

November 2009
Potomac Kids Kapers

Special Programs

Second Annual Potomac Book of Records Event

Saturday, November 7, 2009 at 2:00 p.m.

**This program has been CANCELLED.
We apologize for any inconvenience.**

Mama Mary Sunbeam

Saturday, November 21, 2009 at 2:00 p.m.

Celebrate **American Indian Heritage Month** at the Potomac Library. Join us for Cherokee drumming, song, history and storytelling in this interactive program for the whole family.

All ages.

*Tickets for this program will be available beginning **November 7th**. Each person attending must have a ticket. Limit 100.*

Funded by the Friends of Potomac Library

'Tween Zone

Diary of a Wimpy Kid Celebration

Wednesday, November 4, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

Celebrate the release of the 4th Diary by partying like Greg Heffley! We will have games and activities, and maybe some jellybeans, if Fregley doesn't get them first!

This program is for **students in grades 4-6**.

Registration has begun for this program. As of November 2nd, space is still available. Limit 30.

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Friends of Potomac Library Book Sale

November 13-15, 2009

Our Friends of Potomac Library support many of our programs.

Please support them by visiting their book sale!

See our Calendar of Events for details.

Tuesdays Together: Family Activity Nights

Americana Time

Tuesday, November 17, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

For those who enjoy historical fiction, especially **American Girls**, **Dear America**, and **My Name is America**, here's a program filled with a reading from the genre, Americana trivia, crafts & games, & some all-American snacks!

Please pick up a free pass beginning at 6:30 p.m. on the evening of the program.

A pass will be required for each person participating. Limit 24 participants per session.

Regular Series Programs

Book Babies – The Series

The series continues in November. Registration is closed.

We will begin a new series in March 2010...

Alternating Mondays at 10:30 a.m. – November 2nd, 16th & 30th

Funded by the Friends of the Potomac Library.

Magic Carpet Time

Stories, songs, and fingerplays for **toddlers & pre-schoolers.**

Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

November 4 Be a Lucky Reader

November 11 LIBRARY CLOSED – VETERAN'S DAY

November 18 Mother Goose Time

November 25 Thanksgiving Treasures

Pick up a free pass at the Information Desk beginning at 10:00 a.m. the day of the program.

Each child entering the program must have a storytime pass, unless otherwise stated.

Attendance will be limited to 30 children.

Bedtime Stories for Families

Alternating Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. – November 4th & 18th

Get ready for bed, and come by the library for a before-bedtime treat of stories, songs and fingerplays. PJs, blankets and pillows, and stuffed animals are optional!

All ages.

Please pick up a free pass beginning at 7:00 p.m.

A pass will be required for each child attending the program.

Limit 30 children.

Book Babies: Individual Sessions

Alternating Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. – November 5th & 19th

Stories, songs, & play for **infants and toddlers 6 months-24 months.**

Please register by telephone or in person beginning one week before each program.

Registration will be limited to 10 infants per session.

If you are signed up for "Book Babies: The Series", please do not sign up for these sessions, in order to give other families the opportunity to attend.

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Totally Terrific Thursdays

Alternating Thursdays at 4:30 p.m.

November 5 Make & Send a Veteran's Day Card

November 19 Thanksgiving Trivet

All ages. A parent or caregiver must accompany children.

Pick up a craft pass at the Information Desk for your child beginning at 4:00 p.m. the day of the program. Only one (1) craft kit will be distributed per pass; the first 24 crafters will be admitted.

This program is funded in part by the Friends of Potomac Library.

Children's Display: **Thanksgiving**

Children's Mindbender Contest: **Happy Thanksgiving**

Did You Know?

We're making some changes around the Children's Department and Young Adult Area. Check out the new posters and decorations in each area when you come in, and watch the transformation!

Children's Electronic Resource of the Month!

Our beautiful United States! Whether you are reading up before taking a trip, or doing a homework assignment to better acquaint you with our county,

America the Beautiful

is a great place to start! Find profiles of the states, and the famous people who lived there, a timeline of American History, news and magazine articles, and games to test your knowledge of your country!

Logon to the library electronic resources for kids at

<http://www.pwcgov.org/library/electronicresources/kids.htmz>

to explore **America the Beautiful**.

You can use our electronic resources from any computer connected to the Internet. Make sure you have your library card handy!

How to subscribe to Potomac Kids' Kapers:

Fill out the form at <http://www.pwcgov.org/eServices/eNotifications/subscribe.asp>. Please make a note of your user name and password, you will need it if you wish to unsubscribe or change your subscription information. Remember to select the appropriate newsletter (Library-Potomac Presents Kids' Kapers).

How to unsubscribe:

Go to <http://www.pwcgov.org/eservices/enotifications/useraccount.asp> and enter your user name and password. De-select (uncheck) the appropriate newsletter (Library-Potomac Presents Kids' Kapers) then click on Submit.

Forgot your password?

Go to <http://www.pwcgov.org/eServices/eNotifications/forgot.asp>.

If you have any other questions, you can email the library webmaster at librarywebmaster@pwcgov.org. Please mention the appropriate newsletter in your email.

FOR PAGERS:

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