

November Events

Adults



Free Tech Classes All classes Mondays @ 6:30 (Meeting Room)

* (11/5) **Online Shopping:** Discover how to create a profile, search for products, place and order and address security concerns. We will introduce you to two popular shopping sites Amazon & Ebay.

* (11/26) **Holiday Newsletters:** Explore Microsoft Word's ability to create fun, interesting newsletters. Learn how to do brochure style printing, add borders, play with fonts spacing and make you newsletter more festive.

Friends of the Library Bag Sale!

One day *only* Saturday (11/10) 10:00-4:00 (Training Room)
Load up with holiday reads! Bags to fill will be provided.
Special pricing for Friends of the Library ... Join Today!

Open to all

Genealogy Saturdays 12:00-4:00 (Historical Center)
The staff genealogist available for questions at this time.

Knitty Giddy Tuesdays 6:30 (Upper Lobby)

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

Ham Radio Operators Wednesdays 6:45-8:45 (Meeting Room)

Open to adults interested in learning about ham radio operation.

No meeting Wednesday (11/21) Thanksgiving Break

Movie Saturday 2:00 (Meeting Room)

Saturday (11/3) *Velveteen Rabbit* (G)

"New Release" Saturday (11/24) *Brave* (PG)



Create Card for Veterans Thursday (11/8) 7:00-8:00 (Training Room)

Stop by and create a card or 2 and thank a Veteran! Cards will be mailed to Fargo's VA Hospital. All ages are invited to this opportunity to say, "Thanks!" to our veterans.

5th Annual Caramel Apple Day! Friday (11/16) 4:00-5:00 (Training Room)

Open to caramel apple lovers of all ages. **Free while supplies last!**

Game Night

Board Games & Legos: Thursday (11/1) 7:00-8:00 (Training Room)

Large Variety of Games and Legos. Join in simple friendly fun!

***Preserving Family Heirlooms** Saturday (11/10) 2:00 (Historical Center)

Learn how to preserve precious keepsakes & scan photos and save to a CD. The first ten signed up will have hands on instruction in scanning. Bring a photo.

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All events are free, unless noted; see www.westfargolib.org for more details!

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Children

Movies

Friday Morning Movies @ 10:30 (Meeting Room)

Sesame Street Kid's Guide to Life Learning to Share (11/2) (E) 45 min

Just Me and My Dad (11/9) (E) 25 min

Max and Ruby A Visit with Grandma (11/16) (E) 60 min

Rugrats Thanksgiving (11/23) (E) 47 min

It's the Great Pumpkin Charlie Brown (11/30) (E) 50 min

Storytimes

Connect your children to books & crafts geared for Preschoolers - Kindergarten

Simply Stories on Tuesdays at 10:15 (Children's Corner) No craft

Tuesdays 1:30 (Children's Corner)

I Pledge Allegiance to the Flag (11/6) • The Little Old Lady Who Wasn't Afraid of Anything (11/13) • Special People (11/20) • Money Wise Kids (11/27)

Thursdays 6:30 (Children's Corner)

Duck for President (11/1) • The Story of Jack O'Lantern (11/8)
Just so Thankful (11/15) • *11/22 Closed for Thanksgiving* • A Penny Saved....(11/29)



New Program Nutrition in Action Thursday (11/15) @ 10:15 (Homework Center)

Fun nutrition session will be offered for preschoolers and their caretakers, music, stories and light food snack. Theme: Importance of eating a variety of foods and introduction to MyPyramid. *Music and Movement: Nutrition in Action!* © 2009 Jenny Steinhaus M.S., L.N.

Homework Center

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



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Reader's Corner

Soulless
By Gail Carriger



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Alexia Tarabotti has three major flaws: she's Italian, she's single, and she doesn't have a soul. In this alternative version of 19th century England vampires set trends and werewolves serve in Queen Victoria's army. Of course, there is a government agency to regulate such supernatural activity: the Bureau of Unnatural Registry, of which the gorgeous, loud, Scottish werewolf Lord Conall Maccon is part. Lord Maccon becomes mixed up with Alexia when she is rudely attacked by a vampire. This breach of etiquette brings Alexia into the thick of an investigation regarding more and more missing rove vampires and werewolves, and the subsequent appearance of immature and unregistered ones. Will the pair be able to stop bickering enough to save the supernatural community from these attacks?

Carriger does a wonderful job of incorporating the supernatural into a plausible Victorian England. It is a very well thought out plotline, and I found myself forgetting that I was reading science fiction and not historical fiction. The characters and their problems are sympathetic, because although they are supernatural, their struggles are human in nature. Alexia must not only deal with the disappearance of supernatural but must also cope with her mother and half sisters who are nothing like her. The characters' chemistry and Alexia's quick wit will have you reaching for the sequel, *Changeless*.



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Hours

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

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Elementary Art on Display in the Children's Corner

We are happy to be displaying art projects from West Fargo elementary schools again this year. They bring a bright splash of color to our Children's Corner and showcase some very talented young artists.

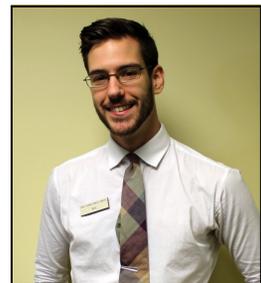


Kill-A-Watt Meters and Infrared Thermometers Available for Check-out

It's time to 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 or drafty window. Ask at the Service Desk for these devices.

New Circulation Coordinator: Ben Harvey

Ben Harvey has been hired as the Library's first Circulation Coordinator. This is a full-time position to oversee the day-to-day operations at the Service Desk. Ben has been with the Library since April 2012, and holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology and a Master of Science degree in Library and Information Science, both from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Congratulations, Ben, on your new position!



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