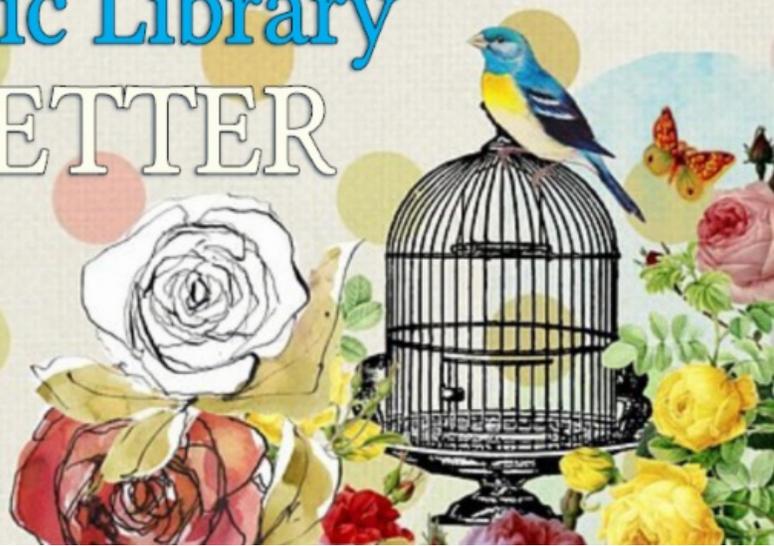


Way Public Library NEWSLETTER

April



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Big News at Way!

Greetings!

Welcome to our April 2017 Email Newsletter!



Spring is finally here, and the staff at Way Public Library are excited to present a new lineup of fun and educational programs. We are especially looking forward to the first annual Perrysburg and Maumee Walleye Fest. Way Public Library is joining in the fun by offering walleye-themed programs April 26-30. Check Way's website on April 5 for an entire list of all the "fishy" things happening at the library.

Please note that the library will be closed Sunday, April 16 for Easter.

Baker's Way

A Pan for All Seasons!

What's new at *Baker's Way*? We have a Bundt pan that makes six mini decorative cakes. And don't forget to be ready for your spring piano recitals. The grand piano cake pan is fun and very easy; all the plastic accessories are included to make your cake a show-stopper! Cake pans check out for two weeks and will help make your celebration truly memorable!



Bookmark Contest

(419) 874-3135
Phone Directory:
1 - Information Desk
2 - Circulation/Renewals
4 - Technology
6 - Youth/Teen Services

National Library Week is April 9-15. Way Library Foundation & Friends are celebrating by sponsoring the 6th Annual Bookmark Design Contest. The contest is open to boys and girls in kindergarten through 12th grade. Entry forms are available at the Youth Services kiosk. This year's theme is "Libraries Transform." Design a bookmark that illustrates how you feel that Way Library transforms people's lives. Five winners will be selected to win a prize and will have their bookmarks reproduced to be distributed at Way Library. One winner will be selected from each of the following groups: grades K-1, grades 2-3, grades 4-5, grades 6-8, and grades 9-12. All entries must be turned in by April 10 at 8:30pm. Winners will be notified on April 12.



New Art Exhibit

Be sure and visit the new exhibit in our lower level gallery running now through April 29. *High School Perspectives*, featuring art by Perrysburg High School students, is presented by PRIZM Creative Community.



Book Nook

WPLFF Installs Book Nook at Mercy Health Perrysburg Cancer Center

On March 9, 2017, Way Public Library Foundation & Friends donated approximately 150 books to the Mercy Health Perrysburg Cancer Center for use by patients while they are receiving treatments. The "Book Nook" is installed in the Infusion Waiting Room on the Center's second floor.



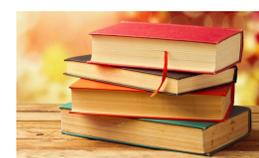
The collection is mostly adult fiction, but it contains nonfiction and children's/juvenile/young adult titles as well. Once a patient has finished a book it may be kept as a gift, passed along to someone else, returned to the Book Nook at the Cancer Center, or dropped off at Way Library.

Mercy Health and Way Public Library have been partners since 2012 with the goal of providing educational opportunities for families about health and wellness. Way is proud to host a monthly speakers' series featuring Mercy Health experts, as well as regular courses on managing diabetes and chronic illnesses.

Book Donations

Spring Cleaning? Donate your unwanted books for a good cause!

We are more than happy to take those unwanted books off your hands! The books you donate to Way Public Library Foundation & Friends



directly benefit the library. You may drop off your books at the Circulation Desk any time the library is open. More details about donating books may be found by clicking [here](#) or by calling 419-874-3135 ext. 351.

Kroger Community Rewards

Time to Register or Re-Register



Do you shop at Kroger? If so, you can support Way Library at no cost to you by simply designating us as your Community Rewards recipient. For those already registered? It is time to renew. Each year in April, Kroger requires participants to re-designate their Community Reward choice. For those not registered, you can support Way by simply registering your card online. It's easy and only takes a couple of minutes. Simply go to www.krogercommunityrewards.com and enter 84550 (Way Public Library code) as your designation choice. It's that easy and it makes a difference. Questions, contact Lisa Richard at 419-874-3135 ext. 139 or at lisa.richard@waylibrary.info.

Volunteer of the Month

Meet Mary Jo Bailin



Mary Jo Bailin can often be seen coming and going at Way Public Library. She is an avid reader and regularly carries home a whole stack of books. But her visits to the library frequently have a secondary purpose. Mary Jo is one of our extraordinary volunteers who dedicates her many talents to helping with library projects and the day-to-day operations of this busy library. She enthusiastically volunteers at our book sales, which involves many hours of setting up and sorting before the sale begins. She is also a Book Buddy in our outreach program to home-bound Perrysburg residents. Mary Jo's home visits allow a senior citizen with limited mobility to once again experience the joys of reading. When asked to assist on other projects, such as shifting books, Mary Jo always willingly responds with a "yes!"

Mary Jo started volunteering at the library after retiring from teaching Special Education for 30 years with the Washington Local School District. She and her husband Rick have raised two daughters and are now enjoying being grandparents. In her free time, Mary Jo loves to garden, cook, travel, walk, and attend yoga classes. She likes to include a little antiques, too.

The staff of Way Library would like to thank Mary Jo for her dedication and significant contributions to the library. We are grateful she shares her time, talent, and enthusiasm to help make Way Library the center of the Perrysburg community!

Look Who's Cooking

John Goodman, Way Library Building and Grounds Assistant, has submitted this month's recipe for "Look Who's Cooking." This delicious appetizer is simple to make, and is guaranteed to be a favorite for family and friends. Enjoy!



Cold Shrimp Spread

12 oz. bottle Heinz chili sauce
2 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
8 oz. cream cheese
2 Tbsp. Miracle Whip
1 small can tiny shrimp, drained
2 Tbsp. chopped onion
Parsley flakes
1 tsp. lemon juice

1. Combine Worcestershire sauce, Miracle Whip, chopped onion, lemon juice, and cream cheese.
2. Spread cream cheese mixture on a large plate. Pour chili sauce on top. Sprinkle can of shrimp on top.
4. Garnish with parsley.
5. Chill for 2 hours. Serve with crackers of choice.

New Inspirational Fiction Titles

If you enjoy novels that are thought-provoking and intriguing, then check out some of these new Inspirational Fiction titles recommended by staff member Peggy Fuller!



["An Uncommon Protector"](#) by Shelley Shepard Gray

["Without Warning"](#) by Joel Rosenberg

["Treasured Grace"](#) by Tracie Peterson

["Because You're Mine"](#) by Colleen Coble

["Always Close to Home"](#) by Jerry Eicher

["The Illusionist's Apprentice"](#) by Kristy Cambron

["Amelia and the Captain"](#) by Lori Copeland

["Raging Storm"](#) by Vannetta Chapman

["Long Time Gone"](#) by Mary Connealy

["Shine Like the Dawn"](#) by Carrie Turansky

New Releases at Way

Moe's Bookmark

Moe Ibarra provides a monthly bookmark to patrons who

frequent the library. This bookmark lists the titles of her favorite new releases.



Click a link to perform a search for these items in our catalog, and reserve yours today.

Moe's New Release Top Picks:

["All By Myself, Alone"](#) by Mary Higgins Clark
(April 4, 2017)

["Two from the Heart"](#) by James Patterson
(April 10, 2017)

["One Perfect Lie"](#) by Lisa Scottoline
(April 11, 2017)

["The Burial Hour"](#) by Jeffery Deaver
(April 11, 2017)

["The Fix"](#) (Book 3 of the Amos Decker series) by David Baldacci
(April 18, 2017)

["Fast and Loose"](#) (A Stone Barrington novel) by Stuart Woods
(April 18, 2017)

["Golden Prey"](#) by John Sandford
(April 25, 2017)

Upcoming Programs at Way Public Library

Adult and Family Programs

All programs are supported by Way Public Library Foundation & Friends unless otherwise noted.



[Click a link for more information. For the most up-to-date list of programs, click here.](#)

[Pro Musica Concert \(April 1, 2017 at 1:00pm\)](#)

Please join us as we welcome talented students from the Bowling Green State University College of Musical Arts for a live concert featuring a variety of instruments.

[Family & Friends CPR \(April 3, 2017 from 6:00pm-9:00pm\)](#)

Adult Hands-Only CPR, child CPR with breaths, adult and child AED use, infant CPR, and relief of choking in an adult, child, or infant. Ideal for students, parents, grandparents, babysitters, and others interested in learning how to save a life. This is a free non-certification class. [Register online or at the](#)

[Information Desk today.](#)

[Free Showing of *Manchester by the Sea* \(April 4, 2017 at 2:00pm\)](#)

Loner Lee Chandler (Casey Affleck) has been named guardian to his 16-year-old nephew, and his return to his hometown re-opens an unspeakable tragedy. Adults only. Rated R. Sponsored by Skotynsky Financial Group, LLC.

[Women Writers and Nursery Rhyme \(April 6, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Women poets wrote some of the most popular children's verse of all time, such as *Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star* and *Mary Had a Little Lamb*. This talk will explore the forgotten history of nursery rhymes. This program is made possible, in part, by the Ohio Humanities and is co-sponsored by the Humanities Institute at the University of Toledo.

[Hamilton's America and Book Discussion \(April 10, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Join Way Library and WGTE for a screening of *Hamilton's America*, the PBS documentary that goes behind the scenes of the Tony Award-winning musical *Hamilton*. Stick around afterwards for a discussion of the documentary and the Ron Chernow biography *Alexander Hamilton*.

[Composting \(April 11, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Join presenters Vicki Gallagher, 577 Horticulturist, and Judy Hagen, City of Perrysburg Storm Water Management Educator, to learn about the many different ways to compost.

[Mercy Health Talks... The Importance of Sleep \(April 12, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Who doesn't want a good night's rest? Dr. Michael Neeb, PhD, and Director of Mercy Health Sleep Centers will discuss common sleep disorders and ways to work toward achieving a better night's sleep. Free blood pressure screenings will be available from 6:00pm-8:00pm. No registration required.

[Free Showing of *Rose of Washington Square* \(April 13, 2017 at 10:00am\)](#)

Alice Faye, playing a character based on Fanny Brice, sings her way to stardom with Tyrone Power as her ambitious boyfriend. Rudy Schroeder, area film buff, will lead a short discussion of the film afterwards and take questions from the audience. Sponsored by Master Chemical.

[Streaming Media 2017 \(April 13, 2017 at 6:00pm\)](#)

See live demos of streaming media options such as Netflix, Amazon Prime, Hulu, and Sling Television. Supporting hardware will also be covered including the Roku, Chromecast, and smart TVs.

[Robot Day at Way \(April 15, 2017 at 1:00pm\)](#)

Kids ages 4-10 can bring their favorite adult to help them build a brushbot! Other robot-themed stations will be available to color, build models, and see how electricity works via squishy circuits. **Register at the Information Desk today. A \$5 fee is payable upon registration.**

[AARP Driver Safety Program \(April 20, 2017 from 9:00am-1:00pm\)](#)

This AARP driver safety course, sponsored by the Wood County Committee on Aging, will teach you the current rules of the road, defensive driving techniques, and how to operate your vehicle more safely in today's increasingly challenging driving environment. You will also learn how to manage and accommodate common age-related changes in vision, hearing, and reaction time. **Register at the Information Desk or Perrysburg Area Senior Center today. A fee is payable upon registration - \$15 for AARP members and \$20 for non-members.**

[Way Garage Sale \(April 21 from 9:00am-2:00pm and April 22 from 9:00am-12:00pm\)](#)

We're spring cleaning! There's no telling what you'll find at our once-in-a-blue-moon garage sale. Come early for the best selection.

[Free Showing of *Valentin* \(April 21, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

In this touching comedy/drama set in 1960s Buenos Aires, 8-year-old Valentin is abandoned by his mother and severely neglected by his father. Youthfully innocent one moment and wise beyond his years the next, Valentin sets out to make sense of his family life and the adults who have made such a mess of it. This film is in Spanish with English subtitles. Adults only. This film is rated PG-13 and is 1 hour and 26 minutes long. Sponsored by Kingston of Perrysburg.

[Herbs Used on the Civil War Battlefield \(April 24, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Becky White-Schooner of Schooner Farms will give an insightful look at how plant medicine was used when medical supplies were scarce and many doctors had little training. This presentation will intrigue both history buffs and plant lovers!

[Topical Tuesdays: Lake Erie and the Clean Water Act \(April 25, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Way Library, in cooperation with the League of Women Voters of the Perrysburg Area (LWVPA), welcomes Karl Gebhardt from the Ohio EPA, and Sandy Bihn, Executive Director of the Lake Erie Waterkeeper, who will offer perspectives on the Clean Water Act and the "impaired" designation which would require regulations on the Maumee River Basin.

Special Walleye Fest Presentations

[Maumee River Lake Sturgeon Restoration Program \(April 26, 2017 at 2:00pm\)](#)

It is believed that only two populations of lake sturgeon remain in Lake Erie. Through physical habitat assessments done by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and project partners it is believed that the Maumee River is a suitable river for lake sturgeon restoration. Justin Chiotti, fisheries biologist, will share information and underwater video taken during those assessments. He will also discuss the historical status of lake sturgeon, reasons for their decline and the on-going restoration efforts. Co-sponsored by Historic Perrysburg, Inc.

[Walleye on the Run \(April 27, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Join us as author Brian Miller shares a lifetime of experiences fishing walleye on the Maumee River. Brian will reveal special techniques, secret tips, and the best time frames for targeting trophy walleye. Brian Miller's book, *Walleye Run*, will be available for purchase and signing. Co-sponsored by Wood County Park District.

[Romancing the River: A Maumee Love Story \(April 30, 2017 at 2:00pm\)](#)

Steve Pollick, former Outdoors Editor for *The Blade*, and his team paddled the entire length of the Maumee River - four days and 122.8 miles from Fort Wayne to downtown Toledo. Their "Fort to Port" adventure is chronicled in this compelling and beautiful documentary. See the film and meet producer Lou Hebert. Co-sponsored by WGTE Public Media.

[Monarch Garden Workshop \(May 2, 2017 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Monarch butterfly numbers are declining, partly due to the loss of habitat. Milkweed and other native wildflowers can help preserve this beautiful butterfly and its epic migration. Learn how to create, conserve and protect monarch habitats.

[Raspberry Pi Vs. Arduino; Picking the Right Simple Computer \(May 8, 2017 at 6:30pm\)](#)

People all over the world are experimenting with simple computers and coding thanks to their low cost and ease of use. This presentation will cover the two biggest names in the field right now, Arduino and Raspberry Pi, and help you determine which is right for the projects or tasks you are most interested in.

Children and Teen Programs

[Click a link for more information.](#)

[Homeschoolers' Book Talk \(April 3, 2017 from 1:30pm-2:30pm\)](#)

Ages 8-12 years old

Register at the Information Desk today.

Join us for a fun discussion about this month's book selection. We will be discussing *The Fairy Tale Detectives* by Michael Buckley. For Sabrina and Daphne Grimm, life hasn't been a fairy tale. After the disappearance of their parents, the sisters are sent to live with their grandmother - a woman they believed was dead. Granny Relda reveals that the girls have two famous ancestors, the Brothers Grimm, whose classic book of fairy tales is actually case files of magical mischief. Now the girls must take on the family responsibility of being fairy tale detectives.



[Bookaneers Book Club \(April 6, 2017 from 4:00pm-5:00pm\)](#)

Ages 8-10 years old

Register at the Information Desk today.

At each meeting, the group discusses the selected book in a

fun environment. This month we will be discussing *The Terrible Two* by Mac Barnett and Jory John. Miles Murphy is not happy to be moving to Yawnee Valley, a sleepy town that's famous for one thing and one thing only: cows. In his old school, everyone knew him as the town's best prankster, but Miles quickly discovers that Yawnee Valley already has a prankster, and a great one. If Miles is going to take the title from this mystery kid, he is going to have to raise his game.

[Pizza and Pages Book Club \(April 7, 2017 from 3:30pm-4:30pm\)](#)

Ages 11-15 years old

Register at the Information Desk today.

Join us for a great book discussion and great pizza! This month's selection is *The Name of this Book is Secret* by Pseudonymous Bosch. Warning: this description has not been authorized by Pseudonymous Bosch. As much as he'd love to sing the praises of his book (he is very vain), he wouldn't want you to hear about his brave 11-year-old heroes, Cass and Max-Ernest. Or about how a mysterious box of vials, the Symphony of Smells, sends them on the trail of a magician who has vanished under strange (and stinky) circumstances. And he certainly wouldn't want you to know about the hair-raising adventures that follow and the nefarious villains they face. You see, not only is the name of this book secret, the story inside is, too. For it concerns a secret. A Big Secret.

[Afternoon Adventures: Bird Nests \(April 10, 2017 from 1:30pm-2:30pm\)](#)

Ages 8-12 years old

Register online or at the Information Desk today.

In the spirit of spring, students will be introduced to the homes of birds! We will discuss why nests are important, how they are made, and create our own nest to take home.

[Storybook Spotlight \(April 11, 2017 from 4:00pm-5:00pm\)](#)

Ages 5-7 years old

Register online or at the Information Desk today.

Join us for a celebration of *Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale* by Mo Willems! There will be games, crafts, and snacks all in honor of this lovable tale.

[Lego League \(April 13, 2017 from 4:00pm-5:00pm\)](#)

Ages 7-10 years old

Register online or at the Information Desk today.

If you're a great Lego builder, or a first-timer, this is the place for you! We provide the Legos, you provide the imagination.

[Homeschoolers' Marshmallow Towers \(April 17, 2017 from 1:30pm-2:30pm\)](#)

Ages 8-12 years old

Registration begins online and at the Information Desk on April 3 at 9:00am.

Combine engineering and creativity by building marshmallow towers with mini marshmallows and toothpicks. We will discuss design and construction before the students are challenged to build however they are inspired!

[Write Stuff: Teen Writing \(April 19, 2017 from 4:00pm-](#)

5:00pm)

Ages 11-15 years old

Registration begins online and at the Information Desk on March 17 at 9:00am.

If you're between the ages of 11-15 then join us for the Teen Writing Club! Bring in pages you've written and want us to look at or come for the writing prompts/exercises.

Earth Day Craft (April 20, 2017 from 4:00pm-5:00pm)

Ages 7-10 years old

Registration begins online and at the Information Desk on April 6 at 9:00am.

Join us for a fun afternoon learning about our Earth and making a special Earth Day craft!

Once Upon a Time with Alice (April 22, 2017 from 10:00am-11:00am)

All ages welcome

Registration begins online and at the Information Desk on April 10 at 9:00am.

Join us for a very special story time with *Alice in Wonderland!* Alice from Laurel's Princess Parties will give a story time with a sing-a-long, followed by a meet and greet!

Arbor Day Story Time (April 26, 2017 from 10:00am-10:45am)

Ages 3-6 years old

Registration begins online and at the Information Desk on April 12 at 9:00am.

Join us for a special Arbor Day story time for preschoolers! Come enjoy stories about the importance of trees and after the story time there will be an Arbor Day craft!

Special Walleye Fest Activities

Join us for the first ever Perrysburg and Maumee Walleye Fest 2017. A weekend of fun activities for all ages including: Where's the Walleye?, a fishy photo booth, fish games, coloring pages, word games, and more.

Walleye Decorating Contest

Prizes will be awarded in four age categories. Stop in Way Library on April 5 and pick up your Walleye to decorate with colored pencils, crayons, markers, or whatever you like. Entries are due by Sunday, April 23.

Get Crafty: Button Fish (April 27, 2017 from 3:30pm-4:30pm)

Ages 11-15 years old

Registration begins online and at the Information Desk on April 13 at 9:00am.

Use library-provided supplies to make art out of buttons! Please note that the date and time has changed from what was listed in our quarterly brochure.

Walleye Fest Family Movie (April 28, 2017 from 4:00pm-5:45pm)

All ages welcome

Registration is not required.

Join us for a free showing of Disney/Pixar's *Finding Dory* as

part of the Walleye Fest! Dory is a forgetful fish, but she remembers that she somehow became separated from her family. With the help of her friends Nemo and Marlin, she sets out on an epic adventure to find her family. Refreshments will be provided.