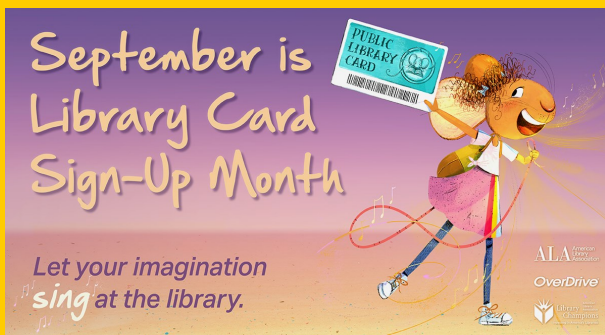


Marcellus Free Library September 2022

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September is Library Card Sign-up Month

A library card is your child's ticket to academic achievement!

Every parent wants their child to succeed, and one of the simplest ways you can ensure your child's academic success is by making a quick trip to the library. September is Library Card Sign-up Month, a time when the Marcellus Free Library joins with the

American Library Association and public libraries nationwide to make sure every student has the most important school supply of all - a **FREE** library card.

Resources at the Marcellus library are available to anyone who has a library card. Students can turn to the library for materials, programs and services that support academic achievement. Our library welcomes students to explore, discover and create. Thanks to the resources available at the library we can meet the needs of all ages and types of learners: books, periodicals, ebooks through Libby, a large selection of educational databases (visit our website, click on Research, click on databases), a helpful staff, and more. Visit the library today! Everyone who signs up for a library card this month will be entered to win a FREE neon basketball light!



Friends of Marcellus Free Library News

**Next meeting: Wednesday, September 28 at 1:00 PM
Friends Community Room**

Join us for the first meeting of the 2022-2023 year on Wednesday, September 28 at 1:00 pm in the Friends Community Room. Regular meetings will be held the third Wednesday of the month at 1:00 pm. We will be discussing plans for the upcoming year and Interim Director Sophia Brandt will be updating us on what is happening at the library. Snacks and beverage will be provided. All are welcome!

If you are not currently a member of the Friends, please consider joining. We work, have fun, socialize, and support our wonderful library.

You can find our membership forms and 2022-2023 program in the lobby, the Book Nook, or at the circulation desk.

Save the date for the Friends Fall Book Sale October 21, 22 and 23. We are taking donations at this time. Book and media donation guidelines are posted on the library website under Friends of MFL. Donations accepted through October 10th.

Email us at marcelluslibraryfriends@gmail.com or follow us on facebook for more information.

Children's Programs



Storytime with Miss Kristin will return in October!

Wednesdays at 9:30 am

Children will enjoy a combination of thematic books, songs, and fingerplays. Please register your child Eventd Calendar for each day you plan on attending.



Toy-Time Tuesdays return September 13

For children ages 0 to 7

10:00 am to 1:00 pm in the Friends Community Room

Come and play upstairs in the Friends Community Room on Toy-Time Tuesdays. Each week there will be toys for your little one to play with without the stress of cleaning up! A caregiver must be present for child's participation.



Braille Storytime with Miss Tonya Saturday, September 24 at 10:30 am

Miss Tonya has been on an amazing journey for the past two years, learning braille soon after she lost her sight in 2020. She hopes to share her appreciation for braille by reading braille children's books to the Marcellus Community. She will answer any questions children have about braille and her experience learning it. Please join her in the Children's area for some stories

Alyson's Kids Craft Saturday, September 24 at 11:00 am Registration required. Guardian must be in attendance.

Get your home ready for the scents of autumn with a Cinnamon Salt Dough Leaf Ornament! Alyson will walk your child through cutting out and designing the dough, then she will bake it in the toaster oven onsite while the children play a leaf matching game.



Emmett

Doc Reading to Dogs Saturday, September 24 at 12:15 to 1:15 pm Friends Community Room

Doc the Doodle and his younger brother Emmett are back! Read your favorite book or pick one from the library's collection to read to one or both dogs. For beginning readers and dog lovers. No registration required.



1,000 Books Before Kindergarten is an ongoing library program! Children who have not entered Kindergarten yet are eligible to participate. For every 100 books read, your child will win a prize and a special sticker. Once they've completed 1,000 books, they will be awarded a certificate and a special t-shirt. Visit the library website for more information.

Tweens and Teens



Teen Dungeons and Dragons - The Marvel Universe With Dungeon Master Josh

Fridays, September 23 through October 28: 3:00 to 5:00 pm

For teens 6th through 12 grade

Registration required. Only 10 spots available.

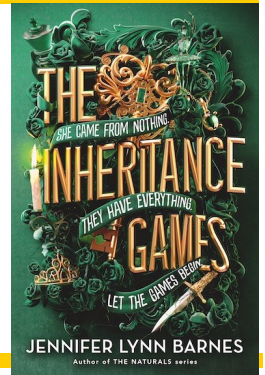
Teen Book Club - *The Inheritance Games* by Jennifer Barnes

Sponsored by the Friends of Marcellus Free Library

Friday, September 23 at 4:00 pm

9th through 12th graders only

Come join other high school students for the fall book club at the library. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the circulation desk. Pizza and refreshments will be served at the book club meeting. Come with your comments and questions from the book.



Teen Craft: Pumpkin Sugar Spice Scrub

Thursday, September 22 at 3:30 pm

Registration encouraged. Only 15 spots available.

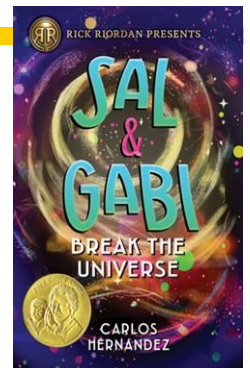
Ready to smell like fall's favorite flavor? Crafter Alyson will walk teens through making a sugar scrub scented with pumpkin spice! Allergen warning: the scrub contains coconut oil.

Tween Book Club - *Sal & Gabi Break the Universe* by Carlos Hernandez

Thursday, September 29 at 4:00 pm

6th through 8th graders only

Come join other tweens for the fall book club at the library. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the circulation desk. Pizza and refreshments will be served at the book club meeting. Come with your comments, questions, and insights from the book!



Trading Card Game Night Mondays

September 12, 19, 26: 6:00 to 8:00 pm

Friends Community Room

For players of all ages and skill levels.

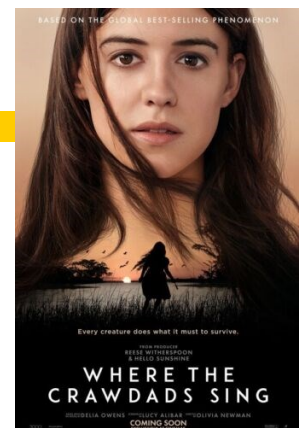
Movie Afternoon for Adults

Thursday, September 29 at 1:00 pm

Friends Community Room

Where the Crawdads Sing

Shown closed-captioned for the hearing impaired. Join other adults for the American mystery thriller based on the 2018 novel by Delia Owens.



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

Paper Crafts with Alyson

Wednesday, September 7 at 5:30 pm
Friday, September 9 at 10:30 am
Register with Alyson directly:
315-604-6467 or
aly.esposito3440@gmail.com



Onondaga Audubon Program
Using Acoustics to Survey Nesting Broad-winged Hawks
Presented by Natia Javakhishvili
Wednesday, September 14, 6:30 pm
Friends Community Room - Free and open to the public.

The passive acoustic monitoring method has been successfully used for many years in the study of songbirds, marine mammals, and bats, but it is less commonly used for birds of prey. Forest raptors such as the Broad-winged Hawk are a particularly secretive and cryptic species during the breeding period, hence finding their nests to assess breeding success requires a lot of time, resources and expertise. SUNY-ESF graduate student, Natia Javakhishvili, will discuss her research, aimed at developing bioacoustics techniques to increase the detections of nesting Broad-winged Hawks, and other forest raptors. She will also share her findings from her summer spent searching for raptor nests, and discuss the existing threats and conservation measures for these birds.

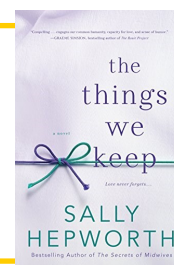
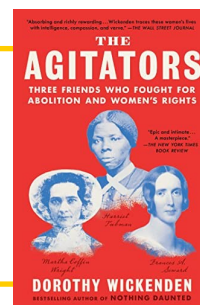
Marcellus Free Library Book Club

October 4 at 10:00 am -

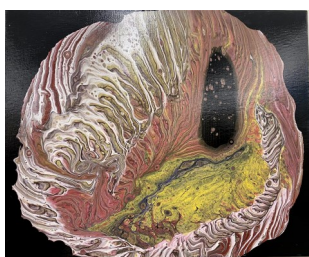
The book to be discussed is *The Agitators* by Dorothy Wickenden

November's book is *The Things We Keep* by Sally Hepworth

New participants are welcome to join one, some or all of the discussions.



Knitters! A library sponsored fall knitting project is planned for October. See our October Events Calender for more information. There will be no designated Knit-In held at the Library this November, but because we have always had such tremendous support for this community outreach project benefiting the Samaritan Center, we will be collecting hats throughout the month of November. So, dust those needles off and get busy knitting! If you have any questions, please call the library.



The Artist for September is Nancy Topp Morrison

"My style of painting tends towards to abstract, fluid paint pouring. I also like to do craft art (painted wood pieces - bird houses and plaques, painted flower pots, glass vases). If something is just sitting there, I beautify by painting it!" - Nancy