

NEW BOOKS, DVDs ARRIVE IN LIBRARY

The new books from the Perspectives on Modern World History series at the Sac and Fox National Public Library highlight the highs and lows of history. The book that will hit closest to home is The Oklahoma City Bombing. In addition to covering the history of the tragedy, the book highlights the controversies surrounding the bombing: was it a conspiracy? Was anyone else involved, in addition to Timothy McVeigh and Terry Nichols? The book concludes with four essays from four people who were personally involved.

Two other book target The Columbine School Shooting and D-Day.

The books are geared toward high school students, but we believe many others will find them informative and challenging.

Another recent purchase highlights nutrition and health. The books include Genetically Modified Foods, Food Regulation and Safety, Food Allergies and Childhood Obesity.

Young Adults are the targeted audience, but adults also should enjoy this

new series.

We also have purchased two graphic novels that might make the classics more palatable to reluctant readers. They are Wuthering Heights and A Midsummer Night's Dream. But we're not sure what Emily Brontë and William Shakespeare would think of the new adaptations.

Another new series includes a book called Cyberbullying and Online Addiction. Bullying through the Internet is a new phenomenon and can be quite devastating. Online addiction is also quite scary. One report recounts how his brother just tuned out of life and can only "live" through cyberspace and ended up homeless – literally. Shocking stuff.

The final new series is on Diseases & Disorders. One book covers the dangers of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome.

Forty thousand babies are diagnosed with prenatal exposure to alcohol annually. Another book in the series targets children who face Learning Disabilities.

And an "old" disease making a comeback is Whooping Cough.

The library also has purchased new DVDs including The Dead Can't Dance, Shadowheart, The Land Before Time, Beaches, Mel Gibson's Apocalypto, and Dr. Seuss' The Lorax.

The Dead Can't Dance is touted as the "world's first Native American zombie film! This comedy/drama follows three Comanche men who discover they are somehow immune to a mysterious plague that is turning everyone else into zombies. The movie, written and directed by Rodrick Pocowatchit of Wichita, Kansas, won the Best Native American film at the Indie Spirit Film Festival.

Johnny Cash Sings Ballads of the American Indian: Bitter Tears has been added to the CD collection.

Applications are in the library if you don't have the new library card.

Visit the library's online catalog at <https://sacandfox.biblionix.com/atoz/catalog/>.

Come and check us out!



Emmett Alexander Jerome Jones Arrives

Born: March 10, 2013 @ 3pm at Claremore Indian Hospital, 5 lbs 5oz, 18 inches long.

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Grandparents are: Guy Burris and (Sac and Fox tribal member) Pam McClelland.

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Sac and Fox National Public Library and Archives Receives Grant to Help Preserve Its Historic Collections

The Oklahoma Department of Libraries, in partnership with the Oklahoma Historical Records Advisory Board, announced Thursday that the Sac and Fox National Public Library and Archives was awarded a "Threats to Your Collection" grant of \$1,000 to update and modernize its archives before relocating in the new Sac and Fox Cultural Center.

The Sac and Fox Nation will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony on April 23rd to mark the opening of the new Cultural Center. Archives that currently are being stored in the Sac and Fox National Public Library will be relocated in the Cultural Center.

"In presenting this grant to the Sac and Fox National Public Library and Archives, it is our intention to help further its commitment to providing the best possible care of the historic materials in its collections," said Susan Feller, Project Director for the Oklahoma Historical Records Advisory Board and

Development Officer for the Oklahoma Department of Libraries. "We hope that these grants will facilitate increased local support for the care of historic collections held by organizations such as the Sac and Fox National Public Library and Archives."

According to Feller, the "Threats to Your Collection" grant opportunity was an outcome of a statewide survey that assessed the condition of collections held by Oklahoma's 800 museums and libraries. The study found that almost all organizations have lost historic materials through theft, environmental damage, and other causes. "It is our goal to stem the loss of Oklahoma's heritage

by providing funding for secure storage, environmental controls, archival storage supplies, fire detection, and other projects that address threats to collections," Feller said.

Support for the grant program was provided by the National Historical Publications and Records Commission, the funding arm for the National Archives and Records Administration. Grants totaling \$50,000 were awarded to 27 Oklahoma institutions.

For more information on the Sac and Fox National Public Library and Archives, contact Kathy Platt, the Library Director at (918) 968-3526, extension 2020

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