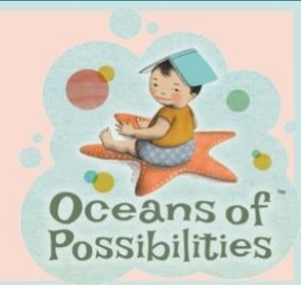




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Those of you living in the Perrysburg school district should have received a Way Public Library **Connection** in the mail. It has all the information you need for summer reading, programs, what's in the Way Gallery, the StoryWalk, and MORE! If you didn't receive one or do not live in the Perrysburg school district, ask for one at the circulation desk the next time you're in the library. Many fun things are happening at Way Library this summer including a magic show, an inflatable life-size humpback whale, yoga with Maggie Kollman, travel adventures with Judy Pfaffenberger, nature programs at W.W. Knight Nature Preserve, Let's Talk About It: Women's Suffrage programs, and a GIANT book sale! Make sure to include Way Library in your summer schedule!!!

Happening at Way Library



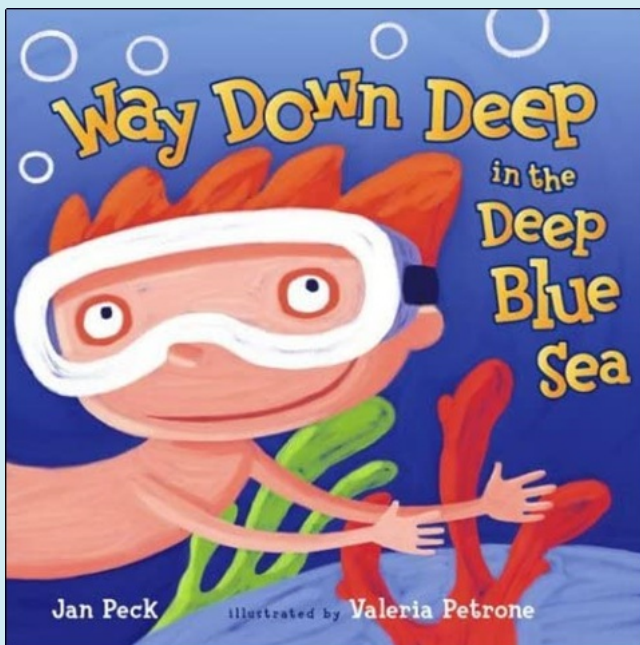
Happy Retirement,
KAREN BRIGODE!

You've Reached
The FINISH LINE

Thank you for **50 YEARS** of service
to Way Public Library!

Fiscal Officer Karen Brigode will retire at the end of June after serving at Way Public Library for 50 years. If you would like to send a card to Karen to wish her "Happy Retirement," mail it to Karen Brigode, Way Public Library, 101 East Indiana Ave., Perrysburg, OH 43551

THANK YOU KAREN!!!



StoryWalk®

June 1 - July 6, 2022

Join us for an outdoor adventure that begins at Way Library and continues through downtown Perrysburg. StoryWalk promotes literacy, physical activity, and family time!

Great for all ages!

Sponsored by



The StoryWalk begins at the corner of the Way Library parking lot, near Louisiana Avenue and the railroad tracks, and continues through downtown Perrysburg.



Teen Summer Reading Subscription Box

Join the Way Library's Summer Reading subscription box just for teens! Each box will have a book to keep and bookish goodies to enhance your reading experience. Sign up now at teens.waylibrary.info.

Adult Craft Class Ocean Paint Pour

Wednesday, June 1 at 2 OR 3:30 pm

Paint pour is an art method that uses acrylic paints in cups to pour on a surface to make a flowing design. We will create ocean waves on canvas. It could get a little messy so wear old clothes. **A \$10 fee is required when registering at the Information Desk. Spots are limited.**





Summer Reading Kick-off Party

Saturday, June 4 from 10-11:30 am

Join us for a morning of outdoor fun! Meet us across the street from the library on the Commodore Lawn for games, crafts, and even a bounce house. Learn about the library's Summer Reading Club and how you can sign up. All ages are welcome.



Country Garden Club Presents

Seeds & Sprouts: Nurturing Growth

A Garden Club of America Flower Show

Don't miss the spectacular floral arrangements on display throughout the library. A must-see!

Saturday, June 4, 10 am - 5:30 pm
Sunday, June 5, 1 pm - 4 pm



Call for artists!

Did you use your time in isolation to create art or learn a new creative hobby? Consider displaying your work at Way Library during our summer exhibit ***Pandemic Reflections: Creativity and COVID***. Share with us what you created to help you cope during a time of uncertainty. This exhibit will be on display from July 2 to August 28. You can pick up a brochure and application at the library or [print the brochure and application at home](#). Submissions will be accepted during the week of June 19-25.

Northern France and WWI & WWII

Monday, June 6, 2 pm

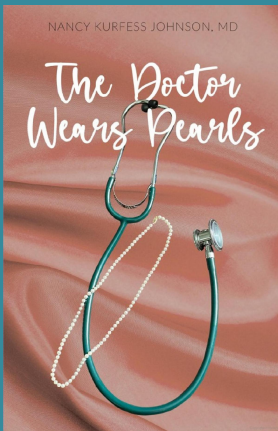
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The Doctor Wears Pearls

Wednesday, June 8, 2 pm

Dr. Nancy Kurfess Johnson will share stories from her book *The Doctor Wears Pearls*. Dr. Johnson was born and raised on a farm in Luckey, Ohio. Her book traces her journey from farm life to earning a medical degree and becoming the first female board-certified OB/GYN in private practice in a large metropolis. Come and hear her fascinating stories of trials, tribulations, and triumphs along the way.

COMICS PLUS[®]

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Comics Plus - Streaming Comics, Manga, Graphic Novels, & More!

Wednesday, June 8, 6:30 pm

Explore Way Library's newest digital service Comics Plus! An all-ages app with unlimited borrows each month, Comic Plus has a lot to offer. We'll look at how to access the collection, search items, and add titles to your shelf. Can't find what you're looking for? We'll also look at other apps and streaming options you have with your library card, like Hoopla and Libby. Open to readers of all ages. You're welcome to bring your device to follow along in real-time.

GIANT BOOK SALE!



Thursday, June 16, 9 am - 7:30 pm

Friday, June 17, 9 am - 5:30 pm

Saturday, June 18, 9 am - 12:30 pm (half price all day)

Find thousands of outstanding, gently used books to browse and take home! Large bags will sell for the bargain price of \$12.50 and small bags for \$5. Books may also be purchased individually. Don't forget to check out our ongoing sale every day during regular library hours. Books are for sale on the main level in the lobby and in the lower level gallery.

*Sales are sponsored by
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JULY SPICE OF THE MONTH

Tarragon has only been cultivated for around 600 years. It is thought to have been brought to Italy around the tenth Century by invading Mongols who used it as a sleep aid, breath freshener and seasoning. It is believed St. Catherine, on a visit to Pope Clement VI, brought tarragon to France in the 14th century.



tarragon

[Register here for July's Spice of the Month Tarragon beginning on Monday, June 20.](#)

**Children's Magic Show
with Jeff Wawraszek
Thursday, June 23, 10-10:45 am**

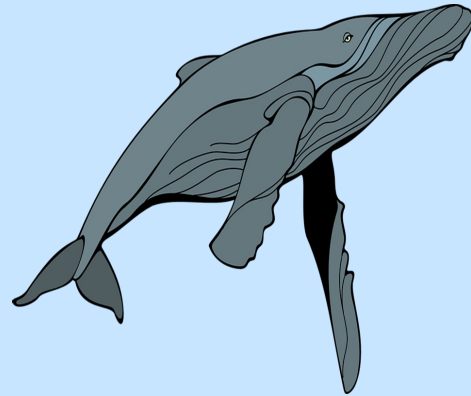


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In honor of the Great Race arriving in Perrysburg on Tuesday, June 21, we're featuring transportation cake pans this month. Do you know someone that likes cars, trucks, planes, trains, and other "things that GO"? Baker's Way at Way Library has many different vehicle cake pans to choose from. Look in the

Miscellaneous section for a van, tractor, sports car, semi-truck, race car, pickup truck, motorcycle, fire truck, train, cruiser, NASCAR car, and even an airplane.

Your transportation enthusiast will love a sweet treat!



[See all the pans in our collection.](#)

Kroger Community Rewards

Do you shop at Kroger? If so, you can support Way Library at no cost to you by simply designating us as your Community Rewards recipient. Already registered? Please check to make sure your community rewards are still valid. It's easy, only takes a few minutes, and it does make a difference.

Simply go to www.krogercommunityrewards.com and enter EC279 or Way Public Library Foundation as your designation choice. Questions? Contact Lisa Richard at 419-874-3135 ext. 139 or at lisa.richard@waylibrary.info. Thank you for taking the time to support Way.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Our **CALENDAR OF EVENTS** is where you'll find a searchable, chronological list of all library events for children, teens, and adults.

The calendar includes all of the essential event details you need, *plus* an easy link to registration if necessary. Registration begins for all summer programs on Wednesday, June 1 unless noted otherwise.

Adults *(Click this link to see ALL upcoming programs for adults.)*

First Wednesday Morning Book Discussion

Wednesday, June 1 at 10 am

Way Library's oldest book discussion group. June's book is *Heartland* by Sarah Smarsh. *Copies of the discussion book are available at the Circulation Desk.*

Adult Craft Class - Ocean Paint Pour

Wednesday, June 1, 2 OR 3:30 pm

Create ocean waves on canvas. Please wear old clothes because they may get messy. All supplies will be provided. **A \$10 fee is required when registering at the Information Desk.** Registration is open.

Spice of the Month Club

Monday, June 6 at 9 am

Pickup begins for June's Spice of the Month Poppy Seeds at the Circulation Desk for those registered.

Northern France and WWI & WWII

Monday, June 6, 2 pm

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Let's Talk About It (LTAI): Women's Suffrage

Book Discussion: The Woman's Hour by Elaine Weiss

Monday, June 6, 7 pm

Way Library welcomes Dr. Chelsea Griffis, Lecturer in History at the University of Toledo, for a book discussion. Books will be available at the library for checkout. *Let's Talk About It (LTAI): Women's Suffrage is a humanities discussion project from the American Library Association (ALA) supported by the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH).*

Yoga with Maggie Kollman

Tuesday, June 7, 10 am

Join Maggie Kollman, registered yoga instructor (Yoga Alliance) for this gentle yoga class good for all levels. Adults only. [Registration required.](#)

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Reel Opinions with WGTE

American Masters: Waterman

Thursday, June 9, 2 pm

Narrated by Jason Momoa, discover the inspiring story and considerable impact of five-time Olympic medalist Duke Kahanamoku. He shattered swimming records and globalized surfing while overcoming racism in a lifetime of personal challenges.

Curators of Our Art: From Africa to the Arts of American Freedom

Thursday, June 9, 7 pm

Dr. Micala Evans and Dr. Imelda Hunt's storytelling presentation will include an introduction to Juneteenth, a sobering historical storytelling of the holiday's history. It will conclude with stories of resilience among Africans who endured the hardship of slavery and how they were able to use tragedy to curate art that dispelled lies, myths, and stereotypes of African culture.

NW Ohio Book Depository Tour

Tuesday, June 14, 2 pm

Meet at BGSU at Levis Commons (1655 N. Wilkinson Way) for a tour of the massive NW Ohio Regional Book Depository which currently holds 1.25 million items. Learn Depository storage and retrieval methods, how big data is used to manage the collection, and see what 10,000-square-feet of books look like.

[Registration required](#). Space is limited. Must provide own transportation.

Spice of the Month Club

Monday, June 20

[Registration opens](#) on Monday, June 20 for July's Spice of the Month - Tarragon.

The Great Race

Tuesday, June 21, 2 OR 5 pm

In honor of the Great Race rolling through Perrysburg, Way Library will be showing the movie of the same name. The Great Race was made in 1965 and stars Jack Lemmon, Tony Curtis, Natalie Wood, and Peter Falk. This slapstick comedy was inspired by the actual 1908 New York to Paris automobile race – via the Bering Strait!

Inspirational Book Club

Wednesday, June 22 from 12-1 pm

Started in the summer of 2021, the Inspiration Book Club's June book is ***The Fifth Avenue Story Society*** by Rachel Hauck. *Copies of the discussion book are available at the Circulation Desk.*

Let's Talk About It (LTAI): Women's Suffrage

WGTE presents Women's Suffrage Fashion Demonstration and American Experience: The Vote

Wednesday, June 22, 7 pm

Join us as Kathy Dowd shows an engaging mix of artifacts, images, artwork, and historic apparel providing a glimpse into the struggles, motivation, and triumph of the brave women and their supporters that shared the ideals, struggles, and ambitions of the suffragists. This will be followed by an episode

of American Experience: The Vote where we'll explore the final four years (1916-1920) of the campaign for the passage of the 19th amendment and view some of the women whose tireless work would finally ban discrimination at American polls on the basis of sex. *Let's Talk About It (LTAI): Women's Suffrage* is a humanities discussion project from the American Library Association (ALA) supported by the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH).

ARRGH: A History of Piracy on the Great Lakes

Thursday, June 23, 7 pm

Join us for a historical and cultural re-examination of piracy and its implications for understanding the history of the Great Lakes. Parrots and peg legs are not included just a healthy dose of thievery, mutiny, and other unsavory tales.

[Registration required.](#)

Weight Management with Mercy Health

Monday, June 27, 2 pm

One in three Americans are overweight, and the World Health Organization reports that worldwide obesity has nearly tripled since 1975. Join Madeline Perry, MS, RD, LD, and take the first steps to learn different weight management solutions for living a healthier and happier life.

How to Create a Great Resume

Monday, June 27, 6:30 pm

Join Sandy Skala from Cardinal Staffing as she gives professional advice on how to create a great resume. Sandy has over a decade of experience helping people find the right job for them, and she is ready to help you with the first step in getting a job—a great resume. This is a lecture-style program, individual resume work will not be available.

AARP® Driver Safety Course

Tuesday, June 28, 8:45 am-1 pm

Learn current rules of the road, defensive driving techniques, and more. There is a course fee of \$20 for AARP members or \$25 for non-members which is due at registration. **Register at the Information Desk.** Class size is limited. A light lunch will be provided.

Adult Craft Kits Available

Tuesday, June 28, 9 am

Instructions and all the supplies to make a Patriotic Clothespin Wreath will be available for pickup at the Circulation Desk. Supplies are limited.

[Children](#) (Click this link to see **ALL** upcoming programs for children.)

Outdoor Family Storytime

Tuesdays, June 7, 14, 21 & 28, 10-10:30 am

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Bookaneers Book Club & Movie

Thursday, June 9, 2-4 pm

Join us as we watch and discuss June's movie based on a children's book. Books will be available at the Youth Services desk. Please read the book

before joining us for the movie showing. Refreshments will be provided.
[Registration required.](#) Ages 8-12.

Unusual Sea Creatures

Friday, June 10, 10-11 am

Let's dive beneath the waves to explore three curious creatures: the narwhal, anglerfish, and adorabilis (flapjack octopus). We'll share ocean facts, crafts, and stories. [Registration required.](#) Ages 5-7.

Brain Flakes

Tuesday, June 14, 2-3 pm

Art and engineering combine again with Brain Flakes, interlocking discs with endless possibilities. Construct colorful sculptures to display in the library. *Ages 6 and up.*

Storybook Spotlight

Wednesday, June 15, 10-11 am

Join us for a colorful celebration of *The Rainbow Fish* by Marcus Pfister. There'll be fishy games, crafts, and snacks to honor this kind fish. [Registration required.](#) Ages 5-7.

Lego League

Thursday, June 16, 2-3 pm

If you're a great Lego builder or a first-timer, this is the place for you. We provide the Legos. You provide the imagination for an hour of free building. *Ages 4 and up.*

Family Drive-In Movie

Tuesday, June 21, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, OR 7:30 pm

Join us for a drive-in movie. Children and caregivers will create their very own car, followed by snacks, and a showing of Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus! All supplies will be provided. *All ages are welcome.*

Hot Wheels Launch

Wednesday, June 22, 2-3 pm

Build ramps of all sizes and investigate gravity through the power of play. The library will provide lots of tracks and cars to test in teams. [Registration required.](#) Ages 5-7

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Water Protectors

Thursday, June 23, 2-3 pm

Learn about the impact of pollution, especially plastic, on our waterways. We'll read *We Are Water Protectors*, an award-winning picture book by Carole Lindstrom. Then we'll do various activities adapted from *Talking Trash & Taking Action* by the Ocean Conservancy & NOAA Marine Debris.

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Teens *(Click this link to see **ALL** upcoming programs for teens.)*

Pizza and Pages

Friday, June 17, 11 am-12 pm

Read a chosen book and come for a book discussion and pizza. Meet across from the library on the Commodore Lawn or in the Mercy Health Activity Center in case of rain. [Registration required.](#)

Teen Outdoor Art

Friday, June 24, 11 am-2:15 pm

Get some fresh air on the Commodore Lawn and experience art in this summer reading club event. Create art that's too messy to do inside. Do you want to tie-dye a shirt or use a squirt gun to paint a canvas? Then this program is for you! [Registration required.](#)

Mermaid/Shark Keychains and Slime

Wednesday, June 29, 2-3 pm

You're invited to create underwater crafts using materials provided by the library. Mermaids and sharks will be the theme of the day! [Registration required.](#)

New Books

New Fiction Books

Click a title to place a hold. You must be logged into your library account to place a hold.

[Tom Clancy Zero Hour](#)

by Don Bentley
June 7, 2022

[Red Warning](#)

by Matthew Quirk

[Horse](#)

by Geraldine Brooks
June 14, 2022

[Escape](#)

by James Patterson & David Ellis
June 20, 2022

[The Lies I Tell](#)

by Julie Clark

June 7, 2022

[Out of the Clear Blue Sky](#)

by Kristan Higgins
June 7, 2022

[The Hotel Nantucket](#)

by Elin Hilderbrand
June 14, 2022

[A Face to Die For](#)

by Iris Johansen
June 14, 2022

[The Friendship Pact](#)

by Jill Shalvis
June 14, 2022

June 21, 2022

[Suspects](#)

by Danielle Steel
June 28, 2022

[Red on the River](#)

by Christine Feehan
June 28, 2022



New Nonfiction Books

Click a title to place a hold. You must be logged into your library account to place a hold.

[James Patterson by James Patterson: The Stories of My Life](#)

by James Patterson
June 6, 2022

[Wastelands: The True Story of Farm Country on Trial](#)

by Corban Addison
June 7, 2022

[We Carry Their Bones: The Search for Justice at the Dozier School for Boys](#)

by Erin Kimmerle
June 14, 2022

[Still Alright](#)

by Kenny Loggins and Jason Turbow
June 14, 2022

[Make This Tonight: Recipes to Get Dinner on the Table: A Cookbook](#)

by Tastemade
June 21, 2022

[Rogues: True Stories of Grifters, Killers, Rebels and Crooks](#)

by Patrick Radden Keefe
June 28, 2022

[George Michael: A Life](#)

by James Gavin
June 28, 2022

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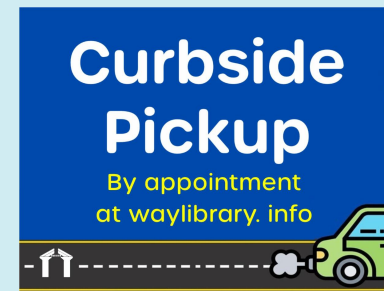
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If you need a little guidance, [take our video tour with step-by-step instructions](#) for downloading and using the app.

Convenient Curbside Pickup

Curbside pickup remains popular at Way for its safety and convenience. Any patron can pick up books and other physical materials using our contactless service.

Read more [here](#) or set your appointment now at curbside.waylibrary.info.



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videos!

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Contact Information

Summer looks like it will be busy this year starting in June! My June schedule includes Summer Reading beginning Saturday, June 4, my daughter's wedding, and a retirement party for Karen here at the library! I hope to enjoy some nice weather on my patio and time at the farmers market in Perrysburg. Enjoy the



summer and this month's newsletter! I hope to see you soon.

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