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What's Happening at the Library?

The library is back in full swing with a lot of our big annual events happening in October!

Celebrate Indigenous Peoples' Day with us on Monday October 14 at the Cultural Center. For more information, see page 3.

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OCTOBER CALENDAR

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RESOURCES TO REMEMBER

Toddler Time is on Monday October 21 at 11 a.m. in the Cultural Center and Monday October 28 at 11 a.m. in the YK Fitness Center. We will be swimming so be sure to wear a swimsuit!

Are you new to Bethel or looking for some information about the community, resources, and ways to get involved? Stop by Saturday Market on October 19 starting at 12 p.m. for some assistance!

On October 26, the library, Southwest Alaska Arts Group and Bethel Actors Guild are showing cult classic "Rocky Horror Picture Show" on Saturday October 26th. Doors will open at 9 p.m., and the film will start at 10 p.m. The entrance fee is \$10 per person and this event is for adults age 21 and up only. Beer and wine will be for sale from the Southwest Alaska Arts Group.

Celebrate Halloween at the Cultural Center on Thursday October 31st! The library is hosting Trunk or Treat in the parking lot for the seventh year in a row starting at 5:30 p.m. If you would like to sign up to pass out treats, scan the QR code or call the library at 907-543-4516. GCI is holding a Halloween Carnival in the Cultural Center at the same time. KYUK is hosting a Haunted House at the radio station starting at 6:30 p.m. So many spooktacular activities! We hope to see you there.



Sign up to pass out treats at Trunk or Treat



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27 Library Closed	20 Library Closed	13 Library Closed	6 Library Closed	Sunday 29 Library Closed
28 Toddler Time in the YK Fitness Center at 11 a.m.	21 Toddler Time in the Cultural Center at 11 a.m.	14 Library Closed Indigenous Peoples' Day Community Celebration 12-8	7	Monday 30
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Third Annual Indigenous People's Day Community Celebration

The library is honored to be spearheading the KuC campus's Indigneous Peoples' Day Community Celebration on October 14. For the third year in a row, we will celebrate with eight hours of cultural activities. We will start the day off at noon with a benediction from the ONC Traditional Chief Ignatius "Louie" Andrew and a Yuraq performance by the Ayaprun Elitnaurvik dance group. Immediately following we will break bread as a community with a Native Foods Potluck. All are invited to bring a dish to share and to join in the meal. Throughout the afternoon we will have a variety of cultural activities, including elders sharing stories and traditional wisdom. KYUK will show footage from the archives, and AVCP will host hands on activities for kids. At 5 p.m., the TWC Teens Acting Against Violence Group will lead an Indigenous Peoples' Day March. At 6 p.m. there will be Yuraq performances and a fur fashion show. We would like to thank the many organizations and tribal entities that make this event possible every year, and the KuC Native Arts Coordinator Golga Oscar for co-planning this year's events alongside the library.



Mikayla's Romance Recommendation

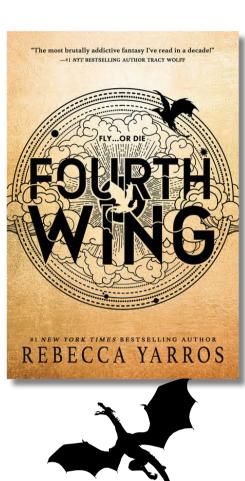
Are you a fan of *Hunger Games*, dragons, and the romance genre? If so the *Fourth Wing* by Rebecca Yarros should be on your reading list!

The book starts off with our protagonist, Violet Sorrengail, being forced by her mother into the Basgiath War Collegedespite everyone else's protests against this. The reason being is that this is the academy for dragon riders and the death rates for cadets are high. Violet has trained as a scribe for her 20 years of life and is also weaker than most so her chances of survival are even lower than the average. But what General Sorrengail says goes and so now Violet needs to survive the parapet, one on one battles with people who want to see her dead, and bonding with a dragon that would torch her in a heartbeat. Violet has the intelligence and the resilience of a warrior, but the son of former rebel leader and Wing Leader Xaden Riorson is proving to be a major distraction. However, there is much more to the story than dragons and romance as their country is at war and it seems their leaders aren't sharing all of their intel.

Fourth Wing is a fun and intriguing read with twists and turns and is a great book for fantasy romance readers. The stakes are high throughout and the suspense never really ends making you want to read faster to see it through. All in all a great read!

Interested? Check it out at KCL!







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MONDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M. TUESDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

THURSDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

FRIDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

SATURDAY

11 A.M. - 4 P.M.

SUNDAY

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