

# October Events

## Adults

### \*Tech Classes

- \***Library2Go** Thursday (10/7, 10/21, & 10/28) 6:30 (Meeting Room)
- \***Intermediate Microsoft Word** Tuesday (10/5) 6:30 (Meeting Room)
- \***Intermediate Microsoft Word** Tuesday (10/12) 6:30 (Meeting Room)
- \***Advanced Microsoft Word** Tuesday (10/19) 6:30 (Meeting Room)

### “Young at Heart” Senior Programs

- Paint a Pot** Tuesday (10/12) 10:15-11:30 (Training Room)
- Movie: Frankenstein (1931)** Tuesday (10/26) 10:15-11:30 (Meeting Room)

### Genealogy Saturdays 12:00-4:00 ( Historical Center)

The staff genealogist available for questions at this time.

*Genealogy is canceled on Saturday (10/2).*

### Knitty Giddy Tuesdays 6:30 (Upper Lobby)

New and experienced adult knitters and crocheters are welcome to join this group.

### Ham Radio Operators Wednesdays 7:00-8:30 (Meeting Room)

Open to adults interested in learning about ham radio operation.

## Teen & Adults

### \*Paint a Pot Thursday (10/14) 7:00-8:00 (Training Room)

### \*Beginning Watercolor Class Monday (10/18) 7:00-8:00 (Training Room)

### Is That Your Mummy? Family Historians Unravel Cemetery Lore!

Saturday (10/30) 1:00-3:00 (Meeting Room)

### Special Move Showing *Iron Man II*, Paramount (PG-13)

Friday (10/22) 2:00 (Meeting Room)

## Open to all

### Used Book Sale (Training Room)

Friday (10/15) Pre-sale 4:00-6:00 *Join Friends of Library for Book Specials!*

Saturday (10/16) 10:00-4:30 & Sunday (10/17) 1:00-4:00 *Open to all!*

### Game Nights

#### Video Game Night: Monday (10/25) 6:00-8:00 (Training Room)

All ages are welcome to play Wii, Guitar Hero and more. Come and join the fun!

#### Board Games & Legos: Thursday (10/21) 7:00-8:00 (Training Room)

Large Variety of Games and Legos.

#### Pokémon Group: Thursdays (6:00-8:30) Open to all!

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All events are free, unless noted; see [www.westfargolibrary.org](http://www.westfargolibrary.org) for more details!

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## Children

### Movies

#### Friday Morning Movies @ 10:30 (Meeting Room)

- The Great Mouse Detective* (10/1) Disney (G) 80 min
- Magic School Bus: Creepy, Crawly Fun* (10/8) Warner Brothers (Not Rated) 90 min
- My Friends Tigger & Pooh, Hundred Acre Wood Haunt* (10/15) Disney (E) 72 min
- Pooh's Heffalump Halloween Movie* (10/22) Disney (E) 66 min
- Halloween Spooktacular* (10/29) Lionsgate (E) 57 min

#### Saturdays: Kid Flick @ 2:00 (Children's Corner)

- The Princess & the Frog* (10/2) Disney (G) 98 min
- Twitches* (10/9) Disney (G) 71 min
- Miss Spiders' Sunny Patch Friends, Bug-a-Boo Day Play* (10/16) Lionsgate. (E) 93 min
- The Adventures of Ichabod & Mr. Toad* (10/23) Disney (G) 68 min
- Edgar & Ellen Trick or Twin* (10/30) Lionsgate (G) 60 min

### Storytimes

#### Tuesdays 1:30 (Children's Corner)

- Popcorn (10/5) • Meow (10/12) • Pumpkins (10/19)
- Boo (10/26) **WF Police Officer will read & discuss Halloween safety**

#### Thursdays 6:30 (Children's Corner)

- “Not Now!” (10/7) • Kitty, Kitty (10/14) • Pumpkin Seeds (10/21)
- Bats in the Library? (10/28) **WF Police Officer will read & discuss Halloween safety**

#### Fun with Food Wednesday (10/13) 10:30-11:00 (Homework Center)

#### Puppet Show Wednesday (10/6) 2:00-2:30 (Meeting Room)

*Presented by: Kids on the Block RSVP+ Southern Valley*

### Homework Center

The Homework Center is open Monday through Thursday (3:00-5:30) when school is in session. The Center is closed on all Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and days that school is not in session. Grade school students are welcome to bring their homework, projects, and outside reading. An after-school snack is provided.

#### Magic Show Thursday (10/28) 7:00-8:00 (Front Library Lobby)

Free magic fun for the whole family!

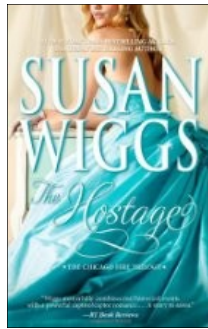


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# Reader's Corner

*The Hostage*  
By Susan Wiggs



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Wiggs writes a masterful story that begins during the Great Chicago Fire of 1871. Tom Silver goes to Chicago intent on killing Arthur Sinclair, but instead he takes his daughter, Deborah. Before Deborah was taken hostage, she was engaged, but now that her reputation is tainted, will her fiancée want her? And what life does Deborah want: the life of a debutant or life with the man who abducted her? This is the first book in the Great Chicago Fire Trilogy.



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### Hours

Monday - Thursday . . . . . 10am—9pm  
Friday . . . . . 10am—6pm  
Saturday . . . . . 10am—5pm  
Sunday . . . . . 1pm—5pm

# NEWSLETTER October 2010



**Paint a Pumpkin Contest! Win a Pie!**  
Monday (10/25) 10:00 thru Friday (10/29) 4:00

Paint your own pumpkin and bring it to the library. Voting is open to all!  
4 group awards: preschool-Kindergarten, 1st -5th grade,  
6th-8th grade, High School -Adult

**Rules to enter:**  
*Pumpkins must be painted (not carved) and 28 inches circumference or smaller  
All pumpkins must be picked up by 4:00 on Friday (10/29).*

**Kill-A-Watt Meters and Infrared Thermometers Available for Check-out**  
Get your home ready for winter! Plug in your appliance, TV, or DVD player into a Kill-A-Watt Meter and you'll instantly see how much electricity you're using. Infrared Thermometers can measure how much heat is being lost by pointing the device at a wall. Ask at the Service Desk for these devices.



**Friends of the Library Book Sale**  
The Friends of the Library will hold their bi-annual book sale on October 15th thru 17th. On October 15th (4:00-6:00), Friends of the Library are invited to the pre-sale—new Friends can join at the door. On October 16th (10:00-4:00) & October 17th (1:00-4:00) the public is welcome to take advantage of bargain priced used books. All proceeds from the book sale benefit the Friends of the Library.

**Library2Go Training Sessions**  
Library2Go, which was unveiled last month, provides library users free access to books and movies. We had so much demand for our first training session in September that we've added three training sessions for October (10/7, 10/21, & 10/28) to help get you started with this exciting new service! Sign-up at the Service Desk or call 433-4560—Space is limited!

**Is That Your Mummy?  
Family Historians Unravel Cemetery Lore!**  
Saturday (10/30) 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Local historians Alice Ellingsberg, John Beving & Jackie Marler will give a presentation on everything you ever wanted to know about markers, memorials & mourning customs; planning your cemetery trip (not just the last one!); and rubbing a tombstone the right way.  
Free and open to the public!

