SUNSHINE NEWSLETTER
Niceville Public Library
September 2014

Library Hours and Contact information

Tue & Thur	9 – 8
Wed & Fri	9 – 6
Sat	9 – 2

Closed Sunday & Monday

850-279-4863
Renew Books – ext. 1500 Circulation Desk
Questions and Interlibrary Loans – ext. 1504 Reference Desk
Story Time and Youth Programs – ext. 1514 Youth Services
http://www.cityofniceville.org/library.htmlhttp://cityofniceville.org/library.html
http://twitter.com/#!/ncvlibrary
https://www.facebook.com/NicevilleLibrary?ref=hl
http://pinterest.com/ncvlibrary/

New Books:
Big Little Lies by Liane Moriaty
The Heist by Daniel Silva
Tom Clancy: Support and Defend by Mark Greaney
The Book of Life by Deborah Harkness
Fast Track by Julie Garwood
The Perfect Life by Danielle Steel
Lucky Us by Amy Bloom
A Spy Among Friends by Ben Macintyre
The Mockingbird Next Door by Marja Mills
Clinton, INC. by Daniel Halper
Fast Track by Julie Garwood
The Magician's Land by Lev Grossman
Severed Souls by Terry Goodkind

Meet Bestselling Author, Tim Dorsey!
Tim Dorsey was a police and courts reporter for The Alabama Journal, the now-defunct evening newspaper in Montgomery. He joined The Tampa Tribune in 1987 as a general assignment reporter. He also worked as a political reporter in the Tribune's Tallahassee bureau and a copy desk editor. From 1994 to 1999, he was the Tribune's night metro editor. He left the paper in August 1999 to write full time. Tim has since published seventeen novels in several languages: *Florida Roadkill, Hammerhead Ranch Motel, Orange Crush, Triggerfish Twist, The Stingray Shuffle, Cadillac Beach, Torpedo Juice, The Big Bamboo, Hurricane Punch, Atomic Lobster, Nuclear Jellyfish, Gator A-Go-Go, Electric Barracuda, When Elves Attack, Pineapple Grenade, The Riptide Ultra-Glide* and *Tiger Shrimp Tango* (Jan '14). He lives in Tampa with his family.

Saturday, September 27 @ 5pm in the Niceville Council Chambers located at 208 Partin Drive N. Free program and the public are invited to attend. A book signing will follow program. Books and other Serge Storms items will also be available for purchase. For more information call Niceville Library at 279-4863 x 1504 or email us at ncvlibrary@okaloosa.lib.fl.us.

Friends of the Niceville Library Annual Book Sale
The Friends of the Niceville Library would like to invite you to their annual book sale.

They will have a wide selection of gently used books and most items are $1 or less.
The sale will be held in the Niceville Community Center @ 204 Partin Drive N. adjacent to the Library.
Friday September 19
Presale for Friends of the Library Members is from 4pm - 6pm
Non-members may join at the door to take advantage of the presale.
Saturday September 20
The Public Sale is from 8:30am - 2pm
Saturday will include an amazing bake sale
All proceeds benefit the Niceville Public Library.

Southeastern Hummingbirds: A Lot More Than You Might Think
with Guest Speaker, Fred Bassett, Certified Master Bird Bander & President of Hummingbird Research, Inc.
Niceville Community Center
Tuesday, September 23 @ 6:00 pm
Program is free and public invited to attend
Presented by the Niceville Garden Club in partnership with Friends of the Niceville Library.

Scrabble Anyone? @ Niceville Library Do you enjoy playing Scrabble? If so, here's a great opportunity to have fun, meet new people and play some Scrabble, as the small conference room at the Niceville Public Library will be set up with Scrabble boards for the adult community to play and enjoy on Wednesday, September 3 and 17 beginning at 9:30 a.m. Please keep in mind that you don't have to be an expert to participate and all skill levels are welcome. So bring your friends or come on your own and join in the fun! For further information please phone 279-4863 x 1504.

Art Display @ Niceville Library Featured artist is Pia Elsesser who will be displaying her oil paintings on canvas. Her work will be on exhibit during the month of September.

Computer tutoring & eBook help sessions are offered by appointment

One-to-One Computer Basics Tutoring (1 hour)
One-to-One Internet Basics Tutoring (1 hour)
One-to-One E-mail Basics Tutoring (1 hour)
One-to-One eBook Basics Tutoring (1/2 hour)

Tutoring sessions are by appointment only. Please call the library reference desk at 279-4863 x 1507 for an appointment. **(Note:** *Computer tutoring sessions are conducted on library PCs. As Macs are not available at our library, we are unable to offer Mac tutoring).*

YOUTH SERVICES CALENDAR

September is National Literacy Month

Book Bingo for Bikes Kickoff begins on September 2 @ 6:00 pm. Visit the Youth Services area for information.

Reading Education Assistance Dogs
Reading is a wonderful opportunity for a child to build his or her imagination and begin to build skills for his or her future. Libraries are a wonderful resource, and Therapy Dogs can be a great way to help children discover how much fun their local library can be. This program encourages children to read by providing a non-judgmental listener and a furry friend to read to that will lie

next to them and enjoy the story being read to them. This is a great way to promote reading in a positive way. Over time your child's reading ability and confidence can improve, which will make them enjoy reading even more. Registration is required. Please sign up in YS program room. Reading will be on Tuesday, September 16 @ 4 – 6 pm.

Sing Along Stories Family Movie

Come join us on Saturday, September 15 in the YS program room at 10:30 am.

Read to Baci

Baci, a Bichon Frise therapy dog, loves a good book! If you are age 7 or older and would like to read a story to Baci, join him Friday, September 5 @ 3:30pm. Baci also is willing to sit with you while his owner, Ms. Cahill, reads a special book. This is a first come, first served program. You may bring a book or choose from the library collection.

Baby Bookworms

This lapsit program consists of music, stories and rhymes especially chosen to build the bond between you and your child. The program is suited for children from birth to age 3. Please meet in YS program room 9:30 for Prewalkers, and 10:30 for Walkers on Thursday, September 11 and 25.

Catch the Magic School Bus After School Program

"Catch the Magic School Bus" for children ages 6-12 will be held the 2nd Tuesday of each month in the YS program room from 4:15-5:30 p.m. Every month the program will focus on a different MSB book and include fun facts, hands-on activities, cool science and of course a Ms. Frizzle mystery or two. Join us September 9 as Ms. Frizzle and the class go "MSB on the Science Fair." Space is limited so registration is required. Please register each month in YS or call 279-4863 x1514.

Children's Storytime

Storytime for children ages 3 - 5 years will be held on Wednesdays and Fridays @ 10:30 am.

Sept. 3 & 5 "Happy Hounds"
Sept. 10 & 12 "Down on the Farm"
Sept. 17 & 19 "Good Morning, Good Night"
Sept. 24 & 26 "Fall into Autumn"

America History Book Club

This club is for girls ages 9+ and held the 3rd Saturday of every month from 11:30a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in the YS program room. Register in YS or call to reserve your seat 279-4863 x1514.

American Girl Book Club

This club is for girls ages 7& up and meets the 4rd Saturday of every month from 9:30 - 11:00 am in the YS program room. The program will include book discussion, activities, and refreshments. To insure we have ample supplies for everyone, please register in YS or call to reserve your seat 279-4863 x1514

Group Story Times & Tours

For groups of 10+, schools, clubs, daycares, etc. please call to make arrangements. Reservations can be made by calling 279-4863 x1514.

We're looking for collections

Rocks, dolls, coins, marbles, cars or toys of all kinds—children love to collect many things. We have the perfect spot to display most collections. If you would like to show your kid- friendly collection for all to enjoy, please contact Ms. Martha in YS to schedule a time to display. Stop by YS or call 279-4863 x1514.

Teen Space

Make your voice heard! The library Teen Advisory Council is looking for new members to help plan programs for the Teen Space! Here's your chance to share your ideas, plan teen programs and meet new friends. Plus, you can earn community service hours for Bright Futures Scholarships. Remember every Tuesday is Quiet/Study day In the Teen Space.

September 4 @ 2:30 pm - Teen Advisory Council Meeting
September 5 @ 2:30 pm - Wii Gaming
September 10 @ 2:30 pm - Ice Cream Social for those who turned in their Emergency Contact Forms.
September 12 @ 2:30 pm - Wii Gaming
September 24 @ 2:30 pm - Popcorn and Movie
September 26 @ 2:30 pm - Wii Gaming

**Return your emergency contact information form to Ms. Karen by September 5 so you can attend the Ice Cream Social! Call YS @ 279-4863 x1514 for more information or email Ms. Karen khouston@okaloosa.lib.fl.us