

DPL'S NEWS & NOTES
DELTA PUBLIC LIBRARY
NOVEMBER 2009

**EVERYONE 'S INVITED TO THE
FRIENDS of the LIBRARY 20th ANNUAL FUNDRAISER**

Chinese Auction & Luncheon - November 19, 2009

It's time for the Friends of the Library's 20th annual Chinese Auction and Salad Luncheon, November 19, 2009. This year the event will be held at Delta Banquet Center, 6800 Industrial Drive, just east of Delta off Airport Hwy. Doors will open for ticket sales at 9:30 AM.

The Salad Luncheon Buffet tables will be filled to overflowing with a wide variety of delicious salads and sweet breads. Lunch will begin at 11:00 AM. You can dine in or get a carry out box if you need to get back to work. A "Freewill Offering" will be taken for the cost of lunch.

The Chinese Auction will start promptly at 1:00 PM. Tables will be loaded with baskets of handmade crafts, homemade treats, new and gently used items. Tickets are only 20 cents a piece and will be available for purchase that morning from 9:30 AM to 1:00 PM. The auction is more like a raffle so if you are unable to stay for that portion of the day, you can still participate as you need not be present to win. We'll call you if you are a winner!

Invite your friends, family and co-workers to this great day of fun, food, fellowship and fundraising. All proceeds go to support the Summer Reading Programs through the Friends of the Library.

It is one of Delta's best annual events - just ask anyone who has ever attended - so don't miss out! And, please consider becoming a Friend of the Library! Applications for membership are always available at the Library's main circulation desk.

NOTE TO DONORS: You can begin bringing in items for the auction to the library unless of course it is a perishable item. Perishable items such as food or flower arrangements should be brought in to the Banquet Center either Wednesday evening after 5:30 PM or between 8:30-9:30 AM Thursday morning. All food items for luncheon need to be brought in the day of the luncheon.

THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED
NOV. 25TH & 26TH

Fall Planting for Spring Garden

We are still looking for spring bulbs and summer perennials so that next year our Library garden will have daffodils, tulips and all sorts of flowers blooming all the time. Contact Director Patricia Grover if you would like to donate bulbs or plants at 419-822-3138.

Weight Watchers Meeting Continue

Weight Watchers meetings continue at the library on Monday evenings at 5:30 pm. A new 12 week session will begin November 16th. There will be no meeting November 2nd. Our group has been very successful in losing weight and in having a good time doing it! For further information, call Patricia Grover at 419-822-3138.

Friends needed

The Friends of the Delta Public Library are in need of new or renewing members. The Friends have been an important part of the Delta Public Library's support system for 23 years. The group was organized in 1986 to help raise funds for expenses incurred with the addition of the children's area, as well as to provide support for library levies and extra programming items the library cannot afford.

This year the Friends celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Chinese Auction and Salad Luncheon. Much help is needed in organizing and setting up for the event. If you can help solicit salads by phone or call on local businesses for donations for the auction or put together the themed baskets, please contact Sandy Graham 419-822-3099 or Kelly Culler 419-822-4622, Candy Baird or Patricia Grover here at the Library 419-822-3110. You never can have too many Friends!

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION

The Necklace: Thirteen Women and the Experiment That Transformed Their Lives
by Cheryl Jarvis

In Ventura, California, Jonell McLain saw a diamond necklace in a local jewelry store display window. The necklace aroused desire first, then provocative questions: Why are personal luxuries so plentiful yet accessible to so few? What if we shared what we desired? Several weeks, dozens of phone calls, and a leap of faith later, Jonell bought the necklace with twelve other women, with the goal of sharing it. (From book jacket)

This book will be discussed at the Delta Public Library on Monday, November 30, at 7:00 PM in the Library's Activity Room. Copies available in both regular and large print as well as audiobook. For those unable to attend the book discussion, you are welcome to leave a written comment at the library's main circulation desk or e-mail them to bairdca@oplin.org with the message BOOK DISCUSSION.

Upcoming:

December 21: *The Shack* by William Young

Pumpkin Pie Ice Cream
Makes about 1 litre

Ingredients

- 2 cups whipping cream (35%)
- 1 cup whole milk
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 1/2 tsp ground cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp nutmeg
- 1/2 tsp ground ginger
- 1/2 tsp ground cloves
- 1/2 tsp ground allspice
- 1/8 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp vanilla
- 1 cup pumpkin puree



Instructions

1. Gently heat the cream, milk, sugar, spices and salt over medium heat until the sugar has dissolved and bubbles form around the edge of the pan.
 2. Stir warm cream into the pumpkin along with the vanilla.
 3. Chill the mixture in the refrigerator until cold.
- Freeze in an ice cream maker according to manufacturer's instructions.

From: <http://christiescorner.com/2009/10/28/pumpkin-pie-ice-cream/>

Teen and Tween Nook News

Around the world @ your library has taken us to several locations! This month, we are going to travel to China. We will be trying three new foods from China.

We will be watching the anime film *Sasami*. Here is a brief description:

A spinoff of the hit, Tenchi Muyo! Sasami has an amazing secret: Magic courses through her veins! But the spunky fifth-grader is not alone, for all over the world girls and boys are awakening to their powers. Under the guise of the Cooking Club and with the guidance of Miss Washu, Sasami and her friends will learn to harness their newfound abilities and come to depend upon one another through thick and thin. From homeroom to the highest mountains of far distant realms, their journey will be one taken hand in hand. Welcome to the Magical Girls Club, where strange spells and the mysteries of the unseen are everyday things...and friendship is the most wonderful gift of all!

On November 19th @ 4:00 PM, we will be watching the movie *Up!* Make sure you bring your friends!

Check the calendar for more Teen activities for November.

CHILDREN'S NEWS

DIAL-A-STORY

Dial 419-822-5200 anytime of the day or night to listen to a folktale, short story, fairy tale or myth.

Nov. 2: *COYOTE & THE WOODPECKER* (The vain coyote family try to get even with the Woodpecker family at great pain to the coyotes.)

Nov. 9: *MR. & MRS. VINEGAR* (Some foolish swaps leave Mr. Vinegar with nothing but a nagging wife.)

Nov. 16: *OLD MAN RABBIT'S THANKSGIVING* (Sharing is another aspect of Thanksgiving.)

Nov. 23: *THANKSGIVING* (Learn about this special holiday)

Nov. 30: *PIED PIPER* (A town learns too late that a piper should be paid for his talents.)

STORYTIME CONTINUES

Storytime for 4-5 year olds continues on November 3 and November 10 at 10:00 AM. The themes are "All Around the Castle" and "Rascally Raccoons."

TODDLER TALES

Toddler Tales are programs for children age 2-3 and their parents or caregivers. Program will last approximately 30 minutes and provide stories, songs, puppet shows and crafts to encourage toddlers to begin regular visits to the library. The fall session begins on Tuesday, November 17 at 10:00 AM and runs for four weeks. Please check with Miss Marj to see if seats are still available. The themes are:

Nov. 17: Hop, Jump, Bounce & Wiggle

Nov. 24: Tommy Turkey

Dec. 1: Music Music Music

Dec. 8: Animals' Merry Christmas

SCARECROW CRAFT

Children are invited to register for an after-school craft program which will be held on Tuesday, November 17, at 4:00 PM. Denise Eppard will show you how to scare the crows away by making your own scarecrow puppet, based on the book *Scarecrow Pete* by Mark Moulton. (Children must be able to cut around outlines with scissors.)