RIVER CITY READER

WARREN COUNTY-VICKSBURG PUBLIC LIBRARY



Christmas is Coming!



Our warm-up tree tradition has been going since 1986! Donations for this year's tree can be made thru Wednesday, December 15. Scarves, gloves, socks, hats - anything that can help keep our younger patrons in need warm this winter. Thanks to everyone that is helping us keep the tradition alive.



Follow us on Facebook this month for Christmas trivia questions every morning with the answers following the same evening as we countdown to Christmas!

Mask Requirements Will Remain in Place for December

Any patron/guest wanting to make use of the library must wear a mask that fully covers their nose and mouth. The mask must be worn by <u>all patrons age 2 and above</u> while inside the library, including the lobby area.

We request that anyone who has been recently exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 or who is running a fever (or displaying any other signs of illness regardless of the cause) please refrain from using the public areas of the library until they are past their quarantine period or feeling well again to protect their fellow patrons and the children who make use of our facilities.

We ask that patrons continue to respect their fellow patrons if they prefer to continue to social distance from others. Please keep in mind that vaccinations are still not an option for our youngest patrons.

As a reminder:

Seating/study areas inside the library are NOT currently available this includes sitting on the stools or on the floor. Our Meeting Room is currently unavailable for any public functions.

For patrons who have mobility issues or that currently wish to continue to avoid excessive public contact, we are continuing to provide curbside service. Patrons requiring curbside assistance might experience some wait times depending on current traffic inside the library and the availability of staff members.

Give a Welcome to Our New Event Coordinator



Hi, my name is Myra Harris, I am the Event Coordinator Librarian for Warren County Vicksburg Public Library here in Vicksburg, MS. I have lived in Vicksburg MS most of my life. I am married to a wonderful man of 38 years. I have 3 grown children and 14 grandchildren.

My interests are reading and making others happy by looking for an opportunity daily. I love planning to make someone's day better. However, I sometimes place myself last. (don't we all.) A few of my hobbies include crafting, sewing, cooking, and of course reading. I prefer reading nonfiction, informative, educational, inspiration, devotion, motivational, crafting, and cookbooks. My husband always asks me if I going to bring more books and magazines home. I replied (maybe) with a smile. It doesn't help that I work at the library.

When I was a child, I would spend an entire day in the library all by myself. It was my sanctuary where I could get away by reading. I would feel sad that I would have to come back to reality when the library starts to close for the night. Walking alone was the norm for me. Back then, (I dare to say how long ago), it was safe to walk home by myself. My mom would not believe that I was in the library of all places all day on Saturday.

Most of my career has included Event Planning, Organizing, Human Resources, Office Manager, Safety and Training, etc. I look forward to the future with the library.

Have a wonderful Holiday Season of love, laughter, fun, and family.

Myra Harris WCVPL Event Coordinator



Warren County-Vicksburg Public Library 2021/2022 Holiday Schedule

Monday, Dec 20 - Wednesday, Dec 22 : 9AM - 5PM Thursday, Dec 23 - Saturday, Dec 25 : Closed for Christmas

Monday, Dec 27 - Thursday, Dec 30 : 9AM - 5PM Friday, Dec 31 - Saturday, Jan I : Closed for New Years

Monday, Jan 3 : Regular Hours (9AM - 7 PM)



For ages 13-17. Parental consent form must be signed and returned prior to meeting time in order to attend the virtual meetings. See Circulation Desk for the form.



Hours of Operation

Monday : 9 am - 7 pm Tuesday : 9 am - 7 pm Wednesday : 9 am - 7 pm Thursday : 9 am - 7 pm Friday : 9 am - 5 pm Saturday : 9 am - 5 pm Sunday : CLOSED



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