

MARCELLUS FREE LIBRARY

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Friends of the Library Fall Book Sale: Dates and Details Friends Community Room

Friday, October 21: 4:00 to 7:00 PM *Book sale preview*
\$5 Admission to browse and buy ahead of the regular sale.
Free admission for Friends of the Library.

Saturday, October 22: 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Free admission.

Sunday, October 23: 1:00 to 5:00 PM *\$5 Bag Sale*
Bag Sale begins Sunday and runs through October 29th.

The long-awaited Fall Book Sale is coming soon. Friends members have free admission for Friday night's sale. Those interested in becoming a Friend can join the group at the door Friday night. The \$5 bag sale will commence on Sunday in the lobby, and continue during regular library hours until October 29th. Bags will be provided. **The Friends are looking for volunteers to help move books. Book donations are being accepted through October 10th.**

Next meeting: Wednesday, October 26 at 1:00 PM
Friends Community Room

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



Café: Grand Reopening

The café has reopened just in time for sweater weather! To-go cups are available at the front desk for \$2, Friends of the Library receive a 50% discount. K-cups are available upon request, and our flavors include: Caramel Vanilla Crème Coffee, Chai Latte, French Vanilla Coffee, Hazelnut Coffee, Hot Apple Cider, Hot Cocoa, and Pumpkin Spice Flavored Coffee.



Construction Update: Memorial bricks are on their way!

Thank you to everyone who has donated to the commemorative brick fund raiser this summer. You can expect to see your special-order bricks installed later this month along the path from the outdoor amphitheater to the Robert and Jane Amidon Memorial Garden. If you have not placed your brick order yet, order forms are available in the lobby and at the front desk. Any orders placed now will be installed with our next batch order in the spring. We hope to see you enjoying the new outdoor space once the warm weather returns!

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



Fall Storytimes with Miss Kristin

Wednesdays, October 5 through December 14 at 9:30 AM

Children will enjoy a combination of thematic books, songs, and fingerplays. Crafts will be made in house near the end of the program. Please register your child through our Event Calendar on our website for each day you plan to attend. October's themes will be:

10/5 Trees

10/12 Teddy Bears! (National Bring Your Teddy to Work/School Day)

10/19 Popcorn

10/26 Boo! It's almost Halloween!

Toy-Time Tuesdays

For children ages 0 to 5

Tuesdays, 10:00 AM-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. *New toys are funded by the Friends of the Marcellus Free Library.*



Alyson's Kids Craft: Halloween Slime

Saturday, October 15 at 11:00 AM

Outdoors, weather permitting. Rain date: Saturday, October 22.

Registration required. Guardian must be in attendance. Ages 5-10.

Get ready for Halloween this year with your very own creepy-crawly slime!

Master Crafter, Alyson will prepare the base of the slime beforehand, and

leave the fun parts of slime designing for the participants. Color choices will include: orange, green and purple. Please beware: coloring can stain clothing, so come dressed appropriately!

Pumpkin Decorating Contest

Registration begins October 1st. Submissions due by October 28th.

Register your child for a spot in the library's pumpkin decorating contest! Each child will receive a pumpkin, courtesy of the Friends of MFL, to take home and decorate as they wish for a chance to win a special prize from the Chocolate Pizza Company. Once the pumpkin is ready for judging, bring the pumpkin to the library for a photo shoot! Contestants must submit their pumpkins by October 28th. A first prize winner and runner-up will be named on Halloween. **For children ages 5-10.**



TWEENS & TEENS PROGRAMS



SECNY Presents: College Planning for Teens and Adults

Saturday, October 8 at 12:00 PM

Does it seem like the path ahead should be more clear? We are here to help. Professionals from OCC and SECNY FCU can assist with questions regarding how to pay for college, costs of living, and what some options for a post-high-school life could look like, all while sharing advice and best practices! This program is open to teens and adults who may be working through the process.

TWEENS & TEENS PROGRAMS (CONTINUED)



Teen Craft: Frankenstein Marshmallow Pops

Thursday, October 13 at 3:00 PM

Registration encouraged. Only 15 spots available.

Craft Master, Alyson, will show teens how to turn marshmallows and chocolate into Frankenstein's Monster creation.

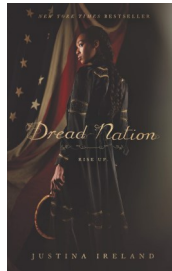
Teen Book Club - *Dread Nation*

by Justina Ireland

Friday, October 28 at 4:00 PM

9th through 12th graders only

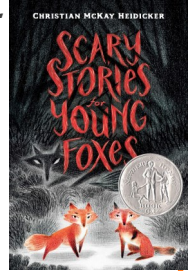
Tweens must have written permission from guardians to attend.



Tween Book Club *Scary Stories for Young Foxes* by Christian McKay Heidicker

Thursday, November 3 at 4:00 PM

6th through 8th graders. Enjoy a fun discussion, while sharing a pizza pie with other tweens who like to read!



FAMILY PROGRAMS



Vera House presents: *A Family Conversation About Healthy Relationships* (Hybrid)

Thursday, October 13 at 4:00 PM

Martha Lollis Media Room and Zoom

Educator Nicole Blidy invites families for a conversation around abuse and healthy relationships. The discussion will highlight what is considered abuse

and its root causes. She will also define red flags, green flags, and deal breakers, while teaching participants how to set boundaries. By the end of the program, the audience will know what qualities make up healthy relationships. Please register online for your spot. Zoom link will be provided for those who wish to attend virtually. Ages 12 and up.

Trading Card Game Night Mondays

October 3, 17, 24:

6:00 to 8:00 PM

October 10: 4:45-6:45 PM

Friends Community Room

For players of all ages and skill levels.



PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS



Vera House presents *Elder Abuse: A Community Problem with Systemic Solutions*

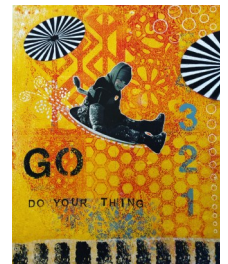
Thursday, October 27 at 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

This Domestic Violence Awareness Month, we invite you to join us in a dialogue on the difficult topic of elder abuse. An issue that often lives "under the radar" in our communities, elder abuse is a problem that impacts us all. Vera House Abuse in Later Life Prevention and Outreach Coordinator Loren Ulrich will lead a discussion of the dynamics and red flags of elder abuse, the resources available to support survivors, and what we can do to prevent abuse and create a community in which we can all age with dignity and justice.

Awesome Art for Adults with Meg Osborne

Saturday, October 29 at 11:00 AM

Artist Meg Osborne will teach participants how to use Gelli plates to create unique works of art. A Gelli plate is a soft silicone plate that creates beautiful prints that can be used in art journals, collages, card making and mixed media art pieces. In this workshop the library will provide Gelli plates to practice with, and participants will explore other basic materials, tools and techniques to start, such as: care & maintenance of the plate; paints, papers & tools used to create prints; creation of multilayered prints with pattern and texture; image transfers on the Gelli plate. No art experience is necessary. Gelli printing is a fun and playful process! Roll up your sleeves, put on an apron, and come join us! **Registration required**, register online or at the front desk.





Library Hours

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

Paper Crafts with Alyson
Wednesday, October 5 at 5:30 pm
Friday, October 7 at 10:30 am

Register with Alyson directly:
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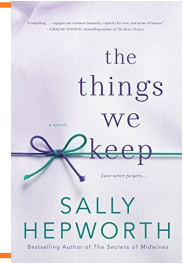
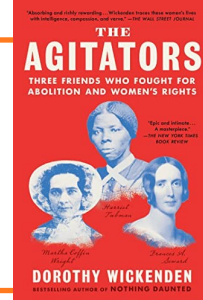
Marcellus Free Library Book Club

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.



THE GREAT GIVE BACK

The Great Give Back: Knitting For A Cause — Hats For The Needy Begins October 15th through November 30th

The Marcellus Free Library will be a collection point for the Samaritan Center's Knitting For A Cause Drive. A bin will be available in the lobby for your donations. Last year, area knitters donated 652 hats. 517 hats were delivered to the Samaritan Center; Catholic Charities received 100 kid's hats and 35 newborn and toddler hats were delivered to Joseph's House for Women in Syracuse. Help make Marcellus apart of the solution and start those knits!



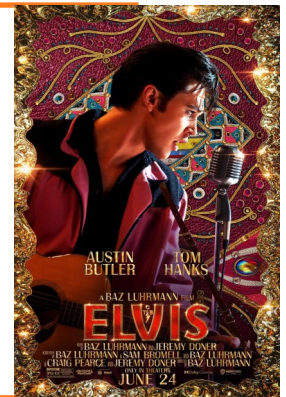
Movie Afternoon for Adults
Thursday, October 27 at 1:00 PM
Friends Community Room

Elvis, A Baz Luhrmann Film.

"The film explores the life and music of Elvis Presley (Austin Butler), seen through the prism of his complicated relationship with his enigmatic manager, Colonel Tom Parker (Tom Hanks)."

Rated PG-13.

Shown closed-captioned for the hearing impaired.



The Artists for October is The Marcellus-Skaneateles Art Guild

You are invited to a very special show highlighting the talents of our local artists. Paintings are in various media including oil, watercolors, pastels, and acrylics. There are drawings as well. All art will be available for sale. This is a great opportunity to own some beautiful original art.
~ Susi Buschbacher, member of MSAG

