

Marcellus Free Library

March 2023

32 Maple Street
Marcellus, NY 13108

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marcelluslibrary.org



Programs for Adults

Taxpayer Assistance Program
March 1, 15, and 29; April 12: 10:30 am to 6:30 pm
Register online at www.tax.ny.gov/tap/
Martha Lollis Media Room

Representatives from NYS Department of Taxation and Finances will provide free tax filing assistance for patrons with a federally adjusted gross income of \$73,000 or less. Please note: Representatives **do not** file taxes for patrons; however, they will walk patrons through the filing process. Laptops will be provided.



Cornell Cooperative Extension
Onondaga County

Garden Talk: Starting Seeds Indoors Under Light
Saturday, March 11 from 12:30 to 1:30 pm
Presented by Cornell Cooperative Extension
Registration is required
Friends Community Room

The presentation will cover a brief overview of the different types of grow lights and the advantages of each.



Chocolate at the Library: Spring Edition
Monday, March 20 from 1:30 to 2:30 pm
Registration required
Friends Community Room

Celebrate the start of spring with local chocolate shop, *Sweet on Chocolate*. This program includes a free tasting and a presentation on the history and production of chocolate! Funded by Friends of the Library.



New York State Citizen Preparedness Training
Thursday, March 30 from 5:30 to 6:30 pm
Registration required
Friends Community Room

Participants will be advised on proper disaster preparation, including developing a family emergency plan and stocking up on emergency supplies.



Paper Crafts with Alyson
Wednesday, March 1 at 5:30 pm
Friday, March 3 at 10:30 am
Friends Community Room



Make beautiful homemade greeting cards using a rubber stamp technique.
Register with Alyson directly: aly.esposito3440@gmail.com or 315-604-6467.



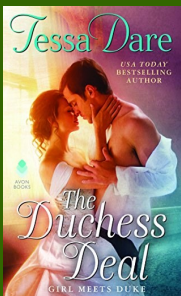
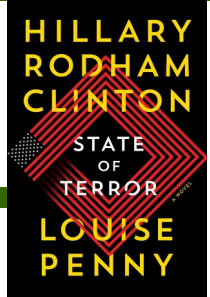
Afternoon Movie for Adults
Devotion
Thursday, March 9 at 1:00 pm
Closed-captions provided



"Devotion is an aerial war epic. It tells the harrowing true story of two elite US Navy fighter pilots during the Korean War. Their heroic sacrifices would ultimately make them the Navy's most celebrated wingmen."

Mystery Book Club
Monday, March 13 from 1:30 to 2:30 pm
"State of Terror" by Louise Penny and Hillary Rodham Clinton

Copies available on the Reserves shelf and the ebook on the Libby app.



Romance Book Club
The Duchess Deal by Tessa Dare
Tuesday, March 28, 5:30 to 6:30 pm
Friends Community Room

Copies of the book are available for checkout on the Reserves shelf and ebooks are available on the Libby and Hoopla apps. Bring your comments, questions, and insights to share with the group!

Programs for Tweens and Teens



Teen Dungeons and Dragons
With Dungeon Storyteller Josh
Fridays, March 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31
2:45 to 4:45 pm

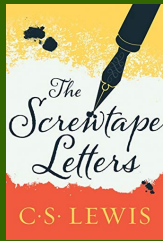


Register online for all 5 sessions. Only 12 spots available.
For teens 6th through 12 grade.
Pizza party finale March 31.

March Teen Craft - St. Patty's Day Cupcakes with Alyson
March 9 at 3:45 pm
For tweens/teens 6th through 12th grade
Registration required.



Get ready for St. Patrick's day with a cupcake celebration! Master Crafter Alyson will provide cupcakes for decorating with blue sky and rainbows.



Teen Book Club

Wednesday, March 22, 3:30 to 4:30 pm

For students 9 through 12 grade

Written permission required for younger attendees.

***The Screwtape Letters* by C.S. Lewis**

Pizza and refreshments provided. Copies of the book are available for checkout on the reserves shelf.



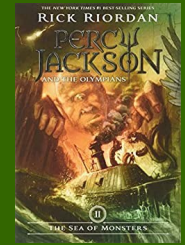
Tween Book Club

Thursday, March 23, 4:00 to 5:00 pm

For students 6 through 8 grade only

***The Sea of Monsters* by Rick Riordan**

Pizza and refreshments provided. Copies of the book are available for checkout on the reserve shelf.



Programs for Children



Winter to Spring Storytime with Miss Kristin

March 1 through April 19

Wednesdays: 9:30 to 10:15 am

Registration required

Children ages 0 to 5, along with a caregiver, are invited to join Miss Kristin for some fun with picture books, music, action rhymes, and crafts. Please register online on our Events Calendar for the days you plan to attend.



March Kids Craft with Alyson Esposito

St Patty's Day Shamrock Celebration!

Saturday, March 11 at 11:00 am

Registration is required.

A snack will be provided.



Toy-Time Tuesdays!

March 7, 14, 21, 28 : 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

For children ages 0 to 5 years old with a caregiver

Friends Community Room



Come and play at Toy-Time Tuesdays without the stress of cleaning up! A caregiver must be present to participate. Funded by Friends of Marcellus Free Library.



Trading Card Game Night

Mondays, March 6, 13, 20 and 27 at 6:00 pm

Friends Community Room

Players of all ages and skill levels welcome.
Pokemon is back!

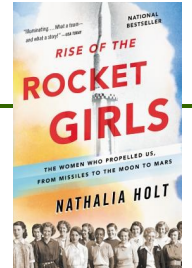
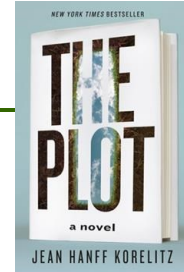




Library Hours

Monday	9 am to 7 pm
Tuesday	9 am to 7 pm
Wednesday	9 am to 7 pm
Thursday	9 am to 7 pm
Friday	9 am to 5 pm
Saturday	10 am to 2 pm
Closed Sundays	

Marcellus Free Library Board of Trustees Meeting
Thursday, March 9 at 7:00 pm
Open to the public.



Marcellus Free Library Book Club
Tuesday, March 7 at 10:00 am
***The Plot* by Jean Hanff Korelitz**

Tuesday, April 4 at 10:00 am

Rise of the Rocket Girls: The Women Who Propelled Us, from Missiles to the Moon and Mars by Nathalia Holt.

New participants are welcome to join the discussions.



Friends of Marcellus Free Library Meeting
Wednesday, March 22nd, 1pm
Friends Community Room
Program: Make and take a Book Page Bird Nest



Join us on the 22nd when we'll be crafting Book Page Bird Nests to make & take. Business meeting to follow, all are welcome.

Preparations have begun for our annual Olde Home Days Basket Raffle in June. If you are a business and would like to advertise by donating an item or gift certificate to the basket raffle, please contact Friends President Jackie Smith @ 315-427-3407, any member of the Friends Board, or library staff. Community members are also welcome to donate. In addition to baskets and items to fill the baskets, materials needed include empty baskets, business size envelopes, thank you cards and envelopes, stamps, large twist ties, basket filler material, ribbon for bows, and invisible tape. Every donation counts and we value our donors.



The Artist for March is Matthew Louer

'On an artistic and interior design path since childhood, I have a passion for beautification and creating - the loves of my life. Presently, I am a teacher but I worked for year selling products and services in the office furniture industry. Creativity was paramount and I had the opportunity to work with some incredible interior designers and artist. This started me on my path to acrylic painting, my passion.

COVID changed my normal routine, and my painting became constant, I needed it. I love to be surrounded by beauty. All my energy and creativity focused on acrylics, canvases, missing paints and trying new techniques, including using a blow-dryer on canvas!"