

Galion Public Library

Between the Stacks Newsletter
Spring 2018

Director's Note

THANK YOU! VERY MUCH!!

Over the years, donations have gone down. I don't believe it has anything to do so much with the Library, as with cultural and economic changes. People just don't have the money to give anymore. But there are still surprises. 2017 was a life saving year for the Library thanks to the generosity of two very special women.

Last year, the Library made the tough decision to build a much needed storage facility. It was a tough decision because it was a major hit to our Building Fund. The fund is what maintains this beautiful Carnegie building. We were sad to hear of the passing of Laurie Rhodebeck the year before, but we were incredibly surprised to find out that she had left us a major donation. A donation large enough to pay for the construction of our storage center! We were further surprised when a second bequeath from Laurie arrived that was as much as the first! Our Building Fund is sitting much better now and this gift will help us to keep our Carnegie building in repair for a long time. In late March we are planning a Dedication Ceremony for the Building including a plaque to commemorate her gift.

Not long after receiving Laurie's final gift, we received another bequeath from the estate of Martha Jean Stewart. It was also a very generous gift. We were pleased to see this one because of our Enrichment Fund. This is a fund that pays for our programming at the Library from Story Times to Bingo for Books. Support for the fund has always been from individual donations. Unfortunately, with donations down, our Enrichment Fund is also going down with no sign of future improvement. Thanks to Martha Jean Stewart, we are going to be able to put a sizable donation into our Enrichment Fund so we can continue to provide quality programming to all of you. This has been a fairly recent gift so we are still discussing what we can do to honor her.

We are so thankful for these generous women who felt the Galion Public Library was an institution that was worthy of their support and love.

TEEN PROGRAMMING

Upcoming Movies

Bring a pillow! Bring a friend! Refreshments will be provided!.

Coco

on March 3 at 2:00 PM
Family Movie!



Thor Ragnarok

on March 6 at 5:30 PM

Ages 12+ (under 12 must be accompanied by a parent)

Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle

on March 21 at 5:00 PM

Ages 12+ (under 12 must be accompanied by a parent)



Ferdinand

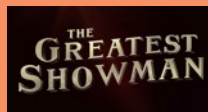
on March 31 at 2:00 PM

Family Movie!

The Greatest Showman

on April 12 at 5:00 PM

All ages welcome!



Anime Club

Open to Grades 6 - 12
No Registration Required
March 13, April 10,
and May 8 @ 6:30 PM



Teen Games Night

Open to Grades 6 - 12

No Registration Required

March 15, April 19, and May 17 @ 6:00 PM



Teen Board

Open to Grades 7 - 12

No Registration Required

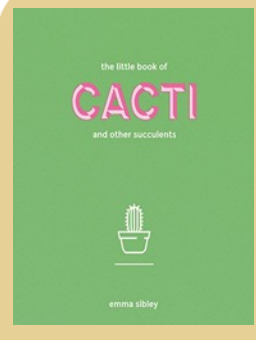
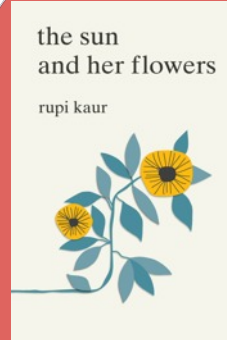
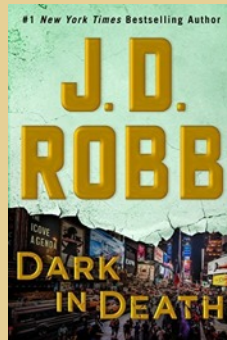
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Teen/Adult Poetry Contest

In celebration of National Poetry Month, original pieces of poetry will be accepted April 1 - 28. Stop by the library for contest details.

New at the Library...



...Plus So Much More!!

Get excited! Libraries Rock! - the 2018
Summer Reading theme - is coming to the
Galion Public Library June/July!



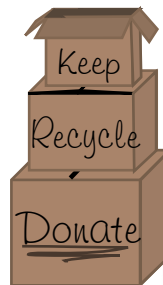
Genealogy Lock-In

Join us Thursday, March 8, 2018 from 5 - 8 PM as we get to work on building our family trees. We will have plenty of staff and volunteers available to help you whether you're a history novice or a genealogy veteran. Registration is required for this event.

Decluttering and Cleaning

Thursday April 5, 2018 at 6 PM - 7 PM

It's Spring Cleaning time! Does your house need some clearing out? Come learn about all of the fun methods that you could use to get rid of your unneeded stuff. If you have clutter, you hate cleaning, and you need to get a starting push at cleaning out your home, this is the program for you. Sign up is required, and space is limited!



Coffee and Coloring (Adult)

Thursday April 26, 2018 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM

Looking to relax and spend a night out with friends? Color the night away with delicious treats and drinks at The Candi Bar! We will provide the coloring pages and pencils, and refreshments will be available for purchase. Registration is required for this event.



Make-it, Take-It Mason Jar Craft (Adult)

Thursday, May 24, 2018 from 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Mason Jars have become a popular household item. We will be making Mason Jar Kleenex Dispensers. They'll be a great touch to any home or workspace! Sign up is required, and space is limited!



ADULT PROGRAMMING

Friends of the Library Spring Book Sale

Thursday, May 3: 9:00 - 8:00

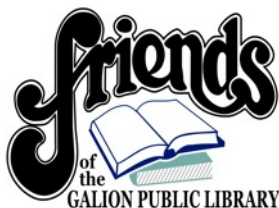
Friday, May 4: 9:00 - 5:00

Saturday, May 5: 9:00 - 12:00

* Members Only Hours *

Wednesday, May 2: 6:00 - 8:00

All books will be sold by donation



First meeting of the year - March 6, 2018 at 9 AM

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING



Superhero Saturday

Saturday March 17, 2018 from 1 - 4 PM

Drop in any time for crafts, activities, and challenges for children of all ages.

Spring Make-It, Take-it Crafts

March 26 - 30, 2018

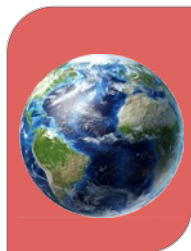
Stop by the children's room anytime during library hours for spring crafts!



Earth Day Event

Saturday, April 21, 2018 from 10 - 4 PM

Join us as we celebrate Earth Day with a Disney Nature movie marathon and a special craft in the children's room. Crafts for children will be available from 10 - 4. All ages are welcome to stop in or stay all day for Wings of Life (10:30), Chimpanzee (12:30), and Born in China (2:30)



"Bubbles" for Grades K-2

Tuesday, May 15, 2018 from 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Join us as we explore bubbles with an art project and science experiment. Registration is required.



Iron Chef for Grades 3-6

Saturday May 19, 2018 from 2 - 3:30 PM

Teams will compete against the clock and each other to create the most amazing food
Registration is required.



Science Geeks

Open to ages 8 - 12

Must be on time.

March 27 - Electronics Deconstruction and Maker Lab

April 24 - Kite Making, and May 22 - Bubbles,
from 4:30 - 5:30



Lego Club

Ages 5 - 12

No Registration
Required

March 13, April 9, and May 8
from 4:30 - 5:30

Story Time

Preschool Story Time

Monday 6:30 PM

Tuesday & Wednesday 10:30 AM

Come hear stories about tigers, dinosaurs, flashlights, smells, and so much more!

