



## Library Open During Roadwork

Access may be limited, but GPL is still open all summer

The transformation of downtown Greenwood has begun, and it will impact your next library visit. Construction in the areas adjacent to the library are slated to continue through summer. Patrons should access the library by traveling south on Meridian Street. Here's what you need to know before you go:

The Madison Street entrance and city parking lot west of GPL are already closed. The new lot and new entrance off of the connector road may not be finished until late August, depending on weather. Please use the Meridian Street entrance to the library.

Meridian Street at Surina Way is under construction and will close to traffic until June. Be sure to access the library from the north on Meridian.

Smith Valley and Madison will close June 1st to August 31st for the new roundabout. Take US 31 to Main to Meridian if you are approaching the library from the south.

"We are excited to be at the center of the city's renovations. When it is complete the whole community will enjoy the new walking paths, better access, and updated public spaces. But for the next six to eight months we want to make sure our patrons know the best ways to get to the library so that they can keep reading and attending library events," said Cheryl Dobbs, GPL Library Director. "We're doing all we can to make things easier for our patrons. GPL staff are already parking off site and walking in to keep our parking lot as open as possible. We are revving up for Summer Reading and look forward to reading with Greenwood this summer!"

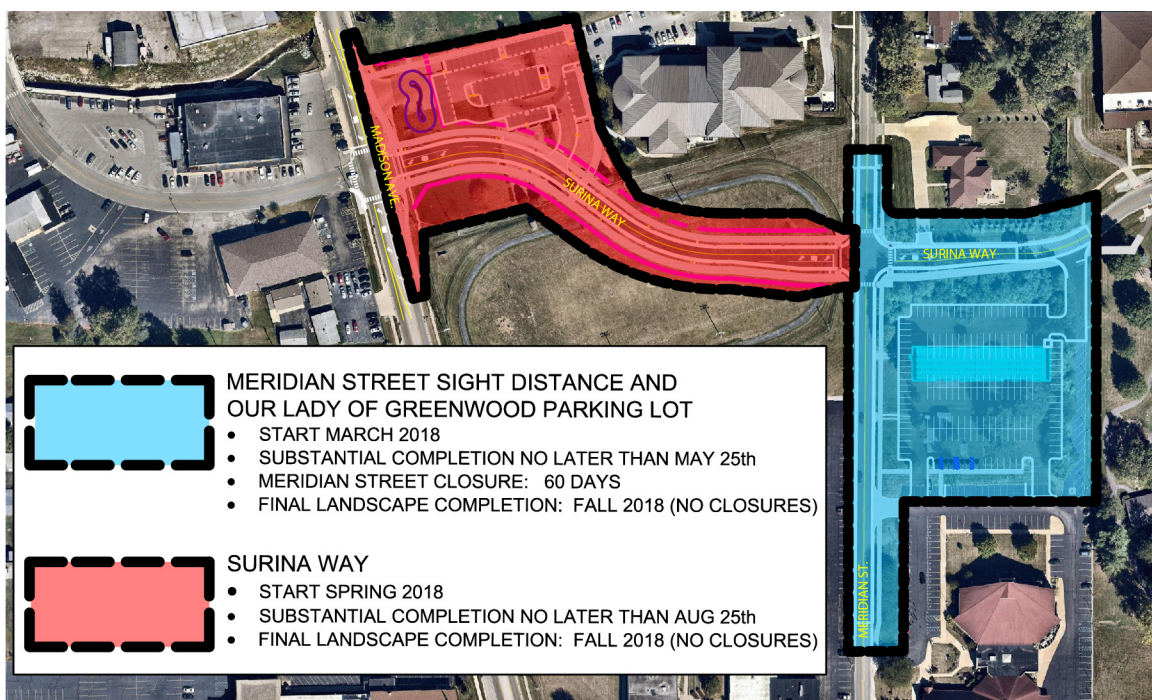
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**Hours of Operation**

Mon - Thurs	9am-8pm
Friday	11am-5pm
Saturday	11am-5pm
Sunday	Closed

# Adult Programs

## Learn Something New

### Basic Genealogy

Tues | May 15 | 6pm

Representatives from the Mary Bryan Chapter of D.A.R. will be providing a session on introductory genealogy research. They can help with more advanced questions as well!

### Wilderness Survival 101

Mon | Jun 11 | 6pm

Do you have the skills needed to survive in the wild? In this survival training program, Clint Jivoin, an experienced survival instructor, will go over how to utilize minimal equipment along with what nature provides to obtain shelter, fire, water, and food. Not only are these skills useful in a survival scenario, but they can also help increase the enjoyment of any outdoor recreation. Space is limited. Registration is required.

### Exotic Pets

Wed | Jul 18 | 6:30pm

Have you considered getting a hedgehog, chameleon, tarantula, or other exotic pet? Come learn about the laws and care required for a variety of creatures. Paul from Hedgehog Hannah will not only share information you should consider before getting an exotic pet but will also be bringing a variety of animals in this fun and informative program.

## Health Matters

### Medicare 101

Tues | May 8 | 6pm

Oak Street Health will be explaining the Medicare changes happening in 2018 and what people should be expecting from those changes. Learn how and where people can find resources for signing up for Medicare and changing their Medicare plans.

### CPR & AED Training

Thurs | Jun 21 | 5:30pm

This is an American Safety & Health Institute (ASHI) 3-hour course covering Adult, Child, & Infant CPR, choking, and AEDs. A certification card, good for two years, will be mailed in 2-3 weeks to all students who pass the written and practical exams. The cost for testing materials and certification is \$12 (cash or check) and will be collected in class. Greenwood Police Detective Rex Saltgaver will provide instruction for free. Ages 13 and up. Registration is required.

## Crafts & Games

### Adult Game Night

Fri | Jun 15 | 7pm

Have you seen our circulating board game collection but aren't sure how to play some of the games? Then join fellow game lovers for a fun, relaxing night of game play. We'll have librarians on hand to walk you through some games such as Pandemic, Sentinels of the Multiverse, Sheriff of Nottingham, and more! Please note this is a program for those 18 and over.

### DIY: Pencil Cup

Tues | Jun 26 | 2pm

Do you have pens & pencils strewn around haphazardly on your desk and wish for a better way to organize? This DIY project might be just the thing to get everything together in one place – AND – you can pick your own colors to match your desk area. Space is limited! Registration is required.

### DIY: Wildflower Luminaries

Tues | Jul 31 | 6pm

We're going to go wild with flowers with these DIY Wildflower Luminaries. Arrange a selection of pressed flowers and leaves to create a one-of-a-kind decoration. 18 and up please. Registration is required, and space is limited.

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a portion of your total purchase  
will go to support GPL!

### Bookish Fun

#### Book Launch & Signing: *Go Slow to Grow Fast*

Tues | May 8 | 1:30pm

Local author Brent Tilson will be launching his new book *Go Slow to Grow Fast* at Brickhouse Coffee Co. Stop by to pick up a copy of this nationally-released title and get it signed by the author. This event is brought to you by the Reading Revolution and the Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce.

#### Book Chat: Books and Tea

Thurs | Jul 12 | 6pm

Come find your next favorite read and support a local business at the same time - we're headed to Sassafras Tea Room for Book Chat! Your friendly neighborhood librarians will fill you in on new titles added to the GPL collection and exciting selections that should be on your reading radar this summer. We're also creating a booklist especially for tea lovers! Join us for a fun discussion and delicious brewed tea. Teas will be covered by the library. Food may be purchased from their main menu at your own discretion.

Sassafras Tea Room  
229 N. Madison Ave.  
Greenwood, IN 46142  
<https://sassafrastearoom.com>

#### History Roundtable

Thurs | Jun 28 | 6:30pm - The Mongols

Thurs | Jul 19 | 6:30pm - Vikings

Join us for a show and tell series for history fans. Expertise is not required...just a love of history! We'll discuss a new topic each month and all you have to do is come ready to summarize a non-fiction book you've read, a documentary you've seen, or a podcast you've listened to related to the main topic.

### Book Clubs

#### Mystery Book Club

Mon | May 7, Jun 4, Jul 2 | 1pm

Love mysteries? This group gives you the opportunity to read all kinds of mysteries. Mystery Book Club discussions are led by Anne Halpin.

#### Primetime Book Club

Tues | May 1, Jun 5, Jul 3 | 6:30pm

Primetime Book Club meets on the first Tuesday evening of the month and is led by Cheryl Dobbs. Primetime reads a variety of fiction, mysteries, memoirs, and the occasional non-fiction.

#### Well Red Book Club (meets at Vino Villa)

Wed | May 9, Jun 13, Jul 11 | 6pm

Do you love two of life's great pleasures...wine and reading? If so, the Well Red book club is for you! Please join us in discussing books that touch on a little bit of everything from pop culture to the literary.

#### Book Lovers Book Club

Thurs | May 17, Jun 21, Jul 19 | 10am

If you're a booklover who likes nothing more than to curl up with a good book, the Booklover's Book Club is a great place to discuss it. Led by Sheila Harmon.



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# Calendar of Events

## MAY 2018

<b>May 1   Tues</b>			
Advanced Word	1:00pm	C	
Primetime Book Club	6:30pm	B	
<b>May 2   Wed</b>			
Teen Film Festival	6:30pm	T	
<b>May 7   Mon</b>			
Mystery Book Club	1:00pm	B	
Teen Volunteer Corp	6:00pm	T	
<b>May 8   Tues</b>			
Excel 1	10:00am	C	
Wibbly Wobbly Slime	1:00pm	H	
<i>Go Slow to Grow Fast</i> Launch	1:30pm	A	
Medicare 101	6:00pm	A	
<b>May 9   Wed</b>			
TeenHQ: Survival Japanese	6:00pm	T	
Well Red	6:00pm	B	
<b>May 10   Thurs</b>			
Paws & Read	6:00pm	K	
<b>May 14   Mon</b>			
Summer Reading Begins	All Day	E	
TeenHQ: CPR	5:30pm	T	
<b>May 15   Tues</b>			
Excel 2	10:00am	C	
Basic Genealogy	6:00pm	A	
<b>May 17   Thurs</b>			
Book Lovers Book Club	10:00am	B	
<b>May 18   Fri</b>			
TeenHQ: Stranger Things	5:00pm	T	
<b>May 21   Mon</b>			
TeenHQ: CoderDojo	6:00pm	T	
<b>May 22   Tues</b>			
Excel 3	10:00am	C	
Legal Clinic	10:00am	A	
<b>May 28   Mon</b>			
Memorial Day	Library Closed		
<b>May 31   Thurs</b>			
History Roundtable	6:30pm	A	

## JUNE 2018

<b>Jun 4   Mon</b>			
Read Wildly: Predator Plants	10am, 2pm	K	
Mystery Book Club	1:00pm	B	
Teen Volunteer Corp	6:00pm	T	
<b>Jun 5   Tues</b>			
TeenHQ: Summer Book Club	1:00pm	T	
Primetime Book Club	6:30pm	A	
Smart Start	6:30pm	K	
Jump Start	6:35pm	K	
<b>Jun 6   Wed</b>			
Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K		
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K	
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K	
<b>Jun 7   Thurs</b>			
Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K		
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K	
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K	
<b>Jun 11   Mon</b>			
Read Wildly: What's the Buzz	10am, 2pm	K	
TeenHQ: Wilderness Survival	3:00pm	T	
Wilderness Survival 101	6:00pm	A	
<b>Jun 12   Tues</b>			
Jump Start	6:30pm	K	
Smart Start	6:30pm	K	
<b>Jun 13   Wed</b>			
Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K		
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K	
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K	
Well Red Book Club (@ Vino Villa)	6:00pm	B	
<b>Jun 14   Thurs</b>			
Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K		
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K	
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K	
Paws & Read	6:00pm	K	
<b>Jun 15   Fri</b>			
Adult Game Night	7:00pm	A	
<b>Jun 18   Mon</b>			
Read Wildly: Wormology	10am, 2pm	K	
TeenHQ: CoderDojo	6:00pm	T	
<b>Jun 19   Tues</b>			
Jump Start	6:30pm	K	
Smart Start	6:30pm	K	
<b>Jun 20   Wed</b>			
Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K		
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K	
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K	

**Jun 21 | Thurs**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Book Lovers Book Club	10:00am	B
American Girl Club	4:30pm	K
CPR & AED Training	5:30pm	A

**Jun 22 | Fri**

TeenHQ: D&D Summer Event	1:00pm	T
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**Jun 25 | Mon**

Read Wildly: What Came First	10am, 2pm	K
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**Jun 26 | Tues**

Legal Clinic	10:00am	A
DIY: Pencil Cup	2:00pm	A
Jump Start	6:30pm	K
Smart Start	6:35pm	K

**Jun 27 | Wed**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K

**Jun 28 | Thurs**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K
History Roundtable	6:30pm	A

**Jun 30 | Sat**

Freedom Fest	Library Closed	
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**JULY 2018**

**Jul 2 | Mon**

Mystery Book Club	1:00pm	B
Teen Volunteer Corp	6:00pm	T

**Jul 3 | Tues**

Primetime Book Club	6:30pm	A
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**Jul 4 | Wed**

4th of July	Library Closed	
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**Jul 6 | Fri**

TeenHQ: Wild West Murder Mystery	5:00pm	T
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**Jul 9 | Mon**

Read Wildly: Butterfly	10am, 2pm	K
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**Jul 10 | Tues**

Jump Start	6:30pm	K
Smart Start	6:35pm	K

**Jul 11 | Wed**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K
TeenHQ: Magic - Beginner's Guide	6:00pm	T
Well Red Book Club (@ Vino Villa)	6:00pm	B

**Jul 12 | Thurs**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K
Paws & Read	6:00pm	K
Book Chat: Books & Tea	6:00pm	B

**Jul 16 | Mon**

Read Wildly: For the Birds	10am, 2pm	K
TeenHQ: CoderDojo	6:00pm	T

**Jul 17 | Tues**

Jump Start	6:30pm	K
Smart Start	6:35pm	K

**Jul 18 | Wed**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K
Exotic Pets	6:30pm	A

**Jul 19 | Thurs**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Booklovers Book Club	10:00am	B
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K
Jr. Genius Science Club	4:30pm	K
History Roundtable	6:30pm	B

**Jul 23 | Mon**

Read Wildly: Nature Art	10am, 2pm	K
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**Jul 24 | Tues**

Legal Clinic	10:00am	A
TeenHQ: Summer Book Club	1:00pm	T
Jump Start	6:30pm	K
Smart Start	6:35pm	K

**Jul 25 | Wed**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K

**Jul 26 | Thurs**

Smart Start	9:30, 10:30 & 2K	
Jump Start	9:35, 10:35am	K
Jump Start: Terrific Twos	11:15am	K

**Jul 28 | Sat**

Final Day of Summer Reading	All Day	E
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**Jul 31 | Tues**

DIY: Wildflower Luminaries	6:00pm	A
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Greenwood Public Library



## Teen Volunteer Corp

### Teen Volunteer Corp

Mon | May 7, Jun 4, Jul 2 | 6pm

The Teen Volunteer Corp was created to offer leadership opportunities for teens in Greenwood. Corp members assist and support the Teen Services Department by brainstorming, promoting, and volunteering at programs, submitting reviews for the library's social media, and helping make TeenHQ a welcoming space.

## TeenHQ Programs

### Survival Japanese

Wed | May 9 | 6pm

Are you interested in learning Japanese? Here's your chance to learn the basics for surviving a trip to Japan! Registration is required. Grades 6-12.

### CPR

Mon | May 14 | 5:30pm

Planning on babysitting this summer or becoming a life-guard? Teens in grades 6-12 are invited to take this 3-hour CPR class. The cost for testing materials and certification is \$12 (cash or check) and will be collected in class. Registration is required. Grades 6-12.

### CoderDojo

Mon | May 21, Jun 18, Jul 16 | 6pm

Are you interested in learning how to write computer code, develop websites, apps, programs, games and much more?! In addition to learning code, you'll meet like-minded people, show off what you've been working on, and hopefully make new friends! We'll start with Scratch, a fun blockly language, and work up to...well...whatever it is that our students are most interested in learning! Grades 5-12. Registration is required.

### Reading Wildly Summer Book Club

Tues | Jun 5 | 1pm - *The Call of the Wild*

Tues | Jul 24 | 1pm - *Hatchet*

You'll receive a free copy of the monthly classic novel when you register to participate in this book discussion! We'll explore the story with trivia and fun activities. Registration is required. Grades 6-12. Visit TeenHQ to pick up a copy of the book!

### Wilderness Survival Training

Mon | Jun 11 | 3pm

Do you think you could survive in the wild? Well, now you can learn how! In this survival training program, you will work hands on with an experienced survival instructor to discover how to utilize minimal equipment along with what nature provides to obtain shelter, fire, water, and food. Registration is required. Grades 6-12.

### Wildly Wandless Magic - A Beginner's Guide

Wed | Jul 11 | 6pm

Have you ever wanted to become a magician and show off your hidden talents to your friends? Learn the tricks of the trade from the Amazing Anthony! Registration required. Grades 6-12.

## After Hours Events

### Stranger Things After-Hours Event

Fri | May 18 | 5 pm

Are you obsessed with Stranger Things? Or maybe you haven't watched it, but you feel like you were born in the wrong decade and could totally have been an eighties kid! Then this is the program for you! We'll explore different aspects of the popular Netflix series through games, activities, a costume contest, scavenger hunt, and more!

Pizza will be provided. Costumes encouraged. Permission slip and registration required. Please email Miss Jessica or visit TeenHQ to register. Grades 6-12.

### Dungeons & Dragons Summer Event

Fri | Jun 22 | 1pm

Spend the afternoon and evening immersed in the classic tabletop role-playing game Dungeons and Dragons! Newbies and experts are all invited. You are welcome to bring snacks (for yourself or everyone), and pizza will be provided around 5pm.

Registration and permission slip is required. Please email Miss Jessica or visit TeenHQ to register. Grades 6-12.

### Wild West Murder Mystery

Fri | Jul 6 | 5pm

Join us for a fun, Wild West themed Murder Mystery event for teens! Be sure to stop by TeenHQ to pick up your character packet and permission slip. Registration is required. Costumes are encouraged, especially since we'll be having a costume contest! We have a few spots available for teens that want to attend but not have a big role. Grades 6-12.

## Storytimes for Children

**Session 1: June 4 - June 30**  
(Registration begins May 16)

**Session 2: July 9 - July 28**  
(Registration begins June 12)

**Jump Start**  
(birth-35 months with caregiver)  
**Tuesdays 6:35pm**  
**Wednesdays 9:35am or 10:35am**  
**Thursdays 9:35am or 10:35am**

**Jump Start: Terrific Twos**  
(24-35 months with caregiver)  
**Wednesdays 11:15am**  
**Thursdays 11:15am**

**Smart Start**  
(3-5 years old unaccompanied)  
**Wednesdays 9:30am, 10:30am or 2pm**  
**Thursdays 9:30am, 10:30am or 2pm**  
**Tuesdays 6:30pm**



## School Age Programs

**American Girl Club**  
Thurs | Jun 21 | 4:30pm  
Grades K-5: We'll take a look at history through American Girl activities and crafts.

**Jr. Genius Science Club**  
Thurs | Jul 19 | 4:30pm  
Grades K-5: If you love science or are just curious about how things work, join us for some hands-on science fun as we look at the world around us.

## Read Wildly

*Grades K-5*

**Predator Plants**  
Mon | Jun 4 | 10am or 2pm  
We will look at the world of carnivorous and other backyard plants.

**What's the Buzz?**  
Mon | Jun 11 | 10am or 2pm  
Take a closer look at bees!

**Wormology**  
Mon | Jun 18 | 10am or 2pm  
Learn a little more about the squirmly friends beneath our feet.

**What Came First: The Chicken or the Egg?**  
Mon | Jun 25 | 10am or 2pm  
Our incubator is set up as we begin the process of hatching chicks!

**From Caterpillar to Butterfly**  
Mon | Jul 9 | 10am or 2pm  
Butterfly activities and a butterfly release.

**For the Birds**  
Mon | Jul 16 | 10am or 2pm  
Join us for bird related activities.

**Nature Art**  
Mon | Jul 23 | 10am or 2pm  
Get creative with objects from nature.

## Read with a Dog

**Paws & Read**  
Thurs | May 10, Jun 14, Jul 12 | 6pm  
Read with the Dogs! Join us the 2nd Thursday of each month from 6-7:30 pm and read with one of our dog volunteers from Paws & Think!

Please call or stop by the Children's desk to register (317) 885-5035. Space is limited.

# READwildly

## Sign up for Summer Reading!

### May 14 - July 28

All ages are encouraged to "Read Wildly" this summer! Earn chances to vote for a community prize by reading all summer long. We'll also have some "wild" programs for kids, teens, and adults! Sign ups begin on May 14th.



New Location!

Join us for a fun, family evening under the stars at this summer's Starlight Movie Night at Northeast Elementary School.

Sat | Jul 14 | 7:30pm

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