



Moffat Library

*Educating, informing, entertaining & enlightening
our community since 1887*

HISTORY

NEW YORK, ONTARIO & WESTERN RAILWAY HISTORICAL TALK

Thursday, September 12th at 6 PM

Railway historian Ray Kelly will discuss the history of the Ontario & Western Railway and its impact on the New Windsor, Denniston, Little Britain, and Rock Tavern areas.

Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

HISTORIC CEMETERY TOUR

Saturday, October 12th at 6 PM

Join the Village Historian & the Local History Librarian for a virtual tour of famous family plots in All Faith's Cemetery. Taking place at the library, the event will feature costumed staff from New Windsor Cantonment, dressed as the individuals buried in the cemetery. Register @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

SEINFEST @ MOFFAT

December 9 — 13

Celebrate Festivus with the rest of us in a week of events dedicated to the classic tv sitcom *Seinfeld*. Do you need to air your grievance? Stop by our Reference Desk in the Adult Wing & submit yours in our grievance box! Or make your own Fusilli Jerry doll (see p. 2)!

Stay tuned for more Seinfestivities...

"THE STRIKE" SEINFELD FESTIVUS EPISODE

Monday, December 9th @ 6:30 PM

Come & watch the Seinfeld episode where the Festivus Miracle began! In *The Strike* (1997), George confronts a family tradition while Jerry dates a woman with two faces & Kramer returns to work at the bagel shop after a decade-long strike. *Pretzels & junior mints (no bagels!)* will be served.

Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

HOME & GARDEN

CARE & SELECTION OF HOLIDAY PLANTS

Monday, December 4th @ 6 PM

Holiday plants are subject to drastic changes when moved to our homes. A master gardener will show us how proper care can extend our enjoyment of the plants! Register @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

PRUNING WITH A MASTER GARDENER

Wednesday, November 13th @ 6 PM

Pruning is easy once you identify what needs pruning & how shrubs grow naturally. This program will show you how!

RESEARCHING YOUR OLD HOUSE

Wednesday, November 6th @ 6:30 PM

Let cultural resource consultant Maria Audin show you how to research the history of your old home for insurance & historic preservation purposes. Register for all Home & Garden Events @ 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 10th - *Clock Dance* by Anne Tyler

October 8th - *A Separate Peace* by John Knowles

November 12th - *Something in the Water* by Catherine Steadman

December 10th - *Where The Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens

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 19th - *Bonfire of the Vanities* by Tom Wolfe

October 17th - *A Walk in the Woods* by Bill Bryson

November 21st - *Last Bus to Wisdom* by Ivan Doig

December 19th - *Christmas Cookie Club* by Ann Pearlman

COOKBOOK BOOK CLUB

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

Moderated by Evelyn Spear

Sept. 18th — Oct. 16th — Nov. 20th — December 18th

Bring an appetite and a prepared dish as we cook from a variety of cookbooks. Books available at the circulation desk one month prior.

GENEALOGY CLUB

Meets Last Thursday of the month @ 6:30 PM

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

NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION DAY is TUESDAY SEPT 24th



You can have a voice, but only if you're registered! We'll have people here to help between 11am-2pm or stop by anytime & pick up a voter registration form!

SO BAD IT'S SCARY MOVIE MATINEE

Saturday, October 19th @ 1 PM

Is a movie scary because it's bad or bad because it's scary? You can decide when we plunge into 2018's monster shark movie, *The Meg*. We will serve goldfish crackers, Swedish fish & fruit punch to boot! Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

ADULT CRAFTS

SILK SCARF PAINTING

Saturday, September 28th from 2 - 4 PM

Join local artist Catina Strauss & create a beautiful painted silk scarf. *Registrants must bring an old bath towel and a hanger. The library will provide scarves, paints and brushes.*

Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

ADULT KNITTING

Wednesdays: October 2nd - November 6th @ 10:30 AM

Learn knitting techniques appropriate for your level of knitting knowledge & get expert advice on current projects from a local knitter. *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar*

THANKSGIVING CARDS FOR ADULTS

Thursday, November 14th @ 6 PM

Make beautiful cards in time for your next Thanksgiving or Fall gathering with card artist Debra LaRocca! *Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar*

SEINFEST MACARONI SCULPTURE CONTEST

From **December 9th thru December 13th**, the library will host a macaroni sculpture art exhibit. Submit a sculpture of yourself or someone you know made of dry pasta & we'll put it on display!

A fake \$20,000 check to the Human Fund will be presented to the Best In Show!

SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH!

DO YOU HAVE A LIBRARY CARD? Stop by & get one today!

RELAXATION

SENIOR YOGA

Saturday, November 16th @ 11 AM

Certified yogi Tina Robie has a morning of yoga especially designed for older adults & seniors.

Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

PRE-HOLIDAY MEDITATION SESSION

Wednesday, December 11th @ 6 PM

Take a break from the holiday season & join a certified Yoga instructor for an hour of relaxing yoga and meditation.

Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

MAKE & TAKE CRAFTS (For all ages)

Tuesday, November 5th Out & about to vote? Stop by the Children's Room for a craft break any time on election day! *No registration necessary.*

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.

Intro Meeting: Monday, September 16th @ 4 PM



DIY DOOR SIGNS

Friday, October 4th @ 3 PM

Personalize your door with a DIY sign.
For teens grades 6-12.

Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

POKÉMON TERRARIUMS

Friday, November 8th @ 4 PM

House a Pokémon in your DIY mini-terrarium!

For teens grades 6-12. Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

TEEN GAMING

SUPER SMASH BROS. TOURNAMENT

Friday, December 13th @ 3 PM

Prove your skills at this Smash Bros. Tournament!
Pre-registration is required to play. For more info, contact Emily @ ekinney@rcls.org. *For teens grades 6-12.*
Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

10-WEEK DUNGEONS & DRAGONS CAMPAIGN

Every Thursday from September 26th - December 12th
3:30 — 5:30 PM

Join a professional Dungeon Master & start a quest through the world of D&D. This custom campaign has D&D lore combined with historic events for a unique experience for adventurers at all skill levels. *For teens grades 6-12.*
Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar



OCTOBER 19, 2019

On Saturday, October 19 from 10:30 AM to 4:30 PM the library is celebrating **THE GREAT GIVE BACK**, a day to give back to our community!

Bring any non-perishable food items to the library & we will waive your late fines. (excludes lost or damaged items)
All collected items will go to the Country Kids Food Pantry.

KIDS & FAMILIES

EARLY LITERACY

BOOKS & BABIES

Babies (birth - 18 mos. with a caregiver)

Thursdays @ 10:30 AM - 2 Sessions

4 Weeks: 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17

4 Weeks: 11/7, 11/14, 11/21, 12/5

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



TODDLER TIME

For ages 18 mos. - 36 mos. with a caregiver

Tuesdays @ 10:15 AM - 2 Sessions

4 Weeks: 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22

4 Weeks: 11/12, 11/19, 11/26, 12/3

Stories, songs, and games designed for wiggly toddlers. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

For ages 3 - 5 years with a caregiver

Tuesdays @ 11 AM - 2 Sessions

4 Weeks: 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22

4 Weeks: 11/12, 11/19, 11/26, 12/3

Storytime featuring longer books and activities geared towards preschoolers. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!

LEARNING & PLAY

SPANISH TOGETHER

For children ages 3-5 with a caregiver

Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM - 4 Weeks

10/2, 10/9, 10/16 & 10/23

Join Joyce Schenkman for a 4-week conversational Spanish and basic vocabulary class.

Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!

CHILDREN'S PLAYTIME

Birth - 5 years old with a caregiver

Fridays @ 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

3 Weeks: 9/20, 10/18, 11/22

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



SPECIAL EVENT

SPACE: THE COSMOS FOR KIDS
with **TURTLE DANCE MUSIC** (Family Show)

Saturday, September 21st @ 2 PM

Laugh, sing, learn, and dance at this high energy, sensory-friendly performance about space! Turtle Dance Music is crafted to be inclusive for all children, including kids on the Autism Spectrum. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324

HOLIDAY EVENTS

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

Friday, October 25th @ 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 & treats for all! Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!



PUMPKIN PAINTING

 (For all ages)

Friday, October 11th @ 4 PM

Celebrate fall and decorate your own pumpkin. Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!



The Friends of Moffat Library are pleased to present:

HOLIDAY STORYTIME

 (For families)

Saturday, December 7th @ 1 PM

Enjoy stories & crafts at our annual Holiday Family Story Hour event! Refreshments by the Friends. A gift for each child! Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!



HOLIDAY MUG ART

 (For all ages)

Tuesday, December 17th @ 4 PM

Decorate a mug to give as a gift or to keep as your own this holiday! Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324

LEGO

LEGO FREE BUILD

 (For all ages)

Mondays @ 4 PM: 10/28, 11/18 & 12/16

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

Registration is required for all programs. To register visit: www.moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

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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.

FRIENDS OF MOFFAT LIBRARY

EVENTS & HAPPENINGS:

ANNUAL MEETING & PRESENTATION

Wednesday, October 23rd @ 7 PM

Join the Friends for their Annual Meeting @ 7 PM.
At 7:30 PM, author **Linda Zimmerman** will present
"Haunted Objects," a look at specific, local cases
of haunted objects. *Refreshments. Open to All!*
Register online or call 496-5483

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, December 7th, 1 - 4 PM

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

HOLIDAY FAMILY STORY HOUR

Saturday, December 7th @ 1 PM

See info on page 3!

HOLIDAY GIFT BASKETS

November 24th - December 18th

Stop by the library for a chance to win one of our
famous holiday baskets filled with goodies!

Drawing on Dec. 18th @ 2 PM

FOML 2019-2020 Annual Membership Application

*The Friends of Moffat Library (FOML) 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 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 10992

(Checks payable to: Friends of the Moffat Library)