



## National Library Week

Fine Free! April 12-18. See page 3 for details.

### TEEN PROGRAMS

# THE GREAT BROWNIE BAKEOFF

Sunday, May 3. See page 6 for more details.

### FRIENDS PRESENTATION

## Flower Arranging



Celebrate spring with the Kinderhook Garden Club!  
Saturday, May 16, 4pm. See page 3.



# BIG Truck Day

Saturday, June 20 at Stuyvesant Town Hall. See page 5 for details.

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# BOOK



# REPORT

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### FROM THE DIRECTOR

## 2014 Annual Report to the Community

**W**ith another successful year on the books at Kinderhook Memorial Library, we wanted to keep you abreast of our accomplishments in 2014. Even with flat funding this past year, we were still able to offer over 300 programs, and increase both our number of registered borrowers (6.3%) and our library visits (3%)! Our Summer Reading Program had a banner year as well, with over 280 kids, teens, and adults registering. While our circulation of print materials dipped slightly, our e-book circulation increased over 49%! Those numbers speak volumes about a community that loves and uses their library, which is great news as we embarked upon a Capital Campaign for our library expansion in 2014 as well!

We are already off and running in 2015, and have many exciting summer plans, so stay tuned! As always, I welcome your in-

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### FROM THE CAMPAIGN STEERING COMMITTEE

## Building on Success

**T**hroughout this long, bracing winter, the Campaign Steering Committee has been working away along with our consultant, Matt Blumenfeld, and new assistant, Max Valle, to organize the next phase of our capital campaign.

Building on the success of our recent Friends & Family Campaign that concluded last fall, the Leadership Giving initiative will seek substantial multi-year commitments from individuals, families, businesses and others. To do this, we want to make sure that we provide donors with an opportunity to learn about every aspect of the library project before we ask them to invest. We believe that donors need to understand how a larger, modern building will enable the library to grow as Kinderhook's focal point for information transfer (whether for recreational, business or educational use), and as a vital community center and gathering place. We are looking forward

to many one-on-one and small group meetings, bringing people in for library tours, and doing all we can to demonstrate how this wonderful and complex project will have a significant positive impact.

Recently, we read an article entitled "In Praise of Libraries" that discussed how public libraries were both inspirational and aspirational, as well as being uniquely democratic institutions. The author pointed out that "people congregate in libraries in a way that they do not congregate elsewhere. Because they are not bound by narrow class or economic or cultural strictures, libraries can cater to everyone." At the Kinderhook Memorial Library the spirit of welcoming and openness is certainly evident on a daily basis, which makes us even more excited to contemplate the day when our building can fully meet community needs.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to all of our donors

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# Calendar

- 04/07** 7pm. Pajama Storytime
- 04/08** 2pm. Discoveries:  
Crayon Creations
- 04/09** 4:15pm. Discoveries:  
Comic Books & Cook-  
ies
- 04/10** 2pm. Crafternoon  
5pm. Teen Advisory  
Board  
5:30pm. Teen Movie  
Night
- 04/11** 10:30am. Learning  
About Lincoln

## National Library Week 04/12-04/18

- 04/13** 1pm. Readers' Circle
- 04/15** 11am. NLW: Coffee,  
tea and bagels
- 04/16** 4pm. Lego Club  
4pm. NLW: Cheese,  
crackers and juice
- 04/17** 10am. Coffee, tea and  
donuts
- 04/18** 2:45pm. Color for  
Residential Interiors  
6pm. Murder Mystery  
Dinner Theater
- 04/20** 7:30pm. Non-Fiction  
Book Club

- 04/24** 5pm. Teen Advisory  
Board  
5:30pm. Teen Trivia  
Night  
5:30pm. Teen Mine-  
craft

- 04/25** 4pm. Music: Jenni-  
fer Grace & Garrett  
Pough
- 04/27** 7pm. Next Page Book  
Club

- 05/02** 9am. Friends Book  
Shop Open  
4:15pm. Mother's Day  
Tea Party

- 05/03** 4:15pm. Great Brown-  
ie Bake-Off

- 05/05** 7pm. Pajama Storytime

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put. We are YOUR library, and the best way for the library to serve the community is to hear from you. If you have suggestions for books, or a talent you'd like to share in a program, let us know about it. Stop by and check out the plans for our expansion, get one-on-one assistance loading that e-book onto your tablet or e-reader, or borrow one of our 20+ museum passes and take your family on a cultural excursion. The possibilities are endless and we are proud to be at your service!

-AnnaLee Giraldo, Director

Library Transactions	2014	2013	Change
Total Circulation	54,366	57,322	-5.2%
Interlibrary Loans Received	11,079	10,894	1.7%
Interlibrary Loans Provided	7,830	7,983	-1.9%
E-Book Circulation	2,913	1,952	49.2%
Web Site Visits	14,783	15,059	-1.8%
Public Internet Sessions	7,530	6,612	13.9%

Program Attendance	2014	2013	Change
Total Program Sessions	306	302	1.3%
Adult Attendance	1,744	1,127	54.7%
Young Adult Attendance	750	565	32.7%
Children's Attendance	2,822	2,669	5.7%
Summer Program Registration	281	145	93.8%
Summer Program Attendance	1,745	1,160	50.4%

Library Collection	2014	2013	Change
Total Catalogued Books	13,846	14,338	-3.7%
Electronic Materials	9,829	5,648	74.0%
Total Holdings	26,752	24,837	7.7%

General Information	2014	2013	Change
Library Visits	59,490	55,948	6.3%
Registered Borrowers	3,027	2,938	3.0%
Total Local Public Funds	\$211,333	\$211,333	0.0%

Campaign Steering Committee,  
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thus far, and also to the following courageous individuals who have volunteered to help us in this Leadership Giving phase in the greater Kinderhook area: John Balli, Wendy Power Spielmann, Bill Better, Barry Herbold and Bruce Charbonneau. As you know, the Library also serves many patrons from Stuyvesant, and we are actively seeking additional committee members who can help us reach donors there.

Finally, while much of our campaign work will continue to occur behind the scenes, we would like to make it clear that we welcome new ideas and suggestions (and financial commitments!) throughout this campaign process. Please let us know what you think, or what you would like to see us do.

-F. James Tuttle & Marian Sole

## Focus on Financial Resources

Are you an investor or interested in finance publications to keep you up to date on the latest stock and business trends? These journals are full of great information, but subscriptions can be prohibitively expensive for an individual. Not to worry, we have many of them available at the library free of charge. So save yourself some of that hard-earned money, and visit us today! The library offers you access to the following titles:

- The Albany Business Review*
- Barron's*
- Money*
- Value Line*
- The Wall Street Journal*

# Adults

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

In 2015 we're celebrating the wide world of opportunities available through your public library. If you haven't been in your library recently, now is the time to visit and learn about all of the fantastic and unexpected things available with only your library card! Join us for:

- Coffee, tea and bagels on Wednesday, April 15 at 11am
- Cheese, crackers and juice on Thursday, April 16 at 4pm
- Coffee, tea and bagels on Friday, April 17 at 10am

To show our appreciation for our wonderful patrons, we will waive fines on all overdue items from our library that are returned to us during that week. We'll also have a chance for kids to earn a prize at a scavenger hunt created just for them. So stop by and celebrate the endless possibilities at your library!

## Color for Residential Interiors

*Saturday, April 18, 2:45pm.* Get inspired! As part of the Village of Kinderhook's Spring Home & Garden Day, join Amy Krane of Amy Krane Color at the library for a talk including over 50 examples of how and how not to use color. The talk combines both the science and art of proper color application and an exploration of the profound emotional, psychological and physiological effects that color has on us all.



## Acoustic Music with Jennifer Grace & Garrett Pough

*Saturday, April 25, 4pm.* The library is thrilled to welcome back local singer/songwriter Jennifer Grace for another acoustic music performance! Jennifer has been

singing and studying music for years. She performed at the library several times last year, and was such a success that we requested an encore. She is joined by fellow musician Garrett Pough this time around, so come for an afternoon of music and celebrate twice the local talent!

## Friends Book Shop Opening

*Saturdays, beginning May 2, 9am-1pm.* The Friends of the Library Book Shop at Feed and Seed will reopen for the season on Saturday, May 2. The shop will be completely restocked with hundreds of new and gently used books for adults and children. Each week a special collection will be highlighted and new books will be added as donations come in to the Library. The shop will be open from 9am to 1pm every Saturday through mid-October.

## Spring Clean Up Day

*Saturday, May 9, 9am-12pm.* We're all ready for spring after this seemingly endless winter. Help the library welcome the new season and warmer weather! Join us for a fun and worthwhile morning while we take care of newly emerging perennials, lift old mulch, prune winter kill, etc. Please call the library at 758-6192 to sign up.



## Debby Mayer Memoir Writing

*Saturday, May 9, 4pm.* Ready to write a memoir? Debby Mayer, author, blogger and journalist, shows us how to bring a memoir alive with techniques of fiction: dialogue, description and character development.

Ms. Mayer is the author most recently of a memoir, *Riptides & Solaces Unforeseen*. She retired as editorial director of the Publications Office at Bard College and now lives in Hudson and works as a contributing editor for *The Columbia Paper*.

## Flower Arranging Workshop

*Saturday, May 16, 4pm.* Celebrate the arrival of spring as Anne Schomaker of the Kinderhook Garden Club conducts a hands-on workshop to help us make our own beautiful fresh flower arrangements. All materials will be supplied – just bring clippers. Register by calling or visiting the library; space will be limited. Sponsored by the Friends of the Kinderhook Memorial Library. A brief General Membership Meeting will precede the workshop and refreshments will be served.

## Across the Digital Divide: iPad exploration!

*Sunday, May 17, 4pm.* Join us as we share the latest bits of iPad know-how. Come to the library for our next iPad lecture and discussion. We will review how to download library e-books to the device,

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# Calendar

- 05/08** 5pm. Teen Advisory Board  
5:30pm. Teen Craft Night
- 05/09** 9am. Friends Book Shop Open  
9am. Spring Clean Up Day  
4pm. Memoir Writing with Debby Mayer
- 05/11** 1pm. Readers' Circle
- 05/14** 4pm. Lego Club
- 05/16** 9am. Friends Book Shop Open  
4pm. Friends: Flower Arranging Workshop
- 05/17** 4pm. Digital Divide: iPad Exploration!
- 05/18** 7:30pm. Non-Fiction Book Club
- 05/22** 5pm. Teen Advisory Board  
5:30pm. Retro Game Night  
5:30pm. Teen Minecraft
- 05/23** 9am. Friends Book Shop Open
- 05/24** 4:15pm. Movie Marathon
- 05/25** 7pm. Next Page Book Club
- 05/30** 9am. Friends Book Shop Open  
4pm. Donna Whitbeck with Jewelry Making
- 06/02** 7pm. Pajama Storytime
- 06/05** 5pm. Friends Preview Sale
- 06/06** 9am. Friends Book Sale & Book Shop Open  
4pm. Author Talk with Jeanne Bogino
- 06/07** 10am. Friends Book Sale

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# Book Clubs

## Readers' Circle

- *In the Garden of Beasts* by Erik Larson  
April 13, 1pm
- The books for the May 11 and June 8 meetings will be announced at the club's upcoming meeting



## Next Page Book Club

- *The Free World* by David Bezmozgis  
April 27, 7pm
- *The Light Between Oceans* by M.L. Stedman  
May 25, 7pm
- *The Visionist* by Rachel Urquhart  
June 22, 7pm

## Non Fiction Book Club

- *A Spy Among Friends* by Ben Macintyre  
April 20, 7:30pm
- *The Bully Pulpit: Theodore Roosevelt, William Howard Taft, and the Golden Age of Journalism* by Doris Kearns Goodwin  
May 18, 7:30pm
- *The Professor and the Madman* by Simon Winchester  
June 15, 7:30pm

## Adults, cont.

focus on popular apps, and investigate the various ways the iPad can be used. If you have an iPad, please bring it to the session. If you do not have an iPad, we will have one for you to try. Space is limited and registration is required.

### Jewelry Making with Donna Whitbeck

*Saturday, May 30, 4pm.* Our beading classes have been so popular in the past, we felt it was time for more! Donna Whitbeck, local patron and crafting extraordinaire, will help participants choose from an assortment of beads and make their very own earrings. Participants will need to bring a solid colored hand towel to use as a beading mat. This class is open to individuals age 13 and up. Space is limited and registration is required.



### Author Talk with Jeanne Bogino

*Saturday, June 6, 4pm.* Local author and Director of the New Lebanon Library, Jeanne Bogino, will discuss her debut novel *Rock Angel*. Ms. Bogino, who is a regular contributor at *Library Journal* where she was named 2011's fiction reviewer of the year, will read from her novel and answer questions from the audience. Books will be available to be purchased and signed.

### One World, Many Rhythms: Tango

*Saturday, June 13, 1pm.* Join us for another journey around the world, as we reprise our popular musical series with all new acts! To kick off our second year, we welcome Diane Lachtrupp Martinez and Johnny Martinez of Tango Fusion Dance Company for a special performance, rain or shine, under a tent in the library yard. This event is made possible in part with public funds from the Decentralization Program of the New York State Council on the Arts administered through the Community Arts Grants Program by the Greene County Council on the Arts. This performance is free and open to the public. We hope you'll join us and get in the rhythm of summer!

## Family



### Murder Mystery Dinner Theater: Wedding Song

*Saturday, April 18, 6pm*

Sign up for our second annual Murder Mystery Dinner Theater at the Stuyvesant Town Hall!



When a mysterious death shakes up a wedding, everyone's a suspect. Was it the jealous best friend? The obsessed ex? The frustrated wedding planner? You're part of the action in this hilarious, exciting show, performed and produced by the library's own Teen Advisory Board. Tickets are on sale now and cost \$15 for adults and \$7 for children. Reserve quickly because space is limited! All proceeds go to the library's teen programming.

### STEM Discovery: Make Your Own Airhorn!

*Saturday, June 13, 4:00pm.* Parents: want your child to learn about physics, sound waves, and resonance by building a simple machine? Kids: want to learn how to make the most annoying sound in the world? You're in luck! Sign up for our STEM Discovery and create your own airhorn using items you can find around your house! STEM Discoveries are for kids age 10-15.

## Weekly programs for children

### Baby and Me Wednesdays, 11am

Join us for lap time with your infant or toddler. Participate in Mother Goose Rhymes, listen to stories and sing songs! Help foster a love of songs and reading at a young age.

### Preschool Storytime

Thursdays, 10:30 am

All children, but particularly those age 3 and up, are invited to join the adventure as we explore a variety of fun stories and crafts.

# Children

# Calendar

## Afternoon Discoveries

Discoveries is a program designed for school-age children in second through fifth grades to explore a variety of fascinating topics through books and activities. Space is limited and registration is required unless noted.

### ☛ Crayon Creations

*Wednesday, April 8, 2pm.* Crayons are not just for little kids! Come to this very cool program where we will learn how crayons are made, read some stories starring crayons, and do some fun activities.

### ☛ Comic Books and Cookies

*Thursday, April 9, 4:15pm.* Do you like comic books and/or graphic novels? Do you like cookies? If you answered "yes!" to both those questions, then we have a fun program for you! Join us as we talk about our favorite comic books and graphic novels (like *The Diary of a Wimpy Kid*), eat cookies, and maybe try drawing some comic book strips of our own!

## Crafternoon

*Friday, April 10, 2pm.* Whatever the weather is doing outside, inside the library we are celebrating spring! Drop in from 2-4pm and make some colorful crafts inspired by this loveliest of seasons. You can make fingerprint cherry blossom trees, butterfly bracelets, and beautiful garden pictures. Ages 4 and up.

## Learning about Lincoln

*Saturday, April 11, 10:30am.* Abraham Lincoln was born in a Kentucky log cabin and ended up living in the White House as our 16th president! Children ages 3 and up are invited to visit the library for a special interactive program presented by Lisanne Jensen. Activities will include songs about "Honest Abe" with finger play and movement, stories, a Presidential craft, and Lincoln logs to play with. This program is presented as part of the 2015 Lincoln Funeral Train event taking place in Stuyvesant on April 25. Visit [facebook.com/LincolnFuneralTrain2015](http://facebook.com/LincolnFuneralTrain2015) for more information.

## Mother's Day Tea Party

*Saturday, May 2, 4:15pm.* Bring your mom, or grandma, or aunt, or just bring all three for a special late afternoon tea party here at the library. Enjoy fancy treats and fun crafts as we celebrate the special women in our lives. Ages 3 and up.



## 4th Annual Big Truck Day

*Saturday, June 20, 11am-2pm, Stuyvesant Town Hall.* The BIG trucks are rolling back into town! Join us at Stuyvesant Town Hall for an afternoon of fun, crafts, books and big trucks. If your company uses big rigs or you own anything cool that moves and would like to donate your time and machinery to this family fun event, we would love to have you! Don't own a truck but still want to help out? Please contact the library at 758-6192!



## Every Hero Has a Story! Summer Reading Kick-Off Party

*Wednesday, June 24, 5:30pm.* This summer is going to be super awesome because this year's Summer Reading Program theme is Every Hero Has a Story! While we simply cannot wait to don our capes and celebrate the superhero that is inside us all, we also look forward to honoring some of our local heroes with special programs. Sign up begins June 20 at the library. Then join us on Wednesday, June 24 for our Summer Reading Program Kick-Off Party. Stay tuned for details about what other fun stuff we are planning for the SUPER summer.

## Pajama Storytime

*Tuesdays, April 7, May 5, June 2, 7pm.* Put on your jammies, grab a teddy bear, and join Miss Beth as we read stories, sing songs and shake our sillies out before it's time to go to bed.

## Lego Club

*Thursdays, April 16, May 14, June 11, 4pm.* Children ages 6 and up can build their best creation with the library's collection of Legos. Once you are done building, check out each other's creations and display your design at the library for all to see.

## 7th Annual Hudson Children's Book Festival

*Saturday, May 2, 10am-4pm.* Join us at the Hudson Junior and Senior High School for the largest book festival in New York State! There will be over 85 children's and young adult authors and illustrators, hundreds of books to browse, presentations and workshops. Admission is FREE! Visit [hudsonchildrensbookfestival.com](http://hudsonchildrensbookfestival.com) for more information.

- 06/08** 1pm. Readers' Circle
- 06/11** 4pm. Lego Club  
6pm. Battle of the Books Kick-Off Meeting
- 06/12** 5pm. Water Balloon Battle
- 06/13** 9am. Friends Book Shop Open  
1pm. One World, Many Rhythms: Tango  
4pm. STEM Discovery
- 06/15** 7:30pm. Non-Fiction Book Club
- 06/20** 9am. Friends Book Shop Open  
11am. Big Truck Day
- 06/22** 7pm. Next Page Book Club
- 06/24** 5:30pm. SRP Kick-Off Party



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# Teens

## Movie Night: The Rebellion Begins

*Friday, April 10, 5:30pm.* Katniss is a symbol of hope for thousands of people in the Districts, but can she handle the pressure? Come to our Teen Movie Night and join us in watching the rebels of District 13 launch their campaign against the malevolent Capitol. As always, we'll have pizza and snacks for everyone.

## Teen Trivia Night

*Friday, April 24, 5:30pm.* Can't get enough of Trivia Crack? Test your knowledge in all subject areas in our teen trivia competition. Show off your brains or come to cheer on your friends!

## The Great Brownie Bake-Off!

*Sunday, May 3, 4:15pm.* Who says that brownies are boring? Teens, bring your best brownies to our competition and see if you've got the chops to take home the grand prize: the coveted Golden Spatula! A panel of judges will choose the winners based on both taste and design. Sign up in the library, and remember to bring enough to share!

## Teen Craft Night

*Friday, May 8, 5:30pm.* Remember those popsicle stick birdhouses you used to make in elementary school? Yeah, these aren't those. We'll use our ingenuity, creativity, and a ton of popsicle sticks to create amazing sculptures and structures. Your only limit is your imagination (and the ceiling of the library).

## Retro Game Night

*Friday, May 22, 5:30pm.* We're going old school at our teen night with the greatest games

the 80s had to offer! Think Call of Duty's a challenge? Wait till you try your hand at Mega Man or Battletoads. Or stick with a classic: PacMan, Mario, or Zelda! Explore your roots and conquer the past at your library!

## Movie Marathon: Studio Ghibli

*Sunday, May 24, 4:15pm-10pm(ish).* Come by the library and join us in celebrating the amazingly artistic Hayao Miyazaki with this marathon screening of three of his movies. Miyazaki's beautiful, funny films have been loved by fans for years, so check them out whether you've seen every one or you're a newbie. Dinner will be available as well.



## Battle of the Books: We Want YOU!

*Thursday, June 11, 6pm.* If you like books AND like to compete, then consider joining the Library's Battle of the Books team! Interested teens should bring a parent to our informational kick-off meeting. All those entering grades 6-9 in the fall are eligible to participate. Battle of the Books is a Jeopardy-style trivia competition that involves teens reading eight selected books and "battling" 24 other teams from all over the Mid-Hudson Library System for the title of Champion. The Battle of the Books is a wonderful opportunity for

young people to experience the pleasure of reading great books while enjoying the challenge of an exciting team competition. The team will meet several times over the summer to discuss books, participate in some fun activities, and take part in local battles in preparation for the Regional Battle on September 12.

Here is a list of the books we'll be reading this year:

- *Catch Rider* by Jennifer H. Lyne
- *Cinder* (The Lunar Chronicles Book 1) by Marissa Meyer
- *Code of Silence* by Tim Shoemaker
- *Okay for Now* by Gary D. Schmidt
- *Picture the Dead* by Adele Griffin & Lisa Brown
- *Splendors and Glooms* by Laura Amy Schlitz
- *Unwind* by Neal Shusterman
- *Way of the Warrior* (Young Samurai Book 1) by Chris Bradford

## Water Balloon Battle

*Friday, June 12, 5pm.* Arm yourselves and prepare for a water war! The library's yard will be transformed for a time into a battlefield of water balloons! Rain or shine, dress to get soaked. This event is for kids age 10 and up. Be sure to arrive on time before all the balloons are gone!

## Minecraft Afternoons

*Fridays, April 24, May 22, 5:30pm.* Come and play Minecraft at the library once a

month during our regular Teen Nights! Bring your laptops and join our LAN to compete or work together to build something awesome and mine down to the bedrock.

## Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

Have you considered joining our Teen Advisory Board? If not, you should! As part of the group, you'll have the chance to:

- Participate in cool programs like movie marathons and game nights
- Have input into the teen book collections
- Make new friends
- Help shape the future of your library

So what are you waiting for?

Join us at 5:00pm before the following events and make a difference! (There will be no meeting on June 12).

Teen Movie Night  
April 10

Teen Trivia Night  
April 24

Teen Craft Night  
May 8

Retro Game Night  
May 22



## Friends of the Kinderhook Library See How We Grow

**T**he long-awaited arrival of spring brings a flurry of activity for the Friends. Our book shop in the Feed and Seed building will reopen on May 2, and our annual June book sale on the library lawn will be held on June 6 and 7, with a Preview Night party for Friends members on Friday evening, June 5. Please continue to drop off your book donations at the library as they are the lifeblood of our fundraising. Your generosity has enabled us to boost our treasury to a very healthy balance, as has the continued growth of our membership. These funds will enable us to continue our financial support of the library and to be in a position to make a contribution to the Capital Campaign.

Our General Membership Meeting on Saturday, May 16, will precede a Flower Arranging Workshop conducted by Anne Schomaker of the Kinderhook Garden Club (details on page 3). Looking ahead, plans are in place for our Second Annual Antiques Appraisal Day on Saturday, July 18. Details will appear in the next library newsletter.

The cold, snowy winter gave us a chance to catch up on some important business. We've updated the Friends webpage where you'll now find our 2014-2015 Annual Report. Some of us attended

Library Advocacy Day in Albany on February 23 where we were able to speak to our state legislators about the critical importance of their support for libraries. A significant step for Friends operations was to put in place a Reserve Funds Policy which will assure that, in the unlikely case that our anticipated revenue stream is interrupted or curtailed, there will be no abrupt termination of our annual contribution to the library. One portion of that contribution of which we are most proud is our funding of the library's Museum Pass Program. We hope, with the nicer weather and expanded hours in many of the venues, you will take full advantage of this important service which saved our library's patrons over \$12,000 last year. Your membership, donations and participation in the Friends makes all this possible. Thank you!

—Marie Orlando, Chair

### Save the Date!

#### Friends Preview Night

*Friday, June 5, 5-8pm*

#### Book Sale and Reading Ramble (young racers open the sale)

*Saturday, June 6, 9am-3pm*

#### Bargain Sale (by donation)

*Sunday, June 7, 10am-3pm*

### Welcome New Members

Paul Celand  
Alan Dellehunt  
Johanna Murray and Bill Camp

### Become a Friend of the Kinderhook Memorial Library

- INDIVIDUAL/FAMILY  \$25.00 ANNUALLY  
SENIOR/STUDENT  \$10.00 ANNUALLY  
BUSINESS  \$50.00 ANNUALLY

Please make your (tax deductible) check payable to Friends of the Kinderhook Memorial Library  
PO Box 54, Kinderhook, NY 12106

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#### Main Interests

- BOOK SALE  
 GROUNDS & GARDEN  
 HOSPITALITY  
 PUBLICITY  
 OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

To contact the Friends e-mail Marie Orlando, Chair, at friends@kinderhooklibrary.org or call her at 518.784.2548

# Get Your Library Card Today!

**H**aving a library card means you can have 24-hour access, 7 days a week to the collections of 66 libraries in the Mid-Hudson Library System. Just fill out this form and bring to the library with some form of identification and proof of local residency such as:

- A driver's license or photo ID
- An envelope or postcard recently mailed to your street address
- A utility bill that lists your street address

The minute you have your card in hand you have access to nearly 2.5 million items that you can request online. You also get HomeACCESS which links you to current magazine, newspaper and journal articles from your home, school, or office. HomeACCESS includes the New York State Online Virtual Electronic Library (NOVEL) databases. To use HomeACCESS, visit the library's website ([kinderhooklibrary.org](http://kinderhooklibrary.org)), click on Online Research, enter the 14-digit barcode from your library card—and you're in!

## Library Card Application

LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ MIDDLE INITIAL: \_\_\_\_\_

**PHYSICAL ADDRESS:**

ADDRESS 1: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS 2: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/TOWN: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

TOWNSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_  I PREFER TO BE CONTACTED BY EMAIL.

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