

William Fogg Library Newsletter

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Monday and Wednesday 1-8
Tuesday and Thursday 10-5
Friday 1-5 (Closed Fridays in August)
Saturday 9-1



Summer 2013
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www.william-fogg.lib.me.us



Summer Reading Program 2013

Let's Dig into Reading!

What's the Summer Reading Program all about?

Nearly 200 children participate every year in the Collaborative Summer Library Program. This national program helps motivate children to read, enabling them to maintain their reading skills during summer vacation. This year we will explore **the wonders under our feet as we "Dig into Reading."** We will excavate dinosaur bones, plant a butterfly garden, dig up some classic children's stories, make some fun crafts and read about all things under the ground.

Don't Miss the

SRP Kick-Off Party!

Monday, June 17, 6:00-8:00

Hula-Hoop Dancing! Can you dig it? Hula Hooping is a great way to stay fit and have lots of fun. From 6:30 to 7:15, learn the basics, plus a few easy tricks, with hoop dance instructor, Jennifer Cormier Daly. Also...

- Bring a picnic to enjoy under the big tent; **Buy some healthy treats from the Girls' Point of View Book Club;**
- Pick up your reading log, book bag, and pencil;
- Make some fun crafts!



Dig into Dinosaurs

with the Museum of Science, Boston

Friday, June 28, 1:30 & 2:45

This hands-on program for ages 4-8 gives young learners a chance to think like paleontologists and explore the world of dinosaurs.

Preregistration required.

Mad Science Of Maine:

Dig Into Science!

@ Eliot Elementary

Wednesday, July 17, 10:00-11:00

From the critters that live in the soil to other natural phenomena that occur underground, we guarantee that you will discover amazing things as we dig deep into the world of science in this all-ages show.

No preregistration is required.

Fogg Library Junior Garden Club

(with help from the Eliot Garden Club)

Saturday, June 1, 1:30-3:00

Children ages 5 and up are invited to come help us plan our new butterfly garden. We

will be working behind the Fogg Home-
stead, right next door to the library. At our first meeting we will prepare the garden bed for planting and learn about the types of plants that attract butterflies. Call or come in to sign up. Refreshments will be provided!



Summer Story Time Schedule

(All programs are drop-in!)

Baby Playgroup

Tuesdays from 9:30-10:00

May 14-June 18 and July 9-August 6

Board books, music, songs, rhymes, and play time with toys for children from birth to 2 years.

Preschool Story Time

Tuesdays from 10:30-11:15

Stories, songs, flannel boards, and crafts for ages 2-6.



More Summer Fun!

- New audio books and DVDs;
- Lots of easy readers and early chapter books;
- Make-it, Take-it Craft Table, with a fun new craft every week;
- Earn cool prizes for completing puzzles and challenges.



Marshwood Middle School and

Marshwood High School:

Summer Reading Books will be available soon!

Need community service hours? Applications are currently being accepted for summer youth volunteers **in Adult services and in the Kent Children's Room.**

Great Programs for Adults, too!



Tell Your Story: A Storytelling Workshop with Jean Armstrong

Monday, May 20
6:00-8:00

Do you have a memory or personal anecdote that everyone loves to hear? Jean will help you shape your stories and then give you the tools to make them come to life. At the conclusion of this two-hour workshop, participants will be able to try out their new skills. This program is appropriate for adults and older teens. Please sign up in advance.

Elder Care and the Law

Thursday, May 30, 10:30-11:30
And on May 30, two attorneys from the Maine Center for Elder Law will answer your questions about planning. They will discuss Maine Care eligibility, asset protection, and other ways to preplan.



Wednesday Evening Book Group

Wednesday, June 19
6:30-8:00



The Life and Times of F. Scott and Zelda Fitzgerald

Join us for a wide-ranging discussion of this glamorous couple at the center of the Jazz Age of the 1920s. We will talk about F. Scott's novels such as *The Great Gatsby*, *Tender Is the Night*, *The Last Tycoon*; short stories, collections of letters. Plus Zelda's own works of fiction. Participants can also discuss biographies and works of historical fiction about the couple, such as the current best-seller *Z*. This group will take a break in July and August and meet again in September.

Grand Opening of the New Young Adult Area!

Monday, June 17

Our expanded Young Adult collection is now in the Sarah Farmer Room (walk through front doors, turn left). Come take a look and learn a new crafty skill at our YA-themed make-it, take-it table.

First up: origami!

Button Up!

Button Art with Laura Pope
Wednesday, July 17, 6:00-8:00



Laura likes to sew buttons on just about everything—hats, gloves, socks, curtains—and she'd love to share some of her great ideas and some of her buttons. Bring something you want buttoned up, plus needle, thread, and some buttons, if you have them, and come for a fun, creative evening. We will meet in the Sarah Farmer Room but all ages are welcome.

Want to Play the American Version of Mah-Jongg?

You have two opportunities to learn and play: Wednesdays, 2:00-4:00 and/or 6:00-8:00, both at the Fogg Homestead. Coordinator Linda Johnson (439-3840) will be happy to answer any questions you have.

Museum Passes Aren't Just for Kids

At the Front Desk:

- Museum of Fine Arts, Boston: Don't miss the exhibit of samurai armor;
- Strawberry Banke: The museum is open for the season! Reserve the pass for great events, such as "An American Celebration" on July 4.
- Portland Museum of Art. Visit this small jewel of a museum with a wonderful collection of American and European masterworks.

In the Kent Children's Room:

The Museum of Science, Boston: See the Colossal Fossil, Triceratops Cliff.

- The Children's Museum of New Hampshire, Dover: See their great exhibit "Dino Detective!"
- The Seacoast Science Center, Rye, NH. Our passes have been made possible by generous donations from the Kennebunk Savings Bank and the Friends of the Fogg Library.

Gentle Yoga with Sallie Sharpless will continue during the summer! Look for the complete summer schedule soon on our website.



From the Library Trustees

Jessie Kent, Peter Dennett, and Steve Beckert

Dr. Fogg's Birthday Celebration

Saturday, May 25

10:00-3:00



This old-fashioned family fun day features pony rides, demonstrations of old-fashioned bicycles, horse & buggy rides, a barbershop quartet, traditional Maypole, and classic kids' races such as sack race, three-legged race, potato and spoon and so on. There will be a decorated trike, bike and scooter parade in the morning with prizes awarded. Fabulous food will be sold, including hot dogs, hamburgers, and homemade ice cream, with cotton candy and popcorn available all day. A book sale and Victorian birthday card craft-making project will also be held. From noon until 3:00 the historic Fogg Homestead will be open for tours, and at 1:30 p.m., free birthday cake and lemonade will be served.

Guests are also invited to enter the day's raffle. New this year is Fogg's Marketplace, featuring Eliot crafters, and the Dr. Fogg Birthday card contest. Be sure to see all the wonderful entries!

For a complete calendar of events and times, pick up a flyer at the library or visit www.williamfogglibrary.org.

Thanks to this year's sponsors: Hannaford Supermarkets, Eliot Meet Market, JP's Shellfish, Captain Eli's Soda, Dr. Haskell C. Kingston, and Natural Rocks Ice Company.

Back by Popular Demand:

Murder Mystery Dinner!

The Regatta Room

Saturday, November 9

6:00 pm

This fun-filled evening once again features Get-a-Clue Productions leading us on a wild mystery-filled romp as we try to solve the "Haunting of Gordon's Ghost." Watch this newsletter, our website and postings at the library for ticket information. They will go on sale soon.

Submitted by Jessie Kent

From the Friends of the William Fogg Library

Having tried a Saturday morning meeting with a good attendance, the Friends have decided to hold our quarterly meetings on the 3rd Saturdays of the month **at 10:30 in the library's Sarah Farmer Room. This** will begin with the October 19th meeting. It was also decided to have any special program (such as a speaker) at a time different from our quarterly meetings. As always, our meetings and programs will be open to anyone wishing to attend and will be advertised with a flyer in the library and through newspaper and radio announcements.

Following the yearly election, the executive board has some new faces and some old ones in new positions:

President: Carolyn Bogh (I told you, *old faces*)

Vice President: Nina Jenssen

Secretary: Nancy Dudek

Treasurer: Deb Crosier

Fundraising: Regina Zanetti & Dick Bogh

Members at Large: Dick Bogh & Karen Van Dorin

Don't miss our annual

Friends of the Library Picnic

Tuesday, July 16, 5:00

Those with last initials between A and M, please bring a salad or veggie dish; those between N and Z, please bring a dessert. The Friends will supply hot dogs and beverages. All members are asked to bring a chair to sit on. And bring a friend! If you are planning to attend, please let Carolyn (439-2404) know.



October Fest *Returns!*

Saturday, October 5

Our fundraiser leaders, along with committee members Deb Crosier and Joanne Reed, are already at work making plans for the return of this popular event. They will bring back much of what was popular through the years, plus add some new touches.

Stay tuned for more information as we near the date—and be sure to plan to attend!

Submitted by Carolyn Bogh

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New DVDs for Adults and Children

For Adults

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| The Hobbit | Django Unchained |
| Anna Karenina | Hyde Park on the Hudson |
| Argo | Jack Reacher |
| Beasts of the Southern Wild | Bully (documentary) |
| Flight | Hitchcock |
| The Master | Les Miserables |
| Life of Pi | Lincoln |
| Moonrise Kingdom | Ruby Sparks |
| Sessions | Silver Linings Playbook |
| This is 40 | Skyfall |
| Twilight: Breaking Dawn | |

For Kids

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| Wreck-It Ralph | The Sandlot |
| Rise of the Guardians | Brady Bunch: Season 1 |
| Ella Enchanted | Brave |
| Emily of New Moon: 2,3,4 | Mulan I & II |
| Beverly Hills Chihuahua 3 | |
| Bionicle | |
| LEGO Star Wars: Empire Strikes Out | |
| LEGO Star Wars: The Padawan Menace | |
| Benji: 4-movie collection | |

Upcoming holiday hours

Monday, 5/27 CLOSED
Thursday 7/4 CLOSED
Remember: We will be closed Fridays in August.

Join the Friends of the William Fogg Public Library

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

PLEASE CIRCLE THE COMMITTEES IN WHICH YOU'RE INTERESTED:

Fundraising Membership Building and Grounds

Programs Technology Refreshments

PLEASE CIRCLE THE TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP YOU PREFER:

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FAMILY LIFETIME (\$125)

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