

# *Friends* of Seymour Library



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January 2015

Dear Friends,

Happy New Year! Our first meeting of 2015 will be held on Wednesday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at Seymour Library. We look forward to seeing our “regulars” and hope to also see some new faces!

Thirty-three new “Friends” joined in 2014, bringing our total membership to 125. Some highlights from 2014 include our first major speaker event with Kathrine Switzer, our second annual Story Tree Gallery, and a delightful holiday get together at Cosentino’s, thanks to the generosity of Jessica and Carm Cosentino.

We are pleased to report that we recently received our official status as a non-profit, which means that any donations to our organization are now tax deductible.

We thank all our “Friends” for their support during 2014 and look forward to an active and productive 2015!

Anne Mlod, President  
John Kingsley, Vice-President  
Marcia Walsh, Membership/Treasurer  
Katie Latanyshyn, Secretary

## **Welcome New Friends!**

Joyce Cavanaugh  
Toni Colella  
Corliss & Robert Hunter  
John Latanyshyn  
Kurt & Marilyn Lavin  
LuAnn Phillips  
Andrew & Elizabeth Simkin



Bench donated by the Friends  
in 2014.

Please turn over for a list of January activities at Seymour Library.  
You can also visit the library web page [www.seymourlibrary.org](http://www.seymourlibrary.org)  
for activities & information about the library.

**If your Friends membership is up for renewal in January, February or March,  
you will find a renewal form enclosed.**

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# JANUARY EVENTS

## Every Monday

*Health insurance help*, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Make an appointment with a health care navigator to sign up for health insurance through the Health Plan Marketplace, Medicaid or Child Health Plus. To make an appointment, contact Simone Hamilton at East Hill Medical, 702-7212, or shamilton@easthillmedical.com

## Every Tuesday

*Tech Help Desk*, 6 to 9 p.m. Stop in for help on technical questions on devices such as smartphones or tablets, software or computer use.

## Every Thursday

*Tech Help Desk*, 1:30 to 5 p.m. Help with technical questions; see description above.

## Every Friday in January

*Tech Help Desk*, 10 a.m. to noon. Help with technical questions; see description above.

## Friday, Jan. 2

*Cup stacking and puzzles*, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., Children's Room.

## Tuesday, Jan. 13

*Toddler Time*, 10:30 a.m.

*Preschool Storytime*, 11:30 a.m.

*Coffee and Crime book club*, noon. Topic: Christmas mysteries. All mystery readers welcome.

*Permaculture workshop*, 5:30 p.m. presented by Cayuga Grows! Registration helpful; call 253-1560 to register.

*Lego Creators Club*, 6 p.m. A Lego building club for children in kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Space limited; registration required. To sign up, visit or call the Children's Room.

## Wednesday, Jan. 14

*Toddler Time*, 11 a.m.

## Saturday, Jan. 17

*History Book Club meeting*, 11 a.m. First meeting of new book club on history-related topics; members invited to talk about their reading interests and suggest books for the coming months.

*Crochet class*, 1 p.m. Project: hat for adults. Bring 4 to 6 ounces of yarn and a medium-sized hook, I, J or K. Some knowledge of crochet needed.

*Chess Club*, 1 p.m. Learn to play chess with chess master Tom McKellop. Beginners welcome.

## Tuesday, Jan. 20

*Toddler Time*, 10:30 a.m.

*Preschool Storytime*, 11:30 a.m.

*Lego Creators Club*, 6 p.m. A Lego building club for children in kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Space limited; registration required. To sign up, visit or call the Children's Room.

## Wednesday, Jan. 21

*Toddler Time*, 11 a.m.

*Friends of Seymour Library meeting*, 6 p.m. New members welcome.

*Pajama Storytime*, 7 p.m. Songs and stories for preschool through early elementary age children.

## Tuesday, Jan. 27

*Toddler Time*, 10:30 a.m.

*Preschool Storytime*, 11:30 a.m.

## Wednesday, Jan. 28

*Toddler Time*, 11 a.m.

*Coffee and Conversation book club*, 7 p.m. Featured book: "Mr. Penumbra's 24-Hour Bookstore" by Robin Sloan. New members welcome.

## Thursday, Jan. 29

*Coffee and Conversation book club*, 10:30 a.m. Featured book: "Lila" by Marilynne Robinson. New members welcome.