Library Lingo

SHELBY AREA DISTRICT LIBRARY

November 2020

FYI

We will be closed on Thursday, November 26 and Friday, November 27.

If you still have library items that were due when the library was closed, please return those as soon as possible. No fines will be charged.

Family Fun Kits from Oceana County LEADS are available for check out! DIY Stress Balls, DIY Calming Bottles, I Spy Activity, and Teen Kit

Library Phase 4: Building Open with Restrictions

We have set the following procedures in place to protect patrons and library staff. We are limiting occupancy - waiting for entrance may be required. Patrons will have 30 minutes to browse, check-out, and exit the library. We ask that you limit your visits to one a day. The north door by the garden is the ONLY entrance and the south door by the flagpole will be the ONLY exit. We will still offer curbside pickup at the exit of the building for those who request this service. Wi-Fi is on 24/7 and can be accessed from the street, church parking lot or gazebo.

- Face coverings are REQUIRED
- Feels ill? Please stay home.
- Limited donated masks available if needed
- Return books as you enter
- 6-Ft distance at ALL times
- Outside drop available ALL HOURS
- Hand sanitizer available at entrance
- Items quarantined 4 days upon return (CDC)

We have one designated check-out at the circulation desk with a plexi-glass shield. Please follow stickers on floor for social distancing. Library staff will disinfect library surfaces and bathrooms every 4 hours, per CDC guidelines. Library staff will be available to send faxes and make copies for you. A money box will be available, no change will be given back. Local History Room remains closed but you may request information via Jeramy.

Hours

Monday 9-7
Tuesday 9-5
Wednesday 9-7
Thursday 9-5
Friday 9-5
Saturday 9-1
Sunday Closed

We appreciate your patience and kindness during this time!

- Lingerier
- Fines
- Seating areas/Tables/Chairs/Toys
- Drinking Fountain
- Book Donations
- Programs
- Meeting Room
- Assistance with personal devices or public computers

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New Books

Community Thanksgiving Dinner Cancelled

With heavy hearts, we announce that because of COVID-19, the 21st Community Thanksgiving Day Dinner at the Shelby Optimist building on Thanksgiving Day has been cancelled for 2020. We plan to resume this long tradition of gathering at noon on Thanksgiving Day for a free community dinner in 2021. Pie bakers in area churches, we hope to see you back then. Volunteers, we will miss you this year but mark your calendars for 2021. To the more than 200 annual guests, please plan to attend next year.

—Community Thanksgiving Dinner Committee
Wearing masks and social distancing, the Friends of S.A.D.L. met October 15 with seven attendees, our first in-person meeting since January 2020. We agreed that until this pandemic is under control and public gatherings inside are safe to attend, future meetings will be held via Zoom. Those wishing to attend the next meeting of Friends of S.A.D.L. on January 14, 2021 should RSVP to Cindy McKinnon at stony7854@gmail.com if you would like an invite and have Zoom capability.

A motion was passed to extend the current terms of the Board and Officers of Friends until the next scheduled election in spring 2022. Your Board members continuing to serve are: Mary Ann Carey, Diana Clark, Val Lau and Officers: president Cindy McKinnon, treasurer Mark Gorbics, and secretary Sharon Zoller. In other business, a bylaws committee was formed to examine and update our current bylaws. Serving on the committee are Mary Ann Carey, Mark Gorbics, and Cindy McKinnon.

The Friends are sad that we will not be hosting Celebration of the Trees this year but a new fundraiser for 2020 is in the works! See the special invite from Friends in this newsletter to participate. Facing a shortage of funding this year of $16,000 the Library is in dire need of our support. Our Library Director Tiffany also shared that a new furnace should be replaced at a cost of $3,500. Your participation by donating $5.00 or more to have an ornament placed on the Christmas tree in the library will help us to raise much needed funds! Bonus!! Everyone who donates will have their name entered in a raffle to win a beautiful holiday basket of goodies, books, and local merchandise certificates!

Wishing you all a safe and blessed Thanksgiving!

Cindy McKinnon, President Friends of S.A.D.L.