



## Message From The Director

November has many things going on each year, but consistently we have Thanksgiving. There are many things to be thankful for in each of our lives. These may include family, friends, a land of abundance, freedoms, jobs, co-workers, and the list could go on. We certainly hope the library and its resources are high on your list: they are on mine. The list may be different for each of us. Growing up, in elementary school and at home we always recalled the "First Thanksgiving" with the Pilgrims in 1621; however, this celebration doesn't date back to 1621 continuously. There have been gaps and breaks in this beloved American tradition. Have you ever considered who the first U.S. President was to proclaim a "Thanksgiving Day"? George Washington. In part he had this to say on October 3, 1789:

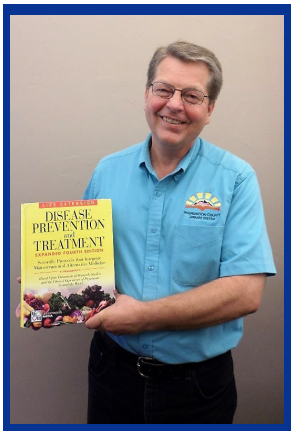
"By the President of the United States of America, a Proclamation.

Whereas it is the duty of all Nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey his will, to be grateful for his benefits, and humbly to implore his protection and favor-- and whereas both Houses of Congress have by their joint Committee requested me to recommend to the People of the United States a day of public thanksgiving and prayer to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many signal favors of Almighty God [...]"

Now therefore I do recommend and assign Thursday the 26th day of November next to be devoted by the People of these States to the service of that great and glorious Being, who is the beneficent Author of all the good that was, that is, or that will be-- That we may then all unite in rendering unto him our sincere and humble thanks--for his kind care [...]"

(from: <https://www.mountvernon.org/education/primary-sourcecollections/primary-sources-2/article/thanksgiving-proclamation-of-1789/>)

The article space is not large enough for his entire message, and if you wish to read it the link is cited above. While there were some days of feasting, fasting, or prayer recognized prior to or after the date cited above our Thanksgiving was not established as a national holiday until the 1860's by Abraham Lincoln the 16th president. Wishing you each a wonderful Thanksgiving on behalf of the library.



Alan Anderson, Director  
Washington County Library System

## Tasty Thanksgiving Recipe Books

Thanksgiving brings to mind family, food, friends, and football, and with Thanksgiving just around the corner, plans for the holiday are gearing up. Visits from friends and family can often present challenges when those with special dietary needs are included in your guest list. Finding recipes to accommodate guests with special dietary needs can be a challenge, but there are many great cookbooks available @ your library! Here are a few selections that you can check out for your holiday planning:

### Gluten free cookbooks:

*Danielle Walker's Against All Grain Celebrations*  
*Gluten Free Holiday Baking* by Ellen Brown  
*Deliciously Ella Every Day* by Ella Woodward

### Vegetarian and Vegan cookbooks:

*Vegan Holiday Kitchen : More Than 200 Delicious, Festive Recipes for Special Occasions* by Nava Atlas  
*Sinfully Vegan: 140 Decadent Desserts* by Lois Dieterly

### Traditional cookbooks:

*How to Bake Everything* by Mark Bittman  
*Thanksgiving: How to Cook it Well* by Sam Sifton  
*Thanksgiving 101* by Rick Rogers

### Keto and Diabetic cookbooks:

*Simply Keto* by Suzanne Ryan  
*The Diabetes Holiday Cookbook* by Carolyn Leontos (eBook)

### Just Desserts:

*Pie Academy* by Ken Haedrich  
*Everything Chocolate* by America's Test Kitchen  
*Pie Squared* by Cathy Barrow  
*Procrastibaking* by Erin Gardner

There are many more books available on cooking, decorating, crafts and entertaining for the holidays. Check the catalog for more titles available @ Your Library!



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Is your diurnal rhythm off a little? Do you find yourself saying, "I can't believe how dark it is!" at 6:00 in the evening? Do you feel well-rested in the morning, but oddly sleepy well before your normal bedtime? You may be affected by the condition known as "Daylight Savings Time." While often more severe in the Spring, Daylight Savings Time has been known (perhaps? we're not scientists) to cause euphoria, despair, and exclamations of, "What the heck is the time!?" Treatments generally include staying in bed for two weeks, changing clocks in your house but forgetting at least one, and zoning out to some library DVDs to wait things out until you're used to the time change. If you opt for the latter treatment, may we suggest some of these recent additions?

**MOVIES**

- BARBARIANS
- BULLET TRAIN
- DEAD FOR A DOLLAR
- FALL (Grace Currey version)
- FLUX GOURMET
- FROST
- HARBINGER

**TELEVISION**

- ABBOTT ELEMENTARY- SEASON 1
- BLOOD AND TREASURE SEASON 2
- BLUEY SEASONS 1 & 2
- FLASH SEASON 8
- TIME TRAVELER'S WIFE- THE COMPLETE SERIES

We don't want to throw you for yet another loop; that's why DVDs are FREE to borrow with your Washington County Library Card. (And also because we're a library and that's kind of what we do.) So come on by the library and pick up some DVDs. You just might feel a little better about Daylight Savings Time!



November is National Picture Book Month! The picture book is often a child's first experience of looking at and reading art and words. Picture books for young readers are building blocks that promote literacy, vocabulary skills, and sentence structure.

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. The rhythm and rhyme of picture books makes them easy to understand and fun to read aloud, allowing children to learn words quickly. In addition, reading the same story repeatedly increases vocabulary by 12%.

The Washington County Library System invites you to join the celebration and check out some picture books @ your library!

**Employee Spotlight**

It is my pleasure to present Bryan Bates as the October Employee Spotlight. Bryan has worked for the Library System for a while, and is a valued member of Technical Services Department.



His work can be seen on many of the new items rolling out for use by the public. He is the primary staff member to repair DVD's, CD's, and audio books. He is a hard worker and we are glad to have him on staff at the library. His help was invaluable while the Library System was facing challenges with COVID and the flood in the St. George branch.

Bryan grew up in Utah County, but has lived in other locations and came to us from Phoenix. He has a degree in Art. He continues to love art and is now taking a couple of art classes at Utah Tech University. He has 2 children and enjoys family together time, and says he has the best wife in the world.

Above all, he is a charming person, friendly, and a great employee. Thank you Bryan for your many contributions to the Library System, and congratulations!

- Alan Anderson, Director

**New York Times Best Sellers - Hardcover Fiction and Nonfiction**

FICTION:

1. *Long Shadows* by David Baldacci
2. *Fairy Tale* by Stephen King
3. *The Maze* by Nelson DeMille
4. *Dreamland* by Nicholas Sparks
5. *Mad Honey* by Jodi Picoult & Jennifer F. Boylan
6. *Our Missing Hearts* by Celeste Ng
7. *Red, White & Royal Blue* by Casey McQuiston
8. *The High Notes* by Danielle Steel
9. *Righteous Prey* by John Sandford
10. *The Winners* by Fredrik Backman

NONFICTION:

1. *Confidence Man* by Maggie Haberman
2. *I'm Glad My Mom Died* by Jennette McCurdy
3. *Live Wire* by Kelly Ripa
4. *Killing the Legends* by Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard
5. *Down And Out In Paradise* by Charles Leerhsen
6. *Hold The Line* by Michael Fanone & John Shiffman
7. *Visual Thinking* by Temple Grandin with Betsy Lerner
8. *The Myth of Normal* by Gabor Maté with Daniel Maté
9. *Adrift* by Scott Galloway
10. *Starry Messenger* by Neil deGrasse Tyson

## Library Programs and Events

### Hurricane Branch

Mondays- Thursdays - Story Time 10:30 am  
Mondays & Wednesdays - Dungeons & Dragons 6:00 pm  
Tuesdays & Thursdays - Dungeons & Dragons 7:00 pm  
Wednesdays - Dungeons & Dragons Gathering 5:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 2, 16, & 30 - Magic the Gathering 3:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 2 & 16 - Teen Time 3:30 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 3 - Science Club 2:00 pm  
Friday, Nov. 4 - Readers Circle Book Club 3:00 pm  
Friday, Nov. 4 - Medicare 101 with Amy Twigg 4:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 9 - Crochet Club 3:30 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 10 - Lego Club 4:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 15 - Zookeepers Club 2:30 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 17 - Art Club 2:30 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 17 - Reading with Molly 4:00 pm

### Santa Clara Branch

Mondays - Baby Story Time 11:00 am  
Mondays - Tai Chi 12:30 pm  
Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:30 & 11:30 am  
Wednesdays - Story Time 10:30 & 11:30 am (No activity on 11/23)  
Wednesdays - Teens After School 3:00 pm (No activity on 11/23)  
Thursdays - Yahweh Yoga for Seniors 10:30 am  
Fridays - Spanish Story Times 10:30 am  
(No activity on 11/11 or 11/15)  
Saturdays - Tai Chi 10:30 pm  
Friday, Nov. 4 - Drawing Class (Adults and 15+) 4:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 - Chapter One Book Club 5:30 pm  
Friday, Nov. 11 - Art 4 Kids 4:00 pm  
Monday, Nov. 14 - Lego Club 4:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 17 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 23 - Thanksgiving Crafts 12:00 - 5:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 29 - Adult Paint Night 4:00 pm

### St. George Branch

Mondays - English/Spanish Story Time 11:00 am  
Mondays - Afternoon Story Time 1:00 pm  
Wednesdays - Story Time 10:00, 11:00, 2:00 & 5:00 pm  
Thursdays - Toddler Time 11:00 am  
Fridays - Toddler Time 11:00 am  
Saturdays - Movie Matinee 2:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 3 - King Tut 100 Anniversary Event 6:00 pm  
Saturday, Nov. 12 - International Game Day 1:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 - Pageturners Book Club 2:30 pm  
Monday, Nov. 7 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 1 & 15 - Science Club for Kids 4:30 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 10 - Holiday Trivia Bowl  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 & 22 - Art Club for Kids 4:30 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 17 - Bookworms of the Bygone 3:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 17 - Teen Night 5:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 28 - Kid's Art & Science Club Combined 4:30 pm

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### New Harmony Branch

Mondays - Adult Art Class 1:00 pm  
Mondays - Lego Club 4:00 pm  
Tuesdays - Sit N' Stitch 2:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 3 & 17 - Pilates Stretch 11:00 am  
Wednesdays - Story Time 11:00 am  
Friday, Nov. 4 - Teen 'Tween Event 2:00 pm  
Friday, Nov. 18 - Novel Ideas Book Club 1:00 pm

### Washington Branch

Tuesdays - Story Time 10:00 & 11:00 am  
Wed.- Fri. - Story Time 10:30 am  
Wednesday, Nov. 2 - Teen Nerd Herd 4:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 3 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 - Home School@ the Library 1:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 9 - Teen Drive In Movie 4:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 10 - Coding Club for Kids 4:00 pm  
Monday, Nov. 14 - Library Techies 2:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 16 - Teen Board Game Night 4:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 17 - Book Ends Book Club 4:30 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 22 - Arts & Crafts Club 2:00 pm  
Tuesday, Nov. 22 - Open Music Night 6:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 26 - Techno Teens 4:00 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 30 - Booklanders Book Club 4:00 pm

### Hildale Branch

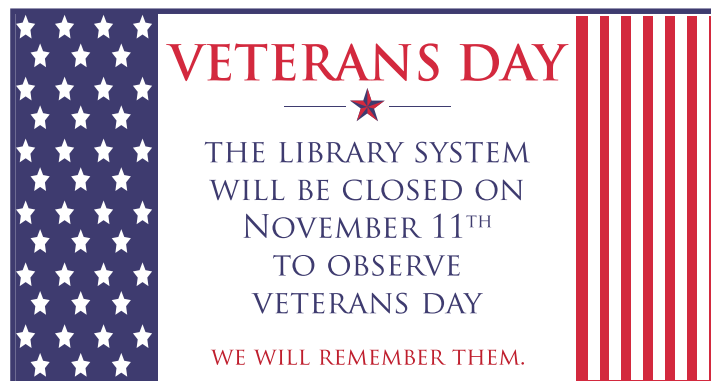
Wednesdays - Story Time 11:00 am  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 & 15 - Youth Explorers 4:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 3 - Adult Yoga 5:30 pm  
Wednesday, Nov. 16 - Teen Paint Night 5:00 pm  
Saturday, Nov. 19 - Story Time @ Cherish Families 10:00 am  
Saturday, Nov. 19 - Anime Club 2:15 pm  
Saturday, Nov. 26 - Movie Matinee 12:00 pm

### Springdale Branch

Wed., Thurs., Fri. - Story Time by Request  
Wednesday, Nov. 9 - Book Club 11:30 am

### Enterprise Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 11:00 am  
Wednesdays - Youth Activities 3:00 pm  
Fridays - Movie Matinees 1:00 pm  
Thursday, Nov. 3 & 17 - Service Club 11:00 am





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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