

Friends of the Library

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Storytime

Ages 3-5 — Our preschool storytimes will run through Thursday, April 16th. Join us for great times with stories, movies, songs and crafts.

Tuesdays @ 1:30 pm

Thursdays @ 10:30 am

Babies and Toddlers (up to age 2) — Toddler Time runs through April 15th. Join us for stories, lullabies, fingerplays, music and movement activities.

Wednesdays @ 10:30 am

LIBRARY HOURS

M,T,TH 10:00 am—7:00 pm

W,F 10:00 am—5:00 pm

Sat. 10:00 am— 1:00 pm

LIBRARY CLOSED



Memorial Day
Monday, May 25, 2015

Spring 2015



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Friends of the Fremont Area District Library

Friends Top \$800 with Book Sale



The Community Room at the Fremont Area District Library was full of visitors on Saturday, January 24th as the Friends of the Library held a used book sale from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Used books, CDs, and videos were available. Customers left with books purchased for \$2 or \$1, and some walked away with bags of romance or informational books for \$1.

Thanks to the organizational efforts of Sandy Luchies and Sandy Merkle, the Friends earned more than \$800 to support the projects and programs of the Fremont Library.

The Friends' next used book sale is planned for July during the National Baby Food Festival.



Introducing Zinio!

The Fremont Area District Library is excited to announce that we now subscribe to Zinio. You have unlimited digital access to many of your favorite magazines! Use your library card to get free access to magazines on your computer or mobile device.

national poetry month

April is National Poetry Month!

National Poetry Month, held every April, is the largest literary celebration in the world with schools, publishers, libraries, booksellers, and poets celebrating poetry's vital place in our culture.

We celebrate by displaying "Random Acts of Poetry" around the library. Come in and while you're browsing for materials, you might come across a new poem!

Save the Date!

Friends of the Fremont Area District Library Annual Meeting



Wednesday, May 13, 2014
12:00 p.m.



Jean Schuler, President of the Friends of the Library presented Library Director Ray Arnett a check in the amount of \$6,870 in January. Each year the library staff gives the Friends a "Wish List" of items that they would like to purchase for the library. This year, the Children's Department received money to purchase new books, AV materials and new puppets for storytimes. They also received money for prize books for the summer reading program. In addition, the Teen and Adult Departments received money to purchase books including graphic novels, large print, non-fiction, and audio books.

During the year, the Friends help the library in other ways - including the Live at the Library program. Since the Friends' Room opened in 2000 the total amount of donations given to the library has exceeded \$135,000.

Snowbirds...



We want to keep in touch! Please let us know if you have a "southern" address, as well as when you leave and when you return so we can get your newsletter to you on time. Newsletters are mailed in March, June, September, and December.



Fremont Area District Library



Home Brewing for Beginners - February 14 @ 10:30 a.m.

Brendon Frarey, Owner/Operator of Hoportunist Hot Spot will lead a discussion panel about home brewing. This will cover the basics, including ingredients, equipment, process and everything else you need to get started.

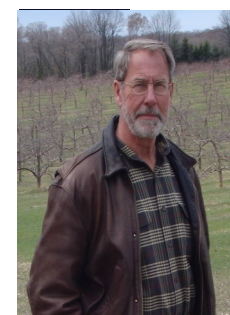
Through the Eyes of Rose - March 10 @ 7:00 p.m.

John Kozak was seven when he escaped with his mother and sister from Communist rule. *Through the Eyes of Rose* details the story of Rose Kozak and how she defied Czechoslovakian Communists and escaped with her children to freedom.



Music and Dance of India - April 11 @ 10:30 a.m.

Sangeeta Kar has sung and danced all over the US, Canada, and India in both live shows and in Indian movies, radio, and television. She loves to share her culture and founded the Sangaeetayan Institute of Dance and Music of India.



Donald Lystra - April 16 @ 7:00 p.m.

Donald Lystra started his professional life as an engineer, but was always passionate about language. His fiction includes the novel *Seasons of Water and Ice* and *Something That Feels like Truth*. Both books are Michigan Notable books.

A Polish Doctor in the Nazi Camps - April 30 @ 12:30 p.m.

Anthropologist Barbara Rylko-Bauer presents a daughter's account of her mother's WWII experiences as a prisoner-doctor in Jewish slave labor camps in Nazi Germany. This was named a 2015 Michigan Notable Book. Bring a bag lunch. Beverage and dessert provided by the Friends of the Library.





Unlimited Possibilities @ Your Library: Celebrate National Library Week
April 12-18

Our libraries today are more than warehouses for books. Instead, we strive to be a change agent within our community - transforming lives through innovative educational resources and forward-thinking programming. Some of the recent additions to our service include:

- Downloadable music through Freegal Music
- Digital magazines through Zinio
- E-books and E-audio books through OverDrive
- TV series and popular movies on DVD
- Online resources for education, car repair, fundraising, small business resources, etc.

The Fremont Area District Library is doing its part to close the digital divide and level the playing field by providing free access to information and technologies that many in our community would be hard pressed to find elsewhere. Celebrate our library with us April 12-18 and “Discover Unlimited Possibilities!”

Who’s on Board?

FADL Board Members:

- Lorna Hoppa President
- Beth Mooy Vice President
- Judy Alderink Secretary
- Candee Parkhurst Treasurer
- Marcia Eib Trustee
- Phil Tuls Trustee
- DuWayne Schuler Trustee
- Raymond Arnett - Library Director

Friends of FADL Board Directory:

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| Jean Schuler | President |
| Sandy Luchies | Vice President |
| Mary Butterick | Secretary |
| Peg May | Treasurer |
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| Rosemary Tittle | Collections / Decorating |
| Arleen Frost | Friends’ Room Director |
| Elisabeth Reed | Membership Director |
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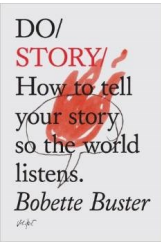
FADL Board Meeting Dates - 2015

All meetings are held at 4:00 p.m. in the Conference Room on the third Tuesday of each month.
** Meetings are open to the public. **

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| January 20 | February 17 | March 17 |
| April 21 | May 19 | June 16 |
| July 21 | August 18 | September 15 |
| October 20 | November 17 | December 15 |

Librarian’s Corner

Non-fiction book reviews from
our Reference Librarian



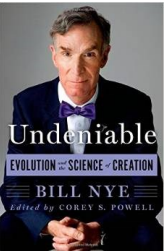
Do/Story: How to tell your story so the world listens
by Bobette Buster.

Ms. Buster spoke at this year’s January series and is a story consultant for Pixar and Disney. Find out how to shape your story to get a well-crafted message that moves your audience or sells your product. Well-written with humor and insight.



Crochet with One Sheepish Girl by Meredith Crawford

This book of easy crochet projects are divided into three categories: living (home & party), giving (cute gifts) and wearing (simple garments and accessories). Pour a cup of tea, curl up in your favorite chair, and enjoy crocheting with one sheepish girl.



Undeniable: Evolution and the Science of Creation by Bill Nye

Sparked by a debate in February 2014, Bill Nye set off on an energetic campaign to spread awareness of evolution and the way it shapes our lives. With infectious enthusiasm, he shows that evolution is an essential way to understand how nature works and changes the world.



Chilton Library Online



Between potholes, snow drifts, black ice, and road salt, our vehicles have been taking quite a beating over the past few months (and it’s not over yet). Some may even need repair or body work or a little maintenance. Maybe we’d like to tackle the job ourselves and need step by step instructions, illustrations, and specifications. Vehicle enthusiasts have long used print versions of Chilton Repair Manuals and fortunately, electronic versions of hundreds of these manuals are available in the MeL database, Chilton Library. Labor estimating, bulletins/recalls, maintenance, and repair are included as are wiring and vacuum diagrams, close-up photographs, and more. Start out by selecting the year, make and model to see what is available for your vehicle. Model years 1940 (select makes) to the present, trucks, SUVs, imports and domestic, are all included. Michigan residents or Michigan library access only.

Upcoming Events !

CHILDREN'S EVENTS



Storytimes - Preschool

The Spring session of our Preschool (ages 3 - 5) storytimes runs through Thursday, April 16th. Join us for great times with stories, movies, songs and crafts.

Tuesdays @ 1:30 p.m. • Thursdays @ 10:30 a.m.

Storytimes - Toddler Time

The Toddler Time (up to age 2) program Spring session ends on April 15th. Join us until then for stories, lapsits, fingerplays, music and movement activities.

Wednesdays @ 10:30 a.m.

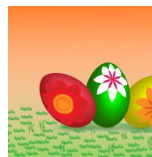


Craft Saturday - Saturday, March 14th -- 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Celebrate National Craft Month and Youth Art Month, and join us for some fun crafts you can make and take home!

Afterschool Movie - Thursday, March 19th -- 3:30 p.m.

Big Hero 6. Rated PG; 102 minutes. An action-packed comedy adventure that introduces Baymax, a loveable, personal companion robot, who forms a special bond with robotics prodigy Hiro Hamada. Snacks will be provided. In the Children's Department.



Easter Craft Saturday - Saturday, April 11th -- 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Celebrate Easter with some great crafts! In the Children's Department. All are welcome!

Lego Saturday - Saturday, April 18th -- 10 - 12:30 p.m.

Make some fun Lego creations and have them displayed in the library! Bring your own Lego blocks or use some provided by the library.



Mother's Day Craft Make & Take - Saturday, May 9th -- 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Make a gift for Mom for Mother's Day! In the Children's Department. All are welcome!

Afterschool Movies - Thursday, April 23rd & Thursday, May 21st -- 3:30 p.m.

These are mystery movies! We'll be showing great movies for afterschool, but we're not sure which ones yet. So, save the dates, and call the Children's Department as the time gets closer for more information. Always, refreshments will be served, and everyone is welcome!



Contact the Children's Department by calling (231) 928-0249.

More Upcoming Events!

Daytime Book Discussion — Meets at 11:30 a.m. by the north fireplace in the Adult Department, on the fourth Thursday of each month. Books will be available at the Circulation Desk a few weeks before the meeting. Everyone is welcome.

March 26th -- *The Overlook* by Michael Connelly

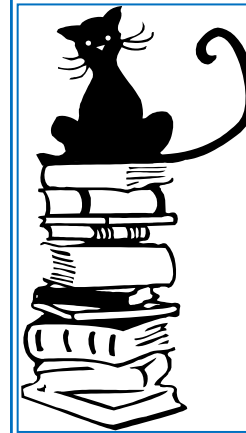
April 23rd -- Title will be determined at March meeting

May 28th -- Title will be determined at April meeting



Call Susan Herrick at the Reference Department, (231) 928-0257, for more information.

Wednesday Readers Book Discussion



Wednesday Readers – Meets at 7:00 in the Community Room on the second Monday of every month. Books are available at the circulation desk. Everyone is welcome. Contact Jill Hansen for more information; (231) 928-0256.

March 9 -- *Swamplandia!* by Karen Russell

April 13 -- *Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie*, by Alan Bradley

May 11 -- *The Chaperone*, by Laura Moriarty

COMPUTER CLASSES

(ALL CLASSES ARE HELD IN THE UPSTAIRS TRAINING ROOM)

March 10th - Word Basic

April 7th - Basic Excel

March 12th - Internet Searching & Email

April 9th - PowerPoint

Contact Susan Herrick, (231) 928-0257, for more information.

