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2006 ILF District 8 Conference  
Friday, October 6, 2006  
New Castle-Henry County Public Library  
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# Indiana Library Federation



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OCTOBER 6, 2006

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NEW CASTLE-HENRY  
COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

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# Conference

# Schedule of Programs

**Date and Location:**

Friday, October 6, 2006  
New Castle-Henry County Public Library,  
New Castle, IN

**Registration Deadline:**

Friday, September 22, 2006

**Questions:**

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8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

**Registration & Continental Breakfast**

9:30 - 10:00 a.m.

**Business Meeting**

10:00 - 10:15 a.m.

**Morning Break**

10:15 - 11:00 a.m.

**Keynote Address –****Kevin Stonerock****“Small Town Living in the Good Old Days”**

Kevin is an accomplished singer/songwriter and many of the songs he writes deal with his experiences growing up in the 50's and 60's in a small Midwest town. Small Town Living is a nostalgic and entertaining journey of song and reflection guaranteed to rekindle some warmhearted memories for those of us old enough to remember the “good old days”!

11:10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**Concurrent Session 1****A) The Three I's: INCat, INSPIRE, Integrate**

If 80% of information seekers are starting with Google and Yahoo and only 2% are starting on their library's home page what does that mean for libraries? INSPIRE and INCAT put library resources where the users are. Here's how your library and your library users benefit.

*Speaker:* Collette Mak, INCOLSA

**B) Trustees: Setting Policy in the 21st Century – Where to Start, How to Manage, Who to Involve**

Join the conversation as ILF President, former trustee, and consultant Sara Laughlin shares a framework for developing and reviewing policies and facilitates discussion among trustees about their own policy successes and challenges. (Trustees will earn 25 points toward their LINK recognition by attending this session.)

*Speaker:* Sara Laughlin, Sara Laughlin & Associates

**C) PERF General Orientation Meeting**

This session will cover topics including membership, investments options, service credit, estimating benefits and many other topics of interest to PERF members.

*Speaker:* PERF Outreach Services Representative

**D) Gaming in Libraries**

Tips on implementing video games for youth services programs. We'll share video gaming program ideas across the district and have a little fun dancing on DDR (Dance Dance Revolution) game pads.

*Speaker:* Angela Dubinger,  
New Castle-Henry County Public Library

**E) Sex Offenders in the Library**

Henry County Sherriff, Kim Cronk will present a program to assist library staff in learning how to deal with sex offenders and others who may pose risks at your library.

*Speaker:* Kim Cronk, Henry County Sherriff's Department

**F) Making Your Library the “Place to Be” With Programming and Publicity**

Discover methods to attract new patrons to the library through innovative programs and publicity. Learn how to plan successful programs and inform the public about what your library has to offer in programs and services. There will also be a brainstorming session designed to inspire new ideas

*Speakers:* Christy Ragle & Hope Gwinn, New Castle-Henry County Public Library

**G) Friends of the Library Workshop**

This workshop will focus on the effective organization of the Friends' Book Sale Room and Gift Shop. It will also address Friends' Membership and community activities.

*Speaker:* Beverly Hankenhoff, President of the Friends of the New Castle-Henry County Public Library

12:45 - 2:00 p.m.

**Lunch & Networking****(Offer Tours and Time for Arts Park)**

2:15 - 3:30 p.m.

**Concurrent Session 2****A) Authority Control**

Authority Control is one of the least understood processes undertaken by the technical services side of the library. Yet the demand for a high quality, value added database (the catalog) is one of the first on many administrators' lists when it comes to customer satisfaction. What is an authority record, why is it important, and what kind of tools are available to help you?

*Speaker:* Pat McWilliams, INCOLSA

**B) Grants!**

Basic overview of grantsmanship, including how to identify potential projects and funders and how to plan a project from need to outcomes. You'll leave the session with the beginnings of a proposal and lots of resources to help you complete it.

*Speaker:* Sara Laughlin, Sara Laughlin & Associates

**C) INSPIRE Business Resources**

Are you familiar with the business resources available on INSPIRE? If you are, come share how you use INSPIRE to serve the business needs of your community. If not, we will review the many resources available on INSPIRE for small business and career planning.

*Speaker:* Howard Trace, INCOLSA

#### D) Support Staff Program

Join us for a presentation of IVY Tech Community College's Library Technical Associate Degree program and a discussion of current support staff issues.

*Speaker:* Susan Mannan, IVY Tech State College

#### E) Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library

Based on early literacy research and the experience of 14 demonstration sites nationwide, you'll see how focusing on parents and caregivers and using this research can help your library system become an acknowledged valuable partner in the community. Workshops are designed for parents and childcare providers focusing on 1) bonding with babies through books for Early Talkers, 2) practicing dialogic reading with Talkers, and 3) promoting phonological awareness using word games with Pre-Readers. Includes development of each of the six early literacy skills for each age level.

*Speaker:* Christie Hamm, Anderson Public Library

#### F) Together We Prepare

Kelly Sare, coordinator of the Henry County Service Center of the American Red Cross of Greater Indianapolis, will present the five action steps everyone can take to prepare for disasters and other emergencies; Make a Plan, Build a Kit, Get Trained, Volunteer and Donate.

*Speaker:* Kelly Sare, American Red Cross

#### G) Vital INformation Exchange (VINE)

VINE is a statewide collaborative database project between the Indiana State Library and Indiana Public Libraries. This project will allow libraries to acquire access to their records through Internet searchable databases without the cost or maintenance issues associated with setting up online databases. Come to this session to find out more about this project.

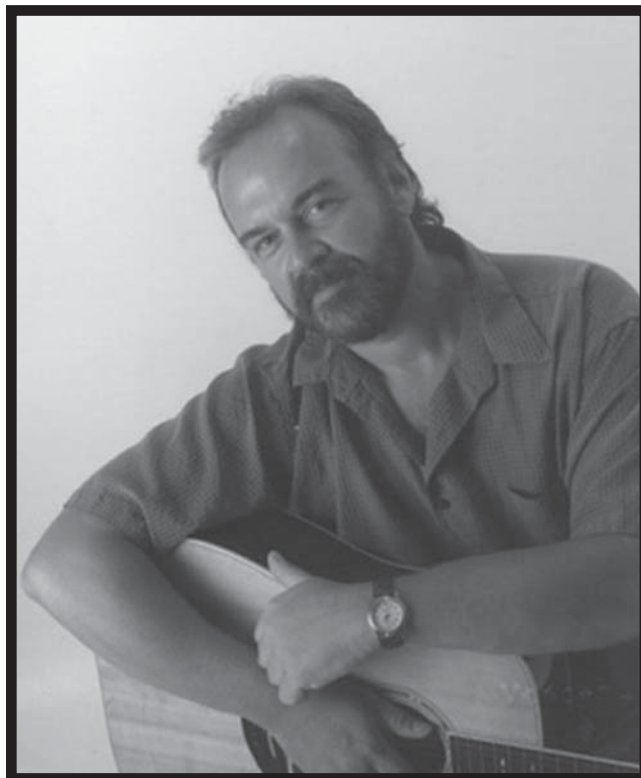
*Speakers:* Lisa Meadows & Cinnamon Bradshaw, Indiana State Library

3:30 p.m.

Door Prizes, Wrap-up & Tours

For more information, visit: [www.ilfonline.org](http://www.ilfonline.org)

## Keynote Speaker



### Kevin Stonerock

Kevin Stonerock is an accomplished singer/songwriter, entertainer and historical presenter. A resident of Knightstown, Indiana, Stonerock travels the country sharing his historical presentations with schools, libraries and community groups. Take an entertaining journey of song and reflection with Kevin Stonerock as he shares nostalgic songs and reflections during this entertaining event.

## Map & Directions

376 South 15th Street  
New Castle, Indiana 47362

#### From I-70 East

Merge onto I-70 east toward Columbus, Ohio. Take the IN-3 exit- exit 123- toward New Castle/Spiceland. Turn left onto IN-3 North. Turn right onto Indiana Avenue. End at 376 South 15th Street.

For more information/directions, please visit the New Castle-Henry County Public Library's Web site:  
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