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Connecting you to the community and the world.

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We've got news!

Greetings!

September is Library Card Sign-up Month! Stop in and sign up for a free library card, or get a replacement card at no charge all month.

Many excellent resources and services are available at Way to

help you pursue your passions. Students will find valuable tools they need to succeed in school and beyond. Do you have friends who don't have library cards? Do them a favor by inviting them to the library. They will find out that having a library card opens a world of infinite possibilities!

Please keep reading to find out what else is happening at Way in September.

Harrison Rally Day Parade

Book Cart Drill Team rolls again!

Harrison Rally Day is on Saturday, September 21, and the parade theme is "Color the Burg." Way Library's crowd-



pleasing Book Cart Drill Team is ready to surprise and delight you again this year with their unique routine. Watch for our colorful entry "Painting the Town READ" and show us some love when we roll by!

Please take a moment to stop at our booth and say "hello," too. We'll have games and prizes for children and adults!



New equipment available at Way

3D Printers for you to use!

Here at Way Library, we are very interested in sharing new technology with the community. That is why we are so excited to introduce 3D printing, a new service which is available at Way thanks to funding from Way Public Library Foundation & Friends!



Beginning in September, our Technology staff will offer demonstrations, informative classes, and hands-on workshops to help you learn about 3D printing. You will have opportunities to see 3D printing in action, hear about how 3D printers actually work and how they can be used in everyday applications, and try out the equipment yourself.

To read more or register for classes, click a link below.

<u>3D Printing</u> <u>Intro to Dremel 3D Printing</u> <u>Cookie Cutter Club</u>

Musicologist-in-Residence

Welcoming Dr. Ryan Ebright

We are pleased to announce that this fall, thanks to funding from Way Public Library Foundation & Friends, Dr. Ryan Ebright will be joining us as Musicologist-in-Residence. Dr. Ebright is Assistant Professor of Musicology at BGSU.

A musicologist is someone who studies music from an academic or scholarly perspective. As our Musicologist-in-Residence, Dr. Ebright will share his expertise in music with the community by presenting three programs and





holding monthly office hours at the library in September, October, and November.

Join us for these fascinating programs: October 1 at 7 pm - The Music of Video Games November 2 at 7 pm - Musical Performance December 7 at 10 am - Musical Modernist Tour and Instrument Petting Zoo (family program)

Dr. Ebright is not only a professor, but an author and musician. During his office hours, he invites you to drop by for one-on-one mentoring on the subjects of music, higher education, research, or writing. You can bring a piece of music or a writing project to discuss, or you can ask him questions about higher education, performance, public speaking, research, and anything related to music. Office hours are scheduled for Thursday, September 5 from 4-7 pm and Saturday, September 21 from 1-3 pm. Hours for October and November will be announced at a later date.

Read more about Dr. Ryan Ebright and the

Musicologist-in-Residence program.

Try the Echo Show

"Alexa, who wrote The Hobbit?"

Would you like to be more knowledgeable about "smart speakers" or "voice assistants"? Often, the best way to learn is by doing. In September, you will find



an *Amazon Echo Show* at the Circulation Desk, and we invite you to stop by anytime and ask "Alexa" a question. You can explore her ability to provide answers, stream music and audiobooks, show YouTube videos, give you the weather forecast, tell you a joke, show your to-do list, report sports scores, and much more.

Way Public Library Foundation & Friends Book Sale

BIGGEST BOOK SALE EVER! September 27-28, 2019

Sale hours are from 9 am - 6:30 pm on Friday, September 27 and from 9 am - 3 pm on Saturday, September 28.

Take an additional 40% off on Saturday! For the first time ever, the biggest book sale of the year will NOT take place on Harrison



Rally Day which is September 21. Instead, the **BIGGEST BOOK SALE EVER** will take place the <u>following</u> weekend on Friday, September 27 and Saturday, September 28.

Be sure to mark your calendar for this extraordinary sale on September 27-28. It will feature the largest inventory of books we have ever offered, with thousands upon thousands of selections to browse. Additional rooms will be pressed into use on the lower level just to accommodate all the great bargains. You will not want to miss this historic sale!

ENTER TO WIN!

Enter at Way from September 3-22 for a chance to win prizes and gift certificates for free bags of books! Gift certificates will be redeemable at the **Biggest Book Sale Ever**. Drawing will be held and winners notified on September 23.

If the thought of Harrison Rally Day without a book sale makes you blue, don't despair! On Saturday, September 21 we will be out in the library's parking lot with a super selection of specially priced books. Cash, checks, and credit cards will be accepted.

MEDIA SALE

October 19 from 9 am - 4 pm

DVD and CD fans, please take note! Our annual Media Sale will be held on Saturday, October 19. That's where you will find an assortment of thousands of DVDs, music CDs, video games, audiobooks, vinyl records, and much more!

Book and media sales are sponsored by Way Public Library

Foundation & Friends. All proceeds support Way Library.

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 minilesson in each issue of our enewsletter!



President Polk pays a visit

James Polk, our 11th President, and his wife Sarah visited Perrysburg in July of 1830. A congressman at the time, the couple were returning to their home in Tennessee from Washington, D.C. They stayed several days in the Spafford Exchange Hotel which was located at 140 West Front Street, where a version of the building still exists.

Baker's Way

A Pan for All Seasons

Introducing "Countless Celebrations," the newest cake pan from Baker's Way!



This versatile rectangular pan has inserts that allow you to make your cake in the shapes of all 26 letters of the alphabet, any number from 0-9, and even a few symbols.

Just imagine all the ways you can customize your cakes for any occasion! Spelling out a name, making a monogram, highlighting a graduation year or a milestone birthday-these are just a few of many ideas.

We think this pan is GR8!

See all the cake pans in our collection.

A Window into Perrysburg

Invitational Art Exhibit

Visit the Gallery on our lower level between September 6 and October 25 to see works of art with a hometown theme.



Read more about the Way Gallery.

Heart and Soul: A Veteran's Vision

Call for artists

Veterans, as well as their family members who wish to honor them, are invited to submit artwork for the 4th Biennial Veterans Art Show of Northwest Ohio.



This invitational is a two-month exhibition organized by Way Library to showcase the talents of all honorably discharged

U. S. veterans. The exhibit will be on display in the Way Gallery from November 9, 2019 until January 4, 2020.

This is not a juried exhibit but an exhibit to highlight the talents and artistic abilities of veterans while honoring them for their service to our country.

To have your work included in this invitational exhibit, please review our Entry Guidelines and Application <u>here</u>.

2019 Perrysburg Architectural Scavenger Hunt

Seek and find!

September is a great time to take the whole family on a learning expedition in Perrysburg's Historic District. Together you will search high and low for distinctive architectural features, while discovering interesting details about our city's historic homes.

Pick up an entry packet at the library's Information Desk and begin your search!

The deadline to turn in a completed entry is **4:00 pm on Harrison Rally Day, Saturday, September 21**. Entries will be accepted at Way Library and at Historic Perrysburg's Harrison Rally Day booth. *Co-sponsored by Way Library and Historic Perrysburg, Inc.*

Coming in October!

Especially for youngsters

A brand new and extra-fun collection of unusual items to check out with your library card is launching in October. Watch next month's newsletter and our



Facebook page for news about the dedication date of **Beyond Books Junior**!

In the meantime, there are many useful, educational, and entertaining items to check out from our regular **Beyond Books** collection at <u>beyondbooks.waylibrary.info</u>.

Connect with us on Facebook

Let's be friends!

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

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. (Anticipated release dates are noted. Some titles may not yet be available for reservation.)

September 3

<u>Vendetta in Death</u> by J. D. Robb <u>Nothing Ventured</u> by Jeffrey Archer

September 9 <u>Killer Instinct</u> by James Patterson with Howard Roughan

September 10 <u>The Fifth Column</u> by Andrew Gross <u>Robert B. Parker's The Bitterest Pill</u> by Reed Farrel Coleman <u>The Institute</u> by Stephen King

September 24 Sins of the Fathers by J. A. Jance

New Inspirational Fiction

If you enjoy novels that are wholesome, uplifting, and encouraging, check out some of these new inspirational fiction titles curated by staff member Moe Ibarra. (Please note that some titles may not yet be available for reservation.)



Diamond in the Rough by Jen Turano

One Final Breath by Lynn H. Blackburn

Listening to Love by Beth Wiseman

One More River to Cross by Jane Kirkpatrick

The Girl Behind the Red Rope by Ted Dekker and Rachelle Dekker

Strands of Truth by Colleen Coble

The Words Between Us by Erin Bartels

You Belong with Me by Tari Faris

The Spice King by Elizabeth Camden

New Nonfiction

Books to be released in September

For those looking for a nonfiction fix, here are some new titles to try. (Anticipated release dates are noted. Some titles may not yet be available for reservation.)



September 3

Bigger Bolder Baking: A Fearless Approach to Baking Anytime, Anywhere by Gemma Stafford

September 10

<u>Talking to Strangers: What We Should Know about the</u> <u>People We Don't Know</u> by Malcolm Gladwell

September 17

<u>Generation Friends: An Inside Look at the Show That</u> <u>Defined a Television Era</u> by Saul Austerlitz <u>The Undying: A Meditation on Modern Illness</u> by Anne Boyer

September 24

<u>Queen Meryl: The Iconic Roles, Heroic Deeds, and</u> <u>Legendary Life of Meryl Streep</u> by Erin Carlson