



Message from the Director

Were you aware that the library offers and supports gaming in the library?

In our hectic, modern lives, many of us focus so heavily on work and family commitments that we never seem to have time for pure fun. When we do carve out some leisure time, we're more likely to zone out in front of the TV. No matter who we are or what we are doing, we all need to take the time to play, and the library is here to assist.

International Gaming Day, first celebrated in 2008, focuses on the social and recreational side of gaming. Gaming at the library encourages patrons of all ages to interact with diverse peers, share their expertise and develop new strategies for gaming and learning. At the library, kids can socialize with their friends and play board and video games while surrounded by books, librarians and a real world of knowledge.

To support the American Library Association's international game day initiative on November 15th, we would like to invite you to come play a game. We invite you to the library, meet other people, and play a game or two.

However, the invitation is not limited to just November 15th. You are invited to come in and play our games at any time. They are available for your use. We have board games and card games. Check with your local librarian to see what games are available for your use.

In addition to the games that we have, the library board recently amended the policy to allow gaming on the public computers. Computer games were not allowed in the past because of our bandwidth and other issues. However, as we have progressed in our technological capabilities, we have changed that policy to allow gaming on our computers.

You are still not allowed to download programs, and gambling is still not allowed as it is illegal in the state of Utah, but if you can access a game via the internet or if the game is already loaded on the computer, we welcome you to come and play.



Bring your friends, and come play at the library.



Joel E. Tucker, Director
Washington County Library System



TALK STORY

sharing stories, sharing culture

The Washington County Library System recently received grants for the "Talk Story" program, sponsored by the American Indian Library Association. The program celebrates and explores stories of indigenous people through books, oral traditions, and art to provide an interactive, enriching experience.

Members of our local Paiute tribes and the Washington County Library System will offer three programs in November to share the heritage and culture of their people:

Tribal History, Culture and Music presentation by Glenn Rogers, Shivwits Tribal Council member
Washington Branch Library - November 13th at 7:00 pm

Story Time "Why the Moon Paints Her Face Black"
Told in Paiute and English by Eleanor Tom and Chloe Brent
St. George Branch - November 22nd at 11:00 am

Native American Bead work presentation by Mark Rogers and a family friendly beading art project for all ages
St. George Branch - November 25th at 6:30 pm

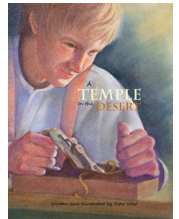
Come and learn about the fascinating cultural heritage of our Shivwits neighbors.



November is National Picture Book Month! The picture book is often a child's first experience of looking at and reading art. Children learn to read pictures before they learn to sound out words or read full sentences, and for the very young, the partnership between pictures and text helps them take in and find pleasure in a narrative.

In celebrating Picture Book Month, we want to applaud local author and illustrator Ester Atkin West, a fifth generation St. George native, who has released "A Temple in the Desert", the story of eleven-year-old Samuel, who works alongside his father building the St. George LDS Temple.

Twenty full-color illustrations, done in pastel and colored pencil by West, accompany the text, creating a story which will be enjoyed by children and adults alike. Published by Storytree Books, the book is available at your library.



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Library Branch Information

St. George Library	Springdale
88 W. 100 S. 435-634-5737	126 Lion Blvd. 435-772-3676
Monday - Thursday 10:00 - 8:00	Monday - Thursday 10:00 - 7:00
Friday and Saturday 10:00 - 6:00	Friday 10:00 - 5:00
	Saturday 12:00 - 5:00

Santa Clara	New Harmony
1099 N. Lava Flow 435-986-0432	34 S. 2900 E. 435-867-0065
Monday - Thursday 10:00 - 7:00	Monday - Thursday 10:00 - 7:00
Friday and Saturday 10:00 - 6:00	Friday Closed
	Saturday 10:00 - 4:00

Washington	Enterprise
220 N. 300 E. 435-627-2706	393 S. 200 E. 435-878-2574
Monday - Thursday 10:00 - 7:00	Monday 10:00 - 6:00
Friday and Saturday 10:00 - 6:00	Tuesday - Thursday 10:00 - 7:00
	Friday 10:00 - 6:00
	Saturday 10:00 - 3:00

Hurricane	
36 S. 300 W. 435-635-4621	
Monday - Thursday 10:00 - 7:00	
Friday and Saturday 10:00 - 6:00	



New York Times Best sellers - Hardcover Fiction and Nonfiction

Fiction:

1. **LEAVING TIME**, by Jodi Picoult.
2. **DEADLINE**, by John Sandford.
3. **EDGE OF ETERNITY**, by Ken Follett.
4. **BURN**, by James Patterson and Michael Ledwith.
5. **SOMEWHERE SAFE WITH SOMEBODY GOOD**, by Jan Karon.
6. **LILA**, by Marilynne Robinson.
7. **ALL THE LIGHT WE CANNOT SEE**, by Anthony Doerr.
8. **PERSONAL**, by Lee Child.
9. **SOME LUCK**, by Jane Smiley.
10. **THE NARROW ROAD TO THE DEEP NORTH**, by Richard Flanagan.

Nonfiction:

1. **KILLING PATTON**, by Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard.
2. **NOT THAT KIND OF GIRL**, by Lena Dunham.
3. **AS YOU WISH**, by Cary Elwes with Joe Layden.
4. **BEING MORTAL**, by Atul Gawande.
5. **THE INNOVATORS**, by Walter Isaacson.
6. **NEIL PATRICK HARRIS: CHOOSE YOUR OWN AUTOBIOGRAPHY**, by Neil Patrick Harris with David Javerbaum.
7. **WORTHY FIGHTS**, by Leon Panetta.
8. **WHAT IF?**, by Randall Munroe.
9. **STOP THE COMING CIVIL WAR**, by Michael Savage.
10. **ROCKS**, by Joe Perry with David Ritz.

As Thanksgiving rolls around, it's always nice to reflect on the things that fill you with gratitude. Whether you're thankful for nature, family & friends, living in the U.S., or simply watching a good flick from the library, we've got you covered:

BEARS (DISNEYNATURE) DVD & BLU-RAY
EARTH: THE SEQUEL
MY WILD AFFAIR

LEGO FRIENDS: FRIENDS ARE FOREVER
MIKE & MOLLY. SEASON 4
MODERN FAMILY. SEASON 5
PARENTHOOD. SEASON 5
THIS EMOTIONAL LIFE

HOMELAND. SEASON 3
THE ROOSEVELTS: AN INTIMATE HISTORY
SAINTS & SOLDIERS: THE VOID

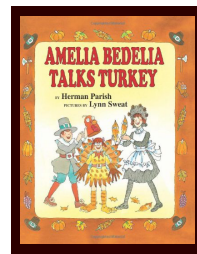
DRAFT DAY
EARTH TO ECHO
EDGE OF TOMORROW
MR. PEABODY & SHERMAN
SNOWPIERCER
X-MEN: DAYS OF FUTURE PAST

Don't forget: you can check out any DVD in the library for FREE with a Washington County Library Card, so come on by and find a few to take home. We'll thank you if you do.

-Beth Meyers,
St. George Library

The Children's Corner

November is a month of celebrations. We celebrate Native American Month, National Picture Book Month, Veteran's Day, International Game Day, and Thanksgiving!

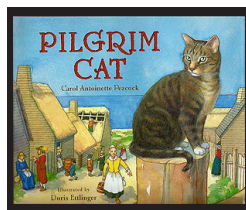


Let's celebrate becoming a reader. Picture books are valuable tools that spark young children's imaginations. They also stimulate a child's desire to read words, and in this way, deciphering and understanding art becomes a small victory on the path to becoming a reader. Another resource to use are props.

Toys are the tools of children's work. Certain toys and other materials can be helpful in providing children with opportunities to practice their communication skills. Props like old phones, cell phones, puppets, dolls, books, pictures, play dough and felt board cutouts are objects that may stimulate conversations with your child, building valuable communication skills.

This month, the Library brings you authors that start with the letter "P"! Easy reader and Picture book kids try books by :Palantini, Pallota, Parish, Parke, Peet, Penn, Perry, Peters, Pfister, Pinkney, Potter, Price and Pulver.

Chapter book readers try books by: Palmer, Parish, Park, Pascal, Patterson, Paulsen, Perason, Peel, Peschke, Pfeffer, Pitts, and Pyle.



I'll say farewell with this months joke from the November Highlights Magazine: "Knck, Knock." "Who's there?" "Wooden shoe." "Wooden shoe, who?" "Wooden shoe like to know!"

- Grace Mann,
St. George Library

Library Programs and Events

St. George Branch

Mondays - Story Time with Grandpa Steve 10:00 & 11:00
 Wednesdays - Story Time with Mrs. Mann 10:00, 11:00, 2:00 & 5:00
 Thursdays - Toddler Time 10:00, 11:00 & 2:00 pm
 Fridays - Toddler Time 11:00 am
 Saturdays - Afternoon Movie Matinee 2:00 pm
 Tuesday, November 4 - Science Club for Kids 6:30 pm
 Wednesday, November 5 - Teen Read Things, Make Things Club 4:30 pm
 Tuesday, November 18 - Page Turner's Book Club 2:30 pm
 Tuesday, November 18 - Science Club for Kids - 6:30 pm
 Saturday, November 22 - Native American Story Tellers 11:00 am
 Tuesday, November 25 - Native American Beading Presentation and art project 6:30 pm

New Harmony Branch

Wednesday's - Story Time 12:00 pm
 Monday, November 10 - Kolob Korner Book Club 2:00 pm

Hurricane Branch

Mondays & Tuesdays - Story Time 11:00 am & 1:00 pm
 Wednesday's & Thursday's - Toddler Time 11:00 am & 1:00 pm
 Fridays - Mom 'n Tots Playtime 11:00 am
 Friday, November 1 - Anime & Manga Club 4:00 - 6:00 pm
 Friday, November 14 - Teen Book Club 3:30 pm
 Friday, November 21 - Reader's Circle Book Club 3:00 pm

Enterprise Branch

Wednesday's - Story Time 10:30 am
 Wednesday's - Upcycle Art 3:00 pm
 Fridays - Music and Movements (ages 0-6) 9:15 am
 Friday, November 7 - Youth Activity Movie "Malificent" 1:30 pm
 Saturday, November 15 - International Game Day - All day, all ages
 Friday, November 21 - Youth Movie "Planes Fire and Rescue" 1:30
 Wednesday, November 26 - Movie "Planes Fire and Rescue" 11:00 am

Santa Clara Branch

Saturdays - Tai Chi 10:30 am
 Wednesday's - Story Time 10:00 & 11:00 am
 Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:15 am
 Monday, November 3 - Foreign Film Club 5:00 pm
 Tuesday, November 4 - Chapter One Book Club 5:30 pm
 Wednesday, November 5 - Anime-Gamer Club 3:00 pm
 Saturday, November 8 - Movie TBA
 Wednesday, November 12 - Anime-Gamer Club 3:00 pm
 Friday, November 21 Science Club for Kids 4:00 pm
 Wednesday, November 19 - Anime-Gamer Club 3:00 pm

Washington Branch

Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:00 & 11:00 am
 Wednesday thru Friday - Story Time 10:30 am
 Saturday, November 8 - Mother-Daughter Book Club 3:00 pm
 Thursday, November 13 - Native American Cultural Event 7:00 pm
 Thursday, November 20 - Book Ends Book Club 4:30 pm

Springdale Branch

Tuesdays - Story Time with Miss Molly 2:00 pm
 Wednesday, November 26 - Book Club 7:00 pm

Library Employee of the Month

It is my pleasure to announce that the September Library employee of the month is Raquel Culligan.



Raquel is a hardworking, non-credit seeking, roll-up your sleeves and get the job done employee. With the flood impacting her normal job responsibilities, she has been willing to work very hard in a difficult situation.

She has stepped up and worked hard to clean the shelves and other items that were downstairs when the muddy floodwaters hit. She has actively sought opportunities to do more work, and she was very willing to pitch-in and get the job done. She does not call attention to herself and finds satisfaction in the work itself. She likes to see a job well done.

In addition to the flood, she has shown that hard work and dedication in her processing duties. Her desk has been temporarily moved by the employee entrance on the first floor. When she is not aiding in the recovery, she is diligently working to do her processing responsibilities and to continue the flow of material from tech services to the rest of the system.

She has demonstrated what a valuable asset to the library she can be. Next chance you get, please congratulate her as the September employee of the month.

-Joel Tucker, Director
 Washington County Library System

FOREIGN FILM CLUB

The Attack' (2012) is the Foreign Film's movie pick this month. This film drama tells of an assimilated Arab surgeon who seems to have it all with a promising career with honors among the Israelis in Tel Aviv. That all changes after a devastating terrorist suicide bombing and his beloved wife is found among the dead as the primary suspect.

If that is not enough intrigue for you, the story continues when the doctor discovers a dark secret about his wife in the aftermath of that bombing. Now the doctor sets out to find answers, only the answers prove hard to come by and the truths involved have a terrible pain of their own.

This Israeli film is the winner of four film awards including the Cineuropa Award (Istanbul International Film Festival).

The Foreign Film Club meets the first Monday of every month at 5:00. A discussion of this film will be held on December 1, 2014 in the Community Room at the Santa Clara Library.

For more information contact Pam Zaferes at the Santa Clara Library, 435-986-0432, ex 2411.





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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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