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Newsletter of The Mason- Dixon Public Library

October, 2024



LIBRARY HOURS

Monday:10:00-8:00Tuesday:Noon-8:00Wednesday:10:00-8:00Thursday:Noon-8:00Friday:10:00-2:00Saturday:10:00-5:00

STAFF

Library Director/Youth Services:
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SHELF INDULGENT BOOK CLUB

Ashlynn Y.

Our evening book group meets the first
Thursday of each month at 6PM.
October's selection is
Incredibly Bright Creatures by
Shelby Van Pelt
November's selection is
Klara and the Sun by
Kazuo Ishiguro
New members are always welcome!

AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

Our new book club meets the first Wednesday of the month at 2PM October's selection is

People of the Book by
Geraldine Brooks
November's selection is

The First Ladies by
Marie Benedict

FALL ART EXHIBIT AND RECEPTION

The fall art exhibition will open with a reception on

Sunday, October 13th From 2:00-4:00 PM

The exhibit will feature the work of

Richard Chandler Hoff

A graduate of the Maryland Institute College of Art, Richard Chandler Hoff is a nationally recognized artist working exclusively in graphite pencil on paper. Hoff illustrates life in America during the 1940s relying on extensive research to accurately depict that decade. The exhibit will remain on display through Friday, November 15th. This event is free and open to the public. Light refreshments will be served.

LAUGHTER IS THE BEST MEDICINE

As the days get shorter and the Holiday Season approaches many people decline into pits of depression. It has been shown time and again that "Laughter is the Best Medicine". Mark your calendar for

October 16th 6:30 PM-8:00 PM

Our next Third Wednesday Program will be with Jill Kaylor from Visiting Angels. Jill will relate the importance of staying involved and laughing often.

There is a true story of a grandmother telling of her delight in having her young grandson visit because he always had a joke to tell her, even if it was a corny Knock, Knock joke. Laughter can have many physical and emotional benefits including pain relief, improved mood, reduced stress, improved cardiovascular health, and more. Laughter seems simple, but when depressed it is a difficult mountain to climb.

CHRISTMAS AT LONGWOOD BUS TRIP

Sometimes it is hard to be a tourist in your own backyard, but have you ever visited Longwood Gardens during the Christmas season? Now is your chance. The Library is arranging a deluxe coach trip to Longwood on

Monday, December 9th

The bus will depart from the Stewartstown Baptist Church at 9:00AM and return around 5:00PM.

Christmas at Longwood is a very popular event and we expect reservations to go quickly. There will be spectacular Christmas features in the conservatories which are away from the elements, but to see the beautiful gardens, guests will need to dress for the weather. The renowned Longwood organ will delight visitors with seasonal music at appointed times through the day.

Lunch will be on your own in the famous Longwood Café, or the 1906 Restaurant offering a full service dining experience, both on the grounds. The ticket cost of \$95 per passenger

will include the coach and the Longwood admission.

CALLING ALL BAKERS

We welcome any of our community bakers to participate in supporting the Library as we prepare for our annual

Grateful Bread Day

If you have a special love for making bread, soup or dessert and would like to share your skills please contact

Sandi Walsh at 410-456-9499 or sandiwalsh1949@gmail.com

Participants will receive written information regarding donating baked items for the sale on Monday, Nov. 25th