

Way Public Library NEWSLETTER April 2018

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Big News at Way!

Greetings!

Welcome to our April 2018 newsletter!

April has arrived to remind us that change can be good—especially the change from winter to spring! Trading snow boots for sandals? Awesome! Shovels for trowels? We're up for that!

Do your reading preferences change with the seasons, too? If you find you are suddenly interested in home improvement projects, spring de-cluttering, landscaping and gardening, or outdoor living, we have just the right books to help you get started. We are always adding titles, too, in order to bring you the most up-to-date information available on these and countless other topics. Stop by and take home as many as you'd like!

Special Guests at Way Library

It was our great honor to welcome Congressman Bob Latta and Librarian of Congress Dr. Carla Hayden to Way Public Library recently. After reading *Make Way for Ducklings* to a group of very enthusiastic Toth Elementary students, the Congressman and Dr. Hayden met with librarians from northwest and west central Ohio for a discussion about efforts to improve and promote literacy. Dr. Hayden became the Librarian of Congress in 2016 and oversees the largest library in the world.



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Do you need help getting started? Consider scheduling a one-on-one tech help session by calling us at 419-874-3135 extension 119.

Acorn TV

Stream your favorite British shows anytime, anywhere, and always commercial free - with your Way Public Library card. *Acorn TV* streams world-class mysteries, dramas, and comedies from Britain and beyond. Binge-watch a classic series or discover your new favorite show among dozens of programs available exclusively on *Acorn TV*. With thousands of hours of commercial-free programming and new shows added weekly, there's always something to watch!

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Start by creating an account at [this link](#). After that, you can watch *Acorn TV* in your web browser, tablet, phone, smart TV, or streaming media device.

Do you need help getting started? Consider scheduling a one-on-one help session by calling us at 419-874-3135 extension 119.

Beyond Books-Party Express

You spoke-we listened!

Our *Beyond Books* collection of unusual things to check out with your library card continues to be a huge hit! Fun and useful new items are being added for you, along with duplicates of the most popular items. Now, because many of you told us you would like to be able to reserve some of our large party games in advance, we have created a new *Beyond Books* service called *Party Express*.



Party Express is a select group of items that you may reserve in advance and check out for a maximum of 4 days. It includes Giant Connect 4, Mega Chess, Mega Checkers, Giant Jenga, Badminton, Ping Pong, and a Karaoke System. For more details, contact Arielle Harbauer at 419-874-3135, extension 128 or Arielle.Harbauer@waylibrary.info. Get your party started!

It's Game Time!

Gather friends and family and head to Way Library between the hours of 12pm and 4pm on Saturday, April 7 for a fun afternoon of game-playing. Game enthusiasts will be on hand to offer recommendations and explain the rules of play for a variety of new board and tabletop games. While you are here you'll have a chance to vote for your favorite game to be added to our *Beyond Books* collection! Drop in for a while or stay the entire time. No registration is needed for this event which is recommended for ages 7-97. We are grateful to the friendly folks at Old School Gaming of Toledo for providing games and expertise.



Celebrate National Library Week with Us

April 8-14, 2018 is National Library Week, an annual observance which allows reflection on the important role that libraries play in our lives. We are always enthusiastic about the opportunity to showcase our wonderful library and the many services we offer to the community. Please stop by and enjoy complimentary refreshments any time during regular business hours on Tuesday, April 10. We look forward to seeing you and sharing what's new!



Meet Boomer the Alpaca

Weather permitting, on April 19 from 5:00pm-6:30pm you can meet Boomer, a live alpaca, in the library's parking lot. *Boomer's visit is sponsored by Fiber of Our Being Felting Guild.*



Are We There Yet?

Before you plan your next family vacation or couples getaway come and see what's new in the Travel & Adventure section at Way. We've recently purchased dozens of new travel books to help you plan. From Amsterdam to Australia and Yosemite to Washington, DC, we've got it covered. Don't forget to see what's on the always changing travel display down the center aisle.



Way Book Sale Extended

Way Library Foundation & Friends has extended its recent book sale for a limited time. This sale includes hardcover and paperback adult fiction only and features the same great prices offered at our book sales. Enjoy shopping thousands of titles on the lower level at Way Library during open hours. Be sure and check in often, as additional titles will be added regularly during this limited time



only sale.

What's Showing in the Gallery

High School Perspectives, featuring art by Perrysburg High School students is currently on display until April 20. A showcase of original art from Perrysburg Junior High students will be on display April 21 through May 29. Gallery displays are presented by PRIZM Creative Community.



Baker's Way

A Pan for All Seasons!

Spring has sprung! Why not celebrate the end of cold weather with a cake? We have a Dancing Daisy, a Butterfly, and a Flower Pot cake pan, to name a few. And don't forget the many tiered cake pans if you are planning a spring wedding. For your convenience, cake pans can now be placed on hold and are located at the end of the adult nonfiction section. Come browse the collection and plan your next delicious dessert!



Volunteer of the Month

Joyce Morris

Joyce Morris, Way Library Volunteer extraordinaire, has been volunteering at the library for many years. She comes on a weekly basis to pull the morning "holds" list, which is a lengthy list of books and AV items to be "pulled" from the shelves for our library patrons. Pulling the "holds" list is an important assignment, as it secures the distribution of specific materials requested by our library patrons.



Joyce spent her earlier years in the Toledo area and moved to Perrysburg in 1990. She is the mother of two sons and two grandsons who actively participate in sporting events that Joyce doesn't miss! She is a retired registered nurse and received her RN at St. Vincent's School of Nursing. Joyce pursued a successful career in nursing at St. Charles Hospital and most recently at Hospice of Northwest Ohio in the office of home care and triage.

When growing up, Joyce and her brother and sister walked three miles to get to their local library. By age six, she had already decided she wanted to read every book at the Locke Branch Library! Having instilled the love of reading at an early age, Joyce has spent a generous amount of time at the library with her sons and grandsons. She is convinced that "there isn't anything that you can't learn from a book!"

Joyce has a motto to "value the moment." This is certainly reflected in her commitment to volunteering at Way Library

and in the community. Way Library is most grateful to Joyce for actively participating as a library volunteer.

New Inspirational Fiction Titles

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



[Hurricane Season](#) by Lauren Denton
(April 3, 2018)

[A Breath of Hope](#) by Lauraine Snelling
(April 3, 2018)

[Pelican Point](#) by Irene Hannon
(April 3, 2018)

[The Wounded Shadow](#) by Patrick W. Carr
(April 3, 2018)

[Blind Betrayal](#) by Nancy Mehl
(April 17, 2018)

[The Accidental Guardian](#) by Mary Connealy
(April 3, 2018)

[The Road Home](#) by Beverly Lewis
(April 3, 2018)

[No One Ever Asked](#) by Katie Ganshert
(April 3, 2018)

[The Pirate Bride](#) by Kathleen Y'Barbo
(April 1, 2018)

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:

[I've Got My Eyes On You](#) by Mary Higgins Clark
(April 3, 2018)

[Hold Back the Dark](#) by Kay Hooper
(April 3, 2018)

[After Anna](#) by Lisa Scottoline
(April 10, 2018)

[Shoot First](#) by Stuart Woods
(April 10, 2018)

[The Cutting Edge](#) by Jeffery Deaver
(April 10, 2018)

[The Fallen](#) by David Baldacci
(April 17, 2018)

[Twisted Prey](#) by John Sandford
(April 24, 2018)

[The 17th Suspect](#) by James Patterson
(April 30, 2018)

Upcoming Programs at Way Public Library

Adult and Family Programs

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



[Innovations in Knee Replacement Procedures \(Thursday, April, 5, 2018 at 2:00pm\)](#)

Dr. Brad Morse, Mercy Health Orthopaedics and Sports Medicine, will demonstrate Mercy Health's new robotic joint replacement procedure using the NAVIO Surgical System.

[Board and Table Top Game Day at Way \(Saturday, April 7, 2018 from 12:00pm to 4:00pm\)](#)

Play different games and meet others interested in board/tabletop games. There will be a place to vote for your favorite games to add to our *Beyond Books* collection so others can check them out in the future.

[Typography Lab Tour \(Saturday, April 7, 2018 at Noon\)](#)

Meet at the University of Toledo for a tour of the English Department's Typography Lab with Dr. Timothy Geiger. You'll see a demonstration of the press, paper decoration, paper making, and hand bookbinding, as well as hear about the art of the handmade book. Attendees must provide their own transportation to the university. **Register at the Information Desk.**

[Electronic Health Records and How to Use Them \(Monday, April 9, 2018 at 2:00pm\)](#)

Mercy Health offers a way for patients to access their own records through the convenience of their computer or mobile device. Dr. Robert Heizelman will share what information is available to those who have signed up for this service, known as MyChart, and how this can be a valuable tool in a patient's journey toward better health.

[**Historical Reenactor Panel \(Monday, April 9th, 2018 at 7:00pm\)**](#)

Way Library and Fort Meigs Historic Site invite you to a panel discussion on historical reenactment. You'll hear about the process of being a reenactor and the reasons behind this historical hobby.

[**Free Showing of *Murder on the Orient Express* \(Wednesday, April 11, 2018 at 2:00pm\)**](#)

What starts out as a lavish train ride through Europe quickly unfolds into one of the most stylish, suspenseful, and thrilling mysteries ever told. Based on the novel by Agatha Christie. Sponsored by Skotynsky Financial Group, LLC.

[**Reel Talk: Free Showing of *To Have and Have Not* \(Thursday, April 12, 2018 at 10:00am\)**](#)

See Humphrey Bogart and Lauren Bacall's first movie together, loosely based on Hemingway's story of a skipper for hire tangled up in World War II intrigue. Join us for a discussion afterwards with guest speaker Rudy Schroeder. Sponsored by Kingston of Perrysburg

[**Vinyl Records, Then and Now \(Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at 7:00pm\)**](#)

Join Dr. Dave Lewis, sound archivist at Bowling Green State University's Bill Schurk Sound Archives, to learn more about the fascinating history of vinyl, its predecessors, and its recent resurgence, as well as the wealth of recorded sound in BGSU's archives.

[**Reel Opinions with WGTE Public Media - *Al Capone: Icon* \(Thursday, April 19, 2018 at 2:00pm\)**](#)

Al Capone - the quintessential self-made American man, ruthless killer, or both? Just his name sparks images of pinstripe suits and bloody violence. To this day, Americans are fascinated by this celebrity gangster. The question is why? Please join us for this documentary and discussion afterward!

[**The Art of the FeltLOOM \(Thursday, April 19, 2018 at 6:00pm\)**](#)

See Alpaca fibers turn to fabric when Julie Verhelst, owner of Sunny Meade Alpacas, Ltd. demonstrates the use of the FeltLoom, a needle felting machine that utilizes 300 felting needles. Following the demonstration, you are welcome to join us as we make a felted spring flower creation. This optional \$5 "Make & Take" project does not require registration. However, there will be a limited number of fiber packets available.

Reserve yours in advance at the library's Information Desk.

This educational demonstration and project are sponsored by Fiber of Our Being Felting Guild.

[**AARP® Driver Safety Course \(Friday, April 20, 2018 at 9:00am\)**](#)

This class is full and registration is closed.

Learn current rules of the road, defensive driving techniques, and more. There is a fee of \$15 for AARP members and \$20 for non-members. Sponsored by the Wood County Committee on Aging. **Register at the Information Desk.**

[Reel Art: Free Showing of *Theeb* \(Friday, April 20, 2018 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Set in the land of Lawrence of Arabia, this film tells the wonderful story about a boy who, in order to survive, must become a man and live up to the name his father gave him. In Arabic with English subtitles.

[BGSU's Pro Musica Performance \(Saturday, April 21, 2018 from 7:00pm to 8:30pm\)](#)

Way Library is pleased to once again host the students from BGSU's College of Musical Arts ProMusica program. In addition to performing, students will talk about their experiences traveling, competing, and what they've learned about their craft.

[Plastic Surgery: Reducing Plastic Packaging \(Monday, April 23, 2018 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Learn about the harmful effects of plastics on our local environment, including our waterways, and how you can reduce your impact. Discover the long-reaching effect of our local plastic use and how it ultimately impacts the Pacific Ocean Garbage Pile. Presenters will be Judy Hagen, Lauren Rush, and Paul Fuzinski.

[Topical Tuesdays: The Regional Water Authority \(Tuesday, April 24, 2018 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Way Library and the League of Women Voters of the Perrysburg Area present a panel discussion on the Regional Water Authority, a proposed new contract which would involve nine cities or nearby entities, including Perrysburg. Panelists slated to appear are Tim Brown, President of the Toledo Metropolitan Area Council of Governments; Tom Mackin, Mayor of Perrysburg; and Craig Stough, Mayor of Sylvania.

[Bitcoin and Cryptocurrency \(Wednesday, April 25, 2018 at 7:00pm\)](#)

Way Library welcomes software developer Scott Radcliff for a talk on bitcoin. Join us as we learn about the history of bitcoin, how it works, and what impact this and other forms of cryptocurrency will have on the future.

[Apple Class 2 \(Thursday, April 26, 2018 at 2:00pm\)](#)

If you've mastered the basics of your Apple iPad or iPhone and want to learn something new, come to this event to see a live demo of a wide range of intermediate Apple functions. We will cover iCloud, notes and reminders, managing contacts, setting up email, battery-saving options, and more!

[Perrysburg's Hydraulic Canal \(Sunday, April 29, 2018 at 2:00pm\)](#)

Gary Franks will examine the history of the design, construction, and operation of the Perrysburg dam and the hydraulic canal, and discuss the waterfront businesses they powered. Remnants of the dam and canal that can still be seen today will be featured. Sponsored by Historic Perrysburg, Inc.

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



[**Homeschoolers' Book Talk \(April 2, 2018 from 1:30pm-2:30pm\)**](#)

Ages 8-12

Register at the Information Desk.

Join us for a fun discussion about this month's book selection. We will be discussing *Danny the Champion of the World* by Roald Dahl. Danny's life seems perfect: his home is a gypsy caravan, he's the youngest car mechanic around, and his best friend is his dad, who never runs out of wonderful stories to tell. And when Danny discovers his father's secret, he's off on the adventure of a lifetime. Here's Roald Dahl's famous story about a 9-year-old boy, his dad, and a daring and hilarious pheasant-snatching expedition.

[**Bookaneers \(April 5, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)**](#)

Ages 8-10

Register at the Information Desk.

Join us as we have activities and discussions based off this month's book: *The Great Shelby Holmes* by Elizabeth Eulberg. Meet spunky sleuth Shelby and her sports-loving sidekick Watson as they take on a dog-napper in this fresh twist on Sherlock Holmes. Shelby Holmes is not your average sixth grader. She's nine years old, barely four feet tall, and the best detective her Harlem neighborhood has ever seen-always using logic and a bit of pluck (which yes, some might call "bossiness") to solve the toughest crimes. Refreshments will be served.

[**Pizza and Pages Book Club \(April 6, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)**](#)

Ages 11-15

Register at the Information Desk.

Join us for a great book discussion and great pizza! This month we will discussing four different graphic novels. Readers get to choose at least two of the following graphic novels: *Nimona* by Noelle Stevenson, *Ms. Marvel: No Normal* by G. Willow Wilson, *Gotham Academy: Welcome to Gothic Academy* by Becky Cloonan and Karl Kerschl, and *Friends With Boys* by Faith Erin Hicks.

[**Storybook Spotlight \(April 10, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)**](#)

Ages 5-7

Register online or at the Information Desk.

Join us for a celebration of the stories *Creepy Carrots* and *Creepy Pair of Underwear* by Aaron Reynolds. There will be games, crafts, and snacks all in honor of these creepy stories.

[**Lego League \(April 12, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)**](#)

Ages 7-10

Register online or at the Information Desk.

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.

[**Mickey Matinee: Mary Poppins \(April 14, 2018 from 1:00pm-4:00pm\)**](#)

All ages welcome

Register online or at the Information Desk.

Join us for a celebration of Walt Disney's Mary Poppins! Starting at 1:00pm there will be games, crafts, and snacks honoring this beloved nanny. Then at 1:30pm there will be a showing of Disney's *Mary Poppins*.

[Homeschoolers' Hydraulic Butterflies \(April 16, 2018 1:30pm-3:00pm\)](#)

Ages 8-12

Registration begins April 2 at 9:00am online and at the Information Desk.

Combine physics and art with a unique project introducing hydraulics. Students will construct a water powered, moving butterfly sculpture that simulates flight.

[Write Stuff: Teen Writing Club \(April 18, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

Ages 11-15

Register online or at the Information Desk.

Bring in pages you've written and want the group to look at or come for the writing prompts/exercises.

[Earth Day with Judy Hagen \(April 19, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

Ages 7-10

Registration begins April 5 at 9:00am online and at the Information Desk.

Celebrate Earth Day by learning about the effects of litter and plastic on our local waterways. Create fish from plastic bottles, and enjoy stories about keeping the Earth healthy. Sponsored by Keep Perrysburg Beautiful.

[Once Upon a Time with Poppy \(April 21, 2018 from 10:00am-11:00am\)](#)

All ages welcome

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

Join us for a fun filled story time with Poppy! Poppy from Laurel's Princess Parties will give a magical story time followed by a meet and greet!

[Homeschoolers' Afternoon Adventures: Window Art \(April 23, 2018 from 1:30pm-2:30pm\)](#)

Ages 5-7

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

Welcome the sunshine back into your home with colorful window decorations. We will create a variety of suncatchers between stories about sunlight and colors.

[Junior Lego League \(April 24, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

Ages 4-6

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

Now young builders can join in on the Lego League fun! 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.

[Virtual Teens \(April 27, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

Ages 11-15

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

Stop by the library and use some of our Virtual Reality equipment for an hour of virtual fun!