

Library Matters

Summer 2006 Newsletter

The Greenwood Lake Public Library



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News from the Director...

On Thursday, May 18th, the library's 2006/2007 budget was approved by the voters and Robert F. Fraser was re-elected as a library trustee. Please remember, if you are a registered voter within the Greenwood Lake school district, you are eligible to vote on the library's budget. The library's tax base is the school district and **not just** the village.

Rose-Emma Calabrese, Head of Children's Services has been working hard for the past two months planning this summer's reading program, "Books: A Treasure". Rose-Emma comes to us from the Florida Public Library.

Rose-Emma, her husband Ken and children Maggie, Marissa, Mariah and Maura live in Campbell Hall. She also has two grown sons, Jason and Eric, living in the upstate New York area. Eric is married to Nancy with a 1 1/2 old son of his own, Christopher, making Rose-Emma a Grandma! Rose-Emma comes to us with a variety of experience. She holds a BA in Art Education. She has been a Girl Scout and 4H Leader, Cub Scout Den Mother, sports mom and a volunteer in her children's schools. She was responsible for Adult Programming at the Florida Public Library, and led many children's activities and programming where she was a volunteer and trustee for the Hamptonburgh Reading Center.

Please stop in with your children and meet Rose-Emma. This will help her better get to know our community and children. Should you have any suggestions for future programming, please let her know. I am confident that her creative and diverse background will be an asset in implementing programs that will develop a love of reading and the library for our community's children.

Over the summer, we will be rearranging the Adult Fiction, Mystery, Science Fiction/Fantasy and Large Print sections of the library. We will be combining these four areas and designating Mystery, Science Fiction/Fantasy, and Large Print with identifying stickers on the book's spine. This will allow us to eliminate duplicate copies of adult fiction. We will be retaining the Large Print copy of older fiction and returning the regular sized print through our McNaughton book-leasing plan. You will now only need to check one area for an available copy of the title you are searching for. Of course our popular "NEW ARRIVALS" section will remain the same, offering both Large Print and duplicate copies of very popular titles and authors. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause, but feel it is the most viable plan for providing a large number of titles to our many readers of adult fiction.

Stephanie Thiel

Ruth's Adult Picks

Mystery

Alone

By Lisa Gardner
A Grave Mistake
By Stella Cameron



Fiction

Magic Hour

By Kristin Hannah
The Missing Person
By Alix Ohlin

Hours

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



THERE IS A
BOOK DROP
AVAILABLE
24 HOURS A
DAY, 7 DAYS
A WEEK.

We will be closed Tuesday, July 4th for Independence Day and Sunday, September 3rd & Monday, September 4th for Labor Day.

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Adult Happenings/News

Computer Class News

Anyone interested in adding their name to our existing list for Computer Classes should come in or phone (477-8377 Ext. 17) to register with Breanne Tempe, our new head of Computer Services.

Computer Class will begin sometime in the Fall (look for more information in our Fall Newsletter) and plans are to conduct an Introduction to Computers class and Introduction to Word & Excel class. When you register, be sure to state which class (or both if you wish) that you want to attend.

For further information, please call Breanne Tempe at 477-8377 Ext. 17.

Independent Films On DVD

Aqlra

Directed By Benoit Delpepine & Gustave Kervern, Belgium
(French with English Subtitles)

Familia

Directed By Louise Archambault, Canada
(French with English Subtitles)

Day Break

By Hamid Rahmanian, Iran
(Arabic with English Subtitles)

Scrabble Club

Don't have anyone to play Scrabble 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 6:30-8:45PM. Register in person or by phone (477-8377 Ext. 10).

The Collectible Series

The Collectible Series is open to both children and adults. These collections are on display at the library on a rotating basis, with new collections exhibited every two weeks. Recently, we showcased exhibits by Jessica Maceda, Matthew Lembo, Tori Champion, Kaitlyn McHugh, Brianna Chimento, Travis Gerhardt, Brooke Nilson, and Emmalyn McAteer.

We would like to thank the Holy Rosary Church for their generous donation of a large display case that will be installed in the library's foyer over the Summer. This will allow us to showcase even more collections every month to share with the community.

Also, in the Fall, we will be installing another display case inside the library which was graciously donated by the Cox family in memory of their parents, the late Everett and Viola Cox. This, too, will be a wonderful addition to the Collectible Series and its collectors.

We are planning an exciting lineup of collections for the Summer. Stop by the library to view them all. If you are interested in exhibiting your collection or need additional information, please call Kelly Corrado (477-8377 Ext. 18).

Local Artist's Display

You may have noticed the artwork that has graced the walls of the library. The Works of Art Gallery at the library features a local artist's work each month. We also hold a "Meet the Artist" reception where you can meet the current month's artist and view more of his or her work.

Recently, we showcased the extraordinary photography of Charlotte D. Ottilo and the extraordinary artwork of Brian D. Tresca. The gallery walls will be used for our Summer Reading Program during the Summer. Artist of the Month exhibits will return in the Fall. If you are a local artist and would like to have your work shown, please call Kelly Corrado at the library (477-8377 Ext. 18).

On a Special Note

The Art Extravaganza held on April 30th was a phenomenal success. People from all over attended the show. Featured artists at the event included ten local alumni artists and seventeen Tuxedo High School students who were selected by their art teacher, Mrs. Leslie Hanes. We're looking forward to bringing you an even more spectacular event in the Spring of 2007. Watch for details in future newsletters.

Children/Young Adult 2006 Summer Reading Program - Books: A Treasure

Calling all Princesses, Princes, Knights and Pirates to join our annual **FREE Summer Reading Program at the Greenwood Lake Public Library!**



Children's Programs

All children from 2 years old (by June 30th) through 5th grade are welcome to register (WITH PARENT OR ADULT GUARDIAN) for the Summer Reading Program. Books, Crafts, Shows, Prizes, Parties and Fun are the **treasures** you will find at your library this summer!

Young Adult Programs

Young adults who have completed 6th grade through high school are eligible to register for this volunteer incentive program. Sign up and find a great summer read, help younger readers/library staff & earn community service credit. Create cool crafts and celebrate the end of the program with a fun trip!

Summer Reading Registration

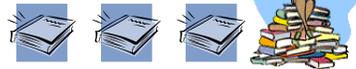
Registration in person is required for both the Children and Young Adult programs and is set for Thursday, June 22nd through Friday, June 30th. If, for some reason, you were unable to register your children by the June 30th end date, please see Rose-Emma, our Children's Librarian and she will be happy to accommodate you. For the Children's program registration, all children must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian. **PLEASE, ALL** children and young adults who are registering must have their OWN library card and **must bring it to registration.**

Book Reporting Times

Thursdays – 10AM-2PM & 6-8PM

Fridays – 12PM-4PM

Saturdays – 10AM-3PM



Reporting – Children should come once a week (during one of the Book Reporting Times) to report on what they've read. They should bring the books they've read with them. Reporting can take many forms – your child may simply tell us about their book or if they prefer, sing a song, draw a picture or perform a short skit about the book. We want the children to express themselves in a way that is most comfortable to them! After Reporting, the children will receive a special sticker to put on their Reading Record/Sticker Map and will be invited to work on a craft.

SUMMER READING SPECIAL PROGRAMS/EVENTS

**INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED
FOR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS**

Shooting Star Express with Ann Teed Wednesday, July 5th – 7PM – All Ages

Enjoy our terrific Summer Reading Family Kick-Off event, which will be held in our Program Room. The *Shooting Star Express* with Ann Teed is sure to get your children off to a bright Summer Reading experience. Preschool children must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.

Time for a Story with Eileen Stellies of the Black Dirt Storytelling Guild

Wednesday, July 12th – 6PM & 7:30PM – Ages 5-7

Come to our Program Room and listen to true tales of pirate and buried treasure adventures. There will also be a craft on Aged Treasure Maps. We have scheduled 2 shows, 6PM and 7:30PM, to accommodate more people. Seating is limited.

Muppets Treasure Island

Saturday, July 15th – 1-3PM – Preschool-Grade 3

Join us in our Program Room for a pirate movie afternoon. Enjoy light refreshments of popcorn and soda. Preschool children must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.

Triple Movie Extravaganza

Wednesday, July 19th – 12-7PM – Teen/Young Adult

Spend your day watching three exciting films in our Program Room or, if you prefer, one or two! Enjoy light refreshments of popcorn and soda. Our planned movie schedule is as follows: *A Knight's Tale* – 12-2PM, *National Treasure* – 2:30-4:30PM, and *Pirates of the Caribbean* – 5-7PM

Tales 'N' Tunes Musical Storytelling Duo

With Jan Connolly & Don Darmer

Wednesday, July 26th – 2PM – All Ages

Pass a lovely Wednesday afternoon with Jan Connolly & Don Darmer, listening to some wonderful stories and music. Don't miss what is sure to be an entertaining program for the entire family. Preschool children must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.

Puppet Show

Presented By Our Young Adult Volunteers

Saturday, July 29th – 1-3PM – Preschool-Grade 3

Don't miss out on this special show that will be performed and written by our Young Adult Volunteers. Preschool children must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.

OptiMystiks

Wednesday, August 2nd – 5PM & 7PM – All Ages

Don't miss Stephen Christopher performing out of his "Treasure Trunk" of Magic with live animals. This family event is sure to be a hit! We have scheduled 2 shows, 5PM and 7PM, to accommodate more people. Be sure to bring your camera! After each show, there will be a ½ hour photo opportunity with the

performers and the animals. Preschool children must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.

Trip to Medieval Times

Sunday, August 6th – 1:30PM – Teen/Young Adult

Teens and young adults who "EARN" their 100 points for participating in and helping out with our Summer Reading Program will be rewarded with a trip to Medieval Times in New Jersey. On the day of the trip, we will meet at the library at 1:30PM, depart at 2PM and return at 8PM. Not only will our Teen/Young Adult volunteers be rewarded for their hard work with this exciting trip, but those who need a letter confirming their community service will receive that as well!

Renaissance Faire Performer/Actor

Wednesday, August 9th – Time TBA – Teen/Young Adult

An actor from the Renaissance Faire will come and speak with our young adults/teens about acting and performing at the Faire. Here's an opportunity to learn first-hand about the acting experience.

The End! Ice Cream Party

Saturday, August 12th – 1-3PM – Ages 2-11 & Family

Be sure to come to our annual Summer Reading Celebratory Ice Cream Party! Besides ice cream, awards and prizes will be given out as well! Preschool children must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.

LIMITED TO ONE DATE FOR EACH COMPUTER PROGRAM

Computer Funtime – Ages 4-7

The children will be able to choose a game from a selection of CD ROMs, which they can then play on the computer. Program dates and times are:

Friday, July 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th & August 4th – 12-12:30PM

Saturday, July 15th, 22nd, 29th & August 5th – 12-12:30PM

Create a Fantasy or Treasure Poster – Ages 8-11

The children will search specific Internet web sites to find facts and pictures about fantasy creatures, pirates, castles and treasures, which they will use to create a poster. All posters will be displayed in the Program Room. Children who choose to participate in this educational/fun program will be rewarded with bowling gift certificates to Frontier Lanes in Warwick. Program dates and times are:

Friday, July 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th & August 4th – 1-2PM

Saturday, July 15th, 22nd, 29th & August 5th – 1-2PM

Computer Gametime – Ages 8-11

The children will be able to choose a game from a selection of CD ROMs, which they can then play on the computer. Program dates and times are:

Friday, July 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th & August 4th – 2:30-3PM

Saturday, July 15th, 22nd, 29th & August 5th – 2:30-3PM

If you have any questions regarding the Summer Reading Program or Children/Young Adult programs in general, please call Rose-Emma, at 477-8377 Ext. 19 or 20.

Friends of the Library Scholarship News!



The *Friends of the Library* recently awarded 2006 graduates, Danielle Pankovcin of Tuxedo High School and Matthew Scott of

Greenwood Lake Middle School, Outstanding Student Reader Scholarships and Certificates of Achievement for their literary skills in reading.

The *Junior Friends of the Library* also awarded 2006 graduates, Karen Nozkowski of Tuxedo High School and Monika Droescher of Greenwood Lake Middle School, Outstanding Student Writer Scholarships and Certificates of Achievement for their literary skills in writing.

Congratulations to these extraordinary graduates and the Class of 2006.



Children's Summer Reading Suggestions



Fiction

Under the Jolly Roger

By L. A. Meyer

The Treasure

By Uri Shulevitz

Non-Fiction

Gold and Silver, Silver and Gold

By Alvin Schwartz

Castle Diary: Journal of Tobias Burgess

Transcribed by Richard Platt



YA Summer Reading Suggestions

Fiction

The Book without Words: A Fable of Medieval Magic

By Avi

The Star of Kazan

By Eva Ibbotson

Non-Fiction

The World Guide to Gnomes, Fairies, Elves and Other Little People

By Thomas Keightly

Muggles & Magic

By George Beahm



Welcome to Our New Junior Friends of the Library!

The newly-organized Junior Friends of the Library was established in April 2006. This is a youth group formed to raise community awareness of the library by promoting its many educational and entertainment resources as well as the library's adult, family and children's programs. Our mission includes involving the youth in sponsored fund-raising events in support of the library. Recently, the JFOL held its first Bake Sale raising over \$360, which can be used by the library for various items, such as library materials, shelving, display cases, new ceiling tiles, etc.

If you would like to become a member, please call Kelly Corrado, the JFOL Advisor, at the library (477-8377 Ext. 18) for a membership application or for additional information.

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