

## Described Video DVDs

WLBPD @ AADL houses an on-site collection of Described Videos (comedy, drama, action, mystery, children, and more) in DVD format. Described Videos are movies in which the visual elements are described – the action, characters, locations, costumes, and sets – without interfering with the movie's dialogue or sound effects. Descriptive audio tracks (often referred to as DVS) allow those with low or no vision to enjoy movies by narrating what is taking place on screen without disrupting the dialogue or soundtrack. The descriptive track is an optional feature found in slightly different parts of the menu on each DVD.

To view a list of titles available at WLBPD @ AADL, go to: [http://wlbpd.aadl.org/wlbpd/described\\_videos](http://wlbpd.aadl.org/wlbpd/described_videos). To find out what's available or to request titles, call or email the WLBPD @ AADL. The check-out period for Described Videos is 60 days.

### HELP US SPREAD THE WORD!

**Do you know someone who would benefit from receiving services through the WLBPD @ AADL?**

**If so, you can help them get signed up for services by simply giving them our phone number:  
(734) 327-4224.**

**We appreciate your help, and they will too!**

# **SAVE THESE DATES!**

**Saturday, May 3, 2014**

WLBPD @ AADL will host a celebration to commemorate our 5th year serving as a subregional library of the national network of libraries serving the blind and physically disabled. The celebration will be held in conjunction with an opening reception for the American Printing House Museum's traveling exhibition:

**Child in a Strange Country:  
Helen Keller and the History of Education  
for the Blind and Visually Impaired**

Ann Arbor District Library Director Josie Parker and American Printing House Museum Director Michael Hudson will be onsite to welcome you to this special event!

**Wednesday, May 14, 2014**

**VISIONS 2014:  
What's New In Technology  
for the Blind & Visually Impaired**

A variety of Michigan exhibitors will demonstrate the latest products and services for the blind and visually impaired. Magnifiers, electronic readers, Braille devices, library services, CCTVs, leader dogs, support services for the blind and transportation services are just a few of the many outstanding services and products on display.