

# **Curious George F. News**

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### **Library Hours:**

Mon—Thurs 9 a.m.-9 p.m.
Fri—Sat 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
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# Friends of the Library Book Sale

Pick up a bargain at the
Friends of the
Library Book Sale.
Donations for book sales
will be accepted on the
day of the sale.

Book Sales: Feb 7, 21, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Feb 15, 10 a.m- 2 p.m. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

# February Displays:

**Museum Cases** 

Great Backyard Bird Count "Leap" into a Great

Book Displays:

Cozy Comfort Food Art Wall:

James Ingram— Watercolor





# Harry Potter Book and Movie Club February 29 @ 3 p.m.—Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone

Join us on February 29 for a Harry Potter movie and book discussion. This is the first meeting of a Harry Potter book and movie club that will run from February to August of this year. To correspond with the book of the month we will have a viewing party of the movie adaption, plus ways to discuss and share ideas with fellow Harry Potter fans.

All programs are free and open to teens and adults.

Screenings located in the Scott Room.

No registration required.

## **Everyone Belongs @ GFJ!**

We welcome individuals with disabilities and their caregivers to join us for crafts, coloring, puzzles, games, and more!

This relaxed program is largely selfdirected and has something for a variety of interests and ability levels.

Friday, February 28 @ 10:00- 11:00 a.m. in the Scott Room of library.

# Elements of Drawing-lessons 6-10 with Richard Henry March 6—April 3, 10-12 in the Scott room.

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Students will work on learning to draw objects, learn to see relationships to size and some general rules of perspective. Some previous drawing knowledge is beneficial. Richard Henry will guide you through each lesson plan and answer questions you may have.

Materials will be provided to use during these class sessions and a fee of \$5.00 will be required to cover supplies.

**Registration begins on February 3.** Register online @ www.gfjlibrary.org, click on calendar, click on date of first class and register. You may also register on the phone—607 757-5350.



### **Become a Census Taker**

Census Workers are needed for the 2020 census. If you are interested in becoming a census taker, join us for an information session on Feb. 7, 1-3 p.m., in the Scott Room of the library. The pay is \$20.00/hour. Stop by anytime between 1-3 p.m. to learn how you can help.

#### **AARP Tax-Aid volunteers**

will be at the GFJ Library beginning February 4,
Tuesdays and Thursdays,
10-2 in the Tech Center of the library. This is a free service of the AARP.
No appointments are given, walk-ins only.



# **GFJ Library Schedule of Events for February 2020**

# Children's Programs for February:

Feb. 3- GFJ Jr. Readers Book Club—6:30 p.m. Registration required. Scott Room (Program full)

Feb. 4,11,18,25—Preschool Story Time- 10:00 a.m. Registration required. Scott Room.

Feb. 5,12,19,26—Toddler Story Time— 9:30 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. Registration required. Scott Room.

Feb. 6,13,20,27—Mother Goose Story Time—10:00 a.m. Registration required. Scott Room.

Feb. 8, 22—Read to the Therapy Dogs, 10 a.m.—12 p.m., Youth Dept.

Feb. 24- GFJ Readers Book Club—6:30 p.m. Registration required. Scott Room. (Program full)



If the Union-Endicott Schools are closed due to weather, the library will open at 11 am.



This is for the safety of our staff, patrons, and the village workers trying to clear the roads and parking lots.

If it is determined that the library will remain closed for the entire day, we will post it on social media and our website as soon as possible.

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# Adult / Teen Programs for February:

Launchpad TASC High School Equivalency Classes: February 4,11,18, 25, 5-7 p.m. (Tech Center) Free tutoring and computer based instructions to help adults prepare for the high school equivalency exam. No registration required. Any questions contact Jen Musa—(tutor) musajm@sunybroome.edu

Teen Book Club—February 10, 6:30 p.m. (Scott Room) Registration required. Teens grade 7-9. We will discuss: *The Scandalous Sisterhood of Prickwillow Place* by Julie Berry. Seven very proper Victorian young ladies conspire to hide a murder from the authorities at their boarding school

**GFJ Book Club**—February 26, 1-2 p.m. (Scott Room) We will discuss: *The Bookshop of the Broken Hearted by* Robert Hillman. A novel about love and forgiveness in rural Australia.

Looking for a good read? Pick up a free Book Page. They come out monthly and are available at the GFJ Library.



Library board meetings are scheduled for the third Thursday of each month @ 6:30 p.m. Meetings are held in the Tech Center.

The next meeting will be February 20, 2019