

The Word About Town

Coolidge Public Library

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A Wealth of Information Awaits You

Run Hide Fight Program Offered by CAVIT

**RUN
HIDE
FIGHT**

Run Hide Fight is an emergency strategy used to help people respond to an active shooter situation.

While one hopes to never encounter this situation, the library will host a Run Hide Fight program presented

by the Central Arizona Valley Institute of Technology on Friday, January 20, at 9:30 a.m. where you can learn the basics of this technique.

Please call (520) 723-6030 to register or with any questions.

Let's Talk About Freedom of Speech



Did you know in the landmark case *Schenck v. United States*, the Supreme Court ruled freedom of speech does not include the right “to incite actions that would harm others”?

Nearly 100 years later, we continue to challenge free speech and with the lightning speed of social media, words are reaching more people. How do we determine what is protected

and credible and what is not?

Join us for a FRANK Talk roundtable discussion of *Conspiracy and Credibility: Look Who's Talking, about What—Law Talk & Loose Talk* on Thursday, February 2 at 5:30 p.m., facilitated by Dr. T. J. Davis from Arizona State University.

To sign up, call (520) 723-6030 or email library@coolidgeaz.com.

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Special Points of Interest...

- Library Closure—January 2
- Return WRP Activity Board—January 6
- Adult Book Club Discussion—January 10
- Car Seat Safety Story Time—January 11
- Library Closure—January 16
- Run Hide Fight—January 20
- Tea Party Story Time—January 25
- FRANK Talk—February 2
- Bird Watching Hot Spots—February 10

Return Winter Reading Activity Boards by January 6



Thank you to all who participated in our Winter Reading Program!

Please return the completed activity boards by Friday, January 6 to receive your prize.

Remember, you only need to complete 15 of the 24 activities to be eligible for a prize.

Please call us at (520) 723-6030 with any questions.

Learn All About Bird Watching in AZ



Join us Friday, February 10 at 10:30 a.m. to learn all about bird watching in Arizona.

Judy Sink will guide us on a tour of bird watching hot spots in our area. She will also give information on accessibility of each area for those with limited mobility.

We will provide handouts with location information so attendees can take notes.

Call (520) 723-6030 or email library@coolidgeaz.com with questions and to register.



Library Observes Holiday Closures—MLK



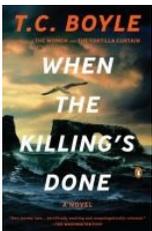
The Coolidge Public Library will be closed on Monday, January 16 for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

We will reopen Tuesday, January 17 at 8:00 a.m. Items can be returned during holiday closures in the book drops.

You can still access many library resources when we are closed! Check out cloudLibrary eBooks or Zinio digital magazines. Go to www.coolidgeaz.com/library and click on Digital Resources.



Adult Book Club Examines Conflicting Environmental Issues



The January Book Club title is *When the Killing's Done* by T. C. Boyle.

The Book Club will meet Tuesday, January 10 from 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. To sign out a book club selection, simply visit the library before the scheduled meeting date. You need to have a valid contact number prior to signing out a book and should have a library card. Snacks and drinks are provided.

Color Those Worries Away!

Coloring is not just for kids. It's fun and also helps you relieve stress and anxiety.

Adults are invited to join us on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month from 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. We supply coloring sheets and colored pencils. Feel free to bring your own, as well.

No need to register. Simply drop by, mingle, color, and enjoy a snack. Call (520) 723-6030 or email library@coolidgeaz.com with questions.



Try Our Featured Online Tool: IRS Get Ready



Tax season is around the corner, are you IRS Ready?

The IRS launched www.IRS.Gov/GetReady to help tax payers prepare for filing their 2016 federal income tax returns.

This page contains important information for tax payers with Individual Tax Identification Numbers (ITIN).

The site also contains what you need to know about refunds, adjusted gross income (AGI), protecting tax payers, IRS help, and what you can do today to make filing easier.

LEGO Club Fuels Creativity



This is an exciting program for children ages 5-12 years old. We supply the LEGOS and the children supply the imagination! Lego Club will meet at 4:00 p.m. on January 13 and 27.

Lego Club is great for kids because it helps enhance their fine motor skills, as well as

their social, and problem solving skills. With the fun challenges we provide, Lego Club can be a way to help strengthen those STEM skills, too!

This program is not intended for children under the age of 5. Call (520) 723-6030 with questions.

Tea Party Story Time



Story time is held on Wednesdays at 10:15 a.m. Children can listen to a story and complete a fun craft.

We invite families with children ages 1-4 to join us for a special Story Time this month on Wednesday, January 25. Lewis Carroll, author of *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland*, was born

185 years ago this month!

To celebrate his birthday, we will have a Tea Party Story Time. We'll listen to some fun stories and have a superb time sipping "tea."

Children must be with a parent or legal guardian at all times. Call (520) 723-6030 with questions.

Fun Van Meets Monday and Thursday Mornings



The Fun Van will continue to meet Monday and Thursday mornings at 10:00 a.m.

Families with children ages 5 and younger are invited to learn new pre-literacy skills.

Raising a Reader teaches parents how to develop the habit of sharing books with their children most effectively. The Fun Van is funded through First Things First.

Registration is required: see <http://www.ajpl.org/van/> for instructions, or ask us for a Fun Van flyer.

Tween Titans Paint with a Twist



Are you between the ages of 9 and 12? We have just the thing for you! Tween Titans is both a fun and educational program that focuses on art, science, and more.

Tween Titans meets on January 6 and 20. On

January 20, we will have our tweens "Paint with a Twist." Attendees will make a one-of-a-kind work of art created with step-by-step instructions to take home.

Registration is not required.

Fire Dept. Inspects Car Seats for Safety @ Story Time



Story Time is held on Wednesday at 10:15 a.m. Children ages 1-4 can listen to a story and complete a fun craft.

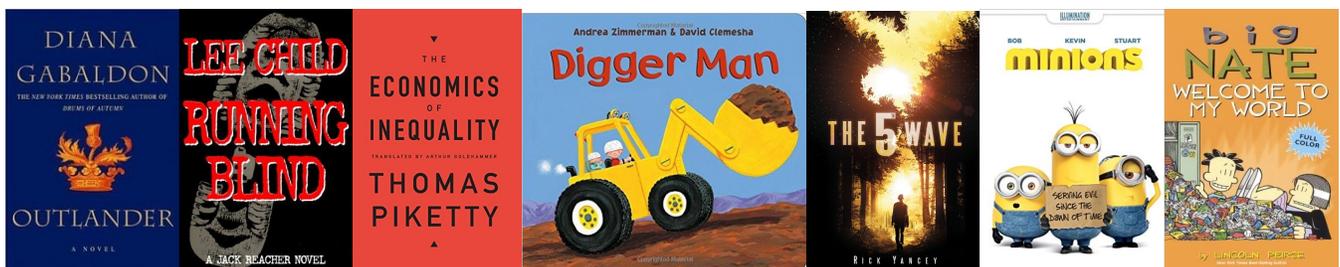
We have a special story time planned with the Coolidge Fire Department on January 11.

After we listen to safety themed stories, CFD will conduct car seat safety inspections!

Children must be with a parent or legal guardian at all times. Call (520) 723-6030 with questions.

Did You Check Out Some of Our Most Circulated Items?

These are some of the items that circulated the most in 2016!



What's New @ the Library?

The Queen's Accomplice— Adult Fiction

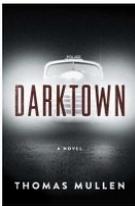
By Susan Elia MacNeil



This New York Times bestselling mystery series continues as American-born code breaker extraordinaire, Maggie Hope, returns to England to continue her intelligence work during World War II. England, 1942. Great Britain and the U.S. have joined forces to fight the Nazis. In London, Maggie Hope takes on the biggest challenge of her career: finding a killer who models himself on Jack the Ripper--and who targets female intelligence agents ... like Maggie. — Provided by publisher

Darktown— Adult Fiction

By Thomas Mullen



Responding to orders from on high, the Atlanta Police Department is forced to hire its first black officers, including war veterans Lucius Boggs and Tommy Smith. The newly minted policemen are met with deep hostility by their white peers: they aren't allowed to arrest white suspects, drive squad cars, or set foot in the police headquarters. When a black woman who was last seen in a car driven by a white man turns up dead, Boggs and Smith suspect white cops are behind it. Their investigation sets them up against a brutal cop, Dunlow, who has long run the neighborhood as his own, and his partner, Rakestraw, a young progressive who may or may not be willing to make allies across color lines. — Provided by publisher

You Will Not Have my Hate— Adult Non Fiction

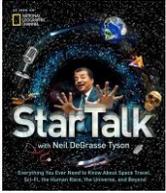
By Antoine Leiris



"On Friday night you stole the life of an exceptional person, the love of my life, the mother of my son, but you will not have my hate." On November 13, 2015, Antoine Leiris's wife, Helene Muyal-Leiris, was killed by terrorists while attending a rock concert at the Bataclan Theater in Paris, in the deadliest attack in France since World War II. Three days later, Leiris wrote an open letter addressed directly to his wife's killers, which he posted on Facebook. He refused to be cowed or to let his seventeen-month-old son's life be defined by Helene's murder. In his determination to honor the memory of his wife, he became an international hero to everyone searching desperately for a way to deal with the horror of the Paris attacks and the grim shadow cast today by the threat of terrorism. Now Leiris tells the full story of his grief and struggle. — Provided by publisher

StarTalk — Adult Non Fiction

With Neil deGrasse Tyson

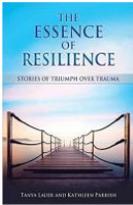


This New York Times Bestselling illustrated companion to celebrated scientist Neil deGrasse Tyson's popular podcast and National Geographic Channel TV show is an eye-opening journey for anyone curious about the complexities of our universe.

For decades, beloved astrophysicist Neil deGrasse Tyson has interpreted science with a combination of brainpower and charm that resonates with fans everywhere. This pioneering, provocative book brings together the best of StarTalk, his beloved podcast and television show devoted to solving the most confounding mysteries of Earth, space, and what it means to be human. Filled with brilliant sidebars, vivid photography, and unforgettable quotes from Tyson and his brilliant cohort of science and entertainment luminaries, StarTalk will help answer all of your most pressing questions about our world. Fun, smart, and laugh-out-loud funny, this book is the perfect guide to everything you ever wanted to know about the universe—and beyond. — Provided by publisher

The Essence of Resilience — Adult Non Fiction

By Tanya Lauer and Kathleen Parrish



Trauma is like a thief in that night that steals peace and joy from the souls of its unsuspecting victims. Whether it is a series of events—or a singular incident—no one is ever left unchanged by traumatic events. Here you will meet 14 trauma survivors who embody the essence of resilience; people who endured the unthinkable, then found a way to rewrite their story, celebrating their strengths and, ultimately, learning to not only survive but thrive. — Adapted from the back cover

The Wrong Side of Goodbye — Adult Large Print Fiction

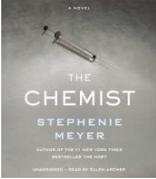
By Michael Connelly



Harry Bosch is California's newest private investigator. He doesn't advertise, he doesn't have an office, and he's picky about who he works for, but it doesn't matter. His chops from thirty years with the LAPD speak for themselves. Soon one of Southern California's biggest moguls comes calling. The reclusive billionaire is nearing the end of his life and is haunted by one regret. When he was young, he had a love affair with a Mexican girl. But not long after becoming pregnant, she disappeared. Did she have the baby? And if so, what happened to it?

Desperate to know whether he has an heir, the dying magnate hires Bosch. With such a vast fortune at stake, Harry realizes that his mission could be risky not only for himself but for the one he's seeking. — Provided by publisher

The Chemist — Adult Audio Fiction
By Stephanie Meyer



She used to work for the U.S. government, but very few people ever knew that. An expert in her field, she was one of the darkest secrets of an agency so clandestine it doesn't even have a name. And when they decided she was a liability, they came for her without warning.

Now she rarely stays in the same place or uses the same name for long. They've killed the only other person she trusted, but something she knows still poses a threat. They want her dead, and soon. Resolving to meet the threat head-on, she prepares for the toughest fight of her life. In this tautly plotted novel, Meyer creates a fierce and fascinating new heroine with a very specialized skill set. — Provided by publisher

Sully — DVD

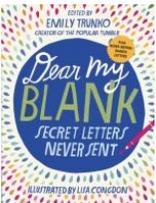
Featuring Tom Hanks, Aaron Eckhart, Valerie Mahaffey, Delphi Harrington, and Mike O'Malley



On Thursday, January 15th, 2009, the world witnessed the "Miracle on the Hudson" when Captain, Chesley Sullenberger glided his disabled plane onto the frigid waters of the Hudson River, saving the lives of all 155 aboard.

However, even as Sully was being heralded by the public and the media for his unprecedented feat of aviation skill, an investigation was unfolding that threatened to destroy his reputation and his career. — Product description

Dear My Blank: Secret Letters Never Sent —Young Adult Non Fiction
By Emily Trunko



From the popular Tumblr of the same name comes a collection of heart-warming, tear-jerking, and gut-wrenching anonymous letters that people never intended—or didn't have the courage—to send.

The Tumblr Dear My Blank—created by 16-year-old Emily Trunko and followed by over 35,000 people—is now a carefully curated gift book with more than 160 anonymous letters covering a range of topics from heartbreak, unrequited love, and loss, to inspiration, self-awareness, and gratitude.

Featuring exclusive content not available on Tumblr, these unsent letters are addressed to secret crushes, lost loved ones, boyfriends, siblings, parents, grandparents, and many more.

Art and design by Lisa Congdon enhance these messages, making the book a beautiful keepsake for all readers. — Provided by publisher

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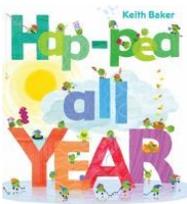
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Hap-Pea All Year! — Children's Picture Book

By Keith Baker



Keith Baker's New York Times bestselling peas are back for more fun—this time exploring the months of the year! The peas have rolled through the letters, numbers, and colors. Now, they're back with all of their signature jaunty and joyful perfect-for-preschoolers energy to take young readers through the calendar. With bouncy rhyming text and playful pea-packed illustrations, celebrating the months, the seasons, and the holidays has never been so fun! — Provided by publisher

Lego Ninjago: Dark Island Trilogy Part 2 — Juvenile Fiction

By Greg Farshtey



After the events of Skybound, a new darkness threatens the Ninjago universe. While on a mission to find Misako and Ronin, a monstrous storm trashes the Destiny's Bounty, scattering the ninja across the sinister Dark Island. Each must try to survive against impossible odds as they search for their friends before it's too late. — Provided by publisher