



GRAND OPENING AND PREVIEW PARTY

The Lake Whitney Public Library is proud to announce that special guest author Lisa Wingate will be accompanying local authors Russell Conner, Brian Moreland, and Rosemary Janney during their Grand Opening Ceremony being held October 4th at 10:00 AM. After the ceremony, guests will be invited on a tour of the new facility.

The new facility was built without using a single tax dollar. The land was gifted by founding Whitney family, Frances and Weldon Triplett, and the building was funded through grants and donations made by philanthropic individuals and foundations. Because of their generosity, the Lake Whitney Public Library Foundation was able to provide the residents surrounding the Lake Whitney area with a place that provides free materials, internet access, programming, and educational events.

The new building is 6300 square feet and contains space for more circulation items and a larger network for computer expansion. The library system holds over 28,500 materials including books, CDs, DVDs, and graphic novels available for check-out. In addition to these items, thousands of people entered the library to utilize print and electronic reference resources, access the Internet through the Library's 15 patron access computers, enjoy state-of-the-art Wi-fi service, participate in computer and Internet training, or attend one of the Library's many events.

On October 3rd from 3:00-5:00 PM, LWPL will be hosting a special preview for the public who are unable to attend the Grand Opening Ceremony on October 4th at 10:00 AM. During this time, the public is invited to a book discussion and signing by local authors Murray Richter and M.M. Frische. Guests will be given a private tour of the library during this time.

Richter's debut middle grade novel tells the story of three children during a long Texas summer. Led by a one-legged World War II vet, Kevin, Preech and Rudy face a summer they'll never forget. From fishing to endless pranks that would make the most seasoned trickster jealous, they think they have the answer to all of life's mysteries. But as the steamy Texas days of summer roll by, Kevin and Preech discover Rudy's secret—a secret that could change their lives forever.

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- Preview Party (Oct 3rd, 3:00 PM) is open to the public.
- Grand Opening October 4th at 10:00 AM
- Tech Tuesday and Thursdays have returned!
- No check outs on October 4th for the grand opening.



TECH DAYS @ LWPL

LWPL invites members of the community to come in every Tuesday from 10:00 AM–2:00 PM and Thursday from 11:00 AM–12:00 PM for all of your technology questions.

Our two computer techs will be available to help set up email, how to use search engines, and other basic computer questions.

There is no reservation for this program. As it is first come first serve, make sure to show early!

NEW FICTION—SEPTEMBER

Title	Author
The disciple	Coonts, Stephen
Catching heaven	Hall, Sands
The rustlers of West Fork	L'Amour, Louis
Reflections & Dreams	Roberts, Nora
Secrets & sunsets	Roberts, Nora
Betrayed	Tanenbaum, Robert
Hidden order: a thriller	Thor, Brad
The summer hideaway	Wiggs, Susan
Fool's coach	Wheeler, Richard S
Two for Texas	Burke, James Lee,
The lost key	Coulter, Catherine
The beast in the red forest	Eastland, Sam.
Edge of eternity	Follett, Ken
Blue moon rising	Green, Simon R.,
The king's curse	Gregory, Philippa
The perfect witness	Johansen, Iris
The Golem of Hollywood	Kellerman, Jonathan
Burn	Patterson, James
Bones never lie: a novel	Reichs, Kathy
Festive in death	Robb, J. D.
Shadow spell	Roberts, Nora

LOTS TO DO IN OCTOBER

October promises to be our busiest month yet! Be sure to visit our website for the most up to date information.

October starts off in a big way with our Grand Opening Preview Party on October 3rd, from 3:00-5:00 PM. This is followed by our Grand Opening Ceremony on Pioneer Days, October 4th at 10:00 AM.

Our Brown Bag Series this month features a Yoga instructor who will be inviting participants to join in and learn a move or two to strength out those aches and pains. The instruction will be held on October 8th at 12:00 PM.

October 9th sees a return of the Garden Club Meetings. They will be having their lunch meeting from 11:00 AM–12:00 PM.

Crochet Club will meet on October 21st from 3:30–6:00 PM. People of all ages and skills are invited to join in the fun.

On October 28th at 1:30 PM, Book Club will be discussing the Red Tent by Anita Diamant.

Bluebonnet Club will be meeting on October 30th from 10:00–12:00 PM.

Our Children's Story Time will be held every Wednesday in October from 10:30 AM–12:00 PM.

Beginning Art Club will continue as well on Saturdays from 11:00 AM–12:45 PM.

Finally, our Tech Days have been expanded, from every Tuesday from 10:00 AM–2:00 PM and every Thursday from 11:00 AM–12:00 PM.

BOUNTIFUL BASKETS A BIG HIT!

LWPL has become the pick up point for Bountiful Baskets in the Whitney, TX area and Friday, September 19th was our first run of the program here. The program is a Co-op that pools together local contributions to give participants fresh fruits and veggies at a low cost. Some of the staff even participated in the event as contributors and they found it to be a simple and rewarding process.



Bountiful Baskets volunteers set up the baskets for contributors.

From the Bountiful Baskets website:

The Co-op offers a conventional produce basket very other week which is generally ½ fruit and ½ veggies. The monetary contribution is \$15.00 and is generally worth \$50.00 retail. Organic baskets require a contribution of \$25.

For more information on Bountiful Baskets and how you can participate, visit their website at www.bountifulbaskets.org.



A CTLS volunteer stopped by with our Large Print Circuit books.

LARGE PRINT CIRCUIT BOOKS RETURN

After a year of going without, LWPL is happy to be back in the Large Print Circuit game!

This great program is hosted through CTLS, this gives LWPL a rotating circuit of 50 recent Large Print titles every 4 months—that's a total of 150 books! These books are available for checkout with under the same rules as our regular collection. No doubt many of our patrons are going to be thrilled with this development.

This is also a special occasion for another reason. As our Grand Opening ceremony gets closer we at LWPL are getting the library in

shape to return to the crazy normalcy of daily function. We'd like to thank our extremely patient patrons who have run the gauntlet alongside us as strange and unexpected issues—from lack of internet to limited donations— that have popped up during our move process. Without your support none of this would be possible!

NEW CLUBS AND PROGRAMS AVAILABLE

LWPL is now the home to so many groups, you'll have to keep a calendar to keep all of the days straight! Our newest members include Crochet Club, Blue-bonnet Club, and Bountiful Baskets. These groups are a pleasant addition to our already fantastic programs, such as our Brown Bag Series and Book Club.

Stay on the lookout for everything going on @ your library on our Facebook Calendar or on our website: www.whitneylibrary.org

DID YOU KNOW...?

While the newsletter is a great way to get a snapshot of the library's upcoming events, the information on them can quickly become outdated as the month progresses.

For a full view of what's happening at your library now, you can always visit our website at www.whitneylibrary.org for a current view of what's going on at your library.

Our webpage also has links to our social media pages. Keep up with the latest info from our Facebook, Twitter, and Google+ feeds. Our Flickr page is a great place to see photos from our programs and events, as well as during our build process. Our WordPress blog also contains a more personal and in depth look at our programs and events. For a more random assortment of library fun, be sure to check out our library's Tumblr for gifs galore!

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Frische's debut novel begins in 1941. When fog requires Japanese dignitaries to reroute their flight from San Francisco to Claret Lake, fourteen-year-old Lou becomes suspicious about the direction of the war. Two weeks later her dreams of becoming a pilot are ripped away when Pearl Harbor is attacked and an error in the 1940 census results in every male over eighteen being drafted and all the women being forced to work in factories on the coast. Lou and her asthma are left behind—and in charge. Inspired by true events, *Moon Tears* is a coming-of-age tale—a tale of war, a tale of loss, a tale of survival.

Murray Richter graduated from Whitney High School in 1988 and is the grandson of Charlie Murray. He graduated from the University of Texas with a degree in Journalism.

M.M. Frische is a writer, photographer, and travel buff. She enjoys creating light-hearted children, fun picture books (under the name Muffet Frische) as well as Middle Grade/Young Adult novels with strong, self-confident main characters.

Russell Connor's short work has appeared in "Black Petals Magazine," "Alien Skin," and "Sanitarium," among others. He currently has eight novels available, including the supernatural crime-noir "Finding Misery," and "Whitney," about hurricane survivors facing a deadly plague and a ravenous beast. His newest, the second book of *The Box Office of Terror Trilogy*, was released in March of 2014.

In Moreland's book *Dead of Winter*, at a fort deep in the Ontario wilderness in 1878, a ghastly predator is attacking colonists and spreading a gruesome plague—his victims turn into ravenous cannibals with an unending hunger for human flesh. Inspector Tom Hatcher has faced a madman before, when he tracked down Montreal's infamous *Cannery Cannibal*. But can even he stop the slaughter this time?

Connor has been writing about demons, serial killers, and the end of the world since he was five years old. He lives in Grand Prairie, TX with his mistress of the dark, demonspawn daughter, rabid dogs, and extensive movie collection, and has been a member of the DFW Writers' Workshop for 7 years.

Dallas based author Brian Moreland is the author of the supernatural horror novels *Dead of Winter*, *Shadows in the Mist* and *The Devil's Woods*.

Selected among *BOOKLIST'S* Top 10 of 2012 and Top 10 of 2013, Lisa Wingate skillfully weaves lyrical writing and unforgettable Southern settings with elements of women's fiction, history, and mystery to create stories that *Publisher's Weekly* calls "Masterful" and *ForeWord Magazine* refers to as "Filled with lyrical prose, hope, and healing." Lisa is a journalist, an inspirational speaker, a reviewer for the *New York Journal of Books*, and the author of over twenty novels and countless magazine pieces.

YOGA @ THE LIBRARY

Get healthy and help stretch out those limbs! Join us for our special Brown Bag Series with optional class participation. Even goers are welcome to join in the instruction and learn some yoga poses. Those who want to join in are welcome to bring a towel or their own yoga mat to use or even use our chairs for some of the poses.

The event is free and event goers who do not wish to participate are encourage to bring their own lunch during the demonstration. Water will be furnished by the library but guests are invited to bring their own sodas as well.

The demonstration will be held in LWPL's meeting room at 12:00 PM. Tables will be set up for guests to use.

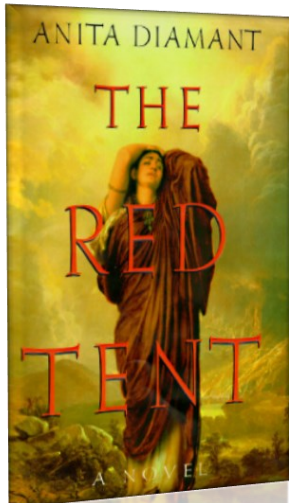


“The story it told was unremarkable: a tale of love found and lost- the oldest story in the world. The only story.”
– Anita Diamant, *The Red Tent*

BOOK CLUB — OCTOBER 28 @ 1:30 PM

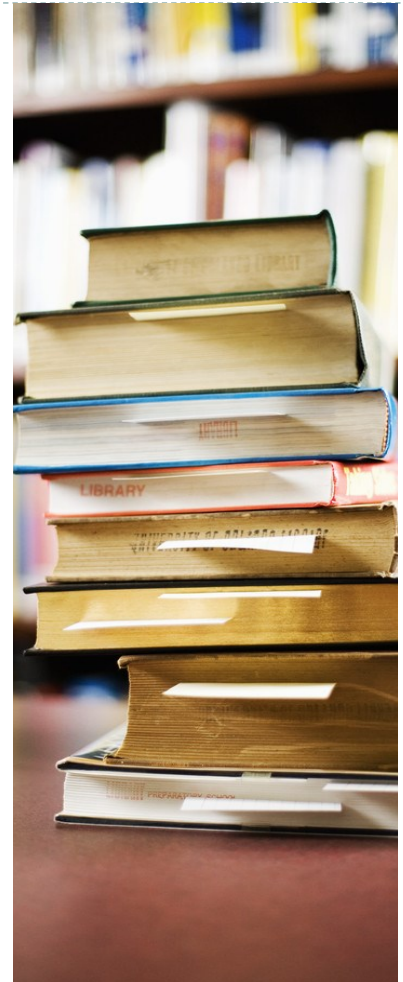
Join the LWPL Book Club on October 28th at 1:30 PM for their discussion of *The Red Tent* by Anita Diamant.

Diamant’s first-person narrative tellst he story of Dinah, daughter of Jacob and sister of Joseph. In



the Bible, her life is only hinted at in a brief and violent detour within the more familiar chapters of the Book of Genesis that tell of her father, Jacob, and his twelve sons.

Told in Dinah's voice, Anita Diamant imagines the traditions and turmoils of ancient womanhood--the world of the red tent. It begins with the story of the mothers-- Leah, Rachel, Zilpah, and Bilhah--the four wives of Jacob. They love Dinah and give her gifts that sustain her through childhood, a calling to midwifery, and a new home in a foreign land. Dinah's story reaches out from a remarkable period of early history and creates an intimate connection with the past.



HELPING YOUR COMMUNITY

Friends of the Lake Whitney Public Library are active members in the community. There are many events in which you can help, from the Friends Book Sale, the Brown Bag Lunch Series, to Story Time. The library would like to encourage you to show off your talents and pass your skills on to the next generation.

Friends Funds are used in a variety of ways:, from purchasing specialty items to funding our Summer Reading program and more!

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Lake Whitney Public Library invite book lovers, library fanatics, and those with good community spirit to join in supporting the Lake Whitney Public Library. Friends of the Library show their support in many ways, through monetary support to volunteer opportunities. As a friend you receive recognition for your support and contributions, permission to check out 10 books at a time, no late fees, and the personal satisfaction of helping support your local community through your library.

There are many levels of support and we encourage you to make whatever donation you are able to help the library to continue to flourish in this growing community.

Membership Level	Cost	Frequency of Payment
Individual	\$10.00	Annually
Couple	\$15.00	Annually
Family	\$25.00	Annually
Supporter	\$50.00-100.00	Annually
Patron	\$125.00- \$200.00	One Time
Benefactor	\$250.00-\$400.00	One Time
Life Time Member	\$500.00	One Time
Business Benefactor	\$150.00	Annually

Friends of the Lake Whitney Public Library is a vital asset that should not be overlooked.

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <i>Story Time</i> 10:30-12	2	3 <i>Grand Opening Preview Party</i> 3:00-5:00	4 <i>Grand Opening</i> 10:00 AM
5	6	7	8 <i>BBS-Yoga</i> 12-1	9 <i>Garden Club</i> 11-1	10	11 <i>Beginner Art Club</i> 11-12:45
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 <i>Crochet Club</i> 3:30-6	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 <i>Book Club</i> 1:30	29	30 <i>Bluebonnet Club</i> 10-12	31	