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NEW YEAR, NEW RESOLUTIONS

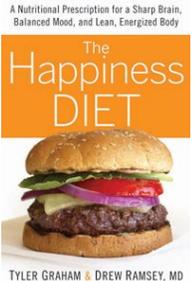
Have you made your new year's resolutions? Count on the Round Lake Library to help you tackle—and keep—some of the most popular resolutions:

Find a job or a better job

One of the recent additions to the Library's job and career collection is Unemployed but Moving On: Smart Job Searching in a Web-Based World and a Sucky Economy by Cheryl Butler Long. This small volume provides direct, non-sugarcoated advice about job searching in today's environment and includes sample resumes and interview questions; websites for job searchers; and simple ways to set up an email account. (Remember: the Library offers free internet access.)

Lose weight

The Library has a number of good diet and nutrition books, including The Happiness Diet by Tyler Graham and Drew Ramsey, MD. Included in this volume are 100 reasons to avoid processed foods; a sample diet plan; recipes; and essential elements for personal happiness. There is also an extensive bibliography and index.



Start a new hobby

Whether you want to garden, cook, travel or paint, the Library has a book to help you. Wade Bourne's new Basic Fishing: A Beginners Guide, is a beautifully illustrated volume that informs the reader about selecting tackle, choosing bait; finding fish; tying knots; and cleaning your catch.

Improve your education

If you are planning to obtain your GED or get a college degree, the Library has a book for that. High schoolers (and their parents) will be interested in the 8th edition of Kaplan's SAT Strategies for Super Busy Students. There are tips for successfully answering questions in each section of the SAT, as well as a sample test and a timeline for studying.



These are just a few of the new titles waiting for you on the Library's shelves to make this a great year. Happy New Year!

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LIBRARY CLUB NEWS



KNITTING GROUP

Tuesday, January 17 at 4:30pm
at the Malta Branch

Come one, come all - beginners or experienced knitters - all are welcome. Perhaps you'd like to start a new project for the new year. Now's the perfect time! The yarn colors and patterns are endless. Our members always bring "Show and Tell" for inspiration.

Moderator: Roberta Ambrosino



DINNER AND A MOVIE WITH THE AMERICAN MOVIE CLUB

Friday, January 20 at 6pm
at Clark House

The Sting

Starring Paul Newman and Robert Redford

Moderator: Kimberley Debus

Please bring a dish to share.

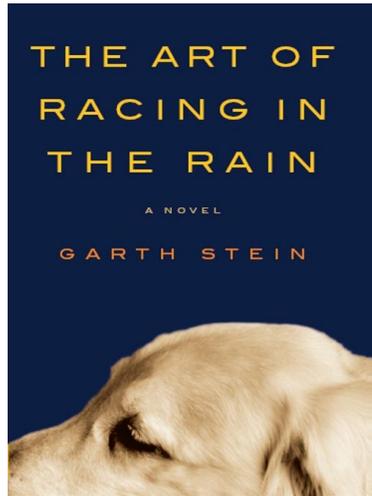
MORNING BOOK CLUB

Thursday, January 12
at 11am
at the Malta Branch

The Art of Racing in the Rain
by Garth Stein

Moderator: Shirley Ryan

Plus: Meet local author Lisa Potocar

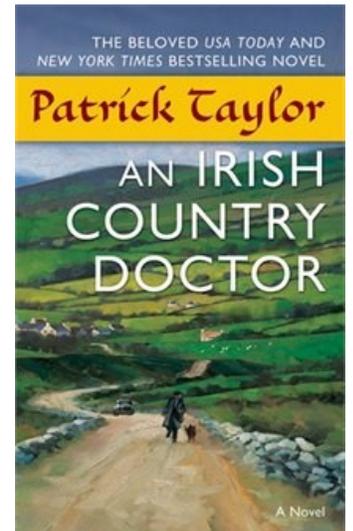


EVENING BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, January 10 at 7pm
at the Malta Branch

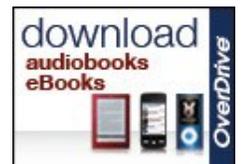
An Irish Country Doctor
by Patrick Taylor

Moderator: Charlene Durham



If you would like to join us for any of our book clubs, call us at the branch where the club is meeting, and we will order a copy of our current book for you. If you would like to join us for our movie club, call Clark House at 899-2285 and let us know you're coming, and bring a dish to share.

Online Resources—Available only through the Library—Available 24/7!





Thank You!

FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

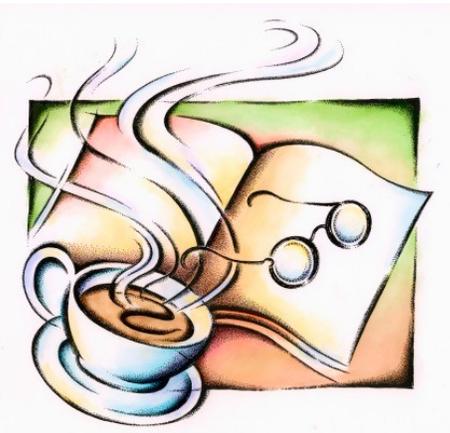
It is with great reluctance that we announce the departure of Diane Lange and Christine Yager from the Library Board of trustees. Diane and Christine have demonstrated the best qualities of a library trustee, providing quality stewardship of the Library and its resources. Both have been active volunteers of their time and talents. They were part of the Library Board as it prepared for, and opened, the Malta Branch. Diane helped bring the Thousand Book program to the Library and Christine used her financial background to help us organize the Library's finances. Both have volunteered at book sales and other fundraisers. We will miss them and we wish them well!

MEET THE AUTHOR: LISA POCAR

AT THE MORNING BOOK CLUB

Thursday, January 12 at 11am
at the Malta Branch

In addition to our discussion of Garth Stein's *The Art of Racing in the Rain*, we will also have an opportunity to speak with local author Lisa Potocar. Learn about *Sweet Glory*, her new novel set in the Civil War, over a nice cup of tea.



USING YOUR EREADER

Thursday, January 9 at 6:30pm
at the Malta Branch



Learn the in's and out's of using the Kindle, Nook, Cruz, and Sony Reader. You'll learn how to download books from Overdrive and get the most out of your eReader.

Coming in February:

Happy Birthday, Charles Dickens!

Tuesday, February 7
at 7pm at Clark House

In honor of Charles Dickens 200th birthday, we will show the film *Oliver Twist*. Tea and crumpets will be served.

There will be a special surprise for anyone who attends in period costume!





Tweens' Star Wars Lego Village

Friday, January 13 at 4:30pm at the Malta Branch
 Saturday, January 14 at 11am at Clark House

Calling all fans of Star Wars and Legos! Let's put together a village, which will go on display in the library. Materials will be provided. For tweens ages 10 and up.



Teen Movie: Snow Day

Monday, January 16 at 4:30pm at Clark House
 Friday, January 27 at 6pm at the Malta Branch

A surprise snowstorm arrives and school is cancelled! The Snowplow Man, however, is determined to get the roads cleared so school can reopen. Can Natalie and her friends save their Snow Day?

Open Mic Night for Teens

Saturday, January 21 at 7pm
 at the Malta Community Center

Join us for an evening of great entertainment and fun. Perform or just watch, the choice is yours!



Teen Puppet Show Meeting

Monday, January 23 at 4:30pm at Clark House

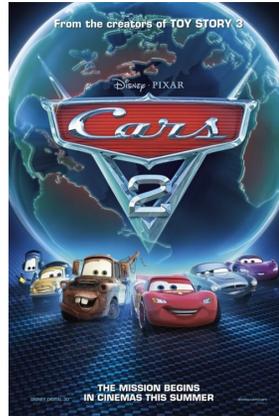


Do you have acting or writing ability? Or do you just like puppets? Stop in for a planning meeting for the library's puppet show. We have puppets and we have a stage. We just need some players!



MOVIE FUN FOR THE WHOLE GANG!

CARS 2



Friday, January 13 at 6pm
 at the Malta Branch

HAPPY FEET



Monday, January 16 at 2pm
 at Clark House

Programs for Young Children

Toddler Story Time

Tuesdays, January 17, 24, 31 at 10:30am at Clark House
 Thursdays, January 19, 26 at 10:45am at the Malta Branch

A story time for children ages 2-3 years old.

Preschool Story Time

Thursday, January 19 at 2pm at Clark House
 Thursday, January 26 at 2pm at Clark House

A story time for children ages 3-5 years old.

Family PJ Story Time

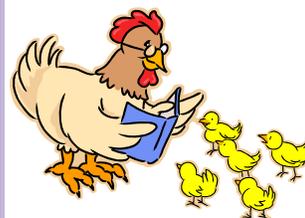
Wednesday, January 25 at 6:45pm at Clark House
 Monday, January 30 at 6:45pm at the Malta Branch

A sleepytime story time with a winter theme. Stories, fingerplays and more.

Baby & Me

1st, 3rd, 5th Tuesdays
 at 11:15am at Clark House

Stories, music and movement for babies 3-24 months and a caregiver.





Children's Programs

Read The Book, Watch The Movie

Friday, January 27 at 6:30pm
at Clark House



Come join our new book club for ages 8-12. Each month we will choose a book to read and at our monthly meeting we will watch the film adaptation of the book.

This month, for our first meeting we will read a few short picture books and watch the animated versions on the movie screen.

When a reading dog is listening, the environment is transformed, a child's dread is replaced by eager anticipation, and learning occurs. The handler is a skilled facilitator, too—shifting performance pressure off the child and providing support, while the child gets the supervised reading practice necessary to build vocabulary, increase understanding of the material, and gain fluency as a reader.

Jasmine, a white and tan dachshund, helps kids at Clark House. Casey, a golden retriever, helps kids at the Malta Branch. These dogs love to listen—and so do their owners. Jasmine's owner, Mary Jo Lanahan, and Casey's owner, Steve Ames, love to listen to children read as much as the dogs!

Both dogs hold 20-minute sessions on select Monday afternoons. To sign your child up, please contact the appropriate branch.

For more information about therapy dogs and the READ program, visit www.therapyanimals.org, www.tdi-dog.org, and www.readingwithrover.org.



3-D Drawing

Saturday, January 7 at 11:30am at Clark House

Learn how to create a 3-D drawing! We'll supply the materials and the how-to, you provide the inspiration.

Window Clings

Saturday, January 21 at 11:30am
at Clark House

Come join us as we learn how to make window clings to decorate your windows, mirrors, and more!



Read To Jasmine, Read To Casey

Jasmine: Mondays, January 9 & 23 at 4pm at Clark House

Casey: Monday, January 2 at 4pm at the Malta Branch

Two wonderful dogs are here to help your child become a better and stronger reader!

Dogs, you say? How can a dog help my child read?

These therapy dogs, trained specifically to be reading dogs, help improve reading and communication skills by offering a furry and patient ear.

Celebration

Join us for any or all of our programs for elementary school children, with crafts taught by Rebecca Selig. Unless otherwise indicated, supplies are provided—registration required.

Making Penguins

Saturday, January 14 at 11:30am at Clark House

Join us as we make winter penguins from plastic bottles, styrofoam and other materials. Please bring an empty plastic bottle with cap still on (2 liters, 1 liter, 16 or 12 ounce bottles with caps).

Children's Choice

Saturday, January 28 at 11:30am
at Clark House

Did you miss one of the other craft sessions? Join us to choose the project you'd like to complete.



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Unless otherwise indicated, please register for the programs you plan to attend! You can call, stop by, or register on our calendar.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Date	Time	Location	Activity
Monday, January 2	4:00 PM	Malta Branch	Read to Casey
Tuesday, January 3	11:15 AM	Clark House	Baby & Me
Saturday, January 7	11:30 AM	Clark House	3-D Drawing
Monday, January 9	4:00 PM	Clark House	Read to Jasmine
Monday, January 9	6:30 PM	Malta Branch	E-Readers and Your Library
Tuesday, January 10	7:00 PM	Malta Branch	Evening Book Club
Tuesday, January 10	7:00 PM	Clark House	Library Board of Trustees
Thursday, January 12	11:00 AM	Malta Branch	Morning Book Club
Friday, January 13	4:30 PM	Malta Branch	Tweens' Star Wars Lego Village
Friday, January 13	6:00 PM	Malta Branch	Family Movie: Cars 2
Saturday, January 14	11:00 AM	Clark House	Tweens' Star Wars Lego Village
Saturday, January 14	11:30 AM	Clark House	Making Penguins
Monday, January 16	10:00 AM	Clark House	Senior Outreach
Monday, January 16	2:00 PM	Clark House	Family Movie: Happy Feet
Monday, January 16	4:30 PM	Clark House	Teen Movie: Snow Day
Tuesday, January 17	10:30 AM	Clark House	Toddler Story Time Ages 2-3
Tuesday, January 17	11:15 AM	Clark House	Baby & Me
Tuesday, January 17	4:30 PM	Malta Branch	Knitting Group
Wednesday, January 18	10:00 AM		Senior Outreach Program Day
Thursday, January 19	10:45 AM	Malta Branch	Toddler Story Time
Thursday, January 19	2:00 PM	Clark House	Preschool Story Time
Thursday, January 19	7:00 PM	Village Community Room	WRLIS
Friday, January 20	6:00 PM	Clark House	American Movie Club: The Sting
Saturday, January 21	11:30 AM	Clark House	Window Clings
Saturday, January 21	7:00 PM	Malta Branch	Open Mic Night for Teens
Monday, January 23	4:00 PM	Clark House	Read to Jasmine
Monday, January 23	4:30 PM	Clark House	Teen Puppet Show Meeting
Tuesday, January 24	10:30 AM	Clark House	Toddler Story Time
Wednesday, January 25	6:45 PM	Clark House	Family PJ Story Time
Thursday, January 26	10:45 AM	Malta Branch	Toddler Story Time
Thursday, January 26	2:00 PM	Clark House	Preschool Story Time
Friday, January 27	6:00 PM	Malta Branch	Teen Movie: Snow Day
Friday, January 27	6:30 PM	Clark House	Read the Book, Watch the Movie
Saturday, January 28	11:30 AM	Clark House	Arts and Craft Celebration
Monday, January 30	6:45 PM	Malta Branch	Family PJ Story Time
Tuesday, January 31	10:30 AM	Clark House	Toddler Story Time
Tuesday, January 31	11:15 AM	Clark House	Baby & Me