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The Holidays are Here

The holidays are finally here again with smells of pumpkin pie, cinnamon, turkey, ham, sweet potatoes, and cranberries. Houses are decorated with lights, cornstalks, pumpkins, snowmen, and reindeer. Families are visiting, trees are going up, cocoa is being served.

The library can help with all of your decorating and cooking needs. We have audio books, DVDs, and ebooks that can help put fantastic meals on the table, and create that one of a kind holiday style. For holiday dinners that will have them reaching for seconds, try *Holiday entertaining essentials: Thanksgiving desserts*, and *Thanksgiving sides*, both ebooks by Adams Media. *Thanksgiving 101: celebrate America's favorite holiday with America's Thanksgiving expert* by Rick Rodgers, or *The Thanksgiving book: an illustrated treasury of lore, tales, poems, prayers, and the best holiday feasting* by Jerome Agel and Jason Shulman.

The Christmas season officially gets started the day after Thanksgiving. *A Christmas Companion* by Maria

Robbins offers recipes, traditions, and customs from around the world. Home-style decorations can be found in *Christmas Handcrafts* by Oxmoor House, *365 Ways to Prepare for Christmas* by David E. Monn, or *Celebrate the Season* by Better Homes and Gardens. Cooking up that holiday meal is a snap when you check out *Christmas with Southern Living* from Oxmoor House, *101 Christmas Recipes* by Gooseberry Patch, *A baker's field guide to Christmas cookies* by Dede Wilson, or *Busy People's fun, fast, festive Christmas Cookbook*.

Don't forget to pick up some great titles for sitting in front of a cozy fire sipping that hot cocoa! The Mannington Friends of the library group holds weekly booksales on Fridays from 10:00-4:00, and Saturdays from 9:00-1:00. The Marion County Public Library will hold two Saturday sales, November 8th and December 6th from 9:00-11:00. Or if you are too rushed to stop and browse, put titles on hold from our website and we'll call you when they are available. All you have to do is stop in and pick check them out! What could be easier than that?

Happy Holidays!



Director's Spotlight



Erika Reed,
Director



DOWNLOADABLE MAGAZINES, GET YOUR HOLIDAY RECIPES!

Do you have a smart phone, Nook, Kindle, or tablet? If so, you might like to know more about our downloadable magazines for your electronic devices. Our service is called Zinio and we have several hundred magazine titles you can download and keep as long as you want, no need to return them. You can even checkout back issues from up to two years ago. Get started by visiting the iTunes Store or Play Store and download the free Zinio app. Once you create an account, you can log into your library and begin browsing all the magazines, always available, no wait! Another great feature is to set your preferences so that you can be notified when the next issue of your favorite magazines become available. Some great titles to get you in the holiday baking mood include: *Holiday Baking*, *Taste of Home*, *30-Minute Meals*, *Weight Watchers*, *Martha Stewart Living*, *Food Network*, and *Eating Well*. Start your digital magazine collection today by visiting our library website, www.mcpls.org. And don't worry, we still have many great magazine titles you can check out at our library branches, too. Stop in and visit to see other great titles to add to your holiday planning.

www.mcpls.org

Features

National Game and Puzzle Week

November 23-29 is National Game and Puzzle Week. It's a chance for families and friends to get together and have fun! What's your preference? Board games, card games, video games or yard games? Everything counts as long as you do it together!

Fairview Public Library is bringing back Family Fun Night beginning this month. Every Tuesday and Thursday, families are invited to stop in and play a variety of board games, work puzzles, and do some holiday crafting! Trivia buffs can stop by during the day on November 20th from 9:00-4:00 to try their luck at What Do You Know About That? for patrons ages 14-up.

The Marion County Public Library sponsors TableTop Games every Wednesday from 5:00-9:00 p.m. It features non-traditional board games fun for ages 15-up. Check out Tabletop games by Will Wheaton online to see the type of games we have. Popcorn, chips, and drinks are served and admission is free! The group keeps growing weekly, so stop by and stay as long as you can. For more information, contact Dan at 304-366-1210.

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Playaways

Audio

Blood Magick by Nora Roberts
The Cinderella Murder by Mary Higgins Clark
The Escape by David Baldacci
Flesh and Blood by Patricia Cornwell
Hope to Die by James Patterson
The Job by Janet Evanovich
Pegasus by Danielle Steel
Revival by Stephen King

Views

Animorphs Vol. 1
Christmas Cartoon Collection 2
Meet the Phonics-Digraphs
Clifford the Big Red Dog, Vol 2

Bestsellers Expected in October

Print

Betrayed by Lisa Scottoline
Bue Labyrinth by Douglas J. Preston
The Burning Room by Michael Connely
The Cinderella Murder by Mary Higgins Clark
The Escape by David Baldacci
Hope to Die by James Patterson
The Job by Janet Evanovich
Let Sleeping Dogs Lie by Rita Mae Brown
A New York Christmas by Anne Perry
Private India by James Patterson
The Promise by Robert Crais
Revival by Stephen King
The Siege by Arturo Perez-Reverte
Undercover Princess by Suzanne Brockmann

Large Print

Betrayed by Lisa Scottoline
Change of Heart by Jude Deveraux
Flesh and Blood by Patricia Cornwell
The Handsome Man's Delux Café
by Alexander McCall Smith
Havana Storm by Clive Cussler
Leaving Time by Jodi Picoult
Maeve's Time by Maeve Binchy
Private India by James Patterson
The Promise by Robert Crais
Shopaholic to the Stars by Sophie Kinsella

DVDs

22 Jump Street
Hercules
How to Train Your Dragon 2
If I Stay
Into the Storm

Jersey Boys
Let's Be Cops
Maleficent
Million Ways to Die in the West
Planes Fire & Rescue

Purge, The Anarchy
Step Up All In
Tammy
Tyler Perry's a Madea Christmas

(Check you local branch for more titles)

Marion County Public Library

321 Monroe Street, Fairmont, WV 26554

304-366-1210

Gaming Day @ the Library!

Celebrate International Gaming day at the library. Saturday, November 15th is International Game Day and the library will be celebrating with various games throughout the library. Join in on the scavenger hunt, board games, and other fun activities. Popular board games, activity sheets, crosswords and more will be available. A Wii bowling tournament will take place starting at 2:00 p.m. Come early and stay as long as you can!

Teen Crafternoon

Grab your favorite magazines and use pictures to create works of art! We will be decouping pictures onto mini canvases for the Teen Crafternoon on November 18th at 4:30. Use our pictures or bring your own, just make sure they are about 2x2, and all other supplies will be provided. Sign-up is required, so call us at 304-366-1210.

Adult Craft Class

Our adult craft class will be taking a hiatus through the holiday season. We will resume in January 2015, when we will begin a series of quilting classes. More information will be provided in December's newsletter. See you then!

Turkey, Turkey, Turkey Day

Join us Saturday, November 22nd to get ready for this fun filled holiday. We'll be making various Thanksgiving crafts, coloring sheets, puzzles, and other fun things. Activities will take place from 2:00-3:30 p.m. Make a fun decoration to make your Thanksgiving festive!

Tabletop Game Club

They're not your parents' board games! Join us on Wednesdays from 5:00-9:00 for some untraditional board games. Bring your own games, or use ours, either way it's free to play and you'll have a great time! Refreshments are provided, come when you can and stay as long as you want!

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MCPLS Bookmobile

ROUTE SCHEDULE *Autumn 2014 **

MONDAY

Monongah Park Trailhead: 11:00-12:00

Monongah

Hutchinson: 1:00-1:45

Woodlands Assisted Living

Stepping Stone, Inc: 3:45-4:45

East Grafton Road

TUESDAY

Grant Town: 9:30-10:30

Community Center lot

Heart Junction Child Care: 10:30-11:30

Rivesville

[2nd & 4th Week]

Pierpont Laboratory Preschool: 1:30-2:30

FSU Campus

[2nd & 4th Week]

Disability Action Center: 2:30-3:30

102 Benoni Ave

[2nd Week]

Wishing Well/ Genesis: 2:30-3:30

Country Club Road

[1st & 3rd Week]

Boys & Girls Club: 3:45-4:45

Watson Elem: Mary Lou Retton Dr

[2nd & 4th Week]

WEDNESDAY

Whitehall: 9:00-10:00

Middletown Mall

Pleasant Valley: 10:30-11:30

Valley Chapel United Meth. Lot

NASA IV & V: 12:00-1:00

Back parking lot

[1st & 3rd Week]

Bunner Ridge: 2:30-3:30

Sagebrush Roundup lot

[1st & 3rd Week]

Boys & Girls Club: 3:45-4:45

Blackshere Elementary

[2nd & 4th Week]

THURSDAY

Bright Beginnings Day Care: 9:30-10:30

22 Moran Circle, Rt 73

Sunbeam Child Care Center: 11:00-12:00

Mary Lou Retton Drive

Rock Lake: 2:00-3:00

Community Center

Colfax: 3:30-4:30

Community Center

Mannington Public Library

109 Clarksburg Street, Mannington, WV 26582

304-986-2803

Friends Book Sale

The weather is getting cooler and it's time to load up on books for the winter. If you're looking for books in great condition, check us out on Fridays from 10:00-4:00 and Saturdays from 9:00-1:00.

Huddle Time!

Pop Open a Good Book. We're all in for Monday Night Huddle Time. Jami's planning Game Night and a Thanksgiving Party this month. Huddle Time is a new program for K-4 this fall. Every Monday, Jami will alternate weekly programs; featuring school-age stories and activities between K-2 and 3-4 graders. To register call 304-986-2803. Space is limited.

Story Time

Pop Open a Good Book! with Mrs. Jami. She's planning a great time while we Fall into Books, grow some Crazy Hair, and throw a Thanksgiving Party this month. Story Time is a pre-school program instilling the love of reading into our 2-5 year-olds. The program is every Wednesday at 10:30. To register, call the library, as space is limited.

Saturday Morning Movie

Grab a Ticket! We will be featuring *Planes Fire and Rescue* on November 15th at 11:00. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served.

Pizza Party

We're celebrating Blackshere Elementary's first grade class the month of November. Each time a first grade student visits the library this month, we will give them a pizza topping for each item they check out. The class with the most toppings will win a Pizza Party and special story read, compliments of the library.

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Fairview Public Library

500 Main Street, Fairview, WV 26570

304-449-1021

Reading is a Feast

Mrs. Alicia keeps things moving in November with her weekly Toddler Time and Story Hour classes. Participants will be able to celebrate *Starry Nights-PJ Party*, *Scarecrows and Pumpkins*, and *Giving Thanks* with all new stories, crafts, and games. Remember during the week of November 24th there will be no classes due to Thanksgiving Break.

The After School Movie returns on November 25th with *Free Birds*. Since space is limited for this event, registration is required and can be completed over the phone or in person. A light snack will be provided, and those coming directly from school will be able to walk to the library with Mrs. Alicia.

Juvenile Patron Appreciation Grab Bag Giveaway for 2014 concludes in November. Children who present their library card when checking out can fill out a ticket for the drawing, and one entry will be randomly chosen as the winner.

Enjoy Fall (Before it Leaves)

There's fun for the whole family in November. Teens and t'weens can join us for their After School Movie on November 18th-*Fred Claus*. Mrs. Linda will also be providing snacks and crafts to tie into the movie's holiday theme. Space is limited so registration is required; this event is open to juvenile patrons in grades 4-8.

Family Fun Night makes its return every Tuesday in November from 4:00-6:00 p.m. beginning on November 4th. Families are invited to play board games, work puzzles, and do some holiday crafting while they're here so be sure to stop by for some fun!

Trivia buffs can join us on November 20th from 9:00-4:00 p.m. for our monthly contest, *What Do You Know About That?* Patrons ages 14-up are eligible to participate, and the patron with the most correct answers wins a prize. Stop by and see this month's displays, Talking Turkey, and our Veteran's Day display, featuring scrapbooks specific to Fairview during WWII.

A Driving Spirit

The library will be sponsoring Food Pantry and Mitten Tree drives. From November 12-December 12, we will be accepting non-perishable food items, and from November 1-December 5, we will collect various items of children's winter clothing to be donated to Fairview Elementary. Every little bit counts!



Marion County Public Library System

Calendar of Events

Marion County Public Library

- Nov. 5,12,19: TableTop Games 5:00-9:00
- Nov. 8, Dec. 6: Friends Book Sale. 9:00-11:00
- Nov. 9-15: Fine Free Week
- Nov. 11: Closed
- Nov. 18: Teen Crafternoon
- Nov. 19: Book It!
- Nov. 22: Turkey, Turkey, Turkey Day
- Nov. 24: Awesome Readers' Club
- Nov. 27-29: Closed

Fairview Branch

- Nov. 1-26: Mitten Tree Drive
- Nov. 1-26: Coloring Workshop
- Nov. 1-26: Juvenile Patron Apprec. Giveaway
- Nov. 1-26: Nuts to This Guessing Game
- Nov. 3,10,17: Toddler Time
- Nov. 4,18,25: Family Fun Night
- Nov. 4,18,25: Tuesday Nite Knitters
- Nov. 5,6,12,13,19,20: Story Hour
- Nov. 9-15: Fine Free Week
- Nov. 11: Closed
- Nov. 12-26: Food Pantry Drive
- Nov. 18: Circle Time 1
- Nov. 18: Teen Movie Night
- Nov. 20: Trivia Contest
- Nov. 21: Page Turners
- Nov. 25: Circle Time 2
- Nov. 25: After School Movie
- Nov. 25: Speaking of Books
- Nov. 27-29: Closed

Mannington Branch

- Nov. 3,17: Huddle Time K-2
- Nov. 7,14,21: Book Sale 10:00-4:00
- Nov. 8,15,22: Book Sale 9:00-1:00
- Nov. 9-15: Fine Free Week
- Nov. 10, 24: Huddle Time Gr. 3-4
- Nov. 11: Closed
- Nov. 15: Saturday Movie @ the library
- Nov. 20: Cover2Cover
- Nov. 24: Fiction Addiction Book Club
- Nov. 27-29: Closed

New E-Books

Angel by Jon Grahame
Are You Loathsome by Poppy Z. Brite
Explosive Engagement by Lisa Childs
Fear by Stefan Zweig
The Final Solution by Michael Chabon
The Long Ships by Frans G. Bengtsson
Once is Not Enough by Jacqueline Susann
Roses for a Diva by Rick Blechta
Shadows of the Silver Screen by Christopher Edge
Sherlock Holmes by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

New E-Audio Books

Dirty Daddy by Bob Saget
Fatal Dive by Peter F. Stevens
Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown
How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell
Romancing the Duke by Tessa Dare
Ruin Falls by Jenny Milchman
Sally Ride by Lynn Sherr
Snail Mail No More by Paula Danziger
Trouble in Mind by Jeffery Deaver

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Blue Labyrinth by Douglas Preston
The Burning Room by Michael Connelly
The Cinderella Murder
by Mary Higgins Clark
The Escape by David Baldacci
Flesh and Blood by Patricia Cornwell
The Handsome Man's Deluxe Café
by Alexander McCall Smith
Hope to Die by James Patterson
The Job by Janet Evanovich
A Last Goodbye by J. A. Jance
Private India by James Patterson
The Promise by Robert Crais
Revival by Stephen King
Undercover Princess
by Suzanne Brockmann
Wicked Ways by Lisa Jackson

Marion LiBearian The Town Librarian Says...

Hello All!

HELLO FALL! The leaves are falling, the weather is cool, pumpkins and more appear to our delight. Stop in the library to check out all of the fall items we have gathered for you. The holiday season will be here shortly, so remember the library for all your needs from cook books to decorating ideas. We always have new and exciting leisure reading with our monthly additions as well.

The month of November is highlighted by the traditional event of Thanksgiving. On behalf of the library staff, we graciously say thank you for all of your support. We wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving!

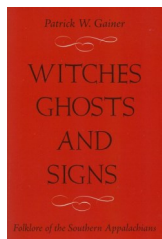
Marion LiBearian, the Town Librarian



Fairmont

Book It! will meet on November 19th at 6:00 p.m. at the Literacy Volunteers classroom to discuss *Witches, Ghosts, and Signs* by Patrick W. Gainer.

Based on material Patrick Gainer collected from over fifty years of field research in West Virginia and the region, *Witches, Ghosts, and Signs* presents the rich heritage of the southern Appalachians in a way that has never been equaled. ~Amazon

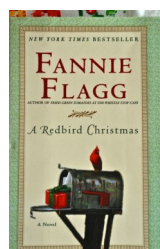


The Awesome Readers' Club will meet on November 24th at 4:30. We're doing things a little differently this month. Each member is invited to bring one of their favorite books to discuss with the group. Let us know why you like this title, and how you came to read it. It can be fiction, or nonfiction, even poetry!

Fairview

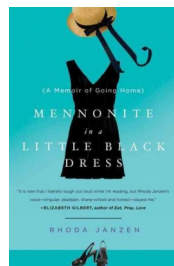
Speaking of Books will November 25th to discuss *A Redbird Christmas* by Fannie Flagg.

With the same incomparable style and warm, inviting voice that have made her beloved by millions of readers, Fannie Flagg has written an enchanting Christmas story of faith and hope for all ages that is sure to become a classic.~ Amazon



Page Turners will meet November 21st to discuss *Mennonite in a Little Black Dress* by Rhoda Janzen.

Not long after Rhoda Janzen turned forty, her world turned upside down. It was bad enough that her husband of fifteen years left her for another man, but that same week a car accident left her injured...~Amazon



Mannington

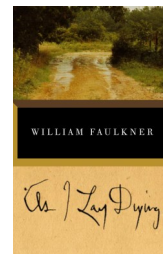
Fiction Addiction will meet November 24th at 5:00 to discuss *Between The Devil and the Deep Blue Sea* by April Genevieve Tucholke.



Grades 5-8 are invited to attend. We will also enjoy an activity based on the book. Call the library at 304-986-2803 for more information.

Cover 2 Cover will meet on November 15th at 1:30 to discuss *As I Lay Dying* by William Faulkner.

Sam, 17, is obsessed with the Vietnam War and the effect it has had on her life—losing a father she never knew and now living with Uncle Emmett, who seems to be suffering from the effects of Agent Orange. ~ Google Books



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You Are Cordially Invited...

Each library branch in our system has its own Friends of the Library group. These wonderful volunteers help with library programming, run our book sales, raise money for library supplies and equipment, and work tirelessly for the good of our staff and patrons. They are always looking for new members with a little extra time who are interested in working with some great people.

If you are interested in joining the Friends group, please contact your preferred branch below for information on yearly membership dues. Detach this form and mail it along with your dues (\$25: Patron, \$5: Individual) to the appropriate address. Your help and participation would be greatly appreciated!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____



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Fairmont, WV 26554

