



## WEBER READS 2021

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## PROGRAM GUIDE

SEPTEMBER - NOVEMBER • ALL PROGRAMS ARE FREE

### **WEBER READS: CELEBRATING 15 YEARS**

Join the **WEBER COUNTY COMMISSION** and the **WEBER COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM** to celebrate **WEBER READS**, the community reading program that encourages participants to join in **THOUGHT, REFLECTION, and DISCUSSION** around a yearly topic.

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#### **WEBER COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM**

**weberpl.org**

<b>Main Library</b> 2464 Jefferson Ave Ogden, UT 84401.....	801-337-2636
<b>North Branch</b> 475 E 2600 N Ogden, UT 84414 .....	801-337-2650
<b>Ogden Valley Branch</b> 131 S 7400 E Huntsville, UT 84317.....	801-337-2660
<b>Pleasant Valley Branch</b> 5568 Adams Ave Ogden, UT 84405.....	801-337-2690
<b>Southwest Branch</b> 2039 W 4000 S Roy, UT 84067 .....	801-337-2670



# Weber Reads Kick-off

September 1-30

Pick up your free pinwheel, wind chime, or kite!

AVAILABLE AT ALL LIBRARY LOCATIONS

## Music & Concerts

### MOUNT OGDEN BRASS

Thu, Sep 2, 6:30 p.m. .... SOUTHWEST BRANCH  
Tue, Oct 19, 6:30 p.m. .... NORTH BRANCH  
Thu, Nov 4, 6:30 p.m. .... OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

All ages. Founded in 2000, Mount Ogden Brass is one of the longest performing brass quintets in Utah. A robust musical resume paired with a deep interest in brass music makes for delightful performances that resonate with young and old.

### A PERSONAL HISTORY OF THE DIDGERIDOO WITH RANDIN GRAVES

Mon, Sep 13, 6:30 p.m. .... SOUTHWEST BRANCH  
Thu, Oct 7, 6:30 p.m. .... PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH  
Thu, Oct 14, 6:30 p.m. .... MAIN LIBRARY

All ages. Randin Graves' fascination with the didgeridoo led him around the world and across twenty years to become one of the world's leading non-Aboriginal exponents of this unique instrument. In a fun and inspiring multimedia presentation he enlightens audiences about this sacred instrument and the culture that produced it, while also detailing his personal journey to the farthest reaches of Australia.

### BEN LOMOND BAGPIPE CORPS

Tue, Nov 30, 6:30 p.m. .... NORTH BRANCH

All ages. An ancient instrument steeped in lore, bagpipes have been used to rally troops into battle, commemorate funerals and weddings, and as a symbol of school spirit at Ben Lomond High School. Enjoy the rich and complex sounds of this unique instrument played with pride by the next generation of pipers.

## Birds

### TRACY AVIARY PRESENTS SEASONAL SURVIVAL

Thu, Sep 9, 5:30 p.m.  
MAIN LIBRARY  
Thu, Sep 23, 5:30 p.m.  
PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH  
Thu, Oct 7, 5:30 p.m.  
OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH  
Thu, Nov 4, 5:30 p.m.  
SOUTHWEST BRANCH  
Thu, Nov 18, 5:30 p.m.  
NORTH BRANCH

All ages. Migration can be tough, but some native birds do it every year. Get a taste of what birds experience and discover first-hand the risks and payoffs of going on mind-boggling bird journeys.

### BACKYARD BIRDS

Thu, Sep 9, 6:30 p.m. .... PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH

All ages. Learn how to get started in birdwatching. Many of our Utah species can be spotted right through your window, and others are a quick drive or hike away. Free Northern Utah bird identification pamphlets will be available at the program.

### THE EAGLE, OUR NATIONAL SYMBOL

Sat, Nov 6, 11:00 a.m. .... MAIN LIBRARY

All ages. From money to uniforms, the symbol of the bald eagle is seen on a daily basis in the United States. Learn how this bird became our national symbol, hear the story of how the bald eagle has recovered from being an endangered species, and discover its magnificent characteristics as you meet the Ogden Nature Center's resident bald eagle, Des ta Te.



# STEM & Technology

## THE FORCES OF FLIGHT WITH HILL AEROSPACE MUSEUM

Thu, Sep 2, 6:00 p.m. .... OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH  
Wed, Sep 22, 6:00 p.m. .... NORTH BRANCH  
Sat, Oct 2, 1:30 p.m. .... MAIN LIBRARY  
Wed, Oct 27, 6:00 p.m. .... SOUTHWEST BRANCH  
Tue, Nov 16, 6:00 p.m. PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH

Ages 6-12. Explore the forces of flight, including thrust, drag, lift, and weight and how they work together in flight! Then create an experiment using the magnus effect.

## ALL ABOUT AIR

Mon, Sep 13, 4:00 p.m. .... OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

Grades 3-6. Explore the scientific principles of air with experiments and games.

## CRUISING THE SKIES, AVOIDING TURBULENCE

Tue, Sep 21, 6:30 p.m. .... NORTH BRANCH

All ages. Airline meteorologists plot safe courses for thousands of flights across the world. Learn more about this fascinating profession that helps us fly with confidence.

## ROCKET LAUNCHERS

October 1-31 ..... ALL LOCATIONS

Ages 12 and under. Blast off! Visit the Library to pick up the supplies you need to build your own rocket launcher.

## FLIGHT SCHOOL

Wed, Oct 6, 2:30 p.m. .... OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

All ages. Learn the science of flight and meet a local pilot.

## AERONAUTICS

Wed, Oct 6, 6:30 p.m. PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH

All ages. Guest speakers from Northrup Grumman will present on aeronautics: the science, design, and manufacture of flying vehicles. Put your ingenuity to the test designing your own aircraft.

## LEGO AIR ROBOTICS

Mon, Nov 8, 4:00 p.m. .... OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH  
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 801-337-3660

Grades 1-6. Use LEGO WeDo to create a cooling fan or a helicopter.

# Pop Culture

## AIRBENDING CHALLENGE: ESCAPE ROOM

Tue, Sep 21, 7:00 p.m. .... MAIN LIBRARY

All ages. Conquer this Western Air Temple escape room by solving air-based puzzles and putting your *Avatar: The Last Airbender* trivia knowledge to the test. Costumes are welcome.

## FANTASTIC WINGED CREATURES

Mon, Nov 15, 6:30 p.m. .... PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH

All ages. Fantasy fiction is filled with winged creatures from dragons to pixies. Learn about some common creatures found in your favorite stories, and then design your own fantastic creature.



## MEET BATMAN Mon, Oct 25, 6:00 p.m.

All ages. Bat Week begins with a special appearance by Batman of Ogden. Meet Ogden's favorite Caped Crusader and make bat-themed crafts.

## BAT HUNT October 25-31

All ages. Find all the bats that are hiding in the Library!

## BAT WEEK WITH ADAM BREWERTON

Tue, Oct 26, 7:00 p.m.

All ages. Explore the role of bats in nature with Adam Brewerton, a Wildlife Conservation Biologist for the Northern Region of the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources. Play echolocation games, make bat finger puppets, and find out how bats benefit the ecosystem.

# Crafts

## ORIGAMI BOOMERANG

September 1-30

OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

Ages 12-18. Create a boomerang that comes right back.

## PAPER HOT AIR BALLOON

September 1-30

OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

Ages 6-12. Take home a kit to create your own interactive paper hot air balloon.

## DIY WIND CHIMES

Tue, Sep 14, 7:00 p.m.

OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

Ages 18 and older. Create your own decorative wind chime with recycled materials for a colorful, musical craft. To register, call 801-337-2660.

## PAPER CRANES FOR PEACE

November 1-30

OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

All ages. Participants will create paper cranes to be sent to the Children's Peace Monument in Hiroshima, Japan. Those interested can have their name and message for peace submitted into the Paper Crane Database.

# Film Screenings

Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m.

SOUTHWEST BRANCH

SEPTEMBER 1

*Sully* (PG-13)

SEPTEMBER 8

*The Rocketeer* (PG)

SEPTEMBER 15

*Superman* (1978) (PG)

SEPTEMBER 22

*Planes: Fire & Rescue* (PG)

SEPTEMBER 29

*Dr. Strangelove* (PG)

# Book Discussions

Ages 18 and older. Limited free copies of the book will be available. Ask your librarian for details about discussion meetings, or call to register. You may also register online: <https://www.weberpl.lib.ut.us/discover/grown-ups-corner/>

Main Library ..... 801-337-2632

North Branch ..... 801-337-2650

Ogden Valley Branch ..... 801-337-2660

Pleasant Valley Branch ..... 801-337-2691

Southwest Branch ..... 801-337-2670

*The Island of Sea Women* by Lisa See

Wed, Sep 8, 7:00 p.m. .... SOUTHWEST BRANCH

*The Only Plane in the Sky* by Garrett M. Graff

Tue, Sep 14, 7:00 p.m. .... NORTH BRANCH

*Vesper Flights* by Helen Macdonald

Tue, Sep 21, 7:00 p.m. .... PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH

*What It Means When a Man Falls from the Sky* by Lesley Nneka Arimah

Tue, Sep 28, 7:00 p.m. .... MAIN LIBRARY

*The Women with Silver Wings* by Katherine Sharp Landdeck

Wed, Oct 6, 7:00 p.m. .... OGDEN VALLEY BRANCH

*Come Fly the World* by Julia Cooke

Tue, Oct 12, 7:00 p.m. .... NORTH BRANCH

*The Ravenmaster* by Christopher Skaife

Wed, Oct 13, 7:00 p.m. .... SOUTHWEST BRANCH

*The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd

Tue, Oct 19, 7:00 p.m. .... PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH

*Bats of the Republic* by Zachary Dodson

Thu, Oct 28, 7:00 p.m. .... MAIN LIBRARY

*Caesar's Last Breath* by Sam Kean

Wed, Nov 10, 7:00 p.m. .... SOUTHWEST BRANCH

*Leaf Storm* by Gabriel García Márquez

Tue, Nov 16, 7:00 p.m. .... PLEASANT VALLEY BRANCH

*When Breath Becomes Air* by Paul Kalanithi

Tue, Nov 23, 7:00 p.m. .... MAIN LIBRARY