

Marcellus Free Library September 2023

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September
IS LIBRARY
CARD SIGN-UP
MONTH

September is Library Card Sign-up Month

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

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, and the Marcellus Free Library is joining 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 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. Visit the library today!

Programs for Adults

Paper Crafts with Alyson

Wednesday, September 6 at 5:30 PM and Friday, September 8 at 10:30 AM

Make a beautiful homemade greeting card using the rubber-stamping technique.

Register with Alyson directly - 315-604-6467 or aly.esposito3440@gmail.com.



Fiber Arts Club

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Tuesday, September 12, 1:30 - 3:00 PM

Martha Lollis Media Room

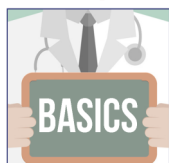
Calling all knitters, crocheters, needle pointers, and other fiber artists! Spend an afternoon working on your latest creation in a social and comfortable setting. Come for only a part of the 90-minutes, or stay the whole time! Please note this is not an instructional workshop, but a patron-led gathering to give crafters a place to socialize. Crafters supply their own materials and projects for club meeting.

MEDICARE

Medicare Basics

Wednesday, September 13, 10:00 AM to 11:30 PM

Friends Community Room - **Register for a Reminder.**



Whether you are new to Medicare or are interested in learning what's new in the coming year, this session will help answer your questions so that you can make the right decisions with your health insurance. This program is in collaboration with the Onondaga County Dept. of Adult and Long-Term Care Services.

Programs for Adults continued.



Afternoon Move: Love Again (2023) - PG 13 **Thursday, September 14 at 1:15 PM** **Friends Community Room**

"Coping with the loss of her fiancé, Mira Ray sends a series of romantic texts to his old cellphone number, not realizing it was reassigned to journalist Rob Burns. Rob becomes captivated by the honesty of her words, enlists her help to figure out how to meet Mira in person -- and win her heart." Starring Celine Dion, Sam Heughan, and Priyanka Chopra Jonas. Closed-captions provided.

Technology Made Easy: Using Google for Internet Searches and Creating Gmail **Saturday, September 16, 10:30 AM -12:00 PM** **Martha Lollis Media Room** **Register Online. Seating is Limited.**

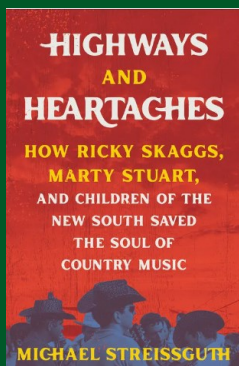


In a small class with trained IT instructors, you will learn how to (1) navigate the internet using google browser; and (2) create and use a Gmail account. This program is in collaboration with LiteracyCNY.



September Book Box **Thursday, September 21** **Pick-up between September 21 and September 30** **Register Online.**

This month's theme is "Read the Book; Watch the Movie." Each box contains a surprise book, its movie adaptation, and fun swag.



Author Talk: Evolution of Country Music with Michael Streissguth **Thursday, September 21, 5:30 - 6:30 PM** **Friends Community Room** **Registration Recommended.**

Local author and LeMoyne professor Michael Streissguth will discuss his newest book, *Highways and Heartaches: How Ricky Skaggs, Marty Stuart, and Children of the New South Saved the Soul of Country Music* (Hachette Books, 2023).

CrafterNoon for Adults: Paint-by-Numbers **Wednesday, September 27, 1:30 to 2:30 PM** **Friends Community Room** **Register Online. Seating Limited.**

Come and enjoy a relaxing hour of painting at the library! Listen to calm music and chat with friends while you create a beautiful nature scene to take home. Every participant will receive a free paint-by-number kit. This program is made possible by Friends of Marcellus Library.



Programs for Adults continued.



BeeKeeper Talk: A Lecture and Honey Tasting
Saturday, September 30, 12:30 - 1:30 PM
Friends Community Room
Register Online. Seating Limited.

Local Master Beekeeper and educator Bill Kaufman will discuss what it means to be a beekeeper and provide tips on how you can pursue beekeeping as a hobby. The talk will end with a honey tasting. All who attend will have a chance to win free products from Its All Better, paid for by the Library.



Garden Talk: Winterizing Your Garden
Saturday, October 7, 12:30 - 1:30 PM
Friends Community Room
Register Online.

Learn how to "put your garden to bed" for the winter: prepare your property and protect your soil from winter cold and spring rains, ensure optimal nutrition, and soil tilth for great gardening the rest of the year.

Marcellus Free Library Book Clubs

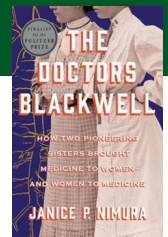
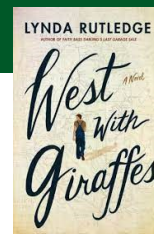
MFL Book Club

Tuesday, September 5, 2023 at 10:00 AM

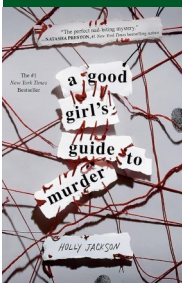
West With Giraffes by Lynda Rutledge

Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 10:00 AM

The Doctors Blackwell: How Two Pioneering Sisters Brought Medicine to Women - and Women to Medicine by Janice P. Nimura



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



Mystery Book Club

Monday, September 11, 1:30 - 3:00 PM

Martha Lollis Media Room

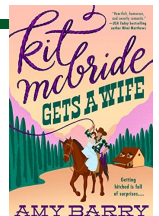
This month, we are reading *A Good Girl's Guide to Murder* by Holly Jackson.

Romance Book Club

Tuesday, September 26, 5:30 to 6:30 PM

Local History Area

This month, we are reading *Kit McBride Gets a Wife* by Amy Barry.



Programs for Children



Fall Storytimes with Miss Kristin

Wednesdays, September 20 through December 13 at 9:30 AM
For children ages 0 to 5 years old accompanied by a caregiver.

Children will enjoy a combination of thematic books, songs, fingerplays, and crafts. **Please register** your child through our Event Calendar on our website for each day you plan to attend.

Library Hours

Monday 9 AM to 7 PM
Tuesday 9 AM to 7 PM
Wed. 9 AM to 7 PM
Thursday 9 AM to 7 PM
Friday 9 AM to 5 PM
Saturday 10 AM to 2 PM

Closed

Labor Day Weekend
Parking Lots Also Closed
(for sealing and striping).

Programs for Children continued

Awesome Art Classes will begin in mid-September. Come and explore different art styles and create you own masterpiece! **TWO** sessions will be offered: 1:00 to 2:00 pm and 2:30 to 3:30 pm.
Registration is required and will open **Wednesday, September 6.**

Classes will run:
September 13, 20
October 4, 11, 18
November 1, 8, 15



Toy Time Tuesdays return September 26, 10 AM - 1 PM

Ages 0 to 5 with a caregiver
Friends Community Room

Dungeons & Dragons with Master Story Teller Josh

Grades 6 - 12
Fridays: October 6 to November 3
2:45 - 4:45 PM

Registration Required.



Trading Card Game Night
Mondays, Sept. 11, 18, & 25
6:00 pm
Friends Community Room



Players of all ages and skill levels welcome.



Friends' volunteers at the Summer Reading Finale

Friends of Marcellus Free Library News Next meeting: Thursday, September 28 at 1:00 PM Friends Community Room

Join us for the first meeting of the 2023-2024 year on Thursday, September 28 at 1:00 pm in the Friends Community Room. Regular meetings will be held the fourth Thursday of the month at 1:00 pm. We will be discussing all our exciting 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!

FMFL is grateful for your membership. Please continue your support of the Friends by renewing your membership when it comes due. The more Friends we have, the more we can do for the library community as a whole while also supporting the library that we love. 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 2023-2024 program in the lobby, the Book Nook, or at the circulation desk.

Save the date for the Friends Fall Book Sale October 20, 21, and 22. We are taking donations at this time. Book and media donation guidelines are posted on the library website under Friends of MFL. We will be accepting all major credit cards and Venmo at the sale.

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



The Artist for September is Susi Buschbacher

"Watercolor is my first choice in creating art. I love bright colors and the mingling of colors on the paper, letting the water flow and create new colors. I use a limited palette of colors to keep them clean and fresh. Lately I am drawn to abstracts and include acrylic as well as ink. For me, creating art is rewarding. Relaxing and exciting at the same time."