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Henderson County Public Library District Newsletter

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HCPL Launches New Website

The new Henderson County Public Library website is now up and running! Starting February 2012 the library introduced an updated, easy-to-navigate website. Visit our new website at: www.hendersoncolibrary.com



Local Novel *Pete of the Hill*

Pete of the Hill, by Galesburg native June Morgan, is available for check-out at the library! This novel details the experiences of Morgan's family while growing up in the Monmouth and Oquawka area, covering historical watersheds like the two World Wars and the Great Depression from a local perspective. This 65-page novel is a must read for community members!

Girls Day Out

Fancy Nancy Tea Party

On Saturday March 31, 2012

At 2:00 p.m.

Registration will begin on

March 5, 2012. Space is limited so register early to reserve your spot.



Flood Books for Purchase

Turning Pages Book Club presents *And Then The Water Came*, available beginning Monday, January 23rd. A launch party for the book was also held on Sunday, January 22nd for supporters. Each book is \$10, and they are available at the library. The book is comprised of photos and first-hand accounts from the floods of 1965, 1993, and 2008. Call or stop by the library to pick up your copy!

110 Hill Crest Drive
Biggsville, IL 61418

Library Hours:

Monday-Friday

9AM-5PM

Saturday

9AM-12PM

1PM-5PM

(309) 627 2450

Library Director:

Anita Smith

New email address:

anita@

hendersoncolibrary.com

New Info

- Don't forget to turn your clocks forward for Daylight Savings on Sunday, March 11th!
- Now available wireless internet!
- Library Staff members have new email addresses on our new website.

Genealogy

The Henderson County Genealogy and Family History Society was formed in 2003 by a dedicated group of local family history enthusiasts. The group's goals include helping those with Henderson County roots trace their heritage, as well as preserve the genealogical and historical records of the county. New members are always welcome. The group meets on the third Thursday of each February, April, June, August and October at 7 p.m. at the library. Membership entitles you to the opportunity to listen and converse with informative speakers at our meetings, issues of the society's newsletters, and unlimited free queries in the newsletters. Please feel free to join us.

Adult Tutor Training

Are you interested in becoming a volunteer to provide direct service to adults in need of literacy assistance? Come to the library Mon. Feb. 20, 2012 6:30 pm—8:00 pm to learn more. Training and materials are free, classes will be held here at the library. Call the library with questions at 309-627-2450.

E-Pay

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Please remember you can pay your fines, make a donation, pay for lost or damaged materials, rent the meeting room, pay for a special program such as the gingerbread house, or leave a memorial to the library with your MasterCard or Visa with the Illinois E Pay.

Movies Days at 2:00pm

Feb. 16th The Smurfs (PG)

Feb. 17th Dolphin Tale (PG)

Feb. 20th Mr. Popper's Penguins (PG)

March 23rd Puss in Boots (PG)

April 6th Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules (PG)

April 9th The Muppets (PG)

May 3rd Alvin and the Chipmunks: Chipwrecked (G)

New Material

Adult Fiction:

- *Bonnie* by Iris Johansen
- *The Fire* by James Patterson
- *The Last Letter* by Kathleen Shoop

- *Ape House* by Sara Gruen

Adult Non-Fiction:

- *Best Holiday Gatherings*
- *Saving Dinner the Low-Carb Way* by Leanne Ely
- *Protecting Your Parents' Money* by Jeff D. Opdyke

Juvenile Fiction:

- *Geocache Surprise* by Jake Maddox
- *Tractor Mac: Tune Up* by Billy Steers

DVDs:

- *Captain America: The First Avenger (PG-13)*
- *Courageous (PG-13)*
- *Dreamer (PG)*
- *The Help (PG-13)*
- *United 93 (R)*

Get ready for...

Music CDs!

Adding music CD's for
check-outs

Donations are welcome

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