



Montgomery House

WARRIOR RUN AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY

The House That Reading Built

"GO GREEN" IS OUR OCTOBER THEME Thursday Night @ the Movies

On Thursdays beginning October 2, we will be showing *Planet Earth*. This program will run through November 20. A stunning series that captures rare action, impossible locations, and intimate moments with our planet's best-loved, wildest, and most elusive creatures. From the highest mountains to the deepest rivers, this series takes you to places you've never been to experience sights and sounds never before captured on film. Prepare to be overwhelmed by the beauty and majesty of our planet. Registration is not required for this FREE event.



Reduce, Reuse, & Recycle Workshops

Every Saturday during October will be a **GO GREEN** workshop each focusing on different ways to lighten the footprint we leave on the earth.

October 4 @ 1:00 PM is **Container Gardening** led by Nancy Bartlow, Northumberland County Master Gardeners Program. Learn how to recycle materials in your home and create your own container garden. A patio, deck, balcony, or doorstep can provide enough space for a productive, attractive garden.

October 11 @ 2:00 PM **John Sheirer**, author of *Loop Year: 365 Days on the Trail*, will talk about changes he discovered on a hiking trail over the span of a year.

October 18 @ 1:00 PM is **Energy Basics** led by David Shimmel, PA Department of Environmental Protection. Learn how to analyze the amount of energy you use. Discover the meanings behind the terms and concepts used in the energy world. Find low cost and no cost ways to reduce energy usage.

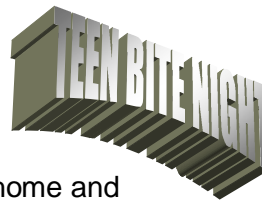
October 25 @ 1:00 PM is **Composting** led by Julia Marano, Northumberland County Master Gardeners Program. Learn how to take recycling materials in your kitchen and yard to create your own compost. Learn how to build your own compost pile, what critters you can expect to find, and how to manage your pile. Every participant will receive a compost bin free of charge.

Register by calling 538-1381 or email mhwrapl@windstream.net.
Go Green Grant Series sponsored by the Smith Fund of the
Williamsport-Lycoming County Community Foundation.

BOOKS WITH BITE!

October 12-18 is National Teen Read

Week. We will be celebrating with *Teen Bite Night* on Friday, October 17 from 6-10 PM. Youth ages 11-19 will be creating a one-dish entrée with help from Chef Ashley Whitmoyer to take home and bake. A taste test of different food items will be held. Attendees will be able to vote for their Top Ten new books at the library. The evening will come to a conclusion with the movie *Super Size Me* from filmmaker Morgan Spurlock who unravels the American obesity epidemic by interviewing experts nationwide and by subjecting himself to a "McDonald's only" diet for thirty days straight. Please register for this event by calling 538-1381 or email to mhwrapl@windstream.net.



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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

September Volunteers

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Total Volunteer Hours: 31

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PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

Preschool Story Time meets every Friday @ 11:00 AM. Themes are listed below in the Calendar of Events. Your child will receive structured activities aimed at helping them learn what is necessary to enter Kindergarten with songs, games, crafts and stories. No registration required.

COMPUTER WORKSHOP

On Monday, **October 13 & October 20** @ 6:30 PM will be an Introduction to Microsoft Word workshop. You will learn the basics of word processing: typing letters, creating posters, create a personal or business letterhead, etc. Registration is required for this event due to limited seating.



Calendar of Events

All events take place at the Library unless noted otherwise.

Thursday, October 2
6:30 PM
Board of Directors Meeting

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6:30 PM
Planet Earth Movie Series

Friday, October 3
11:00 AM
Preschool Story Time
Big or small

Saturday, October 4
1:00 PM
Container Gardening Workshop

Monday, October 6
7:00 PM
Friends of MHL meeting

Thursday, October 9
6:30 PM
Planet Earth Movie Series

Friday, October 10
11:00 AM
Preschool Story Time
African Safari

Saturday, October 11
2:00 PM
John Sheirer, Author Visit

Monday, October 13
6:30 PM
Computer Workshop
Introduction to Microsoft Word

Tuesday, October 14
7:00 PM
Book Discussion Group
Bel Canto
by Ann Patchett

Thursday, October 16
6:30 PM
Planet Earth Movie Series

Friday, October 17
11:00 AM
Preschool Story Time
5 A Day

Friday, October 17
6:00 - 10:00 PM
TEEN BITE NITE

Saturday, October 18
1:00 PM
Energy Basics Workshop

Monday, October 20
6:30 PM
Computer Workshop
Introduction to Microsoft Word

Thursday, October 23
6:30 PM
Planet Earth Movie Series

Friday, October 24
11:00 AM
Preschool Story Time
Big Wheels

Saturday, October 25
1:00 PM
Composting Workshop

Thursday, October 30
6:30 PM
Planet Earth Movie Series

Friday, October 31
11:00 AM
Preschool Story Time
Fall Fest



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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	

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Friends of Montgomery House Library will be having their quarterly meeting on Monday, October 6 @ 7:00 PM. New members are always welcome. If you become a member with a minimum donation of \$10, you will be eligible for 20% discounts on purchases in our bookstore from now until November 26, 2008. Our annual wreath/centerpiece sale will be held during the month of November.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

The Book Discussion Group will have their next meeting on Tuesday, October 14 from 7-9 PM. Discussion will be on *Bel Canto* by Ann Patchett. The book for November is *Not a Penny More, Not a Penny Less* by Jeffrey Archer. Come join us and bring a friend!

NEW MAGAZINES

We have recently added some new magazines to our collection:

Mary Englebreit's Home Companion - Artistic decorating ideas, projects, keepsake artwork and more.

Memory Makers - Scrapbooking ideas, hints and tips for making your scrapbook the best it can be.

Model Railroader - Product reviews, layouts, projects, step-by-step instructions, and dealer listings.

PC Magazine - Interviews, hardware & networking reviews, as well as troubleshooting tips.

Pennsylvania Game & Fish - Everything you need to hunt and fish in Pennsylvania.

Wired - It's more than computers and video games. From gadgets, history, & science to today's hot topics.

COMING IN NOVEMBER

Therapy Dogs International will be coming every Monday beginning November 3 @ 7:00 PM. The "Tail Waggin' Tutors" program allows children who might be hesitant, embarrassed, or shy about their reading abilities to feel at ease around a dog who is just there to listen to the story and not there to judge how well he or she reads. TDI Dogs come in all shapes and sizes; real dogs with real personalities and real love to share. TDI's Reading Program is a wonderful opportunity for children to interact with and learn about dogs in a positive manner. Registration is required for this program. This event is in collaboration with the Warrior Run Woman's Club.

Computer Workshops - There will be an Introduction to Computers on Wednesday, November 5 @ 1:00 PM. Introduction to Excel will be held on Monday, November 17 @ 6:30 PM. Registration is required.

Movie Matinee - On Saturday, November 15 will be our monthly movie matinee. We will be showing the film classic *Annie*. No registration required for this FREE event.

Toy Chinese Auction - On November 22 from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM we will be at the Turbotville Community Hall for our annual Toy Chinese Auction. Drawings begin @ 1:00 PM. Chances are 25 for \$4.00. Food and games will be available for purchase. Toys are donated by area businesses. Proceeds benefit the Montgomery House Library.

Food for Fines - During November, the **Montgomery House Warrior Run Area Public Library** will accept non-perishable food items for books that are overdue during this period. There will be no fines for overdue materials, as long as you turn in at least one non-perishable food item per overdue material. Also, if you have a fine on record, it will be erased with one non-perishable food item per dollar of fine.

Please be generous when deciding how many items of food you are willing to bring to negotiate your fine(s). Remember the donations will be helping people in our area that are served by the **Warrior Run Neighbors Helping Neighbors, Inc. food bank**. They serve families in the Warrior Run School District that reside within Northumberland County.

Closings - The Library will be closed in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday on Thursday, November 27 & Friday, November 28. We will reopen on Saturday, November 29 @ 9:00 AM.

Watch upcoming newsletters for more information about these events.