Alzheimer’s for Caregivers**  All ages
Get answers to the questions that arise in the various stages of Alzheimer’s disease from a representative of the Alzheimer’s Association of Central Ohio.
*March 5: Communication Strategies
*March 9: Building Your Caregiver’s Toolbox
*March 31: Financial & Legal Matters

**Dungeons & Dragons**  Ages 18+

**ESOL Class**  Ages 18+
Practice your listening and speaking skills in this free class for adult students of English as a Second Language (ESOL) with instructors from the Columbus Literacy Council. To register, call 614-282-7661 opt. 1.

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**Being with the Dying: Cultivating Presence in the Face of Death**  All ages
Overcome your discomfort and fears of not knowing what to say or do for someone at the end of life, and show support for them and their loved ones during this difficult time.

**Confident on Camera**  Ages 18+
Overcome your fear and build your confidence in front of the video camera with this workshop for independent professionals, small business owners, and anyone with a serious case of camera shyness.

**Discover the National Veterans Memorial & Museum**  Ages 18+
Get the inside scoop on The National Veterans Memorial and Museum from volunteer tour guide Kathy Simcox. A recent edition to downtown Columbus, discover the history of the museum, its exhibits, and its status as the nation’s first and only museum dedicated to telling the story of the Veteran experience.

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**Freedom, Citizenship & Equality: The Story of the United States Colored Troops**  All ages
Learn about the 5th U.S.C.T., the black unit trained in Delaware County and mustered out in Goodale Park at the end of the Civil War. Presented by the Westerville Historical Society.

**History of World War II in Cartoons**  All ages
Learn about WWII through the work of acclaimed political cartoonist Web Brown of the Akron Beacon Journal. Filled with history, humor, and justice, Brown’s cartoons lampooned Hitler, Mussolini, and Japan during the war.

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**Home Buying Workshop**  Ages 18+
Prepare yourself for the biggest purchase you will ever make with a panel of experts. Learn about mortgages, determining your budget, working with a realtor, home inspection, insurance, and the closing process. Presented by BMI Federal Credit Union.

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Jigsaw Puzzle Exchange  Ages 18+
Drop by to swap your gently used jigsaw puzzles for ones you’ve never done before.

Legal Advice Clinic  Ages 18+
Receive free legal advice at this clinic for low-income persons provided by the Legal Aid Society of Columbus in cooperation with volunteer attorneys.

Moments of Grace: Exploring Near-Death and Related Experiences  Ages 18+
Identify the triggers, common elements, and after-effects of near-death experiences (NDEs) from emergency nurse practitioner Linda Manley.

OhioMeansJobs on the Move  Ages 16+
Visit with a representative to learn about OhioMeansJobs services and receive guidance on your career pathway.

Organization 101: Home and Photos  Ages 18+
For your home office and family photos, learn the basic rules of organizing: sort, de-clutter, donate, gift, trash, recycle, and fix.

Poetry Discussion & Open Mic  All ages
Share your work with members of the Westerville Poetry Group and discover ways others are writing and publishing poetry. Following an open discussion, you are invited to present your own writings or favorite works by other poets or to simply listen.

Predicting College Success  Ages 18+
Delve into the fascinating research of human intelligence and achievement being conducted by Otterbein University with professor of psychology Meredith Frey.

Publish Your Writing 101  Ages 18+
Learn how to get started in literary publishing with writer Jamie Lyn Smith. Writers of all levels and genres are welcome.

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A Quiet, Peaceful Suffrage Movement?  All ages
Known worldwide as the home of Temperance and of Otterbein University, what did Westerville’s town and gown think about giving women the right to vote? Dig into the question of women’s rights in Westerville leading up to the passage of the 19th Amendment with Nina Thomas of the Westerville Public Library and Stephen Grinch of Otterbein University.

Rain Barrels, Rain Gardens & More  All ages
Learn to use stormwater to your advantage with Sara Ernst from Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District. Harness your yard’s natural drainage patterns to limit future problems using rain barrels, rain gardens, native plants, and green roofs.

Rebels in Corsets: The Embodied Rhetoric of the Women’s Suffrage Movement  All ages
Not necessarily a peaceful transition as is often depicted, discover the 72-year emotionally, physically, and politically taxing struggle that led to women’s right to vote in the United States.

Résumé Evaluation  Ages 18+
Get expert advice on your résumé with a 30-minute, one-on-one session with Adult Services Librarian, Erik Johansen.

Résumé Review  Ages 18+
Take your résumé to the next level with tips from résumé coach Sharon Hamersley. Register to schedule a 30-minute session.

Ribbons of Scarlet: A Novel of the French Revolution  Ages 16+
Bring to life the hopes, desires, and destinies of seven unforgettable women during the French Revolution with author E. Knight.

Rose Gardening 101  All ages
Get tips for how to grow roses in Central Ohio from rose enthusiast and Westerville Garden Club member Tom Herr. Dig into varieties, ideal planting conditions, and ways to keep your roses thriving.

Self-Editing: Strategies for Writers  All ages
Prepare your manuscript for submission using revision and editing techniques with author and English teacher Terry W. Ervin II. Discuss strategies for improving your story while getting it ready for an agent or editor’s consideration.

Sit & Knit  Ages 16+
...and crochet, cross stitch, quilt, rug hook, spin, embroider and Zentangle. Spend time with others to show and share or demonstrate techniques. Bring your favorite lunch item to share for the potluck and your own beverage. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Smart Money: Top 10 Fundamentals  All ages
Learn where you stand on ten measures of financial fitness with a BMI Federal Credit Union representative. Get tips on how to make a workable plan to improve your financial situation and achieve your specific money goals.
**Surviving Sexual Abuse:**
**Author Cathy Studer**  
Ages 18+
Listen as author Cathy Studer tells her story of overcoming years of abuse to find joy again in life. Learn how she triumphed over feelings of shame, low self-worth, and humiliation, inspiring her to write *Broken to Beautifully Whole: A Compelling Crusade to Break the Silence, Move through Trauma, and Heal the Pain*. Book sale and signing to follow.

**The Tuskegee Airmen**  
All ages
Hear stories about the formation and war experience of the Tuskegee Airmen from Gregory Edmonds, then enjoy a first-person interpretation of one of the airmen in costume by Anthony Gibbs. Presented by the Westerville Historical Society.

**Westerville Masons: An Ancient Tradition**  
All ages
Dating back to 1862, hear about the history of the Masons’ activities in Westerville from Michael Emery. Then take a tour of the facility and learn about their ongoing plans and vision. Presented by the Westerville Historical Society.  
**Location:** Blendon #339 Masonic Temple (*130 S. State St.*)

**Tell Me More: Cloning**  
Ages 18+
Read *Jurassic Park* by Michael Crichton, then learn about cloning from a local genetics expert. *You do not have to read the book to attend.*

**Writing a Series**  
All ages
Expand your story into a series with methods and strategies from author Terry W. Ervin II. Learn how to organize the process and avoid pitfalls. The focus will be on works of fiction, but applicable to most genres.

**Traveling to Europe and the Holy Land**  
Ages 18+
Discover how to plan the DIY trip of a lifetime to Europe and the Holy Land with genealogist and author Donna Gawell. Get tips on how to travel inexpensively and independently with confidence while still experiencing the fantastic sites, lovely European-style hotels, and culinary delights.

**Writing Noir in Columbus**  
Ages 18+
Enjoy a panel discussion and short readings from local authors who recently teamed up for an original noir anthology, *Columbus Noir*. Each story is set in a distinct neighborhood or location within Columbus.

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Technology Training

3D Printing at the Library
Discover how to use websites Thingiverse and Tinkercad to find or create your own 3D project, then get a free print with the library’s 3D printer service.

Genealogy for Free
Build your family tree with research tools available for free with your library card, including Ancestry Library Edition, Fold3 Military Records, HeritageQuest, and more.

How to Ditch Cable TV
Save money by cutting the cord on your cable service. From free apps to inexpensive devices, discover a variety of alternative options to cable TV.

Microsoft Excel
Create a basic spreadsheet in Excel. Learn how to enter data, add a graph, and use basic formulas.

Microsoft PowerPoint
Customize presentations by learning to create slides, backgrounds, and animations.

Microsoft Word
Learn how to create documents, adjust the look of your text, and how to print and save.

Recording Workshop  Ages 18+
Learn to record a podcast, song, or voiceover narration in this 3-session workshop that encourages collaboration.

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*Registration required for all classes. Opens 14 days prior.*

To register, visit westervillelibrary.org/events
Join a Book Club

Whether you’re a morning person or a wine connoisseur, there’s a book club that’s right for you.

Accessible Book Club
Read together about different topics every month, from historic events to fascinating locales around the world. Designed for people with disabilities and their caregivers.

Meets 2nd Mondays

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Cookbook Club
Take home and explore the cookbook of the month at your own pace. Then, bring your favorite dish to share, try other recipes, and participate in a lively discussion.

Meets 2nd Thursdays 6:30-7:30pm

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Morning Book Club
Rise and shine for a book discussion and we’ll provide the donuts.

Meets last Tuesdays 10-11am

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Read Between the Wines
Enjoy a captivating read paired with a great wine at this unique book club hosted in Westerville at The Wine Bistro (925 N. State St, Westerville).

Note: Read Between the Wines book clubs are currently full. To show interest in attending, contact the Program Office at 614-259-5019 or programoffice@westervillelibrary.org.

Short Books for Busy People
Don’t have much time to read? Try this brand new book club featuring titles fewer than 200 pages.

Meets Mondays 7-8pm

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Westerville Book Discussion Group
Meet with fellow book lovers for a lively and engaging discussion of everything from classics to modern bestsellers, led by members of the community.

Meets 3rd Wednesdays 7-9pm

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For details, visit westervillelibrary.org/bookclubs
Borrow a Librarian
Unbox your new device or solve a sticky technology problem that’s been causing you headaches with hands-on assistance from one of our experts. 30-minute sessions available.

Bring in your smartphone, tablet, laptop or ereader. Learn how to turn it on, download apps, set up your email, and even upgrade it with ebooks. Free with your library card.

Register

Make an Appointment
Choose a date and time that’s convenient for you.

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Meet Our Experts

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Get started on your assignment, paper, or project with help from library staff and volunteers. Mon - Thurs 5-8pm

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To Apply
Contact the library at 614-259-5034 or jkerns@westervillelibrary.org.

For details, visit westervillelibrary.org/outreach
Events for Seniors

*This program is held at Blendon Senior Center
6330 S. Hempstead Rd. (members only)*

**Book Club at Blendon Senior Center**
Read a different book every month, then get together with your fellow Senior Center members for a lively discussion.

- **Mar 23**
- **Apr 27**

Meets 4th Mondays 3-4pm

*These programs are held at Westerville Senior Center
310 W. Main St. (members only)*

**Book Club at Westerville Senior Center**
Read a different book every month, then discuss with your fellow Senior Center members.

- **Mar 9**
- **Apr 13**
- **May 11**

Meets 2nd Mondays 2:30-3:30pm

**Creative Writing**
Share life experiences and encourage each other as you develop your writing skills.

- **Mar 16**
- **Apr 20**
- **May 18**

Meets 3rd Mondays 1:30-3pm

**Borrow a Librarian**
Get personalized hands-on assistance with sticky technology problems. 30-minute sessions.

- **Mar 16**

Meets 3rd Mondays 2-4pm

**Color Me Calm**
Relax and relieve stress while listening to calming music and coloring.

- **Mar 6**
- **Apr 3**
- **May 1**

Meets 1st Fridays 1-2pm

**Great Decisions Discussion Group**
Discuss global issues facing America. Pick up copies at the Westerville Senior Center.

- **Mar 23**
- **Apr 27**

Meets 4th Mondays 1-2:30pm

**Mindful Breathing**
Develop a sense of calm and focus with simple breathing exercises.

- **Mar 9**

Meets Monday 2:30-3pm

- **Apr 13**
- **May 11**

Meets 2nd Mondays 11:30am-12pm

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“Thank you. These books are like sunshine to me. Thank you for your work.” - Jenny, about home deliveries
Self-Guided Walking Tours
Step back in time to discover Westerville’s history, from the Whiskey Wars to the Underground Railroad to the Anti-Saloon League.
Explore the city’s unique cultural, industrial and architectural heritage with audio narration, historic photographs and written descriptions.
Download the app: westervillelibrary.org/history-app.
David Baldacci  
Wednesday, May 13
Hear about his life between the pages as a bestselling author, the writer’s routine, and humorous stories from the road.
Evening Presentation $20  Reception & Presentation $75

Paul Gaus  
April 30, 7pm
Delve into Amish life and culture with the fiction author of the Amish-Country Mysteries series, Paul Gaus.

For details & exclusive updates, visit westervillelibrary.org/authors
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Borrow ebooks & audiobooks with this one-tap app
A fresh and easy way to borrow and read instantly for free, using just the device in your hand.

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3. Enter your library card and PIN number.
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Summer Reading

May 22 - August 2
Challenge yourself to a summer of reading and earn prizes along the way.

Recycle & Donate at the library

Drop off these household items during regular library hours.

- Books
- Eyeglasses
- Personal hygiene items
- Cell phones
- Food, non-perishable
- Printer cartridges (inkjet & toner)
- U.S. flags

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