

Novel News

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Storytime Schedule

Preschool

Ages 3-5

Wednesdays, 10:15 AM

Thursdays, 10:15 AM

Toddlers

Ages 1-2

Wednesdays, 11 AM

Thursdays, 11 AM

Seating is limited.

Please see our

Storytime flyer for

further information.



Your Ratings

Can't remember the name of that book you really liked? Try rating it, using the library's online customer ratings feature! You can now share your ratings of books, DVDs, CDs and other items available from the library.

Simply login to MY ACCOUNT and search for the specific item you wish to rate. Rate any item from 1 to 5 by clicking on the appropriate star, with 1 being the lowest rating.



Anytime you are in the catalog in your account, you can access your ratings—either by clicking the 'My Ratings' icon or just looking for the yellow stars that show your rating.

If you are searching in the catalog, look for ratings by others—blue stars indicate group ratings and white stars indicate items that are unrated. For more information, check out the library's home page, specifically:

<https://albuq.cabq.gov/screens/ratings.html>

The Library Shift



We'd like to thank our customers for your patience during our reorganization! We've been experimenting with our space, moving the paperbacks to behind the Fiction section and the newspapers to new racks at the end of the magazine shelves. If you can't find them, don't despair—just head for the Information Desk, and we'll be delighted to guide you!

Your Digital Library

If you haven't used the databases available on the library website's Digital Library, now is the time to start! Besides doing research, listening to classical music, taking practice tests such as the GRE, and learning new languages, the Digital Library is pleased to offer two new databases:

NOVELIST K-8: fiction for children and young adults



Need help finding good books to read? Use your favorite books and authors to find new adventures! If you can't think of a

book, simply choose a topic of interest and explore lists of recommended books.

ELDERCARE

A reliable source of eldercare-related information, including locating nursing homes, assisted living, home health and hospice provisions. Get quality care ratings, caregiver tips and state resources.

It's easy to use the Digital Library from home—all you need is your library card and internet access to get started. Check out all the resources at www.cabq.gov/library!

Movies @ the Library

Surf's Up

Monday, November 19
4:30 PM



A behind-the-scenes look at the annual Penguin World Surfing Championship, and its newest participant, up-and-comer Cody Maverick! Rated PG. Runtime: 85 minutes.

Stranger Than Fiction

Tuesday, November 27
5 PM



Will Ferrell is Harold Crick, an IRS auditor who begins hearing a voice in his head narrating his lonely life. It turns out that the voice Crick is hearing belongs to a very real--and troubled--author who is writing a book in which Crick is a fictional character whose demise she is plotting. Rated PG-13 for some disturbing images, sexuality, brief language and nudity. Runtime: 1 hour 53 minutes. *Adults age 17 and over only. Discussion will follow the movie.*

Teen Talk

Teen Advisory Board



**Saturday, November 10
2 PM**

Are you a teen in grades 6 - 12 who knows what's cool and trendy? Join us and find out how you can make a difference in the library!

We will be making plans for Mystery Night. Don't miss this chance to have your say!

Teen Movie

Labryinth

**Tuesday, November 20
4:30 PM**

Rated PG Runtime: 101 minutes

15-year-old Sarah accidentally wishes her baby half-brother, Toby, away to



the Goblin King Jareth who will keep Toby if Sarah does not complete his Labyrinth in 13 hours. Bring a friend! Join the fun! We'll provide snacks!

New Books

Spells and Sleeping Bags
by Sarah Mlynowski
YA F Mlynowski



Rachel and her sister Miri have just discovered they're witches and are taking their magic to summer camp! Not even embarrassing care packages and out of control spells will keep them from enjoying the summer.

The Land of the Silver Apples
by Nancy Farmer
YA F Farmer



Jack, bard-in-training, learns that his sister Lucy is a changeling, and that his real sister lives with hobgoblins. A misguided exorcism results in Lucy's disappearance and Jack must descend into the Land of the Silver Apples to retrieve both of his lost siblings.

New Books for Kids

Gilda Joyce: The Ghost Sonata by Jennifer Allison **JF Allison**



Gilda Joyce, Psychic Investigator, and her friend Wendy are in Oxford, England at Wendy's piano competition. The event is plagued by strange and spooky occurrences—and Gilda uses her psychic intuition to solve the haunting and save the competition!

Phineas L. MacGuire...GETS SLIMED! by Frances O'Roark Dowell **JF Dowell**



'Mac' MacGuire and his friend Aretha join forces experimenting with molds. Too bad so many other things are getting in the way of their reproducing penicillin! Includes slimy new experiments you can do at home.

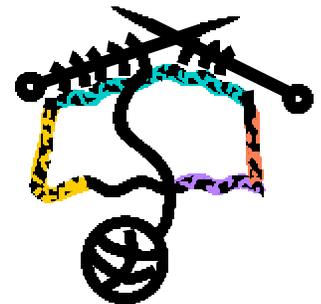
Garden of the Purple Dragon
by Carole Wilkinson **JF Wilkinson**



Ping and the baby dragon Kai need courage as they travel the desolate mountains of Tai Shan. Their journey of faith and friendship leads them back to the Imperial Palace, but even there danger waits...

Crafty Yarns!

As the weather gets colder, knitting needles come out, and people turn increasingly to crafty projects. But when you get tired of knitting and reading patterns, what are you going to do? How about these crafty fiction titles?



Knit Fast, Die Young:
A Knitting Mystery by Mary Kruger

Back on Blossom Street by Debbie Macomber

The Friday Night Knitting Club by Kate Jacobs

A Killer Stitch by Maggie Sefton

The Knitting Circle by Ann Hood

Knitting Bones by Monica Ferris

For more titles, try a keyword search with 'knitting fiction'. The *Chicks with Sticks* series is recommended for young adult readers.

New Non-Fiction Books

Jezebel: The Untold Story of the Bible's Harlot Queen by Leslie Hazleton
222.5092 Hazleton



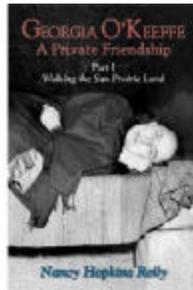
What if Jezebel, far from being the embodiment of wanton wickedness, was, in fact, framed? In this remarkable new biography, Lesley Hazleton brings readers back to the source of the biblical story, showing how the proud and courageous queen of Israel was vilified by her political and religious enemies.

Frank Sinatra: The Family Album by Charles Pignone
Biography Sinatra



Frank Sinatra and his unforgettable life are recaptured in this collection of rare photographs and personal recollections from those closest to him. This unique portrait will bring you closer to Sinatra than you've ever felt!

Georgia O'Keeffe: A Private Friendship: Part I: Walking the Sun Prairie Land by Nancy Hopkins Reily
759.13 O'Keeffe



The author, as if in Georgia's day, 'walks the Sun Prairie Land' as a prologue to her family's friendship with Georgia in the '40s and '50s. Reily chronicles Georgia's defining days within the arenas of landscape, culture, people, and history, crafting an unforgettable personal portrait.

Forthcoming Events

Book Discussion Group
 Friday, December 7
 10:30 AM - Noon
Daughter of Time
 by Josephine Tey



Publisher Basics
 (Two Class Sessions)
 Tuesday, Dec 4
 and Thursday, Dec 6



Teen Advisory Board
 Saturday, December 8 at 2 PM
 Holiday Party/Book Swap

Movies in December:

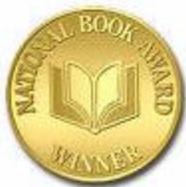
Pirates of the Caribbean - At World's End, December 18



Shrek the Third,
 December 17
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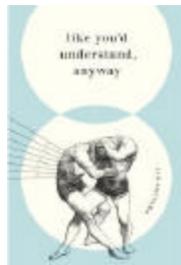


Polar Express, December 12



National Book Award Finalists 2007

National Book Awards are awarded mid November for books of merit by Americans. For more information see www.nationalbook.org/nba.html

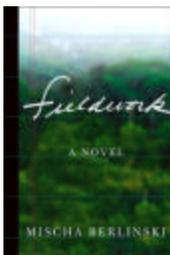


Denis Johnson, *Tree of Smoke*
200 Hitchens

Jim Shepard, *Like You'd Understand, Anyway*

Woody Holton, *Unruly Americans and the Origins of the Constitution*
(on order)

FICTION



Mischa Berlinski, *Fieldwork*

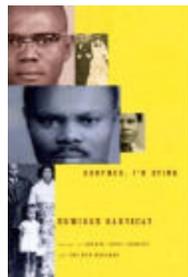
Lydia Davis, *Varieties of Disturbance*

Joshua Ferris, *Then We Came to the End*

NONFICTION

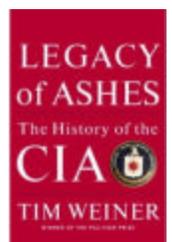
Edwidge Danticat, *Brother, I'm Dying*
813.54 Danticat

Christopher Hitchens, *God Is Not Great: How Religion*



Arnold Rampersad, *Ralph Ellison: A Biography*
Biography Ellison

Tim Weiner, *Legacy of Ashes: The History of the CIA*
327.1273 Weiner



Library Programs

Children's Programs:

Storytimes: Wednesday and Thursday

Preschool 10:15 AM

Toddler 11 AM

Read to the Dogs: 1st & 3rd Saturdays
1 PM - 3 PM

Chess Club, 1st Saturday
1 PM - 3 PM

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)
Saturday, November 10, 2 PM

Teen Tuesday, Game Day
Tuesday, November 13, 4:30 PM

Board Games for Kids
Wednesday, November 14, 3 PM

Movie: Curious George (2006)
Friday, November 16, 4 PM

Teen Movie: Labyrinth
Tuesday, November 20, 4:30 PM

Adult Programs:

Friday, November 2, 10:30 AM - Noon
Book Discussion Group
Riders to Cibola

Family Movie Night:
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Reminder: No Storytimes in December Libraries will be closed Thursday, November 22 & Friday, November 23 for Thanksgiving						
4	5	6 *Computer Class	7 *Storytime	8 *Storytime *Computer Class	9	10 *Teen Advisory Board
11	12	13 *Teen Tuesday	14 *Storytime *Board Games for Kids	15 *Storytime *Computer Class	16 *Movie: Curious George	17 *Read to the Dogs
Children's Book Week						
18	19 *Family Movie: Surf's Up	20 *Teen Movie: Labyrinth	21 *Storytime	22  Thanksgiving	23 Library Closed	24
25	26	27 *Movie & Discussion: Stranger Than Fiction	28 *Storytime	29 *Storytime	30	