

THE LIBRARY LEDGER

November 2023

Gobble Gobble

Our young patrons loved the story time book "10 Fat Turkeys"! We got to make our very own turkeys before we closed for Thanksgiving this year!



Featured Articles

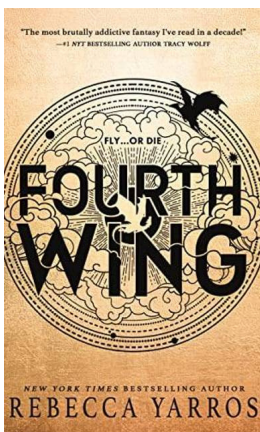
STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Library Assistant Director Hiedi Tuerck, read and has recommended this book to many patrons. It is now a highly requested book by our patrons as well as other libraries! Rebecca Yarros has a second book in this series "Iron Flame", that came out November 7, 2023! Follow this series!

Twenty-year-old Violet Sorrengail was supposed to enter the Scribe Quadrant, living a quiet life among books and history. Now, the commanding general—also known as her tough-as-talons mother—has ordered Violet to join the hundreds of candidates striving to become the elite of Navarre: dragon riders. But when you're smaller than everyone else and your body is brittle, death is only a heartbeat away...because dragons don't bond to "fragile" humans. They incinerate them.

With fewer dragons willing to bond than cadets, most would kill Violet to better their own chances of success. The rest would kill her just for being her mother's daughter—like Xaden Riorson, the most powerful and ruthless wingleader in the Riders Quadrant. She'll need every edge her wits can give her just to see the next sunrise.

Friends, enemies, lovers. Everyone at Basgiath War College has an agenda—because once you enter, there are only two ways out: graduate or die



Upcoming Events

December 2nd - Holiday party from 1pm-2pm

December 6th - Book Club

December 9th - Toddler Time

December 25th - Closed for holidays

Did you know??

We now have online checkout for magazines on Bridges and Libby!!

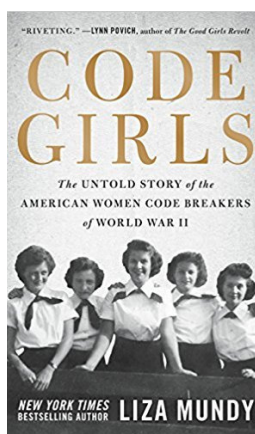
We also have a delivery service for people/groups that are home-bound! Ask the front desk or call us for more information! (712) 272-4334

Bookclub Reads

The Newell Public Library has three active book clubs. These are what they are reading this month!

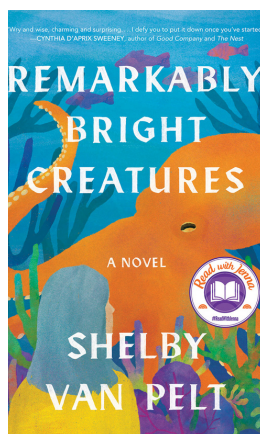


Book Club #1 Books for November



Recruited by the U.S. Army and Navy from small towns and elite colleges, more than ten thousand women served as codebreakers during World War II. While their brothers and boyfriends took up arms, these women moved to Washington and learned the meticulous work of code-breaking. Their efforts shortened the war, saved countless lives, and gave them access to careers previously denied to them. A strict vow of secrecy nearly erased their efforts from history; now, through dazzling research and interviews with surviving code girls, bestselling author Liza Mundy brings to life this riveting and vital story of American courage, service, and scientific accomplishment.

Book Club #2 Books for November



After Tova Sullivan's husband died, she began working the night shift at the Sowell Bay Aquarium, mopping floors and tidying up. Keeping busy has always helped her cope, which she's been doing since her eighteen-year-old son, Erik, mysteriously vanished on a boat in Puget Sound over thirty years ago.

Tova becomes acquainted with curmudgeonly Marcellus, a giant Pacific octopus living at the aquarium. Marcellus knows more than anyone can imagine but wouldn't dream of lifting one of his eight arms for his human captors--until he forms a remarkable friendship with Tova. Ever the detective, Marcellus deduces what happened the night Tova's son disappeared. And now Marcellus must use every trick his old invertebrate body can muster to unearth the truth for her before it's too late.