



# Way Public Library

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## Welcome to my first email newsletter as editor!

A quick trip to Texas to visit my son and daughter-in-law was the origin of this interesting photo of many different pumpkins. I enjoyed the visual texture so much I wanted to share the photo with all of our email newsletter subscribers. Autumn is my favorite time of year! Hot apple cider, pumpkin spice coffee, anything sweet created with pumpkin - I love them all, especially when cuddled up with a good book and a blanket. This fall at Way Library we've added more in-person programming and are seeing more patrons return to the library for books, movies and more. Enjoy my first endeavor at creating an informative and inspired Way Library email newsletter. Don't forget to register for a program by clicking on the link, or reserve the newest release from your favorite author by clicking on the title. Thank you for being a loyal subscriber.

## Happening at Way in NOVEMBER

### **Author Talk with Mindy McGinnis**

**Monday, November 1 from 7-8:30 pm**

Way Library welcomes Edgar Award-winning author Mindy McGinnis. Ms. McGinnis will discuss the inspiration for her newest release, *The Initial Insult*, which draws heavily on the short stories of Edgar Allan Poe while covering modern themes of class, bullying, and small town politics.

Mindy McGinnis is an Edgar Award-winning novelist who writes across multiple genres including post-apocalyptic, historical, thriller, contemporary, mystery, and fantasy. While her settings may change, you can always count on Mindy's



books to deliver grit, truth, and an unflinching look at humanity and the world around us.

This program is free and open to the public. Seating is limited. [Register here.](#)

## Veterans Art Show Opening Reception

Sunday, November 7 at 2 pm

Ohio-based, contemporary sculptor Heather Tarolli will speak on *Freedom of Emotions Through Art* at the opening reception for the 5<sup>th</sup> Biennial Veterans Art Show of Northwest Ohio.

[Register today.](#)

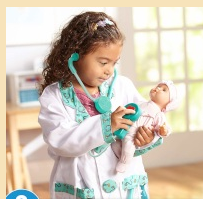
The exhibit *Duty, Honor, Creativity* will be open to the public beginning November 7 through January 4, 2022. The exhibit is organized by Army Veteran David Ridenour and Way Library to showcase the talents of honorably discharged U. S. veterans as well as family members who wish to honor them.

This is not a juried show but an exhibit to highlight the talents and artistic abilities of veterans while honoring them for their service to our country. Please join us as we express our appreciation for those who have worn a military uniform.



## Beyond Books Junior Celebrated its 2nd Birthday October 23!

Way Public Library's Beyond Books Junior started with 65 items, and now has 91 items in this collection for kids ages 0-8. The most popular items are costumes, the dash robot, boomwhackers, and the play parachute. Items in the library's Beyond Books Junior collection have been checked out over 2,000 times! Click the link to see all items in our Beyond Books collection including Beyond Books Junior items. [Beyond Books](#)





## Topical Tuesdays Continues with Presentation by Owens Community College President Tuesday, November 9 at 7 pm

Way Library and the League of Women Voters of the Perrysburg Area welcome Dr. Dione Dorsey Somerville, president of Owens Community College, for a presentation on how the college and the community can move forward together.

Dr. Dione Dorsey Somerville is a senior leader in higher education. She was appointed by the Board of Trustees as the eighth president of Owens Community College. Her professional accomplishments span strategic planning, student success, organizational change, managing complex budgets, enrollment management, assessment, campus planning and construction, program development, Title IX compliance, community relations, and fundraising.

Dr. Somerville earned a doctorate in Higher Education Management from the University of Pennsylvania, master's degree in College Student Personnel from Bowling Green State University, and bachelor's degree in English/Writing from Ohio Northern University. Dr. Somerville was a Fellow at the Association of Governing Boards Institute for Leadership and Governance in its inaugural year. Dr. Somerville participated in the Harvard University Institute for Education Management and the American Association of State Colleges and Universities' Millennium Leadership Institute.

Serving as president at Owens is like a homecoming for Dr. Somerville, as she has several connections to the region where her higher education career began. Her history in the region includes a graduate assistantship at the University of Findlay, a master's degree program from Bowling Green State University, and a bachelor's degree from Ohio Northern University. Owens and northwest Ohio is truly a place she can call home. [Register now.](#)

**Thursday, November 11  
4:15-5:15 pm**

Ages 8-12



Do you love Dog Man and Cat Kid? We'll celebrate the new *Cat Kid Comic Club* book coming out later this month by playing games, drawing comics, and doing crafts based on the Dog Man and Cat Kid graphic novels. Any questions? Contact Alisha Nolin at [Alisha.nolin@waylibrary.info](mailto:Alisha.nolin@waylibrary.info) or call 419-874-3135 extension 107. [Register here.](#)



## Jackie & Gary: Singing the Good Old Songs Again

Saturday, November 13 from 7-8:30 pm

Welcome Jackie and Gary back to Way Library to present their wonderful program of "Singing the Good Old Songs Again." This program combines classic and original folk songs into an energetic, entertaining and fun show! Jackie and Gary engage with the audience in a fun way with personal insight and stories of the songs they sing. We think you will find "Singing the Good Old Songs Again" a very enjoyable and memorable experience! This program is free and open to the public. Seating is limited. [Register here.](#)

## Adult Crafts with Stephanie

Pick up an Adult Take-home Craft Kit at the Circulation Desk beginning on Wednesday, November 17, and create a folded book turkey. Adult Take-home Craft Kits are available while supplies last. An instructional video will be posted on our [YouTube channel](#).



## Baker's Way: A pan for all seasons!

Who loves a bundt cake? Bundt cakes are known for their



distinctive doughnut shape which was inspired by a traditional European style cake. Bundt cakes were popularized in America in the 1950s and 1960s and can be used with many different recipes. Way Library's Baker's Way has a variety of bundt cake pans in the collection. In addition to the traditional shape bundt pan, there is also a star shaped bundt pan, and pans that make six small or six mini sizes of mini bundt cakes. So many sizes and shapes to make many different types of bundt cakes. Enjoy baking this delicious treat!

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



***"The weather outside is frightful,  
but the MOVIES are so delightful."***

After the Thanksgiving leftovers have been put away and you're too tired to put up the Christmas decorations, get cozy with loved ones and a Holiday Binge Box from Way. Binge boxes are themed collections of 4-6 movies in one box.

The adult holiday DVD collection includes the following Binge Boxes. ***Christmas gone wrong*** includes Die Hard, National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation and 2 more.

[Place hold here.](#)

***A relatively happy holiday*** includes Christmas with the Kranks, Surviving Christmas and 3 more.

[Place hold here.](#)



**Someone spiked the eggnog** includes A Bad Mom's Christmas, Mixed Nuts and 3 more.

[Place hold here.](#)

**'Tis the season heartwarming Hallmark** Volume 1, Volume 2, & Volume 3.

[Place hold here.](#)

**Unwrap the classics** includes Home Alone, It's a Wonderful Life and 4 more.

[Place hold here.](#)

Way also has the following Family Holiday Binge Boxes in the children's department.

**Holiday family favorites** includes A Charlie Brown Christmas, Frosty the Snowman and 2 more.

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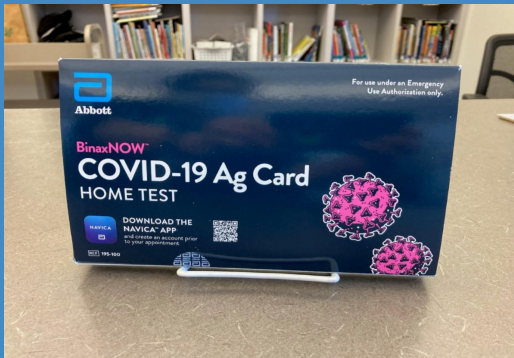
**Holly jolly holiday; Disney** includes Mickey's Once Upon a Christmas, The Santa Clause and 4 more.

[Place hold here.](#)

**Santa's little favorites** includes Elf, Jingle All the Way and 3 more.

[Place hold here.](#)

## COVID-19 At-home Rapid Test Kits Available



You can get COVID-19 Rapid At-home Test Kits just by asking for them at our Circulation Desk. If you are experiencing any symptoms or have been exposed to COVID-19, please schedule a contactless Curbside Pickup by calling 419-874-3135 extension 119.

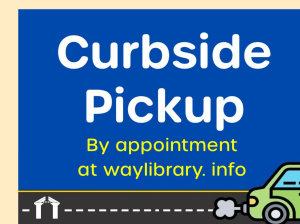
Tests are made available by the Ohio Department of Health at no cost to patrons or the library. The test is designed to be taken at home and is not intended to be administered at or by the library.

More information is available [here](#).

### Convenient Curbside Pickup

Curbside pickup remains popular at Way for its safety and convenience. Any patron can pick up books and other physical materials using our contactless pickup service.

Read more [here](#) or set your appointment now at [curbside.waylibrary.info](https://curbside.waylibrary.info).



## More Library News and Notes

### Get the App!

If you are an Apple or Android user, you can now get access to your library account with one click! Download the Way Library app on the App Store or Google Play.

You can manage checkouts and holds on your account, search the catalog, browse book recommendations, quickly access the Curbside Pickup feature, connect to social media, and more!

If you need a little guidance, [take our video tour with step-by-step instructions](#) for downloading and using the app.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Our Calendar is where you'll find a searchable, chronological list of all library events for children, teens, and adults.

If you're looking for story times, history programs, book talks, Topical Tuesdays, Mercy Health webinars, Crafternoons, workshops, classes, or any other events, this is the place to start.

The calendar includes all of the important event details you need, *plus* an easy registration button.

Browse through to see what's coming up!

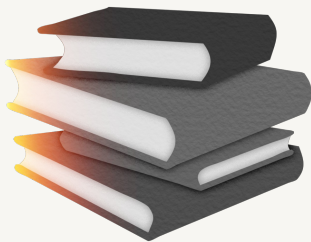
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## New Books



### New Fiction Books

*Click a title to place a hold. You must be logged into your library account in order to place a hold.*

[The Stranger in the Lifeboat](#)

by Mitch Albom  
November 2, 2021

[Game On: Tempting Twenty-Eight](#)

by Janet Evanovich  
November 2, 2021

[A Christmas Legacy](#)

by Anne Perry  
November 9, 2021

[The Sentence](#)

by Louise Erdrich  
November 9, 2021

[The Dark Hours](#)

by Michael Connelly

November 9, 2021

**Never**

by Ken Follett  
November 9, 2021

**Clive Cussler's the Devil's Sea**

by Dirk Cussler  
November 16, 2021

**Mercy**

by David Baldacci  
November 16, 2021

**Fear No Evil**

by James Patterson  
November 22, 2021

**The Becoming**

by Nora Roberts  
November 23, 2021

**Flying Angels**

by Danielle Steel  
November 23, 2021

**Wish You Were Here**

by Jodi Picoult  
November 23, 2021

**The Midnight Lock**

by Jeffrey Deaver  
November 30, 2021

**Autopsy**

by Patricia Cornwell  
November 30, 2021



## **New Nonfiction Books**

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**You Can't Be Serious**

by Kal Penn  
November 2, 2021

**Cokie: A Life Well Lived**

by Steven V. Roberts  
November 2, 2021

**Will**

by Will Smith and Mark Manson  
November 9, 2021

**White Hot Hate: A True Story of Domestic Terrorism in America's Heartland**

by Dick Lehr  
November 9, 2021

**Atlas of the Heart: Mapping Meaningful Connection and the Language of Human Experience**

by Brené Brown  
November 30, 2021



# Social Media



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## Contact Information



Hi! I'm Stephanie. This is my first newsletter, as I have replaced Rose who retired at the end of September. I have a Bachelor's Degree in Public Relations and started my career at Franklin University in the marketing and public relations department. Then kids happened. I devoted my time to my family, yet had some creative adventures on the side. Fast forward twenty years, I was ready to work outside the home more consistently. I was hired by Way Public Library in October 2016 as a part-time circulation desk clerk so many of you have seen my face before. In 2020, I added adult programming specialist to my title. Then Covid-19 happened. Like everyone else, I had to be creative in how I did programs or anything for adults at the library. I started to create adult take home craft kits with instructions. Then I began hosting Crafternoon Zoom meetings which became modern day quilting bees with attendees crafting and chatting. Over a year later, I'm still creating craft kits with instructions, online YouTube videos, and in-person programming. As of October 1, 2021, I'm officially Way Public Library's Public Relations and Graphic Design Specialist!

**I'd love to get your feedback on this newsletter! And again, thank you for being a loyal subscriber.**

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