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“Stories On The Prairie” Ribbon Cutting April 5

Wea Prairie Branch Library

Lafayette, IN – March 30, 2022 – Enjoy fresh air, fun stories, and a self-paced walk! What could be better than reading stories aloud as you stroll outdoors with your family and friends?

Join us for a ribbon-cutting and more, Tuesday, April 5, from 4:30-6:30 p.m. at the Wea Prairie Branch of the Tippecanoe County Public Library (TCPL). Located at the corner of south 18th Street and 430 S, the library’s “Stories On The Prairie” picture book trail showcases as many as 20 illustrated pages installed along a paved pathway. *Be Who You Are* by Todd Parr is currently the featured picture book.

Guests are invited to join neighbors, TCPL Friends, the TCPL Board of Trustees, and a few local officials outside the library at 5 p.m. for a ribbon-cutting ceremony. Brief remarks, photo opportunities, refreshments, and fun surprises are on the agenda. In case of April showers, the festivities will be moved inside the library.

Jan Young, a popular storyteller from the Tippecanoe Storytellers’ Guild and Feast of the Hunters’ Moon, will perform. Her repertoire includes Native American legends, French and American folk tales, ghost stories, and stories that make you laugh out loud!

For more stories, new benches, and opportunities to sign up for this year’s Summer Reading Clubs, stop by the Wea Prairie branch throughout the summer.

“Stories On The Prairie” is free and open to the public during regular weekly library hours. Bring your walking shoes, sunglasses (or reading glasses), and enjoy! Don’t forget to come in and browse the library’s collection of books, e-resources, movies, music, and new technologies.

TCPL LOCATIONS

Lafayette: Downtown Library at 627 South Street. Wea Prairie Branch at 4200 S. 18 St.

Wyandotte Branch at 5542 E 50 S. West Lafayette: Klondike Branch at 3062 Lindberg Road. For more information about library programs and services, visit any TCPL library, call (765) 429-0100, and check <https://tcpl.lib.in.us>.

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