



May 2010

# Lebanon Community Library

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## 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!



## May Happenings...

**May 1 9am—3pm**—Annual Friends of the Library Book Sale and Chicken BBQ sandwich sale.

**May 6 2pm** - The Thursday Afternoon Book Group will discuss *Wolf Hall* by Hilary Mantel.

**May 10 12pm** - Lebanon County Library System board meeting. Open to the public.

**May 11 9am** - The Tuesday Morning Book Group will discuss *The Picture of Dorian Gray* by Oscar Wilde. Registration is required.

**May 24 7:30am**—Lebanon Community Library board meeting. Open to the public.

**May 25 6:30pm**—The Tuesday Evening Book Group will discuss *The Elegance of the Hedgehog* by Muriel Barbery.

**May 31**—Library Closed for Memorial Day.

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



## Thank you for your support!

The Annual Benefit for the Children's Department, held Saturday, April 10, raised \$36,000 for the library! Thanks to our sponsors, individual and business donors, committee members, board members, and attendees, this money will help to keep the Children's Department full of new books and materials for our youngest patrons!

The Library will be closed May 31 for Memorial Day.



## Annual Friends of the Library Book Sale

Sat. May 1 9am—3pm

Chicken BBQ sandwiches, chips, and drinks

10am while supplies last!

Proceeds will benefit the library. Chicken BBQ courtesy of Bell & Evans.

Thousands of books will be for sale on the lawn of the library.



## Summer Reading Preview!

Catch a wave and surf over to the library this summer! Everyone ages 3-12 is welcome.

Registration begins June 7!



Teens & Adults! Don't feel left out! There's a Summer Reading Program for you too! Check back next month for details!

## Book Blurbs:

### *Oprah* by Kitty Kelly

Oprah, the Queen of Mean? Oh, Kitty, say it isn't so!

Find this book in the library at B/WIN or CD/B/WIN.

### *Split Image* by Robert Parker

The latest in Parker's novels featuring police chief Jesse Stone. Love, failed relationships, and murder in rural Massachusetts. The author died earlier this year.

Find this book in the library at MYST/PAR.

### *Capitalism and the Jews* by Jerry Z. Muller

A scholarly look at the interplay between Jews, economic history, capitalism, nationalism, and socialism. Heavy reading, but rewarding.

Find this book in the library at 330.94/MUL.

### *Imperial Cruise* by James Bradley

By the author of *Flags of Our Fathers*, Bradley gives us a critical analysis of Teddy Roosevelt and the dawn of American imperialism in Asia.

Find this book in the library at 359.4/BRA.

### *Beatrice and Virgil* by Yann Martel

This one is difficult to describe. Try, if you can, to imagine an allegory of the Holocaust featuring characters that are animals. From the author of *Life of Pi*.

Find this book in the library at FIC/MAR.

### *Black Magic Sanction* by Kim Harrison

The latest in the series featuring Rachel Morgan, in which she finds herself combating other witches with lesser powers.

Find this book in the library at FIC/HAR.

### *House Rules* by Jodi Picoult

A cunning whodunit involving a teenager with Asperger's syndrome who is accused of murder.

Find this book in the library at FIC/PIC or LP/PIC.

Blurbs by Victor Commisso.

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## Smart Start Storytimes



May 3, 10, 17, & 24

Mondays at 9:30am  
(for pre-walkers birth  
to 12 months old)

Mondays at 10:30am  
(for walkers up  
to 2 years old)

## 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.

Mon. May 3 at 6 pm. "Log Onto the Internet and Search" Lebanon Community Library. 273-7624 x204

Tues., May 4 at 6 pm. "Use the Computer Keyboard and Mouse" Lebanon Community Library. 273-7624 x204

Mon. May 10 at 1 pm. "Log Onto the Internet and Search" Lebanon Community Library. 273-7624 x204

Mon. May 10 at 6 pm. "Log Onto the Internet and Search" Lebanon Community Library. 273-7624 x204

Mon. May 17 at 6 pm. "Typing a Simple Letter" Palmyra Public Library. 838-1347

Tues., May 18 at 6 pm. "Sign-up For and Use a Free E-mail Account" Lebanon Community Library. 273-7624 x 204

Mon., May 24 at 1 pm. "Use the Computer Keyboard and Mouse" Lebanon Community Library. 273-7624 x204

Mon. May 24 at 6 pm. "Use the Computer Keyboard and Mouse" Palmyra Public Library. 838-1347

Tues., May 25 at 6 pm. "Typing a Simple Letter" Lebanon Community Library. 273-7624 x204

**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.

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## May 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. May 4 & Thurs. May 6—Flowers

Regular storytimes will be on break for the summer.

Summer storytimes will be held at 10am on the following Thursdays: June 17, June 24, July 1, July 15, July 22, and July 29.

Regular storytimes will begin again the week of Sept. 12.