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Way Public Library NEWSLETTER

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Big News at Way!

Greetings!

Welcome to our May 2018 newsletter!

Each month has its own appeal, but there's only one that's called "merry, merry." Is it because spring is here to stay? Or the last day of school is within sight? Is it the longer days? Whatever the reason, we totally agree with Beryl Pfizer who said, "May is the one month that really deserves all its 31 days." We look forward to seeing you often during this happy month!

Please note **the library will be closed Sunday, May 27 and Monday, May 28** in observance of Memorial Day.

A Way With Flowers

Country Garden Club is pleased to present [A Way With Flowers](#), a judged Flower Show that takes place at Way Library. This spectacular display of flowers may be viewed on Saturday, June 2 from 9:00am-5:30pm and Sunday, June 3 from 1:00pm-4:00pm.



New to the show this year are a Children's Category in Floral Arranging and a Garden Boutique which will feature various local vendors with items for purchase. View entry guidelines for children's floral arranging [here](#).

What's Growing In Your Garden?

Contact Us

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Is that a weed? What plants are native to Ohio? As you begin planting your garden, get these and many other questions answered at the library. There are books and DVDs on wildflower gardens, square foot gardens, vegetable gardens, and so much more. Besides the gardening area within the adult nonfiction collection, be sure and see the special display of gardening books down the center aisle.



"Beyond Books" Has Expanded

We have added 15 new fun and useful items to our ever popular "Beyond Books" collection. Be the first to borrow the new unusual items that can be checked out with your library card. See full list of items [here](#).



Way Book Sale Extended

Due to popular demand, Way Public Library Foundation & Friends continues to extend its lower level book sale. This sale includes hardcover and paperback adult fiction books 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 to check in often, as additional titles will be added regularly.



Farmers Market Parking

We are excited to know that the Perrysburg Farmers Market will begin their 2018 season on May 10. It is always fun to walk the streets of Downtown Perrysburg to see what new offerings are available, hear new music, and see old friends.



Here at Way we understand that we have a convenient parking venue for those who visit the Farmers Market, but we do have a special request. The middle aisle of our parking lot has been designated for those actually using the library during the hours that the Farmers Market is open. This area will be clearly marked with signs. So if you come into town for the market, we thank you for leaving the middle aisle for those using the library.

Baker's Way

A Pan for All Seasons!

What's new on Baker's Way? We have a new address! Cake pans have been moved to the end of the adult nonfiction section where there is a little more room. Now it will be even easier for



you to browse through our great selection of 200 pans. There's also a space especially for featuring cake pans specific to the season or time of year. This month we are celebrating graduates and have various graduation pans to choose from. Come and enjoy the new location, and see our featured pans for May right across the aisle. You may find just the inspiration you need for your next showstopping dessert!

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, starting in April, Kroger requires participants to re-designate their Community Rewards 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.

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 Moe Ibarra.



[Lone Witness](#) by Rachel Dylan
(May 1, 2018)

[Falling for You](#) by Becky Wade
(May 1, 2018)

[Together Forever](#) by Jody Hedlund
(May 1, 2018)

[Storm Front](#) by Susan May Warren
(May 1, 2018)

[Honeysuckle Dreams](#) by Denise Hunter
(May 1, 2018)

[To the Moon and Back \(A Baxter Family Novel\)](#) by Karen Kingsbury
(May 29, 2018)

[The Amish Quilter](#) by Mindy Starns Clark and Leslie Gould
(May 1, 2018)

[Miss Wilton's Waltz](#) by Josi S. Kilpack
(May 1, 2018)

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:

[*The Forgotten Road*](#) by Richard Paul Evans
(May 1, 2018)

[*Robert B. Parker's Old Black Magic*](#) by Ace Atkins
(May 1, 2018)

[*The High Tide Club*](#) by Mary Kay Andrews
(May 8, 2018)

[*The Crooked Staircase*](#) by Dean Koontz
(May 8, 2018)

[*The Cast*](#) by Danielle Steel
(May 15, 2018)

[*By Invitation Only*](#) by Dorothea Benton Frank
(May 15, 2018)

[*Princess: A Private Novel*](#) by James Patterson
(May 15, 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](#).



[May the Fourth - Star Wars Day \(Friday, May 4, 2018 from 10:30am to 6:30pm\)](#)

Celebrate Star Wars Day at Way Library with a series of movies and virtual reality challenges!

- Watch *The Force Awakens* from 10:30am-12:45pm
- Use the Oculus Rift and Jedi Challenge from 1:00pm-2:00pm
- Watch *The Last Jedi* from 2:15pm-5:00pm
- Use the Oculus Rift and Jedi Challenge from 5:00pm-6:30pm

[Frosting and Fondant Class \(Saturday, May 5, 2018 at](#)

10:00am)

Cake decorating expert Wendy Bach will present a fun and informative class on how to level, torte, fill and frost a cake, and then cover the cake with fondant. The cost for registration is \$10.00, and a small student supply list will be provided.

Register at the Information Desk.

Telling Your Life Story: Once Begun is Half Done (Mondays, May 7, 14, and 21 at 10:00am)

In this three-session class, Dorothy Stanton and her husband Al will guide you as you document your own life story for your family and loved ones. It is not necessary to be skilled at writing. All you need is a notebook, a pencil, and your own memories. [Register online or at the Information Desk.](#)

Let's Talk Trees (Monday, May 7, 2018 at 7:00pm)

Please join Urban Forester Stephanie Miller for an educational presentation about growing and caring for trees. She will discuss how to select the right tree for the right location and share the most up-to-date practices in the correct planting, care, and maintenance of trees.

Topical Tuesdays: Poverty in Perrysburg (Tuesday, May 8, 2018 at 7:00pm)

Way Library and the League of Women Voters of the Perrysburg Area welcome Brook Price, principal of Woodland Elementary School, for a talk on the issues that students in our community bring with them to school each morning. The presentation will also focus on what the community can do to help ensure basic needs are met for every child.

Android Class 2 (Thursday, May 10, 2018 at 2:00pm)

If you've mastered the basics of your Android device and want to learn something new, come to this event to learn how to back up photos to the cloud, organize events in a calendar, save notes and reminders, manage contacts, setup email, review battery-saving options, and more!

Putting Your Best Foot Forward (Monday, May 14, 2018 at 2:00pm)

Please join Khase A. Wilkinson, D.P.M, FACFAS, as he discusses common foot problems such as arthritis pain, bunions, diabetic foot care, and plantar fasciitis. Dr. Wilkinson will cover treatment options and helpful information about recommended footwear. Sponsored by Mercy Health.

Show Me the Movie: Free Showing of Last Flag Flying (Tuesday, May 15, 2018 at 2:00pm)

Thirty years after they served together in the Vietnam War, former Navy Hospital Corpsman Larry "Doc" Shepherd reunites with ex-Marines Sal and Mueller to bury Doc's son, a young Marine killed in the Iraq War. Doc decides to forgo burial at Arlington Cemetery and, with the help of his old buddies, takes the casket on a bittersweet trip up the East coast to his home in suburban New Hampshire. Sponsored by Skotynsky Financial Group, LLC.

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



[**Bookaneers \(Thursday, May 3, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)**](#)

Ages 8-10

Register at the Information Desk.

Join us as we have activities and discussions based off this month's book: *Red: the True Story of Red Riding Hood* by Liesl Shurtliff. Red is not afraid of the big bad wolf. She's not afraid of anything... except magic. But when Red's granny falls ill, it seems that only magic can save her, and fearless Red is forced to confront her one weakness. With the help of a blond, porridge-sampling nuisance called Goldie, Red goes on a quest to cure Granny. Her journey takes her through dwarves' caverns to a haunted well and a beast's castle. All the while, Red and Goldie are followed by a wolf and a huntsman - two mortal enemies who seek the girls' help to defeat each other. Refreshments will be served.

[**Read to the Dogs \(Thursdays, May 3, 10, 17, and 24, 2018 from 7:00pm-8:00pm\)**](#)

Grades 1st-4th

Register online or at the Information Desk.

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.

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

Ages 11-15

Register at the Information Desk.

Join us for a great book discussion and great pizza! This month we will be discussing *The Angel Experiment* by James Patterson. Six unforgettable kids - with no families, no homes - are running for their lives. Max Ride and her best friends have the ability to fly. And that's just the beginning of their amazing powers. But they don't know where they come from, who's hunting them, why they are different from all other humans... and if they're meant to save mankind - or destroy it.

[**Homeschoolers' Book Talk \(Monday, May 7, 2018 from 1:30pm-2:30pm\)**](#)

Ages 8-12

Register at the Information Desk.

Join us for a fun discussion about this month's book selection. We will be discussing *A Dragon's Guide to the Care and*

Feeding of Humans by Laurence Yep. Feisty dragon Miss Drake has a new pet human, precocious Winnie. Oddly enough, Winnie seems to think Miss Drake is her pet - a ridiculous notion! Miss Drake has her work cut out for her if she's ever going to train Winnie to be the perfect companion.

[Lego League \(Thursday, May 10, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

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.

[Homeschoolers' Afternoon Adventures: Little Botanists \(Monday, May 14, 2018 from 10:30am-11:30am\)](#)

Ages 5-7

Register online or at the Information Desk.

Budding scientists can celebrate the season by investigating plants! We will learn about the different parts of a flower alongside our usual books and crafts.

[Write Stuff: Teen Writing Club \(Wednesday, May 16, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

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.

[Game On! \(Thursday, May 17, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

Ages 7-10

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

Do you enjoy playing card games, board games, or trivia-style games? Well then, game on! Come to the Mercy Activity Center and play a game you know and love or try a new one!

[Once Upon a Time with Tinkerbell \(Saturday, May 19, 2018 from 10:00am-11:00am\)](#)

All ages welcome

Registration begins May 7 at 9:00am online and at the Information Desk.

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

[Homeschoolers' Monarch Butterflies \(Monday, May 21, 2018 from 1:30pm-2:30pm\)](#)

Ages 8-12

Registration begins May 7 at 9:00am online and at the Information Desk.

Learn how you can boost the declining Monarch population. Make seed balls to start your own butterfly garden at home. Presented by Judy Hagen from the Office of Litter Prevention and Recycling.

[Junior Lego League \(Tuesday, May 22, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

Ages 4-6

Registration begins May 8 at 9:00am online 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.

[Slime-tastic Teens \(Friday, May 25, 2018 from 4:15pm-5:15pm\)](#)

Ages 11-15

Registration begins May 11 at 9:00am online and at the Information Desk.

There's a whole slew of slime recipes on the Internet. Stop by the library and try them out!