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Guernsey Programs

Library Hours:
Tues-Thurs 9-8
Fridays 9-5
Saturdays 9-2
Sundays and
Mondays Closed

Lakes Region Reads

Kick-Off Event is at
the Wright Museum
in Wolfeboro on Sat-
urday, October 2 at
1:00PM. The first 200
ticketed people at the
museum will receive
a free copy of the
Guernsey book.

Well-known journalist Mike Pride will
discuss his book We
Went to War, featur-
ing narratives from
NH veterans about
their World War II
experiences, at
2:00PM. Take a
break in the mu-
seum’s 1940’s style
ice cream parlor and
enjoy a dish of ice
cream. If you show
up at the Wright Mu-
seum without a ticket
you will have to pay
the regular admission
price. Tickets are
available at
http://lakesregion
reads.wordpress.com

Be sure to mark your
calendar for our big
author visit! Annie
Barrows, co-author of
The Guernsey Liter-
ary and Potato Peel
Pie Society, will be
here October 24th,
2010 at 1:00PM at
the Inter-Lakes High
School. She is a very
witty and amusing
woman and her event
promises to be a lot of
fun. This event is not
ticketed, so be sure to
arrive early to be
guaranteed a space.

On Thursday, Octo-
ber 7 at 6:30PM the
Meredith Library
hosts War at Home:
World War II New
Hampshire, a NH Hu-
manities Council
program, co-
sponsored by the
Friends of the Mered-
th Library.

The 2010 Lakes Re-
region Reads is spon-
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Hampshire Humani-
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Meredith Village Sav-
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Charitable Founda-
tion, the Laconia Sav-
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and Spa at Mill Falls,
and Lakes Region
Spirit magazine.

Ask us
about Home
Delivery
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Eat, drink and be scary!
New

Highlighted Books!

Scaredy-Cat, Splat!
By: Rob Scotton
Splat’s school is celebrating Halloween with a contest to see who can be the scariest cat. Splat is more of a scaredy cat than a scary cat. But as he trips over his jack-o-lantern his luck begins to change.

Framed
By: Gordan Korman
The third in the popular series about middle schooler Griffin Bing. This year when a Super Bowl ring goes missing all signs point to Griffin as the culprit. This fast-paced mystery involves Griffin’s eccentric set of friends, an ankle monitor, nuisance wildlife and keeps you guessing until the end.

Children’s Fall Programs

Preschool Story Time
for ages 3-5 on Weds at 10:30am and Thurs at 1:00pm

Tot Time
Fridays at 9:30
for ages 1-3 (library is closed Fri. Oct. 22.)

“For the Love of Dolls” Join the club for kids who love dolls! Each week a new wild topic! Learn about dolls from around the world, from literature, from different times in history and the final week is a celebration tea party. For ages 6 and up on Wednesdays at 3:30 on 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20

Haunted Library Scavenger Hunt
on Wednesday, October 27 at 3:30 for all ages with no sign-up. Save the library and win a prize. Snack provided as well.

Drop in crafts for kids of all ages on every other Saturday from 9:30-1:30. Meet this month on 10/2, 10/16 and 10/30

Look forward to Lego Club meeting every other Wednesday afternoon in November and December

BOOOO!
**Mystery Book Group**

- **Thursday, October 14, 10:30-12:00PM**
- **Killer Weekend** by Ridley Pearson

In Sun Valley, Idaho, eight years ago, Walt Fleming was a rookie patrolman riding a bike as part of the town's "pedal patrol." While on duty one night he observed a loose screen at the home of part-time resident Elizabeth Shaler, a rising star on the political scene, and decided to investigate. While saving Shaler from a knife-wielding intruder, Fleming was stabbed. **Killer Weekend** is an intelligent, tightly-written story with short chapters, crisp dialogue and a refreshing twist. Ridley Pearson's latest novel is a high-altitude, high-octane thriller about murder, greed, betrayal and revenge, but it also includes a welcome shot of redemption, sacrifice and forgiveness.

**Brown Bag Book Group**

- **Thursday, October 28, 12:00-1:30PM**
- **The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society** by Mary Ann Shaffer and Annie Barrows

We have a special book group leader, the dynamic Frumie Schelan, a humanities scholar! This is a NH Humanities Council Program and is co-sponsored by the Friends of the Meredith Library. It is part of Lakes Region Reads.

**Friends of the Library Update**

Now that October has arrived, Halloween is just around the corner. If you or a family member need a costume please come and visit the library’s hidden gem; the **Costume Room**. Thanks to Friends’ volunteers Micci Freyenhagen and Nan Sherman, the costume room has been revitalized. Costumes have been organized and mended; there are many! Just ask at the library’s front desk to view the costume room.

The Friends’ group of active volunteers is growing. If you want to join in on all the fun and help the library in return, consider becoming a member of our Abe Books, Garden or Book Sale committees.

Also, we are looking to replace a member of our Board of Directors. President, Danielle Scott is resigning due to a residential move. If you are interested in this position please contact Erin Apostolos at the library; erin@meredithlibrary.org or 279-4303.

**Upcoming events:**

- **Friends of the Library Meeting, Thursday**, **October 28, 2010 at 3:00 PM**

**Please note this meeting is not on our regular scheduled day, Wednesday, due to the Library Scavenger Hunt.**
Mockingjay by Suzanne Collins-(The Final Book of The Hunger Games series.)

Katniss Everdeen, girl on fire, has survived, even though her home has been destroyed. Gale has escaped. Katniss’s family is safe. Peeta has been captured by the Capitol. District 13 really does exist. There are rebels. There are new leaders. A revolution is unfolding.

It is by design that Katniss was rescued from the arena in the cruel and haunting Quarter Quell, and it is by design that she has long been part of the revolution without knowing it. District 13 has come out of the shadows and is plotting to overthrow the Capitol. Everyone, it seems, has had a hand in the carefully laid plans except Katniss.

The success of the rebellion hinges on Katniss’s willingness to be a pawn, to accept responsibility for countless lives, and to change the course of the future of Panem. To do this, she must put aside her feelings of anger and distrust. She must become the rebel’s Mockingjay—no matter what the personal cost.

New Books to Read for Young Adults

Grease Town by Ann Towell

A Conspiracy of Kings by Megan Whalen Turner (Author of the Newberry Honor Book The Thief)

Stardust by Neil Gaiman

The Red Rose Box by Brenda Woods (A Coretta Scott King Award Honor Book)

Canterwood Crest Series Book One- Take the Reins by Jessica Burkhart

Happyface by Stephen Emond

Home Is Beyond the Mountains by Celia Barker Lottridge

Theodore Boone: Kid Lawyer by John Grisham

Fang: A Maximum Ride Novel by James Patterson

Center Field by Robert Lipsyte

Found by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Sent by Margaret Peterson Haddix

New Non-Fiction for Young Adults

Witches and Wiccans by Rosemary Ellen Guiley (mysteries, legends and unexplained phenomena)

Rock Climbing Anchors: A Comprehensive Guide by Craig Luebben

My Self: A Guide to Me by Marlene Wallach

New Biographies for young Adults

Uncommon Champions: Fifteen Athletes Who Battled Back by Marty Kaminsky

The Wright Brothers-First in Flight by Tara Dixon-Engel and Mike Jackson

The Brave Escape of Edith Wharton by Connie Nordhielm Wooldridge

New Audio Books for Young Adults

Number the Stars by Lois Lowry

Anne Frank Remembered by Miep Gies

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New Adult Items
(ask for the full list at the desk)

Fiction
Bell-Warlord
Benn-Rag and Bone
Boyd-The Bricklayer
Cassella-The Healer
Coben-Back Spin
Cornwell-The Fort
Cussler-Lost Empire
Davis-Nemesis
Evanovich-Wicked Appetite
Feehan-Dark Peril
Follett-Fall of Giants
Glass-The Widower’s Tale
Gibson-Zero History
Gregory-The Favored Child
Gruen-Ape House
Hill-Shadows in the Street
Hoffman-Chosen
Toro-The Fall
Lindsay-Dexter is Delicious
Marr-Radiant Shadows
Mayor-Red Herring
Patterson-Don’t Blink
Roth-Nemesis
Sandford-Bad Blood

Non-Fiction
Gookin-Droid X for Dummies
Omar-Barefoot in Baghdad
Hacker-Higher Education?
Jaffe-The King’s Best Highway
Seife-Proofiness
Ackerman-Ah-Choo!
Goran-The Lost Dogs
Bakerella-Cake Pops
Bliss-Design It, Knit It
Freeth-The Illustrated Directory of Guitars
Swift-Bomber Country
O’Reilly-Pinheads and Patriots

Books on CD
Crusie-Maybe This Time
Hood-The Knitting Circle
Novik-Tongues of Serpents
Rosnay-Sarah’s Key
Ryan-The Holy Thief
Silva-The Rembrandt Affair
Sparks-Safe Haven
Willis-Blackout

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DVDs
Movies
The Back-up Plan
Clash of the Titans
Date Night
E.T.
The Goonies
The Good Heart
Juno
Kick-Ass
Letters to Juliet
9th Company
Ray
Red Riding
National Treasure
2001
Truman
Vincere
Wall Street

Series (season)
Bramwell (4)
Heroes (4)
House (6)
Lost (6)
McLeod’s Daughters (6)
Thriller (1 and 2)
24 (6)
Teen Programs

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All teens/tweens join us Thursday, October 21 from 6:00 to 7:00 for a pumpkin carving gathering! We will provide the pumpkins and a ghoulish Halloween treat. Bring a friend but you must sign-up to receive a pumpkin. Ages 10 and up!

TEEN READ WEEK is October 17 -23 this year’s theme is Books with Beat @ your library, which encourages teens to read poetry, audio books, books about music, and more. Why is it important to celebrate? For a lot of reasons! Teens have so many options for entertainment, so it’s important to remind them to spend time reading for pleasure: it’s free, fun, and can be done anywhere! Research shows that teens who read for fun have better test scores and are more likely to succeed. O.K. Teens get out there and read!

Cozy Corner

Looking for a gentle, good read that will keep the pages turning? Try our Cozy Corner just to the right as you enter the Fiction Room. With authors such as Dorothy Gilman, Katie Fforde, Richard Paul Evans, Jennifer Chiaverini, Elizabeth Cadell, Maeve Binchy, M. C. Beaton, Nancy Atherton, and Mary Kay Andrews, you are sure to find something with which to curl up by a warm fire. Feel free to suggest authors for this space.

Recommendations

Cake Pops: Tips, Tricks, and Recipes for more than 40 Irresistible Mini-Treats by Bakerella

Looking for something different, cute and cool to make for the school Halloween party, the family reunion or upcoming holiday events or even the Super Bowl? Try making some cake pops: mini cakes, popped onto sticks and decorated festively for many occasions. These clever inventions will be sure to get everyone talking!

The French Chef

Starring Julia Child

After watching Meryl Streep star as Julia Child in Julie and Julia, be sure to check out our DVD collection of the French Chef featuring the real Julia! Sometimes amusing, but always informative, Mrs. Child will teach you the proper way to cut onions, the difference between male and female lobsters, how to make a good fish stock, the correct potato to use when making French fries, the difference between a fryer and a roaster and how to match the proper wine with a meal. Fans of Julie and Julia will enjoy seeing the real Simone Beck, watching Julia flub up flipping her potatoes and seeing Julia’s house in France.
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.

Library Hours

Sunday and Monday-Closed
Tuesday-Thursday-9:00am-8:00pm
Friday-9:00am-5:00pm
Saturday-9:00am-2:00pm

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 do a program at the library please contact Erin Apostolos.

Genealogy Club

We will be meeting on Friday, October 1 at 4:00PM. This month we are discussing military records: how to obtain them and what type of information can be taken from them. Refreshments will be served. Open to all experience levels.

Please note that the club will be meeting on the first Tuesday of each month at 4:00PM starting in November.

Quilt Display

This month we are displaying the 2006 “Mystery Quilt”. Machine pieced and appliquéd by Country Village Quilt Guild member Ellen Proctor of Moultonborough and machine quilted by Linda Monasky. This colorful quilt of Fall and Winter colors gives a sense of the holidays coming quickly upon us!

Our rotating display is provided by the Country Village Quilters’ Guild in Moultonborough. Contact Gaye Brennan, 539-5147.

Art and Collections

Please be sure to check out our glass display case in non-fiction filled with the classic Matchbox cars of your childhood! Thank you to Steve Aiken for sharing his collection.

Suki Brown’s exhibit of “A Day in the Life” which the library has purchased for its permanent collection, is on display in the media room. Featuring photographs of what happens at the library during a typical day several years ago, you may spot some familiar faces.