



Way Public Library NEWSLETTER

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Here's the latest news!

Greetings!

Greetings of the season to you! Our entire staff wishes you a warm, safe, and joyful holiday season!



A few December highlights at Way

Fans of British comedy are invited to a [viewing party with WGTE](#) featuring clips from holiday episodes of popular series. Bring your own teacup and partake of proper British refreshments while you watch some of the jolliest skits ever aired! The party starts at 7pm on Tuesday, December 3.

On Saturday, December 7 at 10am, Musicologist-in-Residence Dr. Ryan Ebright will host a kid-oriented overview to the wild world of 20th- and 21st-century musical modernism. An [instrument petting zoo](#) is the perfect medium for discovery as youngsters get to play and experiment with sound.

Princess Ana from Laurel's Princess Parties is our special guest for a fun-filled [Once Upon a Time](#) storytime at 10am on Saturday, December 14. A meet-and-greet will follow the story. All ages are welcome!

Adults are invited to join us for a special screening of the holiday classic [Christmas in Connecticut](#) on Wednesday, December 18 at 2pm. Cookies, popcorn, and a hot chocolate bar await you!

Ring out the old year with us at the annual [Noon Year's Eve party](#) organized by our Youth Services department. If midnight is past your bedtime, this party is for you! Starting at 11:30am on December 31, games, crafts, and snacks will be available as we prepare for a special countdown to noon! All ages are welcome.

These are just a few of the [Adult](#), [Children](#), and [Teen](#) programs and classes on the schedule in December. Make plans to join us often!

Holiday Schedule

Special hours for Christmas and New Year's

The library will be closed on Tuesday, December 24 and Wednesday, December 25.

On Tuesday, December 31, we will close at 5:30 p.m. and remain closed on Wednesday, January 1, 2020.

Regular hours resume on Thursday, January 2, 2020.

Have a fabulous holiday season!



Annual Campaign for Way

A message from Way Public Library Foundation & Friends

Support Way Library as we kick off our annual campaign, and make your tax-deductible donation today.



Thanks to the generosity of donors, the Way Public Library Foundation & Friends was able to make some exciting purchases and fund innovative library services in 2019.

[Click here](#) to check it out!

[Donate now!](#)

Local History Nugget

Richard Baranowski, author, historian, and librarian, continues his "Local History Nugget" series. This monthly article focuses on quick facts from local history. Look for a new mini-lesson in each issue of our newsletter!



When Wood County was young...

In 2020, Wood County will be celebrating its bicentennial. Did you know that Perrysburg was the original county seat of Wood County? From 1820 until 1866, the courts and all county business operations were conducted in Perrysburg. Although there was resistance and another vote, the county seat was firmly established in Bowling Green in 1875.

Local Authors

Find books by Northwest Ohio writers

Perrysburg and the greater Toledo area boast a number of authors. Children's author Denise Fleming, American history

author Douglas Brinkley, and our very own Richard Baranowski are just a few of the Northwest Ohio writers represented in our collections here at Way.



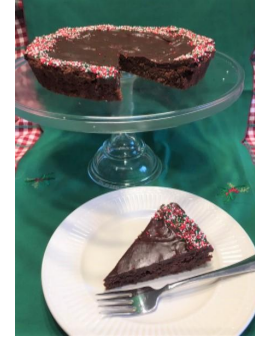
Look for books throughout the library with this label on the spine, and enjoy reading the works of our talented local authors.

Baker's Way

A Pan for All Seasons

Are you ready to start baking for the holidays? We can help you out!

In addition to our huge selection of holiday-themed and basic pans, our cake pan collection now includes Tart/Quiche pans.



The 3-piece set of 8", 9", and 10" pans will allow you to make various sizes of tarts to please your family and guests. With their removable bottoms, these pans make plating your baked goods easy, while their fluted edges ensure a very professional-looking finished product.

Tart/Quiche pans are perfect for savory dishes as well as sweets. Try them the next time you make your special holiday brunch quiche (or use the recipe provided below)!

Be sure to peruse our complete list of cake pans. You may find just what you've been needing for your holiday baking adventures!

[See all the cake pans in our collection.](#)

A Recipe for You!

Pamper your overnight guests with a piping hot, delicious breakfast or brunch. This colorful, tasty quiche is quick and easy to prepare. Pop it in the oven and then visit over coffee while it bakes. *Enjoy!*



WHITE CHEDDAR AND BACON QUICHE

Special equipment: 10" tart pan with removable bottom

Prep time: 10 mins

Cook time: 45 mins

Yield: 8 slices

INGREDIENTS

4 slices bacon, cooked and roughly chopped

8 eggs

1 cup milk (whole, lowfat, or skim--your choice)

¼ cup minced green onion

¼ cup diced red bell pepper

1 tsp salt

¼ tsp pepper

8 oz white cheddar cheese, grated

pastry dough for a single-crust pie (a refrigerated pie crust works very well)

INSTRUCTIONS

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

Press the pie crust on the bottom and up the sides of a 10" tart or quiche pan.

In a large bowl, whisk together the eggs, milk, onions, bell pepper, salt, and pepper.

Stir in the bacon and cheddar.

Pour the mixture into the prepared pie crust. Place the quiche on a rimmed baking sheet to prevent the filling from spilling over into your oven.

Bake until the quiche is golden and set in the center, about 45 minutes.

Remove from the oven and let stand for 10 minutes before serving. (To unmold, set the pan on an inverted mixing bowl and gently slide the tart ring off. You may then transfer the quiche to a serving plate.)

Recipe adapted from *The Gingham Apron*.

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Become a part of our growing social community. We post breaking library news, important announcements, and service updates on our page--plus photos and fun, engaging content. [Join us now!](#)

Upcoming Programs and Classes at Way Library

Educating. Enriching. Entertaining.

Way Library offers a vast selection of classes and programs for people of all ages.

Whether you would like to:

- learn a new skill
- discuss books
- enjoy an acclaimed film
- take part in civil discourse on current issues
- hear about the latest medical procedures
- discover a new passion
- or one of countless other pursuits,



we have a class or program for you. Look over our schedule and make plans to join us often!

For the most up-to-date list of programs and classes, click on a link below.

[Adult Programs and Classes](#)

[Children's Programs and Classes](#)

[Teen Programs and Classes](#)

New Books Hot Off the Press

New Fiction - Holiday Edition!

Moe's Bookmark

Moe Ibarra is an avid reader of many contemporary authors and is always ready to help you with a book recommendation. Here are some new titles she has selected with your reading enjoyment in mind.



Click a link to perform a search for these items in our catalog.

[**Here Comes Santa Paws**](#) by Laurien Berenson

[**Dachshund Through the Snow**](#) by David Rosenfelt

[**The 19th Christmas**](#) by James Patterson

[**Owl Be Home for Christmas**](#) by Donna Andrews

[**Let It Snow**](#) by Nancy Thayer

[**Christmas Sweets**](#) by Joanne Fluke, Laura Levine, and Leslie Meier

[**Noel Street**](#) by Richard Paul Evans

New Inspirational Fiction

If you enjoy novels that are wholesome and uplifting, make note of these upcoming inspirational fiction releases curated by staff member Moe Ibarra. (Though all of these titles are scheduled for December release, some may not be immediately available for reservation. Keep checking!)



[**The Dating Charade**](#) by Melissa Ferguson

[**The Piper's Pursuit**](#) by Melanie Dickerson

[**Holiday Homecoming Secrets**](#) by Lynette Eason

[**The Bridge to Belle Island**](#) by Julie Klassen

[**The Major's Daughter**](#) by Regina Jennings

[**Echoes Among the Stones**](#) by Jaime Jo Wright

[**Seconds to Live**](#) by Susan Sleeman

[**Christmas Witness Pursuit**](#) by Lisa Harris

[**Amish Christmas Hideaway**](#) by Lenora Worth

Books to be released in December

For those who enjoy nonfiction, Circulation staff member Stephanie Coil offers these suggestions. (Anticipated release dates are noted. Some titles may not be available for reservation until closer to their release dates.)



December 3

[Living A Loved Life: Awakening Wisdom Through Stories of Inspiration, Challenge and Possibility](#)

by Dawna Markova

[Fix It with Food: More Than 125 Recipes to Address Autoimmune Issues and Inflammation: A Cookbook](#)

by Michael Symon

December 10

[Restoring Your Historic House: The Comprehensive Guide for Homeowner](#)

by Scott T. Hanson and David Clough

December 17

[Confessions of a Happily Married Man: Finding God in the Messiness of Marriage](#)

by Joshua L. Rogers

December 31

[Kidnapped by a Client: An Attorney's Fight for Justice at Any Cost](#)

by Sharon R. Muse