



Message From The Director

Lions and tig...oh, wait, it's vampires and goblins and zombies, oh my. I walked out my front door the other day to find a giant snake staring at me...about head high. After recovering from my heart attack!...I realized that the snake was not real, but merely a Halloween decoration. Needless to say, my wife has fun decorating for this month. We have different tastes (I like scary/horror kind of fun, she likes cutesy stuff...though I don't know where that snake fits in), but we have fun, and that's all that matters.

In the library, we will also be having some fun. Before I get into that, I would like to remind everyone about the Makerspaces. I am working on my Halloween costume, and was in the process of making, what I considered to be, a key part of the costume. I don't want to talk specifics and ruin the surprise, but there was a key piece that I needed, but could not make work. I talked to Joe, our Makerspace guru, and in a matter of minutes, he helped me create the parts that I needed, for less than a dollar! Wanna 3D print some vampire teeth or make a Jedi robe? We have resources for you. We have sewing resources in Hurricane, printing/lasercutting/CNC resources in St George, crafting resources in Santa Clara, and mobile 3D printers in the small branches. The only branch without a Makerspace at this point is Washington, but we are working on that.

Whether you like cutesy Halloween or not, whether you like making your own costume or not, I would encourage you to check out our library programs for October. We have spooky mazes, trick or treating, and all sorts of fun stuff planned. We also have scary movies, books, audio books, and more that can be checked out either on site or online. Enjoy your Halloween, and take advantage of the fun we offer at the library.



Joel E. Tucker, Director
Washington County Library System

Family History Month @ Your Library

Ralph Waldo Emerson said "Every book is a quotation; every house is a quotation out of all forests, and mines, and stone quarries; and every man is a quotation from all his ancestors."



October is designated in many countries as "Family History Month," and genealogists everywhere have adopted the month as their own. Whether you're new to genealogy, or have devoted a lifetime to it, celebrate Family History Month @ your library! Your reference librarians can direct you to many historical documents located in our special collections, assist you in searching for records, and guide you to online resources.

Do you know that your library card is your passport to Heritage Quest® Online? Heritage Quest Online provides genealogical and historical sources for more than 60 countries, with coverage dating back as early as the 1700s. Heritage Quest is a collection of five core data sets: U.S. Federal Censuses, Genealogy and local history books, Periodical Source Index (PERSI), Revolutionary War records, and Freedman's Bank Records. Links to the U.S. Congressional Serial Set record are also available through the site.

Each of these data sets are rich in unique primary sources, local and family histories, and can be searched from your computer, tablet, or smartphone.

So find out where your heritage begins by using Heritage Quest Online. It delivers an essential collection of genealogical and historical sources— and with coverage dating back to the 1700s— it will help you find your ancestors and discover the roots of your family tree!

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Pizzas and DVDs have a lot in common: they're both round, they both have the ability to delight the senses, and they can both be pretty cheesy. That's why National Pizza Month (aka October) is a great time to celebrate with a DVD from the library. You can settle in, pop a DVD in your player and pop a pizza in your mouth. What's not to love? Just be sure not to mix up the two. We hear DVDs taste terrible, even with pepperoni, although they do have a nice, crunchy texture... (But seriously—don't eat them.) Here are a few recent popular DVDs to keep in mind:

MOVIES:

- ALADDIN (Will Smith version)
- GODZILLA. KING OF THE MONSTERS
- HUSTLE
- JOHN WICK. CHAPTER 3
- MARVEL AVENGERS, ENDGAME
- MEN IN BLACK. INTERNATIONAL
- THE SECRET LIFE OF PETS 2

DOCUMENTARIES:

- AMAZING GRACE: ARETHA FRANKLIN
- THE BIGGEST LITTLE FARM
- MANTRA: SOUNDS INTO SILENCE
- MARWENCOL
- THE RIVER AND THE WALL
- THAT SUGAR FILM
- WHAT IS DEMOCRACY?

Unlike your pizza (be it deep-dish or thin crust), DVDs are FREE to borrow with your Washington County Library Card. So make a call to your favorite pizza place, drop by the library for some DVDs, and have the perfect National Pizza Month celebration.

-Beth Meyers,
St. George Library

New York Times Best Sellers - Hardcover Fiction and Nonfiction

FICTION:

1. *The Testaments*
by Margaret Atwood
2. *The Institute*
by Stephen King
3. *Where the Crawdads Sing*
by Delia Owens
4. *Killer Instinct* by James Patterson & Howard Roughan
5. *The Oracle*
by Jonathan Cahn
6. *The Girl Who Lived Twice*
by David Lagercrantz
7. *The Titanic Secret* by Clive Cussler and Jack Du Brul
8. *Vendetta in Death*
By J.D. Robb
9. *A Better Man*
by Louise Penny
10. *The Secrets We Kept*
by Lara Prescott

NONFICTION:

1. *Talking to Strangers*
by Malcom Gladwell
2. *Call Sign Chaos*
by Jim Mathis and Bing West
3. *Educated*
by Tara Westover
4. *The Education of an Idealist*
by Samantha Power
5. *The Only Plane in the Sky*
by Garrett Graff
6. *She Said*
by Jodi Kantor and Megan Twohey
7. *How To*
by Randall Munroe
8. *Will My Cat eat My Eyeballs*
by Caitlin Doughty
9. *Radicals, Resistance and Revenge* by Jeanine Pirro
10. *Becoming* by Michelle Obama

Employee Spotlight



It is my pleasure to announce the spotlight for September: Jackie Blood!

Jackie has worked at the library for a couple of years now. She first started at the circulation desk, and then shortly after moved down to Technical Services as a Processing Clerk, where as the most experienced processor, helps to mentor our newer processors.

Jackie's work can be seen on many of the new items rolling out throughout the system for use by the public.

Jackie grew up in Lehi, Utah. She has lived all over the State of Utah and has children and grandchildren in various places that she enjoys visiting. As an empty nester she enjoys when the children and grandchildren come to see her. She also enjoys visiting them as well, and is a committed grandmother. She enjoys spending time with family and often spends weekends driving to her grandchildren's events, in town or out of town.

As we prepare for Halloween, highlighting the spotlight in the October newsletter, Jackie Blood just seems like the right person this month. She does a great job as a processor, is charming, friendly, and a great resource for the library team. Please congratulate Jackie when you get the chance.

-Joel Tucker, Director



Join us at the Hurricane Library on Friday, October 11 from 3:00 - 5:00 pm for a Halloween-themed "Century of Stories" celebration! This epic event will feature activities outside on the east and south lawns, Halloween movies and Spook alley in the Community Room, and displays inside with photos and books representing the time period (circa 1919).

Festivities will include activities for all ages, and will feature live music, food and treats, games for the kids, face painting, and a photo booth. Bring your gently used costumes into the the Hurricane library any time before October 11th, and get a voucher to use for a costume exchange at the event.

View the Traveling Cabinet of Curiosities, visit with the Wasatch Investigative Society for Paranormal Studies, and carve a pumpkin at home and bring it in to be displayed and judged at the event! For more information, call the Hurricane Library at 435-634-4621.

Library Programs and Events

Hurricane Branch

Monday - Friday - Story Time 11:00 am
Mondays - Dungeons & Dragons 3:00 pm
Thursdays - Dungeons & Dragons 7:00 pm
Fridays - Magic the Gathering 3:00 pm
Friday, Oct. 4 - Readers Circle Book Club 3:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 2 & 16 Dungeons & Dragons 3:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 9 & 23 - Crochet Club 3:30 pm
Friday, Oct. 11 - 100th Anniversary Party 3:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 16 - Anime Club: After Dark 7:30 pm
Saturday, Oct. 19 - Free Halloween Comics and VR Kick-Off 10:00 am
Monday, Oct. 21 & 28 - Virtual Reality Experience 2:30 pm
Tuesday, Oct. 22 & 29 - Virtual Reality Experience 2:30 pm
Thursday, Oct. 24 & 31 - Virtual Reality Experience 2:30 pm
Saturday, Oct. 26 - Zombie Prom 7:00 pm
Thursday, Oct. 31 - Story Time Halloween Party 10:30 & 11:30 am

Santa Clara Branch

Mondays - Tai Chi 12:30 pm
Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:15 & 11:30 am
Wednesdays - Story Time 10:15 & 11:30 am
Wednesdays - Teens After School 4:00 pm
Thursdays - Yoga with Robyn 10:30 am
Saturdays - Tai Chi 10:30 am
Tuesday, Oct. 8 - Chapter One Book Club 5:30 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 9 - St. George Literary Festival Story Time with Marilyn Richardson & Maryann Mjdrich 10:15 & Geoff Bolton 11:30 am
Monday, Oct. 14 - Lego Free Play 4:00 pm
Friday, Oct. 18 - Family STEAM Night 4:00 pm
Monday, Oct. 21 - L.I.F.E. Program 10:30 am
Thursday, Oct. 17 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Monday, Oct. 28 - Trunk or Treat 4:00 pm
Monday, Oct. 28 - Teen Halloween Party 4:00 pm

St. George Branch

Mondays - Story Time with Grandpa Steve 10:00 & 11:00
Mondays - Story Time with Miss Jill 1:00 pm
Wednesdays - Story Time with Mrs. Mann 10:00, 11:00, 2:00 & 5:00
Thursdays - Toddler Time 10:00, 11:00 & 1:00 pm
Saturdays - Movie Matinee 2:00 pm
Fridays - Toddler Time 11:00 am
Tuesday, Oct. 1 & 15 - Science Club for Kids 6:30 pm
Friday, Oct. 4 & 18 - ASL Story Time 10:00 am
Monday, Oct 7 - St. George Literary Festival Story Time with Lin Floyd 1:00 pm
Monday, Oct. 7 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Tuesday, Oct. 8 - Pageturners Book Club 2:30 pm
Tuesday, Oct. 8 & 22 - Art Club for Kids 6:30 pm
Wednesday, October 9 - Five Secrets to Reading and Writing with Naomi Sawyer and Chuck Sale 6:00 pm
Tuesday, Oct. 15 - Ghost Stories with Dixie Storytellers 6:00 pm
Thursday, Oct. 17 - Face Painting for Teens and Adults 6:00 pm
Saturday, Oct. 26 - Spooky Town Carnival and Maze TBA

Library Programs and Events

Enterprise Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 10:30 am
Wednesdays - Youth Activities 2:45 pm
Fridays - Afternoon Movie 1:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 30 - Spooky Fun House All Day
Wednesday, Oct. 30 - Story Time Trunk or Treat! 10:30 am

Springdale Branch

Tuesdays - Story Time at Otter Play 10:30 am
Thursdays - Story Time 11:00 am
Wednesday, Oct. 30 - Book Discussion Group 7:00 pm

New Harmony Branch

Tuesdays - Art Journaling 1:00 - 3:00 pm
Wednesdays - Story Time 12:00 pm
Thursday, Oct. 3 & 17 - Kinder Art 1:00 pm
Saturday, Oct. 12 & 26 - Teen Art 10:30 am
Thursday, October 31 - Halloween Games, Parade, and Trunk or Treat 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Washington Branch

Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:00 & 11:00 am
Wednesday - Friday - Story Time 10:30 am
Wednesday, Oct. 2 - Nerd Herd 4:00 pm
Tuesday, Oct. 8 - St. George Literary Festival Story Time with Jeremy Bird 10:00 & 11:00 am
Tuesday, Oct. 8 - Homeschooling @ the Library 1:00 pm
Tuesday, Oct. 8 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 9 - Teen Movie 4:00 pm
Thursday, Oct. 10 & 24 - Coding Club for Kids 4:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 16 - Techno Teens Computer Club 4:00 pm
Thursday, Oct. 17 - Book Ends Book Club 4:30 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 23 - Teen Scavenger Hunt 4:00 pm
Thursday, October 24 - TEDx Talk "The Happy Secret to Better Work" by Shawn Achor 6:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 30 - Booklanders Teen Book Club 4:00 pm
Thursday, Oct. 31 - Halloween Carnival All Day

Hildale Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 10:30 am
Tuesday, Oct. 15 - Writing Group 7:00 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 23 - Anime Club 5:00 pm

Overdue library books?
Nevermore . . .



Renew your items online from home.
Fuzzy slippers are optional.



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