

The library will be closed

Thursday, November 24 & Friday, November 25 in honor of Thanksgiving.

Regular hours will resume Saturday, November 26.

STORYTIME SCHEDULE

November 2011

Tiny Tales (ages 1-3) Wed & Thurs 10 am

Preschool (ages 3-5) Tues 10 am & 6:15 pm

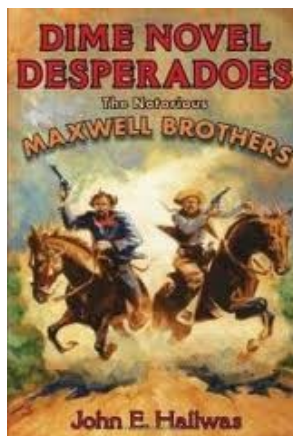
School Age (ages 6-11) Wed & Thurs 3:30 pm

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Mon-Thu 9am - 7pm Fri-Sat 9am - 5pm Sunday Closed

NOVEMBER EVENTS AT YOUR LIBRARY

Join Dr. John Hallwas for an exciting lecture and slide presentation that delves into the dark side of Illinois history, from the frontier killers at Cave-in-Rock to later horse thieves, bandits, and murderers, on Thursday, November 3, at 6:30 pm in the main reading room. Groups such as the Brown Gang, the Johnson Gang, and the Berry Gang - and outlaws like Joe Brice, Ed Maxwell, and Frank Rande - will be discussed, and then



11/12/11 NATIONAL GAMING DAY @ your library

slides, based on lithographs and historic photographs, will depict some of the outlaws and the locations associated with their nefarious activities. The lecture will also include comments on the early lawmen and vigilantes who tracked down the desperadoes. This program is made possible in part by an award from the Illinois Humanities Council, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Illinois General Assembly.

Looking for free, family-friendly entertainment? Mark your calendars because Pontiac Public Library will be participating in National Gaming Day @ your library on Saturday, November 12, from 2 pm to 4 pm. Libraries have long been known as the place to go for

books of all types, from mysteries to biographies, romance to reference. Now, libraries are also a great source for all different types of games. We will have dozens of board games ready to play, and a Nintendo Wii! Stop in anytime between 2 and 4 pm on Saturday, November 12 to join the fun. Bring Grandma and Grandpa and the kids and take a new look at what your library has to offer - it just might surprise you. Feel free to bring a game to share! Please register for these free programs by calling the library at (815) 844-7229, visiting the circulation desk, or sending a message to director@pontiacpubliclibrary.org.

Art Show Closes Friday, November 4

The last day for silent bidding on mobiles, mixed media sculpture, framed works and other artworks in joanE lipinski's show "like a fish out of anything but water" is Friday, November 4. Stop by to place your final bids and see the show before it closes! All proceeds from the silent auction will benefit the library's microfilm reader fund. We hope to see you there!

THANK YOU

to local artist joanE lipinski from Pontiac Public Library Trustees, Patrons & Staff!

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Digital Library Books Available

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