

## Adult Events

### Knitty Giddy – Tuesdays @ 6:30 PM

Join this fun group for an evening of knitting or crochet.

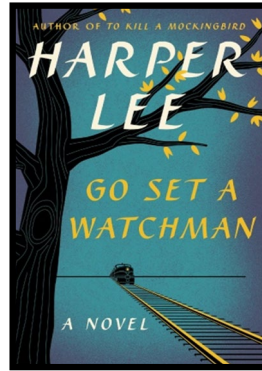
### Genealogy – Saturdays @ 12:00-4:00 PM

Come with questions and learn how to start your search.

### Teacups Book Club –

#### Monday, September 14 @ 7:00 PM

Discuss *Go Set a Watchman* by Harper Lee. Copies of the book are available in area libraries and bookstores and discussion guides are available at the Service Desk. Free and open to the public. No registration is necessary. Refreshments will be served.



## All Ages Events

### Ham Radio – Wednesdays @ 7:00 PM

Ham Radio Operator sessions are open to all adults and children (with attending adult) who want to learn more about amateur radio operation.



## Children Events

### Read to a Dog – Thursday, September 17 @ 6:30-7:30 PM

School has begun! Come to the library to practice reading aloud. Therapy dogs are great listeners! Register for a 10-15 minute session at the Service Desk.

### School's Out: Marshmallow Engineering Challenge – Monday, September 21 @ 2:00 PM

Test out your design skills! Create buildings, bridges, and more using only toothpicks and marshmallows. The event is open to all. No registration required.

### Stories at the Library!

Simply Stories – Tuesdays @ 10:15 AM

Storytime with a Craft – Tuesdays @ 1:30 PM

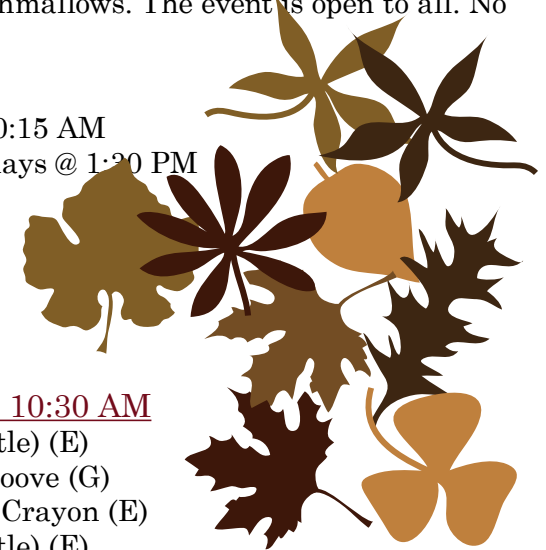
9/01: Animals at Night

9/08: Grandparents

9/15: Pirates

9/22: Squirrels

9/29: Fall Leaves



### Friday Morning Movies @ 10:30 AM

9/04: (Stop into library for title) (E)

9/11: The Emperor's New Groove (G)

9/18: Harold and the Purple Crayon (E)

9/25: (Stop into library for title) (E)



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### Movie Classic:

*(Stop into library for title)*

Tuesday,

September 08

1:00 PM

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### New Release Movie



**Insurgent (PG-13)**

Saturday,

September 12

2:00 PM

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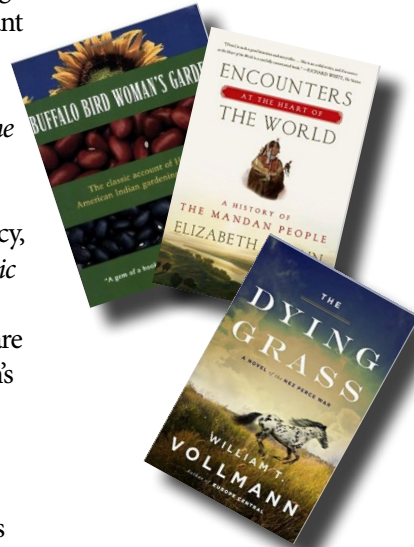
### Homework Center – Mondays - Thursdays @ 3:00-5:30 PM

Homework center provides homework help and a free afterschool snack. No registration required. Homework center is not open when school is on break.

# Reader's Corner

- *Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People* by Elizabeth Fenn
- *Buffalo Bird Woman's Garden: The Classic Account of Hidatsa American Indian Gardening Techniques* by Gilbert Wilson
- *The Dying Grass: A Novel of the Nez Perce War* by William Vollmann

If Native American history interests you, the West Fargo Public Library has 3 recent additions that you may want to check out. The recipient of the 2015 Pulitzer Prize for History, author Elizabeth Fenn gave a wonderful presentation on her book *Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People* at Zandbroz Books in early August. Fenn also talked about North Dakota's Buffalo Bird Woman and her gardening legacy, the subject of *Buffalo Bird Woman's Garden: The Classic Account of Hidatsa American Indian Gardening Techniques* by Gilbert Wilson. Third, starred reviews are popping up everywhere for author William Vollmann's book *The Dying Grass: A Novel of the Nez Perce War*. While *The Dying Grass* is lengthy, time spent reading will be well worth it!



Happy reading!!—Kathy Vander Vorst, Adult Services

More library staff reviews can be found online at LibraryThing: [librarything.com/catalog/westfargolibrary](http://librarything.com/catalog/westfargolibrary)

## West Fargo Public Library

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West Fargo, ND 58078  
(701) 433-5460

[www.westfargolibrary.org](http://www.westfargolibrary.org)

*The Library will be closed September 7th for the Labor Day holiday and September 19th for West Fest.*

*The Library is closed Sundays through September 6th.*

### Hours

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



## WEST FARGO PUBLIC LIBRARY

West Fargo Public Library presents:



### Bones in Your Backyard

Thursday, September 10, 1pm & 6:30pm

Hold real North Dakota fossils in your own hands and participate in prehistoric themed activities. Presented by Becky Barnes, a paleontologist with the ND Geological Survey.

### When the Landscape is Quiet Again

Thursday, October 1, 1pm

Join David Borlaug, President of the Lewis and Clark Fort Mandan Foundation, Washburn, as he introduces this showing of: *When the Landscape is Quiet Again*, a DVD documentary of the legacy of former ND Governor, Art Link.

### North Dakota Geology Mini-Museum

October 1 - Mid-November

Dr. Jessie Rock of NDSU will display a collection of minerals, rocks, and fossils typical of those found in the oil development areas.

Events are free and open to all ages. For a schedule of all events, go to: [1book1community.org](http://1book1community.org)

## Technology Classes returning in September

Technology classes are returning to the library in September! These one-on-one sessions can include Computer Basics, Intro to Email, Searching the Internet, and Intro to Word, among other topics. Please contact [april@westfargolibrary.org](mailto:april@westfargolibrary.org) for more information or to schedule a class.

## Historical Center Seeks Donations

The WF Historical Center is seeking donations to better document the city's history, specifically:

- West Fargo High School yearbooks from the years 1951-52, 1955-59, 1970, 1973-81, & 1985-89
- Photos of West Fargo as it has evolved through the years
- Documents related to the city or school district.

\*\*\* Photos and documents can be scanned and returned.

## School Delivery Program

Just a reminder that West Fargo public school teachers and high school students can apply to have items delivered to them at their schools. Call or ask for details at the desk.