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Hours: Tues & Sat: 9 am - 2 pm Wed: 12 - 7 pm Thurs & Fri: 12 - 5 pm

August 2017 Newsletter

Summer Reading Program

Continues thru Aug. 12th

Fill up your Reading Logs and hand them in on August 12th for prizes. Check our website for Summer Reading Lists and helpful tips for parents on "How to Raise a Reader"

250 Books Donated by The LIBRARY of CONGRESS

Many are now available for check out: Bestsellers, Non-Fiction, Large Print & Young Adult. More coming.

NEW ARRIVALS:

"Strays" by Brit Collins
"Policing the Black Man" by Angela Davis
"Unwomanly Face of War" by Svetlana Alexievich
—and a new collection of Large Print books as part of our circulating collection.



IN MEMORY OF NINA PLEUSS:
The Worcester Woman's Club has donated "Quilt Blocks on American Barns" by Eleanor Burns.

Nina with her partner Bonnie, opened the Quilt Zoo on Main Street in 2014. She was involved in many community organizations: a member of the Woman's Club, Chair of the Planning Board, and Town Judge. The Quilt Zoo (with help from Tommy Pleuss) built a large book shelf for the bookstore. She was a real gem and will be missed.

Library Used Book Store

Every Saturday 10 am – 2 pm

Extended hours during the Block Party



Please Note: Book Donations are accepted only during operating hours of the Library or the Bookstore. No encyclopedias, dictionaries or textbooks. *Thank you.*



The Friends are Porch Raising!

Work is progressing! Right now, grant money is being used to remove and replace old siding & windows, and to sheathe & insulate the building. This year's Friends Membership drive will be used to rebuild the historic front porch.

Can You Join Us?

Renew your membership or become a new member during this exciting time for our library. Forms available on the web site. [Click here.](#)

LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE Rotary Block Party-August 26



Folded Book Art: Hedgehogs & Fairy Houses

Bring your finished creation to the Friends table for a grand showing. Every participant gets a prize.



Raffle Baskets: There's still time to get tickets for a chance to win these great prizes:

- Kindle Fire (1st generation)
- Ommegang Beer, beer glasses & a Belgian beer book
- Organic Spa Basket: soaps, cremes, scented candles, relaxation CD and more
- Paint n' Sip Basket (art supplies, wine glasses & wine)
- Gift Card for 10 Gourmet Pastries & Coffee by Holiday Farm Biscuit Co.
- Saratoga Oil & Balsamic Vinegar with 2 sets of beeswax candles
- Child's Upright Piano

Drawing at 5pm on Aug. 26th

Baskets are on display at the bookstore and will be at the Friends table during the Block party.