

Hours, Closings, and Cancellation Policy

Library Hours for Adult, Teen, and Children's Services

- Monday 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.
- Tuesday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
- Wednesday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
- Thursday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
- Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
- Saturday 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Library Hours for the Heritage Room

- Monday through Friday 12 noon – 6 p.m.
- Saturday 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
- Mornings and Evenings by appointment

CLOSINGS

New Year's Day

- If on Sunday or Monday, BPL is closed Monday
- If on Tuesday through Thursday and Saturday, BPL is closed at 4:00 on New Year's Eve and all day on New Year's Day
- *If on Friday, BPL is closed at 4:00 on New Year's Eve and all day on New Year's Day and the Saturday following New Year's Day, January 2nd*

Memorial Day

- BPL is closed on Saturday and Monday

Independence Day

- If on Sunday or Monday, BPL is closed Saturday and Monday
- If on Tuesday, BPL is closed Monday and Tuesday
- If on Wednesday or Thursday, BPL is closed on July 4th only
- If on Friday or Saturday, BPL is closed on Friday and Saturday

Swiss Days

- BPL is closed Thursday, Friday, and Saturday (Heritage Room may be opened by appointment)

Labor Day

- BPL is closed on Saturday and Monday

Thanksgiving

- BPL is closed on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday

Christmas

- If on Sunday or Monday, BPL closed on Saturday and Monday
- If on Tuesday through Thursday or Saturday, BPL closed on Christmas and Christmas Eve
- If on Friday, BPL closed on Thursday through Saturday.

Inclement Weather / Emergency Closings / Programming Cancellations

- The Library Director and/or the President of the Library Board of Trustees may close the library due to inclement weather or other emergency situations. The local radio station will be notified, as well as WANE-TV, and WPTA-21 if time permits. Early closings will be posted on the front doors.
- When inclement weather closes South Adams Schools, the library will cancel all in-house programs that the library offers on that day. An announcement will be made on the local radio station.
- When inclement weather closes or delays South Adams Schools, the library will not do programs at MUM's, Berne Nursery School, or Berne Headstart.
- If staff members can travel safely, Kinderhaus programs will be provided; if not, the library will call Kinderhaus to let them know no program will occur.
- If County Officials declares no one should be traveling on the roads), the library will be closed and no programming will occur.