

Robert J. Kleberg Public Library Newsletter

Happenings @ Your Library

May 2018

Kindle Fire Tablet Winner



Colleen Sampson (pictured with Children's Services Librarian Danielle Friend) is the winner of a Kindle Fire tablet. The Children's Services Department held a drawing for the Kindle after the D.E.A.R. Challenge (Drop Everything and Read) Story Time on April 12, 2018. Thank you to Dr. Eric Joshua Stevens for generously donating the Kindle Fire tablet.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Tuesday – Friday

8 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Saturday

9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Closed Sunday & Monday

IMPORTANT DATES

May:

5 – Cinco de Mayo Bilingual Story Time, 10 a.m. Texas A&M University – Kingsville students will read stories and sing songs in Spanish and English.

28-29 – In observance of the Memorial Day holiday, the library will be closed. The library will reopen Wednesday, May 30, 2018.

31 – The Coastal Bend Food Bank's Mobile Pantry will distribute food items, beginning at 10 a.m. until items run out. Distribution will be in the library's east side parking lot.



Animal Control Center
Monthly Pet Adoption Day
May 5, 2018
9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Food Handlers Course
May 2 & 16, 2018
1:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Dates and times are subject to change.
For more information, call the
City-County Health Department
at 361.592.3324.



7 days/week
5 a.m. – 9 p.m.
(also available in the
breezeway and
courtyard areas)

NEW TIME
Beginning April 4,
2018, the **Poetry**
Café of Kingsville
is meeting on
Wednesdays
from
3-4 p.m.

It's story
TIME
for toddlers

Thursdays @ 9 a.m.
May 03 May 10
May 17 May 24
May 31



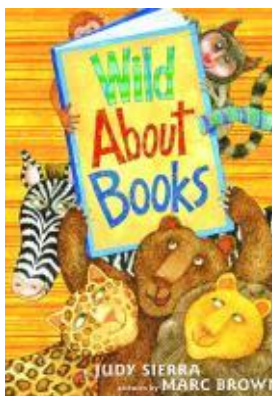
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Staff News



The Library Board, Director, and staff wish a fond farewell to Children's Services Librarian Danielle (Dani) Friend, whose last day with the City of Kingsville was April 28, 2018. Dani's time with the City began on July 15, 2008. Over the years, Dani led library tours for school groups, traveled to schools to share with students the various resources and services available to them, and coordinated the summer reading and activity programs. Dani's favorite day of the week was Thursday because of Toddler Story Time. She loved assisting and visiting with her young patrons.

Dani, we wish you all the best!!



Sync Audiobooks for Teens

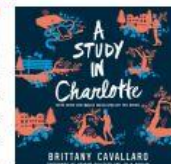
From April 26 to July 25, 2018, teens can download two **FREE** audiobooks per week through the *Sync Audiobooks for Teens* program. The books are delivered through the Overdrive® app, the same app that patrons can access the library's eBook collection. Once a patron downloads a *Sync* title, it is theirs to keep. Each week's titles will be available every Thursday at 7 a.m. EST. For more information, visit www.audiobooksync.com.

April 26 – May 2

THE GREAT WAR

by David Almond et al.
 Read by Nico Evers-Swindell et al.

Stories from World War I, performed by a full cast



A STUDY IN CHARLOTTE

by Brittany Cavallaro
 Read by Graham Halstead, Julia Whelan

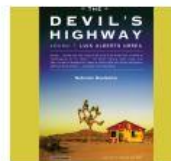
Her ancestor was Sherlock Holmes

May 3 – May 9

THE DEVIL'S HIGHWAY

by Luis Alberto Urrea
 Read by the Author

Lannan Literary Award 2004;
 Pulitzer Prize
 Attempting to cross the Mexico-U.S. desert border



SOLO

by Kwame Alexander, with Mary Rand Hess
 Read by the Author, with music by Randy Presic

Earphones Award;
 Best Fiction for Young Adults 2018

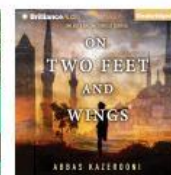
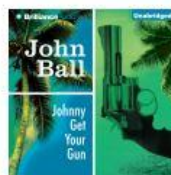
Searching for love and home, read by the author

May 10 – May 16

JOHNNY GET YOUR GUN

by John Ball
 Read by Dion Graham

A sensitive cop searches for a scared gun-toting boy



ON TWO FEET AND WINGS

by Abbas Kazerooni
 Read by the Author

Fleeing war-torn Tehran alone

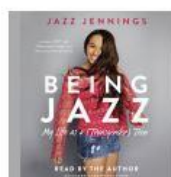
May 17 – May 23

BEING JAZZ

by Jazz Jennings
 Read by the Author

Rainbow Award Winner 2016;
 NYPL Best Books for Teens 2016

Living openly



SAVING MONTGOMERY SOLE

by Mariko Tamaki
 Read by Rebecca Lowman

Trying to understand the supernatural—and herself

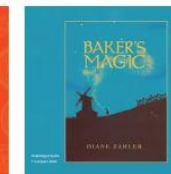
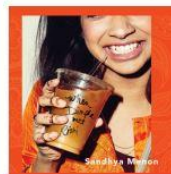
May 24 – May 30

WHEN DIMPLE MET RISHI

by Sandhya Menon
 Read by Sneha Mathan, Vikas Adam

NPR Best Book of the Year 2017;
 Amelia Bloomer List 2018

Unexpected twists in planned outcomes



BAKER'S MAGIC

by Diane Zahler
 Read by Tavia Gilbert, Michael Crouch, et al.

Earphones Award

The power of magic brings high adventures

Brownstone Book Fund Donation

Eighty-three libraries in Hurricane Harvey-affected areas each received a generous 100-book donation from the Brownstone Book Fund of New York. Children's Services Librarian Danielle Friend selected the books that the library received. The books, currently located on a dedicated display, range from pre-kindergarten to early readers. Come by and checkout this spectacular collection.

