



# BETWEEN THE COVERS



*The Fennville District Library's millage has expired. Voters in Casco Township, City of Fennville, Clyde Township and Ganges Township will vote on Tuesday, August 2, 2022.*

## FENNVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

This millage would renew for ten (10) years the previous .60 mills levy which expired on December 31, 2021 for the operation of the Fennville District Library:

Shall the expired previous voted increase in the tax limitations imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution, which may be assessed against all property subject to ad valorem taxation within the district of the Library (whose geographic boundaries are coterminous with those of Casco Township, City of Fennville, Clyde Township and Ganges Township) of .60 mills (\$0.60 per \$1,000 of taxable value), reduced to 0.56 mills (\$0.56 per \$1,000 of taxable value) by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at up to .56 mills (\$0.56 per \$1,000 of taxable value) and levied for 10 years, 2022 through 2031 inclusive, to provide funds to enable the District Library to provide, operate, and maintain a district library, raising an estimated \$326,125.00 in the first year the millage is levied. To the extent required by law, a portion of the revenues from this millage will be captured within the district of and disbursed to the City of Fennville Downtown Development Authority.

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Current Hours:  
Monday - Thursday 10 am - 8 pm  
Friday 10 am - 5 pm  
Saturday 10 am - 2 pm  
Sunday 2 - 4pm

**2)**  
YOUTH

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TEEN

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WHAT'S NEW

**5)**  
FENNVILLE FRIENDS  
FDL BOOK CLUB  
KNIT & CROCHET  
CORNER to the PAST

**6)**  
TERESA'S PICKS  
NEWS and TIDBITS  
BOARD of TRUSTEES

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# MICHIGAN activity Pass

provides Michigan residents with discounts to hundreds of parks and attractions by using your library card!



Click the link here to start planning your adventure!

- ART ACTIVITIES
- CHILDREN'S MUSEUMS
- PETTING ZOOS
- THEATER
- ART EXHIBITS
- GARDENS
- AQUARIUMS
- OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES
- HISTORICAL SITES
- STATE PARKS
- METROPARKS
- NATURE CENTERS
- MUSIC VENUES
- RECREATION AREAS
- MARITIME MUSEUMS
- AND MORE!

PLAN YOUR NEXT ACTIVITY

- 1 WHERE I AM STARTING:  
Enter Your Zip Code Here.
- 2 HOW FAR I WANT TO GO:  
0 10 25 50 100 750
- 3 MY HOME LIBRARY:  
Enter the Name of Your Local Library Here
- 4 REFINE MY SEARCH:  
 All Destinations    Kid Friendly    ADA Compliant  
 All Subjects - OR - you may check boxes below to find one or more activities or areas of interest.  
 Art    Farms/Gardens/Nature    History    Activities for Children  
 Maritime    Miscellaneous    Music/Theater    Metroparks    Science  
 Transportation  
 Michigan Department of Natural Resources:  
 State Parks    Recreation Areas    Camping    Historic Sites

SEARCH

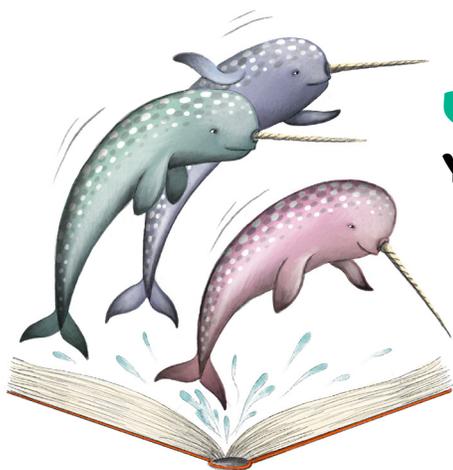


Sea Turtle at the Sea Life Aquarium in Auburn Hills, MI

Library patrons from any one of Michigan's nearly 400 public libraries can print a pass, either from home or at the Library, to one of the hundreds of participating institutions at the Michigan Activity Pass website. Each Michigan Activity Pass expires one week from the date it is printed.

Michigan Activity Pass is presented by The Library Network and supported in part by the Library of Michigan with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

## FUTURE READS >>>>>



## JULY EVENTS

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS!!

JOHN BALL ZOO • JULY 5 @ 2:00 PM

KARAOKE • JULY 7 @ 2:00 PM

CRITCHLOW ALLIGATORS • JULY 12 @ 2:00 PM

MOVIE & CRAFT • JULY 14 @ 2:00 PM

BIKE BLENDER • JULY 19 @ 2:00 PM

SUPERHERO TRAINING • JULY 21 @ 2:00 PM

MOVIE & CRAFT • JULY 28 @ 2:00 PM



wild ABOUT wildlife

PICTURE BOOK  
*Hello Hello*  
by Brendan Wenzel

MIDDLE GRADE  
*The Aquanat*  
by Dan Santat

YOUNG ADULT  
*Chomp*  
by Carl Hiaasen

# WELCOME TO *life* TEENAGE *life*

The most awkward 7 years you'll ever have; 84 months of change, 364 weeks of weird and 2,555 days of scrolling and inconvenience. In the grand scheme of life, it's not a lot. Unless you're an actual teenager, in which case, it's EVERYTHING!

"It's the best years of your life!" they tell us.

And yet, while it should be, for so many it just doesn't feel like it. For most it's an emotional assault course of acceptance, stress, anxiety, heartbreak and peer pressure, all whilst navigating the 'hashtagony' of social media. Misunderstood by society and misrepresented by the media, teenagers have it tough.

*A Head Full of Everything* demonstrates that being a teenager doesn't have to suck. And when it does, there's some cool things you can do to make it suck a little less. This book will challenge you to embrace your inner weird, to never grow up, be true to yourself, protect your mental health and be sure that for your 7 glorious teenage years, you act your age. Literally.

  
click  
to place  
your hold!

## TWEEN READS

**TEEN  
PARKING  
ONLY**  
please :)

**AGES  
12-18**

### CHECK OUT OUR NEW TEEN SPACE

*It's furnished, open  
and ready for you!*

The Fennville District Library has worked to create a comfortable environment where you can explore, interact, and imagine. Our number one goal was to create an inviting, safe, and supportive space for all teens in our community. This is a dedicated space to complete homework, do research, participate in programs, and be creative, all for free. Dedicated teen-focused book talks and clubs, coffeehouse events, and creative crafts programming are also in the works.

One unique addition to our dedicated teen space is a health and hygiene closet where you will have free access to supplies such as: soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, floss, mouthwash, deodorant, wet wipes, hand sanitizer, shampoo, and menstrual products.



**Teen**  
LIBRARY COUNCIL

**TUESDAY**  
JULY 5 @ 4:00

Join the Teen  
Library Council  
to help make  
the library the best  
place it can be for

*you!*

#NationalKittenDay

GRAPHICS CORNER

# GROW Wild

This inspiring and accessible hands-on book shows how simple gardening techniques can provide a dazzling plant display while helping the native wildlife.

This new updated edition of the award-winning book (Garden Media Guild Practical Book of the Year) gives easy-to-follow instructions backed up with advice on planning and design, showing how we can share our outdoor space with nature. The authors show how to encourage beneficial garden species and discourage the more problematic ones. With its wealth of practical advice and detailed photography, this is the ideal sourcebook for gardeners and wildlife enthusiasts.

## Check out New Release titles on Libby!

*Cold, Cold Bones* - Kathy Reichs  
*The Finalists* - David Bell  
*The Hidden One* - Linda Castillo  
*Listen to Me* - Tess Gerritsen  
*Rising Tiger* - Brad Thor  
*Into the Mist* - P.C. Cast  
*Upgrade* - Blake Crouch

*The Best Is Yet to Come* - Debbie Macomber  
*What Moves the Dead* - T. Kingfisher  
*Agent Josephine* - Damien Lewis  
*The Big Dark Sky* - Dean Koontz  
*The Retreat* - Sarah Pearse  
*Aura of Night* - Heather Graham  
*Desperate Undertaking* - Lindsey Davis

## Movie Preview...

*Titles subject to change.*



### KENDRA'S CURRENT ISSUE

In this issue of *Better Homes & Gardens*, get the inside scoop on musician Harry Styles and how his downtime at home turned into the muse for his latest album.



### MICHELE'S MEDIA

When I'm in the mood for a whodunit type of thriller I have come to enjoy author Lucy Foley.

With a cast of characters you love to hate, Foley pulls you into atmospheric settings that just scream murder, and cell phone outages. You could find yourself stranded on an island, snowed in at a hunting lodge, or holed up in an urban apartment wondering who is going to make it out alive.

These quick-read page turners are perfect for fans of another favorite of mine, Ruth Ware, author of *The Woman in Cabin 10* and *In a Dark, Dark Wood*.

**Poisoning  
the Pecks  
of Grand  
Rapids: The  
Scandalous  
1916 Murder  
Plot**

DISCUSSION  
WEDNESDAY  
8.3 @ 1:30 PM

by Tobin T. Buhk

With his boyish good looks, Arthur Warren Waite charmed into marriage the daughter of wealthy Grand Rapids business tycoon John E. Peck in 1916. He then wasted no time executing what he believed to be a flawless scheme to hijack his wife's inheritance. The plot went awry when a mysterious telegram set off a sequence of events that ultimately exposed his immoral ambition to poison all other Peck heirs. Follow Waite's fingerprints of indiscretion around Grand Rapids and New York City as author Tobin T. Buhk details this audacious plan of staggering complexity.

Email questions to:  
[fdlbookclub@gmail.com](mailto:fdlbookclub@gmail.com)



**KNIT & Crochet  
GROUP**

1:00 PM, MONDAY • JULY 18  
*Bring your ideas and your projects!  
Beginners to experienced. Ages 18+*

The Fennville Friends are looking for people who recognize the value of the library and are interested in serving as advocates for the library. If you wish to become involved, please give your contact information to a Library Assistant at the library circulation desk or email [fennvillefriends@gmail.com](mailto:fennvillefriends@gmail.com). We look forward to welcoming you into this worthy group!



**WE WILL BE  
CLOSED  
MONDAY, JULY 4**



**BOOK STORE**  
OPEN DURING REGULAR LIBRARY HOURS

HARD COVER .50  
SOFT COVER .25  
MEDIA DVD/CD .50

love YOUR **FENNVILLE FRIENDS of the LIBRARY.**

**FENNVILLE AREA HISTORY WANTED...**



For preservation and research in the Marlynn Starring Local History and Genealogy Collection at the Fennville District Library. If you have items you are willing to donate, please contact the library director.

- We Welcome:**
- Family Histories
  - Business Histories
  - Church Booklets
  - Society Programs
  - Local Advertising
  - Photographs
  - Postcards
  - Yearbooks
  - Maps
  - Plat Books... Etc.



Look for these titles on Libby!



click any book cover to place your hold!

## NOLO LEGAL GUIDES

**ADULT ART CAMP**  
**MONDAY - THURSDAY | JULY 25-28**  
**AGES 18+ | 6 - 8 PM | CLASS SPACE IS LIMITED | REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED**

**SIGN UP VIA FACEBOOK OR IN PERSON**

**NOVICE OR EXPERIENCED**  
**JOIN US FOR FOUR EVENINGS OF CREATIVE FUN!**  
 SUPPLIES WILL BE PROVIDED.

**ACCORDION BOOKS**  
 Foldable books that open and close like an accordion. Create decorative journals that can be filled with your own sketches, designs, writings, notes... It's your space, you decide!

**MIXED MEDIA**  
 Mixed media painting with a collaging technique is playful and fun! Explore drawing, collage, and painting to create personal one-of-a-kind works of art.



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The board meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 4pm, at the Library. The public is welcome to attend.