

New Nonfiction at the Library
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Next time you visit the library, I encourage you to go to the second level of the library and take a look at the new nonfiction area near the railing. I know you will find something interesting even if you usually don't read nonfiction. Here are a few from the new shelf that looked interesting to me.

Since the holiday season is upon us I'll start with food and drink. "Classic German Cooking: The Very Best Recipes for Traditional Favorites, From Semmelknodel to Sauerbraten" by Luisa Weiss (641.5943 Weiss) seems like the perfect book for New Ulm! Try a new recipe to celebrate your German heritage. Get a head start on your Christmas baking by checking out "Christmas Cookies: More Than 60 Cute Recipes for Fun Festive Bakes" by Hannah Miles (641.8654 Christmas). Beautifully decorated or simple, this book has both. Simplify your entertaining with "Freezer Door Cocktails: 75 Cocktails That Are Ready When You Are" by J. M. Hirsch (641.874 Hirsch). It's just like meal prepping only for beverages.

Stop in and take a look at these new crochet books. "Crochet Messy Bun Hats: 12 Quick and Easy Designs for Looking Good While Keeping out the Cold" by Kristi Simpson (746.434 Simpson), "Crochet in a Day: 18 Easy Patterns for Cute Sweaters, Cozy Blankets, Stylish Shawls and More" by Angie Bivins (746.434 Bivins) and "Radiant Raffia: 20 Inspiring Crochet Projects Made with Natural Yarn" by Olga Panagopoulou (746.434 Panagop). Handcrafted gifts come to my mind.

Here are a couple more that caught my eye today. "Happiest Dog on the Block: Canine Enrichment Activities to Keep Your Pet Young and Healthy" by Taylor Finton (636.7 Finton). The ideas in this book are an easy, low cost way to entertain your dogs and keep their minds healthy. If "Killers of the Flower Moon" by David Grann fascinated you, "Ghosts of Crook County: An Oil Fortune, A Phantom Child, and the Fight for Indigenous Land" By Russell Cobb (338.2728 Cobb) should be your next read!

If you'd like to request these or any other titles, visit www.newulmlibrary.org and choose Library Catalog, or call the library at 507-359-8331.

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