

Library Matters

Greenwood Lake Public Library

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Winter 2016

Come discover a unique library experience at the Greenwood Lake Public Library!

Check out all the great programs and events happening this Winter @ the Greenwood Lake Public Library!

From the Director:

Winter here in Greenwood Lake feels more like spring so far, but inside the library it's always cozy. Like the weather, we've been through a lot of changes in the past few months. We have quite a few new staff members acclimating themselves to our policies and traditions. Combined with our existing staff, we have new ideas and fresh eyes to enhance our programming, sharpen our skills and expand our views.

A full roster of Adult winter programming has been restored. We have expert instructors for everything from American Sign Language classes to Ballroom Fitness and much more. Youth programming, which has always been year round, continues with all the standards plus things like Meteorology, theatrical performances and art programs. Mild weather or not, you don't have to go far to broaden your own horizons.

The New Year brings a new feature to our social media. We love all the banter about books that we hear in our Book Clubs but many avid users of the library are unable to lend their thoughts in person on the nights of the discussions. Hence, we are introducing a "Patrons Reviews" section on our Facebook page. If you like a new book or want to remind us of a great old movie, please send your review to jcronin@rcls.org or drop it off at the front desk. Our knowledgeable staff members may choose it to be posted that week. It's always, don't hesitate to send us your material suggestions and/or general comments, we always want to hear your thoughts. Well, there's plenty more to read in this newsletter so I'll finish with wishing you all a Happy and Healthy New Year!

Jill Cronin, Director



"In the winter she curls up around a good book and dreams away the cold." — Ben Aaronovitch, *Broken Homes*

New Books

NEW ADULT FICTION

Forty Thieves by Perry Thomas
Cometh the Hour by Jeffrey Archer
Brotherhood in Death by J.D. Robb

NEW ADULT NON-FICTION

How to Make Your Money Last by Jane Bryant Quinn
The Geography of Genius by Eric Weiner
The Road to Little Dribbling by Bill Bryson

STAFF PICKS:

ADULT NON-FICTION BY SANDY

The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah

Sandy's Review: Kristin Hannah delivers this story of two Sisters struggling against all odds to survive in Nazi occupied France with an eloquence that puts you on the front line with them, tugging every emotional string you possess. She paints a portrait of two entirely different natures on two separate paths, both discovering they have indomitable strength and endurance as they fight for home and family.
A truly beautiful story of human resilience and courage.

For more new books, be sure to visit our "New Books" shelves and "Seasonal" displays at the Library!

For adult and children's e-book selections, visit our web site at www.gwllibrary.org and click on the "Downloadable Books" button on the left to see a wide assortment of titles, which are available to download to your E-reader or computer!

NEW YOUNG ADULT FICTION

The Walls Around us by Nova Ren Suma
Never, Never by Briana Shrum

NEW YOUNG ADULT NON-FICTION

Non-Fiction: The Born Frees; writing with the Girls of Gugulethu by Kimberly Burg

NEW JUNIOR FICTION CHAPTER BOOKS

Rain Reign by Ann Martin

The Marvels by Brian Selznik

NEW JUNIOR NON-FICTION CHAPTER BOOKS

It's Your World, Get Informed, Get Inspired and Get Going by Chelsea Clinton

NEW CHILDREN'S FICTION PICTURE BOOKS

Lenny and Lucy by Philip Stead

Two White Rabbits by Jairo Buitrago

NEW CHILDREN'S NON-FICTION PICTURE BOOKS

PBS KIDS: Do it Myself Cookbook by Laurie Goldrich Wolfe

GENERAL LIBRARY INFORMATION

Library Staff (845) 477-8377

Library Director-Ext. 103

Jill Cronin, E-Mail: jillcronin@gwllibrary.org

Accounting Services/Human Resources/Board Secretary-Ext. 102

Sandy Newman, E-Mail: snewman@rcls.org

Reference/Circulation Services-Ext. 105

Elizabeth Cisek, E-Mail: ecisek@rcls.org

Adult Services-Ext. 108

Youth Services Supervisor-Ext. 109

Marianne Ridout, E-Mail: mridout@rcls.org

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Jill Rink E-Mail: jrink@rcls.org

Arlene Scott, E-Mail: ascott@rcls.org

Technical Services-Ext. 111

Theresa Stevenson, E-Mail: tstevenson@rcls.org

Please call the Circulation Desk Staff for Renewals/Holds

Circulation Desk-Ext. 101:

Brenda Downs, Assistant Head of Circulation

Mary Ann Goscicki, Carol Heinz, Mary Marina,

Michelle Parascandola, and Laura Jean Stiesi

To reach the Youth Study Center, call Ext. 106

Library Board of Trustees

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Library Hours

Mondays & Fridays: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Tuesdays-Thursdays: 9 a.m.-9 p.m.

Saturdays: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sundays: 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

A Book Drop is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Closings: March 27 2016.

FACEBOOK

Get up to the minute library information on our Facebook page.

Please find us and friend us at:

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There is also a link to our Facebook page on our web site at:

www.gwllibrary.org.

MATERIALS DONATIONS



Until further notice, we are not accepting donations due to a lack of space. Please be aware that any donations left outside the Library are immediately discarded because of possible insect and/or rodent infestation, as well as dampness issues. Thank you.

COLLECTIBLE SERIES

For info or to display your collection, call Adult Services at Ext. 108

Collectible Series



Collectors of all ages are invited to display their collections, which are exhibited each month on a rotating basis. *Happy Collecting!*

-January: "Pez Candy Dispensers" by Ava Shradin

-February: "Hess Trucks" by Devon Koziel

IN THE GALLERIES

For info or to exhibit your art, call Adult Services at Ext. 108

The Works of Art Gallery (Adult Art Gallery)

-January: Collected works from the artists at Orange ARHC

-February: Watercolor paintings by Rosemary Baker

-March: Oil paintings and textural collages by Rosa Chiporukha

The Budding Artist Gallery (Student Art Gallery)

The Works of Art Gallery and the Budding Artist Gallery feature artwork from local adult and student artists each month. Don't miss these extraordinary works of art!



THANKS!!!!

A huge Thank You to Senator Bonacic for securing funding in the amount of \$5,000 not for just our library but for the libraries in his district!

COMPUTER INFO AND PROGRAMS

For info, call Jill Rink or Arlene Scott at Ext. 107 or the Front Desk at Ext. 101



E-Reader Drop-In Sundays

Sundays, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Need help with your e-reader (Kindle, Nook, etc.)? Drop-in the Library on Sundays and Arlene Scott can help! Get Connected @ Your Library!

GENERAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR ALL PROGRAMS



- ✓ Registration is required for all Adult, Young Adult, Children, and Family programs and may be done either in person or by telephone at (845) 477-8377 Ext. 101 (unless in-person registration is required where noted).
- ✓ When noted, all children must be accompanied by an adult.
- ✓ Seating is limited; early registration is highly recommended.
- ✓ For additional information about a particular program, please call the individual staff member as noted.
- ✓ Patrons of all abilities are welcome to register for Library programs. However, if you are in need of assistance for a particular program, we graciously request that you bring along a caretaker to assist you. Unfortunately, due to the time constraints for our programs, the Programmer is unable to offer individualized attention; thus, having a caretaker accompany you will be most helpful to you, as well as to the Programmer.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

For info, call Front Desk at Ext. 101 or Marianne at Ext. 109 or 110

Story Time

Thursdays: 2/4-3/17 11-11:45 a.m. (Ages under 2)

Fridays: 2/5-3/18 1-1:45 p.m. (Ages 2/3s)

Thursdays: 2/4-3/17 1-1:45 p.m. (Ages 4/5s)

No Storytime 3/24 and 3/25



Pajama Story Time – 6:30-7:15 p.m. (1 Yr.-Pre-K)

Wednesdays: 2/10- 3/9, 3/16 None 3/23

Melinda's Music with Melinda Burgard

Friday: 3/4 10:30-11:15 a.m. (Birth-5 yrs.)

Jill's Jymnastics

Tuesdays: 2/23 and 3/15

11:00-11:45 4 and 5 yr olds

1:00-1:45 2 and 3 yr olds



All children must be accompanied by an adult. (no siblings please)

Cloudettes and Weather Forecasting

Saturday February 6, 2016 10:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m. (Ages 4-11)

Learn all about clouds and weather forecasting with Christina

Faraone, competitor on "America's Next Weatherman"

We will also be making a craft about clouds.

**The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe presented by
The Traveling Lantern Theatre**

Saturday February 20th

11:00-12:00 p.m. (Ages 4 and up)

All children aged 7 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

Learn how to draw your Favorite Dr. Seuss Character

With professional cartoonist Paul Merklein

Saturday March 5th

(Ages 4-11) 11:00-12p.m.

All children aged 7 and under must be accompanied
by an adult.



Moms & Tots Playgroup – Every Wednesday: 10-11:30 a.m.

Meet with friends, make crafts, play, and more at this playgroup.

For info, E-Mail Rebecca at rebecca.bonomo@yahoo.com or
Lorie at irishqueen57@aol.com

YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

For info, call Marianne at Ext. 109

**Stormchasing with America's Next Weatherman
Star Christina Faraone**



1:00-2:00 p.m. 5th Grade and up
Come learn about how the experts
track our weather.



Learn how to draw Superheroes
with pro artist Paul Merklein
Saturday 3/5 1:00-2:00 (5th grade and up)

How to make Candy Sushi

Saturday 3/19 1:00-2:00 p.m. (5th grade and up)

This fun make and take program will convert even the pickiest of
eaters!

SWITCH!! At the request of our YA patrons we changed our
weekly line up. Now it's...

Gaming Night Tuesdays

1/5-3/29, 5-6 p.m. (Ages 11-17)

Movie Night Wednesdays

1/6- 3/30 6-8 p.m. (Ages 11-17)



Young Adult Book Club

For more info, call Michelle at Ext. 106

The Taste Test Teen Book Club

Join Michelle Parascondola for a 3-program series of
discussions and cooking events designed around the
book, *The City of Ember*.



Last Refuge of the Hummus Race

Wednesday (1/27) 5-6 p.m.

Mission Mashed Potatoe

Wednesday (2/24) 5-6 p.m.

Blackout Mug Cakes

Wednesday (3/30) 5-6 p.m.



ADULT PROGRAMS

~Ongoing Adult Programs~

Adult Independent Film Night -2nd Tuesday Monthly, 7-9 p.m.

For info, call Arlene at Ext. 107



Book Lovers' Club -4th Tuesday Monthly, 7-9 p.m.

For info, call Mary Marina or the Front Desk at Ext. 101



Cook Book Club -1st Tuesday Monthly, 7-9 p.m.

For info, call Carol Heinz or the Front Desk at Ext. 101

Participants each cook one recipe from the book to share with the group
at the discussions.

For info, call Adult Program Services at Ext. 108

~Needlecrafters' Club~

"Crocheting Hats and Mittens" with Jo-Ann Scherer

Mondays (2/15 2/29, 3/7, 3/28) 12:15-2:45 p.m.

Learn to crochet these warm winter necessities with needlecrafter
Jo-Ann Scherer. Join the fun!

~Patron Reviews~

New in January, we are accepting book, music and movie reviews
from our local patrons to be posted on our Facebook page. We

will be posting several a month so if you want to make a
suggestion please email it to jcronin@rcls.org.

Please note, these reviews will be chosen and edited by library staff and
must be appropriate in tone and language for general audiences.

~Winter Fitness Series~

"Ballroom Fitness" with fitness and dance instructor

Tatianna Grabinsky

Thursday Evenings 3/3, 3/10, 3/24 and 3/31, 2016

7:00-7:45p.m.

No Partners needed!



ADULT PROGRAMS (CONTINUED)

For info, call Adult program Services at Ext. 108

~Learn @ Your Library Series~

"American Sign Language" with Patricia Noel

Thursday Evenings 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 2016 7:00-7:45p.m.

This four part series of classes will give you a great start to learning this universal language.

"Memory Shock"

with cognitive instructor Barry Reitman

Saturday March 12, 2016 10:00-12:00 then 1:00-3:00.

Bring back that sharp memory with this day long seminar. Time for lunch is scheduled midday so BYOLunch or grab a bite in town.

"Irish Immigration" with Jeffrey Dosik

Sunday, March 13, 2016 1:00-2:30 p.m.

Just in time for St. Patrick's Day, learn about how this historic event shaped our country and region.

~Creative Writing Series~

"Clarity of Thought- A Journaling Workshop"

with writing instructor Anique Taylor

Saturday, March 19, 2016 10:00-12:00 then 1:00-3:00

This daylong workshop will teach techniques and skills to inspire you to engage in this popular writing medium. Time for lunch is scheduled midday so BYOLunch or grab a bite in town.

~Green Thumb Garden Series~

The Master Gardeners from Cornell return this winter for these informative programs.

"Xeriscaping- Gardening for Water Conservation"

Saturday February 13, 2016 1:00-2:00 p.m

This important approach to home gardening is sweeping the nation.

"Forcing Bulbs"

Saturday March 26, 2016 1:00-2:00

Fill your home with beautiful blooms year round with this technique.



~Creative Corner Craft Series~

"BottleCutting" with Artisan Don Santarpia

Sunday February 7, 2016 12:30-2:30

Next in the series of glass art, come learn this crafting technique that can be used in a variety of projects. Participants will make and take one completed project.



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