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JANUARY DISPLAYS

Museum Cases:

*S'now Better
Time to Read*

Book Displays:

*ScienceFiction
Art Wall*

Eli Foote—

Photography

Library Hours:

Mon—Thurs 9-9

Fri—Sat 9-5

The GFJ Library

will be closed

Monday,

January 1

Happy New

Year!



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JANUARY @ THE GFJ LIBRARY

Winter 2018 Story Times:

Registration for all story times will begin on Monday, January 8th at 9AM. Register online from our web page: gfjlibrary.org/kidzone. Or call the Youth Services Dept. during library hours @ 757-5350.

Parents, guardians or caregivers must supply a valid Four County library card number in order to register. **Mother Goose program** for children from birth to age 2 and their caregivers. Thursdays—1/25 through 3/15, 9:30 or 10:30.

Toddler program for children 2- 3 1/2 and their caregivers. Wednesdays 1/24— 3/14 at 9:30 or 10:30.

Preschool program for children 3 1/2 to 5 and their caregivers. Tuesdays—1/23—3/13 @10:00.

All programs include early literacy activities.

Coming in February:

Basic Portrait Drawing 2 with Richard Henry

February 23—March 23, 10-12 in the downstairs meeting room. Registration begins **January 29** online at www.gfjlibrary.org, click on Calendar and click on the first class date, register from there, or call the Adult Information Desk 607 757-5330. This course will allow us to build on principles that we learned in our previous five classes. We will review proportion, shading, value, line and form. Our goal is to progress with weekly lessons to improve our ability to draw the head. Prior drawing experience is suggested for individuals taking this course. The course is free, but there is a \$5.00 fee for materials which must be paid before class starts.

AARP Tax preparers will begin the first week in February on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10-2 in the upstairs meeting room. Walk-ins only.



GFJ Book Club:

Next meeting will be **Wednesday, January 24, from 1-2** in the downstairs meeting room. We will be discussing: *Carrying Albert Home: the Somewhat True Story of a Man, His Wife, and her Alligator* by Homer Hickam.

New Database available on our website :

Weiss Ratings' Financial Ratings Series

Financial Literacy Tools include unbiased financial strength ratings of banks, credit unions & insurance companies; conservative Buy-Hold-Sell ratings of thousands of stocks, mutual funds & exchange traded funds; your own personal account to create a watchlist, get upgrade/downgrade notifications . Medicare Supplement Insurance – which plan to choose, how much it will cost, compare rates & plan benefits. Take advantage of these important financial planning tools today! *A valid GFJ Library card number is required for use outside of the library.*

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Library Closed	2	3	4	5 Friends Book Sale	6
7	8 Story Time Registration Begins	9	10 GFJ Jr. Readers	11	12	13 Friends Book Sale
14	15	16	17	18 Library Board Mtg.	19 Friends Book Sale	20
21	22 GFJ Readers	23 Preschool ST	24 GFJ Book Club Toddler ST	25 Mother Goose ST	26	27
28	29	30 Preschool ST	31 Toddler ST			

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—4:00PM, and the 2nd Saturday of the month from 10-2PM.

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



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 so that you can be put on the agenda.

The next meeting will be January 18, 2018

GFJ Memorial Library Board Members:

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