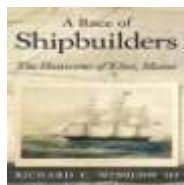


William Fogg Library Newsletter

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Meet and Greet Local Authors

Richard E. Winslow III.
Monday, October 21
6:30 - 7:30

In the 1600s, members of the Hanscom family settled in the Kittery/Eliot area of Maine as British colonial subjects in the New World. Over a period of three hundred years, a number of their descendants became nationally known shipbuilders and naval constructors. This book describes their successes, accomplishments, trials, and tribulations in forging their imprint on the maritime/marine/naval world.

Laura Pope & Kimberly Crisp

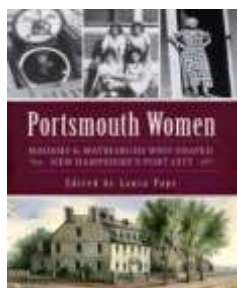
Discuss *Portsmouth Women: Madams & Matriarchs Who Shaped New Hampshire's Port City*

Monday, December 2
6:00 pm

In the history of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, countless women rose above a Rigid society to make their marks on the seaport city. In the eighteenth century, Alice Shannon Hight became a successful tavern keeper, outliving two husbands and providing for ten children. Others flourished in more scandalous ventures, like Alta Roberts, otherwise known as the Black Mystery of Portsmouth always donned in black, she operated a successful brothel at the Roberts House Saloon in the nineteenth century. Even greater achievements would come in later years from the likes of Mary Carey Dondero, who became one of the first women elected mayor in New England. This collection of essays, compiled by author and historian Laura Pope, celebrates the victories large and small — of **Portsmouth's notable women.**

Are you a Maine Author?

The William Fogg Library is seeking authors for an Authors' Fair to be held Monday night, October 28th at the library from 6 p.m. To 8 p.m. Authors will be invited to do book signings, greet fans, and sell book s during these hours. Refreshments will be served. For more information please call the library at (207)439-9437 or email goodwinl@william-fogg.lib.me.us



Wednesday Evening Book
Group
Wednesday, September 25
6:30-8:00

Susan Cain's *Quiet: The Power of Introverts in a World that Can't Stop Talking*. Published in 2012 and was voted the best non fiction book of the year by Goodreads.com

Murder Mystery Dinner



Join us once again for lots of laughs and a good mystery as we offer our popular Murder Mystery Dinner fundraiser at the Regatta Room on November 9th. The event features Get-A-Clue-Productions performing "The Haunting of Gordon's Ghost." Wandering spirits, a would-be psychic, and an outrageous plumber combine in this classic and crazy story of love, suspicion and murder!

The event starts at 6:00 p.m. With a pasta buffet dinner (including Caesar salad, Italian bread and desserts) and the show. Come early for a fun cast mingle! There will be a cash bar and 50/50 raffle as well. Tickets are \$40.00 per person and a table of eight is \$300.00. (Payment in full is due at time of purchase.) Tickets are available at the library, the Town Hall, and via PayPal at www.williamfogglibrary.org.

Thank you to our sponsor to date: Jeff Kolod Edward Jones Investment Advisor.
Last year, this event nearly sold out, so get your tickets today!

Submitted by
William Fogg Library Special Projects Committee

Adult Book Discussions

Wednesday Evening Book Group meets the third Wednesday of the month at 6:30 pm.

The History Book Club meets the second Monday of the month, alternating between the William Fogg Public Library and Rice Public Library in Kittery 4–6 pm.

Gentle Yoga with Sallie Sharpless will continue this fall!

Look for the complete schedule soon on our website.

Lots of Fun for Kids this Sprint!

William Fogg Library

Fall 2013 Story Time Schedule

The library is committed to offering free quality programs for children and their families. These programs are designed to foster an early and ongoing love of books, libraries, and learning. Help your child develop essential early literacy skills by bringing them to story time!

Programs begin on September 9 and end on Dec 19

(There is no story time the week of Nov 25)

Lapsit, Squirm, and Wiggle

Tuesdays, 9:30-10:00 am
Ages 6-18 months



This lively lapsit program is a fun social time for babies and their caregivers. We'll share board books, sounds, rhymes, songs, and play-time.

Toddler Time

Tuesdays, 10:30-11:30 am
Ages 18-36 months



This program encourages children and their grownups to actively participate in the stories, songs and finger plays. We'll work on our toddler skills; counting, color recognition and taking turns while having lots of fun.

Preschool

Tuesdays, 1:30-2:15 pm
or Thursdays, 10:30-11:15 am
Ages 3-6 years



Each story time is based around a theme and includes picture books, flannel board stories, finger plays, and a simple craft. Parents/caregivers are welcome to join their children or make it an independent activity (please do not leave the library).

Make-it, Take-it Craft Table is the first two weeks of every month.

Also, reserve now to showcase your Collections in our display case!

BookGear

Nature Detectives

Meets Oct 10, 24, Nov 7, 21
Dec 5, 19 from 3-4:30

BookGear is an afterschool program for young readers ages 8-12. Through book discussions, hands-on activities, and special guests we will share new understandings about the nature of science, and begin to unravel what it means to be a real nature detective. Sign up in the Kent Room.



BookGear materials were provided by Island Readers and Writers of Mount Desert, ME
Check them out on the web at www.islandreadersandwriters.org

Thank you to our loyal volunteers:

Who faithfully help us with so many tasks:
Deb Crosier, Maggie Bristol, Katherine Mendez Kayla Gildersleeve, Nina Dashti-Gibson, Chloe Schmir & Adam Kipp.

And for these special projects:

Eliot Garden Club for planting the Fogg House garden and the lovely planters in front of the library.
Larry Kent for planting the beautiful flower pots.
Adam Kipp and the Coasties for all your help with landscaping and yard clean-up.
Paul Spezia for weeding the Fogg House garden and donating the soaker hose and bark mulch. The Fogg House garden looks exquisite!

Are you a high school student needing community service hours?

We are currently seeking volunteer library pagers on Mon, Wed & Saturdays. This position is an indirect service provider helping to maintain the availability of library materials by shelving books and other materials, reading the shelves and organizing materials into their proper sequence.

Do You Have Old Yearbooks?

We are seeking donations of yearbooks from Eliot High School Quill: 1948, 1949, 1954 & 1964.
South Berwick High School Pioneer: 1960- 1965 (we have 1966)
Marshwood High School Reed: 1967, 1968, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2004—present.



From the Library Trustees

Jessie Kent, Peter Dennett, and Steve Beckert



After 12 years with us, Susan Sinnott Ott has decided to move on; her last day at the library was July 27th. We **are grateful for Susan's work during these years and** wish her well in her future endeavors.

The library will continue to serve you as usual under the capable hands of Lydia Goodwin (Library Operations and Technical Manager and Adult Services Librarian) and **Nicole LaBranche (Children's Services Librarian)**. They will be assisted by Peggy Elliott and Jane Cowen Fletcher. So there are the same friendly, helpful faces to meet and greet and offer assistance when needed.

We regret that we can no longer offer the Friday hours. We are still unsure of our budget request from the town and with several large expense items in our operations and maintenance needs; we are forced to make cuts. We will make every effort to maintain library services and to find ways to expand them. Thank you for your understanding and continuing support

Our largest fundraiser will again be the Murder Mystery Dinner at the Regatta Room on November 9th. This is a fun way to help the library and enjoy an evening of good food and a lot of laughs. This project is dedicated to fundraising for the painting of the inside of the library and paving for extended parking.

Purchases of historic afghans and engraved bricks are very helpful!

Submitted by Jessie Kent

We appreciate all the votes received in **Kennebunk Savings Bank's Community Survey!**

Please Welcome Jennilee MacClean!
Jennilee will be assisting us with children's programming and **will attend the circulation desks in the Kent Children's Room and Adult Services.**

From the Friends of the William Fogg Library

OCTOBER FEST RETURNS
SAVE THE DATE:
OCTOBER 5TH
RAIN DATE OCTOBER 6TH



Friends of the Library will, once again, host October Fest, the popular fun-filled event that has been a yearly activity since 2000. All activity will be on the grounds of the William Fogg Library. There will be many children's activities, delicious clam chowder and freshly-grilled 'dogs and burgers as well as a large selection of items in the silent auction (items will be displayed in the library two weeks prior to the Fest during which time bids may be made and then continue during the 5th.) Individuals and organizations are invited to enter their homemade scarecrows in the competition to be judged that day. If military displays are your thing, be sure to stop by Walter Hanson's encampment--Walter's tent is fully furnished and he loves to share his vast knowledge of things military. Back by popular vote will be the children's hands-on woodworking project designed by master builder Fran Hartford. And don't forget the pumpkin decorating table, a candle dipping table and so much more. Come enjoy the music, the food and the activity!! FMI: 439-4537.

Just a reminder, the Friends will meet for its quarterly meetings on the 3rd Saturdays of the month. Our October meeting will be at 10:30 A.M. October 19th in the library's Sarah Farmer Room. Please plan to attend, AND BRING A FRIEND. We have a great organization--let's keep it rolling!

Submitted by Carolyn Bogh

How Are the Funds Raised by the Friends of the Library spent?
The Friends of the Library pays for the summer reading program, special school vacation programs, and passes to the Museum of Fine Arts, Strawberry Banke, and the Portland Museum of Art. They also underwrite the annual subscription to the Maine Infont Download Library and graciously consider all special requests.

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Books for Adults

English Girl

Hunting Eve

2nd Honeymoon

Hidden Order

World War Z

Astronaut Wives Club

Heist

Archangel

Picture Books

This is Not My Hat by John Klassen (Caldecott winner)

Creepy Carrots by Aaron Reynolds

Extra Yarn by mac Barnett

Juvenile Fiction

The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate (Newberry Winner)

Three Times Lucky by Shelia Turnage

Mr. Lemoncello's Library by Chris Grabenstein

The False Prince by Jennifer Nielsen

Jack Blank Trilogy by Matt Myklusch

Nonfiction

You Choose Interactive History Adventures by Capstone Press

DVDs

Lego Legends of Chima: The Power of Chi

Atlantis: The Lost Empire

Oz the Great and Powerful

E.T. Anniversary Edition

Scooby-Doo: Mystery Incorporated

Swiss Family Robinson

Upcoming holiday hours

Monday, 10/14 CLOSED

Monday, 11/11 CLOSED

Thursday, 11/28 CLOSED

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