

Friends of Seymour Library



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Dear Friends,

Happy April! Happy Spring (finally!) and
Happy National Library Week!

The Friends will be celebrating National Library Week, April 13th-19th, in several ways. During the week, we will be providing baked goods and beverages to library patrons. Marcia Walsh is scheduling volunteers to bake and volunteer at the refreshments table, so you may be getting a call from her!

We will be showing our appreciation for the wonderful staff at Seymour Library by giving each one a gift bag with a \$5.00 gift certificate to Riverbend Coffee.

If you drive through downtown Auburn in mid-April, you will see a large banner promoting Seymour Library. This was a gift from the Friends! We also donated two umbrellas that can be loaned to library patrons who get caught unexpectedly in one of those "April Showers."

We realize that many Friends are unable to attend monthly meetings, but we hope you will consider joining us at our Annual Meeting on May 21st at 6:00 p.m.

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

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Welcome New Friends!

- Edward & Helen Leaf
- Jane Lumb
- Roseann Schoonmaker
- Jean Schumaker
- Jane Sinclair
- Susan Sloan
- Janet Wiegand

Mark Your Calendar!

Wed. April 16th
Friends Meeting at 6:00 p.m.
followed by a slide show of the
history of
Seymour Library

Wed. May 21st
Friends Annual Meeting
6:00 p.m.
We will be showing our
appreciation for all Friends
with refreshments,
door prizes
and a short meeting.
We hope you'll join us!

Please turn over for a calendar of April library activities.

You can also visit the library web page www.seymourlibrary.org for activities & information about the library.

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If your Friends membership is up for renewal in April, May or June,
you will find a renewal form enclosed.

April at Seymour Library

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 Wednesday

Tech Help Desk, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Stop in for help on technical questions on smartphones, tablets, software or computer use.

Tuesday, April 1

Toddler Time, 10:30 a.m.

Preschool Storytime, 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, April 2

Toddler Time, 11 a.m.

"Negotiating College Entrance, Families Together," 7 p.m. A talk by Nancy Carr, director of the Disability Services Office at Onondaga Community College, with advice for parents who are transitioning high school students with disabilities to college life.

Friday, April 4

First Friday Storytime with Captain Jack the Pirate, 6 p.m. Library open until 8 p.m. with all services available.

Teen book club, 7 p.m. A new book club for 9th grade and up with a focus on young adult fiction. Featured book: "The Maze Runner" by James Dashner.

Monday, April 7

Writers' group, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, April 8

Toddler Time, 10:30 a.m. Last Toddler Time of current session; new session starts April 29.

Preschool Storytime, 11:30 a.m. Last Storytime of current session; new session starts April 29.

Coffee and Crime book club, noon. Topic: Mysteries by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

Lego Creators Club, 6 p.m. Session filled.

Be Money Smart: Mortgages and Home Equity Loans, 6 p.m.

Wednesday, April 9

Toddler Time, 11 a.m. Last Toddler Time of current session; new session starts April 30.

Women and Finances: Put Knowledge on Your Side, 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 12

Save Energy, Save Money, 10 a.m.

Learn to Crochet, 1 p.m. Learn beginning crochet techniques and work on baby blanket border.

Monday, April 14

National Library Week, refreshments courtesy of Friends of Seymour Library, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Minecraft Mania, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Children in grades 2 through 6 are invited to bring their own device and come play Minecraft with others.

Tuesday, April 15

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WCNY Mobile Learning Lab presents "Beyond Television," 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. A drop-in program from WCNY Public Television and PBS with online educational games, activities and videos for families to play and view.

Wednesday, April 16

National Library Week, refreshments courtesy of Friends of Seymour Library, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Lego Day, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Children kindergarten through grade 6 are invited to drop in and build with Legos.

Friends of Seymour Library meeting, 6 p.m.

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

Seymour Library: A History, 7 p.m.

Thursday, April 17

National Library Week, refreshments courtesy of Friends of Seymour Library, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Rubber band crafts, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Children kindergarten through grade 6 are invited to drop in and make rubber band jewelry and creations.

Friday, April 18

National Library Week, refreshments courtesy of Friends of Seymour Library, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Cup stacking and board games for children, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Monday, April 21

Restore Family Photographs with Photoshop, 5 p.m., History Room.

Wednesday, April 23

Restore Family Photographs with Photoshop, 2 p.m., History Room.

Coffee and Conversation book club, 7 p.m. Featured book: "Traveling with Pomegranates" by Sue Monk Kidd.

Thursday, April 24

Restore Family Photographs with Photoshop, 10:30 a.m., History Room.

Author visit with Marlies Adams DiFante, author of "Queen of the Bremen," 1 p.m.

Saturday, April 26

Learn to Crochet, 1 p.m. Learn beginning crochet techniques and work on a crochet flower.

Tuesday, April 29

Toddler Time, 10:30 a.m.

Preschool Storytime, 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, April 30

Toddler Time, 11 a.m.

Library hours

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday:
10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Thursday and Friday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Saturday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

History Room open 3 to 7 p.m. Monday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday