



# TOWN OF BALLSTON COMMUNITY LIBRARY





NEW AND NOTABLE @ YOUR LIBRARY

**JULY 2011** 

### **Novel Destinations:**

A summer reading program for the grown ups!

Now you too can win prizes and go outside your reading comfort zone to explore the wide world of books!

Pick up a Bingo Card at the library and start reading. List the books on the back of the card.

For every row you complete, you will receive a coupon for a free book from our book sale cart OR free copies OR up to \$2.00 off a fine (can not be used for lost or damaged items). There's a limit of three of each type of coupon.

	2011 ADULT SU	JMMER READING	BINGO AT THE	
TOWN OF BALLSTON COMMUNITY LIBRARY				
Read or	listen to one from	each Section and r	egister for our gra	nd prize!
Magazine	Travel book	Science	Biography	Newspaper
article		fiction		article
Title on	Favorite	Title on	Download an	Book by
current	children's	current	e-book or	foreign
fiction	book	bestseller	audiobook	author
bestseller		nonfiction		
list		list		
Book that	Read		Read a	Borrow a
became a	outdoors	FREE	favorite	Movie fron
movie			author	the library
Health topic	How-to	Historical	Short Story	history boo
of interest	Book	fiction		
Borrow a	Book from	Book by local	Mystery	Fantasy or
Play-Away	teen	author		science
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# Celebrate Burnt Hills

with a special commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the start of the Civil War

When: July 30, 2011

Hosted by: Burnt Hills Baptist Church, Kingsley Road

Time: 9am-1pm

Free Admission! Rain or Shine!
Mr. Twisty visits from 10am-12pm!
Civil War era songs with Mona Hadcock
Check out the Civil War displays and exhibits!
Come and make a clothespin soldier!
"Tell your Story" in a recording area!

Sponsored by the Historian's Office and the Town of Ballston Community Library

#### Fun Things to Celebrate in July

Have you ever noticed the pictures at the top of the newsletter? They symbolize some celebration that takes place in that month.

July is:

- National Wheelchair Beautification Month
- Tour de France Month
- National Hot Dog Month

The Fourth of July is Independence Day. July 13th is Embrace your Geekness Day.

#### Historian in Residence

Come visit with Town Historian Rick Reynolds, ask questions, learn about the town!
Rick will bring something fun from our local history.
The Town Historian will be available 6:30 to 8 pm on Thursday, July 20th.

Learn to Sign! Monday July 11 and Monday July 25 at 7PM. Learn basic signs to teach your infant or toddler at this workshop for parents and caregivers. Please sign up!

#### TOWN OF BALLSTON COMMUNITY LIBRARY

2 Lawmar Lane Burnt Hills, NY 12027

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#### **Library Hours**

Friday 10 AM-5 PM Saturday 10 AM-2 PM

Closed Sunday

#### VISIT US ONLINE

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HTTP://TOBY.SALS.EDU E-MAIL: RDARLING@SALS.EDU

# The library will be closed on Monday, July 4th

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# In the **Community** Room Cathy

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# **Downstairs**

On the Road Again

# **Upstairs**

One World. Many Stories

### **Book Club**

July 11 at 6PM -

Dinner and a Movie Snow Falling on Cedars, by David Guterson Bring your own food. All are welcome.

Monday -Thursday 10 AM - 8 PM in honor of **Independence Day** 

#### **Summer Reading Program**

#### The Town of Ballston Community Library will be participating in One World, Many Stories, the 2011 New York State Summer Reading Program.

We will be doing a BINGO Challenge with one card for each week. When you have completed that week's BINGO, you can come in for a prize and a raffle ticket up to five per week!

Everyone who completes 3 weeks of the program can attend Our End of Summer Party on August 13th from 10-12 for participants and their families. The last day to pick up prizes will be August 13th.

## Pre-school Programs (0-5)\*

#### Art & Movement - Tuesdays at 10:30AM

Explore your world through movement and creative activities at this program for preschoolers and their caregivers, followed by playtime.

**Toddler Time -** Wednesdays & Fridays at 10:30AM. Join us while we read books, sing, & do finger plays to promote early literacy, then stay & play. For ages under 3 with a caregiver.

Preschool Story Time - Wednesdays at 1:30PM and Thursdays at 10:30AM. A story time for 3-6 year olds with a caregiver. We'll use books, songs, finger plays, flannel boards, and then do a craft! Then stay & play.

Baby Lap Time - Wednesdays at 6:30PM

For infants under 14 months, who are not yet walking, and a caregiver. Share interactive rhymes, songs, and simple board books with the baby in your life.

\*No Registration Required for these programs.

#### **You Are Here**

### Teen Summer Reading Program for students entering grades 6-12

In the

Display

Case:

5th Grade

Art Group

Online Summer Reading Teens will be able to log all of their reading, write reviews, and track their prizes online. Visit our website http://toblibrary.sals.edu or the Online Summer Reading Site https://ny.evanced.info/toby/ sr/homepage.asp to sign up.

Join the Teen Advisory Board. play Wii with your friends, take a class on writing or illustrating, or spend the night at the library.

For more information visit the teen tab at http://toblibrary.sals.edu

# **Board of Trustees**

The July 2011 meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 27th at 7 PM, in the library community room. Meetings are open to the public and we'd love to see you there! Meeting Agendas and Minutes can be found under the Board tab at http://toblibrary.sals.edu.

#### **Knitting Social Group**

Join us from 7-9PM on Wednesday. July 6th in the library community room for some uninterrupted crafting in good company.

We don't discriminate! Crocheters and other fiber crafters are also welcome!

The Friends of the Library received an Honorable Mention for their float in the Flag Day Parade!