

Pigeon District Library

**RECENTLY
ADDED
BOOKS**

The Emperor's Revenge by Clive Cussler	AF
15th Affair by James Patterson	AF
The Boys in the Bunkhouse by Dan Barry	NF
The Apache Wars by Paul Andrew Hutton	NF
Burning Glass by Kathryn Purdie	YA
The Thickety: Well of Witches by J.A. White	JA
Please visit our website for a complete list!	

**UPCOMING
ADDED
MOVIES**

Deadpool	May 10
Synchronicity	May 10
The Witch	May 17
The Finest Hours	May 17
Krampus	May 24
Risen	May 24
Pride & Prejudice & Zombies	May 31

ON YOUR MARK, GET SET... READ!

The theme this year is On Your Mark, Get Set... Read! We will be going on an adventurous ride through the world of reading. Along the way there will be arts and crafts, games, programs and more!



For those who are too young to participate in the Summer Reading Program, we also offer the 1000 Book Read Program. The goal is read one book per day. This helps to develop language skills, vocabulary and also can

Reading Goals:
Minimum of 5 Books

prepare your children to enter kindergarten.

Reading logs will be available to track your progress. Team progress will be tracked at the library.

The staff will keep track of your reading using a book chart. If you have questions about the program, please contact Sherry Helmuth, Program Coordinator at 453-2341. Information sheets are available at the circulation desk.

Dates to Remember:
June 13th- Program Begins
July 16th- Program Ends
July 27th- End of the Program Party

Registration Information:
Dates: May 31 through June 11
Grades: DK through 8th Grade Students

More program details will be coming in the June Newsletter! Be on the look out for prize information, activities and more!



LIBRARY HOURS

Monday	9 a.m.—5 p.m.
Tuesday	9 a.m.—7 p.m.
Wednesday	9 a.m.—5 p.m.
Thursday	9 a.m.—7 p.m.
Friday	9 a.m.—5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m.—2 p.m.

U P C O M I N G M O V I E A R R I V A L S

The 5th Wave

Four waves of increasingly deadly alien attacks have left most of Earth decimated. Cassie is on the run, desperately trying to save her younger brother. Staring Chloe Grace Moretz, Matthew Zuk and Gabriela Lopez. This film will be on the shelf on May 3rd!



Deadpool

Based upon Marvel Comics' most unconventional anti-hero, Deadpool! Armed with his new abilities and a dark, twisted sense of humor, Deadpool hunts down the man who nearly destroyed his life. Staring Ryan Reynolds and Ed Skrein. This film will be available on May 10th!



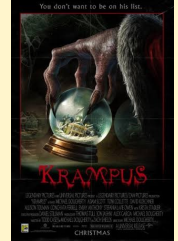
The Witch

In this exquisitely made and terrifying new horror film, the age-old concepts of witchcraft, black magic and possession are innovatively brought together to tell the intimate and riveting story of one family's frightful unraveling in the New England wilderness circa 1630.



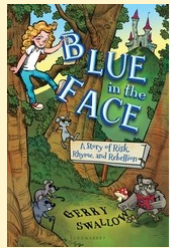
Krampus

When his dysfunctional family clashes over the holidays, young Max is disillusioned and turns his back on Christmas. Staring Adam Scott, Toni Collete, David Koechner and Allison Tolman. This film will be available on May 24th!



"I think of life as a good book. The further you get into it, the more it begins to make sense."
-Harold Kushner

U P C O M I N G B O O K S F O R T H E Y O U N G E R C R O W D



Blue in the Face: A Story of Risk, Rhyme and Rebellion
by Gerry Swallow

When Elspeth Pule, an eleven-year-old brat, wakes up one day in a strange forest, she finds some familiar faces around her—those of the nursery rhyme characters she grew up

reading about. But as she soon learns from Humpty Dumpty, a suave, tuxedo-wearing egg, what she knows is a twisted version of the truth concocted by the evil Old King Krool—and none of the characters are who she thinks. Told in a hilarious voice and with black and white illustrations throughout, this "revolutionary" tale is perfect for fans of Pseudonymous Bosch and Lemony Snicket.

Reviews:

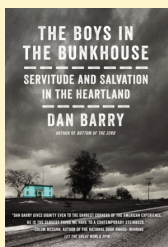
"Each chapter is introduced with an authentic nursery rhyme, and Swallow interweaves familiar characters (e.g., Humpty Dumpty and Jack Horner) with Elspeth's fantasy adventure to engage readers in a creative way."

-**Booklist**

"Fans of wordplay, puns, and fractured fairy tales should be right at home."

-**Publishers Weekly**

N O N - F I C T I O N A D D I T I O N



The Boys in the Bunkhouse
by Dan Barry

With this Dickensian tale from America's heartland, *New York Times* writer and columnist Dan Barry tells the harrowing yet uplifting story of

the exploitation and abuse of a resilient group of men with intellectual disability, and the heroic efforts of those who helped them to find justice and reclaim their lives. In the tiny Iowa farm town of Atalissa, dozens of men, all with intellectual disability and all from Texas, lived in an old schoolhouse. Before dawn each morning, they were bussed to a nearby processing plant,

where they eviscerated turkeys in return for food, lodging, and \$65 a month. They lived in near servitude for more than thirty years, enduring increasing neglect, exploitation, and physical and emotional abuse—until state social workers, local journalists, and one tenacious labor lawyer helped these men achieve freedom.

Others include:

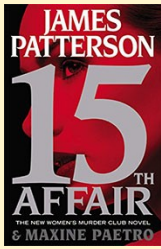
Drive!
by Lawrence Goldstone

The Apache Wars
by Paul Andrew Hutton

Ted Talks
by Chris J. Anderson

Bill O'Reilly's Legends and Lies
by David Fisher

ADULT FICTION UPCOMING ARRIVALS



15th Affair

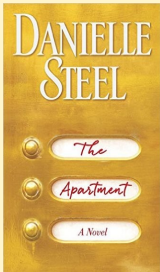
by James Patterson

As she settles into motherhood and a happy marriage, Lindsay Boxer thinks she has found domestic bliss. But when a beautiful, alluring blonde woman with links to the CIA disappears from the scene of a brutal murder at a downtown luxury hotel, Lindsay's life begins to unravel. Before she can track down the woman

for questioning, a plane crash plunges San Francisco into chaos and Lindsay's husband Joe vanishes. The deeper she digs, the more Lindsay suspects that Joe shares a secret past with the mystery blonde. Thrown into a tailspin and questioning everything she thought she knew, Lindsay turns to the Women's Murder Club for help as she tries to uncover the truth. Filled with pulse-pounding international intrigue, 15TH AFFAIR proves that all is fair in love, war, and espionage.

Excerpt from 15th Affair:

...Clapper is a former homicide cop, a pro who knows what he's doing and never has to prove it. He laughed and said, "I guess miracles happen —but not here. Not today." I peered behind Clapper. Lights had been set up and CSIs were processing the expensively furnished suite, which had soundproof windows and a high city view. There was a lot of blood around and under the victim, but the room behind him looked spotless.



The Apartment

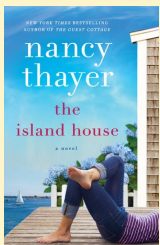
by Danielle Steel

They come together by chance in the heart of New York City, four young women at turning points in their lives. Claire Kelly finds the walk-up apartment a spacious loft in Hell's Kitchen. But the aspiring shoe designer needs at least one roommate to manage it. She meets Abby

Williams, a writer trying to make it on her own, far away from her successful family in L.A. Four years later, Morgan Shelby joins them. She's ambitious, with a serious finance job on Wall Street. Then Sasha Hartman, a medical student whose identical twin sister is a headline-grabbing supermodel. And so the sprawling space, with its exposed brick and rich natural light, becomes a home to friends about to embark on new, exhilarating adventures. Frustrated by her ultra-conservative boss, Claire soon

faces a career crisis as a designer. Abby is under the spell of an older man, an off-off-Broadway producer who exploits her and detours her from her true talent as a novelist, while destroying her self-confidence. Morgan is happily in love with a successful restaurateur who supplies her roommates with fine food. At her office, she begins to suspect something is off about her boss, a legendary investment manager whom she's always admired. But does she even know him?

*"If a book is well-written, I always find it too short."
-Jane Austen*



The Island House

by Nancy Thayer

Weaving the trials and uncertainty of real life into a tapestry of passion, hope, and courage, *The Island House* is a beautifully told story about the ties that bind us—and how the blessings of love and family heal us in ways we never dream possible. Courtney Hendricks will never forget

the magical summers she spent on Nantucket with her college roommate, Robin Vickerey, and Robin's charismatic, turbulent, larger-than-life family, in their gorgeous island house. Now a college English professor in Kansas City, Courtney is determined to experience one more summer in this sun-swept paradise. Her reason for going is personal: Courtney needs to know whether Robin's brother James shares the feelings she's secretly had for him. Time with the Vickerey family

always involves love and laughter, and this season is no different. Vivacious matriarch Susanna Vickerey is celebrating her sixtieth birthday, but beneath the merriment, trouble is brewing. The family patriarch, Dr. Alastair Vickerey, is quiet and detached, while unspoken tension looms over oldest son Henry, a respected young surgeon. Warm and witty Robin, the most grounded of the siblings, is keeping a secret from her parents.

WHERE PATRONS ARE
PRIORITY!

We would love to see you at the Pigeon District Library. Come take a look at our selection of books, references and movie rentals that are available to the community.

For information regarding the Friends of the Pigeon District Library, please contact Ruth Kumaus at 734-730-0129.

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Pigeon District Library is to provide programs, resources and services to meet the educational, informational and recreational needs and interests of the people in its service area.

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E V E N T I N F O

Story Hour

Every Tuesday bring your little one's in for a story and activity! Lap Sit is for toddlers and is held at 10 a.m. Pre-School aged children are at 10:30 a.m.

May Themes

3rd – Mother's Day
10th – Fun Day
17th – Circus
24th – Memorial Day
31st – Sunshine Fun

Junior Jive

Every Friday at 10 a.m. for children 1 1/2 to 5 years old. Enjoy music and movement led by Sara DuToit.

Children's Book Week

During the week of May 2nd through 8th, stop in for fun activities. Pop a balloon and win a prize, do an activity and even vote on your favorite children's book! Stop in any time, all week!

Dates to Remember:

Children Crafts available daily in the children's room.
Adult Movie – May 18th at 1 p.m.
Book Club – May 24th
No particular book, discussing options.
For more upcoming events, check out our Facebook page!

FEATURED EVENT

That Crazy Tie-Dye Party

Sunday, May 15th at 2:30 pm the Pigeon District Library and That Crazy Tie-Dye Chick, Emi Smith would like to invite you for an afternoon of tie-dye fun. For more info and registration, please check out our Facebook event.

Cost: \$15 per person or \$25 for Mommy and Me/Daddy and Me!

