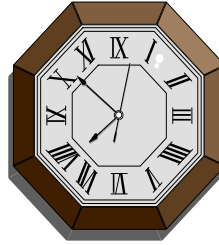


Library Matters

Greenwood Lake Public Library's Fall 2004 Newsletter

Library Hours



Sunday	11AM-3PM
Monday	9AM-5PM
Tuesday	9AM-9PM
Wednesday	9AM-9PM
Thursday	9AM-9PM
Friday	9AM-5PM
Saturday	10AM-4PM

We will be closed for the holidays on:
 Thursday, November 25, Friday, December 24,
 Saturday, December 25, Sunday, December 26,
 Saturday, January 1, & Sunday, January 2. We will close at 5PM
 on Wednesday, November 24 for Thanksgiving Eve and at 2PM
 on Friday, December 31 for New Year's Eve.

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Dear Patrons,

We are very happy to announce that we will be transforming the Village Recreation Hall (located in the library building) into a Youth Study Center for youth 5th Grade and up. Our goal is to create an area and atmosphere that is not only conducive to study and work, but also a comfortable place for young people to gather. Breanne Tempe, a library employee for three years, will be supervising the room.

The walls of our new Youth Study Center will be graced with the timeless artwork of international artist and Greenwood Lake resident Ping Xu. Ms. Xu has generously offered her time and creative talent to create a mural of the history of Greenwood Lake. Using a vintage Greenwood Lake postcard collection as her inspiration, Ms. Xu began work on the mural on August 30th. Funds raised by last year's 4th Grade Student Council, under the supervision of Mrs. Natalie Karl, are being used for the necessary supplies. The completed mural will be unveiled for the first time at the Grand Opening of the Youth Study Center, tentatively scheduled for Saturday, October 9 from 1-3PM.

Additionally, many pieces of Ms. Xu's original artwork are on loan and are currently displayed in the library. Please take advantage of this unique opportunity to view these wonderful pieces. On Saturday, September 18 from 2-4PM, we will host a "Meet the Artist" reception in our Library Program Room at which more of Ms. Xu's art will be displayed. All are welcome to attend, but children must be accompanied by an adult.

Our popular Collectible Series continues to flourish through the organization and efforts of Kelly Corrado. The library will host a luncheon on Saturday, September 25th at 1PM for all collectors who have generously loaned their treasures for display at the library. If you are one of these special people, Mrs. Corrado will be in contact with you. If you have a collection that you would be interested in loaning the library for a two-week period, please contact us at 477-8377.

As always, we hope you will be pleased with our efforts to better serve you and that you will take advantage of all your library has to offer!

Stephanie Thiel, Director

Ruth's Adult Picks

MYSTERY

The 37th Hour
By Jodi Compton
Sleeping Beauty
By Phillip Margolin
The Interrogation
By Thomas H. Cook
Death Row
By William Bernhardt
The Tarnished Eye
By Judith Guest

FICTION

Family History
By Dani Shapiro
Children of the Storm
By Elizabeth Peters
Murder Suicide
By Keith Ablow

FICTION CONTINUED

Shem Creek:
A Lowcountry Tale
By Dorothea Benton Frank
Babylon Rising
By Tim La Haye &
Greg Dinallo

NON-FICTION
My Sister's Keeper
By Jodi Picoult
*Shadow Divers: The True
Adventure of Two Americans
Who Risked Everything to Solve
One of the Last Mysteries of
World War II*
By Robert Kurson
Blue Blood
By Edward Conlon

Amy & Joan's Kids' Picks

CHILDREN'S FICTION

Fish and Bones
By Ray Prather

CHILDREN'S NON-FICTION

Fairies, Trolls and Goblins Galore:
Poems About Fantastic Creatures
By Dilys Evans &
Jacqueline Rogers

YA FICTION

Watchmen
(A Graphic Novel)
By Alan Moore

YA NON-FICTION

*Politics: American Style: Political
Parties in American History*
By Isobel V. Morin

HOMEWORK HELP

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www.gwllibrary.org
Click on Links. Scroll down to
Reference and Magazine
Articles Databases. You will
need your library barcode #,
which is on the back of your
card to access these databases.
www.kidsclick.org
www.ajkids.com
[www.suffolk.lib.ny.us/youth/
kids.html](http://www.suffolk.lib.ny.us/youth/
kids.html)
www.ipl.org/
[http://school.discovery.com/
students/](http://school.discovery.com/
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Register for the following programs by calling the Library Circulation Desk (845) 477-8377 Ext. 10, unless otherwise indicated. Preference will be given to residents of the Greenwood Lake Union Free School District for programs where seating is limited or a specific register-by date is given. For more information on Children's Programs, please contact Amy Gargiulo, Head of Children's Services, on Library Ext. 19. For more information on Computer Programs for Adults & Children and Adult/Young Adult/Family Programs, please contact Joan Carvajal, Assistant Director, on Library Ext. 15.

Children's Programs

"Moms and Tots at the Library!"

The Greenwood Lake Moms and Tots program, formerly held at Holy Rosary Church, will now make their new home at the library. Meetings will be held in the Library Program Room on Wednesday mornings from 10-11:30AM, beginning September 15. Registration is required and will take place at the first meeting. Boys and girls, newborn-5 years, accompanied by a parent or guardian are invited. A \$2.00 monthly fee covers the cost of refreshments and craft supplies. For more information contact the Moms and Tots program organizer, Mrs. Fionnuala Keady at (845) 477-0778.

"Pre-School Funtimes"

It's that time of year again! Bring your little one to the library for stories, crafts, music and MORE. The age groups are as follows:

4-23 Months - Wednesdays, 12:30-1:00PM.

2-3 Years - Fridays, 10:30-11AM & 1-1:30PM

4-5 Years - Thursdays, 10:30-11:15AM & 1-1:45PM

Classes will take place weekly, October 6-December 3. Registration will take place September 20, 22-25 from 10AM-12PM & 1-3PM and September 21 from 3-7PM. Registration in person is preferred; however, you may register by phone by calling Amy Gargiulo ONLY during the registration hours listed. Space is limited so register early!

"Internet Scavenger Hunt Program"

Join us for an Internet Scavenger Hunt! Participants will meet once a week for 3 weeks, under the supervision of Joan Carvajal, to search the Internet for answers to fun and educational questions. Classes will meet Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays, 3:30-4:30PM, beginning October 5. Choice of day (must be the same day for all 3 weeks) is on a first come registration basis. This program, for children in grades 3-6, is run as a contest with teams from the different days competing for prizes. Registration, in person, is required and PARENTS must register their children with Joan Carvajal. Seating is limited. Please call Joan for registration hours.

"Computer Storytime"

Children in grades K-2 are invited to join Joan for Computer Storytime! Participants will meet once a week for 3 weeks, 3:30-4PM, Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays, beginning October 26. Choice of day (must be the same day for all 3 weeks) is on a first come registration basis. Registration, in person, is required and PARENTS must register their children with Joan Carvajal. Seating is limited. Please call Joan for registration hours.

"Creepy Crafts & Costumes"

Friday, October 29 - 11AM-1PM

Calling all little ghosts and goblins!! Come to the library for an afternoon of creepy crafts, games and prizes! Wear your best Halloween costume for a special treat. Open to children ages 1-5 years, accompanied by an adult. Registration, either in person or by phone, is required by October 22.

"Halloween Computer Games"

Saturday, October 30

Children grades 3-6 are invited to play selected Halloween CD ROM games. Registration, in person, is required and PARENTS must register the children with Joan Carvajal. The time slots available are:

10:30-11:15AM, 11:30AM-12:15PM, 12:30-1:15PM, 1:30-2:15PM, and 2:30-3:15PM. Choice of time is on a first come registration basis and children may register for one time slot ONLY. Seating is limited. Please call Joan for registration hours.

"Traditional Chinese Art Series FOR KIDS!"

Tuesdays, November 2, 9, 16 - 4-5:30PM

World-renowned LOCAL artist Ping Xu will teach you the form, techniques, and methods of traditional Chinese Art during this weekly series. Ms. Xu will teach Chinese letter writing, silk painting, watercolor and MORE! The art series is open to children in grades 4-8. Registration for the whole series, either in person or by phone, is required by October 25. Seating is limited so register early!

"Thanks A Bunch!"

Saturday, November 6

Grades 1-3 - 10-11AM / Grades 4-8 - 11AM-12PM

Join us in celebration of one of our favorite national holidays! Hear Thanksgiving stories, folk tales, and songs. Create your own special Thanksgiving craft with the help of Crafty Carolyn Travers. Registration, in person or by phone, is required by October 29.

P.T.S.A. Book Sale & Swap

Saturday, November 20 - 10AM-3PM

Help us celebrate National Children's Book Week with the Greenwood Lake P.T.S.A. during their annual book sale & swap. All books will be priced under \$10.00 with 100% of the proceeds to benefit the P.T.S.A. scholarship fund! Donations of adult and children's books can be dropped off in the Library's Conference Room on Wednesday, November 17 and Thursday, November 18 from 4-8PM. Donations must be in good condition, with no yellowing pages, dust, mold, or any other major damage. Each donor will receive a \$5.00 voucher for use at the book sale. For more information, please contact Sue at (845) 477-2267.

"Little Sleigh Bells Ring"

Friday December 3 - 11AM-1PM

Bring your favorite little elf and join us for an afternoon of holiday stories, crafts, hot cocoa and candy canes! Open to children ages 1-5 years, accompanied by an adult. Registration, in person or by phone, is required by November 26.

"Edible Architecture - Gingerbread Houses"

Saturday December 4 - 10:30AM-12PM

If you build it...you can eat it! Learn the FUN art of building your very own gingerbread house with the help of Crafty Carolyn Travers. Open to children in grades 3-8. Each builder must bring a box of graham crackers and a bag of their favorite candy. Registration, in person or by phone, is required by November 27. Seating is limited so register early!

"Dreamy Snow Globes"

Saturday December 11 - 11AM-12PM

Create your own unique holiday snow globe to give as a gift or keep all to yourself! Open to children grades 3-8. Each participant must bring an empty, clean, 12 oz. plastic soda/water bottle. Registration, in person or by phone, is required by December 4.

Adult/Young Adult/Family Programs

"One Town, One Book"

For the third year in a row, the three Town of Warwick Libraries (Albert Wisner, Florida, & Greenwood Lake) are sponsoring the highly successful "One Town, One Book" **ADULT** book discussion program. This year our title is, *A Walk in the Woods: Rediscovering America on the Appalachian Trail (Official Guides to the Appalachian Trail)* by Bill Bryson, which treats the reader "to both a very funny personal memoir and a delightful chronicle of the trail, the people who created it, and the places it passes through" (Amazon.com reader review). The details for this program and the events associated with it should be available soon.

"Come to the Cabaret!"

Join us for a bus trip to the Westchester Broadway Dinner Theatre on Thursday, November 4 to enjoy dinner and the brilliant musical, "Cabaret!" Cabaret is the story of a young American writer who comes to Berlin just before the rise of Hitler and the Nazi Party. From its 1930s Berlin club setting, to its haunting, unforgettable music, Cabaret is entertainment at its best! The bus departs the library parking lot at 4:30PM and returns between 11:30-12PM. The cost of \$68.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation, dinner, coffee or tea, the show, and tips. Registration is in person at the library and the fee is due upon registration. **It is strongly suggested that you register before October 6**, which is when we must give the theatre our count. You may, however, still register after this date, provided seats are available. **Patrons aged 16 years and older may register, but those under 18 must register with, and be accompanied on the trip by a parent or guardian.**

"School Projects - Internet Workshop for Parents"

This one-day 2½-hour workshop is designed to aid **PARENTS** in helping their children with Internet research for school projects. Parents will be shown reliable research websites, introduced to updated Internet search techniques, and shown other library resources their children can use for school projects. All participants **must have** familiarity with using a computer and mouse. Workshops will be offered on Thursdays, 12-2:30PM or 6-8:30PM, beginning in October. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT** program. Seating is limited. Call or visit Joan Carvajal to register.

"Artful Creations - A Decorative Metal Painting Workshop"

Saturday, October 2 - 1-3PM

Decorative painter, Ruth Welter is back to show us how using the "one stroke" painting technique can turn ordinary pieces of metal into extraordinary works of art. You must bring a clean metal piece, such as a mailbox or metal vase, which already has one coat of paint on it. All supplies will be provided. An example of a finished piece will be on display at the Library Circulation Desk. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT** program. Seating is limited.

"Specters of a Bygone Era: Mansions & Castles of the Hudson Valley"

Saturday, October 9 - 2:30-3:30PM

Andy Smith, a lecturer, park ranger, environmentalist, and engineer, is back with another program on the wonders of the beautiful Hudson Valley. This slide "show and tell" will take you on a historical journey through the great castles and mansions of the Hudson Valley, including their architectural features and the powerful people who built them. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT/YOUNG ADULT (12 years and older)** program.

"Defensive Driving"

Saturday, October 16 - 10AM-4PM

How can you reduce your liability and collision premiums on your car insurance or have four points taken off your record? Register for the defensive driving course at the library! This program is open to patrons **with a valid New York State driver's license**. Registration, in person, is required. The fee, due upon registration, is \$25.00 for all Greenwood

Lake Union Free School District residents/\$35.00 for non-residents. Light breakfast fare will be available. Please bring a bag lunch, as there will be no formal lunch break.

"MORE Ghost Stories of the Hudson Valley"

Saturday, October 23 - 1-3PM

Local author, Linda Zimmermann, has returned to lead a spooky discussion of her latest book, *Ghost Investigator: Volume 4*, a continuation of her Hudson Valley ghost story series. Ms. Zimmermann's stories will be accompanied by a slide presentation. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT/YOUNG ADULT (12 years and older)** program; children under 12 **MAY NOT** attend.

"Witch, Hag or Sorceress"

Sunday, October 24 - 1-2:30PM

Art historian, Susan Slater-Tanner is back, examining the history of irrational fears and social anxieties associated with witchcraft, past, present and future. This one-hour digital art presentation explores witchcraft from three distinct perspectives - first, within primal and ancient societies; second, as seen through "diabolical witchcraft," which was the focus of persecution between 1450 and 1700 and finally, a look at "Wicca," a late twentieth century, neopagan approach that celebrates the sacredness of nature. A small reception will follow. Light refreshments will be served. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT** program.

"Horror Film Classics for Halloween"

Celebrate Halloween with the screening of two 1931 Universal Studio horror classics on October 27 and 28 from 7-8:30PM in the Library Program Room. Registration, in person or by phone, is suggested for this free **ADULT/YOUNG ADULT (12 years and older)** program; children under 12 **MAY NOT** attend. Light refreshments will be served.

"Good Neighbor Program - Food for Fines"

November 1 - December 31

Celebrate the spirit of the holiday season by donating food to the "Food for Fines" program. All donations will be given to the Greenwood Lake Food Pantry. We will reward you for your good deed by waiving any late fines you may have on your library card. For each perishable (wrapped hams or turkeys only) or non-perishable food item you donate, we will waive one late fine. All donations must be dropped off, in person, at the Library Circulation Desk. Only late fines, **NOT** replacement fees for lost library materials, will be waived. *We encourage everyone, with or without fines, to be good neighbors and donate food to help those less fortunate during this special time of the year!*

"Thanksgiving Craft Program"

Saturday, November 6 - 1-3PM

Create a lovely centerpiece for your holiday table (or your host's!) with the help of crafter, Joan Schaffner. An example of the craft will be on display at the Library Circulation Desk. Registration, in person, is required for this **ADULT** program and a fee of \$6.00 is due upon registration. All supplies will be provided. Seating is limited. Light refreshments will be served.

"Veteran's Day Film Program"

Come to the library for a Veteran's Day historical film series to honor those who sacrificed so much for our freedom. The tentative film schedule is as follows:

Sunday, November 7 - World War I & II - 12-2PM

Tuesday, November 9 - Korean War - 7-8:30PM

Wednesday, November 10 - Vietnam War - 7-8:30PM

Thursday, November 11 - War Memorials - 7-8:30PM

Registration, in person or by phone, is suggested for this free **ADULT/YOUNG ADULT (12 years and older)** program. Light refreshments will be served.

"Holiday Cake Decorating"
Saturday, November 13 – 1-3PM

Learn how to decorate your holiday cakes like a professional. Decorator, Kim-Denise Barnett, will not only demonstrate her cake decorating techniques, but will also provide some "hands-on" practice to enhance your learning experience. All participants must bring a tray of sugar cookies for their "hands-on" practice. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT** program. Seating is limited.

"Holiday Appetizer Cooking Program"
Saturday, December 4 – 1-3PM

Enjoy the culinary talents of Carmela Chase, who joins us once again, as she presents a cooking demonstration on holiday appetizers. Ms. Chase comes to us with 11 years of experience as a gourmet cook and food enthusiast, trained at the Culinary Institute of America. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT** program. Seating is limited.

"Holiday Craft Program"
Sunday, December 5 – 1-3PM

Create a holiday wreath for your home or as a lovely holiday gift, with the help of crafter, Joan Schaffner. An example of the craft will be on display at the Library Circulation Desk. Registration, in person, is required for this **ADULT** program and a fee of \$6.00 is due upon registration. All supplies will be provided. Seating is limited. Light refreshments will be served.

"Holiday French Memo Boards"
Saturday, December 11 – 1-2:30PM

Create your very own unique beribboned Holiday French Memo Board

with the help of crafter Theresa Vela. You will love making this personalized memo board to display treasured pictures, cards, notes and mementos. What a great idea for the perfect holiday gift! All materials will be provided. An example of the craft will be on display at the Library Circulation Desk. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **ADULT** program. Seating is limited. Light refreshments will be served.

"Holiday Concert"
Saturday, December 18 – 2-4PM

Enjoy performances by our very own Tuxedo High School students, under the direction of Ms. Janean Sherwin, a private voice coach. Registration, in person or by phone, is required for this free **FAMILY** program. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Light refreshments will be served.

ONGOING ADULT PROGRAMS

"Scrabble Club"

Love to play Scrabble, but have no one to play with – join our **ADULT** Scrabble Club! Enjoy dessert & coffee with other Scrabble enthusiasts and play at the library the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month from 7-8:45PM. The club is free; simply register in person or by phone.

"Independent Film Nights"

Join us in the Library's Program Room the second Tuesday evening of every month at 7PM for screenings of new independent films that fly under the popular radar. Light refreshments are served. Registration, in person or by phone, is suggested for this free **ADULT** program.

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