



Marcellus Free Library August 2024

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Community mural created by our children's Summer Reading participants.

Programs for Adults

Coloring for Adults on National Coloring Book Day!
Tuesday, August 6 at 1:30 PM
Friends Community Room

Come and fill out a page (or several!) of a coloring book for adults!
All materials provided. No registration required.



Afternoon Movie: Dune Part II (2024) PG-13
Thursday, August 8 at 1:15 PM - closed captions.
Friday, August 9 at 1:15 PM - audio description provided.

Paul Atreides unites with Chani and the Fremen while seeking revenge against conspirators who destroyed his family. Facing a choice between the love of his life and the fate of the universe, he must prevent a terrible future only he can foresee.

Silent Book Club: Saturday, August 10 at 12:30 PM

Silent reading in the local history section for the first hour. Bring your own book or borrow one from the library. From 1:30 to 2:00 PM, chat with other attendees about your respective books.

**SILENT
BOOK
CLUB**
A Reading Hour for All



Perseid Meteor Shower with Barefoot Bob
Sunday, August 11, 8:00 to 10:30 pm on the library lawn
Backup date: Monday, August 12

This is the peak viewing night of the Perseid meteor shower, a popular summer event. We will also have a 1st-quarter moon visible that will get lower in the sky as the evening progresses, making for better views of the southern Milky Way. Saturn will be rising in the east as well. Bring a lawn chair to relax and watch for meteors when not viewing through a telescope. For stargazers of all ages!

PUZZLEMANIA! (Family Program)
Wednesday, August 14 from 12:00 to 6:30 PM
Friends Community Room



Come and do a puzzle (or two!) here at the library. Our Puzzle Lady, Jean, will have dozens of tabletop and floor puzzles set up for all ages!



Take-and-Make Craft for Adults: Honeycomb Shadowboxes
Pick-up begins Thursday, August 15
[Registration required.](#)

Create an easy, beautiful honeycomb shadow box! All materials except for a hot glue gun are provided.

Red Cross Blood Drive
Saturday, August 17 at 10:00 AM

Appointments are encouraged and appreciated. Walk-ins welcome!
Please call 1-800-RED CROSS or online RedCrossBlood.org to schedule an appointment. Use sponsor code MarcellusLibrary.



Donors needed! Come give blood and receive a \$20 Digital Amazon Gift Card and a free tote bag. Please consider a Power Red Cell donation if you are O Neg, O Pos, A Neg, or B Neg.



Assemblyman John Lemondes Mobile Office Hours
Saturday, August 24 at 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Meet with a member of Assemblyman John Lemonde's team to learn how the assemblyman can help Central New Yorkers access and navigate state services. Stop in any time between 10:00 AM and 12:00 PM with your questions and concerns.

Readers Recommend Discussion
Wednesday, August 28 at 1:00 PM
[Registration required.](#)

Bring your thoughts on recent favorite (or least favorite) books to share with other attendees. You'll come away with lots of new recommendations to keep you reading for months to come!



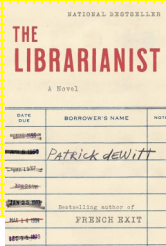
Let us know what books you'll be recommending in advance, and we'll have copies on hand at the club for interested patrons to check out. There will be recommendations available too.



August Book Bag
[Registration required.](#)
Pick-up begins Friday, August 30.

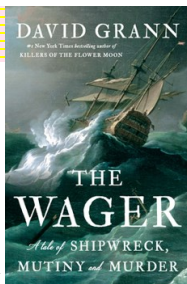
Each FREE bag will feature a book and a selection of goodies centered around the month's theme, nature. The goodies are yours to keep. Registrants will have until September 7 to pick up their book bags.

MFL Book Club returns in September!

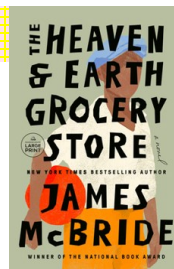


Tuesday, September 3
10:00 AM
The Librarianist
 by Patrick DeWitt

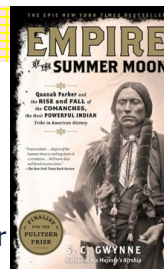
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Thank you to Friends of Marcellus Free Library for making our 2024 Summer Reading possible with their AMAZING fundraising efforts.



A big thank you to our Summer Reading Community Donors for incentivizing our young readers: Chocolate Pizza Co., The Ice Cream Sandwich, 315 Pizza Co., Finders Keepers Mining, and Fairmount Glen Miniature Golf.



A big thank you to our Summer Reading Corporate Donors for their generosity: Tully's, McDonalds in Camillus, Applebee's, Taco Bell, Red Robin in Camillus.



Children's Programs News



FALL STORIES & CRAFTS

Fall Storytimes with Miss Kristen will return September 18. Details will be in the September Newsletter.

Toy-Time Tuesdays will also return in September.



Awesome Art Classes will begin in mid-September. Come and explore different art styles and create your own masterpiece! TWO sessions will be offered: 1:00 to 2:00 pm and 2:30 to 3:30 pm. Dates will be posted in the September newsletter.

Registration opens September 6. Seats are limited.

Library Hours

Monday 9:30 AM - 7 PM

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Wednesday 9:30 AM - 7 PM

Thursday 9:30 AM - 7 PM

Friday 9:30 AM - 5 PM

Saturday 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Delayed opening August 16 at 10:00 AM
CLOSED LABOR DAY WEEKEND.

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The Artists on display in August are members of the Onondaga Art Guild.

Summer is the perfect time to check-out MFL's Library of Things!

You must be 18+ years old and have a library card in good standing to check out park and museum passes.

Park Passes: Empire Pass, entrance to NYS Parks (7 day loan).

Onondaga County Explore Outdoors: County Parks, including the Zoo (3 day loan).

Museum Passes: MOST (Syracuse), Ithaca Sciencecenter, Rochester Museum of Science, and Corning Museum of Glass.

Also available to borrow: portable DVD player, Ukulele kits, and a Nintendo Switch device and games.



The Friends of Marcellus Free Library would like to thank all those who generously contributed their time and donations to the **2024 Annual Basket Raffle**. We are beyond grateful for the many individual donors and would like to recognize the following local business:

315 Pizza Company Amber Inn Auburn Doubledays Baltimore Woods Nature Center
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