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**Washington-Centerville Library**

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**Centerville Library Reinstates Some Services**

Washington-Centerville Public Library is beginning to reinstate core services at Centerville Library. Reinstatement of services at Centerville Library will happen slowly, and in phases, based on current conditions and the guidance of the Ohio Department of Health.

While the Centerville Library remains closed to the public, these low/no contact services, are now available:

- *Exterior Book Returns Open* – Library materials can be returned to the exterior book returns at Centerville Library or Woodbourne Library. Returned items will be quarantined for three days before check-in, so patrons may experience delays in items clearing from their library account.
- *Curbside Hold Pickup* – Library cardholders can reserve materials online and select Centerville Library or Woodbourne Library as a hold pickup location. Once email or phone notification that items are ready for pickup is received, cardholders can schedule a Curbside Hold Pickup appointment online at [www.picktime.com/wclibrary](http://www.picktime.com/wclibrary) or by calling 937-435-3700.
- *Telephone assistance* – Please call 937-435-3700. Library staff are available to assist you Mon-Fri. 10 AM – 6 PM and Sat. 10 AM – 5 PM.

The Woodbourne Library, which reopened to the public for browsing and borrowing on June 22, is open Monday-Friday 10 AM – 6 PM and Saturday 10 AM – 5 PM. “We are moving forward with a slow, phased approach to reinstating library service at Centerville Library, just as we did at Woodbourne Library. While we do not have an exact date when Centerville Library will reopen to the public, we are actively working to strike a balance between service and safety,” says Liz Fultz, Library director.

For more information on Washington-Centerville Public Library hours and services available, visit [wclibrary.info](http://wclibrary.info).

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