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# Message From The Director

February seemed to fly by. Of course, that may be because there are only 28 days in the month. And on that note...(tangent)...why is February so short? In everything I read, it appears that back in the day, there were only 10 months, which started in March and ended in December, lining up with the harvest.

January and February had nothing to do with the harvest, so apparently not important enough to name. Ouch! As an Aquarius, and a fan of Valentines Day, I find that thought...sad. Which leads me to another thought, did people celebrate birthdays back then? Either way, apparently Julius Caesar commissioned an expert to create a sun-based calendar like the one the Egyptians used, and we now have the Julian Calendar. Apparently, February has always been a little short, as we push to get to March (and planting?). And here we are! Tangent over.

Speaking of planting, did you know the library has obtained a few hydroponic gardens? A few of the branches are a little further along than others, but they are fun to see, and worth talking about with your local librarian. Having grown up on a farm, I find it fascinating that we are growing things without dirt. And apparently the roots for some of the plants are almost 5 feet long. I wonder how long roots grow in dirt. Just fascinating stuff!

Another noteworthy program that we are doing is the Epic Movie Event. We had to place it on hold for COVID, but it is back! We have reserved a theater for opening weekend of the new Fantastic Beasts 3 movie. To participate, you have to be a teen (age 13-18), you have to earn 100 points (by using the library), and be available at 9:30 am to check in on April 16th to attend the movie at 10:00 am. Spread the

word, let the teens know, come to the library and earn a free ticket!

We like to have fun in the library, and invite you to join us. Whether you are a teen, a child, or an adult, to seeing you soon!

Joel E. Tucker, Director

all are welcome. We look forward Washington County Library System

# WASHINGTON COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM PRESENTS EPIC MOV EVENT 4 Teens ages 13-18 are invited to join in the fun for the fourth "Epic Movie Event" sponsored by the Washington County Library System. What is the Epic Movie Event you ask? This event allows teens to earn a free ticket to an exclusive screening of "Fantastic Beasts and the Secrets of Dumbledore" at the Pineview Stadium Theater

Teens can register at their local branch and earn 100 points by checking out library items, attending library programs, service projects, and more!

Teens who earn their ticket will check in at 9:30 am at the theater. There will be costume contests and door prizes awarded,

and the movie will start at 10:00 am.

on April 16, 2022.

For more information on the event, please speak to the Teen librarian at your local library branch.



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We know all about shamrocks, horseshoes, and rabbits' feet, and their supposed luck-granting properties. And, to be perfectly frank, they leave a little something to be desired. For instance, once this author took a genuine four-leaf clover to her high school's football game, but her team still lost miserably. (She is still sorely disappointed.) We here at the library think it's high time a new good luck charm was instituted, such as, perhaps, DVDs from our collection. Here are some recently added DVDs you could try for luck:

#### **MOVIES:**

- ENCANTO
- · GHOSTBUSTERS: AFTERLIFE
- AFTER WE FELL
- KING RICHARD
- RESIDENT EVIL: WELCOME TO RACCOON CITY
- ONE SHOT
- SETTLERS

#### **TELEVISION:**

- DOCTOR WHO: FLUX -SEASON13
- DEATH IN PARADISE-SEASON 10
- 44 CATS
- STARGIRL: SEASON 2
- VIENNA BLOOD-SEASON 2
- GHOSTS- SEASON 1
- THIS IS US SEASON 4

Good luck doesn't have to cost you a fortune; DVDs are FREE to borrow with your Washington County Library Card. So the next time you find yourself in need of a little luck, come on down to the library to borrow a DVD. And hey—if it doesn't work for luck, you can still enjoy a great show.

-Beth Meyers, St. George Library



Washington County Library System is pleased to partner with In-N-Out Burger to bring you the Cover to Cover Library Reading Program.

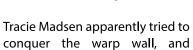
The program will begin on Saturday, March 5th and

will end on Saturday, April 16th. The program gives families with young readers ages 4-12 an opportunity to earn a free hamburger or cheeseburger.

Children who read five books at their grade level receive a certificate for a free hamburger or cheese-burger! For more information or to register for the program, speak to the Children's Librarian at your local library branch.

# **Employee Spotlight**

Have you ever taken something for granted, until it wasn't there, and then realized how much you really needed it? I found myself in this situation recently, though I did not take her for granted.





ended up with a broken leg, that took her out of the office for a time. I guess she has some training to do before she becomes the next ninja warrior, but I'm just glad that she is back. We missed her. If that intro didn't make it clear, Tracie is our Spotlight for February 2022.

Tracie is the Admin Assistant for the library. She started working for the library in 2018, and has been a brilliant library star! I've never met anyone so hard working, focused, organized, and productive. Tracie is responsible for purchasing for the library, bill management, files, PCards, ERate, library board/MTM minutes, and so much more.

If you have received a birthday gift...I can take very little recognition for that...mostly Tracie. She helps the clerk's office with voting, she helps in scheduling interviews for the library, she helps from time to time at the back check in, and just helps wherever she can. She is the heart of the library...so no more broken legs please. She enjoys spending time with her family, no matter where they may be.

- Joel Tucker, Director

# UN BOUND 2022 UPCYLED BOOK ART CONTEST

The Washington County Library System invites you to show us your creativity! Join us for the seventh annual "Un-Bound" Book Art Contest and take an old book, remake it, and win! The contest theme is "Imagination" and is open to residents of Washington County ages 5-105!



Entries will be judged on originality, technique, and theme. No hanging or wall mounted entries will be accepted. Entries can be turned in to any of the eight library branches March 25th - 31st. Winners will be announced on April 4th. Need a book for your project? Pick up a free recycled book at your library branch. For entry forms and complete rules, please visit: library.washco.utah.gov, or call 435-634-5737, ext. 2273.

### **Library Programs and Events**

#### Hurricane Branch

Mondays - Dungeons & Dragons 6:00 pm
Monday - Thursday - Story Time 10:30 am
Tues., Wed. & Thurs. - Dungeons & Dragons Club 7:00 pm
Wednesday, March 2, 19 & 30 - Magic the Gathering 3:00 pm
Wednesday, March 3 - Tween Time 11:00 am
Friday, March 4 - Reader's Circle Book Club 3:00 pm
Wednesday, March 9 & 23 - Crochet Club 3:30 pm
Thursday, March 10 & 24 - Lego Club 4:00 pm
Friday, March 11 & 18 - Art Club 3:00 pm
Monday, March 14 - Young Adult Book Club 4:30 pm
Thursday, March 17 - Reading with Molly 4:00 pm

#### Santa Clara Branch

Mondays - Tai Chi 12:30 pm
Saturdays - Tai Chi 10:30 pm
Tuesdays - Toddler Time 10:30 & 11:30 am
Wednesdays - Story Time 10:30 & 11:30 am
Wednesdays - Teens After School 3:00 pm
Thursdays - Yoga 10:30 am
Fridays - Spanish Story Time 10:30 am
Monday, March 14 - Home Schoolers @ the Library 10:30 am
\*Please register
Tuesday, March 8 - Chapter One Book Club 5:30 pm
Monday, March 14 - Lego Club 4:00 pm
Tuesday, March 15 - Yoga 5:45 pm
Thursday, March 17 - P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Tuesday, March 29 - Adult Paint Night 4:00 pm

#### St. George Branch

Mondays - 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, March 3 - Book Art Workshop 6:00 pm Friday, March 4 - ASL Storytime 10:00 am Monday, March 7-P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm Tuesday, March 1 & 15 - Science Club for Kids 4:30 pm Tuesday, March 8 & 22 - Art Club for Kids 4:30 pm Tuesday, March 8 & 22 - Coloring Club for Adults 1:00 pm Tuesday, March 8 - Pageturners Book Club 2:30 pm Thursday, March 10 - Adult Program 6:00 pm Thursday, March 17 - Teen Night 5:00 pm Thursday, March 24 - Teen Book Club 4:30 pm Thursday, March 24 - Adult Program 6:00 pm

#### Enterprise Branch

Fridays - Movie Matinee @ the Library 1:00 pm Wednesdays - Story Time 11:00 am Wednesdays - Youth Activities 3:00 pm Fridays - Movie Matinee 1:00 pm Thursday, March 24 - Book Art Workshop 3:00 pm

# **Library Programs and Events**

#### Springdale Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 3:00 pm March 7-31 - Leprechaun Scavenger Hunt Wednesday, March 9 - Book Club 11:30 pm Thursday, March 10 - Adult Paint n' Sip Night 7:00 pm

#### New Harmony Branch

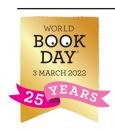
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#### Washington Branch

Tuesdays - Story Time 10:00 & 11:00 am
Wednesday-Friday - Story Time 10:30 am
Wednesday, March 2- Teen Nerd Herd 4:00 pm
Thursday, March 3- P.A.W.S. for Tales 4:00 pm
Tuesday, March 8 - Home Schooling Program 1:00 pm
Wednesday, March 9 - Teen Event 4:00 pm
Monday, March 14- Library Techies 2:00 pm
Tuesday, March 15 - Movie Night 5:00 pm
Thursday, March 10 & 24 - Coding Club for Kids 4:00 pm
Wednesday, March 16 - Techno Teens 4:00 pm
Thursday, March 17 - Book Ends Book Club 4:30 pm
Tuesday, March 22 - Arts & Crafts Club 2:00 pm
Wednesday, March 23 - Teen Event 4:00 pm
Wednesday, March 30 - Booklanders Teen Book Club 4:00 pm

#### Hildale Branch

Wednesdays - Story Time 11:00 am
Tuesdays - Youth Explorers Hydroponics 1:00 pm
Wednesday, March 2 & 16- After School @ the Library 4:00 pm
Thursday, March 10- Teen's @ the Library 3:30 pm
Saturday, March 23 - Movie Matinee 12:00 pm
Monday, March 21- Anime Club 5:00 pm
Wednesday, March 23 - Unbound Book Art Workshop 3:30 pm



Celebrate the 25th anniversary of "World Book Day" on March 3, 2022. With the goal to change lives through stories, and this year's theme is "You Are A Reader". What better place to celebrate books than at your library!

Books awaken the imagination and spark curiosity in children. Books teach us all to appreciate words and language, and create new universes to explore. One example of this is the Newbery Medal winning book "A Wrinkle In Time" by Madeleine L'Engle. This book chronicles the adventures of Meg Murray, her brother Charles Wallace, and their daring rescue of their father who disappeared while experimenting with time travel. Visit your library and find new stories and universes to explore!

-Jill Nethercott, St. George Library

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