

The Monticello Public Library News

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Seeing Red

The Library is all a-twitter with the display case full of beautiful red cardinals. Shirley Kummer has brought part of her collection of cardinals to add some color to our dreary February days. Shirley has been collecting these colorful birds for years, with family and friends adding to the collection each Christmas and birthday.

There are 43 cardinals represented on the display case shelves. Many are stand alone figurines, but they also grace plates, candle holders, bird houses, a lovely large pitcher, and a picture frame, as well as a snow globe and a small snow-covered tree.. One of the bird houses is actually a music box.

Shirley is a wonderful woman . Besides collecting cardinals she keeps our Library sparkling clean, volunteers @ the Green Cares food pantry, babysits her beautiful granddaughter, and along with her husband John makes wonderful applesauce for the Washington Church's annual Ham Supper.

Thank you Shirley for making the month of February a little brighter for those of us visiting the Library, and for making every day brighter through your helpfulness to our community.



Chick Flicks

Speaking of making February brighter, Chick

Flicks are back! Thanks to a suggestion made by Cathy Fink several years ago, we started showing movies for women on Monday evenings in February. It has been a hit from the start.

Women get together with friends and neighbors to watch, laugh and occasionally shed a tear while munching on popcorn and something chocolate. What a lovely way to chase away the winter doldrums.

This year we started with a much requested movie, JULIE & JULIA. All sixteen women enjoyed the show.

Coming up are AMELIA on February 8th, THE TIME TRAVELER'S WIFE on February 15th, and lastly COCO BEFORE CHANEL on February 22nd. All shows start at 6:30 and there are always snacks! Join us and bring a friend! When February is over Chick Flicks will be gone for another year.

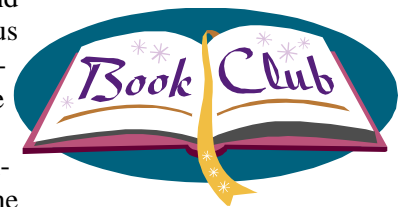
All movies shown @ the Library are sponsored by the Friends of the Monticello Public Library

Friends Membership Drive

The friends of the Monticello Public library are holding their annual membership drive. If you would like to join a group of wonderful people and help support this Library, now is the time to act. If you have been a member in the past, now is the time to renew your membership.

Yearly memberships cost just \$5 per person or \$10 per family. Lifetime memberships are also available for \$50 per person or \$100 per household. You can renew your membership @ the

Library and when you do you can enter a drawing for \$25 Monticello Money. The Friends of the Library do fund-raising throughout the year and help the library in many ways, including purchasing a movie license, funding some of our children's programs, and buying equipment and furnishings such as the display case, DVD racks, dies for our die cut machine, etc. You can be a part of this, too. Just come to the Library, sign up to be a friend, and pay your membership fee.



We had a wonderful time last month discussing LITTLE EARTH QUAKES by Jennifer Weiner. The book, which was about a group of women becoming new mothers inspired several stories of our own experiences with motherhood.

This month we are reading THE MIRACLE LIFE OF EDGAR MINT by Brady Udall. The discussion will be held @ the Library; Wednesday evening February 17th at 7:30. Carolyn Seaver will be leading the discussion and providing the snacks. Books are available @ the Library. We are always happy to see new faces.

New DVDs

New DVDs purchased are Jennifer's Body; Bell, Book & Candle; Anatomy of a Murder; You Can't Take It With You; Florence Nightingale; Monty Python's And Now For Something Completely Different; Sweet Hearts Dance; These Old Broads; United States of Tara; Glee: Season One; Paranormal Activity; A Perfect Getaway; 9; The Lucy Show: Season 1; I Love Lucy: Seasons 1 & 2; Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs; The Final Destination in 3D; Backyardigans Join the Adventure Club; Playtime with Max & Ruby; We Love Our Friends; Sing Along With Barbie; Ten Things I Hate About You; The Hurt Locker; The Transformers: Season 2 V.2; The Burning Plain; Brothers Bloom; Mist; Bugs Bunny's Cupid Capers; 3 Ways To Get a Husband; Seal Team; I Can Do Bad All By Myself; The Spectacular Spiderman, V.5; Then Simpsons: Season 20; The Philanthropist: The Complete Series; Damages: Season 2; The Three Stooges Collection, V.7; Brothers at War; Moon, Clifford the Big Red Dog; Fame; Chatterford: Seasons 1 & 2; The Big Night; Lark Rise to Candleford: Season 1; Return to Cranford; Law & Order: Season 7; Weeds: Season 5; Whiteout; The Invention of Lying; Gamer; Surrogates; Michael Jackson's This is It; Whip It; Spongebob Squarepants Viking Sized Adventure; Diego-Lion Cub Rescue; According to Greta; Saw VI; I Hope They Serve Beer in Hell; Little Ashes; Bright Star; Love Happens; Zombieland; Amelia.

New Adult Books

You on a Diet by Michael Roizen; Sizzle by Julie Garwood; The Longing by Beverly Lewis; When the Morning Comes by

Cindy Woodsmall; When the Heart Cries by Cindy Woodsmall; Twisted Creek by Julie Thoman; The Outsider by Ann Gabhart; Reader's Digest Illustrated Complete Book of Herbs; Deeper Than Dead by Tami Hoag; Fired Up by Jayne Ann Krentz; Normal Rockwell Behind the Camera by Ron Schick; Pioneer Woman Cooks by Ree Drummond; Bone Worsjip by Elizabeth Eslami; Iron River by T. Jefferson Parker; Noah's Compass by Anne Tyler; Not My Daughter by Barbara Delinsky; The Ultimate Book of Sports Movies by Ray Didinger; Whisper to the Living by Stuart Kaminsky; Conservatories, Sunrooms & Garden Rooms by Diana Yakeley; Canning & Preserving For Dummies by Amelia Jeanry; Acrylic Painting Step-By-Step by Wendy Jelbert; The Man You'll Marry by Debbie Macomber; Cocktail Time by Sandra Lee; Home Sweet Sewn by Alice Butcher; Complete Guide to Upholstery by Cherry Dobson; Becoming Jane Eyre by Shelia Kohler; Cleaving by Julie Powell; Crawspace by Sarah Graves; Days of Gold by Jude Devereaux; Remarkable Creatures by Tracy Chevalier; Saving Cee Cee Honeycutt by Beth Hoffman; True Confections by Katherine Weber; Unfinished Desires by Gail Godwin; Betrayal of Blood Lily by Lauren Willig; Bloodroot by Amy Greene; Death of a Valentine by M.C. Beaton; Divine Misdemeanors by Laurell Hamilton; No Mercy by Lori Armstrong; Privileges by Jonathan Dee; Save Big, Cut Your Top 5 Costs by Elizabeth Kostova; Talented Miss Highsmith by Joan Shenkar; Tattooed Lady by Amelia Osterud; Thereby Hands a Tail by Spencer Quinn; Unbearable Lightness of Scones by Alexander McCall Smith; Where

the God of Love Hangs Out by Amy Bloom; First Rule by Robert Crais; Ten Mile Trials by Elizabeth Gunn; Thirteenth Hour by Richard Doetsch; Kisser by Stuart Woods; Lullaby by Claire Seeber; Merry Wives of Maggody by Joan Hess; Silencer by James W. Hall; Wild Child by T.C. Boyle; Taste of Home's Mom's Best Made Easy; Alison's Journey; The Quilters Daughter; The Storekeeper's Daughter, Going Home; On Her Way; A Sister's Secret and the Bishop's Daughter by Wanda Brunstetter.

New Juvenile Books

Shadowland by Alyson Noel; City of Ashes, City of Bones & City of Glass by Cassandra Clare; Pick a Pumpkin Mrs. Miller by Judy Cox; Groundhog Weather School by Joan Holub; All of Me by Molly Bangs; Cars by Robert Crowther; Cat Dreams by Ursula Le Guin; Cezanne & the Apple Boy by Laurence Anholt; Snow White by Jane Ray; Story of Snow by Mark Cassino; Fallen by Lauren Kate; Secret Year by Jennifer Hubbard; I am a Backhoe by Anna Hines; Out of the Blue by S.L. Rottman.

New Audio Books

Swan Thieves by Elizabeth Kostova; Deeper than the Dead by Tami Hoag; Even Money by Dick rancis; Cleaving by Julie Powell; Separate Country by Robert Hicks; Lost Art of Gratitude & La's Orchestra Saves the World by Alexander McCall Smith; Hollywood Moon by Joseph Wambaugh; Saving Cee Cee Honeycutt by Beth Hoffman; Where the God of Love Hangs Out by Amy Bloom; Ice by Linda Howard; Gate at the Stairs by Lorrie Moore; Texas! Chases by Sandra Brown; Too Much Happiness by Alice Munro; Last Light Over Carolina by Mary Alice

MonroeMcLaughlin; Rogue of My Own by Johanna Lindsey; Wolf at the Door by Jack Higgins; Change in Altitude by Anita Shreve; Remarkable reatures by Tracy Chevalier.

New CDs

Now: Love; Michael Jackson's This is It; 2010 Grammy Nominees