

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. Director: Seth Jacobus en.seth @4cls.org Editor: Cathy Seary en.cathy@4cls.org

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: March 6, 20, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. March 14, 10 a.m-2 p.m.

> March Displays: Museum Cases Harry Potter 21-Day Read Aloud Challenge Book Displays: Women's History Month Art Wall: James Ingram– Watercolor





Harry Potter Book and Movie Club @ 1 p.m.—Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets

Join us on March 21 @ 1 p.m. for a Harry Potter movie and book discussion. To correspond with the book of the month we will have a viewing party of the movie adaptation, 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 (downstairs). No registration required.

Elements of Drawing– Lessons 6-10 with Richard Henry March 6—April 3, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in the Scott Room.

Students will work on learning to draw objects, learn to see relationships to size and some general rules of perspective. Materials will be provided to use during these class sessions and a fee of \$5.00 will be required to cover supplies. Register online @ http://www.gfjlibrary.org/calendar/, click on date of first class and register. You may also register on the phone—607 757-5350.

Spring into Health for National Nutrition Month® Free Nutrition Education Classes presented by Cornell Cooperative Extension Thursdays in March @ the GFJ Library in the Scott Room 12:00-1:00 p.m. Earn a free kitchen tool at each class. No registration required. March 5th—How Much Sugar? Re-Think Your Drink March 12th—Food to Feel Good. March 19th—Does an Apple a Day Keep the Doctor Away?

March 26th— Plan Ahead to Eat Food that Works for You.

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



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.

For a future without senior poverty.

GFJ Library Schedule of Events for March 2020

Children's Programs for March:

March 2, 30 - GFJ Jr. Readers Book Club-6:30 p.m. Registration required. Scott Room (Program full)

March 3, 10, 17–Preschool Story Time- 10:00 a.m. Registration required. Scott Room.

March 4, 11, 18—Toddler Story Time— 9:30 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. Registration required. Scott Room. (Full)

March 5, 12, 19–Mother Goose Story Time– 10:00 a.m. Registration required. Scott Room. (Full)

March 7, 21–Read to the Therapy Dogs, 10 a.m.–12 p.m., Youth Dept.

March 23- GFJ Readers Book Club-6:30 p.m. Registration required. Scott Room. (Program full)



The PBS KIDS Writers Contest is designed to promote the advancement of children's reading skills through hands-on, active learning. It encourages children in grades K-3 to celebrate the power of creating stories and illustrations by submitting their own original pieces. WSKG has expanded this contest locally to include students in grades 4, 5, and 6. Entry forms and rules for both contests, K-3 and 4-6 are available in the Children's Room of the GFJ Library. Submissions must be postmarked by April 30, 2020 and mailed to: PBS Kids Writers Contest c/o WSKG Public Media Attn: J. Stapleton-Durham 601 Gates Road Vestal, New York 13850

Adult / Teen Programs for March:

Launchpad TASC High School Equivalency

Classes : March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, **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—March 9, 6:30 p.m. (Scott Room) Registration required. Teens grade 7-9. We will discuss: *Beauty* by Robin McKinley. A retelling of the classic Beauty and the Beast.

GFJ Book Club—March 25, **1-2 p.m.** (Scott Room) *The Murder of Roger Ackroyd* by Agatha Christie. Considered to be one of Agatha Christie's most controversial mysteries.

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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 March 19, 2019**