

Meredith Library News

June 2010

Library Hours:

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

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Happy Fathers' Day!

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Summer Reading Begins June 29

The Meredith Public Library's Summer Reading program begins June 29 for all age levels. All three programs have a water based theme and many activities will focus on the water.

The Children's Program is called "Make a Splash: Read". Come in during the week of June 29 to create your own reading journals to track your reading so you can show off to your teachers in the fall how much you've read during vacation and to collect prizes during prize weeks! Miss Jessie will also have many exciting programs to keep you busy this summer. Please join us for the program kick-off on Tuesday, July 6 at 3:30, Dragonflies of the Pond. Learn about insects followed by a t-shirt craft. On

Tuesday, July 27 magician Norman Ng will be at the community center at 2:30 to entertain and delight the entire family. The finale party will be on Wednesday, August 18 at 3:30. A concert will be given by Paul Warnick followed by make your own Sundaes!

Other children's programs include a Lego Club, origami workshop, Bingo for Books, a Read/Eat-a-thon, a showing of the film Finding Nemo. Every Wednesday at 11:30, July 7-August 11, join Miss Jessie for Summer Stories that focus on the water theme. In addition Miss Karen will continue Tot Time every Friday morning at 9:30 for ages 1-3.

Our Teen Program is called "Catch a Wave:

Read" and Miss Karen has planned a lot of fun programs to entice ages 10 and over. She will be offering Library Bingo cards. Make a bingo by reading different types of books or doing different activities at the library and turn it for your chance to win your choice of mystery prizes.

There will be a Duct Tape Craft program on Thursday, July 8 at 6:00PM. Did you know you can use Duct tape to create wallets and lots of other nifty items? On July 22 at 6:00pm bring your family with you to learn about genealogy and create your own family tree craft! On Thursday, July 29 join us for a button jewelry craft. Be sure to join us on August 19 at 2:00 for a *(continued on page 7)*



"From The Clock Tower"

MPL Children's Room



June Children's Programs

Tot time: Every Friday at 9:30 For ages: 1-3 with stories, songs and fun! Runs throughout the summer

Preschool Story Time

Wednesdays at 10:30am & Thurs at 1pm
For ages 3-5 with stories, songs & projects! Runs through to the end of the month.

Bedtime Stories

June 1st at 6:30pm for Ages: 3-8. During the summer there will be programs every Tuesday night.

Curiosity Club

End of school year party with games from around the world on June 9th, for Ages: 4-10.



Summer Highlights

Summer Reading Incentive Program

Sign-up and track your reading throughout the summer to earn prizes. Prizes weeks July 20th-24th and Aug. 17th-21st.

Tuesday Evening Activities:

Every Tuesday at 6:30 unless otherwise posted with programs including origami workshop and Lego Club!

Wednesday Morning Summer Stories:

Stories and crafts, every week at 11:30 for ages: 3-8

Special Programs:

Storywalk up in Waukegan Highlands with guided tours 6/30 and 8/3 @ 11:30

*Dragonflies of the pond show 7/6 @ 3:30

*Norman Ng Magic Show 7/27 @ 2:30 at the community center

* Saturdays for prizes on 7/17 & 8/14 @ 11:30

* READ-A-THON /eat-a-thon on 7/21 for ages 6 and up

*Concert by Paul Warnick with ice cream party 8/18 @ 3:30



Mystery Book Group-Thursday, June 10-10:30-12:00PM-**Look Again** by Lisa Scottoline-If she hadn't looked at the picture, Betty Gleeson would have dropped the flyer in the waste paper basket. Instead, she stopped, transfixed: The missing boy in the photo looked identical to her adopted son. This seasoned reporter knew that Will's adoption had been totally

aboveboard, but there was something that compelled her to pursue this eerie coincidence. In that moment, she made a decision that would thrust her into a hunt she can't abandon and a struggle she might not survive. Binding family ties; building suspense; sudden surprises. Refreshments will be served.

Brown Bag Book Group-Thursday, June 24-12:00PM-**Alias Grace** by Margaret Atwood. Please bring your brown bag lunch. Dessert and beverages will be served. This month the group will be dis-

cussing **Alias Grace** by Margaret Atwood-In 1843, a 16-year-old Canadian housemaid named Grace Marks was tried for the murder of her employer and his mistress. The sensationalistic trial made headlines throughout the world, and the jury delivered a guilty verdict. Yet opinion remained fiercely divided about Marks--was she a spurned woman who had taken out her rage on two innocent victims, or was she an unwilling victim herself, caught up in a crime she was too young to understand?

Friends of the Library Update

Good news! The Friends Spring Book Sale on May 22, 2010 was quite successful. All proceeds generated will be used to continue to support library programs. Our thanks to all the volunteers who organized and sorted books, as well as those who helped during the sale.

The garden committee was busy that day as well preparing the library garden for spring plantings. Flowers arrive soon. Help is still needed, please consider volunteering some of your time for weeding through the summer. Contact Barbara Brann-babrann@gmail.com,

279-5565 or Lorraine Martin rain11450@yahoo.com, 303-8411 to schedule some time.

Membership renewal letters have been mailed. Thank you to all the members who have responded by renewing their memberships. If you have not had the opportunity to renew yet please take a moment to do so. Suggested donation membership levels are:

Individual-\$15.00
Family-\$25.00
Business-\$50.00

Checks should be made payable to Friends of the Meredith Library; PO Box 808; Meredith, NH 03253 or

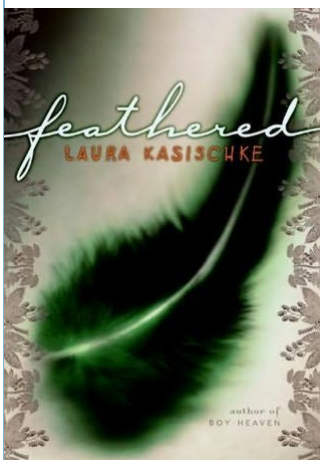
through PayPal email: Friends@meredithlibrary.org. Our membership drive is a very important fundraiser enabling the Friends to raise money for many library programs. We need your support!

Upcoming events:

- **Membership Renewal - ongoing**
- **Friends Meeting, Wednesday, July 28, 2010 at 3:00pm. Everyone is welcome! (We are taking a summer break - no June meeting.)**

Teens and 'Tweens Page

Ages 10-17



Feathered by Laura Kasischke, author of ***Boy Heaven***

Afterward, Terri will tell everyone that, from the beginning, she knew something terrible was going to happen on spring break. Something bad was going to happen. She knew.

It was supposed to be the perfect vacation: hot guys, impeccable tans, and no parents. But for two high school seniors, an innocent car ride will drive them into the heart of their worst nightmare.

Feathered is a provocative and eerie tale that flies readers from safe, predictable suburbia to the sun-kissed beaches of Cancun, Mexico, and into mysterious Mayan ruins, where ancient myths flirt dangerously with present realities.

NEW FICTION

Voices of Dragons by Carrie Vaughn

The Year I Turned Sixteen: Rose, Daisy, Laurel, Lily by Diane Schwemm

Erak's Ransom by John Flanagan

Clash of the Demons by Joseph Delaney

Wrath of the Bloodeye by Joseph Delaney

Tough Times by Milton Meltzer

The Carbon Diaries 2017 by Saci Lloyd

The Looking Glass Wars by Frank Beddor

Seeing Redd: The Looking Glass Wars by Frank Beddor

Freefall by Roderick Gordon

Greener Grass by Caroline Pignat

NEW GRAPHIC NOVELS

Twilight 1: The Graphic Novel by Stephenie Meyer

Mad Hatter: The Looking Glass Wars Vol. 1 by Frank Beddor

Mad with Wonder: The Looking Glass Wars Vol. 2 by Frank Beddor

Chronicles of the Cursed Sword by Beop-Ryong Yeo Vol. 4,5 and 6

NEW NON-FICTION

Public Enemies: America's Greatest Crime Wave and the Birth of the FBI, 1933-34 by Bryan Burroughs

Locked Up: A History of the U.S. Prison System by Laura B. Edge

Amelia Earhart by Tanya Lee Stone

Blood Makes the Grass Grow Green: A Year in the Desert with Team America by Johnny Rico

Join us this summer for our 2010 teen/tween summer reading program. Make Waves at your Library, lots of fun programs happening. Go to meredithlibrary.org under our events page and see what you can do this summer. We will be making duct tape wallets, playing bingo, having a Lego club, a family tree project and more!





June 2010

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Bedtime Stories 6:30-7:15PM	2 Story Time 10:30-11:30AM Intro to Comp. 2:00-3:00PM	3 Knitters 10:00-12:00PM Story Time 1:00-2:00PM	4 Tot Time 9:30-10:15AM Genealogy Club 4:00-6:00PM	5
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22	23 Story Time 10:30-11:30AM Intro to Internet 2:00-3:00PM	24 Knitters 10:00-12:00PM Book Group 12:00-1:30PM Story Time 1:00-2:00PM	25 Tot Time 9:30-10:15AM Matinee 1-3:00PM	26
29 All Week Summer Reading Sign-up and Kids, make your own Reading Journal!	30 Story Time 10:30-11:30AM Intro to Internet 2:00-3:00PM <i>No Friends Meeting in June</i>	1 Knitters 10:00-12:00PM Story Time 1:00-2:00PM	2 Tot Time 9:30-10:15AM	3

New Adult Items

(ask for the full list at the desk)

Fiction

Allende-*Island Beneath the Sea*
 Black-*Elegy for April*
 Brown-*Pawing Through the Past*
 Butcher-*Changes*
 Child-*61 Hours*
 Dekker-*Bride Collector*
 Gross-*Reckless*
 Harris-*Dead in the Family*
 Jerome-*Roastbeef's Promise*
 King-*The God of the Hive*
 Macomber-*Hannah's List*
 Michaels-*Return to Sender*
 Morrison-*The Ark*
 Parker-*Blue-Eyed Devil*
 Patterson-*9th Judgment*
 Preston-*Fever Dream*
 Roberts-*Savor the Moment*
 Sandford-*Storm Prey*
 Trussoni-*Angelology*
 Turow-*Innocent*
 White-*On Folly Beach*
 Woodruff-*My Wife's Affair*
 Wright-*Midnight Fires*

Non-Fiction

Tutu-*Made for Goodness*
 O'Malley-*History of Popes*
 Asma-*Why I am Buddhist*
 McKibben-*Eaarth*
 Johnson-*13 Bankers*
 Wyly-*1000 Dollars and an Idea*
 Gilbert-*Voice of the Foreign Legion*
 Montgomery-*Birdology*
 Roth-*Women, Food and God*
 Guiliano-*French Women Don't Get Fat Cookbook*
 Bridge-*Bike Touring*
 Carmack-*You Can Write Your Family History*

DVDs

Cozy DVDs

Ben Wagner
 Family for Joe
 The Penny Promise
 Walking Across Egypt
 Who Stole My Voice

DVDs

Dirt!
 Invisible Empire
 The Blind Side
 Emma
 Hamlet, Prince of Denmark
 It's Complicated
 Nine
 Lost Season 2

Books on CD

Brown-*Executive Intent*
 Coonts-*Deep Black*
 Hamilton-*Bloody Bones and Circus of the Damned*
 Hammett-*Maltese Falcon*
 Kirkpatrick-*Hitler's Holy Relics*
 Patterson-*Miracle on the 17th Green and 9th Judgment*

Preston-*Fever Dream*
 Roberts-*Hot Rocks*
 Roth-*My Life as a Man*
 Swayze-*Time of My Life*
 Turow-*Innocent*

Playaway Audio

Patterson-*9th Judgment*
 Schine-*Three Weissmanns of Westport*

Summer Reading

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Boardwalk Beach Party to celebrate the end of summer. Create a sand bottle, paint rocks, decorate a flower pot and add beautiful flowers. Then enjoy a fresh fruit buffet! Win prizes! Collect a goodie bag! Please check the schedule for other programs for teens during the summer including a Read-a-thon, Book Bingo, Lego Club and a movie.

Adults will be invited to join in on the fun with their own Summer Reading Program called "Water Your Mind: Read." Adults will be invited to take a reading log to track their reading over the summer. When you take a log you will get a ticket to be entered into our raffle. Each week a name will be drawn to win a "Water Your Mind" prize which includes a garden pot shaped mug, a \$25 gift certificate to Innisfree Book Shop and a few other goodies. Thank you to the Friends of the Library for sponsoring these prizes!

In addition we will have many programs to "water your mind" over the summer. Tuesday, June 6 Wild Bird Depot of Gilford will be here to talk to us about feeding and watering our backyard birds and whether or not we should provide places for nesting. Wednesday, July 14 at 10:00AM expert quilter Ginger Stevenson will be here to discuss the history of quilting and quilting basics including: tools, quilting styles, fabric (how to cut it, pick it, etc.) She will also give advice on where to go to learn how to quilt.

Please join us for our author luncheon on Thursday, July 22 at 11:00AM. Cast your net wide for this father and son team of anglers who have collaborated to write "Freshwater Fish of the Northeast" by Matt Patterson and illustrated by his son David. Matt and David wish to share their passion for fishing and nature. Books will be available for purchase and the authors will sign. After a presenta-

tion by the authors we will be serving pizza and salad. The authors will be dining with us and will be available for questions and answers. Please be sure to indicate pepperoni or cheese pizza when you register.



Introduction to Homeopathy will be on Wednesday August 4 at 10:30AM. Are you looking for alternative ways to get or stay healthy? Have you always wanted to look into naturopathic medicine but were unsure of how to begin? Please join naturopathic doctor Kathryn Cranford, ND, NHCM for a discussion on this topic.

Getting Started in Genealogy is on August 19 at 6:30PM. Please join us as we look at ways to get started investigating your roots. We will look at the three library genealogy databases: Ancestry.com, HeritageQuest and New England Ancestors and learn how to look up Vital Records, Censuses, Passenger Lists, Military Records and much more. Forms will be handed out that will show you how to keep track of your research. For beginners and those who have always wanted to try genealogy but weren't sure how to start.

Over the summer we will continue our two book groups: Mystery Lovers, second Thursday of each month at 10:30 and Brown Bag Book Group last Thursday of each month at noon. In addition we will be showing movie matinees with popcorn and soda the last Friday of every month at 1:00PM. The Genealogy Club continues on Fridays June 4, July 9 and August 6 at 4:00PM. Learn about the Mayflower Society and NH Vital Records on June 4. Our computer classes continue over the summer including a Digital Photography Class on Tuesday July 20 and 27 from 7:00-9:00PM and various classes on Wednesdays at 2:00 throughout the summer. Call the library for more information.

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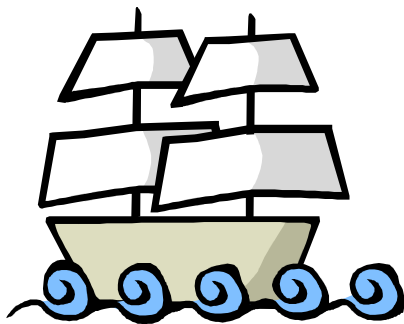
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Library Hours

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

Genealogy Club



We will be meeting on Friday, June 4 at 4:00PM. Open to all. Please help us welcome genealogist Deborah Moore. Deborah will be discussing the Society of Mayflower Descendants and how to become part of that organization. She will also be discussing the State Vital Records. Refreshments will be served.

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 do a program at the library please contact Erin Apostolos.

Quilt Display

Our quilt display this month is in honor of Memorial Day. It is hanging in the stairway that leads to non-fiction. It is gorgeous and not to be missed! Our rotating display is provided by the Country Village Quilters' Guild in Moultonborough. The guild meets on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 1:30PM. Contact Gaye Brennan, 539-5147 gpbquilter@outdrs.net for more information.



Raggedy Ann Collection on Display

Be sure to check out the glass case display in the non-fiction room for our own Holly Raus' collection of Raggedy Ann and Andy dolls.

