



# THE Scenic Regional Library NEWSLETTER

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## Take Our Community Survey!

Scenic Regional Library wants to hear from you. From May 1 through May 31, community members are invited to take part in a public survey to share feedback about library services, programs, and future priorities.

Whether you use the library often, occasionally, or not at all, your feedback is important. Respondents who complete the survey will be entered for a chance to win one of two \$100 gift cards.

Your input helps shape the future of Scenic Regional Library. Take the survey May 1-31 at [scenicregional.org/survey2026](http://scenicregional.org/survey2026).

### COMPLETE THE SURVEY



Be entered to win one of two \$100 gift cards!

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## SPRING Book Sale At Each Branch Location



Thursday, May 14  
9am-8pm

Friday, May 15  
9am-6pm

Saturday, May 16  
9am-5pm

Donate Your Used Books, DVDs, & CDs to the Library Book Sale!

Hardcover Books, DVDs, and CDs...\$1.00  
Paperback Books, VHS Tapes, Cassette Tapes, and Records...50¢  
Call: 636-583-0652 for more information



## Library Seeks Donations



Scenic Regional Library is always accepting donations of gently-used books, DVDs, music CDs, and books on CD. Most donations will be sold at our semi-annual book sale. Have a lot? Call ahead of time, and we will help you carry them in! Contact your local branch for more details.



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## Summer Reading Program Begins June 1



Summer is quickly approaching, which means the Summer Reading Program is almost here! This year's theme is Unearth a Story™, which underscores the joy of discovery that reading brings, and highlights that every person and every community has stories waiting to be found and shared – through books, programs, and local knowledge.

The program begins June 1 and will have reading challenges, prizes, and programs for all ages. Participants in the program can use the Beanstack app to track their reading, earn badges, and maintain their reading streak. Those who complete the program will earn a completion prize- a book for kids and teens, and a themed keychain for adults. Each participant can also put their name into a drawing for additional prizes. Adults will have the opportunity to put raffle tickets into the prize drawing of their choice. Prize baskets will vary by branch and will be sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

All branches will host Summer Reading Program kick-off events this year, featuring an inflatable obstacle course, a face painter, a balloon artist, and icy treats. The Sullivan, Hermann, and Warrenton branches will also feature 7-foot dinosaurs and fossil digging.

### KICK-OFF EVENTS! All events are FREE!

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**Saturday, May 30, 10am-12pm:**

**New Haven, Owensville, Pacific, St. Clair, Union, Wright City**

**Friday, June 5, 2-4pm:**

**Hermann**

**Saturday, June 6**

**Sullivan: 10am-12pm, Warrenton: 3-5pm**



Emus visited storytime at our Hermann branch. Keep an eye out, these guys will probably be visiting again during Summer Reading Program!

## Expanded Access to The Missourian Archives



Scenic Regional Library patrons now have expanded access to The Missourian archives. Through an agreement with The Missourian, additional editions from 1965

to 2018 are now available on Newspapers.com at [bit.ly/48OS5yI](http://bit.ly/48OS5yI). It gives patrons even more opportunities to explore Franklin County's history through decades of local news, stories, and community events.

Previously, the library partnered with the State Historical Society of Missouri to digitize historical editions of the newspaper through 1964, creating a valuable resource for genealogy, family history, and local research.

These archives are a powerful tool for researchers, historians, and anyone curious about the people and moments that shaped the region. Earlier editions of The Missourian remain available remotely through the library's Newspapers.com subscription. Editions from 1965 to 2018 are available for in-library use only.

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## The Gallery at the Library Fundraiser Huge Success



The annual fundraiser for The Gallery at the Library was held on March 27 and was a tremendous success, raising \$4,245 to support gallery operations and arts programming at the Hermann branch.

The Gallery, a 2,000-square-foot art gallery adjacent to the Hermann branch inside the same building, opened in 2022. Operated by the volunteer Scenic Regional Arts Council, the space is funded through Missouri Arts Council grants, reception sponsorships, art sales, and fundraising efforts.

As part of this year's fundraiser, 80 blank 8-by-10-inch canvases were distributed to artists, who were invited to create original pieces in their own style and medium. More than 60 completed works were returned and sold during the event for \$75 each.

Guests also enjoyed silent auctions of gift baskets and a cork-pull raffle featuring leftover donated wine from previous receptions, with corks for \$25 each—local band Twice Baked performed at the event.

This year's total surpassed last year's fundraiser, which raised \$3,000, reflecting the continued support for the gallery and its mission to bring arts opportunities to the community.



Local musical act, *Twice Baked*, featuring Gale Cox (left), vocalist Kasey Wright, and Mark Wallace, performed at the fundraiser.

## Warrenton StoryWalk™ Now Open



The Warrenton Parks Department installed the new Warrenton StoryWalk™ at Binkley Woods Park on March 26. The StoryWalk™ features 18 permanent signs. The cost of the signage was shared between the Warrenton Parks Department and the Warrenton branch Friends of the Library. The library will print and install a new story each quarter. The first book is "The Very Impatient Caterpillar," by Ross Burach.

The StoryWalk™ promotes early literacy, physical activity, and family time together in nature. It's a fun and educational family activity that can bring joy to the community as people take a stroll and enjoy successive pages from a children's story along the path.

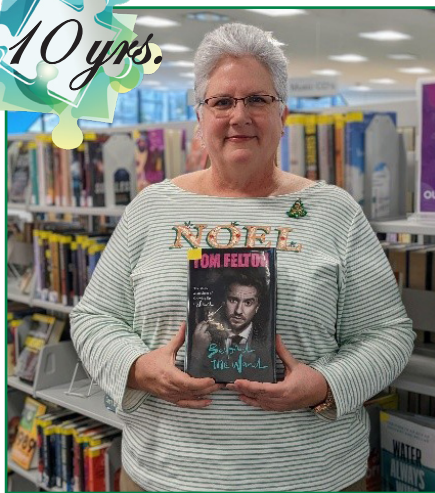


*These are just a few of the one-of-a-kind pieces featured at this year's fundraiser for The Gallery at the Library. Each canvas helped support gallery operations and future arts programming at the Hermann branch. Thank you to the artists, supporters, and everyone who made this event such a success.*



## Staff April Anniversaries

Thank you for being such an *important* piece of our puzzle!



Amy, Library Assistant, Union

## Library to Conduct Tornado Drill

The library will conduct a systemwide tornado drill on Wednesday, May 6, at 2 pm. The public will be asked to relocate and remain in the designated shelter location until given the “all clear” signal. The mandatory drills are expected to last about 15 minutes and will include all branches and the administration building.



## Former Bookmobile Librarian Melva Puls Passes Away

Former Scenic Regional Library bookmobile librarian Melva Puls passed away on March 30 at the age of 90.

Melva was born on her family’s farm near Union in 1935 and attended a one-room schoolhouse off Highway AJ. She graduated from Union High School in 1953 and married Donnie Puls in 1954 at Zion United Church of Christ in Union, where she remained a longtime and active member throughout her life.

She enjoyed reading—especially anything except science fiction—as well as puzzles, playing cards, embroidery, quilting, and cheering on the Kansas City Chiefs and St. Louis Cardinals.

From 1970 until her retirement in 2006, Melva brought books and a friendly smile to children and adults throughout Franklin, Warren, and Gasconade counties as Scenic Regional Library’s bookmobile librarian. Her warmth and dedication made her a beloved part of the communities she served.

Former Scenic Regional Library Director Ken Rohrbach said, “With her love for people and her desire to get the right book to the right person, Melva was perfect for the bookmobile and a fantastic ambassador for Scenic in all three counties.”

A lifelong resident of Union, Melva remained a loyal library patron and continued using the Union branch throughout her retirement.



Melva Puls is pictured on the far left.



“During my years of teaching at the small elementary school in Berger, I had the pleasure of seeing Melva once a month when the bookmobile visited us. Every student relished the chance to step aboard the bookmobile. Melva always had a smile and the ability to find just the right book for each student. Anytime I needed books for a class research project, Melva would gather all the books she could find on the subject, and she would be back the next month with a whole boxload of books. Her love of books and dedication to her job had such a positive impact on so many students.” - Kathi Ham, Scenic Regional Library Board of Trustees President



## Volunteers Needed for Free Meal Distribution



**FOUNDATION FOR  
STRENGTHENING FAMILIES**

This summer, Foundations for Strengthening Families, a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization based out of St. Louis, will partner with Scenic Regional Library to provide free weekly meal packs for children at select branch locations. Families will receive a week's worth of

breakfasts and lunches, with items such as pancakes, waffles, French toast sticks, chicken, hamburgers, hot dogs, tuna, fruit, vegetables, and milk.

The library is seeking volunteers to assist with these community events, which will take place in branch parking lots from June 29 through August 17. Volunteers must be 18 or older and able to pass a background check. Teenagers aged 12 –17 can volunteer if accompanied by an adult.

Helping with meal distribution is a meaningful way to support local families and make a difference this summer. To learn more or sign up, please contact the library.



Foundations for Strengthening Families visited the Sullivan branch for 5 weeks last summer and distributed over 9,590 meals to more than 600 children. The organization is funded through state grants.

**Volunteers needed for the following dates and times:**

- Union:**  
Mondays, 1:30–3:30pm
- St. Clair:**  
Tuesdays, 4–6pm
- Hermann:**  
Wednesdays, 1:30–3:30pm
- Owensville:**  
Wednesdays, 4:15–6:15pm
- Sullivan:**  
Thursdays, 1:30–3:30pm



Owensville patrons made beautiful personalized memory journals as part of the Community Read.



Kids at the Pacific branch have begun to enjoy the spring weather by playing beautiful music on the children's patio.

## Tick Safety Comes to Storytime



The Franklin County Health Department will be coming to storytimes at our Franklin County branches to talk about tick-bite prevention and care. There will be a slightly shorter storytime, and then they will read to and talk with the kids. They will also have informational handouts.

**TICK BITE PREVENTION**

- Sullivan:**  
Tuesday, May 12, 10am
- Union:**  
Wednesday, May 20, 10am
- New Haven:**  
Tuesday, May 26, 10am
- Pacific:**  
Thursday, May 28, 10am
- St. Clair:**  
Thursday, May 28, 10am



**ENTER TO WIN!**

**WIN A NEW CAR!**  
 Buy a \$100 raffle ticket at [washingtonrotary.com/car-raffle](http://washingtonrotary.com/car-raffle)

**GRAND PRIZE:**  
 \$32,500 toward a new vehicle of your choice at Modern Auto OR \$25,000 in cash

**2ND PRIZE:**  
 \$1,000 in cash

**3RD PRIZE:**  
 \$500 in cash

**Car Raffle Tickets on Sale**



The Rotary Club of Washington is selling tickets for its annual Bill Kluesner Memorial Car Raffle. The grand prize is \$32,500 toward a new vehicle of your choice at Modern Auto or \$25,000 in cash. Second prize is \$1,000 in cash; third prize, is \$500 in cash. The \$1,000 prize drawing will be on July 10. The grand prize drawing will be on August 9, 2026, at the Washington Town & Country Fair.

Tickets are \$100 each. The Rotary Club limits ticket sales to 1,000 to improve everyone's odds of winning. Visit [www.washingtonrotary.com/car-raffle](http://www.washingtonrotary.com/car-raffle) to buy tickets. Library director Steve Campbell is a member of the organization. The Rotary Club of Washington is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization. They have donated to dozens of organizations, including ALIVE, Bethel Hills Community, CASA, EMPAC, Exceptional Equestrians, Franklin County Area United Way, Franklin County Backstoppers, Franklin County Red Cross, Franklin County Foster Closet, Harvest Table, YMCA Literacy Council, Hope Ranch, Turning Point Advocacy Services, and many others.



Wright City branch had the joy of welcoming reading groups from Wright City West Elementary for a library tour.



Louise Baker presented about writing our stories at the New Haven branch. She shared wonderful ways to reflect on one's life and how those stories can be passed on.

**Rotary Club of Washington**

**26th Annual**

**Bill Kluesner Memorial Car Raffle**

**1st** \$32,500 towards a new vehicle of your choice at any one dealership or **\$25,000 CASH!**

Apply \$32,500 towards a new vehicle of your choice at any one of the dealerships listed below or \$25,000 cash. Winner must take delivery of the car or cash. The car cannot be traded back to dealer for 6 months. Winner can "swap" up by paying the difference in sticker price. Winner responsible for all taxes, tags, fees, and delivery.

**2nd** **\$1,000 CASH**

**3rd** **\$500 CASH**

**\$1000 Early Bird Drawing\*\* JULY 9**

\*\*Winner also eligible for August 9 drawing.



[washingtonrotary.com](http://washingtonrotary.com)  
VOID WHERE PROHIBITED BY LAW. Only 1,000 tickets available @ \$100 / each

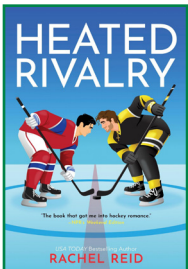
**Grand Prize Drawing**  
 August 9, 2026 at the Washington Town & Country Fair

**Proceeds benefit future community improvements**  
 Rotary Club of Washington  
 PO Box 85 | Washington, MO 63090  
 (636) 667-7476 or (314) 277-5655





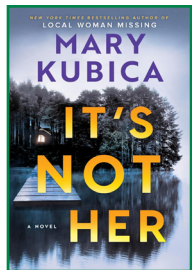
## Top eBook and eAudiobooks



**Heated Rivalry**  
 by Rachel Reid  
 (eBook)

Nothing interferes with pro hockey star Shane Hollander's game. Now, the newly appointed captain of the Montreal Voyageurs, Shane, is determined to protect everything he's worked for. The last thing he needs is a distraction, especially one in the form of his biggest rival. Boston Bears captain Ilya Rozanov is confident, talented, and impossible to ignore. On the ice, they're fierce competitors. Off the ice, the rivalry becomes far more complicated, blurring the line between rivalry and attraction.

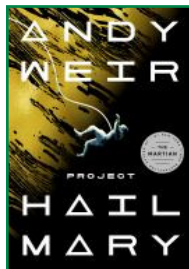
**Genres: Romance, LGBT, Sports Romance**



**It's Not Her**  
 by Mary Kubica  
 (eAudiobook)

Courtney Gray's vacation is shattered when she hears a scream from next door. There she finds the bodies of her brother and sister-in-law. Her niece, Reese, is nowhere to be found, while her nephew, Wyatt, lies asleep upstairs. As police descend, secrets about Courtney's family start to emerge. When she learns the town has secrets of its own, she wonders if Reese is another victim or the killer. Courtney unravels the mystery, but everyone around her has something to hide. And the closer she gets to the truth, the harder it is to see....

**Genres: Thriller, Mystery, Fiction**



**Project Hail Mary**  
 by Andy Weir  
 (eBook)

Ryland Grace wakes alone on a spaceship with no memory of who he is or why he is there. As his memories return, he discovers he is humanity's last hope against an extinction-level threat. Stranded light-years from Earth, he must solve an impossible mystery—and may not be as alone as he thinks.

**Genres: Science Fiction, Fantasy, Space**



**Dear Debbie**  
 by Freida McFadden  
 (eAudiobook)

Sometimes, enough is enough... Debbie Mullen is losing it. For years, she has compiled advice into her column, Dear Debbie, where women come for sympathy and advice. Through her work, Debbie has heard from countless women who are belittled or even abused by their husbands. And Debbie does her best to guide them. Or at least, she did. Debbie's life seems to be spiraling out of control. She just lost her job. Something is happening with her teenage daughters. And her husband is keeping secrets, according to the tracking app she installed on his phone. Now, Debbie's done being the bigger person. It's time to take her own advice—and time for payback against the people in her life who deserve it.

**Genres: Mystery, Thriller, Fiction**



*Kids at the Sullivan branch had a blast making their own laminated bookmarks.*



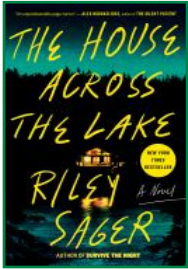
*Liz and Matt with the Missouri Botanical Garden read their book, "Rosie & Pogo Visit the Missouri Botanical Garden", at storytime in St. Clair.*



*Kids from Wesleyan Kiddie Kollege brought a ray of sunshine to our staff at the Warrenton branch. They each received a special thank you note for National Librarian Day.*



## Staff Picks



### ***The House Across the Lake*, by Riley Sager**

Riley Sager's *The House Across the Lake* was such a fun thriller for me. I'm a sucker for classic thriller tropes when they're done well, and this one really delivered on that. The novel definitely has that addictive feel that makes you want to keep saying, "just one more chapter."

We start with our main character, Casey Fletcher, an actress who has been exiled by her mother to the family's lake house after a drunken public spectacle following the death of her husband. The kicker? The house and lake Casey is now forced to occupy are also the location of her husband's death. Casey, now alone, intoxicated, and bored, has taken to using her late husband's binoculars to spy on the neighbors across the lake: model Katherine Royce and her husband Tom, a successful social media CEO. After a fateful morning where Casey rescues a drowning Katherine from the lake, the two form a budding friendship... until Casey notices some strange happenings while watching the Royces one evening from across the water.

When Katherine goes missing, Casey's spying borders on obsession as she and her handsome neighbor investigate what happened to the missing woman.

Sager's pacing is what stood out to me most. Every reveal felt like it happened exactly when it was supposed to, nothing too early and nothing dragged out to the point of frustration. The twists just kept coming, and every time I thought I had it figured out, something else happened.

Overall, this was an entertaining, twisty, bingeable read that gave me exactly what I wanted from a thriller.

### **-Review by Sarah, Administration**



### ***In Time with You*, by Kristin Dwyer**

*In Time with You* by Kristin Dwyer is a magical realism romance that follows Nieve, a college art student whose life feels like it's finally falling into place, until everything changes. When her boyfriend Carter, the love of her life, dies saving her from drowning, Nieve is left overwhelmed with grief and guilt, believing his death happened only to save her.

Then, she's given an unexpected second chance: she wakes up a year in the past, before she ever met Carter. With this opportunity, Nieve begins to wonder if she can change the future.

What I really enjoyed about this book is how Nieve relives the school year and experiments with making different choices. As she tries to alter her connection with Carter, other parts of her life begin to shift as well. She starts to see different versions of her friendships, her family relationships, and even herself. These changes reveal new sides of the people and events that have shaped who she is. With each shift, she gains fresh perspective—not just on her relationship with Carter, but on her other relationships and why things unfolded the way they did in the original timeline. Over time, she also begins to move away from following family expectations and instead starts to consider what she truly wants for her own life.

### **-Review by Tiffany, Administration**



*Kaitlin and Austin of Art Mill Collective helped patrons at the Warrenton branch create tropical-inspired paintings based on the iconic banyan trees of Puerto Rico as we grooved to salsa and jazz!*

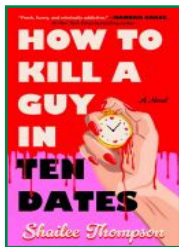


*Mr. Downard, from Old Ozarkian Distillery, presented on the history of bourbon at our Sullivan branch.*



## Murder in the Movies: Thrillers Worth a Close-Up

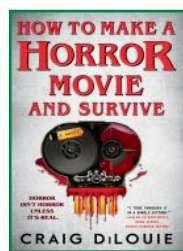
Lights, camera... murder. If you love the suspense of a great movie and the twists of a page-turning thriller, these books are ready for their starring role. From deadly film sets to horror-inspired chaos, each story brings cinematic tension straight to the page. Explore these featured titles and place a hold through the library today. To enjoy one of these titles, visit our online catalog at [bit.ly/4u3Ri5o](http://bit.ly/4u3Ri5o).



**How to Kill a Guy in Ten Dates**  
by Shailee Thompson

Serial dating can be brutal, but for one woman, it may become deadly. This sharp, darkly funny thriller

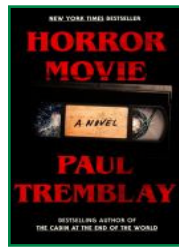
twists the familiar rom-com setup into something far more dangerous as dates, secrets, and revenge collide. Fast-paced and full of surprises, it is the perfect pick for readers who like their love stories with a body count.



**How to Make a Horror Movie and Survive**  
by Craig DiLouie

Max Maurey has spent years haunted by a legendary, cursed film tied to tragedy and obsession. Now

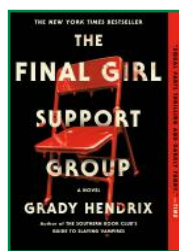
he is determined to remake it, no matter the cost. As production begins, the line between fiction and reality starts to blur in terrifying ways. This is a chilling, cinematic read for horror fans who love behind-the-scenes dread and stories where everything goes wrong.



**Horror Movie**  
by Paul Tremblay

A notorious unfinished cult film is finally being resurrected decades after it was abandoned. As the cast and crew revisit

what happened, long-buried truths begin to surface. Told through interviews, script pages, and narrative twists, this inventive novel captures the eerie feeling of lost media and the danger of stories that refuse to stay buried.



**The Final Girl Support Group**  
by Grady Hendrix

They survived the unthinkable, but survival was only the beginning. A group of women, once known as

“final girls,” meets in secret to cope with the horrors that made them famous. When one of them goes missing, it becomes clear that someone wants to finish what the killers started. Smart, suspenseful, and full of horror movie nods, this is a thrilling ride from start to finish.

## Donation Drive for Hospital Busy Bags



Girl Scout Troop 130 is hosting a drive at the Wright City Branch Library of Scenic Regional Library in May to collect items to create busy bags for children in the hospital.

Busy bags are filled with fun activities and comfort items to help children stay occupied during hospital visits or longer stays. These bags can provide a welcome distraction during a stressful time and offer support to families who may already be facing added expenses.

The drive is part of Troop 130's Bronze Award project, the highest award Girl Scout Juniors can achieve. Through this project, the troop is working to create a lasting, positive impact in the community.

Donations will be accepted throughout the month of May. All requested items should be turned in by May 20. Help make a child's hospital visit a little brighter by contributing to the drive.

### Seeking the following donations:

- Coloring books
- Crayons
- Markers
- Colored pencils
- Fidgets
- Squishies
- Card games
- Puzzles
- Small toys
- Books



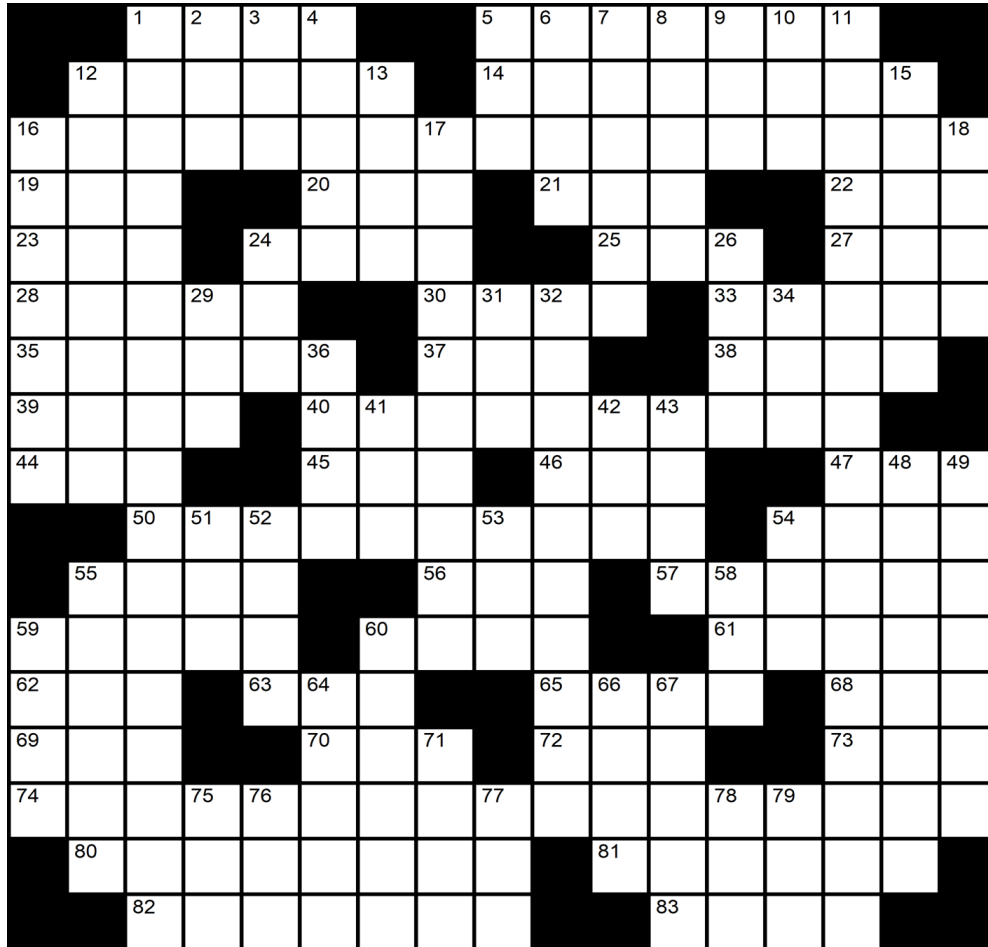
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## May Crossword Puzzle



### Across:

1. Young cow
5. Sure
12. Exhausted
14. Eastern
16. Heart and vessels network
19. "Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds" drug, briefly
20. Large flightless Australian bird
21. Took a seat
22. Member of a Great Basin people
23. Exclamation of surprise
24. Plant stalk
25. Poolside swimmer's length
27. Harry Potter's red-haired best friend
28. Pacific island kingdom
30. Light hits
33. Total mess
35. Not celebrated
37. Sheltered side
38. One's own person
39. Optimistic
40. Excessive
44. Historical period
45. Last letter of the Hebrew alphabet
46. Sprint
47. Confused utterance
50. Billionth of a second
54. Beginner
55. Bank transfer system
56. Unit of energy
57. Creeping plant stem
59. Softened in tone
60. Short pastoral poem
61. Swiped
62. Retirement savings account, briefly
63. NYC time zone letters
65. Cry of pain
68. Brother's sibling, informally
69. Winter slope slider
70. Hat
72. Expert
73. Excessive, in British slang
74. Color printing process using stone plates
80. Process of exposing to air
81. Makes a sighing wind sound
82. Navigator's angle-measuring instrument
83. Remain

### Find the answers at:

[www.scenicregional.org/crossword](http://www.scenicregional.org/crossword)

### Down:

1. Quarantine barriers
2. Mandela's party, briefly
3. Romanian monetary unit
4. Boneless cut of meat or fish
5. Dove's sound
6. Makes mistakes
7. Saudi monetary units
8. Seed coat
9. Some, at all
10. Belonging to it
11. Old term for physics
12. Bring shame upon
13. Identify
15. Excuse from punishment
16. Senate debate-ending vote
17. Rolling prairie plant
18. Restaurant's offerings list
24. Japanese honorific suffix
26. Attention-getting whisper
29. Fellow
31. Above, poetically
32. Ancient rock carving
34. New prefix
36. Reliable, as in a favorite resource
41. Anatomical duct
42. Attila's warrior
43. Concludes
48. Urinary tract stones
49. Truthfulness
51. Metric unit of area
52. Network connection point
53. Weep
54. Small child
55. Nepalese soldier serving in British forces
58. Recipe amt. abbr
59. Catch-all category abbr
60. Boot-shaped European country, to locals
64. Antarctic explorer Robert Falcon
66. Greek god of love
67. Brand symbols
71. Subatomic particle
75. Mined mineral
76. Upper limit
77. Explosive letters
78. Grooved track
79. \_\_\_ Khan



*Tropical Mood of St. Louis performed a vibrant mix of Latin styles, showcasing the rich musical heritage of Puerto Rico at the Union branch.*



## Purchase a "Book" for the Donor Wall in Your Community's New Library

The Scenic Regional Library Foundation and Friends of the Library groups are selling donor wall "books", which will be placed in the entrance hallway of each new library building.

You can have your name, your family's name, or your business's name become a permanent part of the new library in your community. Donor wall "books" can also serve as a beautiful and long-lasting memorial for a loved one.

The cost of a donor wall "book" is based on the size of the book:

- 8" x 1 1/2" book – \$150
- 10" x 2" book – \$250
- 9" x 3" book – \$350

Visit [www.scenicregional.org/foundation/](http://www.scenicregional.org/foundation/) or complete this form to place your order. The Foundation accepts debit and credit cards (online), checks, and cash (only for forms brought to the library) for donor wall "book" purchases.



Proceeds from the sale of the donor wall books are designated for the local Friends of the Library group and used to assist with the purchase of furnishings and equipment in their new building.

**Purchases are tax deductible.**



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## Scenic Regional Library Foundation Donor Wall "Book" Order Form



FIRST NAME		DATE
MIDDLE INITIAL	LAST NAME	
STREET ADDRESS		
CITY		
STATE	ZIP CODE	
PHONE NUMBER		
EMAIL ADDRESS		
NAME OF INDIVIDUAL, FAMILY, BUSINESS OR ORGANIZATION TO APPEAR ON BOOK		
BRANCH (Please select one) <input type="checkbox"/> Hermann Branch <input type="checkbox"/> New Haven Branch <input type="checkbox"/> Owensville Branch <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Branch <input type="checkbox"/> St. Clair Branch <input type="checkbox"/> Sullivan Branch <input type="checkbox"/> Union Branch <input type="checkbox"/> Warrenton Branch <input type="checkbox"/> Wright City Branch		SIZE OF BOOK <input type="checkbox"/> 8" X 1-1/2" - \$150 <input type="checkbox"/> 10" X 2" - \$250 <input type="checkbox"/> 9" X 3" - \$350
		OFFICE USE ONLY Date received: _____ Amount received: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Check # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Cash

Mail this form (or drop it off at your local branch) with your personal check or money order to:




Friends of the Library  
251 Union Plaza Drive  
Union, MO 63084



## SCENIC REGIONAL LIBRARY FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

October 1, 2025 – September 30, 2026 Membership Year

All information submitted is considered confidential and will never be given or sold to any other individual, company, or organization.

If this membership is for you, please provide your information; if this membership is a gift for someone else, please provide their information:							
FIRST NAME			MIDDLE INITIAL				
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STREET ADDRESS			CITY				
STATE			ZIP CODE				
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<b>BRANCH AFFILIATION</b> (Please select one) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hermann Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>New Haven Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Owensville Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Pacific Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>St. Clair Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Sullivan Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Union Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Warrenton Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Wright City Branch <input type="checkbox"/></li> </ul>		<b>LEVEL OF MEMBERSHIP</b> Silver - \$25 <input type="checkbox"/> Gold - \$50 <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum - \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> Diamond* - \$500 <input type="checkbox"/> *Lifetime Membership		  			
		Up to \$10 in book sale volunteer vouchers can be applied toward any level of membership dues.		<u>Gold:</u> 12oz. metal tumbler/ Koozie	<u>Platinum:</u> bluetooth speaker/ wireless phone charger	<u>Diamond:</u> \$150 donor wall book	
		<b>WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP?</b> (Select all which apply)				<b>OFFICE USE ONLY</b>	
		Volunteer at the Fall Book Sale <input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/> New Application	
		Volunteer at the Spring Book Sale <input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal	
		Volunteer at other events <input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/> Date Received:	
		Volunteer at my local branch <input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/> Check # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Cash	
		Serve on the local Friends of the Library's Governing and Planning Committee <input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/> Amount Received:	

Mail this form (or drop it off at your local branch) with your personal check or money order to:  
 Friends of the Library, 251 Union Plaza Dr., Union, MO 63084  
*Membership dues and contributions are tax deductible.*