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JUNE LIBRARY NOTES

FLOYD MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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HOURS

Monday - Friday:

9:30 am - 8 pm

Saturday: 9:30 am - 5pm

Sunday: 1 - 5 pm

CLOSED

Sunday, June 19th

Juneteenth



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NOTES FROM THE DIRECTOR

Dear Oceanographers,

It's almost time for Summer Reading! This year's theme is "Oceans of Possibilities". What possibilities will you realize as you swim through your own ocean of books, graphic novels, poems, magazines, and electronic media? We have lots of fun in store this Summer at the library and beyond. Be sure to come and visit us for a chance to broaden your own horizons, enjoy the cool library, our tranquil back yard or to win a prize in one of our Summer Reading clubs!

Thanks to our wonderful community for supporting the library's budget at both Greenport and Oysterponds schools this past May – we will continue to bring you the things you want, need and love with your vote of confidence in us and our work for the community at large.

We want to wish our Head of Reference & Adult Services, Matt Still well, as he leaves his position with us due to his health. He is healing and taking time to get back where he needs to be for himself, and his family. We have begun the search for a new Adult Services Librarian and thank our Adult Services Coordinator, Janet Olinkiewicz for overseeing programming during our search.

The board of trustees meets on Monday, June 6th at 6 pm in person in the community room. This is both a regular meeting, and our Annual Reorganizational Meeting. All are welcome! The Friends of the Library will have their second annual Garden Party on Saturday, June 11th, 2022, at 4 PM, in library garden – come learn about the Friends and all they do to help the library in its endeavors. Please look at all our wonderful offerings this month and come visit with us! We always look forward to seeing each one of you. Remember, libraries are for everyone!

Come visit, call us, message us on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, or send us an email.

We are here to serve you, and we take that mission seriously.

Until next time, I am yours,

Tom Vitale, Library Director

NOTES FROM THE FRIENDS

Spring has officially arrived! Time to think about getting outside, perhaps using our Library's Community Garden area just to sit and read, or meet with other friends.

Thanks to all of the Friends who attended our opening Preview for "The Artists of the North Fork". The show will continue through June 18, 2022 and there are still some beautiful works for sale. Thanks also to two of our local businesses, Kate's Cheese Shop and the Blue Duck Bakery for their help in catering their delicious offerings for the event.

Next up is our *Annual Garden Party* (and Membership Drive) on *Saturday, June 11 at 4:00 p.m.* Everyone in the community is invited. Notices will be sent out shortly. Please, invite your neighbors to join us and the "Friends"!

*Tom Byrne, President
Friends of Floyd Memorial Library*

JUNE ADULT PROGRAMS



VIRTUAL

East End Libraries Present: **BREATHE TOGETHER** – Tuesdays at 10 am (virtual via Zoom)

Join us once a week in the Spring to sit still and practice the kind of deep breathing that fosters calm, well-being and can improve our health and outlook.

SENIORS CONNECT – Wednesdays at 11 am (virtual via Zoom) Contact Sherri (631-469-0183) or Erin (631-379-3631)

MEDICARE NAVIGATOR – Phone Appointments available June 3rd from 10 am -12 pm

Need help setting up Medicare or have questions about your plan? Connect with our Medicare Navigator, Janet, and set up a 30-minute phone appointment, in which she can help you with all questions and concerns.

HYBRID CLASSES (available online and in-person)

MYSTERY BOOK DISCUSSION

“Bruno, Chief of Police: A Mystery of the French Countryside”

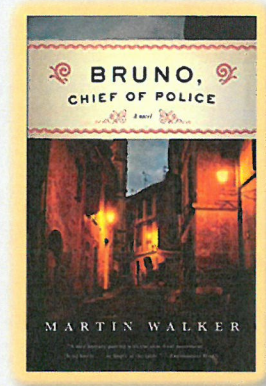
by Martin Walker

Thursday, June 16th at 3 pm

Come join our Adult Services Coordinator, Janet, and discuss this month’s captivating mystery book.

We are now hybrid, so you can either come to the library or join the group in person or Zoom in our Community Room.

Email : joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org for the Zoom link.



BRUNCH POEMS with Vivian Eyre

Friday, June 24th at 10:30 am

Enjoy another installment of our monthly Brunch Poems with renowned author, Vivian Eyre. This month’s featured author will be poet Brenda Hillman.

IN PERSON

~GAME DAYS AT FLOYD MEMORIAL LIBRARY~

~ CHESS – Tuesdays from 5:30–7:30 pm

~ SCRABBLE – Wednesdays from 1–3 pm

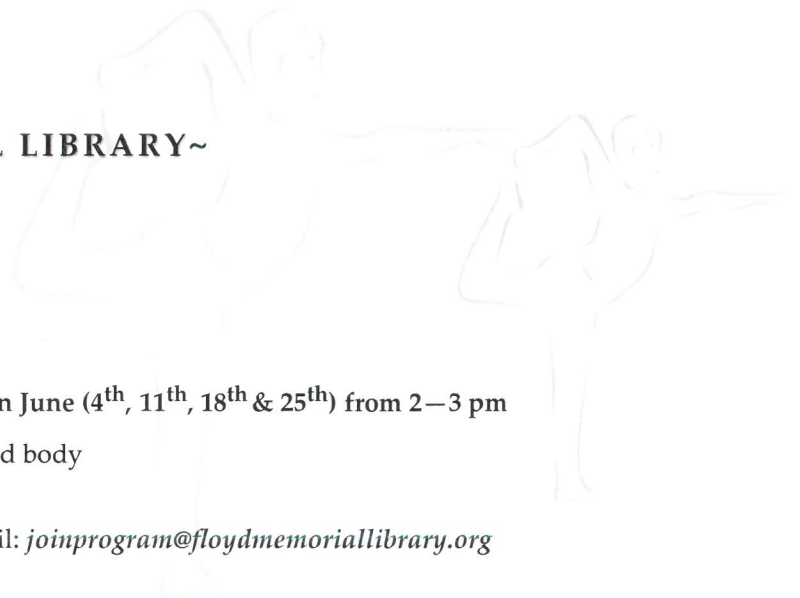
~ MAH-JONGG – Thursdays from 1–3 pm

~ No registration required!

YOGA WITH LYNNE — Saturdays in June (4th, 11th, 18th & 25th) from 2–3 pm

Lynne is back! Join her on a path to opening your mind and body every Saturday in April!

To register: stop by the main desk, or give us a call or email: joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org



TECH TIME

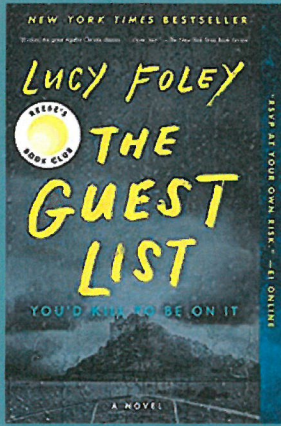
Available by Appointment — call the front desk or email our New IT Specialist Ian (ian@floydmemorallibrary.org) to set up a sit-down

Book an hour-long appointment with one of our IT Specialists

to get the basic tech help you need. They can help with

- ~ Setting up your new laptop / tablet / smartphone;
- ~ Basic Research Help (Using our Catalog, accessing our databases, etc.);
- ~ eBook and eAudioBook download assistance (using *Libby*);
- ~ Help utilizing Google Suite or Microsoft OneDrive;
- ~ Basic Computer/tablet/smartphone assistance;
- ~ Help setting up a social media account and/or using a social media platform.

Give us a call or stop by the front desk to book your appointment today!



BOOK DISCUSSION – “The Guest List”

by Lucy Foley

Monday, June 27th, 2022 at 4 pm in the Library Garden

No Registration required!

On an island off the windswept Irish coast, guests gather for the wedding of the year – the marriage of Jules Keegan and Will Slater.

Old friends. Past grudges. Happy families. Hidden jealousies. Thirteen guests. One body. The wedding cake has barely been cut when one of the guests is found dead.

MAGIC: THE GATHERING

Mondays, June 13th & 27th at 2 pm

Always wanted to learn how to play *Magic: The Gathering*?

Frustrated that there's nowhere to play and looking for other players to start tournaments?

Come join us and Magic expert, Larry, as we host our first Magic Game at Floyd Memorial Library.

For more information on the program, call Larry at 631-871-5452.

To sign up for the program, stop by the front desk or call us at (631) 477-0660.

Skill Level: Intermediate-Advanced, Beginners with some experience welcome.



LIFE FIGURE DRAWING SESSIONS

Tuesdays, June 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th from 10 am – 12 pm

This four-week uninstructed figure drawing class provides an opportunity for independent study with professional models. The two-hour sessions will consist of short poses ranging from two to twenty minutes.

A monitor will be present to set up and time the poses.

Personal easels are permitted.

Participants are responsible for their own supplies, dry media only.

Session size limited to 12 participants.



LONG—TERM CARE SEMINAR *with New York Life*

Friday, June 17th, 2022 from 10:30 am – 11:30 am

The right long-term care strategy can help safeguard your family, your savings, your retirement, and your peace of mind. During this presentation, we'll provide all of the information you need to prepare for a more secure future for you and your loved ones.

Seminar will cover

Why it's important to have a long-term care strategy

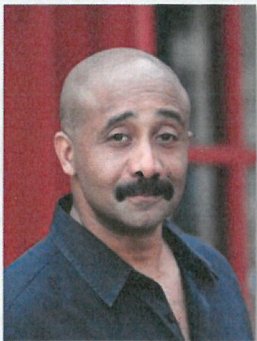
Key questions to consider before creating a strategy

What's covered and not covered by government programs

How much long-term care services currently cost in your area

Solutions that can help give you peace of mind about the future

Please sign up for this seminar at the front desk or by giving us a call at (631) 477—0660.



AUTHOR READING & LECTURE *On Langston Hughes ~ Celebrating Juneteenth*

David Mills

Sunday, June 26th, 2022 at 3 pm

in the Community Room

Mr. Mills holds an MFA from Warren Wilson College and an MA from New York University—both in creative writing—as well as a B.A. (cum laude) from Yale University. He's published four poetry collections: *Boneyarn*, *The Sudden Country*, *The Dream Detective*, and *After Mystic*. His poems have appeared in *Ploughshares*, *Colorado Review*, *Crab Orchard Review*, *Jubilat*, *Callaloo*, *Obsidian*, *Brooklyn Rail*, *Diode Journal* and *Fence*. He has received fellowships from the New York Foundation for the Arts, Breadloaf, The American Antiquarian Society, the Lannan Foundation, Arts Link and a Henry James and Hughes/Diop fellowship. He lived in Langston Hughes' landmark home for three years.



Catholic Health

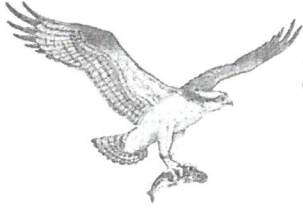
~FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS~ *Catholic Health Initiatives*

Thursday, June 30th, 2022 from 10 am-2 pm

The Catholic Health Community Outreach RV will be in the Library parking lot providing free health screenings. This outreach program provides blood pressure, cholesterol, body mass index, and glucose screenings along with patient education and referrals as needed.

No registration necessary — just stop by!

JUNE CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



For more information, please email
joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org
or call 631-477-0660 ext. 6

SUMMER REMINDERS

Registration for summer programs will begin on June 27, 2022, the newsletter will be available beginning June 20, 2022. Please read all program descriptions carefully.

Various programs have limits on the number of participants, different locations, transportation needs, or age restrictions.

Please remember that summer is a very busy time. Programs *REQUIRE* registration. You can register for programs by emailing joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org.

June programs do not require registration. For more information or to receive email reminders, please email joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org.

Programs

Thursday, June 2nd at 6:30 p.m. — Bocce! Are you ready for some fun?

Play in teams or individually and have lots of fun at the same time!

Friday, June 3rd at 4:30 p.m. — I Scream for Ice Cream!

Make an ice cream cone that will *never* melt!

Thursday, June 9th at 6:30 p.m. — Bocce! This will be the last bocce game.

If you haven't been out to play, this is your last chance!

Tuesday, June 14th — Flag Day — Why do we celebrate our nation's flag?

Make a colonial flag with glow-in-the-dark stars.

Saturday, June 8th — We have made an ice cream cone

that doesn't melt; now let's make some that we can

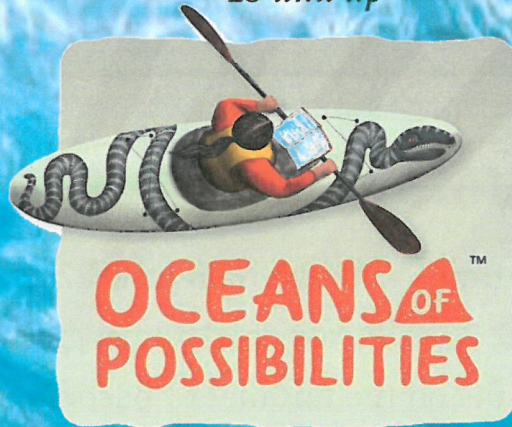
eat and share with the person you call "Dad"!

Tuesday, June 21st at 3:30 p.m. — First Day of Summer Craft.

Today is the *First Day of Summer*, and the longest day of the year! Make your own glittery sun and discover some books that share cool facts about our closest star.

JUNE TEEN EVENTS

13 and up



SUMMER READING

BEGINS

SATURDAY, JUNE 25 - SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

THIS YEAR'S

TEEN SUMMER READING PROGRAM

BRINGS

OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES!

To register for the summer reading program, sign up at the teen desk where you'll receive the details along with raffle tickets. In order to participate and earn raffle tickets, be sure to continue reading books and attending library events throughout the summer. Then you can enter tickets into the prizes that you'd like to win. The winner will be drawn on

Saturday, August 13th

and notified then.

Please register for all programs unless otherwise noted.

Register by emailing: daai@floydmemoriallibrary.org and/or call 631-477-0660 x 5

It's SUMMER!

Come decorate the Teen Room with Daaimah. We will use window markers!

Tuesday, June 21 at 4-6pm

LGBT 101 — *This interactive workshop provides an introduction to the LGBT community by defining common terminology, explaining the difference between sexual orientation and gender identity, and exploring both risk factors and resiliencies.*

The training will conclude with a discussion of best practices to create safer and more supportive environments for LGBT people. Presented by Camille Limongelli.

Friday, June 10 at 5 pm



Mug - Making

Come and design a mug for the Father Figure in your life for Father's Day.

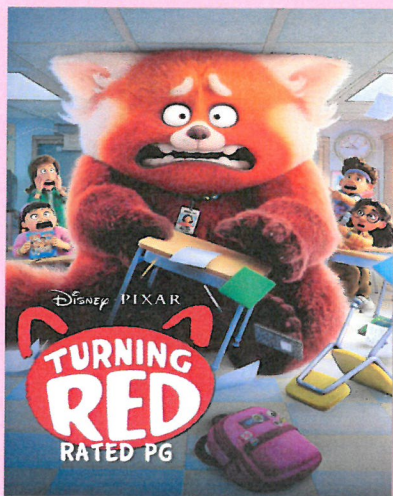
Thursday, June 2nd at 3:30 pm | Sunday, June 5th at 2pm | Monday, June 6th at 3:30 pm

Drop-In Craft – Father's Day Card

Drop-in art craft: Write a card for the Father Figure in your life for Father's Day, June 19th

Thursday June 16th at 4 pm in the Teen Room

Teen Movie



**TURNING
RED**

**THURSDAY,
JUNE 30TH
AT 4PM**

Book Group

Book Group: Wednesdays in June at 4 pm

Join Daaimah in the Teen Room for a conversation on what you're reading, and other creative book-related themes. Snacks will be provided.

Game Night

Come relax with your peers and play board games. Snacks will be provided.

Friday, June 24th at 4 pm in the Teen Room



Saturday, June 11th at 11 am and Saturday June 25th at 11 am

Community Service Opportunities

Book Review

Write / type a book review of any YA Fiction, YA Español, Non-fiction, YA Graphic Novel in the Floyd Memorial Library collection. Answer the five W's (details at Teen Desk) in paragraph form and receive Community Service credit for the average audio-version length of time it takes to read the book, and one additional hour for writing / typing the book review.

Teens Teach Tech

Are you interested in teaching tech one-on-one to someone who needs assistance figuring out computers, smart phones, tablets, software? Let Daimah know, and she'll work with our tech department to set some hours up for you to work with someone in the library. This can be a community service opportunity or a *paid opportunity*.

Looking Ahead

Join librarian and founder of "A Journey with Words"

Phatima Mitchell

for

The Themed Book Club

Wednesday, July 6th & July 27th at 4 pm

August 3rd & August 24th at 5pm



Registration required. Maximum number of registrants is 10.

Greenport UFSD / Oysterponds USFD Announcements

Monday, June 20th – Closed in observance of Juneteenth

Friday, June 24th – Last Day of School & Early Dismissal