

International Games Week

From November 7 to 13, 2021, help us celebrate International Games Week, an annual celebration of games, play, libraries and learning.

We're promoting games and play by giving away a game at each Riverside Branch. Enter the drawing each time you visit your local branch during November.

International Games Week is an initiative of the American Library Association and is run by volunteers from around the world. The purpose is to reconnect communities through their libraries around the educational, recreational, and social value of all types of games.



All Riverside Regional Library Branches will be closed:

Thursday, November 11 for Veteran's Day
Thank you, Veterans, for your service!



Thursday, November 25 for Thanksgiving
Have a great Thanksgiving!



Missouri Building Block Book Voting Continues

Have you been reading the awesome new picture books that have been nominated for the Missouri Building Block Awards? Have you voted for your favorite?

If not, here's how it works. Read at least five books. Or challenge yourself and read all ten!! Pick up a paper ballot at your library branch. A link to the voting form is also available on the library's website.

www.riversideregionallibrary.org Voting for your favorite by December 31.

The Missouri Building Block Picture Book Award, sponsored and selected by the Missouri Library Association Youth Services Community of Interest (YSCI), is presented annually to the author and illustrator of the picture book voted most popular by preschool children in Missouri's public libraries and is designed to encourage reading aloud to children from birth through kindergarten age.

MISSOURI BUILDING BLOCK PICTURE BOOK AWARD

September 1st-December 31st

Read Repeat Vote

Get ready for Christmas with Movies and Food!

Christmas is coming! Get in the mood by checking out our new Christmas DVDs. What better way to enjoy a cozy Christmas movie night than with great food and drinks from our new "Cozy Christmas Movie Cookbook!"



THE COZY CHRISTMAS MOVIE COOKBOOK

Mouthwatering Food to Enjoy During Your Favorite Holiday Films

50 RECIPES TO CELEBRATE THE SEASON

Holly Carpenter


November Crafts



Adult Crafting 101
D.I.Y. Little Red Wagon

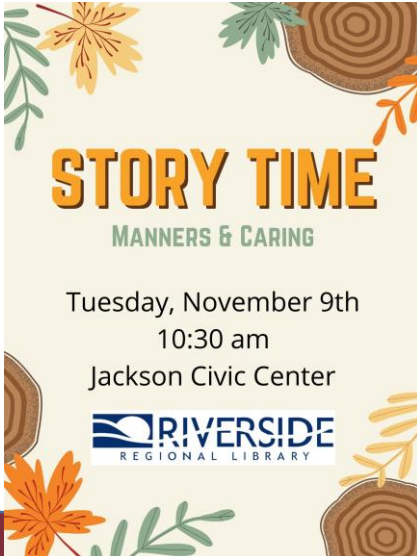


Tutorial with Sandy
Thursday, November 18th
12:00pm


Story times

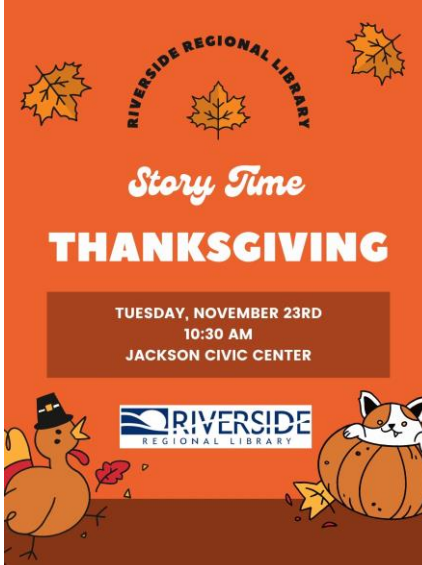
Mrs. A will also have virtual story times on November 2 and 16 available on our Facebook page and YouTube channel.




STORY TIME
MANNERS & CARING


Tuesday, November 9th
10:30 am
Jackson Civic Center



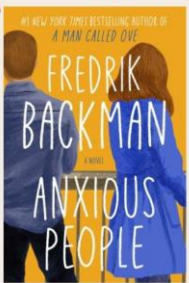



Story Time
THANKSGIVING

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD
10:30 AM
JACKSON CIVIC CENTER



Riverside Virtual Book Club



RIVERSIDE VIRTUAL BOOK CLUB

Anxious People
by Fredrik Backman

Monday, November 15, 2021 at 7 pm via Zoom.
Contact Eunice at eschlichting@rrlmo.org to join.

Little Visitors



Rowan Smithey just got her very own library card!! She was thrilled to use it to checked out books. She was helped by her mom, Alynda Smithey, Riverside's Children/Teen Librarian. Happy reading, Rowan!!

This young man loved the History Center's display so much that he had to have his picture taken with it. Thanks to his mom for sharing. Also thanks to the Cape Girardeau County History Center for filling our case with these awesome displays.



Out in the Community



Riverside Regional Library participated in the trunk or treat event at Connection Point Church in Jackson. The event was held on Saturday, October 30 and was attended by 5,000 people.

Thanks to Connection Point Church for inviting the Library to be part of this great event. Our staff had a fabulous time!

Each Riverside branch has its own displays, contests and activities. Be sure to stop by and see what's happening at your local library.

- Scott City - Thanksgiving coloring contest (all ages)
- Perryville - broccoli tree painting craft and fall scavenger hunt
- Oran - disguise a turkey contest (children & teens)