



Friends Newsletter

Northville Public Library

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A MESSAGE FROM THE FRIENDS.....

Once again, the Friends look forward to programs and events for 2013. Our agenda includes the annual Mammoth Book Sale on July 4,5,6. The Ice Cream Social is scheduled for Friday, July 26th. These events are our biggest fund raisers for library support and much enjoyed by all who participate. Our Annual Meeting will take place on July 17th and will feature Beverly Bridger's book on the Great Camp Sagamore. As you read this newsletter, you will note other items on the library's agenda. These include program schedules, Children's Story Time, Book Club discussions and more. The Friends remain committed to keeping the library a vital part of the community. You can help by joining the Friends as a new member or renewing your membership. Just visit the library or call and we will be in touch with you regarding membership. Your input is important and helps us continue to create public interest and support of our community treasure, our library.

Annual Meeting and Program

Wednesday, July 17th, 7PM

"Great Camp Sagamore" by Beverly Bridger

Great Camp Sagamore was built by William West Durant and bought by Alfred Vanderbilt in 1901 to be his family's Adirondack retreat. The camp's main lodge and guest complex was famous for its rustic style and expanded the rustic architecture of nature into every corner of America. Great Camp Sagamore also had a worker's complex, set out of sight, which housed people who maintained the camp year-round. After the Vanderbilt's death, the camp changed hands and began to decline until it was rescued by preservationists and became a National Historic Landmark in 2000. Sagamore's director, Beverly Bridger's book is a remarkable story of one of the most unique places in the Adirondacks. Join us on July 17th as we gather to explore these unique buildings and natural settings which help us understand our Adirondack culture, environment and relationship to both.

Budget & Trustee Election **Tues May 21: noon – 8 pm**

Janis Serfis is running for re-election.
Darrin Dietz is running for his first term.

The Northville Public Library Board of Trustees has worked to develop a responsible budget with the least impact on our local taxpayers.

The 2013-2014 budget increases expenditures by \$4538.

Over 3/4 of the increase is due to mandated costs such as NYS retirement, health insurance, etc.



New Service

As of Jan 2013, the library began providing E-audiobook services. Patrons with a valid library cards may enter the “Overdrive” site through our web-site link and search for either E-audiobooks or E-books for downloading to their Kindles, Nooks, smartphones, Ipads, tablets, etc. Three titles may be borrowed at one time and may be kept for one or two weeks. If a title is out, a patron may place a request for a title and join the queue. An email will be sent when the title is available for downloading. Also, the library owns a Nook which is available for a two week loan. It is loaded with many titles. Anyone needing assistance with their device should see Michael.



E– Books

ANNUAL BOOK SALE **July 4,5,6**



Spring cleaning?! We can help. Gather your old books and donate them to the library!! Once again, the Annual Book Sale will be held in conjunction with the Northville July 4th Celebration. The book sale will be set up in front of the library from July 4th through July 6th from 9 am to 5 pm.

The Friends Mammoth Book Sale is our biggest fundraiser. We want to thank last year’s supporters and again ask for donations. With budgets being slashed statewide, this year’s sale is especially important .

Please be generous in passing on your new and gently used books. If you have multiple boxes, please call the library before you drop them off. We are now accepting books at the library. Though we appreciate all books, we cannot use: textbooks, Readers Digest books, magazines, or outdated encyclopedias.

SAVE THE DATE **FRIDAY, JULY 26TH**



The Ice Cream Social and Raffle will be held on July 26th from 5pm to 8pm in the gardens at the rear of the library. This is yet another great event sponsored by the Friends and requires many volunteers to help with setup, baking, scooping ice cream and more. Raffle prizes will be solicited and the drawing will take place at 8pm. If you would like to help, just leave your name at the library.

IN MEMORIAM:

IRENE BENTLEY - 20 Years Clerk

The Northville Public Library and Friends Organization extend their deepest sympathy to the family of Irene Bentley. Irene passed away on January 12, 2013 She worked as a clerk in the library for more than 20 years. She was a member of the Friends Organization and helped with many fund raising events including the Christmas Cookie Sale, Book Sale and Ice Cream Social. She will be missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing and working with her.

Library Programs for Adults

June 18, 6:30pm: Author Patricia Nugent
"DERANGED OR DEPRESSED:
DIAGNOSING MARY TODD LINCOLN"

June 25, 7pm: Author Barbara Delaney
"FINDING GRIFFIN" an Adirondack novel

July 2, 7pm: Author Andy Flynn
"NYS' ADIRONDACK PARK: A USER'S GUIDE"
Local history information

July 16, 7pm: Photographer Gerry Lemmo
"CALIFORNIA: HERE I COME"
Visual display of the area

July 17, 7pm: "GREAT CAMP SAGAMORE"
History of this Adirondack Gem

July 30, 7pm: Book Discussion:
"ART OF FIELDING" by Chad Harbach

Aug 13, 7pm: Book Discussion:
"RISK POOL" by Richard Russo

Movies at the Library at 1 pm

Thur, July 11 - ARGO

Thur, July 18 - LINCOLN

Thur, July 25 - LIFE OF PI

Thur, Aug 1 - DJANGO UNCHAINED

Thur, Aug 8 - SILVER LININGS PLAYBOOK

Thur, Aug 15 - ANNA KARENINA



ON-GOING BOOK SALE

This book sale is located to the left of the table as you enter the library. Books are donated all year long thus giving us an excellent assortment of fiction and non-fiction books in both hardcover and paperback. All are offered at bargain prices. We promise that you will not be disappointed.
Terry Frank and Margaret Downing, co-chairs

See Our New Rustic Table

In keeping with our décor, a new rustic table, located in front of the circulation desk, has been acquired. This was made possible with a donation from the Friends and memorial monies honoring Dr. & Mrs. Clem Gritsavage and Mr. & Mrs. Henry Jacobson.

Summer Program for Kids

Dig Into Reading

2013- Summer Reading Program

JUNE 18 – AUGUST 6
ON-LINE REGISTRATION

PRIZES: **Read 10 books** and receive
FREE Ice Cream Cone
at the Village Scoop Ice Cream Shop,
Cups, Balloons, Discs, Bubbles, Pencils

"DIGGING INTO BONES"

George Steele
TUES, JULY 23 – 6:30 PM
LIBRARY



"MUSICIAN"

Tom Sieling
MON, JULY 29 – 10 AM
NCS GYM



SUMMER READING PARTY

with dessert
TUES, AUG 6 – 1 PM
LIBRARY



Story Time

The Children's Story time program continues to provide activities, fun and introduces pre-school children to the joy of reading. Story Time has been held here in the library for 20 years. Check with the library or note the Story Time poster for dates the program will be held.

Bring your toddler for an enjoyable program.

LIBRARY SUMMER HOURS

Monday: 9am—12 noon

Tuesday: 9am—8pm

Wednesday-Thursday: 9am—4pm

Friday: 9am—4pm

Saturday: 9am—12 noon



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Become a member of the *Friends of the Northville Public Library*

Your membership is important..... PLEASE - if you haven't renewed your Friends membership, do so now. You can call the library to see if your membership renewal is due. We also welcome new members – your support and input is important to us.

Name _____
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City/State/Zip _____
Phone _____

- Individual Members: \$5.00* Give a donation of \$10 or more
and receive a free gift:
- Supporting Member: \$10.00* Coin & Key Purse
- Business: \$10.00* _____
- Please send me more information on how I can get involved with the Friends.

Cut out this form and send or bring it to the library