

Moffat Library

Educating, informing, entertaining & enlightening our community since 1887



GENEALOGY & HISTORY

4-PART GENEALOGY SERIES FOR BEGINNERS November 8th, 15th, 28th & December 13th @ 6:30 PM

Join a certified genealogist and do research on your ancestral line! Perfect for those just starting out on genealogical research! *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org*

GENEALOGY CLUB

Meets Last Thursday of the month @ 6:30 PM

Receive research assistance from professional genealogist, Jill Lemaster-Moore. *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org*

WWI MEUSE ARGONNE OFFENSIVE

LECTURE W/ AARON LEFKOWITZ

Thursday, September 20th @ 6:30 PM

Led by General John Pershing & involving over a million American soldiers, Meuse Argonne was the last major battle of WWI & its outcome shaped world history. *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org*



FUNERAL CUSTOMS & PRACTICES

Thursday, October 11th @ 6:30 PM

Why do we wear black at funerals? What are the origins of wakes? Historian Jen McSwain will present a thoughtful & entertaining look at funeral customs and how we view death. *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org*



BOOK SIGNING W/ AUTHOR WILLIAM PALMER "WE CALLED OURSELVES ROCKETBOAT MEN"

Saturday, November 3rd from 11 AM - 3 PM

The WWII Rocketboat Men weakened the German defenses on Normandy beach prior to the D-Day landing. Local historian William Palmer will discuss the role of these extraordinary men! *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org*

HISTORIC CEMETERY TOUR: FARMING FAMILIES

Saturday, October 13th @ 6:30 PM

Get ready for a tour of Washingtonville's All Faiths Cemetery to visit the graves of local farming families, such as the Hallocks, Findlays, Earles & Sayers! *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org or call 496-5483 for info*

Register for these programs online today at:
<https://moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar>

BOOK CLUBS

GREAT BEGINNINGS BOOK CLUB

Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month @ 7:30 PM

Moderated by John Donaldson

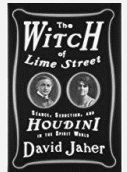
This group is always looking for members. *To join, stop by the library & pick up a copy of the next book.*

September 11th - *In the Woods* by Tana French

October 8th - *The Witch of Lime Street* by David Jaher

November 13th - *Big Little Lies* by Liane Moriarty

December 11th - *Beartown* by Fredrik Bachman



CONTEMPORARY CLASSICS BOOK CLUB

Meets 3rd Thursday of each month @ 12 NOON

Moderated by Louise Pedrick

An open group that is always looking for new members! *To join, please stop by the library & pick up a copy of the next book.*

September 20th - *The Book Thief* by Marcus Zusak

October 18th - *The Woman in the Photo* by Mary Hogan

November 15th - *Leaving Time* by Jodi Piccolt

December 20th - *The Mistletoe Promise* by Richard Paul Evans

COOKBOOK BOOK CLUB

Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month @ 6:30 PM

Moderated by Evelyn Spear

Sept. 19th - Applefest | Oct. 17th - Comfort Food

Nov. 14th - Cuisine from your Culture | Dec. 19th - Appetizers

Bring an appetite and a prepared dish as we cook from a variety of cookbooks. The next month's cookbook discussion selection is made @ each meeting. *Books available at the circulation desk one month before the next meeting.*

MUSIC @ MOFFAT

HOLIDAY JAZZ CONCERT

with Larry Newcomb & Joe Tranchina

Saturday, December 1st @ 2 PM

Join local jazz musicians Larry Newcomb & Joe Tranchina for a concert of holiday hits arranged for jazz. *Register online today or call (845) 496-5483 x 326 for details!*

ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC NIGHTS

Last Tuesday of the Month from 6 PM - 7:30 PM

Want to showcase a new song or perform an old favorite? Bring your instruments and your talent to the library to share with other music lovers and musicians! *Register online today or call (845) 496-5483 x 326 for details!*

ADULT LIFESTYLE

CREATING YOUR RETIREMENT PAYCHECK

Wednesday, October 10th @ 6 PM

A seminar that will help you identify sources of income for retirement and offer tips and strategies for making the most of your savings and investments through retirement. Presented by Edit Haughney & Sue Bader, financial and retirement counselors. Register now @ moffatlibrary.org

LEGACY PLANNING

Tuesday, October 18th @ 6 PM

This presentation provides insight into the Confident Retirement approach with a focus to maximize your ability to give to people & causes you care about. Register now @ moffatlibrary.org



Driver Safety

AARP DEFENSIVE DRIVING

2 Classes (must attend both):

Monday, October 15th @ 5 - 8 PM + Tues, October 16th @ 5 - 8 PM
During this 6-hour driver safety course you will learn: defensive driving techniques, proven safety strategies, new traffic laws and rules of the road from instructor, Thomas Barone. Complete the course and save 10% on car insurance! Cost is \$20 for AARP members / \$25 for non-members. Space is limited. Call (845) 496-5483 x 324 for info.

CARD MAKING WITH DEBBIE LAROCCA

Tuesday, October 23rd from 6 - 7:30 PM

Card making expert Debbie LaRocca will guide you through the creation of 2 fall-themed cards perfect for autumn events and both miniature works of art! Register online today or call (845) 496-5483 ext. 324

DEATH CAFÉ with JILL MOORE

Saturday, September 22nd from 11 AM - 1:30 PM

This is a moderated conversation about death, its rituals & how to make the most of our finite lives. Ms. Moore is a cemetery liaison at West Point. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 326

ONE-ON-ONE E-READER HELP

Saturdays, September 15th & 22nd @ 11 AM - 1:30 PM

Need help with your e-reader tablet? Call (845) 496-5483 x 326 for details and to reserve your spot.

KNIT A HAT with ELAINE

Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM

Meets: 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31, 11/7 & 11/14

Learn how to knit a cozy hat just in time for winter! Register online to see all details about materials you will need to participate or call us at (845) 496-5483 x 326 for details.

TEEN TIME

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

For Teens in Grades 7 - 12

Hey Teens! Looking for something fun to do while earning community service hours?

Join our Teen Advisory Board (TAB) & have a say in the programs the library offers to teens + get first crack at volunteer opportunities.

Meets once a month: 9/17, 10/3, 11/5 & 12/5 @ 4 PM

Stop by to pick up an application today!

For more info contact Emily Kinney at: ekinney@rcls.org

TEEN KNITTING CLUB

Tuesdays @ 3:30 PM

Meets: 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30 & 11/6

Learn how to knit your own cowl this fall! Each participant will need to bring: US size 15 needles (8-12 inches long), and 3 skeins of bulky weight yarn (size 5 or 6). Open to Teens in Grades 6-12. Register online.

SUPER SMASH BROS. TOURNAMENT

Friday, October 5th @ 3:30 PM

Want to win cool prizes? Prove your gaming skills at this Super Smash Bros. Tournament for teens! Open to Teens in Grades 6-12. Register online now!

TEENS DIY SLIME

Friday, October 19th @ 4 PM

Let's experiment with different slime recipes at the library! Open to Teens in Grades 6-12. Register online!

AN ALARMINGLY ATROCIOUS ART CONTEST

Monday, November 12th @ 4 PM

Teens will have one hour to create an "art" piece during a series of scrupulously fierce & incredibly ridiculous challenges in this crazy contest! Open to Teens in Grades 6-12. Register online now!

NERF CAPTURE THE FLAG

Friday, November 30th @ 6 - 8 PM

Join us at the library for an afterhours game of Capture the Flag. Bring Nerf guns if you have them! Open to Teens in Grades 6-12. Space is limited! Register now online!



PAINT & PLAY WARGAMING MEET-UP - For Teens: Fridays @ 2:30 - 5:30 PM Meets: 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/30 & 12/7

Join us for a 5-week gaming session as we recreate a Revolutionary War Battle in miniature! Figures & paints provided by a generous grant from the **Historical Miniatures Gaming Society**. Open to Teens in Grades 6 - 12. Register now online!

KIDS & FAMILIES

EARLY LITERACY

BOOKS & BABIES

Babies (6-23 mos.) & caregivers

Thursdays @ 10:30 AM - 2 SESSIONS

4 Weeks: 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11

4 Weeks: 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/29

An interactive nursery rhyme program with board books, songs and playtime to promote early literacy. *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*



Terrific Tales

For children ages 2-5

Tuesdays @ 10:30 AM

4 Weeks: 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16

4 Weeks: 11/13, 11/20, 11/27, 12/4

Join us for stories, rhymes and games! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

LEARNING & PLAY

SPANISH TOGETHER

For children ages 3-5

Mondays @ 11 AM - 4 Weeks: 10/1, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29

Preschoolers and their parents/caregivers are invited to join Joyce Schenkman for a 4-week conversational Spanish and basic vocabulary class. *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

Something Science: Volcanoes

Wednesday, November 7th @ 4 PM

For kids in grades 2 - 5

Let's experiment with volcanoes at the library! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*



CHILDREN'S PLAYTIME

For babies, toddlers and preschoolers

Fridays once a month from 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

4 Weeks: 9/14, 10/19, 11/16, 12/14

Drop in any time from 10:30 AM to 12 noon for open playtime at the library! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

FOR FAMILIES

MOVIE MATINEE

INSIDE OUT (2015): Friday, Sept 21st @ 3:30 PM

The Disney/Pixar animated Academy Award-winning movie!

BEAUTY & THE BEAST (1991): Friday, Dec 14th @ 3:30 PM

Join us for the Disney classic!

Get ready for popcorn & a movie at Moffat! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

Friday, October 26th @ 7 - 8 PM

For ages 3 - 8 (with an adult)

Wear your costume and come out for a night of Halloween fun presented by our Teen Advisory Board! Games, activities and treats for all! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*



The Friends of the Moffat Library are pleased to present:

Holiday Storytime (for families)

Sunday, December 9th @ 2 PM

Enjoy stories, crafts, and treats at this annual Family Story Hour event! Then join the Friends for refreshments! A gift for each child! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

LEGO & CRAFTS

CRAFTERNOONS

For kids of all ages & their families

Mondays once a month @ 4 PM

4 weeks: 9/24, 10/29, 11/19, 12/17

Join us at the library for an afternoon craft activity! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

LEGO CLUB

For kids of all ages & their families

Thursdays @ 4 PM

4 weeks: 9/27, 10/11, 10/25, 11/8, 12/6 & 12/20

Bring your imagination and we will experiment and create with Legos! *Registration required. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*



Registration is required for all programs.

To register visit:

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LIBRARY HOURS:

MONDAYS - THURSDAYS: 10 AM - 8 PM
FRIDAYS: 10 AM - 6 PM
SATURDAYS: 10 AM - 5 PM
SUNDAYS: 12 PM - 5 PM

The Library Board meets the 1st Thursday of every month. The public is welcome to attend.

Residential Patron

FRIENDS OF MOFFAT LIBRARY

EVENTS & HAPPENINGS:

ANNUAL MEETING & PRESENTATION

Wednesday, October 24th @ 7 PM

Join the Friends for their Annual Meeting @ 7 PM. At 7:30 PM, Blooming Grove historian, Jeanne Versweyveld, will discuss historical sites in the Washingtonville area. This is sure to be an interesting & enlightening evening! *Refreshments. Open to All! Register online or call 496-5483*

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, December 9th, 1 - 4 PM

Come join the Friends for some holiday cheer, good wishes & refreshments!

FAMILY STORY HOUR @ 2 PM

Youth Services Librarian, Emily Kinney, will treat children and their families to a holiday story & craft. The Friends of the Moffat Library will provide gifts for participants! *See info on page 3!*

HOLIDAY GIFT BASKETS

November 18th - December 16th



Stop by the library anytime between 11/18 - 12/16 for a chance to win one of our famous holiday baskets filled with goodies!

Friends of Moffat Library

2018-2019 Annual Membership Application

The Friends of Moffat Library is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization of community members who donate their energy, time, and ideas to the Moffat Library and its services.

If you would like to be a FRIEND, fill out the membership form below:

Name(s): _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Date: _____

Membership Type (check one): New Renewal

Level (check one): Individual - \$10 Family - \$15
 Student/Senior - \$5.00 Good Friend - \$25 or more

What committees (if any) are you interested in volunteering for?

Authors Luncheon Book Store Fundraising
 Holiday Baskets Holiday Open House Homebound Delivery
 Library Programs Membership Publicity

Return completed form to:

FOML, c/o Moffat Library, 6 W Main St., Washingtonville, NY 10916
(Checks payable to: Friends of the Moffat Library)