



WESTERN ALLEGHENY
COMMUNITY LIBRARY

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Fall 2024

Fall Book Sale

Pumpkin spice is in the air, and that means it's time for our semi-annual Used Book Sale!

Oct. 31 - Nov. 2, 2024

October 31: 9am-10am EARLY BIRD HOURS (\$10 fee)

October 31: 10am - 8pm

November 1: 9am - 4pm

November 2: 9am - 2pm

Calling all School Personnel

School Personnel Preview night will be held Wednesday October 30th from 3-6 pm. Bring your school ID and shop our teacher preview hours.

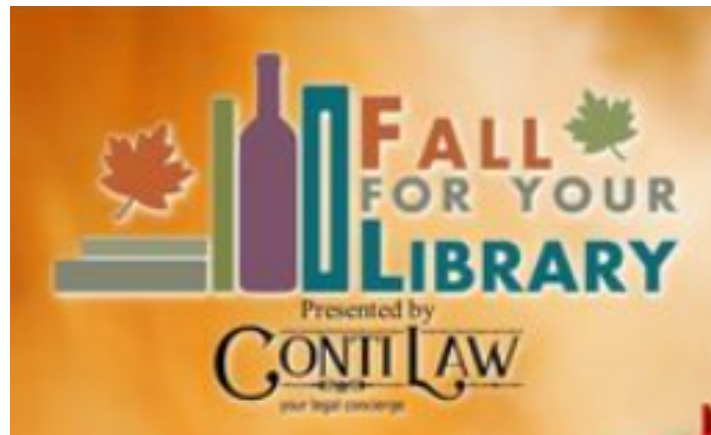
In-House Book Sale

Cozy up this fall with a good book or a fun puzzle! Each month new selections are available in all genres and reading levels. The Fall monthly focus and highlights are:

- October - Mystery Month & Halloween
- November - Let's Get Cooking!, Food Related Topics & Thanksgiving
- December - Welcome Winter & Holiday Themed Selections



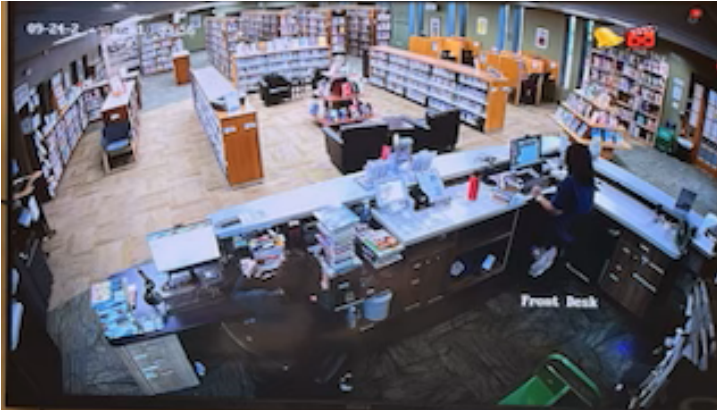
Fall For Your Library Update



Fall for Your Library 2024 was an incredible success, selling out with 350 attendees and raising nearly \$73,000! This achievement wouldn't have been possible without the dedicated volunteers who helped with setup, teardown, serving food, and running game stations. The Friends group continued their annual tradition of donating an item for the ⁸³Special Auction⁸⁶. This year, we donated a fully stocked Yeti Cooler (valued at \$500), which brought in \$1,680! Thanks to everyone who helped make the event a success!

Q: What Do We Do With the Money We Raise?

A: We work with the Library to make an impact on the community.



Thanks to the Friends' support, the library was able to install 26 (internal and external) cameras as well as 3 panic buttons, ensuring the highest level of safety for our community. Additionally, we funded the work done by a volunteer to build and paint a new Little Free Library to replace the one lost in Oakdale's recent flood. These efforts strengthen our community and enhance the library's services!

Save the Date



The 2025 Spring Sale has been scheduled

- Thursday, May 1st
Early Bird 9-10am (\$10 Entry Fee)
Book Sale 10am -8pm
- Friday, May 2nd: 9am-4pm
- Saturday, May 3rd: 9am-2pm

Make a Difference, Become a Member Today!

Not a member yet? We'd love for you to join us! Friends of the Library help support the Western Allegheny Community Library and promote literacy in our community. Members of all ages are welcome, whether you'd like to be active or simply show your support. Already a member? Spread the word and encourage others to join! For more information, visit: westernalleghenylibrary.org/get-involved/friend.html.

		
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Friends of the Library Annual Membership Form		
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City _____	State _____	Postal Code _____
Phone _____	Email _____	
Membership Level		
<input type="checkbox"/> \$5 - Seniors 65+ and Veterans (Includes early access to book sales)		
<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 - Individual (Includes early access to book sales and 10% discount on FFYL ticket)		
<input type="checkbox"/> \$15 - Family (Includes early access to book sales and ½ price on first bag of books)		
<input type="checkbox"/> \$_____ Additional Donation Amount		

Please complete the application form and return it to Western Allegheny Community Library, 181 Bateman Rd, Oakdale, PA 15071 or email it to wacflfriends@gmail.com