

TOWN OF BALLSTON COMMUNITY LIBRARY CHECK IT OUT!



NEW AND NOTABLE @ YOUR LIBRARY

FEBRUARY 2010

WINTER FUN

With Jodie Fitz and the Price Chopper Kids Cooking Club. Make yummy treats as a family!

Tuesday, February 16
Session 1 at 1:00 PM
or
Session 2 at 2:00 PM

Advanced sign up is required. Please call 399-8174 or email rdarling@sals.edu to sign up.

Are you a Collector?

Have you noticed the display case as you enter the library?

Do you have something you collect that you'd like to share with others? Each display stays up for one month in our locking display case.

Please see Judy Kaplan to sign up.

GE Elfun Rehab Lab Seeking Computer Equipment Donations

The Elfun Rehab Lab, started in 1993, and run by GE volunteers, is seeking used and no longer functional computers and computer equipment. The lab repairs and extends the useful life of older computers that are no longer wanted by individuals and businesses. The rehabbed computers are then given to schools and nonprofit organizations.

The Lab traditionally rehabs about 500 computers per year. It is run by GE volunteers, who donate 8000 hrs yearly. Equipment donations are tax deductible. For information or donation contact Terry Lustofin at Elfun Computer Labs 518-385-9606

The Elfun Rehab Lab has donated laptops to the library for the past 2 years.

Computer Classes - Free, but Registration is required by calling 399-8174

File Management - Tuesday, February 16, 6-8pm. This course will teach you how to save and organize files and folders to make it easier to find them. This course will show you how to drag and drop while using Windows Explorer.

Google - Tuesday, February 23, 10:30am-12pm. This course will take you beyond just finding things using Google. It will show you Google email, Google Maps, Google documents, and much more.

Job Seekers Workshop - Tuesday, February 23, 6-8pm. Are you looking for a job or just looking to update your resume? In this class you can get help with your existing resume/cover letter or learn how to create a new one. We will talk about filling out online applications and finding jobs through online sources. We will also help you prepare for your interview by going over sample questions.

MS Word 2003 Part 1 - Thursday, February 25, 6-8pm. This course is for beginners to intermediate users. Learn about creating documents, saving documents, and formatting..

Board Meeting

The next meeting of the Library Board of Trustees will be held on Wednesday, February 24th, at 7 PM in the library community room. All are welcome to attend.

Thank You!

We would like to thank the Ballston Spa National Bank, The Friends of the Town of Ballston Community Library, and community members for the generous donations that made our wonderful brand new toys and puzzles possible!

Please come play with our new doll house, farm, train set, puzzles, and much, much more!

Friends of the Library

The next meeting will be held at 7 PM on Tuesday, March 2nd All are welcome!

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Library Hours

Monday -Thursday 10 AM - 8 PM Friday 10 AM-5 PM Saturday 10 AM-2 PM Closed Sunday VISIT US ONLINE

HTTP://CATALOG.SALS.EDU HTTP://TOBLIBRARY.SALS.EDU E-MAIL: KDEANGELO@SALS.EDU

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Holiday Hours

The library will be **closed** on Monday, February 15th In Honor of **President's Day**

In the Community Room

Artwork by Martha Kurowski

In the Display Case

Nathaniel Coffey's Bionicles

Children's Room Book Display

Valentine's Day & Winter Olympics

Teen Space Book Display

Get Graphic

Book Club News

The library book club will meet on Monday, February 8th at 7 PM in the library community room to discuss **Shanghai Girls**, by Lisa See.

Downstairs Book Display

Love Makes the World Go "Round

February is Love Your Library Month

Programs for Children

January 4 - March 31, 2010

Toddler Time

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays at 10:30 AM Join us while we read books, sing, and do finger plays to promote early literacy. For ages 3 and under with a caregiver. Then stay and play.

Music with Miss Mona

Tuesdays at 10:30 AM. A family sing-along aimed at the 3-6 year-old child, followed by playtime.

Preschool Story Time

Wednesdays at 1:00 PM and Thursdays at 10:30 AM Story time for the 3-6 year old with a caregiver. We'll use books, songs, finger plays, flannel boards, and do a craft. Then stay and play.

No programs on February 16-20, 2010

Learn about Lincoln: a Picturing America Program

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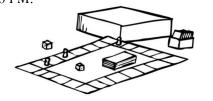
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Get to know one of America's beloved past presidents and create your own "I Am" poem. Grades 2-5. February 17th at 1:00 PM Registration required.

Game Day

Invite all your friends to get out of the cold and game with you at the library.
February 19th from 1:00-4:00 PM.



Freedom of Speech: a Picturing America Program

Learn about the First Amendment and write your own speech or newspaper article with us. Grades 2-5. March 26th at 2:00 PM. Registration required.

TEEN PROGRAMS

Teen Tech Workshop

Play with the library's Flip Video Cameras. Learn editing and uploading to youtube.com. February 18th, 1-4 PM, in the teen area.

Be a VolunTeen - Students in grades 6-12 can help out all year long. Email rdarling@sals.edu for dates & times.

Greater Glenville YMCA Class Offerings at the Library

DAYTIMEClassFridays9-10 AMYogaFridays5:30-6:30 PMYoga

Free, but you must register by calling 399-8118 to reserve space weekly. Must be 13 or older. No observers. Bring mat.

No Classes February 15-19

Fiber Fanatics

If you Knit, Crochet, Spin, Cross Stitch, Quilt, Embroider, or ? you are invited to join us each month for a social get together in the library community room. Knitting help is available. Our next meeting is on Monday, February 22nd, from 7-9 PM in the Library Community Room.