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Additional Programs Coming to JCPL This Fall

FRANKLIN, Ind. – Johnson County Public Library librarians and staff are always coming up with new and innovative programs for our community to experience. Check out these new programs have been recently added to our programming schedule.

Frankenbooks: Altered Book Art Tuesday, Oct. 16, 4-5 p.m. at the White River Branch Give life to old books and turn them into cool works of art. All materials provided, but feel free to bring in an old or damaged book if you'd like. Grades 5-12

Owls of Indiana Monday, Nov. 26, 6-7 p.m. at the Trafalgar Branch Whoooo's visiting the library? Why, it's four different kinds of owls commonly found in Indiana! Learn about these amazing birds of prey and see them up close and personal. Presented by the Indiana Raptor Center.

4H Program

No matter what they want to do when they grow up, building STEM skills through hands-on learning helps children develop confidence and essential competencies like problem-solving, leadership and analytical thinking. That's why 4-H created National Youth Science Day (NYSD) – programs designed to make STEM hands-on easy, fun and accessible.

In 2018-19, 4-H is teaming up with experts from Google and West Virginia University to design a hands-on computer science challenge called *Code Your World*, a turn-key gateway activity that gets children and educators excited about and confident with computer science. 4-H will partner with JCPL to host four events at our libraries in the month of October. Heather Dougherty, Johnson County 4-H will presenting this program designed for children ages 8-14.

- Friday, Oct. 19 at 4 p.m. Franklin Branch
- Monday, Oct. 22 at 6:30 p.m. Trafalgar Branch
- Tuesday, Oct. 23 at 4 p.m. Clark Branch
- Monday, Oct. 29 at 4 p.m. White River Branch

Register at pageafterpage.org/programs. For more information, please contact Monica Harvey at 317-738-2957 or mharvey@jcplin.org.