July Events

Don’t forget to sign up for a Summer Reading Program-We have something for all ages!

Adult Programs
Writing in Two Worlds-Wednesday, July 13, 6:30-8:00PM. Aspiring writers and those who love mysteries and historical fiction, this program is for you! Maine author Lea Wait writes an award-winning mystery series (the Shadows Antique Print Mystery series) and acclaimed historical novels for young people set in 19th century New England. Come and hear why she wears two writing hats... the challenges of writing in two genres... and why there might just be a third or even a fourth hat in her future.

Dr. Sherlock Holmes-Wednesday, July 20, 6:30-8:00PM. Medicine and mystery fans of the popular television show "House" know that it is based on Arthur Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes stories. They may not know how important the medical profession was to the first great detective. Doyle was himself a doctor, and he modeled Holmes on his medical school professor Dr. Joseph Bell. Holmes' detection is based on medical diagnostics, and mystery writing became popular just as modern medicine was becoming established. By examining Sherlock Holmes' detective in the context of Doyle's medical writings, this program offers insights into the relationship between doctors and detectives. Please join us for this lecture. Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the UNH Speakers' Bureau.

The History of Collectors and Collecting—Thursday, July 28, 6:30-8:00PM. Hetty Startup of the UNH Speakers' Bureau will be here to discuss the history of collecting. A comprehensive look at the fun, weird and wonderful history of museums, collectors and collecting habits. This discussion also invites you to think about your own collecting interests..why do you collect certain things and not others? Is there a theme? Do you have a unique or fun collection? Bring in samples of it to show and discuss with the group. Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the UNH Speakers' Bureau.

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Summer Children’s Activities

Wednesday Morning Programs
Stories & crafts for ages: 3-7 @ 11:30
North American stories & craft 7/6
South American stories & craft 7/13
European stories & craft 7/20
African stories & craft 7/27
Asian stories & craft 8/3
Australian stories & craft 8/10

Evening Programs:
BINGO for Books 7/5 @ 6:30pm
Meet Author Marty Kelley 7/19 @ 6:30pm
Young Writers Workshop 7/21 @ 5:30
Planet EARTH Movie night 7/26 @ 5:30
Read-a-thon 8/2 @ 5-7 sign-up
Explore Japan: Sushi Making 8/10 @ 6:30

Saturday Programs:
Drop in from 9:30-1:30 for all ages
Craft day 7/16 & Lego day 7/30

Friday Morning Programs

Rainbow Tales
Explore colors through stories and crafts
for Tots ages: 1-3 on every Friday at 9:30 through 8/12

Special Events:
*Storywalk up in Waukewan Highlands with guided tours on Thursday 7/7 and 8/4 @ 11:30 for all ages
* Harry Potter Party 7/12 @ 3:30-5pm for ages 7 & up
*Young Writers Workshop 7/19 with Marty Kelley & share your work on 7/21 from 5:30-7 w/ dinner for ages 7 and up, please sign-up
*Norman Ng Magic Show 7/27 @ 2pm at the Community Center
*Concert by Steve Blunt w/ ice cream party on 8/17 @ 3pm

Reading Incentive Program runs throughout the summer. Sign up, read & win prizes during prize weeks on 7/19-7/23 & 8/16-8/20
Book Groups

Mystery Book Group -
Thursday, July 14, 10:30-12:00PM-
Please join Meredith Library’s Mystery Book group as we read *Cat of the Century* by Rita Mae Brown. You can pick up your copy of the book at the main desk and refreshments will be served. Shady money dealings fuel Brown’s solid 18th mystery featuring Mary Minor Haristeen and her cat pal, Sneaky Pie. Aunt Talley Urquhart is looking forward to celebrating her 100th birthday at her Fulton, Mo., alma mater, real-life William Woods University, but all is not well at WWU. Stockbroker Flo Langston, class of ’74, is sure her hated classmate, Mariah D’Angelo, who heads the WWU Alumnae Association, has mishandled university funds. Mariah misses Aunt Talley’s party and vanishes. Then someone shoots Flo dead at home in St. Louis after Flo reveals that Mariah has been selling fake high-end watches. Taunting messages begin arriving in computer in-boxes of various WWU alumnae, including Inez Carpenter, Aunt Talley’s 98-year-old best friend. *(Publishers Weekly)*

Brown Bag Book Group -
Thursday, July 28, Noon–2:30PM-
Please join us in discussing *A Study in Scarlet*, a short story in the Sherlock Holmes collection where Holmes and Watson first meet. Also, please explore other stories in the collection. Feel free to bring your lunch. We will be watching *Sherlock: A Study in Pink* at 12:30, a modern version of the story we’re reading this month with an updated Holmes, who maintains his own Website, and Watson, a veteran of the war in Afghanistan, who blogs about their adventures. This is the first episode of the British series. Popcorn and beverages will be served.

Friends Update

At the June meeting of the Friends of the Meredith Library, we were delighted to welcome for our first program our librarians, Erin, Karen and Jessie. They described the wonderful programs they are providing to all ages of our community; the summer reading programs for both adults and youth, the many creative projects for young children and young adults; the great speakers dealing with many different areas. We were able to understand just how valuable our library is to our community and how it enriches our lives.

Our next Book Sale is taking place in August. More details will follow. It is a great opportunity to find good books while supporting our library.

We have added two new committees: Programs and Fund Raising. Anyone interested in becoming a member of one of these committees or any of our committees, please contact Beverly Heyduk at 279-1206.

Volunteers are needed to help with the dead-heading/weeding of our beautiful gardens. For more information on what this entails (and how to dead-head plants) please contact (continued on page 7)
Teens and ‘Tweens Page
Ages 10-17

New Fiction for Young Adults

*Everlasting* by Angie Frazier

* Raised By Wolves* by Jennifer Lynn Barnes

*Fear: 13 Stories of Suspense and Horror* by R. L. Stine

*Revamped* by Lucienne Diver

*No and Me* by Delphine De Vigan

*The FitzOsbornes in Exile* by Michelle Cooper

*Twelfth Grade Kills* by Heather Brewer

*Ghost Town* by Rachel Caine

*Wildthorn* by Jane Eagland

*The Atomic Weight of Secrets: Or the Arrival of the Mysterious Men in Black* by Eden Unger Bowditch

*Summer and the City* by Candace Bushnell

*The Last Little Blue Envelope* by Maureen Johnson

*Teeth: Vampire Tales* by Ellen Datlow

*Stay* by Deb Caletti

*Linger* by Maggie Stiefvater

*Tiger’s Quest* by Colleen Houck

*City of fallen Angels* by Clare Cassandra

*The Gathering* by Kelley Armstrong

New Non-Fiction for Young Adults

*Women Heroes of World War II: 26 Stories of Espionage, Sabotage, Resistance, and Rescue* by Kathryn J. Atwood

*Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes*

Summer Reading Has Begun!

PRIZES for reading!! Pick up a reading log at the front desk. Keep track of all the books that you read this summer. For every ten books or 2000 pages that you read, receive a prize plus your name will go into the end of summer prize box and you could win a grand prize! Be sure to check out the many fun programs going on this summer including jewelry making, “butt pillows”, writer’s workshop, author visits, watercolor, Harry Potter party and so much more!
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# New Adult Items
(ask for the full list at the desk)

## Cozy Fiction
- Haines: *Bones of a feather*
- John: *Desert Gift*
- Smith: *The Dog Who Came in from the Cold*
- Meier: *English Tea Murder*
- Morgan: *A Heart Divided*
- Sefton: *Unraveled*

## Fiction
- Airgood: *South of Superior*
- Andrews: *Summer Rental*
- Baldacci: *One Summer*
- Birch: *Jamrach's Menagerie*
- Brashares: *Sisterhood Everlasting*
- Clancy: *Against All Enemies*
- Cook: *Best Staged Plans*
- Cooke: *Daughters of the Revolution*
- Deaver: *Carte Blanche*
- Evanovich: *Smokin’ Seventeen*
- Frank: *Folly Beach*
- Kepler: *The Hypnotist*
- McCaffrey: *Dragon Time*
- Patterson: *Now You See Her*
- Thayer: *Heat Wave*
- Wilson: *Robopocalypse*

## Non-Fiction
- Bloom: *Think*
- Carney: *Red Market*
- Cohen: *William and Catherine*
- Craker: *Money Secrets of the Amish*
- Estabrook: *Tomatoland*
- Fields: *Bridal Bargains*
- Glickman: *Great On the Job*
- Holland: *Naturally Curious*
- Jacobsen: *Area 51*
- Miller: *President and the Assassin*
- Miller: *Those Guys Have All the Fun*
- Nordhaus: *Beekeeper's Lament*
- Schloss: *Homemade Soda*
- Seal: *Man in the Rockefeller Suit*

## DVDs
- *The Adjustment Bureau*
- *Conviction*
- *Drillbit Taylor*
- *The Howling*
- *The Perfect Storm*
- *The Silence of the Lambs*
- *Stripes*
- *True Grit*
- *Vampires Suck*
- (Series (season))
  - *The Big C* (1)
  - *Breaking Bad* (3)
  - *Burn Notice* (4)
  - *The Closer* (6)
  - *MI-5* (5-7)
  - *Nurse Jackie* (1 and 2)
  - *True Blood* (3)
  - *White Collar* (2)

## Books on CD
- Andrews: *Summer Rental*
- Baldacci: *One Summer*
- Cussler: *The Kingdom*
- Evanovich: *Smokin’ Seventeen*
- Finder: *Buried Secrets*

## Frank-Folly Beach
- Hilderbrand: *Silver Girl*
- Patchett: *State of Wonder*
- Patterson: *10th Anniversary*
- See: *Dreams of Joy*
- Woods: *Beach Lane*
July Events Continued

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Teen Programs

Harry Potter Movie—Deathly Hollows—
Wednesday, July 6, 3:30 to 5:30. No sign-up required * snacks served.

Buttons with Maureen—Thursday, July 7, 2:30 to 4:00. Make a piece of jewelry out of buttons, we have buttons or bring your own. * Class is limited to 12 so please sign-up * snacks served!

Harry Potter Party—Tues. July 12, 3:30 to 5:00. Come dressed-up to celebrate one of the most fabulous series of all times. There will be trivia, potions, games, wizard snacks and more! Ages 7 and up.

Writing in Two Worlds—Wednesday, July 13, 6:30 to 8:00. Meet Maine author Lea Wait who writes novels for young people. This young adult and adult program is for aspiring writers and those who love mysteries and historical fiction. Refreshments served

Bingo for Books & Boxes—Thursday, July 14, 2:30 to 3:30. Come play bingo and win books or maybe a BOX with a surprise inside! No sign-up required. Snacks served

Author and illustrator workshop—Tuesday, July 19, 6:30 to 7:30. Join Marty Kelley as he tells young authors how he got started in the business of writing and how you can try it too! Please sign-up in advance. Ages 7 and up.

Young writer’s workshop—Thursday, July 21, 5:30 to 7:00. Bring and share something you have been working on and use the time to brainstorm new ideas with other young writers. Please sign-up in advance. Ages 7 and up. DINNER WILL BE SERVED.

Children’s Programs

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Friends Continued

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Lorraine Martin at 303-8411 or Barbara Brann at 279-5565.

We are also looking for a volunteer or volunteers to coordinate art displays in the library. We all benefit from this service. Please contact Beverly Heyduk at 279-1206 for more information.

When you visit the library, please take a look at the Friends' table by the back entrance. We have books for sale and information about the Friends of the Meredith Library and how to become a member.

Our next meeting is Wednesday, July 27th at 3:00 PM. For our next program we will welcome Becky Harding who is the Head Librarian for the State Prison. We hope to see you there.

-Beverly Heyduk
Library Mission Statement

Meredith Public Library is the informational, educational, and cultural heart of the Meredith community. The library is a dependable source of reliable information and of challenging ideas that enlighten and enrich, and of materials in many formats that enhance leisure time and expand knowledge of current events. The library encourages the love of reading and the joy of learning, and offers the assistance people need to find, evaluate, and use electronic and print information resources that help them live successful and rewarding lives.

Are You Talented?

Do you have a special skill such as knitting, scrapbooking or model train building you’d be willing to share with others at the library? Are you an artist looking for a place to display your work? If so please contact the library. If displaying artwork please ask for Karen Henchey. If you would like to present a program at the library please contact Erin Apostolos.

Quilt Display

The two quilts that are hanging, plus over (100) 12 1/2” red, white and blue blocks were received by the CVQG Community Outreach Program on May 18, 2011. They were made and generously donated by members of the CVQG’S “sister” Guild, The Lady Of The Lakes Quilt Guild of Wolfeboro, N.H.

The blocks will be used to make five or so bed size quilts for the Tilton Veterans Home. This wonderful donation, by The Lady Of The Lake’s Guild will add to The Country Village Quilt Guild's effort to continue to replace quilts at The Tilton Veterans Home as part of their Community Outreach Program.

CVQG Meetings are held at the Public Safety Building (Police/Fire Dept.) Route 25 east of blinker Moultonborough, NH 03254
Meetings are held the first and third Wednesday of each month from 1:30-4:00. Guests are always welcome.