



>>> NEWSLETTER <<<

FRANKLIN PARISH LIBRARY

Winnsboro Branch705 Prairie Street
Winnsboro, LA 71295**Wisner Branch**129 Fort Scott Street
Wisner, LA 71378

LIBRARY NEWS & INFORMATION

>>> CONSTRUCTION UPDATE



REMEMBER THE BEFORE...

Our storefront construction project in Winnsboro is finally finished with the exception of a few punch list items! We are so excited to share our new & improved space with you! You can see all of the construction photos on the website <https://franklinparishlibrary.org/construction-updates/>

The inside of our Learning Center will take a bit longer to get repaired but we know it'll be worth the wait. We plan to do a reopening to officially welcome everyone back to visit once the Learning Center is complete.

Our front door is officially open! You can now come in the front or the back door to visit us.

Check out books, audiobook cds, DVDs, read newspapers or magazines, research family history, or get help setting up your Cloud Library to access digital audiobooks and ebooks on your own device. Our public computers, printers, copy machine, and Wi-Fi services are also available.

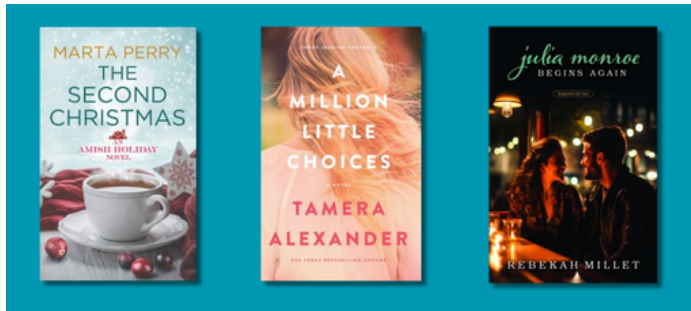
NEW TO CIRCULATION

SEE SOMETHING THAT MIGHT INTEREST YOU?

Click on the cover image to go directly to the online card catalog to find out more or reserve it today!



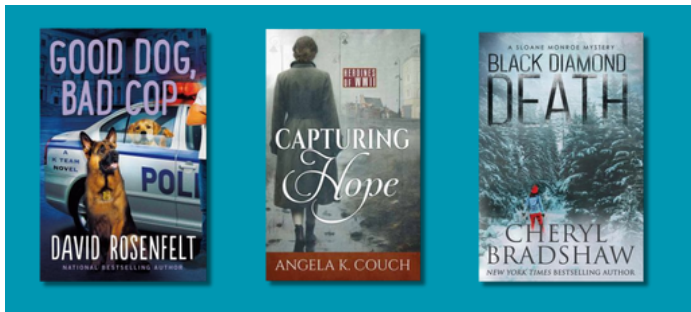
CHRISTIAN FICTION



WESTERN FICTION



MYSTERY/SUSPENSE



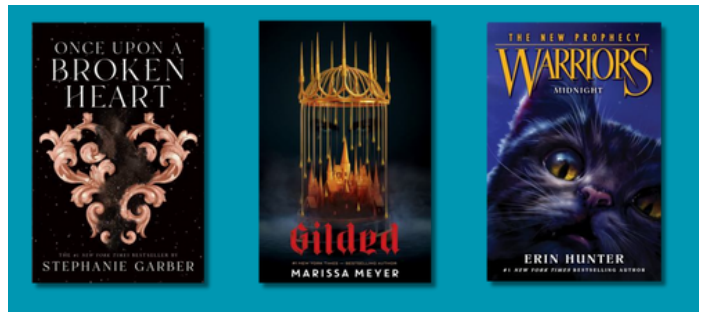
CHILDREN'S FICTION



OTHER ADDITIONS



YOUNG ADULT FICTION



These are not all of the new titles added this month.

Want to see what else we have on the shelves? Search our digital card catalog. Scan the QR code to the right or go to franklinparishlibrary.org and click on the card catalog.



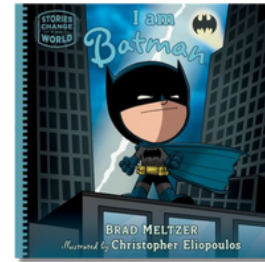
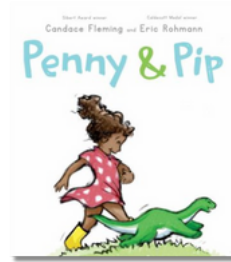
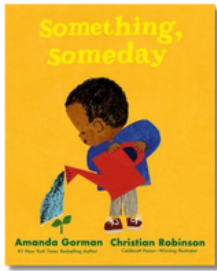
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▶▶▶ DONATED AS MEMORIALS OR IN HONOR OF LOVED ONES, EVENTS, OR SPECIAL MOMENTS

"Keep all special thoughts and memories for lifetimes to come. Share these keepsakes with others to inspire hope and build from the past, which can bridge to the future." Mattie Stepanek



If you'd like to purchase a memorial or book in honor of a loved one, friend, pet, or celebrated moment, we have a selection of books that may be purchased from or you can request a specific item.

Give us a call or come see us at the Winnsboro branch (318) 435-4336



▶▶▶ DECEMBER WALL OF HEROES SPOTLIGHT



Joseph "Joe" Taylor
Army - Sergeant
Operations Iraqi Freedom &
Enduring Freedom



Dorothy Chase
Army - Major
WWII & Korean War



Rufus Varner, Jr.
Army - Specialist 5
Vietnam

Did you or a loved one serve in our armed forces during a war, conflict, or battle? To be featured on our permanent Wall of Heroes, stop by to see us or give us a call for more information. We appreciate our local Veterans & all they've sacrificed for us.

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»»» UPCOMING

DECEMBER 1-31

Christmas StoryWalk

DECEMBER 22, 24, 25

Closing for Christmas

DECEMBER 29 & JANUARY 1

Closing for New Years Eve & Day

COMING SOON! <<<

We're excited to bring a new activity to our patrons in 2024!

Be on the lookout for invitations to Watch Parties for digital, live-stream interviews and live chats with various award-winning and best-selling authors!

You will be able to come to the library to watch with us while enjoying popcorn/snacks or watch them from your own devices! You'll be able to submit questions to the author beforehand or during the live chat!



DON'T FORGET TO SIGN THE DIGITAL GUESTBOOK AFTER YOU VISIT THE STORYWALK!

ONE LUCKY VISITOR WILL WIN A COPY OF THIS MONTH'S STORY.

FORGOT TO SIGN IT WHENEVER YOU FINISHED? NO WORRIES! SCAN THE QR CODE OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR THE GUESTBOOK.



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CAME TO ROCK OUT WITH LADY CHOPS FOR HER CHRISTMAS MUSIC SPECIAL - "HERE COME THE BELLS... SO MANY BELLS!"

WE ALWAYS LOVE WHEN LADY CHOPS COMES TO TOWN! IF YOU HAVE SOME FUN PICTURES TO SHARE WITH US, EMAIL THEM ON OVER TO [KAYLA@FRANKLINPARISHLIBRARY.ORG](mailto:kayla@franklinparishlibrary.org) WE'D LOVE TO SEE THEM & SHARE THEM IN THE NEXT NEWSLETTER!

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Open: Tuesday & Thursday



DOWNTOWN STORYWALK®

TAKE A STROLL & VISIT ANYTIME
THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF DECEMBER



Our book starts at The Coffee Shop. Follow the story posted in windows along Prairie Street at the following locations:

1. THE COFFEE SHOP
2. STEPHANIE'S JEWELRY
3. LISA'S SALON
4. FRANKLIN PARISH LIBRARY
5. FRANKLIN PARISH LIBRARY
6. FPL GENEALOGY CENTER
7. BIG WINN STUDIOS
8. KELLEY REALTY
9. MAIN STREET TRENDS
10. WINNSBORO OFFICE SUPPLY
11. CLW RENT TO OWN
12. OLD POST OFFICE MUSEUM
13. THE FRANKLIN SUN
14. WINNSBORO WHOLESALE
15. PEBB HVAC
16. TWO HEARTS BOUTIQUE
17. PAINTED PONY
18. PAINTED PONY
19. KINLOCH PLANTATION PRODUCTS
20. KINLOCH PLANTATION PRODUCTS
21. SCOOPS ICE CREAM
22. WINNSBORO PHYSICAL THERAPY
23. WINNSBORO PHYSICAL THERAPY

THE STORYWALK® PROJECT WAS CREATED BY ANNE FERGUSON OF MONTPELIER, VT AND DEVELOPED IN COLLABORATION WITH THE KELLOGG-HUBBARD LIBRARY. STORYWALK® IS A REGISTERED SERVICE MARK OWNED BY MS. FERGUSON.

AFTER YOU VISIT, SIGN OUR DIGITAL GUESTBOOK AT FRANKLINPARISHLIBRARY.ORG TO BE ENTERED FOR A CHANCE TO WIN YOUR VERY OWN COPY OF THIS MONTH'S STORY

BROUGHT TO YOU BY FRANKLIN PARISH LIBRARY, WINNSBORO MAIN STREET,
AND THE WINNSBORO-FRANKLIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

DO YOU HAVE ANY YEARBOOKS YOU'D LIKE TO DONATE?

Do you have any old yearbooks from a Franklin Parish school, past or present, that you could donate to the library?

We'd like to build upon our Franklin Parish Schools collection in our genealogy room. We'd love to include them in our collection so they can be shared for years to come.

Our current collection:

- **Crowville School:**
1964, 1977, 1978, 1979, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023
- **Franklin Academy:**
1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000
- **Fort Necessity School:**
1977, 1994, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2011, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- **Gilbert School:**
2012, 2013, 2015, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- **Winnsboro Upper Elementary:**
1973-74
- **Winnsboro Jr. High:**
1975, 1976, 1977
- **Winnsboro High School:**
1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1963, 1964, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1986, 1987
- **Wisner High School:**
Seniors: 1987
1971, 1972, 1977, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1986

We'd like to thank everyone who has donated so far! We're excited to continue growing this portion of our Franklin Parish Collection.



Merry Christmas

& Happy New Year

~From The Library Ladies

