

# Christian County LIBRARY



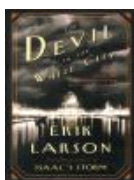
## ***November 2012 Classes, Events, and News***



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### **Christian County Library Book Club *Everyone is Welcome!***

November's Selection:  
*The Devil in the White City :  
murder, magic, and madness at the  
fair that changed America*  
by Erik Larson



Next Discussion:  
November 24th, 10:00 a.m.  
Netzer Room, Christian County Library  
Refreshments provided by Christian

***The Christian County Library will  
be closed Monday, November  
12th, in honor of Veterans Day  
and Thursday, November 22nd  
for Thanksgiving Day.***

### **Contact Us**

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### ***Library Community Courses***

*Library Community Courses provide lifelong learning opportunities for the citizens of Christian County. Classes are free unless otherwise noted.*

### ***COMPUTERS AND TECHNOLOGY***

#### **Introduction to E-Mail**

*Monday, November 5th, 5:30-6:30 p.m.*

*Location: Netzer Room, Christian County Library*

This class is designed for those who don't have an e-mail account or would like to know more about using e-mail. We will go over the basics of email, set up an account, and practice sending and receiving a few messages. Registration required. Call (417)581-2432.

#### **E-Reader Petting Zoo**

*Saturday, November 10th, 2:00-3:00 p.m.*

*Location: James Room, The Center, Nixa*

Have you considered purchasing an e-reader but aren't sure where to start? Would you like to try out different e-readers in a pressure-free setting? Do you have questions about how your e-reader works? Come to our E-Reader Petting Zoo, where you can try out a Kindle Touch, Kindle Fire, Nook Simple Touch, Nook Tablet, and an iPad. You'll also be able to ask library technology staff questions about e-readers, e-books, and Missouri Libraries 2 Go. Registration required. Call (417)581-2432.

#### **Cyber Security**

*Monday, November 19th, 5:30-6:30 p.m.*

*Location: Netzer Room, Christian County Library*

Would you like to get online but are afraid to catch a virus? Would you like to begin paying bills or shopping online but are afraid that a cyber criminal will steal your credit card or other personal information? Learn how to be more careful and aware while online and in your e-mail box. This class will address computer and online security techniques. Registration required. Call (417)581-2432.

***Library Community Course schedule continued on page two.***

### **Downloading E-Books from the Library**

*Saturday, November 24th, 2:00-3:00 p.m.*

*Location: James Room, The Center, Nixa*

Get the most out of your Kindle, Nook, iPad, or other e-reader. Learn how to check out and download e-books with your Christian County Library card, then read them on your computer and e-reader.

Registration required. Call (417)581-2432.

### **Facebook Basics**

*Monday, November 26th, 5:30-6:30 p.m.*

*Location: Netzer Room, Christian County Library*

This class teaches the basics of Facebook. Learn to set up your profile, find your friends, control your privacy settings, share pictures, status updates, and more. Registration required. Call (417)581-2432.

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## *GENEALOGY AND HISTORY*

### **Internet Research for Genealogists**

*Saturday, November 10th, 10:00-11:00 a.m.*

*Location: Netzer Room, Christian County Library*

This class covers many resources available for genealogy enthusiasts online, not just for Christian County but anyone interested in researching their past. There are many great websites for you to use no matter where your family originates. This class takes you into the realm of records searching on the internet.

Registration required. Call (417)581-2432.

### **Wayne Glenn: Nixa as Mayberry in 1960**

*Thursday, November 29th, 6:00-7:00 p.m.*

*Location: Netzer Room, Christian County Library*

Local historian and popular speaker Wayne Glenn will discuss his research for his latest book, Nixa as Mayberry in 1960. The Andy Griffith Show premiered on CBS Television in the fall of 1960. Folks around Nixa must have really loved the series since it was set in Nixa or should we say Mayberry! We know Andy, Barney, Aunt Bea and Opie all lived in the mythical town of Mayberry, North Carolina. But it could just as easily have been Nixa, Missouri--the home of Sucker Day. In this volume, the author takes everyone back to 1960 when Nixa had a population of less than 1,000 and everyone knew everyone else's face, name and business.

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## *WRITING AND PUBLISHING*

### **Your Memories, Your Book: Writing Your Life Story**

*Saturday, November 17th, 1:30-3:00 p.m.*

*Location: Netzer Room, Christian County Library*

Personal historian and author Wayne E. Groner teaches you how to turn your precious memories into a treasured book for family and friends, clients, and customers. Registration requested. Call (417)581-2432.

**View the Library Community Course schedule  
and register online anytime at <http://christiancountylibrary.blogspot.com!>**

# ***Programs for Children, Teens, and Families***

## ***Storytimes***

### ***Preschool Storytime***

Join us for stories, crafts, and fun to help your preschooler develop pre-reading and pre-writing skills. Designed for 3-6 year olds. Younger children welcome.

- Tuesdays and Wednesdays, November 6th-28th, 10:30 a.m.

### ***Storytime at the O.C.***

Miss Lucinda from the Christian County Library reads stories at the Ozark Community Center

- Thursdays, November 1st-15, November 29th, 9:15 a.m.

## ***Movie Day***

Saturday, November 24th, 1:30 p.m.  
Join us for a free movie and free popcorn and punch. This month's movie is ***The Muppets*** (2011, 103 minutes, rated PG).

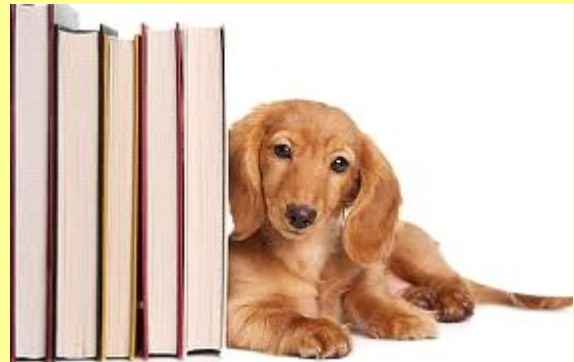


*From IMDb.com:* With the help of three fans, The Muppets must reunite to save their old theater from a greedy oil tycoon.

## ***Pets as Listeners***

Bring young or reluctant readers to our PALS program to read to Missy and Pepper, dogs specially trained by Pet Therapy of the Ozarks. Similar programs have seen students who are reading below grade level raise their competency to at or above grade level. Children are more comfortable reading to a pet who never makes fun of them, never corrects them, and always enjoys their time together. Registration required. Call (417)581-2432.

- Monday, November 26th, 4:00 p.m.



## ***Programs for Teens***

### ***Wii Play Free Play***

Join us the last Thursday of every month when we will have our Wii set up on the big screen. We will have a selection of games available to play, plus board games for play during down time. Supported by Friends of the Library. Registration requested. Call (417)581-2432.

- Thursday, November 29th, 3:00-5:00 p.m.

