



*Designed by Rob Petrie*

## Marcellus Free Library September 2019

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Marcellus NY 13108

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315-673-3221



**Onondaga Audubon Society Presents a Public Program:  
*Citizen Science with CatTracker: A Smartphone App  
for Understanding an Ecological CATAstrophe*  
with Jason Luscier of Le Moyne College  
Wednesday, September 11 at 6:30 pm  
Friends Community Room**



### Audubon

An associate professor of biology at Le Moyne College, Audubon board member Jason Luscier has been looking into free-ranging domestic cats. To better understand these populations in our region, he developed a smartphone app called CatTracker which is designed to gather citizen-science data regarding sightings of these wandering pets and feral felines. At this meeting, Jason will explain how each sighting reported through CatTracker helps monitor cat population sizes and their effects on native wildlife. The app may be downloaded for free from the Android and Apple app stores. Free and open to all.



***Depression: When Medications Alone Are Not Enough*  
Presented by Dr. Jason Stepkovitch, MD  
Thursday, September 12 at 7:00 pm  
Friends Community Room**

Dr. Stepkovitch will be discussing the clinical options for patients who do not respond robustly to standard treatments, as well as holistic approaches to living better for those who struggle with major depression. This is a talk that hopefully will be informative for those who may have depression themselves, or who have a loved one or friend who struggles with depression.

Dr. Stepkovitch is a diplomate of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology. He has spent much of his time in community psychiatry, having served as the medical director for Cortland County Mental Health, as well as a staff psychiatrist at the Syracuse VA, Hutchings Psychiatric Center and Liberty Resources. He is currently in private practice in Marcellus.



**For children - FALL 2019 Story Times Sessions**

**Preschool Story Time: Tuesdays at 10:30 am September 17 through December 3**

For children ages 4 to 6 years old. Stories, songs, crafts and fun. Registration is required at marcelluslibrary.org, call 315-673-3221, or in person at the circulation desk.

**Toddler Story Time: two sessions offered: Wednesdays at 9:30 am AND 10:15 am September 19 through December 5**

For children ages 18 months to 3 years accompanied

by an adult. Stories, songs, crafts and fun.

Registration is required at marcelluslibrary.org, call 315-673-3221, or in person at the circulation desk. \*Please note: There will be no Story Time Sessions during Thanksgiving Break (November 25 - 29).

**Awesome Art Fall 2019 schedule**

**For children ages 8 and up. Limited to 10 participants.**

**REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED.**

**Register online: marcelluslibrary.org, by phone at 315-673-3221 or in person.**

**TWO SECTIONS AVAILABLE**

**1:00 TO 2:00 PM AND 2:30 TO 3:30 PM**

**PLEASE register for ONLY ONE.**

**FIRST SESSION:** Tuesdays, September 24, October 1, 8, and 15

**SECOND SESSION:** Tuesdays, October 29, November 5, 12 and 19

**THIRD SESSION:** Tuesday, December 3

**ART OPENING** showcasing students' work on Wednesday, December 6, 6:00 to 7:00 pm



**THANK YOU!**

**To the following generous supporters of our 2019 Summer Learning Experience Program!**

***The Friends of Marcellus Free Library***

***Town of Marcellus Parks and Recreation***

***Marcellus Central School District***

***Fairmount Mini Golf Zoo to You***

***The Great New York State Fair***

***Ryan Novak of Chocolate Pizza Company***

***The Marcellus Grange Mandala Moon Yoga, LLC Baltimore Woods Nature Center***

**In addition, we would like to thank the following individuals/organizations who partnered with us to help make our Summer Learning Program a Success:**

**Mark Mocavage of *Sparrow Flowers and Gardens*  
*Orenda Springs***

***Marcellus Lanes***

**Local artist Rob Petrie  
*Eat More Sweets Bakery***

128 children ages preschool to 5th grade participated

2,988 books were read

Total number of programs offered to kids: 36

Total attendance for children's programs: 1,901

Participants in experiential learning programs: 314





### Friends of Marcellus Free Library Meeting Wednesday, September 18 at 11:30 am Friends Community Room

The Friends of the Marcellus Free Library will be starting our 51st year with some changes for the 2019/2020 year. To give others who are not available in the middle of the day the opportunity to attend meetings and participate, there will be two evening meetings this year at 5:30 pm (October and May). We hope to have some new faces join us.

Our first meeting will be on **September 18 at 11:30 am** in the Community Room. This is the third Wednesday of the month instead of the fourth. We will be discussing plans for the upcoming year. Please bring a bag lunch; dessert and beverage will be provided.

If you are not currently a member of the Friends, please consider joining. We work, have fun, socialize and support our wonderful library. Membership for the year is \$10 and form are available in the lobby.

You can follow the Friends on facebook at [www.facebook.com/friendsofmarcelluslibrary](http://www.facebook.com/friendsofmarcelluslibrary) or email us at [marcelluslibraryfriends@gmail.com](mailto:marcelluslibraryfriends@gmail.com) for more information.

Save the date for our Fall Book Sale October 25, 26 and 27. Look for more information next month.



### Trivia Night at the Library hosted by Jake Widrick Thursday, September 19 at 7:00 pm Friends Community Room Please register

Free to play - BYOB (bring your own bottle) and snacks

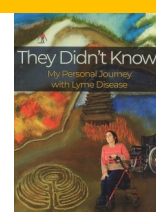
The 2019-2020 MFL Trivia Season starts now! From September through May, teams will be competing for the season grand prize: MFL Trivia Champion Tshirts and some other swag, including your name engraved on the MFL Champions Cup. Feel free to register like normal on a monthly basis, but also email Jake directly at [jwidrick@gmail.com](mailto:jwidrick@gmail.com) to let him know your team name. Make it a good one, because you will be stuck with it until May!



### Monday night is Trading Card Game Night at the Library September 9, 16, 30: 6:00 to 8:00 pm Monday, September 23 - 5:00 to 7:00 pm (note time change) Safe Place to Game Night with Cameron and TCG Player

Safe Place to Game is a free community program where students and families can learn and play trading card games like Magic: The Gathering and Pokémon in a judgement-free zone.

**Author Talk with Martha M. Conan**  
***They Didn't Know - My Personal Journey with Lyme Disease***  
**Monday, September 30 at 6:00 pm**  
**Friends Community Room-** her book will be available to purchase for \$22.00.



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# LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

## Library Hours

Monday 9 am to 8 pm  
 Tuesday 9 am to 8 pm  
 Wednesday 9 am to 8 pm  
 Thursday 9 am to 8 pm  
 Friday 9 am to 5 pm  
 Saturday 10 am to 2 pm  
 Sunday 1 to 5 pm



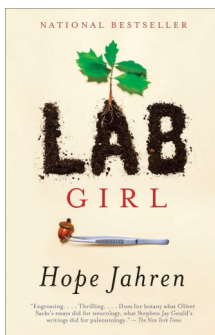
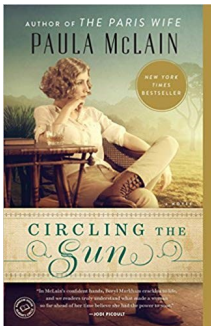
## Marcellus Board of Trustees Meeting Thursday, September 5 at 7:00 pm. Open to the public.

Looking for New Board Members - do you love the library? Do you want to help shape its future? The library is looking for adults living in the Marcellus School District to service on its Board of Trustees. A trustee serves a 3-year term and actively participates in monthly Board meetings and various committee meetings (a time commitment of approximately 3 to 5 hours per month). To begin the application process, please contact Jake Widrick, Library Director at 315-673-3221.

## Paper Crafts with Alyson

Wednesday, September 4 at 6:45 pm  
 Friday, September 6 at 1 pm and 2:15 pm

Please register with Alyson directly at: [aly.esposito3440@gmail.com](mailto:aly.esposito3440@gmail.com) or call 315-604-6467. Free. Adults only please.



**Marcellus Free Library Book Club**  
 Large Tutoring Room  
 Patron led - new members welcome!

**Wednesday, September 4 at 6:30 pm**  
*Circling the Sun* by Paula McLain

**Wednesday, October 2 at 6:30 pm**  
*Lab Girl* by Hope Jahren



Marcellus Free Library  
 Writer's Group meets  
 every Monday at 2 pm  
 in the Tutoring Room.  
 New members welcome!



September Artist is  
 Marcellus resident  
**Tom Vulcano**  
 Photography

**Movie Afternoon for Adults**  
**Armstrong**  
**Thursday, September 19**  
 1:00 pm



**Read to Reilly!**  
**Tuesday, September 10**  
**6:30 to 7:30 pm**  
 Children's Area of the Library

**Read to Doc the Doodle Dog!**  
**Saturday, September 14**  
**11:00 am to 12 noon**  
 Children's Area of the Library

