Talking About Teens

Our focus in October will be on teenagers as we celebrate Teen Read Week with special programs and a book discussion for teens and adults to enjoy together. Please drop by soon and encourage your young adult to explore what’s new at FPL:

- Great new books for teens, including the Newbery Medal, Michael L. Printz, Pura Belpre, Coretta Scott King and National Book Award winners. Young Adult titles and paperbacks can be found just inside our front door. We also have a growing collection of graphic novels which are popular with teens, but an unknown genre to many adults. Please check them out!

- Magazines of interest to teens including GamePro, Glamour, PC World, Seventeen, Spin, Sports Illustrated, Teen People, YM, Wizard and Rolling Stone.

- Growing collections of award-winning classic and popular films in DVD format and music CDs. We’re pleased to have new selections of world music, everything from Tibetan chants to sounds of the Asian rainforest to African drumming and Native American songs. All are perfect for both leisure listening and for adding another dimension to class reports.

- Not sure what to read or what your teen might like? Pick up one of our excellent suggested reading lists or check out our book reviews written by teen readers themselves.

- Computer glitch at home? The Library has five computers with internet access and friendly staff members to help with last minute homework questions seven days a week.

- And most of important of all, does your teen have a library card? It is the passport to lifelong learning. AND, some teachers have been known to give extra credit to students who have a library card or who attend library programs!

Madelyn Folino, Director

Celebrate Teen Read Week!

@ your library
October 17 - 23

Book Discussion for Teens and Adults
The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time
By Mark Haddon Reserve your copy today and explore this intriguing mystery novel with our visiting scholar Chris Godwin, Chairman, Dept. of English and Foreign Languages, OCCC. Saturday, Oct. 16 @ 2 p.m.

CSI Comes to FPL!
You are cordially invited to murder, mayhem, drama & dinner @ your library. Enjoy a meal and witness a “library murder”, then mingle, scheme and question other guests to solve it! Thursday, Oct. 21 @ 6 p.m! Grade 8 & Up Only.

YA Discovery
YA Discovery is for young adults in grades 6 and up on Tuesday evenings @ 6:30 p.m.

Oct. 5 - Voila! Cooking of Southern France. Very, very tasty!

Oct. 12 - Japanese Tempura cooking and create an origami balloon bubble box.

Oct. 19 - It’s Getting Chilly! Let’s make chili!

Pizza & Planning with T.A.G.
Make your voice heard at the library! Our new Teen Advisory Group will meet on Sat., Oct. 9 @ 1 p.m. to help make choices for purchases of new books, CDs and DVDs, and plan the next series of YA programs at the library. Current members and new members may attend, but please let us know if you are coming so we have enough pizza! (This session may be used to fulfill a community service requirement.)

Coming Soon: Let’s Book!
Children’s Book Week ~ Nov. 15 - 21
We are pleased to announce the formation of a new Youth Services team to plan and provide programs for all our preschool-teenage patrons. Three new Library Assistants for Children’s Services, Maria Martinez, Pat Foxx and Maritza Sheil will conduct programs for the various ages six days a week.

Maria will be in charge of our preschool programs and also some Saturday sessions for elementary students. Pat, who joined us over the summer, will be responsible for Young Adult programs, as well as some for younger ages. She will be meeting with teens each month at our Teen Advisory Group meetings and seeking their input on library programs. Maritza is a native Spanish speaker who will lead the Bilingual Family Storytime and she will be hosting evening family programs, too.

**Ongoing Programs Now in Session**

**Rhymetime (ages 18-35 months) & Storytime (ages 3-5 years)** continue through Oct. 20/21. Registration for November sessions begins Oct. 25.

**Books & Beyond** Tuesday afternoons at 4 p.m. for kids in grades K - 5. No registration is required!

**Oct. 5:** How do birds fly? What keeps them in the air? How do they talk to each other?

**Oct. 12:** Where do birds go? Learn about migration and make a bird feeder for the ones that stay!

**Oct. 19:** Imaginary Birds and Amazing Bird Stories! Create your own fantastic bird.

**Bilingual Family Storytime** Sunday afternoons of family enjoyment in English and Spanish @ 2 p.m.!

**Oct. 3:** Fire Prevention Week/Semana de Prevencion Contra Incendios. Guest NYC Firefighter.

**Oct. 10:** Fall is for Friends / Otoño es para Amigos.

**Oct. 17:** Beaks & Feathers / Picos y Plumas

**Chess Club** Fridays at 3:30 p.m. through Oct. 22 with library volunteer and chess expert Ed Dubin. Instruction and free play for grade 1 and up.

**Lady the Therapy Dog**

Lady is a therapy dog who visits nursing homes and people in hospitals with her owner, nursing assistant Kathy Miller. Lady will be at the library on Saturday, October 2 @ 2 p.m. *One Incredible Dog! Lady* is a book about her special work and copies are available for purchase. Lady will even autograph your book! A Family Program for all ages.

**Festive Fall Decoupage Plates**

Create a work of art with a glass plate and a piece of fabric. All materials will be provided. A sample of the craft is available to view in the library. For Adults and Young Adults over 16 years of age. **Wednesday, October 6 @ 7 p.m.**

**Shalimar Alpacas**

Have you ever been close to an alpaca? The Gillotin family of Warwick will be in the library parking lot (weather permitting) on Saturday, Oct. 9 @ 1 p.m. with three of their beautiful and friendly alpacas. Learn where they come from and how their fleece is used in modern fashion creations.

**What’s Cooking @ your library?**

Soup’s On! Radio personality and guest chef John Moultrie will teach you how to make three great soups for the season: Cream of Mushroom from scratch; Potato Leek and Quick Vegetable Soups, using mixes plus your own special ingredients. **Adults Only. Wednesday, Oct. 13 @ 7 p.m.** Register for more cooking programs in this monthly series:

**Wednesday, Nov. 10** - Light Pasta Dishes

**Wednesday, Dec. 15** - Holiday Breakfasts

**Black Dirt Storytelling Guild**

Adult (age 16 and over) storytellers and story listeners are invited to our meetings held on the second Thursday of each month. October’s theme features stories about “Outwitting the Devil!” **Thursday, Oct. 14 @ 7:30 p.m.**

**Scrappers Delight**

Looking for lots of space and time to work on your scrapbook hobby? You’ve found just the place here at the library! Join us for a casual evening of scrapping where you’ll always discover and share new ideas and techniques each month. Meetings are the fourth **Tuesday** of each month at **7 p.m.** See you **Oct. 26!**

**Scaring Up a Happy Halloween!**

Build your own mini 3-D haunted house, make a wiggle-eyed bookmark, and create creepy creature ID cards to take home! Games and prizes and stories and books!! For all children in grades K - 5. **Costumes optional! Saturday, Oct. 30 @ 2 p.m.**
Florida Public Library teams with Albert Wisner Public Library and Greenwood Lake Public Library to present our third annual One Town, One Book program that includes six free events for adults. Registration required for each event.

The Kick-Off Event: Tuesday, Oct. 5, 7 p.m. Coffee and Dessert at Hickory Hill Golf Club, Warwick Member of The Appalachian Trail Conference’s Board of Managers, Mr. Paul DeCoste, will introduce One Town, One Book and A Walk in the Woods. The book is available now at all three libraries and The Bookstore of Warwick has donated a copy for a prize drawing at this program. Call 986-1047 to register.

Wednesday, Oct. 13, 7 p.m.  Wisner Library Hit the Trail: The Right Gear & Leave No Trace Ethic - NYS Licensed Guide & Member of Adirondack Mountain Club Tony Russo offers valuable tips on correct hiking & camping gear and techniques hikers can use to reduce evidence of their presence on the trail. Call 986-1047 to register.

Wednesday, Oct. 20, 7 p.m.  Greenwood Lake Public Library 5 Million Steps: The Appalachian Thru-Hikers Story: Enjoy the award winning PBS documentary that follows sixteen ordinary people who attempt the extraordinary – to hike the entire Appalachian Trail. Call 477-8377 to register.

Thursday, Oct. 28, 7 p.m. Florida Public Library Trail Animals: Local wildlife rehabilitator and educator Pam Golben will introduce you to some wildlife that trail hikers may encounter and their behaviors and habits. Call 651-7659 to register.

Thursday, Nov. 11, 7:30 p.m. Florida Public Library Into the Woods: Join the members of the Black Dirt Storytelling Guild for magical, mystical and modern tales of forests and forest dwellers. Call 651-7659 to register.

Sunday, Nov. 14, 2 p.m. Greenwood Lake Public Library Our journey concludes in the community room with a slide show and discussion led by hiker Al Robbins. Dessert and coffee served. Call 477-8377 to register.

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New members and new ideas are always welcome! Join the Friends and help your library.
Membership is October 1 - September 30. Fill out the following form and return to:
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Yes, I want to volunteer to help! Next meeting date is Oct. 18 @ 7 p.m.
New Arrivals @ your library

**DVDs**
- Angels in America
- Passion of the Christ
- Triplets of Belleville
- City of God
- Cracker Series 2
- The Reagans
- 13 Going on 30
- Elephant
- Osama
- Ella Enchanted
- Crossfire Trail
- The Great Escape
- Dorothy L. Sayers Mysteries
- Chihuly
- Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind
- Kill Bill Vol. 2
- Laws of Attraction
- Super Size Me
- Grapes of Wrath
- The Girl Next Door
- Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen

**Books**
- My Life
  - *Bill Clinton*
- Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time
  - *Mark Haddon*
- 10 Big Ones
  - *Janet Evanovich*
- Sam’s Letters to Jennifer
  - *James Patterson*
- Cary Grant
  - *Mark Eliot*
- Kill the Messenger
  - *Tami Hoag*
- Garden of Beasts
  - *Jeffrey Deaver*
- R is for Ricochet
  - *Sue Grafton*
- Royal Heist
  - *Lynda LaPlante*
- La Casa en Mango Street
  - *Sandra Cisneros*

**CDs**
- To the Five Boroughs
  - *Beastie Boys*
- Dark Side of the Moon: 30th Anniversary
  - *Pink Floyd*
- Honor the Earth Powwow
  - *Great Lakes Indians*
- Voices of the Rainforest
  - *Mickey Hart*
- Very Best of Fleetwood Mac
  - *Fleetwood Mac*
- Loud, Fast Ramones
  - *The Ramones*
- Jazz at Massey Hall
  - *Charlie Parker*
- Holst: The Planets
  - *Percy Grainger*
- Lo Mejor de lo Mejor
  - *Toña “La Negra”*
- Battle of Los Angeles
  - *Rage Against the Machine*

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**Friends of the Florida Public Library Used Book Sale**
Saturday, October 16, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.