

CURIOUS GEORGE F. NEWS



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May Displays

Museum Cases:

Children's Book Week

Get Caught Reading

Month

Book Display:

Garden for Wildlife

Vegetable Gardening

Art Wall: Homeschool Art

Class

George F. Johnson Memorial Library 1001 Park St. Endicott, NY 13760

607 757-5350 www.gfjlibrary.org

Library Hours:

Mon—Thursday 9-9

Friday & Sat 9-5

Director: Ed Dunscombe Editor: Cathy Seary

The GFJ Library will be closed on Monday, May 25 for Memorial Day. George F. Johnson Memorial Library

Celebrate Children's Book Week 2015— Meet and Greet with Pete the Cat!



Visit the library to make a Pete craft and enjoy some Pete Fun. Say hello and snap a photo. We will meet in the downstairs meeting room on **Friday, May 8 @ 10:00 AM or Saturday, May 9 @ 2:00 PM**. No registration is required. For more information call the Youth Services. Dept. at 757-5350.

You don't want to miss this....goodness no!

Free Presentation by noted illustrator E. B. Lewis, at the BCPL Library, Decker Room @ 6:30 PM, Thursday—May 7.

E.B. Lewis has illustrated more than 60 books for children, including Nikki Grimes' *Talkin' About Bessie: The Story of Aviator Elizabeth Coleman*, the 2003 Coretta Scott King Illustrator Award Winner; and Jacqueline Woodson's *Coming on Home Soon*, the 2005 Caldecott Honor winner. A selection of books will be available for autographing after the presentation. *This special program* is *proudly sponsored by 4CLS system, BCPL, GFJ Memorial Library , Your Home Public Library and the Vestal Public Library.*

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GFJ Book Club: Next meeting will be Wednesday, May 27 from 1-2.

The GFJ Book Club will be discussing:
The Storied Life of A. J.
Fikry by Gabrielle Zevin.

Bark-9 Dogs will be in the Youth Dept. on Saturday May 9 from 10-12.

GFI Tech Center. New schedule, new staff and new classes. The center will be offering classes on downloading e-book and audio books. Introduction to Computers, flash drives, navigating the internet, how to use your library account, plus much more. There will also be open hours for people to practice and master new technology skills, work with library databases. troubleshoot and ask question about technology, job hunt and resume writing. Please check out the new schedule on our web page and grab a calendar at any of the information

desks.

May 2015

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FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOOK SALE

Pick up a bargain at the Friends of the Library book sales on the first and third Friday of the month from 9-4:30 PM, and the 2nd Saturday of the month from 10-2 PM.

Donations for Friday book sales will be accepted on the day of the sale from 9-12.



LIBRARY BOARD MEETINGS

Library Board meetings are scheduled for the second Thursday of each month @ 7PM. If you have any issues you would like to discuss with the library board, please inform the library director so that you can be put on the agenda.

The next meeting will be held on: May 7, 2015

GFJ Memorial Library Board Members:

Gary Beattie—President, Jennifer Musa, Christine Brown, Paul Del Rosso, Marie McLean-Yurecka, Christopher W. Ryan, Patrick Schafer, Nadine Herceg, Jo Whitney.

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