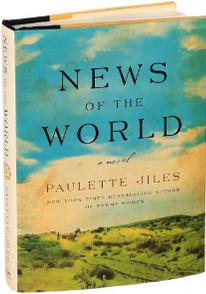


Staff Favorites

Parry Recommends . . .



In this charming novel, a National Book Award finalist, Captain Jefferson Kyle Kidd travels through post-Civil War Texas delivering readings to people anxious for news of the world. He accepts a \$50 gold piece to return a young orphan girl, held captive by the Kiowa tribe, back to her relatives in San Antonio. New York Times best-selling author, Paulette Jiles, creates a multi-layered and tender story capturing a beautiful and hostile land. The characters are fully developed and the plot explores the timeless themes of loyalty, trust and friendship. A wonderful read with heart and soul.

Ebooks, Audiobooks, Movies & More



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Astronomical Binoculars are Here



A special thanks goes out to John and Karen Sechrist for funding the purchase of an astronomical binoculars kit for the Library. The kit includes: binoculars, tripod, parallelogram mount, star chart, red LED headlamp and compass. It circulates for one week and can be checked out to USC residents with library cards in good standing.

Simple Gifts:

Crossing Borders, Music of Many Lands



Thanks to major funding from the Community Foundation of Upper St. Clair and the support of the Friends of the Library, four musical events were presented in June by the professional folk and world

music duo Simple Gifts. The events took place at the Library, Friendship Village and The Grand Residence. Musicians Linda Littleton and Karen Hirshon performed a variety of lively ethnic folk styles, Irish jigs and down-home American reels using a variety of instruments. The audiences were captivated! Thanks again to the Community Foundation and Friends for making these performances possible.

Ice Cream Social

Featuring the Keystone Chorus



Thursday, August 2

7 p.m. @ the MAC

(McLaughlin Run Road Activity Center)

Don't miss our annual ice cream social for adults! Come for the sundaes — stay for the musical entertainment!

Beach Blanket Books for Sale



Your new favorite books are now on sale in the Friends of the Library's Book Sale Corner. Spice up those sunny days with easy breezy books and support your library at the same time.

There are hundreds of titles to choose from and the books change daily. The book sale corner is located on the Adult floor of the library.

Memorial & Tribute Book Gifts

April - June 2018

CONTRIBUTOR	IN TRIBUTE TO	BOOK TITLE(S)
Deborah Allen	Mary Jo Zubic	Auroras: Fire in the Sky
Lange Financial Group	USC Library Patrons	New Tax Laws Create Unintended Benefits The Roth Revolution
Jean McGarvey	Edwin F. Ramsay	After Anna Field of Valor Hide and Sneak The Knowledge Our Kind of Cruelty
Greer and Gary Mulholland	Jerry Kokalis	Flourish: Stunning Arrangements With Flowers and Foliage for Every Season Henry David Thoreau: A Life
Ana Mae Meyers	Edith Carol Christ	Gardening for Birds, Butterflies and Bees Wildlife in Your Garden
Karen Nagem	Nathan & Gerdi Smiga	A Tapestry Garden: The Art of Weaving Plants and Place Biology: An Illustrated History of Life Science The Kremlin Conspiracy President Carter: The White House Years
Judith Parish	Barbara Wilson Lennartson	Fresh India: 130 Quick, Easy, and Delicious Vegetarian Recipes for Every Day Garden Design: A Book of Ideas Turnip Greens & Tortillas: A Mexican Chef Spices Up the Southern Kitchen
David Shaw Family	Edwin F. Ramsay	The Blues Walked In Charmed Bones
Upper St. Clair Township Library	Jerry Kokalis	Agatha Christie: A Mysterious Life The Odyssey: A New Translation
WGA Book Club at St. Clair Country Club	Rita Jacobs Heinemann	A Chronology of Art Essential Native Trees and Shrubs for the Eastern United States Leaf Supply
Woman's Club of Upper St. Clair	Shirley Norman	Drawn from Nature Fallingwater: The Building of Frank Lloyd Wright's Masterpiece Origami Zoo Animals: Fun & Easy Paper-Folding Projects
Lynelle Young	Clete Schultz	Pip & Pup The Truth About Dolphins

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