



Message From The Director

Welcome to the library, and welcome 2019! As we step into the New Year, I think it's good to highlight the celebrations from 2018 and share what's on the horizon for 2019.

2018 Celebrations: Near the beginning of the year, we opened the Sid Atkin Makerspace in St. George. As a joint venture with the Utah State Extension office and 4H, we repurposed a storage room into a makerspace with 3D printers of all sizes, a CNC machine, a laser cutter, tools, supplies, and more. We hired Joe Larson - the 3D Professor- as our part time makerspace administrator, but due to the high volume of patron use, changed his hours to full time. It's been great!

In the summer, we opened a BBQ/pavilion in New Harmony and a small park in Hildale. The pavilion in New Harmony has been a great addition to the library, expanding our space and capabilities in that area. We have had star parties, home school science experiments, 4th of July celebrations, and more. We have also had large celebrations in the small park in Hildale. The landscaping projects marks the true completion of our newest library, both inside and out. As the busiest small branch, we are excited to see the excitement for the library within that area of the county.

Another big project accomplished in Hildale was the installation of Fiber Optic Internet. With lab computers, circulation computers, cameras, and Wi-Fi all pulling on the bandwidth, we learned quickly that we needed to do more, and the Fiber project was a great addition.

Other celebrations include improvements in the AV equipment for community rooms and study rooms, the addition of a mobile computer lab with the LSTA grant, an excellent summer reading program at each library, the addition of a new online meeting room scheduler, and a new mobile compatible website.

2019 Projections: The Hurricane Makerspace is opening January 4th! We hope to see you there. We also open a new Washington AV makerspace this year. With video and audio maker capabilities, we think that would round out the makerspace options within the county. Don't forget that we are now working with a collections agency starting this year.

We are excited to continue to develop the library as a great resource for you and the community!

Joel E. Tucker, Director
Washington County Library System



Celebrate the
100th anniversary
of the
Washington County
Library System

100
1919 2019
years of library service



From the humble beginnings of pioneers trading goods for books, to today's collection of over 500,000 items, the Washington County Library System has grown into a system with eight branches to serve the residents of Washington County, Utah.

Today, the Washington County Library System is more than the traditional library. Books, microfilm archives, rare documents, newspapers, maps, eBooks, audio books, Internet, WiFi, and vast Internet Resources are available to patrons.

This year marks the 100th anniversary of the Washington County Library System and celebrations will be scheduled at each branch throughout 2019. Join us in the celebration, and check it out @ your library!

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YOU'RE INVITED TO THE HURRICANE LIBRARY'S

MAKERSPACE

GRAND OPENING

FRIDAY ★ JANUARY 4, 2019

RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY ★ 1:00 PM

OPEN HOUSE FOLLOWING UNTIL ★ 4:00 PM

HURRICANE LIBRARY ★ 36 S. 300 W.

REFRESHMENTS ★ TOURS ★ DEMONSTRATIONS

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL
THE HURRICANE BRANCH AT 435-635-4621

Employee Spotlight



Delphine Candanoza is the December Spotlight for 2018!

Del started as a sub for the library a few years back, but now works as a clerk in St. George. Del exemplifies calm, quality customer-service, is kind

and knowledgeable, and is an excellent representative for the library. As an example of the service she provides to the library, Del has recently agreed to teach a Spanish class to library staff. As many of our Spanish speakers have left the library, we find ourselves in need of Del's expertise, and look forward to having her serve as our Spanish expert. Whether helping to create veterans displays, serving as that Spanish translator, or helping around the circ desk, Del does a great job in supporting the mission of the library.

Outside the library, Del enjoys spending time with family. Recently, she has traveled to visit family living out of state and has hosted family members visiting our area. She has two little dogs who keep her company, and sometimes get to travel with her. Del is an integral part of the St. George Library staff and we are so excited to have her as part of the team. Please congratulate Del when you get the chance!

-Joel Tucker, Director



It's 2019, and it's pretty clear that we're living in the future. You have access to thousands of years of knowledge in a computer that fits comfortably in your pocket (and also snaps fairly good pictures of your brunch). Self-driving cars are on the road (if not fully available yet), and it's only a matter of time before we're whisking around the galaxy telling Klingons "Qapla'!" But some things don't change. You can, as ever before, find a wealth of materials to borrow at your local library, even though the formats sometimes change. For instance, here are some recently added DVDs you can check out:

Movies & TV:

- CHRISTOPHER ROBIN
- CRAZY RICH ASIANS
- THE EQUALIZER 2
- HEARTLAND. SEASON 11
- INCREDIBLES 2
- THE LITTLE MERMAID
- LONGMIRE. SEASON 6

Documentaries:

- ACID HORIZON
- ARLINGTON: CALL TO HONOR
- CIRCUS: BIG TENT, BIG DREAMS
- NANA: THE STORY OF AN AUSCHWITZ...
- NATIVE AMERICA: FIRST PEOPLES...
- SPITFIRE: THE PLANE THAT SAVED...

We also won't change this little fact: DVDs are FREE to borrow with your Washington County Library Card. So hop in your self-driving car, snap a selfie, and swing by the library to pick up some DVDs. And if you happen to be Klingon, we'll have a nice fresh dish of gagh waiting for you.

-Beth Meyers,
St. George Library

NY Times Bestsellers

Hardcover Fiction

1. THE RECKONING
by John Grisham
2. FIRE AND BLOOD
by George R.R. Martin
3. EVERY BREATH
by Nicholas Sparks
4. TARGET: ALEX CROSS
by James Patterson
5. WHERE THE CROWDADS SING
by Delia Owens
6. THE NEXT PERSON YOU MEET IN HEAVEN
by Mitch Albom
7. ELEVATION
by Stephen King
8. PAST TENSE
by Lee Child
9. LONG ROAD TO MERCY
by David Baldacci
10. NINE PERFECT STRANGERS
by Liane Moriarty

Hardcover Nonfiction

1. BECOMING
by Michelle Obama
2. THE POINT OF IT ALL
by Charles Krauthammer
3. EDUCATED
by Tara Westover
4. KILLING THE SS
by Bill O'Reilly & Martin Dugard
5. SHADE
by Pete Souza
6. LEADERSHIP
by Doris Kearns Goodwin
7. CHURCHILL: WALKING WITH DESTINY
by Andrew Roberts
8. BRIEF ANSWERS TO THE BIG QUESTIONS
by Stephen Hawking
9. BEASTIE BOYS BOOK
by Michael Diamond and Adam Horovitz
10. SHIP OF FOOLS
by Tucker Carlson

Library Programs and Events

Hurricane Branch

Mondays-Thursdays - Story Time 11:00 am
Thursdays - Magic the Gathering 3:00 pm
Fridays - Tots 'n Toys 11:00 am
Saturdays - Video Game Club 11:00 am
Friday, Jan. 4 - Reader's Circle Book Club 3:00 pm
Monday, Jan. 7, 14 & 28 - Dungeons & Dragons Club 3:00 pm
Wednesday, Jan. 2 & 16 - Dungeons & Dragons Club 3:00 pm
Wednesday, Jan. 9 & 23 - Crochet Club 3:30 pm
Friday, Jan. 25 - Writers & Artist Club 4:00 pm

Santa Clara Branch

Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:15 & 11:30 am
Wednesdays - Preschool Story Time 10:15 & 11:30 am
Wednesdays - Teen Gamers 3:00 - 5:00 pm
Saturdays - Tai Chi 10:30 am
Saturday, Jan. 5 - Movie 4:00 pm
Monday, Jan. 7 - Lego Free Play 4:00 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29 - Food, Fun & Reading 12:00 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 8 - Chapter One Book Club 5:30 pm
Thursday, Jan. 10 - Chapter One Book Club 5:30 pm
Friday, Jan. 11 - Art 4 Kids (registration required) 4:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 17 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Saturday, Jan. 19 - Movie 4:00 pm

St. George Branch

Saturdays - Movie Matinee 2:00 pm
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
Fridays - Toddler Time 11:00 am
Monday, Jan. 7 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 15 & 29 - Science Club for Kids 6:30 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 8 - Pageturners Book Club 2:30 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 8 & 22 - Art Club for Kids 6:30 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 8 & 22 - Adult Coloring Club 1:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 10 - Preserving Family History Workshop 6:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 24 - American Citizenship Class 6:00 pm
Wednesday, Jan. 30 - Teen Book Club 4:00 pm

Springdale Branch

Fridays - Computer Classes 10:00 am
Fridays - Story Time 10:30 am
Wednesday, Jan. 30 - Book Discussion Group 7:00 pm

Hildale Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 10:30 am
Monday, Jan. 14 - After School @ the Library 3:30 pm
Thursday, Jan. 17 - Illiterati Book Club 5:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 24 - Teen Advisory Group 4:30 pm

Library Programs and Events

Washington Branch

Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:00 & 11:00 am
Story Time - Wednesday - Friday 10:30 am
Wednesday, Jan. 2 - Nerd Herd Meeting 4:00 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 8 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Tuesday, Jan. 8 - Homeschooling @ the Library
1:00 pm ages 4-7 2:00 pm ages 8-12
Wednesday, Jan. 9 - Teen Interactive Movie 4:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 10 & 24 - Coding Club 4:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 10 - Overdrive Basics Class 6:00 pm
Wednesday, January 16 - Teen Skittle Bowling 4:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 17 - Book Ends Book Club 4:30 pm
Wednesday, Jan. 23 - Teen Multiplayer Gaming 4:00 pm
Wednesday, Jan. 30 - Papercuts Teen Book Club 4:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 31 - Estate Planning Workshop 6:00 pm
January 2 - February 2 - Winter Reading Program @
Sterling Court

Enterprise Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 10:30 am * Please note: There will
not be a story time on January 2
Wednesdays - Youth Activities 2:45 pm* Please note: There
will not be an activity on January 2
Fridays - Toddler Music Time 10:30 am.

New Harmony Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 10:30 am & 1:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 3, 17, 24, 31 - Kinder Art 1:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 3 & 17 - Setting Your Intention Workshops 5:00 pm

Reading - Your Best Resolution

It's resolution time- will this be the year you hit the treadmill for an hour every day, eat healthy, and bank a million dollars? Maybe not. This year, make a better resolution: Read more books. How, you say? Easy - the Washington County Library System is your secret weapon for success. Here are a few ways that you can be successful in your resolution to read more:

Check it out- Find classics and current best sellers through the online catalog. If an item you want is at another branch, the Library System will have it brought by courier to your home branch for convenient pick-up.

Go Online - Download ebooks on Overdrive. With just a couple of clicks, you can download a book to your e-reader, phone, or computer. Best of all, it is available 24/7, and you can stay in your pajamas while you check out your books!

Join a Book Club - Book clubs encourage you to try books you might not choose otherwise, and are a great way to make new friends. Several branches of the Washington County Library System offer book clubs for adults and teens.

Make 2019 the year you keep your New Year's resolution and give yourself the gift of reading. Happy New Year!



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
JANUARY 2019		1 Library System Closed in Observance of New Years Day	2 St. George Library 10:00, 11:00, 2:00 & 5:00 Story Time Hurricane Library 11:00 am Story Time 3:00 pm Dungeons and Dragons Washington Library 10:30 am Story Time 4:00 pm Teen Nerd Herd New Harmony Library 10:30 am & 1:00 pm Story Time Santa Clara Library 10:15 & 11:30 am Story Time 3:00 pm Teen Gamer Club Hildale Library 10:30 am Story Time	3 St. George Library 10:00, 11:00 & 1:00 pm Toddler Time Washington Library 10:30 am Story Time Hurricane Library 11:00 am Story Time 3:00 pm Magic the Gathering Santa Clara Library 10:30 am Yoga New Harmony Library 1:00 pm Kinder Art 5:00 pm Setting Your Intention Workshop for 2019	4 St. George Library 11:00 am Toddler Time Springdale Library 10:00 Computer Class 10:30 am Story Time Hurricane Library 11:00 am Tots 'n Toys 3:00 pm Reader's Circle Book Club Washington Library 10:30 am Story Time Enterprise Library 10:30 am Toddler Music Time 1:00 pm Movie	5 Santa Clara Library 10:30 am Tai Chi 4:00 pm Movie St. George Library 2:00 pm Saturday Afternoon Movie Matinee Hurricane Library 11:00 am Video Game Club
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