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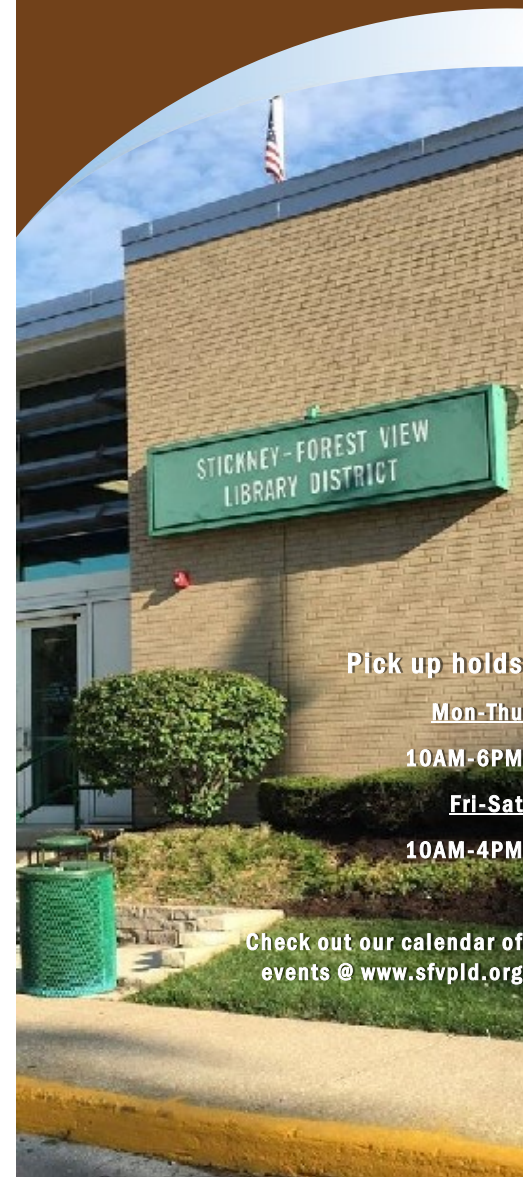
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Online resources.

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To place a hold click the Place Hold icon to the right of the item you wish to borrow. You will be asked which library you would prefer to pick up your items from, the default is the Stickney-Forest View Library. Some books require you to select the volume in a series. To do so, simply select the drop-down arrow and select the volume you wish to borrow. Finally click Place Hold and presto! You will be notified when your items are available.

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