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This summer marked the Dexter District Library's 15th year of offering a Summer Reading Program and what a summer it was! This summer 1,269 children, teens and adults participated in the program. The Library offered a variety of activities throughout the summer in conjunction with the Summer Reading Program, including entertainers, educational programs, movies and guest speakers. One of the highlights this summer was a visit from the Leslie Science and Nature Center, when the speakers brought a live bald eagle to the Library! The Library also hosted Drop In Craft Days for children, weekly story times, movie events, speakers on fly fishing and canoeing for adults and encouraged everyone to read for fun with weekly prize drawings for participants.



All children who met their summer reading goal and turned in their reading record received a goody bag with small prizes and

Francie Krawcke and Leanne Chadwick from the Leslie Science and Nature Center in Ann Arbor brought a bald eagle to the Library as part of the program "Hunters of the Sky" during the Library's summer events series.

Photo by Mary Westhoff

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Dates to Remember:

Sept. 18
College Fair
10:00 am—4:00 pm

September 19
Classical Music Concert
2:00 pm

Sept. 20
Story Times begin
Registration required

September 24
Drop In Books and Chocolate for
Teens
4:00 pm

September 30
Start Your Own Business Workshop
7:00 pm

October 8—Drop In Halloween Story
Time and Craft

Look for More Events Inside this
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LIBRARY MILLAGE RENEWAL

The Dexter District Library Board of Trustees will place a millage renewal question before the voters on this November's ballot. The Library will be seeking renewal of 0.6925 mills for general operating purposes. This issue, representing approximately 60% of the Library's annual income, will be a straight renewal of existing funding.

In 2005, the community passed a six year, 0.7 (seven tenths) mill operating millage along with the bond for the construction of the new Alpine Street Library building. This operating millage has been rolled back by the Headlee

Amendment to 0.6925 mills and will expire after the December 2010 tax collection, providing Library funding through the 2011 fiscal year.

After advertising public input sessions in this newsletter and in the Dexter Leader, the Library received very low turnout for the summer input sessions, scheduled during June and July. The input sessions provided members of the community with information on Library programs, services and finances.

The Library Board considered the public input and weighed the options for placing a millage renewal proposal on the November, 2010 ballot. Because there will be no cost to the Library for the

November election, the Library Board chose to place the renewal question on the ballot at this time.

The ballot issue to renew the operating millage will request a straight renewal for another six years. No Headlee override or restoration of the original amount will be requested.

The County Clerk's office no longer issues proposal designations for items on the ballot. The Library's millage renewal will be listed under the title "Library Millage Renewal."

Questions regarding the election may be directed to Library Director, Paul McCann by calling the Library at 426-4477 or via e-mail pmccann@dexter.lib.mi.us

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everyone who met their reading goal was entered into the grand prize drawings.

Each Friday, the Library hosted entertaining and educational programs as well as special Library events throughout the summer. These events provided families with fun, educational entertainment coupled with a message to keep reading.



Alyssa Gullickson won an "Alphabet Apple" in the grand prize drawing.

Events at the Library this summer included Critchlow Alligator Sanctuary, Storyteller La'Ron Williams, Lori Fithian's "Drumcommunity" totally hands-on music program, Leslie Science and Nature Center's "Hunters of the Sky" and local Beekeeper, Dr. Peter Sutherland. The Final Summer Reading Program Wrap-Up Party in August brought Bev Meyer's "The Music Lady" performance for children while teens enjoyed a Sundae Making Party on the lower level.

Teens were treated to many new programs this summer. Drop-In Swing Dancing, Super Science Day with the Ann Arbor Hands On Museum, Murder Mystery Night, Cake Sculpting & Tasting, Gaming with Vault of Midnight and Pizza Making with Cottage Inn.

Throughout the program, the Library held weekly prize drawings. Several area businesses and civic organizations contributed money, incentive prizes and gift certificates to the

program this year. Their generosity allowed the Library to hold these special drawings for prizes as an additional incentive for children to keep reading.

The Library held a Grand Prize Drawing at the conclusion of the Summer Reading Program. All children and teens who met their summer reading goals entered their reading records into the drawings and names were selected at random. This year 144 winners received prizes in the Grand Prize Drawing. The Grand Prize winners and their prizes are as follows:

Eighty teenagers met their reading goals for the "Make Waves at Your Library" Summer Reading Program. The lucky names drawn included Zeke Bass and Julie Pastorino, who each received four tickets to a Detroit Tigers Baseball Game. A \$75 Family Pass to The Henry Ford went to Christine Melvin. Camille Henry, Joy Hook and Kieron Moller each received iPods. A Comfort Inn Family Swim Pass went to Annalane Miller. Nathan Dobrei, Tommy Kenworthy, Lauren Kimmel and Emily VanDusen were drawn to receive \$25 gift certificates to Vault of Midnight comic store. \$25 gift cards to the Quality 16 Movie Theater went to Jacob DeBerry, Emily Fauser, Connor Johnson, Lee Ramsey and Molly Ripka. \$10 gift certificates to Nicola's Books went to William Liskiewicz and Claire Stetten and \$5 gift cards to Jet's Pizza went to Kevin Kimmel and Aimee McKenzie.

This year, 353 young readers completed their Reading Club Records and were entered into the final prize drawing for the "Make A Splash" children's reading program. The lucky names drawn in the final prize drawing included Lucas Betzoldt, Cole Darby, Reilly Trammel and Robin Turley who each received four tickets to a Detroit Tigers Baseball Game. Hunter

Benson and Noelle Whipple each received a \$75 Family Pass to The Henry Ford Museum. A Bowling Party for ten at Colonial Lanes went to Nicholas Gajarski. Samantha Cox, Courtney Fiegel, Craig Needham and Alexis Terbush each received iPods. Comfort Inn Swim Passes went to Noah Hayter, Cole Sheldon and Spencer McMichael. \$25 gift cards to the Quality 16 Movie Theater went to Mac Bowman, Ashley Darwin, Madison Delacy, Gabi Fracassi, Lucy Fuller, Alex Golin, Jacob Nestor, Andrew Schultz, Gregory Su and Grace Whipple. Gift certificates to Dancer's Edge @ Studio D went to Masie Inman, Rylee Inman, Maura Moller, Rachel Pryslak, Lilly Turley and Elizabeth Young. Pop-Up Books went to T.J. Atwell, Jack Blodgett, Matthew Gordon, Kyle Knapp, Ryan Murphy, Anthony Roperti and Gabe Shensky. \$10 gift cards to Toys R Us went to Michael Brown, Julian Meyer, Kathleen Roleson, Alana Taylor and Danielle Westman and \$5 gift cards to Jet's Pizza went to Jack Kirkey, Maggie Needham, Michael Sadler and Emma Young.

The "Make a Splash" reading program for preschoolers was also a great success with 220 children completing their Read-To-Me Records and entered into the final prize drawing. The lucky names drawn included Daniel Delduca and Sarah Glover who received \$75 Family Passes to The Henry Ford. Family Passes to the Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum went to Amelia Ackerman, Brady Fletcher and Connor Kril. A Talking Farm went to Kaitlyn Darby. An Alphabet Sound Book went to Ryan Naughton. Alphabet Apples went to Emily Kate Covert and Alyssa Gullekson. The Diego Dinosaur Set went to Matthew Biggs. \$10 gift cards to Toys R Us went to Owen Ackerman, Emma Bishop, Christoph Fermann, Georgia Fletcher, Justin Hu, Chelsea Jones, Caleb Kril, Lydia McMichael, Clark Sheldon and Adam Turley. Children's books

and giant candy bars went to Julie Berkholz, Lillian Bess, Lucas Bunten, Cole Cabana, Kayla Dunklee, Violet Fore, Adam Gilbert, Justin Grissom, Abigail Jacob, Mary Kluczyk, Megan O'Day, Cecelia Palazzolo, Joe Schloss, John Schloss, Marissa Schnurstein, Alayna Sikora, Chance Sobry, Alice Trinkle, Rosie Weber and Carson Zaski. Additionally, the following children who participated in the Reading Program or the Read-to-Me Program won \$10 gift certificates to Nicola's Books: Zach Barnes, Alina Birchmeier, Kevin Blanchard, Jenny Bow, John Brooks, Sabina Carty, Morgan Colosky, D.J. Fischer, Rigglee Fischer, Carter Fletcher, George Frost, Jon Gajarski, Jasper Howell, Elisabeth Johanson, Faith Jones, Morgan Jones, Emma Kuehnel, Amanda Lesser, Brea Mahoney, Emily Nelson, Charlie Norton, Jillian Owens, Lauren Penrose, Calvin Portice, Daisy Prevost, Philip Rabideau, James Ramey, Porter Ransom, Noah Rosenzweig, Emma Spiess, Morgan Sturmer, Elisabeth Trinkle, Nicole Tuzinowski, Sarah Tuzinowski, Hailee Water, Johnny Weber, Grady Wheeler and Grace Zadrynski.

Congratulations to all the winners and readers who participated in this year's Summer Reading Program! The Library encourages parents and children to keep this wonderful program in mind for next summer!



Maura and Kieron Moller enjoy their prizes for meeting their reading goals.

FALL EVENTS FOR KIDS AND FAMILIES

Saturday, September 18

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 pm
Dexter District Library College Fair for Teens and Parents

Monday, September 20

Toddler and Preschool Story Times begin and run until November 11
Registration required

Wednesday, September 22

4:30 to 5:30 pm
Super Stories Book Discussion Group for Grades K-2
“Learn About Your Library”
Registration required

Friday, September 24

4:00 to 4:45 pm
Drop-In Books & Chocolate for Teens
Bring your favorite book and share it with friends.

Wednesday, September 29

4:30 to 5:30 pm
Book Snackers Book Discussion Group for Grades 3-5
Beezus and Ramona by Beverly Cleary—Registration

Thursday, September 30

4:00 to 5:00 pm
Drop-In Wii Sports for Ages 8 and Up

Friday, October 8

11:00 am
Drop-In Halloween Story Time and Craft
Wear your costume, hear some Halloween stories, do a simple craft and take home a trick-or-treat bag!

Saturday, October 16

11:00 am
“Fiber Fest” with Carousel Acres
Learn about the animals that bring us the warm clothing and sweaters we depend on when fall comes to Michigan. Meet an alpaca, angora goat, angora rabbit and sheep in person. Along with these fiber animals you will also learn about the process of cleaning, carding, spinning and weaving.

Wednesday, October 20

4:30 pm
Super Stories for Grades K-2
Registration required

Friday, October 29

5:00 – 7:00 pm
Book Snackers for Grades 3-5
Mystery Party with Pizza
Registration required

Saturday, October 30

11:00 am
Wild Swan Theater Presents: *Strega Nona*
All Ages

2:00 – 3:30 pm

Drop-In Cupcake decorating

Friday, November 4

10:00 – 11:00 am
Kinderconcert!
Music and movement for children presented by the Ann Arbor Symphony ages 1 – 5
Refreshments

Wednesday, November 10

4:30 pm
Super Stories for Grades K-2
“Farm Animals and Turkeys”
Registration required

Saturday, November 13

11:00 am
“The Farm Lady” presents: Turkey in the Straw!
Learn about fall on the farm and meet a live turkey.

Wednesday, November 17

4:30 pm
Book Snackers for Grades 3-5 – *Thanksgiving Turkey Trouble* by Abby Klein

Monday, November 22

11:00 am
Drop-In Thanksgiving Story Time and Craft

Wednesday, November 24

11:00 am
Family Movies & Popcorn
A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving and *Alvin’s Thanksgiving Celebration*

Thursday, November 25

Library is Closed

All Library programs are free and open to the public.

LOIS LOWRY’S *GOSSAMER* GUEST BOOK REVIEW BY LUCY FULLER

Gossamer is a magnificent novel written by Lois Lowry. She has written many books but, I have only read *Gossamer*, although, I plan to read more by her.

Gossamer is a book of three lives that come together to make one story. *Gossamer* falls into two genres; fantasy and realistic fiction. The fantasy is from one of the three lives, which is about a group of dream givers. Each one is assigned a house where they collect fragments of memories from objects in the home that they later use to create and give dreams.

The other two lives are realis-

tic fiction. One story is about a boy, John, who was taken away from his mother by the police and is now living with a kind woman who is trying to be the best “mom” she can be. But John only wants one mom. He has faith that his real mom is coming for him. He struggles, but his dream givers try to ease the difficulties.

As for the other story, it is about a woman (John’s mom) who is trying to get her life together so she can be a parent and have her son back. As you can see, this is definitely realistic fiction because children sadly do get taken from their parents. But this story is not anyone’s specific story.

I like this book because it is a

nice book that brings fantasy to reality in an uncomplicated way. This book can teach you life doesn’t always turn out the way you would like, but you should give it a chance. This book made me think about if my house had our own dream giver, even though they are not real.

I recommend this book to really anyone that is looking for a great book that is sad at some times and happy at others. Although all ages would enjoy this book, it would be best for ages 9 to 14.

I truly hope whoever is reading this review will read *Gossamer*, by Lois Lowry.



Lucy Fuller, age 10, enjoyed the book *Gossamer* by Lois Lowry

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

It was a rough Saturday on August 14 at the Library. In the middle of Dexter Daze and with a temperature outside of 92 degrees and a heat index of 100, the Library lost power to its air conditioning system.

However, The Friends of the Library persevered and wrapped up their best annual Book Sale to date. Over the course of the one day sale, the Friends earned over \$2,500 by selling their stock to Library customers and visitors in town for Dexter Daze!

In preparation for the sale, the Friends asked the community to withhold their donations for two weeks around the time of Dexter Daze. However, with the great success of this sale, the Friend's book stock has been depleted. If you have items in good condition you would like to donate, please feel free to drop them off at the Library during open hours. As always, the Library reviews donations and selects items to add to the collection before passing the

remainder along to the Friends of the Library.

Proceeds from the Friend's Book Sales are used to supplement the Library's resources. Recently, the Friends sponsored the addition of the storage bin for the Magazine Exchange as well as purchasing an Ellison die machine. The Ellison dies allow the Library staff to cut out paper shapes to decorate the various areas in the Library, especially the Youth Department. Over the years, Library staff have taken ad-

vantage of this equipment through the Washtenaw Intermediate School District. With the WISD funding diminished, the media center there has been reduced and the equipment not maintained. With the Friends sponsorship, the Library staff will be able to continue to create ever changing, vibrant displays and decorations for the Library. Thanks to the Friends and their loyal book sale customers!



FALL PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

Thursday, September 23
7:00 pm

"Making Eggrolls with Ming"
Eggroll making and tasting!
Registration required

Sunday, September 26
2:00 pm

"Overcoming Stage Fright"
program with Julie and Louis Nagel.

Wednesday, September 29
6:00 pm

Investing Fundamentals - Broad based overview of markets and investment vehicles presented by Michigan Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation with help from the Investor Protection Trust. The program will run from 6:00 to 7:30 pm with time for individual, non-commercial consultations from 7:30 to 8:45 pm. Registration required

Thursday, September 30
7:00 pm

Planning and Starting Your Own Business - Join Steve Feinman, District Director of SCORE. SCORE is a volunteer organization of business executives providing free busi-

ness advice to new and small business owners to help them succeed.

Sunday, October 3 - 2:00 pm

Dexter Chamber Orchestra presents a free classical music concert.

Tuesday, October 5 - 7:00 pm

Drop In Sip-n-Stitch needlework group.

Wednesday, October 6
6:00 pm

Principles of Structuring and Investment Portfolio (Part 1) presented by Michigan Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation with help from the Investor Protection Trust. Registration required

Monday, October 11
7:00 pm

Somewhere in Time book discussion group will discuss "The Man Who Loved China" by Simon Winchester. Registration required

Wednesday, October 13
6:00 pm

Principles of Structuring and Investment Portfolio (Part 2) presented by Michigan Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation with help from the Investor Protection Trust. Registration required

Tuesday, October 19
7:00 pm

Haunted Michigan - Ghost stories and tales for adults presented by Kat Tedsen and Bev Rydel, authors of the popular "Haunted" travel series of books.

Wednesday, October 20
7:00 pm

IRA's and 401K's - presented by Michigan Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation with help from the Investor Protection Trust. Registration required

Thursday, October 21
2:00 pm

Better Off Read book discussion group will discuss "On the Occasion of My Last Afternoon" by Kaye Gibbons. Registration required

Wednesday, October 27
7:00 pm

Avoiding Investment Fraud - presented by Michigan Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation with help from the Investor Protection Trust. Registration required

Tuesday, November 2 - 7:00 pm

Drop In Sip-n-Stitch needlework group will meet.

Wednesday, November 3
6:30 pm

"The Art and Culture of Iran" presented by Professor Elizabeth Thoburn of Washtenaw Community College.

Sunday, December 5 - 2:00 pm

Holiday Cakes: Making and Decorating with Heather Leavitt of Sweet Heather Anne specialty cakes.

Registration for adult events can be made at the Library's adult reference desk on the second floor or by calling the Library at 426-4477. Please check the Library's web site for additional events.

CONQUOR STAGE FRIGHT WITH JULIE AND LOUIS NAGEL

Have you ever been nervous about giving a speech? Have you had to perform in front of a live audience and had the jitters? If so, you might be interested in visiting the Library on Sunday, September 26, beginning at 2:00 pm when Julie and Louis Nagel will hold a discussion on stage fright and performance anxiety. The Nagels will provide an engaging program that looks at the psychological issues involved in presenting in front of a group. Whether the situation is an audition for a play, a musical performance, a presentation to co-workers or an oral report to a school class, this discussion will hold something for everyone, young or old!

The discussion will be followed by a performance of "Papillons" by Robert Schumann, performed by Louis Nagel.

Louis Nagel combines an active concert and teaching schedule and is noted for his lecture-recitals by musicians and non-musicians alike. He has performed in highly acclaimed solo recitals and concerto concerts in major American and European cities. He is Director of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance Outreach Program at U-M and advisor to the Bachelor of Musical Arts Degree program.

For over 25 years Julie Nagel, PhD, has been helping people from all walks of life with personal and professional issues that interfere with enjoyment of their relationships and success in their occupations. Some of these issues include anxiety, depression, relationship and career issues, and performance anxiety (musicians, public speakers, academics, test takers, social anxiety). She has been a frequent presenter at conferences and symposia on the topics of performance anxiety as well as the relationship between



music and emotions and holds a doctorate in Psychology and Social work from the University of Michigan. Julie also holds two degrees in piano performance from the Julliard School.

CLASSICAL MUSIC CONCERT - SEPTEMBER 19

Join us at the Library on Sunday, September 19 at 2:00 pm for a special classical music concert with Violinist Maria Bessmeltseva & Pianist Ilya Blinov who will perform selections from Stravinsky, Brahms, Monti, Schnittke, Schostakovich, and Beethoven.

Beginning her studies at the age of 6, Bessmeltseva entered the Special Music School of Rimsky-Korsakov at the St. Petersburg State Conservatory, where she was working with Alla

Aranovskaya, the first violinist of the award-winning "St. Petersburg String Quartet". From an early age Bessmeltseva performed in St. Petersburg concert halls such as Glinka Philharmonic Chamber Hall and St. Petersburg State Capella.

In 2008 Bessmeltseva was chosen to represent the University of Michigan in "The Conservatory Project" in Washington DC and performed at the Kennedy Center on Millennium

Stage. In the same year, she also performed in New York's Carnegie Hall as an orchestra member of the University of Michigan.

Ilya Blinov, from Nizhny Novgorod (formerly Gorky), Russia, began his musical studies at the age of six. A graduate of the Music College of Nizhny Novgorod and the Nizhny Novgorod State Conservatoire, he was the recipient of a special prize at the

2003 International Piano Competition in Tolyatti, Russia, won the Concerto Competition at the University of Michigan (January 2008) and took part in The Gilmore Keyboard Festival, Kalamazoo, MI (April-May 2008). In April 2010, he was awarded a Doctor of Musical Arts degree (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor).

This concert is free and open to the public.

FALL SHOW FOCUSES ON FIBER ARTS



The tapestry of our lives takes on a variety of forms. Join us at the Library when the Lower Level Gallery will be transformed by a local artists displaying a diverse body of fiber art works.

Opening on September 7 and running through the end of October, the gallery will host a lively exhibition of quilts, tapestries and other works.

The Library's gallery space is open during regular open hours. The Library is assisted by Distinct Designs of Ann Arbor in presenting these rotating exhibits.



Teen Department

Look for some great changes this fall in the teen room. In late September or early October, the Library will be rearranging some of the shelving to provide for better organization of our Young Adult book collection. We will be making more room for our new graphic novel collection and spreading out the fiction to make it more accessible.

The Teen Department also has a number of programs scheduled for the fall and additional events will be added in the coming months. Programs for the fall include:

Saturday, September 18 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

College Preparation Day — see the article below

Friday, September 24 4:00 to 4:45 pm

Drop-In Books & Chocolate for Teens. Bring your favorite book and share it with friends. This lively discussion will help teens discover new books as they share what they are reading with other

teenagers. Bring your ideas for future meetings. As always, snacks will be served!

Thursday, September 30 4:00 to 5:00 pm

Drop-In Wii Sports for Ages 8 and Up—Come test your skills at tennis, bowling and other Wii sports against others at the Library and see who is this month's champion!

Friday, October 8 4:00 to 5:00 pm

Drop-In Craft afternoon for grades 5 and up.

Thursday, October 14 4:00 to 4:45 pm

Drop-In Books & Chocolate for teens. The discussion topic for this meeting will be determined at the September 24 meeting.

Friday, October 22 6:30-8:30 pm

Teen Movie Night: Alfred Hitchcock's *The Birds* (1963)

A wealthy San Francisco play-girl pursues a potential boyfriend to a small Northern California town that slowly takes a turn for the bizarre when birds of all kinds suddenly begin to attack people there in increasing numbers and with increasing viciousness. Rated PG-13

Saturday, October 30 2:00 – 3:30 pm

Stop in for a fun afternoon of Halloween cupcake decorating! All supplies provided, open to children grades 5 through 12. Registration required

Friday, November 12 4:00 to 5:30 pm

After School Anime for Teens. Come and watch an anime film, talk about your favorite manga comics and enjoy a Japanese snack! This program is for grades 6 to 12.

Saturday, November 20 2:00 to 3:30 pm

Beaded Bookmark Craft. Teens can come to the Library and create their own beaded bookmark. Supplies are provided and this program is for grades 5 through 12.

Friday, November 23 1:00 to 2:00 pm

Drop-In Cocoa Bar and Books for Teens. This is a special time for this meeting as the schools have an early release day!

Saturday, November 27 4:00 to 5:00 pm

Drop-In Wii Sports for Ages 10 and Up—Come test your abilities in tennis, bowling and more!

Saturday, December 11 2:00 to 3:30 pm

Drop-In Card Making Workshop. Stop in and get a jump on the holiday season and make a greeting card for parents, siblings or friends. This program is designed for grades 5 through 12. Bring your creative ideas and make something special for that important person in your life!



Are you having trouble finding and paying for the college that is right for you, writing those pesky essays, and taking those entrance exams? If so, the Library has a program for you! Spend an informative day with local college application experts on Saturday, September 18 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Community High's college prep counselor John Boshoven and Deb Merion, the founder of Essay Coaching, will be joined by performance coach Geraldine Markel at this event for parents and teens. Take the edge off the search and application process!

The day's speakers will include Cassie Olsen, Kaplan Test Prep and Admissions Center Director, John B. Boshoven, MA, MSW,

LPC, Past President of the Michigan Association for College Admission Counseling and the Counselor for Continuing Education at Ann Arbor's Community High School, Debbie Eisenberg Merion, the founder of Essay Coaching (essaycoaching.com) which conducts college essay writing workshops and provides creative, personalized, goal-oriented essay coaching for individuals and Geraldine Markel, PhD, creator of Managing Your Mind Seminars (managingyourmind.com) and a performance coach specializing in helping students attain academic success on tests and in the classroom. Dr. Markel will provide simple but powerful techniques for

preparing for high-stakes tests. Tips for adolescents with ADD and/or learning disabilities will be included. Several Michigan colleges will have representatives on hand to discuss admissions during breakout sessions. Also presenting will be the Circle K student tutor volunteers. These college age students, affiliated with Kiwanis International, will talk about their volunteer tutoring services.

The day's schedule will be as follows:

10:00 to 11:00 am
John Boshoven

11:00 to noon
Cassie Simpson

Noon to 1:30 pm

Open College Booths and lunch break

1:30 to 2:30 pm

Circle K Student Volunteers Panel Presentation

2:30 to 3:30 pm – Deb Merion and Geraldine Markel

3:30 to 4:30 pm - Open Time for College Booths

Drop in for an hour or spend the whole day, there will be interesting topics being discussed through the fair! This program is free, open to the public.

College Prep Day at the Library

MOVIES AT THE LIBRARY

Friday, October 8 at 6:30 pm

Friday Night Movies featuring "Ondine" (2009) The story of an Irish fisherman who discovers a woman in his fishing net who he believes to be a mermaid, starring Colin Farrell, rated PG-13



Friday, October 15 at 2:00 pm

Muffins and Movies featuring "Princess Ka'iulani" (2009) The true story of a Hawaiian princess' attempts to maintain the independence of the island against the threat of American colonization, starring Q'orianka Kilcher and Barry Pepper, rated PG

Friday, October 22 at 6:30 pm

Teen Movie Night: Alfred Hitchcock's "The Birds" (1963) Join us for this classic thriller, just in time for some Halloween chills! Rated PG-13



Friday, November 12 at 6:30 pm

Friday Night Movies featuring "Home for the Holidays" (1995) After losing her job, making out with her soon to be ex-boss, and finding out that her daughter plans to spend Thanksgiving with her boyfriend, Claudia Larson has to face spending the holiday with her family. She won-

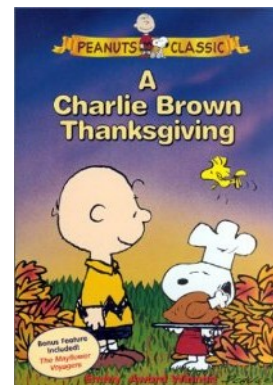
ders if she can survive their crazy antics, starring Holly Hunter and Robert Downey, Jr., rated PG-13

Friday, November 19 at 2:00 pm

Muffins and Movies featuring "The New World" (2005) A drama about explorer John Smith and the clash between Native Americans and English settlers in the 17th century; Starring Colin Farrell and Q'orianka Kilcher, rated PG-13

Wednesday, November 24 at 11:00 a.m.

Family Movies & Popcorn
A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving and Alvin's Thanksgiving Celebration
Join us at the Library for these perennial television favorites!



SUPER STORIES AND BOOK SNACKERS BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

Wednesday, September 22 at 4:30 pm

Super Stories Goes Back to School

Children in Kindergarten through 2nd grade are invited to register for our Super Stories program. This month, we will be sharing stories and activities all about your Library!



Wednesday, September 29 at 4:30 pm

Book Snackers

Kids who are entering grades 3-5 in the fall are welcome to attend a discussion of "Beezus and Ramona" by Beverly Cleary. We will be sharing thoughts about the book and having a snack too!

Wednesday, October 20 at 4:30 pm

Super Stories

Children in grades K-2 are welcome to join us for a discussion of the Halloween book "T-Rex Trick or Treat" by Lois Grambling. Please join us for other dino stories and a treat!

Book Snackers

Wednesday, October 29 at 4:30 pm

Book Snackers

It's a Mystery Party! Children in Grades 3-5 will read a mystery and report back on their investigation.

Wednesday, November 10 at 4:30 pm

Super Stories

Children in grades K-2 are welcome to come and celebrate Thanksgiving with a variety of Thanksgiving, farm and turkey tales to share.



Wednesday, November 17 at 4:30 pm

Book Snackers

The Thanksgiving theme continues for children in Grades 3-5 when the Book Snackers will discuss "Thanksgiving Turkey Trouble" by Abby Klein.

Registration for Book Snackers and Super Stories programs is available at the Youth Department Reference Desk.

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Hours:
Mon-Fri: 9 AM—9 PM
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Sun: 1 PM—5 PM



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