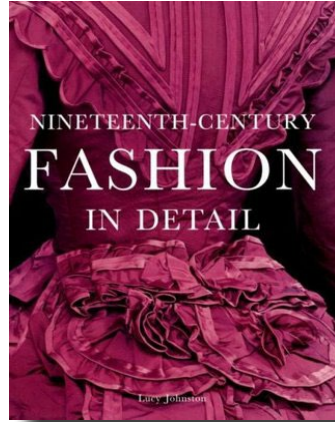


Reader's Corner

Did you enjoy the PBS tv series *Victoria* this past winter? If so, you might enjoy the following:

Victoria by Daisy Goodwin, (the creator of the PBS Masterpiece presentation); *Victoria the Queen: An Intimate Biography of the Woman who Ruled an Empire* by Julia Baird; or *Victoria: a Life* by A.N. Wilson. I am currently listening to Helen Rappaport's *A Magnificent Obsession* and have found it to be very fascinating.



If you are interested in the famous landmarks of London and England, check out DK Eyewitness or Fodor's *London* or Rick Steves' *England & Wales* dvd.

There's always lots to choose from at the West Fargo Public Library! Kathy Vander Vorst, Adult Services Librarian

More library staff reviews can be found online at LibraryThing: librarything.com/catalog/westfargolibrary

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Check our website for severe weather closings.

Hours

Monday - Thursday10 AM - 9 PM
Friday10 AM - 6 PM
Saturday10 AM - 5 PM
Sunday1 PM - 5 PM

Newsletter

April 2017



Fine Amnesty – National Library Week (April 9-15)

The library is offering fine amnesty during National Library Week! This is your opportunity to bring back all lost or overdue library items with all late fees forgiven on the items you return during National Library Week. This only applies to items returned from April 9 through April 15 – it does not clear old fines. If you are feeling guilty about your overdue items, here's your chance to clear your conscience!

April is National Car Care Month

April is a great time to get your car in shape. The library's online Chilton Library is a great resource to guide you through both basic and advanced repairs. With photographs, illustrations, and diagrams, Chilton provides step-by-step instructions for service and repairs for your specific vehicle. Access the Chilton Library resource under our **Virtual Library** page, under **Auto Repair** and use your library card to sign in

Friends of the Library Book Sale - April 29-30

Take a look at the latest selection of used books and magazines, with profits going to the Friends of the Library. The Friends use all proceeds to benefit the library. Open Saturday, April 29 from 10 AM to 4 PM and Sunday, April 30 from 1 PM to 4 PM.

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Adult Events

Technology Classes

Intro to Twitter– April 11 @ 1 PM

Learn the basics of Twitter, including creating an account, posting a tweet, following friends, and more! Please bring your email address and password.

Intro to Google Maps– April 25 @ 1 PM

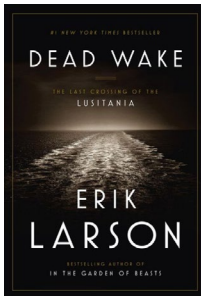
Learn about the basics of Google Maps.

Bring your own tablet or borrow a library iPad.

Space is limited; register by calling the Service Desk @ 701-433-5460.

Book Discussion: Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania – Thursday, April 6 @ 7 PM

The catastrophic event of this book is one of many that led to the US entry into the Great War on April 6, 1917. This discussion, led by Dixon Moorhead, is held on the 100th anniversary. Copies of the book and discussion questions are available at the Service Desk. Free and open to the public. Questions? Call 433-5460.



Getting Started with Investing – Saturday, April 8 @ 10:30 PM

Joseph Neadeau, head of the Bison Investment Fund at NDSU, will lead the discussion involving basic knowledge and answer your investing questions. All are welcome, but we'll be gearing our discussion toward investing strategies relevant for investors aged 25-40. Free and open to the public.

The Next Chapter Book Club –

Monday, April 10 @ 7 PM:

Last Bus to Wisdom by Ivan Doig

Wednesday, April 19 @ 1 PM:

The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie by Alan Bradley

Check at the Service Desk for an available book and the discussion questions.

Twisted Stitches – Tuesdays @ 6:30 PM

Join this fun group for an evening of knitting or crochet. Not for beginners, but tips will be given to knitters and crocheters needing help.

Mahjong Game Day – Tuesdays @ 1:30 PM

Beginner and experienced players are welcome to join this group of enthusiasts who play Mahjong every Tuesday afternoon. No registration. Free.

Genealogy – Saturdays @ 12-4 PM

Staff Genealogist Jackie Marler will be available to help you explore your family's history. Come with questions and learn how to start your search.

Children Events

Stories at the Library!

Simply Stories – Tuesdays @ 10:15 AM

Storytime with a Craft – Tuesdays @ 1:30 PM

Friday Morning Movies @ 10:30 AM

4/07: ***Paw Patrol-Brave Heroes Big Rescues*** (E)

4/21: ***Handy Manny-Manny's Green Team*** (E)

4/28: ***Dora the Explorer-Shy Rainbow*** (E)



Exploring Master Artist Series for Kids – Thursdays in April @ 5:30 PM

Exploring Master Artists is an exciting painting program for kids in grades K-6. Each session will focus on a different master artist. Kids will learn about the artist, his style, and create their own piece of art in that style. All art materials are provided for each project. Registration Required.

Upcycle Crafts – Saturday, April 8 @ 1 PM

Join us for crafts that will recycle old items and make them into a brand new project! Celebrate Earth Day, make a bowl out of rolled magazines, a sun catcher out of a cd, and more. Event is open to kids and teens ages 10 and up. Free.

Legos and Board Games – Monday, April 17 @ 2 PM

School is out for the day, so head to the library for fun with Legos and games! Build your own designs and create your own worlds with Legos. Play a variety of classic board games. We have a big supply of Legos and games for a fun afternoon. Program is free and open to all ages.

Read to a Therapy Dog – Thursday, April 20 @ 6:30 PM

Practice your reading with a therapy dog! Trainers remain with dogs at all times. Registration for a 10-15 minute session is required at the service desk.

All Ages Events

Ham Radio Operators-RRRA – Wednesdays @ 7 PM

Ham Radio Operator sessions are open to adults and children (with adult).

Upcoming Movies

Saturday, April 1, 2 PM: ***Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them*** (PG-13)

Thursday, April 13, 1 PM: ***Fences*** (PG-13)

Saturday, April 22, 2 PM: ***Sing*** (PG)

