

The Bandera PROPHEET

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Keep in Beat with the Bandera Library

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Bandera Kronkosky Public Library

Thursday is the first day of Hispanic Heritage Month. The month long holiday celebrates the achievements and contributions Hispanic Americans have made on American society and culture. The holiday starts Sept. 15 and continues on to Oct. 15. To celebrate, the library has a display of books written by Hispanic Americans, which are available to check out. You can also read our blog post on Hispanic Heritage Month to learn more. You can find our blog at <https://banderacountylibrary.org/blog>

The Library's September Artist of the Month is Steven Harris. Steven is a local painter who specializes in landscape painting. Steven has lived almost his entire life in Texas, a fact that has greatly influenced his work. "I've painted in other places (...), but the rocky terrain, clear streams and vistas in central Texas and the beaches, bays and inland marshes along the Gulf Coast really speak to me as a landscape painter." Steven says in the "about the artist" section of his website, www.stevenharrisart.com. "My aim is to convey a strong sense of what I see and how it makes me feel." You can see Steven Harris's work on display in the library's art gallery throughout the month of September.

New titles arriving at the library include Vince Flynn's newest novel, *Oath of Loyalty*. Mitch Rapp confronts a very different kind of killer in the explosive new thriller in Vince Flynn's #1 New York Times bestselling series, written by Kyle Mills. With President Anthony Cook convinced that Mitch Rapp poses a mortal threat to him, CIA Director Irene Kennedy is forced to construct a truce between the two men. The terms are simple: Rapp agrees to leave the country and stay in plain sight

for as long as Cook controls the White House. In exchange, the administration agrees not to make any moves against him. This fragile détente holds until Cook's power-hungry security adviser convinces him that Rapp does not intend to honor their agreement. Find out how to get on the reservation list for this and other titles by contacting the Bandera Kronkosky Public Library.

Stay up to date with library events by following us on Facebook (Bandera County Library), Instagram (@banderalibrary), or sign up for our monthly newsletter through our website. You can also check for event cancellations and updates through our Calendar of Events at www.banderacountylibrary.org/calendar

The Bandera Kronkosky Public Library is open Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Curbside service is available for checkouts and business services. Free Wi-Fi is available 24/7. Check out our website www.banderacountylibrary.org for all up-to-date information.

Happy tales, y'all.