



Walton & Tipton Township Public Library

110 N. Main St., Walton, IN 46994

(574) 626-2234

9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday—Friday

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday



Happy New Year!

From the Walton Library to your household, we wish you a wonderful 2024! If you haven't met us or if you are new to the community, please let us introduce ourselves. We are the folks you will see working hard to help you find books and movies, along with a variety of other library needs.



Beth Sullivan, Assistant Director, ILL

Beth and her husband, Tim, reside in Walton. She has been with the library for almost 20 years. Paisley works alongside her as a Pet Services Librarian. Beth loves to read anything by Karin Slaughter; her favorite TV show for the moment is *Fargo*; and, she likes too many movies to name just one.



Kristi Hileman, Director

Kristi and her husband, Scott, reside in Walton. She assumed the role of director at the start of 2023. Her favorite book is *Jane Eyre* by Charlotte Brontë, favorite TV show is *The West Wing*, and favorite movie is *Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves*.



Kay Kunkle, Bookkeeper/Treasurer

Kay joined the library just over two years ago as the bookkeeper/treasurer. Her pug, Baxter, works alongside her as a Pet Services Librarian. She resides in Miami County. Her favorite book (right now) is *The Woman Left Behind*; her favorite TV show is *I Love Lucy*; and, her favorite movie is *Secretariat*.



Kathy Naphew, Children's Clerk

Kathy and her husband, Marc, reside in Walton. She has been with the library for a dozen years. Kathy enjoys any book by Lisa Scottoline; her favorite TV show is *The Big Bang Theory*, and her favorite movie is *The Blind Side*.



Cora Epperhart, Assistant Young Adult Clerk

Cora joined the library in 2023. She resides in Walton and is in her senior year of high school. Her favorite book is *Once Upon a Broken Heart*, favorite TV show is *The Summer I Turned Pretty*, and favorite movie is *The Count of Monte Cristo*.

Kari Bennett, Young Adult Clerk

Kari and her husband, Brian, along with their son, Joe, reside in Walton. She joined the library in 2023, overseeing the Young Adult section. She loves any book by Colleen Hoover; her favorite TV show is *The Office*; and, her favorite movies are *Elf* and *Joe Dirt*.



Juan Mayorga, PM Clerk

Juan is the newest member of the library team, joining in 2023. He resides in Walton and is pursuing a college degree. His favorite book is *Around the World in 80 Days*, favorite TV show is *Doctor Who*, and favorite movie is *Five Nights at Freddy's*.



Jennifer Hines, Custodian

Jennifer has been with the library since 2020. She and her family reside in Walton. She also works as a teacher at Lewis Cass. Her favorite book is *The Help* (audio version); her favorite TV show is *Friends*; and, her favorite movie is *The Wizard of Oz*.

ALL THINGS NEW

NEW BOOKS



Throne of Glass series
— Sarah J. Maas

Every Last Word —
Tamara Ireland Stone

The River We Remember — William Kent
Krueger

Clayton's Honor — MK
McClintock

Balancing Act —
Emily March

Defiant —
Brandon Sanderson

Command and Control
— Marc Cameron

Endgame — Omid Sco-
bie

Ghosts of Honolulu —
Mark Harmon



BOARD MEETING

The Library Board will meet at
6 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 9, 2023,
at the Library.

Are you a collector?

We're looking for collections to
display in the Library. If you
would like to participate, please
call Kari Bennett at (574) 626-
2234 or send an email to her at
kbennett@walton.lib.in.us.



The Book Club meets at 1 p.m. every fourth Tuesday of
the month.

In January, the group will discuss A House in the Sky
by Amanda Lindhout.

The gathering will be held in the Library's Community
Room.

Upcoming Books:

Feb. 27: The Necklace: Thirteen Women and the
Experiment that Transformed Their Lives
by Cheryl Jarvis

March 26: Sold on a Monday by Kristina McMorris

Upcoming Events for 9 AM Coffee Group:

Jan. 3 — Coffee and Conversation

Jan. 10 — Trivia

Jan. 17 — Walton Christian Church

Care Food Pantry
presenters—Cathy McQuiston &
Jeanne Scott

Jan. 24 — Board Games

Jan. 31— Coffee and Conversation

NEW MOVIES



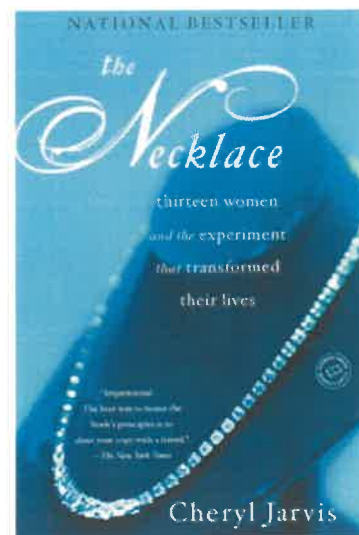
A Haunting in Venice

Indiana Jones & The
Dial of Destiny

Teenage Mutant Ninja
Turtles: Mutant
Mayhem

Paw Patrol: The
Mighty Movie

The Retirement Plan



EVENTS AND MEETING TIMES



January Story Time *Tuesday & Wednesday at 11:15am*

9 & 10

Book- The Not-So Perfect Penguin

Craft- Penguin snow globe

16 & 17

Book- Big Snow

Craft- Snowman windsock

23 & 24

Book- All Right Already

Craft- Hibernating bear

30 & 31

Book- The Night Before the Snow Day

Craft- Decorate a winter hat

LEGO CLUB NEWS





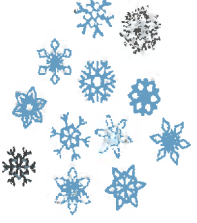





Come join the block-building fun.
Lego Club meets at 4 p.m. every Thursday in the Community Room. Activities will kick-off for the 2024 year on Jan. 11th.



Hello, kids!

Is there a question you've always wanted to ask Paisley or a book you'd like her to read? You can send her an email now and she will answer you. (Paisley@walton.lib.in.us) She's waiting on your letters, so have fun "talking" with her!



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>1</p> <p>JANUARY 2024</p>  <p>New Year's Day</p>	<p>2</p> <p>LIBRARY CLOSED</p>	<p>3</p> <p>9 AM Coffee 1 PM Art Group</p>	<p>4</p> <p>8:10 AM Senior Moves 1 PM Any Craft Time</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> 	
<p>7</p> 	<p>8</p> <p>8:10 AM Senior Moves</p>	<p>9</p> <p>11:15 AM Story Time 6 PM Library Board Mtg. 7 PM Antique Tractor & Engine Club</p>	<p>10</p> <p>9 AM Coffee 11:15 AM Story Time 1 PM Art Group</p>	<p>11</p> <p>8:10 AM Senior Moves 1 PM Any Craft Time 4 PM Lego Club</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p> 
<p>14</p> 	<p>15</p> <p>8:10 AM Senior Moves</p>  <p>Martin Luther King Jr. Day</p>	<p>16</p> <p>11:15 AM Story Time</p>	<p>17</p> <p>9 AM Coffee 11:15 AM Story Time 1 PM Art Group</p>	<p>18</p> <p>8:10 AM Senior Moves 1 PM Any Craft Time 4 PM Lego Club</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p> 
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