

Newsletter of the Cuba Circulating Library
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Thoughts From Tina...

By Tina Dalton, Director

The **Page Turners** will meet on Wed. June 12 at 1:30 p.m., when they will discuss *Bossypants* by Tina Fey.

The main **book display** for this month is "Pride Month", with titles relating to the LGBTQA+ community.



We had several programs during the month of May, including the always popular **Watercolor Painting** classes with Lisa Robinson, a six week **sign language class**, which has also proved to be very popular, and our monthly book discussion, **Books & Brews**, which met at The Old Grey Hound on May 23, and has a very dedicated group attending each month.

We also had a program on **Knowing Your History**, dealing with DNA & genealogy on May 20, and the Annual Friends of the Cuba Library **Spring Tea** was held on May 15 with local author Ann McCauley as the special guest speaker.



We also ran a "passive program" for **Star Wars day** (May the 4th be with you!). This was a guessing game sponsored by ProBricks. I filled a Mason jar with Legos from a Star Wars kit they donated, and patrons had the opportunity to guess how many Legos were in the

jar. We also ran it on Facebook to encourage even more participation, and the contest was very popular.



Upcoming Programs:

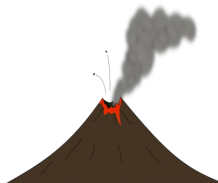
- June 15 @ 10am - 2pm ~ Unclaimed Funds Searching
- June 15 @ 10am - 2 pm ~ library booth at Genesee Parkway
- June 17 @ 6:30pm ~ Her Mother's Laugh*
- June 20 @ 6pm ~ Leaf Casting *
- June 22 @ 1pm ~ Pouch Weaving*
- June 25 @ 6:30pm ~ Cut the Cable
- June 27 @ 6pm ~ Books & Brews*

Chat With Cherilyn...

By Cherilyn Wise, Youth Services Coordinator



May marked the end of the storytime year until classes resume in the fall. **Humpty Dumpty** looked at the letters Q, V, X, Y, and Z. For 'V', we made a volcano model erupt and talked a little about the chemical reaction between baking soda and vinegar. For 'X', I brought in a set of X-Rays borrowed from Literacy West and the kids worked together to guess what part of the body each x-ray was from as well as putting together the whole set into one human. We also made the volcano model erupt with the **Lap Sit** group. Their activities throughout the month were similar to the Humpty Dumpty group. **After School** group looked at the water cycle, volcanoes, and x-rays more



thoroughly. For all of the groups, we made homemade ice cream in Ziploc bags as an End of the Year celebration. Everyone enjoyed it, although I'm sure some parents did more of the Ziploc shaking than their children.

Tweens had **STEAM** club this month. They did the modified egg drop similar to the after school group last month but we had time to perform the experiment twice with room for changes to their hypotheses. For Tween **Cooking Club**, we made ice cream in Ziploc bags. Teens and Tweens had a **Yoga Class** as well.



Courtney Lasher's **BOCES** class visited once. We read two books and sang some favorite songs. **Head Start** visited with their class as well. Mrs. Klotz's morning and afternoon **pre-k** classes came once; we did volcanoes

also because they're fun! Janet and I attended a luncheon at BOCES recognizing the students from Elm Street who have been volunteering at the library for the last few months. The student with whom I have worked most closely said that the brief speech I gave made her cry. Hopefully that program is something we can continue to be a part of over the next academic year. Tina and I attended **ACCORD's** open house/grand opening for their new space on Main Street.

On a professional level, I attended a system field trip to Hammondsport library, which was a great opportunity to meet more staff members in system libraries as well as see what other libraries are doing with their children and youth spaces. I also attended the CPR/First Aid Class, which is a useful certification to have when working with children.



New Books

FICTION

Mary Kay Andrews, Sunset Beach

Sarah Blake, The Guest Book

Robyn Carr, The View From Alameda Island

Jennifer Chiaverini, Resistance Women

Jeffery Deaver, The Never Game

Robert Dugoni, The Eighth Sister

Janet Evanovich, The Big Kahuna

Richard Paul Evans, The Road Home

Alice Feeney, I Know Who You Are

Agnete Friis, The Summer of Ellen

Heather Graham, The Summoning

Elly Griffiths, The Stone Circle

Jenny Hale, The Summer House

Thomas Harris, Cari Mora

Sally Hepworth, The Mother-in-Law

Helen Hoang, The Bride Test

Ma Jian, China Dream

Dean Koontz, The Night Window

Christina Lauren, The Unhoneymooners

Casey, McQuiston, Red, White & Royal Blue

Fern Michaels, Far and Away

Katherine Page, The Body in the Wake

Amanda Quick, Tightrope

Joanne Ramos, The Farm

Steven Rowley, The Editor

Danielle Steel, Blessing in Disguise

Erika Swyler, Light From Other Stars

Patrick Taylor, Irish Country series

Bev Thomas, A Good Enough Mother

Miriam Toews, Women Talking

Alison Weir, Anna of Kleve

Kate White, Such a Perfect Wife

PAPERBACK FICTION

Valerie Bowman, No Other Duke But You

Susan Mallery, Secrets of the Tulip Sisters

Sheila Roberts, The Summer Retreat

Mariah Stewart, Sugarhouse Blues

Denise Swanson, Leave No Scone Unturned

Denise Swanson, Tart of Darkness

GRAPHIC NOVELS

Blue Delliquanti, Meal

AUDIOBOOKS

Mary Kay Andrews, Sunset Beach

Janet Evanovich, The Big Kahuna

Dean Koontz, The Night Window

Heather Morris, The Tattooist of Auschwitz

Taylor Jenkins Reid, Daisy Jones & the Six

LARGE PRINT

An Amish Homecoming

Stephanie Barron, That Churchill Woman

Lee Child, Past Tense

Kristy Woodson Harvey, The Secret to Southern Charm

Robert Hillman, Bookshop of the Broken Hearted

J.A. Jance, The A List

John Lescroart, The Rule of Law

Beverly Lewis, The Tinderbox

Kristyn Lewis, Half of What You Hear

J.R. Ripley, Die, Die Birdie

J.D. Robb, Connections in Death

NONFICTION

Fredrik Backman, Things My Son Needs to Know About the World

Carol Berkin, Revisiting the Founding Era

Wendell Berry, The Art of Loading Brush

Karamo Brown, Karamo

Casey Cep, Furious Hours

Joan Chittister, The Time is Now

John Connell, The Farmer's Son

Chris Crowley, The Younger

Next Year Back Book

Ani DiFranco, No Walls & the Recurring Dream

Oak Duke, Whitetail Bowhunting

Lori Gottlieb, Maybe You Should Talk to Someone

Jayson Greene, Once More We Saw Stars

Clint Harp, Handcrafted

David McCullough, The Pioneers

Susan Page, The Matriarch: Barbara Bush

Ruth Reichl, Save Me the Plums

Washington Post, The Mueller Report

Memorials For May.

For **John O. Culbert, Jr.** by Mark & Julia Andrezejcsak, for **John E. Doyle** by Michael & Marjanne Kunz, for **Anita Nunamaker** by Cynthia Dutton, Janet Rhodes, Nancy Robinson, the Congdon Family, Mary & Bill Swift, Kathy & Tom Burt, Kay & John Adams, L. Chandler Whitford, for **Alexander Radloff** by Mom, and for **Donald White** by Judy Enders.

The library also received a gift from Alice DeNormandie.

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