BOOK ENDS: APRIL 2014

NEWSLETTER OF THE LIBRARY OF THE CHATHAMS

Library News

2014 Library of the Chathams Annual Book Sale a Roaring Success!

After months of collection and sorting by dedicated volunteers and weeks of preparation, the Annual Book Sale of The Library of The Chathams was off to a roaring start on Saturday March 8th. Eager book lovers lined up, and they cascaded into the library in search of hidden treasures and book bargains once the doors opened at 7:30 A.M.

Over 35,000 books, DVD's and assorted CD's were available for sale in what is the largest single fundraiser held by the library every year. Organized and led this year by Friends of the Library board member Candi Booker, the book sale raised almost \$25,000 over the span of a week. These funds will be put to good use to help purchase supplies, books and equipment for the library.

The book sale is the result of countless hours of volunteer labor that happens quietly, behind the scenes by dedicated friends of the library. Candi Booker, in recognizing the effort of these volunteers stated, "I wanted everyone to be aware of those non-board volunteers who help tremendously with our book sale. For those of you who do not help sort books for the two months leading up to the sale, and for those who perhaps are not aware of what some of them do during the sale, I would like to point out that these people give us so much of their time and sometimes go way above and beyond the call of duty."

On behalf of The Friends of The Library, THANK YOU to all volunteers and supporters of the Book Sale. It would not happen without your generous contribution of time, energy and of course...books.

Alert Chatham Signup

Chatham Township launches *Alert Chatham Township Now* – information at www.chathamtownship-nj.gov.

Alert Chatham Borough signup available at www.chathamborough.org/chatham.

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday – Thursday, 9:30 am – 9:00 pm Friday 9:30 am – 6:00 pm Saturday 9:30 am – 5:00 pm Sunday 2:00 – 5:00 pm

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING First Thursday of the month, 10 a.m.-12 noon

Programs and Events

Drew Art Association "Fabulous Fakes" Show

Local artists' interpretations or copies of famous art works will be on display from April 6 through April 29 in the Drew Art Association's 3rd annual "Fabulous Fakes" show. An opening reception will be held on **Sunday**, **April 6 from 2:15 to 4 p.m.** The public is invited to attend and the show may be viewed throughout the month. In the past, the show has featured fine copies of works by Vermeer, Van Gogh, Manet, and others.

Free Jazz Concert Featuring Dave Schumaker
Please join us on Saturday, April 12 at 2 p.m. for an
afternoon of jazz standards and bebop performed by Dave
Schumaker and his Jazz Cats, sponsored by the Wharton
Music Center in Berkeley Heights. The program is made
possible in part by funds from the New Jersey State
Council on the Arts/Department of State.

Google Apps Orientation

Learn to use Google Apps to organize your business or your busy life at this seminar on **Monday, April 14 at 7 p.m.** The demonstration will include an orientation on Drive/Docs, Email, Calendar, Sites and Forms. Preregistration is requested, as space is limited. Please call the library at 973-635-0603.

Learn to Make a Website With Google Sites

Learn to create a real website using Google Sites at this hands-on workshop on **Wednesday, April 16 at 7 p.m.** If you have a Gmail account, you will be able to copy the site to your own account. Please bring your own laptop or let us know if you need to borrow one. Pre-registration is requested, as space is limited. Please call the library at 973-635-0603 to register.

Health Care Reform: Where Are We Now?

The author of *Don't Buy that Health Insurance: Become an Educated Health Care Consumer*, Katherine Woodfield Hermes, will discuss the impact of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act on **Wednesday, April 23 at 7 p.m.** Pre-registration is requested by calling the library at 973-635-0603.

April Film Showing

Stop by the Library of the Chathams at **7 p.m. on Thursday, April 24** to see the inspiring film, *The Book Thief* (PG-13, 131 min.) on our big screen. Refreshments will be served. Ages 13+.

Library Book Group - On **March 26, 2014**, at 7:30 **P.M.** the library book group will discuss *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy* by Douglas Adams. Everyone is welcome. Copies of the book may be reserved at the Reference Desk.

Activities For Children

Music With Carolyn Dempsey

Early childhood music and movement program in which children learn to sing in tune, keep a beat and participate with confidence in music. Two sessions: Choose either 10:00 to 10:30 or 10:45 to 11:15. *Sponsored by The Friends of The Library*.

04/03/2014 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

First Lego League Practice Space

The library will be providing practice space for First Lego League teams. Space is limited to the first two teams that register (five to six kids grades 4 and up) with parental assistance and supervision. Parent volunteers are encouraged to assist with children's projects. Please call the library at 973-635-0603 to register a team. Practice space for eight weeks, from April 3 to May 22 - each team must commit to practicing each week for all eight weeks.

Tae Kwon Do Tots

Preschool aged children, no registration required. The World Champion Tae Kwon Do School will introduce children to the basic principles of this martial art.

04/10/2014 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

Yoga Story Time

For pre-school aged children and their caregivers. Practice yoga poses to go along with yoga stories. Choose either 10:00 to 10:30 a.m. or 10:45 to 11:15 a.m. *Sponsored by The Friends of The Library*.

04/10/2014 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Junior First Lego League Practice Space

The library will be providing practice space for Junior First Lego League teams. Space is limited to the first six teams that register (five to six kids grades 1 through 3) with parental assistance and supervision. Parent volunteers are encouraged to assist with children's projects. To register a team, please call the library at 973-635-0603 and ask for Youth Services, or stop in the Children's Room.

04/10/2014 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Spring Flower Headbands with Miss Polly

Ages 5 & up, registration: April 1

Make a beautiful spring-themed headband with Miss Polly. *Materials provided by The Friends of The Library*. 04/12/2014 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Children's Book Club - Because of Winn Dixie

Please call 973-635-0603 to register. Children in grades 3 & 4 are invited to join our Children's Book Club run by a Chatham High School Senior earning her Girl Scout Gold Award. For four consecutive weeks, they will discuss the chapters read and play fun games helping the children connect to the story. Several copies of the book, *Because of Winn Dixie*, are available at The Library.

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Flying Machines with STEM-CAM

For GRADES 2 to 5. REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. SIGN UP STARTING APRIL 1.

Class size will be limited to the first 30 registered students. Please call 973-635-0603 and ask for Youth Services to sign up.

04/16/2014 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Read Aloud to Therapy Dogs

Grades K & Up, sit down and read your favorite book to a gentle and loving dog from St. Hubert's.

Dance with Miss Carol

For pre-school aged children and their caregivers. Basic movement to music in a fun and loving atmosphere. Choose either 10:00 to 10:30 or 10:45 to 11:15. *Sponsored by The Friends of The Library.*

04/21/2014 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

Let's Bloom Together

Ages 3 to 8, Limit: 50, Registration: April 1 Learn all about gardens and what makes them grow. Paint and take home your own planting in a terra cotta pot. Sponsored by The Friends of The Library

Music with Wompy's

An interactive musical playtime for pre-school aged children and their caregivers. Choose either 10:00 to 10:30 or 10:45 to 11:15. *Sponsored by The Friends of The Library*.

04/25/2014 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Tae Kwon Do Tots

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Legopalooza!

All Ages No Registration Required

Build your own LEGO creation from our enormous collection of LEGOs. All creations will be put on display in the Children's Room.

Teen Events

Friday, April 4 - 4 to 5:30 p.m.

Chatham STEM Talk – Ages 14+ – VectraCor, Inc. President and CEO Brad Schreck will discuss medicine and entrepreneurship in the small meeting room.

Thursday, April 10 - 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Teen Game Night – Grades 7 to 12 – Drop-in to play Nintendo Wii and board games with your friends!

Thursday, April 17 - 7 to 8 p.m.

Teen Advisory Group – Grades 7 to 12 – Join the group to discuss how the library can best serve teens while earning volunteer hours.

Thursday, April 24 - 7 p.m.

Movie Night! – Ages 13+ – The film *The Book Thief* (PG-13, 131 mins) will be shown. Refreshments will be served.

Friday, April 25 – 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Teen Open Mic – Grades 7 to 12 – Bring your talents to this open mic, where you can perform a song or two or read something you've written.

Recent Book Gifts

Friends Gifts (from book sale proceeds)

809 SUT 741.6092	A Little History of Literature B. Peak
747 TER	Beyond Chic: Great Fashion Designers a Home
372.45 CUN	Book Smart: How to Develop and Suppo Successful Motivated Readers
371.58 ENG	Bullying and Cyberbullying: What Every Educator Needs to Know
748 CHI	Chihuly
JFIC J3 DAD	Frankenstein Doesn't Plant Petunias
JFIC J3 KLE	Shark Attack!
979.447 LUO	Spectacular Yosemite
746.92 ALL	The Fashion Book

616.994 ALI Understanding Lung Cancer: An

Introduction for Patients and Caregivers

JBIOG EAR Who Was Amelia Earhart?

Gift of the Chatham Historical Society

BIOG The Papers of Thomas Edison: From

EDISON Workshop to Laboratory

In Memory of Nalini D. Chittar

902.02 TER Terra Maxima: The Records of Humankind

Gift of the Eigen Family Fund

787 JOH 108 Rock Star Guitars JFIC LLO A Snicker of Magic

J 741.5 STU Adventures in Cartooning: Characters in

Action!

747.092 VER Axel Vervoordt: Living With Light J 688.7 KEN Cool Creations in 35 Pieces

747 SLA Fifth Avenue Style: A Designer's New York

Apartment

791.43028 George Hurrell's Hollywood: Glamour

Portraits 1925-1992

J 567.9 FOR How to Be a Dinosaur Hunter: Your Globe-

Trotting, Time-Traveling Guide

759.13 GOV James Turrell: A Retrospective

759.2 ROS John Everett Millais 725 DIL Lincoln Center Inside Out

JFIC PRI Moonkind

JFIC SNY Seven Stories Up

707.4 ARM The Armory Show at 100: Modernism and

Revolution

BIOG COPL The Complete Copland
JFIC ENR The Four-Story Mistake

JFIC TUR The Ghosts of Tupelo Landing

JFIC ENR Then There Were Five

JBIOG JEFF Thomas Jefferson: Life, Liberty and the

Pursuit of Everything

JFIC GIF Winter Sky

Gift of Fishawack Festival Inc.

746.46 SMU Amish Quilts: Crafting an American Icon at 641.597 RID The Beekman 1802 Heirloom Dessert

Cookbook

In Memory of Grace Dorety Gonzalez 811.4 DIC The Gorgeous Nothings

811.54 WAL The Poetry of Derek Walcott 1948-2013

Gift of Marie Hensler

712.6 BAR The Gardner of Versailles: My Life in the

World's Grandest Garden

Gift of James M. Henderson, Jr., In Honor of Liz Holler

974.9 A&P: The Story of the Great Atlantic and

Pacific Tea Company

974.9 LUB Germans in New Jersey: A History

641.59 SCH Jersey Shore Food History: Victorian Feasts

to Boardwalk Treats

629.13 HOL Morristown Municipal Airport

Gift of The Independent Thrift Shop

747 KAS Suzanne Kasler: Timeless Style

Gift of Jean McFadden, Gina Flanigan & Laura Burgess In

Honor of Terry Kandalaft

770.92 PAR Dorthea Lange: Grab a Hunk of Lightning

Gift of The Kiwanis Club of The Chathams

629.222 BOD Art of the Classic Car

The Kruse Family Fund

323.0973 Reclaiming American Virtue: The Human

KEY Rights Revolution of The 1970s

779.9 RIS Rise and Fall of Apartheid

Gift of The Leffingwell Science Fund

BIOG GARD Undiluted Hocus-Pocus

Gift of Alice Lundt

LP FIC DOC Andrew's Brain

In Memory of Marion E. Stickel

070.4 LUC Sylvia Porter: America's Original Personal

Finance

337.73 ROA Unbalanced: The Co-dependency of America

and China

In Memory of Helen Thuebel

LP FIC GAR Fear Nothing
LP FIC GRI Hazardous Duty
LP FIC CHI Mrs. Lincoln's Rival

LP FIC RAN Saints of the Shadow Bible

LP FIC WOO Standup Guy

LP 797.123 The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and

Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin

Olympics

LP FIC HIG The Death Trade

In memory of John B. Westcott

940.544 OVE The Bombers and the Bombed

Gift of The Woman's Club of Chatham

331.4117 Coolie Woman: The Odyssey of Indenture 305.409 NOT Otherhood: Modern Women Finding a New

Kind of Happiness

In Memory of Robert N. Yaeger

910.202 ABE Great Escapes: Enjoy the World at Your

Leisure