



The Garfoot Gazette

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Newsletter of the Rosemary Garfoot Public Library

GREEN TUESDAY

October 1 @ 6:30 PM

Community Rooms

The Price of Sand: a film about sand, small towns, and money - followed by a panel discussion

Please call 798-3881 to sign up

This is a special showing of a new documentary about frac sand mining in Western Wisconsin. *The Price of Sand* is an hour-long video exploring the issues and controversy surrounding frac sand mining in our area, and covers the issue both from the viewpoint of anti-mining activists and the sand mining companies. The film will be followed by a small panel discussion about various elements of frac sand mining and an opportunity to have your questions answered.

MORNING MOVIE

Thursday, October 10th @ 9:30 AM

Community Rooms - call 798-3881 to sign-up

THE SAPPHIRES

Four smart, gutsy young women become unlikely stars in the most unlikely of places with the most unlikely of allies in *THE SAPPHIRES*. Set in 1968, the film follows Gail (Deborah Mailman), Cynthia (Miranda Tapsell), Julie (Jessica Mauboy), and Kay (Shari Sebbens) as they seize a risky, but irresistible, chance to launch a professional career singing for U.S. troops in Vietnam. Under the guidance of an R&B-loving Irish musician, Dave Lovelace (Chris O'Dowd), the girls transform themselves into a sizzling soul act and set out to make a name for themselves hundreds of miles from home. Inspired by a true story, *The Sapphires* is a celebration of music, family, and self-discovery. Run time is 103 minutes. Coffee is hot at 9:00 AM!

CARPE LIBRUM BOOK CLUB

Thursday, September 26 @ 6 PM

A Tale for the Time Being by Ruth Ozeki

Join the Carpe Librum Book Discussion Group on the last Thursday of the month at 6:00 PM for moderated discussion of interesting and unforgettable books. The September selection is the UW Madison's GO BIG READ selection, *A Tale for the Time Being*, by Ruth Ozeki, a powerful story about the ways in which reading and writing connect two people who will never meet. Stop by the library for a copy of the book.

Please call 798-3881 for more information.

DATABASES AT THE LIBRARY

Need help with a car repair? For those of you who prefer the "book-in-hand" approach, your library owns a collection of Chilton repair manuals that can be checked out. If you're more of a computer person, the library offers two auto repair websites. Auto Repair Reference Center specializes in vehicles from 1945 to the present. The Chilton Library provides automotive repair information for vehicles of the last 30-50 years.

To access these databases, log into LINKcat, and click on the Databases link. Auto Repair Reference Center is listed on the SCLS System-Wide Resources page. Chilton Library can be accessed by clicking on the Locally-Subscribed Resources tab. If you need assistance, please let us know!

Cross Plains patrons also have access to the online version of Consumer Reports. This comprehensive database can be found in LINKcat by clicking on Databases and the Locally-Subscribed Resources tab. Under the Consumer Reports/Subscribing libraries heading, click on the Cross Plains link. There's even a terrific tutorial to help you make the most of this valuable website.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SUMMER READERS!



We Dug Into Reading at the Rosemary Garfoot Public Library!

It was a summer full of fun activities at the library! We had a whopping 296 young readers register for the summer library program! As always, we needed a lot of volunteers and community support to make the program a success – and for this we owe many thanks to our teen volunteers and several community businesses who donated their resources and time. Thanks to Tanos Pizza, Kalscheur Implement, Saeman Lumber, Cross Plains True Value, the Friends of the Library volunteers and Crossroads Coffeehouse. Our library practicum student Naomi Timmerman did an excellent job of making sure everything ran smoothly. Thanks as well to the capable and flexible library staff for their support and fine service.

Congratulations to our grand prize winners: Everett Peters, baby/toddler category, Kate VanGorden, preschool category, Abby Ensenberger, school-age category, Zoe Ystenes, teen category, and Beth Plovovich, adult grand prize winner. We thank all who participated in the program, congratulations to you - you are all winners!

“MUST SEE” PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT

The Cross Plains Recreation Department offered a summer photography program for middle school-aged kids. Tonya Tubbs and Jane Hoffman taught these talented young people how to create beautiful and interesting digital photographs. An exhibit of their favorite work is on show at the library through Friday, October 11th. Please take time to see this wonderful art!

Storytime News

Wigglers and Giggles - Tuesdays @ 10

For babies and toddlers. We will learn fingerplays, sing songs, read very simple books and socialize. **Join the fun and learn how to grow a reader!**

Mark the following Tuesdays on your calendar:

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/22, 10/29,
11/5, 11/12

Big Kids' Booktime - Wednesdays @ 10

Designed for preschoolers (3-6 year olds). At Storytime we sing, read stories and occasionally have a craft project, snack or a special activity based on our theme. These programs are designed for children who are ready to sit and listen to stories. **Please bring younger siblings out of the room during the storytelling portion of the program.**

Join this us fall as we explore:

Colors, Numbers and Shapes, Oh My!:

9/11: Color My World

9/18: Moody Blues

9/25: Colors we Eat

10/2: Fall Colors

10/23: Count on Me

10/30: Counting on Critters

11/6: Shaping Up

11/13: Ups and downs



Find more information on our website: www.rgpl.org and on our Facebook page and Facebook group wall.