



# Montgomery House

WARRIOR RUN AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY

The House That Reading Built

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## Cowabunga Day



Come join us on Saturday, August 1 for a day full of events. Beginning at 4:00 PM is our first **Fairy Tale Festival Pageant**. There are 5 categories for girls, age dependent, as well as a category for boys. The children must be between the age of newborn to 8 years old. The overall winner will be crowned **2009 Fairy Tale Princess**. The non-refundable entry fee for the pageant is \$30.00. Applications, photo and entry fee must be received by July 15. This is a *Natural* pageant. No makeup or gowns permitted. Please stop by the library for an application with all the details. Awards will be presented at 5:00 PM.



Also beginning at 4:00 PM is our **Chicken BBQ**. Tickets are \$7.00 each. You will receive 1/2 chicken, baked beans, macaroni salad and roll. At 6:00 PM the **McNett Country Band** will be entertaining us with some great country music and square dancing. Bring your partner and do-si-do the night away. From 7 - 8 PM is our **Cow Pie Bingo** held on the lawn behind the parking lot. There will be 3 cows on the field for you to *cheer on* for a cow pie on a particular bingo square. Tickets are \$7.00 each or two for \$10.00. The Grand Prize is \$300, 2nd place is \$200, and 3rd place is \$100. Winners do not need to be present to win. Winners will be announced at 8:00 PM.



**PLEASE VOTE!** Now more than ever fundraisers are essential. The State Legislature is proposing a 5% to 50% Budget cut in public library funding. **SUPPORT YOUR LIBRARY!**



### **BE CREATIVE @ MONTGOMERY HOUSE LIBRARY'S SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM**

Our summer library program continues through July with lots of great activities that focus on creativity. The weekly themes are 6/29 - Improv Week, 7/6 - Fabric Art, 7/13 - A"mus"ing Pastimes, 7/20 - Performing Arts, 7/27 - Visual Arts, and 8/3 - Mix it up. An End of Summer Library Program Talent Show and prize drawings will be held on Thursday, August 6 @ 6:30 PM at the McEwensville Community Hall for our final event. Do you paint, draw, play a musical instrument, sing, dance, perform magic tricks, write poetry or short stories, do storytelling or act out stories? If so, sign up for a 10 minute slot to showcase your talent and share your creativity with others.

Continue to keep track of your time spent reading. Everyone completing 8 hours of reading time and having attendance at 5 programs will receive a certificate and reward. If you have been unable to attend the activities so far, but would like to join, you are welcome to come and register.

**At each program you attend, your name can be entered for prize drawings.**

**There are three MP3 players to be given away.**

**Attendance at each event increases your chances of winning!**

**Adults**, don't forget about your programs. **The Book Discussions on July 7, & August 4 @ 6:30 PM** focus on creativity with the books *Luncheon of the Boating Club* and *Family Acts*. When you read 2 fiction and 1 non-fiction books, attend 3 events and hand in your entry form, you are eligible to win a prize at our End of Program Talent Show on Aug. 6 for a **\$20 Borders gift card as first prize**.

**WELCOME** Dannelle Seese as our summer intern from Clarion University where she is majoring in Library Science. She will be working with the Summer Library program through August.

**THANK YOU** to the Shoemaker family for the work they did for our Memorial Butterfly Garden. Take a moment on your next visit to the library to discover the changes.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All events take place at the Library unless noted otherwise.

**Thursday, July 2**  
**6:30 PM**  
**Board of Directors Meeting**

**Saturday, July 4**  
**CLOSED for Holiday**

**Monday, July 6**  
**7:00 PM**  
**Friends Quarterly meeting**

**Tuesday, July 7**  
**11:00 AM**  
**Girl Scouts-Garden Party**

**Tuesday, July 7**  
**6:30 PM**  
**Special Adult Book Club**

**Tuesday, July 14**  
**7:00 PM**  
**Book Discussion Group**

**Tuesday, July 21**  
**11:00 AM**  
**Girl Scouts-Garden Party**

**Wednesday, July 29**  
**6:30 PM**  
**Dare To Read Program**

## Regular weekly events include:

- Mondays - 1:00 PM *Trash To Treasure*  
 6:00 PM Movie Night
- Tuesdays - 4:00 PM Wii Games
- Wednesdays - 11:00 AM Elem./Preteen  
 12:00 PM Literary Lunch  
 1:00 PM Teens  
 4:30 PM Dewey Walk
- Thursdays - 6:30 PM Family Night
- Fridays - 11:00 AM Toddler/Preschool

## BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

The Book Discussion Group will have their next meeting on Tuesday, July 14 from 7-9 PM. Discussion will be on *Sleeping at the Starlite Hotel* by Bailey White. Come join us and bring a friend! Next month's book will be *Color of Water* by James McBride.

## CRAFTER'S CORNER

**Beginning August 13** will be a 6-week session on Thursdays from 6:00 - 8:00 PM titled **Jewelry making** led by Diana Brown. Registration is required for up to 12 participants each week. There is a \$30 fee for this workshop due at time of registration, which covers the cost of a tool kit and supplies needed to make a bracelet and earrings. You will learn basic wirework techniques. Please register by July 30.

## DARE TO READ

This program for children aged preschool to 4th grade will be held on Wednesday, July 29 @ 6:30 PM. Your child will have a story time, participate in an activity, and enjoy a snack. Information will be shared with the parents on how important it is to read to their child. Please register for this program by calling Kenetha Markle at 742-2155 or the library. This program is part of her Gold Award project for Girl Scouts.



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### Hours

Mon., Thu. 1 PM-8 PM  
 Tue., Wed. 11 AM-7 PM  
 Fri. 10 AM-6 PM  
 Sat. 9 AM-4 PM

### June Volunteers

*Lucinda Bomberger*  
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 Total Volunteer Hours: 48

## July 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	