

Fallsburg Library Newsletter



Summer Reading AT NEW YORK LIBRARIES

Summer 2015



Calling all “Super Readers”!

The 2015 Summer Reading program has a theme of “Every Hero Has a Story”, so come hear the stories of our heroes—our firefighters, police department, service men and women, and others. Come to the library to hear stories about heroes near and far. Have some fun with arts and crafts. And of course...check out some books from your Fallsburg Library! Give us a call if you haven't yet registered for our programs.

12 Railroad Plaza
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South Fallsburg, NY 12779
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SUMMER HOURS:

M 9:30—4:00
T 9:30—7:00
W 9:30—7:00
T 9:30—5:00
F 9:00—4:00
S Closed
S 9:30—1:00

Book Club Anyone?

If you are interested in having a monthly book discussion group starting in the fall, please see Paula. She can make title recommendations, but she would gladly take suggestions.

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John Conway Summer Lecture Series

We are again proud to announce that John Conway will be our very special guest on Wednesday evenings from July 15th through August 12th. Each evening will begin at 7:30 at the library.

The overall theme for

his presentations this year will be “Heroes and Villains”. Learn about Daniel Skinner and Sullivan County's first great industry. Hear about organized crime in the Catskills, and outstanding women in Sulli-

van County history. Get to know the land barons of Sullivan county, and learn about the massacre at Chestnut Woods.

This program is free to the public, and light refreshments will be served.

CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEB SITE!

For an up-to-date listing of all library events, take a look at our calendar by going to fallsburglibrary.org and clicking on “Upcoming Events”.

Friends of the Library

The Mira Anderson Memorial Scholarship Raffle was won by Courtney B. Three-year-old Yoni selected the winning raffle ticket.

The Friends of Fallsburg Library are still selling the Discount Cards for \$12.



Did you hear? If you live in the service area of the Fallsburg Library and are interested in visiting the Museum at Bethel Woods for FREE, then stop by the library or give us a call to inquire about our membership pass privileges. Anyone with a library card from the Fallsburg Library can obtain four passes for free admission to the museum.

Fallsburg Library Battles with Books

By Livia Sabourin

On the afternoon of Saturday, April 25, 2015 at the Daniel Pierce Library in Grahamsville, five students from Fallsburg Jr/Sr High School represented the Fallsburg Library (Public) in the County-wide Battle of the Books competition for the Ramapo Catskill Library System. It was the first time Fallsburg had a team compete in the Battle and it was both a fun and challenging day. After three quick rounds of tough questions we placed fourth out of six teams that day, and we are excited to participate in the Regional competition this coming September 13th. The students who competed were all members of the High School Book Club, so they were very active readers this year, as the club had to read six books, and the team divided up the five titles assigned for the competition. This was in addition to what they either had to read in class or what they chose to read on their own. I am very proud of them all and I am looking forward to being the team's coach for a long time to come. The members of Fallsburg Library's Battle of the Books team were: Abby Langeland, Roberto Matamoros, Megan Langeland, Olav Peterson-Langeland, and Pu (Sam) Zheng. I would like to thank the parents of all involved in supporting our efforts and dropping off and picking up your children that day, and I would like to also thank the Fallsburg Library, of which I am also a Trustee, for their moral and financial support.



At left—The team poised for competition

At right—Coach: Livia Sabourin, Abby Langeland, Roberto Matamoros, Megan Langeland, Olav Peterson-Langeland, Sam Zheng, and Fallsburg Library Director: Paula Gray

