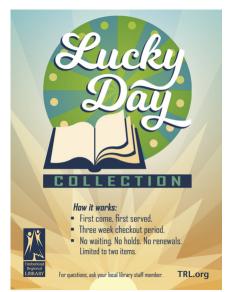


Timberland Regional Library eNewsletter

- October 2018 Edition -



Introducing the Lucky Day Collection!

Beginnning Tuesday, October 2 there will be a new display popping up at your local Timberland library, and who knows... it could just be your *Lucky Day*!

This collection will feature a selection of Timberland's most popular, high demand titles - available to you on a first-come, first-served basis.

No Waiting.

No Holds.

No Renewals.

You will still have a three week checkout period, but will be limited to two Lucky Day Collection items at a time per library card. So stop by your library and learn more about this new offering!

The first 10 titles for the Lucky Day Collection:

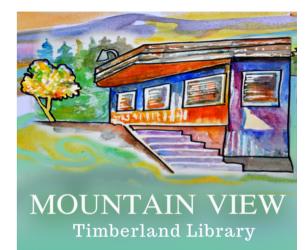
- All We Ever Wanted by Emily Giffin
- Clock Dance by Anne Tyler
- Cottage by the Sea by Debbie Macomber
- Less by Andrew Sean Greer
- Something in the Water by Catherine Steadman
- Tailspin by Sandra Brown
- The Fallen by David Baldacci
- The Other Woman by Daniel Silva
- The Outsider by Stephen King
- The President Is Missing by Bill Clinton & James Patterson

Next to arrive will be *Fear* by Bob Woodward so check back with your local library as additional titles will randomly be added to the Lucky Day Collection!



The first Lucky Day Collection processed for delivery!

Timberland Regional Library Location Updates



Mountain View Timberland Library

On Wednesday, September 26, 2018, Timberland Regional Library's Board of Trustees voted unanimously at their monthly board meeting to extend the lease for the building the library district occupies in Mountain View (Randle) through October 31, 2019.

Lease Renewed

Hoquiam Timberland Library

Closed for renovation & repair starting October 11, 2018

The library will be closed for about six weeks, with an anticipated re-opening after Thanksgiving. The book drop will remain open for returns, and holds will be available at the Aberdeen Timberland Library.

The \$1 million project will include improvements including exterior and interior painting, new windows, new energy efficient lighting, more electrical outlets, new carpet, ADA compliant doors, and heating and ventilation improvements. The renovation is funded by a Community Development Block Grant by the Department of Commerce, a capital budget appropriation by the State Legislature, along with grants and private donations. TRL's Board of Trustees is responsible for making decisions related to library service points. TRL leadership and its Board of Trustees are committed to ensuring that every community we serve receives timely communication, and all feedback from our communities is considered in recommendations and processes today and in the future.



HOQUIAM Timberland Library

Closed for Repairs

Beginning Thursday, October 11, 2018

Microsoft Imagine Academy 🗙



Changes to Microsoft Imagine Academy Availability

The Microsoft Imagine Academy learning platform was retired on September 30, 2018. Their replacement platform does not work well in the public library setting for individual learners so will no longer be available through Timberland Regional Libraries.

Timberland's access to Microsoft Imagine Academy was made possible through a statewide program managed by the Washington State Library (WSL). During the next year, Timberland patrons seeking learning materials for the MOS

(Microsoft Office Specialist) and MTA (Microsoft Technology Associate) exams will be able to access content at a new website at the WSL. These will not be online learning courses, but OneNote files, virtual "binders" containing a combination of videos and text materials that support a single exam or topic. There will be fewer courses available than what was included in Microsoft Imagine Academy and no progress tracking, but learners will not have to login with a Microsoft account to access the content.

The current link to Microsoft Imagine Academy on the TRL website will be updated to this content once it is in place. Learners are also encouraged to sign up for **Lynda.com**, which includes many video tutorials on Microsoft products. There are also books in the library collection available for check out on the various certification exams.

No changes are planned for the current Microsoft Office Specialist certification testing offered at Aberdeen, Chehalis, Naselle, North Mason, and Tumwater libraries.



Have you experienced our "Voices of Timberland" Blog yet? Check out this second installment from one of our favorite foodie librarians:



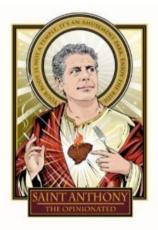
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#2 - Saint Anthony

I was once asked in a job interview who I would switch lives with were I magically given the opportunity to do so. Unlike many such "creative" questions where I tend to draw a blank, the answer sprang to mind immediately: Anthony Bourdain. I wrote that sentence, and finished up an

initial draft of this blog post, the day before learning of his death so it feels different to relate that anecdote now. In the eighteen years since *Kitchen Confidential* made him famous and lead to countless episodes of what is essentially the same (excellent) TV series ad infinitum, he never appeared to get comfortable. His drive to continue learning, growing, and exploring was and remains inspiring to me and countless others plugged into the world of food, eating, and travel.

I feel personally inadequate to the task of eulogizing him. For that I would refer you to **Eddie Huang** writing for *Rolling Stone* or **Kim Ghattas** in *The Atlantic* whose tributes do well at capturing the towering persona Bourdain was. I'm here in the mortal realm merely to give you some cookbook



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#CheckThisOut Event Calendar Highlights





Gutless Pumpkin Decorating

Enjoy some no-carve pumpkin decorating. All pumpkins and decorating supplies will be provided, but feel free to bring your own spooky decorations. Pumpkins provided by the Friends of the Naselle Timberland Library.

> Naselle Saturday, October 20 - 12:00 p.m.

Gotta Catch 'Em All: Pokémon Scavenger Hunt

Put your skills to the test with our largest scavenger hunt ever! Find all the pokémon in the library and win a prize.

> <u>Tenino</u> Saturday, October 13 - 11:00 a.m.

Adults

<u>Great Lacey Read:</u> An Evening of Novels & Notables

Join us to celebrate PBS' Great American Read in an evening filled with dramatic readings of some of America's favorite novels. Local celebrities will read short passages from their favorite books. Enjoy a dessert buffet and sparkling non-alcoholic beverages to go along with a night of inspiring and vibrant literature read aloud. Attendees will also have a chance to win door prizes like ...(more)

> Lacey Friday, October 19 - 7:00 p.m.

Calling All Adventurers... D&D, MTG, & others

Teens

Your local library has epic quests and ongoing campaigns you can join!

<u>Chehalis</u>

First and Third Thursdays at 3:30 p.m.

Yelm Wednesdays at 3:00 p.m. *(except 10/17)*

> North Mason (Belfair) Fridays at 3:30 p.m.

<u>Shelton</u>

A brand new D&D group for beginners. Check it out Saturday, October 20 at noon.



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~ Timberland Regional Library district provides for the entertainment, information, and lifelong learning needs of Grays Harbor, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, and Thurston county residents at 27 community public libraries and seven library service partner locations. The library system is funded mainly by local property taxes, timber tax, fundraising efforts of TRL Friends of the Library, and generous donations by individual supporters. Anyone needing special accommodations to participate in a library's programs may contact the library one week in advance. All Timberland programs are free and open to the public.

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