Kendallville Public Library and Limberlost Branch patrons will find a more user-friendly browsing experience through a new catalog feature called Aspen Discovery. You can find Aspen at https://kendallville.evergreenindiana.org.

Like a traditional catalog, patrons can search for material by titles, keywords, authors and more. With Aspen, patrons will see new enhanced search tools that make it easier to find the items you are seeking and find inspiration for new checkouts. On the catalog’s main page, patrons can browse categories such as new items and New York Times Best Sellers. Categories can also reflect unique collections such as magazines, book club kits, Legos and more. With Aspen, electronic materials will look a bit different but will be easier to browse and checkout in Libby or Hoopla.

Once patrons find the material of choice, you can place items on hold, find it on the shelf or even check out an electronic item straight to your device. Holds are easy to modify before they are ready for pick up too. Patrons have the option to freeze (which keeps your place in line) and thaw when you are ready to move in the queue. Patrons can also change the pickup location or cancel pending holds.

Now, the big question. Will the switch affect my current Evergreen account settings? All your current checkouts, holds, and reading history will still be available when you log in to our new catalog. You will also be able to see your checkouts on Libby and Hoopla from your profile. It will even be easier to log in, just sign in with your library card barcode and PIN. If you need your PIN, you can reset it online. If you do not have an email associated with your account, please see a staff member at circulation.

You may direct questions and observations to aspen@kenlib.org or Assistant Director, Brittany Leath at bleath@kenlib.org.
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          10:00 a.m. • KPL  
          Euchre for Fun  
          1:00 p.m. • KPL  
          Yoga with Brittany  
          5:30 p.m. • KPL |
| 2      | BINGO  
          9:00 a.m. • LB  
          Preschool Story Time  
          10:00 & 11:30 a.m. • KPL  
          Barre with Brittany  
          10:15 a.m. • LB  
          Yoga with Brittany  
          11:00 a.m. • LB  
          Gene Stratton-Porter Walk  
          1:00 p.m. • GSP  
          Crafternoon - Paper Plate Snail  
          4:00 p.m. • KPL  
          Anime Club  
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| 3      | Nani Flora Flower Arranging  
          10:00 a.m. • LB  
          Breakfast Meal Prep - Enchilada Bake  
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          Barre with Brittany  
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          5:00 p.m. • KPL  
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| 7      | Corext Project - Straw Weaving  
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          Flamingo Art  
          July 8 - 13  
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          Preschool Story Time  
          10:00 a.m. • KPL & LB  
          Yoga with Brittany  
          5:30 p.m. • KPL  
          Zentangle  
          5:30 p.m. • KPL |
| 8      | Cute Jellyfish  
          July 15 - 20  
          Bixler Lake Walk  
          10:00 a.m. • KPL  
          Preschool Story Time  
          10:00 a.m. • KPL & LB  
          Yoga with Brittany  
          5:30 p.m. • KPL  
          Meadow Perry  
          6:00 p.m. • KPL |
| 15     | The Uno Hour  
          9:00 a.m. • LB  
          Preschool Story Time  
          10:00 & 11:30 a.m. • KPL  
          Barre with Brittany  
          10:15 a.m. • LB  
          Yoga with Brittany  
          11:00 a.m. • LB  
          Book Club Salad  
          1:00 p.m. • LB  
          Crafternoon - Dirt Pudding Cups  
          4:00 p.m. • KPL  
          Anime Club  
          5:00 p.m. • KPL |
| 16     | Baking with Grace - Cherry Salad  
          10:00 a.m. • LB  
          Make it with Madison - Sunset Paint  
          4:00 p.m. • KPL  |
| 21     |  
          22 Corext Project - Paper Spinner  
          July 22 - 31  
          Pool Noodle Caterpillar  
          July 22 - 27  
          Preschool Story Time  
          10:00 a.m. • KPL & LB  
          Euchre for Fun  
          1:00 p.m. • KPL |
| 23     | Sticker Art  
          9:00 a.m. • LB  
          Preschool Story Time  
          10:00 & 11:30 a.m. • KPL  
          Barre with Brittany  
          10:15 a.m. • LB  
          Yoga with Brittany  
          11:00 a.m. • LB  
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          1:00 p.m. • LB  
          Crafternoon - Backpack Buddies  
          4:00 p.m. • KPL  
          Anime Club  
          5:00 p.m. • KPL |
| 24     | Baking with Grace - Fruit Salsa  
          10:00 a.m. • LB  
          Make it with Madison - Wine Cork  
          Corkboard - 1:30 p.m. • KPL  |
| 28     |  
          29 Popsicle Stick S’mores  
          July 29 - August 3  
          Bixler Lake Walk  
          10:00 a.m. • KPL  
          Preschool Story Time  
          10:00 a.m. • KPL & LB  
          Make it with Madison - Wine Cork  
          Corkboard - 1:30 p.m. • KPL  
          Yoga with Brittany  
          5:30 p.m. • KPL |
| 30     |  
          31 Family in Motion  
          10:30 p.m. • LB  
          Make it with Madison - Cross Stitch  
          5:30 p.m. • KPL |
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### Preschool Programs

- Nani Flora Flower Arranging  
  10:00 a.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- Soaring Hawk  
  1:00 p.m. • KPL  
  3:00 p.m. • LB

- Doggy Tales  
  4:00 p.m. • LB

- Crafternoon - Invisible Ink  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- M&M Cookie Dough Bites  
  5:00 p.m. • LB

- Make it with Brooke - Stencil Tote  
  5:30 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- Thank Goodness It's Thursday  
  M&M Cookie Dough Bites  
  5:00 p.m. • LB

- Fantastic Thursdays - D&D  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

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### Elementary Programs

- Library Card Event  
  4:00 p.m. • LB

- Doggy Tales  
  4:00 p.m. • LB

- Crafternoon - Invisible Ink  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- Summer Reading Party  
  12:00 p.m. • KPL  
  3:00 p.m. • LB

- Novel recipes - Strawberry Boba Tea  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Make it with Brooke - Stencil Tote  
  5:30 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- Thank Goodness It's Thursday  
  M&M Cookie Dough Bites  
  5:00 p.m. • LB

- Fantastic Thursdays - D&D  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

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### Youth Programs (K-12)

- Library Card Event  
  4:00 p.m. • LB

- Doggy Tales  
  4:00 p.m. • LB

- Crafternoon - Invisible Ink  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- Summer Reading Party  
  12:00 p.m. • KPL  
  3:00 p.m. • LB

- Novel recipes - Strawberry Boba Tea  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Make it with Brooke - Stencil Tote  
  5:30 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- Thank Goodness It's Thursday  
  M&M Cookie Dough Bites  
  5:00 p.m. • LB

- Fantastic Thursdays - D&D  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

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### Adult Programs

- Storytime with Nathalie  
  10:00 a.m. • KPL

- Barre with Brittany  
  5:30 p.m. • KPL

- Super Book Club  
  5:00 p.m. • KPL

- Author Trevor Tipton  
  5:00 p.m. • KPL

- Family in Motion  
  10:30 a.m. • KPL

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### All Ages / Family Programs

- Library Card Event  
  4:00 p.m. • LB

- Doggy Tales  
  4:00 p.m. • LB

- Crafternoon - Invisible Ink  
  4:00 p.m. • KPL

- Preschool Story Time  
  6:00 p.m. • KPL

- Family in Motion  
  10:30 a.m. • KPL

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*The age categories of the programs below represent a majority of the ages for which the event is intended. For specific age ranges for each event, please refer to the more detailed information found elsewhere in this newsletter.*

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### Specific Events

- **July 2024**

  - **Sunday**
    - **1**
      - BINGO  
        1:30 p.m. • KPL
    - **4**
      - LIBRARIES CLOSED
    - **11**
      - Soaring Hawk  
        1:00 p.m. • KPL  
        3:00 p.m. • LB
      - Doggy Tales  
        4:00 p.m. • LB
      - Crafternoon - Invisible Ink  
        4:00 p.m. • KPL
      - Preschool Story Time  
        6:00 p.m. • KPL

  - **Monday**
    - **5**
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
      - Barre with Brittany  
        11:00 a.m. • KPL
      - BINGO  
        1:30 p.m. • KPL
    - **12**
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
      - Barre with Brittany  
        11:00 a.m. • KPL
      - BINGO  
        1:30 p.m. • KPL

  - **Tuesday**
    - **10**
      - Summer Reading Party  
        12:00 p.m. • KPL  
        3:00 p.m. • LB
      - Novel recipes - Strawberry Boba Tea  
        4:00 p.m. • KPL
      - Make it with Brooke - Stencil Tote  
        5:30 p.m. • KPL
      - Preschool Story Time  
        6:00 p.m. • KPL
    - **16**
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
      - Barre with Brittany  
        11:00 a.m. • KPL
      - BINGO  
        1:30 p.m. • KPL

  - **Wednesday**
    - **18**
      - BINGO  
        9:00 a.m. • LB
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
    - **25**
      - BINGO  
        9:00 a.m. • KPL
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
      - Barre with Brittany  
        11:00 a.m. • KPL

  - **Thursday**
    - **11**
      - BINGO  
        9:00 a.m. • LB
    - **18**
      - BINGO  
        9:00 a.m. • LB
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL

  - **Friday**
    - **19**
      - BINGO  
        9:00 a.m. • LB
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
    - **26**
      - BINGO  
        9:00 a.m. • KPL
      - Littler Learner Play Date  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
      - Barre with Brittany  
        11:00 a.m. • KPL

  - **Saturday**
    - **6**
      - Library Card Event  
        4:00 p.m. • LB
    - **13**
      - Library Card Event  
        4:00 p.m. • LB
    - **20**
      - Candle Making with Murphy's Townhouse  
        10:00 a.m. • KPL
    - **27**
      - Library Card Event  
        4:00 p.m. • LB
News You Need to Know

Throw a Party at the Kendallville or Limberlost Libraries

Many people celebrate birthdays, baby showers, wedding showers, graduation parties and more at the library each week. We have up to five spaces designated for party use with access to a kitchenette in both Kendallville and Rome City.

To book a space for your next party, go to www.kendallvillelibrary.org and click Reserve a Space in the upper right corner. Choose Parties as your booking type. You'll see the available rooms and can search by date. Pictures of the spaces, capacity and square footage are available, too! Once you book the room you need, you will have to pay a nonrefundable deposit the day of booking. You will also need to get a certification of liability. You must also be out 30 minutes before the Library closes. Have questions? Give us a call at 343-2010. We are happy to help you book a space. The library is a great place to have a celebration!

Scan the QR Code to View the Youth and Adult Flyers.

Support the library while you shop!

You can use your Kroger Plus Card to donate to the Kendallville Public Library. *At no additional cost to you!*

To participate, just go online to www.kroger.com/communityrewards, and sign in or create an account.

BECAUSE KIDS DON'T COME WITH INSTRUCTIONS

We know parenting can be overwhelming. We're here to help, one message at a time.

Text CHILD to 274 448

Caregivers will receive 2-4 messages/week with activities and trips timed to your child's age, in addition to local resources!

Scan the QR Code to View the Youth and Adult Flyers.

www.kendallvillelibrary.org • info@kendallvillelibrary.org
Registration is required for all events. Register by visiting our website at www.kendallvillelibrary.org. If you have questions please call KPL at 343-2010, LB at 854-2775 or email mgraber@kendallvillelibrary.org

**Teen Programs**

**Firework Rings**  
Grades K - 12  
July 1 - 6 • All Branches  
Come to the library to make a festive ring for the 4th of July!

**Pool Noodle Caterpillar**  
Grades K - 12  
July 22 - 27 • All Branches  
Come to the library to make a caterpillar out of a pool noodle.

**Teen Programs**

**Story Time**  
Birth - Age 5  
Mondays, July 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 at 10:00 a.m. • KPL & LB  
Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 10:00 & 11:30 a.m. • KPL  
Thursdays, July 11, 18 & 25 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL  
Join us for stories, crafts, activities and more! Be sure to register to reserve your spot. You can register for more than one story time session at a time.

**Crafternoon - Backpack Buddies**  
Grades K - 5  
Tuesday, July 23 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Get your kids excited for back-to-school with Backpack Buddies - the ultimate craft activity for your kids.

**Pool Noodle Caterpillar**  
Grades K - 12  
July 22 - 27 • All Branches  
Come to the library to make a caterpillar out of a pool noodle.

**Popsicle Stick S'mores**  
Grades K - 12  
July 29 - August 3 • All Branches  
Come to the library to make a s'more out of Popsicle sticks.

**Anime Club**  
Grades 6 - 12  
Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 5:00 p.m. • KPL  
Join our anime club as we watch anime, read manga, draw and more.

**Crafternoon - Invisible Ink**  
Grades 6 - 12  
Thursday, July 11 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Teens in grades 6-12 are invited to learn how to make invisible ink and write in code.

**Novel Recipes - Fairy Princess Marshmallow Pops**  
Grades K - 5  
Tuesday, July 30 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Make snack time magical with our adorable Fairy Princess Marshmallow Pops!

**Anime Club**  
Grades 6 - 12  
Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 5:00 p.m. • KPL  
Join our anime club as we watch anime, read manga, draw and more.

**Crafternoon - Mini Banjo**  
Grades K - 5  
Tuesday, July 9 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Calling all crafty kids and parents! Join us at the library for a fun and educational crafting session where your kids can make their very own mini banjo using recycled jar lids.

**Novel Recipes - Strawberry Boba Tea**  
Grades 6 - 12  
Thursday, July 18 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Teens in grades 6-12 are invited to make their own strawberry Boba tea drink to enjoy.

**Fantastic Thursdays, Dungeons and Dragons**  
Grades 6 - 12  
Thursday, July 25 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Join us for fantasy themed activities including dungeons and dragons, crafts, and more. This is open to teens in grades 6-12. Dungeons and dragons is limited to 7 players.

**Teen Programs**

**Crafternoon - Paper Plate Snail**  
Grades K - 5  
Tuesday, July 2 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Get ready for a fun and creative activity with your kids at the library - Paper Plate Snails!

**Crafternoon - Dirt Pudding Cups**  
Grades K - 5  
Tuesday, July 16 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
A delicious and creative treat that's perfect for little hands to make!

**Flamingo Art**  
Grades K - 12  
July 8 - 13 • All Branches  
Come to the library to make a cute flamingo craft.

**Cute Jellyfish**  
Grades K - 12  
July 15 - 19 • All Branches  
Come to the library and make a cute jellyfish craft!

**Crafternoon - Back to School Backpack Buddies**  
Grades K - 5  
Tuesday, July 23 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL  
Get your kids excited for back-to-school with Backpack Buddies - the ultimate craft activity for your kids.

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**July 2024**
**Adult Events at the Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost Branch**

**Bixler Lake Walk**
Mondays, July 1, 8, 15 & 29 at 10:00 a.m. • KPL
Join Brittany and Leah for a walk around Bixler. Meet at the adult desk to sign a waiver.

**Yoga with Brittany**
Mondays, July 1, 8, 15 & 29 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL
Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 11:00 a.m. • LB
Brittany, a certified yoga teacher, will teach an all-levels Flow Yoga class.

**Euchre for Fun**
Mondays, July 1 & 22 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL
Bring a partner and play Euchre for fun.

**Gene Stratton-Porter Walk**
Tuesdays, July 2 & 30 at 1:00 p.m. • LB
Join Brittany and Leah in the parking lot at Gene Stratton-Porter to sign a waiver before we walk.

**Barre with Brittany**
Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 10:15 a.m. • LB
Fridays, July 5, 12 & 26 at 11:00 a.m. • KPL
Move with Brittany, a certified Barre instructor, for a workout that focuses on low-impact, high intensity movements to improve strength, agility and flexibility for anyone.

**BINGO**
Tuesdays, July 2 & 30 at 9:00 a.m. • LB
Fridays, July 5 at 1:30 p.m. • KPL
Friday, July 12 at 1:30 p.m. • LB
Friday, July 19 at 9:00 a.m. • LB
Friday, July 26 at 9:00 a.m. • KPL
Join us for an hour of fun and games!

**Nani Flora Flower Arranging**
Wednesday, July 3 at 10:00 a.m. • KPL
Tuesday, July 23 at 1:00 p.m. • LB
Sign up to learn about proteas (also called sugarbushes) and make an arrangement.

**Zentangle**
Monday, July 8 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL
Find Zen With Your Pen. Previous experience is preferred.

**Breakfast Prep - Peanut Butter and Jelly Tacos**
Tuesday, July 9 at 9:00 a.m. • LB
Learn to prep peanut butter and jelly tacos with Leah at Limberlost.

**SOUPer Book Club - First Lie Wins**
Wednesday, July 10 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL
Join Brittany and Leah to discuss *First Lie Wins* by Ashley Elston and enjoy soup.

**Book Club Salad - Darling Girls**
Tuesday, July 16 at 1:00 p.m. • LB
Meet to discuss *Darling Girls* by Sally Hepworth and enjoy a salad.

**The Uno Hour**
Tuesday, July 16 at 9:00 a.m. • LB
Start your morning off right with a game of Uno with Leah!

**Baking with Grace - Cherry Fluff Salad**
Wednesday, July 17 at 10:00 a.m. • KPL
Make a refreshing summer treat with Grace!

**Make it with Madison - Sunset Pier Paint**
Wednesday, July 17 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL
Madison will teach participants to paint a sunset beach scene.

**Make it with Madison - Wine Cork Board**
Monday, July 29 at 1:30 • KPL
Learn to make a wine cork board.

**Make it with Madison - Cross Stitch**
Wednesday, July 31 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL
Madison will teach participants how to cross stitch.

**Make it with Brooke - Stencil Tote Bag**
Thursday, July 18 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL
Brooke will teach participants to make a stencil tote bag.

**Candle Making with Murphy’s Townhouse**
Saturday, July 20 at 10:00 a.m. • KPL
Create a summer scent with Murphy’s Townhouse.

**Sticker Art**
Tuesday, July 23 at 9:00 a.m. • LB
Create sticker art with Leah.

**Baking with Grace - Fruit Salsa**
Wednesday, July 24 at 10:00 a.m. • KPL
Learn to make fruit salsa to pair with cinnamon sugar tortillas.

**Make it with Madison - Wine Cork Board**
Monday, July 29 at 1:30 • KPL
Learn to make a wine cork board.

**Mason Jar Salad**
Tuesday, July 30 at 1:00 p.m. • LB
Join us as we make different types of salads in mason jars.

**Make it with Madison - Cross Stitch**
Wednesday, July 31 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL
Madison will teach participants how to cross stitch.