

Curious George F. News

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December Displays: Museum Cases: Winter Solstice Gingerbread Book Displays: Short Stories Art Wall:

Victor Lay,

Oil Pastels

Library Hours:
Mon—Thurs 9-9
Fri—Sat 9-5
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Friends of the Library Book Sale

Pick up a bargain at the Friends of the
Library Book Sale on the first and third Fridays of the month from 9-4PM, and the 2nd Saturday of the month from 10-2 PM.
Donations for book sales

will be accepted on the day of the sale.

December Book Sales: Dec. 7, 15, & 21



Expectant Parents Story Time

(Rescheduled)

Thursday, December 6-6:30 PM in the Scott Room (downstairs)

It's never too early to read to your baby! Wondering why, what, when ,where and how to read to your baby? Join us for an informative session to answer these questions and more.



Light refreshments will be served.

No registration required.



Launchpad @ the GFJ Library—Start
the New Year by taking TASC classes
(GED) at the GFJ Library.
Launchpad now has it's own website for
all the information and contacts:
endicottged.com.

Classes are held Tuesday night in the library Tech Center at 5PM. There is no cost for this program or exam.

To contact the GED tutors, email craig@endicottGED.com



The GFJ Library will
be closed:
December 24
December 25
January 1
and we will close at
5PM on Dec. 31

Happy Holidays! & Happy New Year!



A book makes the best gift.....

Check out these recommendations for your gift giving this year:



Archenemies by Marissa Meyer (Teen Fiction)

To Kill a Mockingbird: a Graphic Novel by Harper Lee (Teen Fiction)

Gmorning, Gnight! : Little Pep Talks for Me and You by Lin-Manuel Miranda (Adult)

Cook Like a Pro: Recipes and Tips for Home Cooks by Ina Garten (Adult)

Potato Pants! by Laurie Keller (Children's Picture Book)



Parker Inheritance by Varian Johnson (Children's Fiction)

GFJ Library Schedule of Events for December 2018

Children's Programs for December:

Dec. 3—6:30PM—GFJ Jr. Readers Book Club for grades 1-3 (Scott Room) (Must be registered)

Dec. 6—6:30 PM—Expectant Parents Story Time (Scott Room) No registration required.

Dec. 8- 1-2 PM—Holiday Snow Globes. For ages 5-12. No registration required. (Scott Room)

Dec. 8—10-12—Read to the Therapy Dogs (Children's room)

Dec. 17—6:30 PM—GFJ Readers Book club for grades 4-6. (Scott Room) (Must be registered)

Winter 2019 Story Times—

Registration for all story times will begin on Wednesday, January 2 at 9 AM. Register online from our web page: gfjlibrary.org/kidzone, or stop in or call the Youth Services Dept. during library hours @ 757-5350. Parents, guardians or caregivers must supply a valid library card in order to register.

Mother Goose—Birth to age 2 and caregivers Thursdays, 1/24—3/14 at 9:30 or 10:30.

Toddler—Ages 2- 3 1/2 and their caregivers. 1/23—3/13 at 9:30 or 10:30.

Preschool—Ages 3 1/2—5 and their caregivers. 1/22—3/12 10:00 AM.

All story times are held in the Scott room.





Adult / Teen Programs for December:

Dec. 5–1-2 PM–GFJ Book Club in the Scott Room

Dec. 4, 11, 18, - 5-7 PM—Launchpad TASC High School Equivalency Classes in the Tech Center.

Dec. 10 - 6:30 PM—GFJ Teen Book Club (Scott Room) (Must be registered)

Dec. 14– 10-12—Adult Beginning Water Color Class
-Makeup class. (Scott Room) (Must be registered)

Dec. 20—7 PM Library Board Meeting in the Tech Center.

Dec. 24 & 25-Library closed.

Dec. 31—Library closing at 5PM.

Jan. 1—Library closed.

Jan. 11—Library closed for staff development.

Library Board Meetings are

scheduled for the third Thursday of each month @7PM. If you have any issues you would like to discuss with the library board, please inform the library director (en.seth @4cls.org) so that you can be put on the agenda. Meetings are held in the Tech Center.

The next meeting will be December 20, 2018

GFJ Memorial Library Board Members:
 Jennifer Musa- President
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