

Way Public Library



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Greetings!

Welcome to our August 2016 Newsletter. We hope you have been enjoying this summer's bicentennial festivities as much as we have! This issue features winners of the "Bicentennial Battle of the Beards" contest and "200 Years of Perrysburg Trivia" contest. We invite you to join us for the final event of the Bicentennial Lecture Series on August 17 at 7:00 pm, featuring Jeremy Meier as Commodore Olive Hazard Perry.

As the bicentennial events come to a close and we reflect on the enthusiasm shown by Perrysburg residents, we hope to experience as much community passion for our town during the next 200 years.

Big News at Way!

Get Ready for September

- Way will be closed on Labor Day (Monday, September 5, 2016). We will resume Sunday hours (1-5pm) on September 11, 2016.

September
IS LIBRARY CARD
SIGN-UP MONTH!*

- September is Library Card Sign-Up Month! Have you lost your library card or has your card seen a lot of wear and tear? We will replace your card for free for the duration of September. Visit the Circulation Desk next month to replace your card.

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Put this on your calendar now!

On Friday, September 23 at 7:00 pm, Way Library welcomes Jackie & Gary for a live folk concert on the library's main level. Bring the whole family and step back in time for a wonderful evening of hootenanny fun and memories as Jackie & Gary present "Singing the Good Old Songs Again." The concert honors the rich tradition of American folk music and features tunes made famous by Chapin, Denver, Lightfoot, Croce, Dylan, Guthrie, Seeger, and others you're sure to remember.



Jackie Davidson was one of the original New Christy Minstrels and sang on such hits as "Green, Green," "Today," and "Saturday Night." Gary Brandt is a well-seasoned singer/songwriter from Michigan, a hub of folk music activity in the Midwest. An aficionado of the work of Gordon Lightfoot, Gary is a talented balladeer who weaves rich tales of the Great Lakes and other legends in his songs. Together, Jackie and Gary are dynamite entertainment, not to be missed!

Admission and refreshments for this special event are free of charge. Make your plans now to join us at Way Library for a rousing concert of memories and sing-along fun that's suited to all ages!

Learn Spanish at Way!

Spanish for Beginners

Want to brush up on your Spanish or learn some survival Spanish for your next trip? Instructor Jenifer Chambers will help you practice conversational skills and learn about some of the many cultures where Spanish is spoken. Each session will review some basic Spanish structure, vocabulary themes, and interesting aspects of Latin cultures, including foods and beverages. Participants will learn how to use online resources at home to maximize their language development at their own level, so that each week they can see a personal progression as well as enjoy the group interaction.



The class will meet Wednesday nights from 7:00 pm-8:15 pm, September 21 through October 19. The class is free, but registration is required and class size is limited. Registration begins at the Information Desk on August 22 at 9:00 am.

Perrysburg Architectural Scavenger Hunt

Entry packets for the 2016 Perrysburg Architectural Scavenger Hunt are now available at the Information



Desk. The deadline to enter this contest is 4:00 pm on September 30, 2016. Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places in each division. This event is co-sponsored by Historic Perrysburg, Inc. and Way Public Library.

Inventory Reduction Sale

Don't miss the Inventory Reduction Book Sale going on now on the Library's lower level. Choose from a large assortment of hardcover and paperback adult fiction and nonfiction titles for the super special price of \$2 per small bag while supplies last! Come in and browse any time the library is open. All proceeds benefit Way Public Library. The next full-line book sale will be on Harrison Rally Day-September 17-our biggest sale of the year!



Way Library's 3rd Annual Cake Decorating Contest

Winners of our 3rd Annual Cake Decorating Contest will be announced on August 3. Check [our website](#) to see which spectacular cakes have won!



COLOR MY WORLD Youth Art Invitational Exhibit

August 5-September 30

Way is pleased to showcase a variety of fun, creative, and extraordinary art works from kids and teens through junior high age at Way and PRIZM's Youth Art Invitational Exhibit. All art works will be on display Aug. 5-Sept. 30 in Way's Gallery on the lower level.



Join us for the [Opening Reception on Wednesday, August 10 from 2:00 pm-4:00 pm](#). Awards and certificates will be presented at the reception. You do not have to be present to accept. Refreshments will be served.

Dedicate-A-Book

The Way Public Library Foundation & Friends Dedicate-A-Book program offers a distinctive way to acknowledge someone who has made a difference in your life. Whether it is in memoriam or tribute of a birthday, anniversary, or other special occasion,

your donation enables Way to buy materials that will enrich the lives of everyone who uses the library. [Click here](#) to submit a Dedicate-A-Book request and learn about our other donation options.



"200 Years of Trivia" Contest

Winners Announced

Way Public Library and *Perrysburg Messenger Journal* held a "200 Years of Trivia" Contest this summer in honor of Perrysburg's bicentennial. The contestants with the most correct answers were Carol Gries, Gary Franks, and Beth Webb.



Participants were required to answer 50 challenging questions about Perrysburg's history. Answers to the trivia questions may be found [here](#).

Bicentennial Battle of the Beards

Best Beards Announced



The best contestants of the Bicentennial Battle of the Beards have been chosen! A panel of judges determined the winners of the contest July 7 at the Commodore Schoolyard, followed by a musical performance of *Ragtime Rick and the Chefs of Dixieland* and the Barbershop Quartet, *Racquet Squad*. The winners are as follows:

Longest Beard: Matt Thompson
Fullest Beard: Brandon Watts
Homeliest/Ugliest Beard: Lee Johnson
Most Unusual Beard: John Jenkins
Best Law Enforcement Beard: Mark Lepkowski

Pictures of the event and other contestants may be found on

Bicentennial Parade Float

Way Library celebrates 135 years of service with Bicentennial Parade Float



Way Library's float depicting 135 years of service to Perrysburg took home the trophy for 3rd place in Perrysburg's Bicentennial Parade held on Saturday, July 2. Designed and constructed by Way Library staff and volunteers, the float featured a giant book and live scenes from "Way Back When" and "Way Today." The giant book will be on display in the library for viewing and photo opportunities for a limited time. Stop by and see it!

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:

"[Bullseye](#)" (A Michael Bennett Novel) by James Patterson
(August 1, 2016)

"[Smooth Operator](#)" (A Teddy Fay Novel) by Stuart Woods & Parnell Hall
(August 2, 2016)

"[Sweet Tomorrows](#)" (A Rose Harbor Novel) by Debbie Macomber
(August 2, 2016)

"[Family Tree](#)" by Susan Wiggs
(August 9, 2016)

"[Insidious](#)" by Catherine Coulter
(August 9, 2016)

"[Curious Minds](#)" by Janet Evanovich
(August 16, 2016)

"[Damaged](#)" (A Rosato & Dinuzio Novel) by Lisa Scottoline
(August 16, 2016)

"[Sting](#)" by Sandra Brown
(August 16, 2016)

"[The One Man](#)" by Andrew Gross
(August 23, 2016)

"[A Great Reckoning](#)" by Louise Penny
(August 30, 2016)

"[The Jealous Kind](#)" by James Lee Burke
(August 30, 2016)

"[Rushing Waters](#)" by Danielle Steel
(August 30, 2016)

Looks Who's Cooking...

Marsha Selders, Way Library Page, has submitted this month's recipe for "Look Who's Cooking." The recipe originally came from Marsha's sister and it soon became a family favorite at Marsha's house, too. It certainly would be easy to make on a busy day. Hope you enjoy!



Tuna Burgers

1 large can tuna in water, drained
1/2 cup chopped celery
1/2 cup green olives, chopped
1/2 cup shredded cheese
1 medium onion, chopped
Miracle Whip salad dressing

Combine first 5 ingredients in small bowl. Add Miracle Whip dressing until mixture is moist. Shape into patties and place each patty in a hamburger bun. Wrap each bun in foil. Bake at 350° F for 15 minutes.

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](#).

[Free Showing of *The Big Short* \(August 4, 2016 at 2:00 pm\)](#)



Enjoy a movie about the financial meltdown from the perspective of a number of players. This showing is free. Registration is not required. Refreshments will be served.

[Coloring Pages and Crafts \(August 8, 2016 at 6:30 pm\)](#)

Stop in and make something! We'll provide the supplies, you supply the ideas. Arts and crafts for your INNER child! Adults only, please. Registration is not required.

[No-Hazard Apps \(August 16, 2016 at 6:00 pm\)](#)

Explore various apps for children that have been found to be safe, reputable, and/or educational. Learn how you can be a more active guardian with respect to the apps that your children/grandchildren use.

[Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry \(August 17, 2016 at 7:00 pm\)](#)

Oliver Hazard Perry comes to life in the person of Jeremy Meier, Associate Professor in the theatre program at Owens Community College. He will present a one-man performance depicting the famous naval commander. Free. No registration required.

[Android Help Night \(August 23, 2016 at 6:00 pm\)](#)

Do you want to know more about your Android smartphone or tablet? Bring your questions and your device to this one-and-a-half-hour event to get help at the beginner or intermediate level.

[Field Trip to Deep in Design Studios \(August 27, 2016 at 2:00 pm\)](#)

Meet at Deep in Design studios, located at 252 Ottawa Street in Toledo, for this one-of-a-kind experience. Artists Rachel McCartney and JC Christy will guide you through their studio space and discuss the work they are doing with the Roulet Company press and dies. Registration required.

[Hail, Caesar! \(September 6, 2016 at 2:00 pm\)](#)

Show Me the Movie! Sponsored by Skotynsky Financial Group

Hail, Caesar! follows a day in the life of Eddie Mannix, a Hollywood fixer for Capitol Pictures in the 1950s, who cleans up and solves problems for big names and stars in the industry. This movie has a great cast including George Clooney.

[Drowning in Paper? Tips to Cut the Clutter! \(September 6, 2016 at 7:00 pm\)](#)

Learn how to get organized, simplify your paper clutter, and reduce your paper stress using practical tips from Karen Lucas, Professional Organizer. Then, two weeks later bring those bags and boxes of papers to be shredded at our **[Free Shred Day at Way on September 21 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm.](#)**

[Roulet Die Drop-In \(September 8, 2016 from 4:00 pm-8:00 pm\)](#)

If you, a family member, or friend have a piece of jewelry that was made by the Roulet Company, please bring it to this program! Local art studio Deep in Design has recently acquired a lot of 5,000 dies from Roulet, and they are in the

process of learning the stories behind the dies and cataloging their history.

[Reel Art: Free Showing of *Two Days, One Night* \(September 9, 2016 at 7:00 pm\)](#)

Marion Cotillard received an Oscar nomination for her performance as Sandra, a Belgian factory worker, in this French social drama. This movie will be shown in French with English subtitles. Adults only.

[The Amazing Race, Library Edition \(September 10, 2016 at 10:00 am\)](#)

Get ready to make your way around detours and overcome obstacles as you take part in the Amazing Race - Library Edition! You'll walk through the library and downtown Perrysburg as you try to be the first team to the finish line. Registration is required and space is limited. **[Registration begins online or at the Information Desk on August 15th at 9:00 am.](#)**

[Heartsaver CPR AED Certification Class \(September 12, 2016 from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm\)](#)

The primary audience for this class is anyone with limited or no medical training who needs a course completion card to meet job, regulatory, or other requirements. Upon successful completion students receive a Heartsaver CPR AED course completion card, valid for 2 years. The cost of the class is \$40, and registration is required at the Way Library Information Desk.

[Healthy U Chronic Disease \(September 20-October 25, 2016 from 1:00 pm-3:30 pm\)](#)

Healthy U is a chronic disease self-management program developed by researchers at Stanford. This interactive workshop will be offered at Way Library and presented by professionals from Mercy Health. It will take place on Tuesday afternoons from 1-3:30 for six weeks starting September 20, 2016. Find practical ways to deal with pain, fatigue or depression from asthma, arthritis, heart disease, diabetes, and other life-long conditions. This is a free program. Registration is required at the Information Desk or by calling 419-874-3135 ext. 119.

[Free Shred Day at Way \(September 21, 2016 from 3:00 pm-6:00 pm\)](#)

Protect your identity by shredding your personal documents at our free shred day. A shredding truck from Allshred Services will be in Way's parking lot for your drop-off convenience.

[Intro to iPhones \(September 27, 2016 at 2:00 pm\)](#)

Come to this one-and-a-half-hour event to become more comfortable with your iPhone. The first 20 minutes of the event will contain basic tips for beginners. The remainder of the program will cover questions from the audience.

[Virtual and Augmented Reality with Heejoo Gwen Kim \(September 28, 2016 at 6:00 pm\)](#)

Do you want to learn more about Virtual Reality, Augmented Reality, and Mixed Reality? Heejoo Gwen Kim, professor of

Digital Arts at the BGSU College of Arts and Sciences will be filling us in on this major rising trend. We'll also be showing off some emerging VR technology including the Oculus Rift, Gear VR, and Google Cardboard headsets.

Children and Teen Programs

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

August 4, 11, 18, 25 - Read to the Dogs

7:00 pm-8:00 pm

Grades 1st-4th



[Registration begins at the Information Desk or online on July 21 at 9:00 am](#)

Trained therapy dogs will give young readers an opportunity to practice their reading skills. Children entering 1st through 4th grades may sign up for a 15 minute one-on-one reading session with a dog. For more information, please contact Melissa Tallis, Youth Services Coordinator, at melissa.tallis@waylibrary.info or at 419-874-3135 x109.

August 13 - Mickey Matinee: Robin Hood

1:00 pm-3:00 pm

All ages welcome

[Registration begins at the Information Desk or online on August 1 at 9:00 am](#)

Join us for a celebration of Disney's Robin Hood. Starting at 1:00 pm there will be games, crafts, and snacks all in honor of Robin Hood and his Merry Men, then at 1:30 pm there will be a showing of Disney's Robin Hood. For more information, please contact Melissa Tallis, Youth Services Coordinator, at melissa.tallis@waylibrary.info or at 419-874-3135 x109.

August 15 - Homeschool Kick-Off

1:30 pm-2:30 pm

All ages welcome

No registration required

Launch the 2016-2017 school year at Way Public Library! Meet other homeschooling families in the area and discuss the library's own homeschool programs in a casual launch party for the school year! Miss Alyssa will be on hand to answer questions and discuss the new schedule. Bring the whole family! For more information, please contact Alyssa Bullock at 419-874-3135 x127 or alyssa.bullock@waylibrary.info.

August 24 - Little Chefs

10:00 am-11:00 am

Ages 19-35 months

[Registration begins at the Information Desk or online August 10 at 9:00 am](#)

Join us for a hands-on program for toddlers 19 months to 35 months. Toddlers will practice their kitchen skills including mixing, measuring, and stirring at this interactive program. Caution: fun and messes may occur. For more information, please contact Melissa Tallis, Youth Services Coordinator, at melissa.tallis@waylibrary.info or 419-874-3135 x109.