

PULTENEY FREE LIBRARY

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FALL-WINTER 2017 NEWSLETTER

Message from the Director

Fall has arrived and there is a lot going on at the Library. Sue Morris has retired as Library Assistant and I know everyone will miss her in the Library. Jayne Peaslee is now our Library Assistant. We have started a toddler – pre-school story hour called the Teddy Bear Club on Thursday mornings at 10:30. Kids can bring their teddy bear or favorite stuffed animal and share songs, stories, games, and enjoy a picnic.

We have been very fortunate to receive funding from the Fred & Harriet Taylor Foundation to help with operating expenses. We have also received a grant from the Community Foundation of Elmira-Corning and the Finger Lakes Keuka Area Fund. This money will be used to purchase a new table and non-tippy chairs for the children's area. Also, we will be adding Hokki chairs throughout the Library. Thank you to these donors and all the donors who made our adult Summer Reading Program and our Pasta Dinner raffles possible.

November 11 at 11:00 will be our Annual Meeting. Please join us as we thank our volunteers and look at our year in review. We will also have updates on our fundraising for the new build-



PROPOSED NEW LIBRARY

SPECIAL EVENTS:

PLEASE JOIN US! AT THE LIBRARY'S ANNUAL MEETING

The Trustees of the Pulteney Free Library invite you, your family and neighbors and friends to attend the Library's Annual Meeting. The meeting will be on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11th at 11:00 AM, in the Town Hall Meeting Room.

The Annual Meeting will begin with a slide show of our year in review. You will have a chance to hear about the upcoming plans for the Pulteney Free Library Building project, meet the Trustees and Building Team Members. We will honor staff and volunteers, and give special recognition to some of our very active friends from the community. Trustee elections will also be held. After the business is completed, the Celebration will continue with coffee and treats.

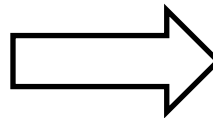
SAVE THE DATE: SATURDAY —NOVEMBER 11TH

Super Support!

As always, we had a wonderful turnout at our spaghetti dinner. 99 smiling faces were served and many raffle tickets were sold. Several local businesses donated their wears and local wineries and breweries provided drinks for dinner. It was such a hit that we were asked to make it a monthly event! I think we will stick to twice a year for now, so be looking for our next dinner in the spring.

We have had some successful events happening. A generous donor agreed to provide up to \$20,000 in matched funding for our first capital campaign, we received several donations for specific areas of the library, preparation for our 414 proposition to be put on the ballot was completed and we participated in a Hammondsport Chamber of Commerce After Hours event at Keuka Brewing. Barb organized art nights, crocheting classes, the summer reading program, and many other great services for the patrons. Your support contributes to the ongoing success and availability of these services. The Pulteney Free Library is such an integral part of our town center and an overall community asset.

PLEASE
TAKE
NOTE OF
THIS NEW



Teddy Bear Club

Bring your little ones for a morning filled with stories, music, fingerplays, & lot of fun.

Thursdays – 10:30 am

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Sat. December 9th - 9 am to 11 am at the Pulteney Fire Hall
Breakfast Menu: Breakfast Pizzas with scrambled eggs & Sausage, Fruit, juice, hot cocoa & coffee.
Admission— Donation of one non-perishable item (canned or paper goods) per person, to be given to the food pantry.
Come & have your picture taken with Santa.

This event is being held in conjunction with the Pulteney Firemen's Auxiliary.

PRIZES FOR THE PULTENEY FREE LIBRARY ADULT SUMMER READING PROGRAM - 2017

- **Tote Bag from the Pulteney Free Library filled with books from Southern Tier Library System –
Betty Williams - Kathy Wheat**
- **Keuka Mist Glass Studio – Maple leaf pendant – Jeanne Madden
Pendant – Ellen French**
- **Curtiss Museum – Tina Rice - Dave McConnell**
- **Pottery from Havill Pottery – Kamala Schuck**
- **Morgan Marine – Gift certificate – Denise Smith**
- **Lakeside Restaurant - Gift certificate – Nancy Snyder**
- **Wise Guys Pizzeria & Subs – Gift Certificate – Lyle Cornell**
- **Browsers - Gift Certificate – Jennifer Mortone**
- **Sommerville Pottery – Mixing bowl – Theresa Keeseey**
- **Ray Poehlein – Cat cutting board – Harriet Bennitt**
- **Just Plain Jane (Jane Hill) – quilted item – Jane McConnell**
- **Park Pharmacy- Sweatshirt – Sally Westbrook**
- **Sue Morris – Tote bag – Betty Williams**
- **Rita Finley – Door stop – Suzanne Connelly**
- **Cinnamon Stick – Pot holder – Marian Erway**
- **Welch’s – Gift certificate – Nancy Bach**
- **Dunkin Donuts – Gift certificate – Carol McGill**
- **Pulteney Fire Department Breakfast – Marian Erway, Nancy Bach, Jane McConnell, Hope Cook,**
- **Jackie Hamilton, Shirley Griffin, Barb Galliford, John Weston**

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR SPONSORS AND LET THEM KNOW YOU APPRECIATE THEIR SUPPORT OF THE LIBRARY.

THANKS TO ALL OF THE ABOVE PARTICIPANTS, DONERS AND THE HARRIET TAYLOR FOUNDATION FOR THE SUCCESS OF THIS PROGRAM. PLEASE JOIN US AGAIN NEXT SUMMER. HAVE FUN READING AND PLACING YOUR NAME IN THE DRAWING FOR A CHANCE AT WINNING A PRIZE.

JOIN THE PULTENEY FREE LIBRARY

Whether you are a permanent or a seasonal resident of the community, please contribute to the Library Association and support the cultural and educational services we offer. Please complete the form below and return to the library, or mail to:

Pulteney Free Library PO Box 215 Pulteney, NY 14874-0215

Enclosed is my tax-deductible contribution, payable to the Pulteney Free Library.
() \$5.00 () \$10.00 () \$25.00 () Other \$ _____

I have checked those activities in which I would like to help:

<input type="checkbox"/> Book Sale	<input type="checkbox"/> Programming Events	Comments: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Special Library Projects	<input type="checkbox"/> Fund-raising	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Trusteeship	<input type="checkbox"/> Other volunteer work	_____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____ (Fall/Winter 2017)

CHECK [] YES— IF YOU WISH TO RECEIVE FUTURE NEWSLETTERS VIA EMAIL

NEW BOOKS

Fairytale – Danielle Steel
 Sleeping Beauties – Stephen King
Don't Let Go – Harlan Coben
 Origin – Dan Brown
 Celebrate the Season 2017 – Better Homes & Gardens
 Taste of Home Holidays & Celebrations
 A Column of Fire – Ken Follett
 Enigma – Catherine Coulter
 Haunted – James Patterson
 The Right Time – Danielle Steel
 Proof of Life – J.A. Jance
 Need to Know – Fern Michaels
 Charlatans – Robin Cook
 Y is for Yesterday – Sue Grafton
 The Store – James Patterson
 Seeing Red – Sandra Brown
 Barely Legal – Stuart Woods

BUY A BESTSELLER:

Glass Houses – Louise Penny -
 The Witches' Tree – M.C. Beaton – Purchased by Carol McGill
 To Be Where You Are – Jan Karon – Purchased by Jayne Peaslee
 Secrets in Death – J.D. Robb - Purchased by Carol McGill
 Holly & Ivy – Fern Michaels - Purchased by Ellen French
 Ghost on the Case – Carolyn Hart – Purchased by Tina Rice
 Merry & Bright – Debbie Macomber - Purchased by Ellen French
 Any Dream Will Do – Debbie Macomber - Purchased by Ellen French
 The Proving – Beverly Lewis – Purchased by Donna Colvin
 Texas Fierce – Janet Dailey - Purchased by Ellen French
 Wired – Julie Garwood - Purchased by Ellen French

LARGE PRINT

Sleeping Beauties – Stephen King
 To Be Where You Are – Jan Karon
 The Romanov Ransom – Clive Cussler
 Charlatans – Robin Cook
 Y is for Yesterday – Sue Grafton
 Exposed – Lisa Scottoline
 Starlight on Willow Lake – Susan Wiggs
Talk – Michael Smerconish

Enigma – Catherine Coulter
Robert B. Parker's The Hangman's Sonnet – Reed Coleman
 Bertie Plays the Blues – Alexander McCall Smith
 The Purity of Vengeance = Jussi Adler -Olsen
 A Spear of Summer Grass – Deanna Raybroun
 The Marrying Season – Linda Lael Miller
How I Came to Sparkle – Kaya McLaren
The Look of Love – Belia Andre

CALENDAR OF LIBRARY EVENTS

November 9 – 7:00 – Food for Thought Book Club – Author – Lydia J. Washburn
 November 11 – 11:00 – Pulteney Free Library Annual meeting
 November 17 – 7:00 - 9:00 – Art Night
 December 1 & 15 - 7:00 - 9:00 – Art Night
 December 9 – 9:00 – 11:00 - Breakfast with Santa – Pulteney Fire Hall
 December 14- 7:00 – Food for Thought Book Club
 December 16 – 11:00 - Crocheting

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In Memory of Norma Graner – Given by: Alise Irwin
Tom & Carole Smith
Bonnie Weber
In Memory of Thelma Peek– Given by: Allison Rice
Sam & Judy DeSalvo
HONORARIUMS:
In Honor of Alise Irwin – Given by Bonnie Weber

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Liz Ryder-President
Wendy Proctor - V. President
Luanne Graulich - Recording Secretary
Ray Dutcher - Corresponding Secretary
Gaylynne Smith - Treasurer
Ellen French - Trustee
Nancy Cole - Trustee
Fred Schulte - Bookkeeper
We are in need of new trustees—so please

LIBRARY HOURS:
Tuesday and Thursday — Noon to 8 pm
Wednesday - Noon to 6 pm Saturday - 9 am to 1 pm
Patrons are welcome to join us at our Board Meetings. They are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7pm in the library or town hall, depending on availability of the room.
Any visitor wishing to make a presentation at a meeting must inform the Board President or the Library Director one week prior to the meeting in order to be placed on the agenda. Thanks.