



March 2010

Lebanon Community Library

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Lebanon, PA
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www.lclibs.org/
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Check out our blog at
lebanonlibrary
.blogspot.com

Library Hours

Mon.—Wed.
8am—8pm
Thurs.
8am—6pm
Fri.—Sat.
8am—5pm



Do you have gently used books lying around? Donate them to the library and share the joy of reading!



March Happenings...

March 4 2PM - The Thursday Afternoon Book Group will discuss *The Forger's Spell* by Edward Dolnick.

March 5 5-8PM—Lebanon Art Walk: First Friday at the Library!

March 8 12PM - Lebanon County Library System board meeting. Open to the public.

March 9 9AM - The Tuesday Morning Book Group will discuss *Beat the Reaper* by Josh Bazell. Registration is required.

March 23 6:30PM - The Tuesday Evening Book Group will discuss *Olive Kitteridge* by Elizabeth Strout.

March 26—Deadline for Write & Illustrate Entries.

March 27 10AM—2PM—Visit us at the Children's Festival at the Lebanon Valley Mall.

March 29 7:30AM—Lebanon Community Library board meeting. Open to the public.

March 31 1PM—Program: Are You Ready for Retirement? Free.

*For program information and registration, contact Michelle Hawk at 273-7624 ext. 209 or hawk@lclibs.org.

An Evening Through the Eyes of a Child

The Lebanon Library's
2010 Benefit for the
Children's Department

Saturday, April 10, 2010
6:00 PM

The Lebanon Country Club



Tickets are
\$75 per person (\$65
if purchased by
March 15) and
include dinner,
dancing, and a live
and silent auction.

Enjoy an evening of music, fun, food and festivities while benefiting the Children's Department. Recall your favorite children's literature as you browse a gallery featuring our youngest library patrons.

Please say
you'll join
us! 

2010 Write & Illustrate Your Own Book Contest!

Open to all students in grades
1-5 in Lebanon County.



Entries due
March 26
at 5PM!

One winning entry from each grade level will become a permanent part of the children's collection at the Lebanon Community Library.

Full contest rules and guidelines available at the Lebanon Community Library or www.lclibs.org/lebanon.

Book Blurbs:

The Man Who Loved Books Too Much by Allison Hoover Bartlett

The true story of John Gilkey, who was very fond of books—valuable old ones—but averse to paying for them. An interesting peek into the world of book collectors. If you read it, please remember to return it. Or else

Find this book in the library at 002.075/BAR.

Charlatan by Pope Brock

The true story of “Dr.” John Brinkley, who became fabulously wealthy providing bogus treatments to restore “vitality,” and the doctor who pursued him. A cat-and-mouse tale with a very clever and resourceful mouse. Witty and wonderfully written...and it’s not nearly as gross as one might fear.

Find this book in the library at 610.92/BRO.

Water for Elephants by Sara Gruen

If you remember when circuses were in tents, you'll enjoy this tale of life in a traveling circus during the Great Depression. Well written and a colorful cast of characters.

Find this book in the library at FIC/GRU, LP/GRU, and as a Playaway.

Half Broke Horses by Jeanette Walls

A "true life novel" from the author of *The Glass Castle*. Loosely based on the author's grandmother and her very adventuresome life.

Find this book in the library at FIC/WAL.

Death of a Witch by M C Beaton

Constable Hamish Macbeth becomes a suspect in the death of a reputed witch. One of a series set in remote seaside village in northern Scotland. If you're not familiar with the series and the inhabitants of community, try reading one of the earlier books first or try to see the BBC Hamish Macbeth series.

Find this book in the library at MYST/BEA.

The Forger's Spell by Edward Dolnick

The story of a second-rate Dutch artist who copied the styles of Vermeer and others, creating new masterpieces that fooled many prominent art critics and museums. His best customer was that connoisseur of fine art, Nazi chieftain Hermann Goering.

Find this book in the library at 759.949/DOL.

Blurbs by Victor Commisso.

Smart Start Storytimes



For children up to 2 years of age.

Mondays at 10:30AM:

Mar. 1, 8, & 15

Computer Classes Offered at Lebanon County Libraries

Classes on various computer-related topics are being offered at the Lebanon County Libraries. Contact your local library for class dates and to register. These classes are made available through the Lebanon County Library System's Job Services Program and a community impact grant from United Way of Lebanon County. Class space is limited. If classes are full, check back for future classes or put your name on the waiting list at your local library.

Class Descriptions:

Computer Keyboard and Mouse: The first class for computer beginners who have never used a computer. The class introduces students to basic keyboarding and mouse movement techniques.

Log Onto the Internet and Search: the second class for beginners. Computer Keyboard and Mouse is a prerequisite. Students navigate the library website with the teacher, then move on to other Internet navigation and end up on a site where they fill in an online application.

Get and Use a Free E-Mail Account: Having an email account is a must for job seekers. This course reviews setting up a free account, sending and receiving email, and sending attachments.

Typing a Simple Letter: introduction to Word Processing.

We are developing more classes. Check with your local library for more information or call Peggy Shirk, Job Services Coordinator at 273-7624.

Volunteers Needed: To volunteer to teach a more advanced computer class or conduct a job seeker skills workshop, please contact Anne Hall, Community Relations Coordinator at 273-7624.

March Storytimes

Public storytimes are held each Tues. at 11AM and Thurs. at 9AM in the Storytime Room.

All 3-5 year olds are welcome, and no registration is required.

Tues. Mar. 2 & Thurs. Mar. 4—Bees
Tues. Mar. 9 & Thurs. Mar. 11—Kangaroos
Tues. Mar. 16 & Thurs. Mar. 18—Dogs
Tues. Mar. 23 & Thurs. Mar. 25—Rabbits
No storytime the week of March 28th.