

MEXICO PUBLIC LIBRARY



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TRIVIA NIGHTS

Wednesday nights in April, the Mexico Public Library will be hosting trivia nights at **Stefano's Pizzeria!**

Do you know random, **seemingly** useless information?

Let's put it to use!

Trivia is free to play with teams between 1-7 people.

Prizes awarded to the top two teams.

Like our Facebook page to get a free answer each week; donate to the library on Game Night and get 2 points automatically added to your score.

Come to eat, stay to play!

Stefano's
PIZZERIA & RESTAURANT



INTRODUCING

DIGITAL STORY HOUR

Every week we will post a story on our new YouTube Channel- Mexico Public Library.



If your child missed Story Hour or you just want to hear a story read out loud for bedtime or anytime, go to our YouTube Channel and listen!

Did you know you can access Ancestry.com for free from the library's public computers?

All you need is your library card. Come check it out!



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Trapping with Taylor-March 12th at 10am. This program for kids is a great opportunity to learn responsible trapping. Come see real furs, traps and learn about furbearers and their ecology. Pre-registration required.

Spring Flower Workshop-March 19th at 10am. Cost \$15. Maida's Floral Shop will lead an adult workshop where participants make & take a floral centerpiece. Pre-registration required.

Painting with Laurie Kester-March 16th, April 20th, May 18th and June 15th 6-8pm. Cost \$10. Registration required.

Beginning Spanish for Kids-March 30th, April 6, 13 and 20th from 3:30-4:30. Join the Mexico High Spanish Honor Society for afternoons of Spanish. Open to children in 2nd-6th grade. Pre-registration required.

Spring Scavenger Hunt-April 27th from 10:30-3:00. Children of all ages are invited to participate in a fun library scavenger hunt. Once the list is finished, children may choose a prize from the prize box!

SAVE THE DATE:

26th Annual 5K Cider Run & Walk

Saturday, September 17th 9 AM



THE ART ASSOCIATION OF OSWEGO, CNY ARTS OF SYRACUSE AND THE MEXICO PUBLIC LIBRARY ARE HAPPY TO ANNOUNCE SPRING SESSIONS



PAINTING WITH LAURIE KESTER

Join the Mexico Public Library for evenings of Painting with Oswego Artist Laurie Kester. These classes will be held on March 16th, April 20th, May 18th, and June 15th from 6-8pm. Laurie is an artist with the Art Association of Oswego. The cost of the class is \$10.00 per participant. Laurie will paint alongside participants. Each session will feature a different painting. To sign up for one of the classes, please stop in the library. Participants must pay in advance so materials can be purchased.

SPOTLIGHT ON NEW MATERIALS:

- The Witches By Stacy Schiff (A-Nonfiction)
- Writer's Market 2016 (A-Nonfiction)
- Even Dogs in the Wild : a novel By Ian Rankin (A-Fiction)
- The Bitter Season By Tami Hoag (A-Fiction)
- My name is Lucy Barton: a novel By Elizabeth Strout (A-Fiction)
- Salt of the Sea By Ruta Sepetys (J-Fiction)
- Pete the cat's groovy guide to love: tips from a cool cat on how to spread the love By Kim Dean (J-Fiction)
- Big Nate: Welcome to my world By Lincoln Peirce (J-Fiction)
- Ripley's Believe it or not!: Special edition 2016 (J-Nonfiction)
- Downton Abbey season 6 (A-DVD)
- Goosebumps (J-DVD)

ONGOING EVENTS:

Books For Breakfast Book Club- meets every first Thursday of the month. Join the library for breakfast treats and a discussion about this month's book. See Book Club column on page 4 for more information.

Pre-School Story Hours-Tuesdays at 11am 2/2-4/19. Open to all children of pre-school age and their families.

Lego Club- meets Mondays from 3:30-4:30, 2/1- 3-28. Open to all school age children and their families. Meetings will feature a weekly theme build.

Trivia Nights- Wednesday nights at Stefanos Pizzeria from 6:30-8pm. 4/6-4/27. See Trivia Nights column on page 1 for more information.

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The Board of Trustees of the Mexico Public Library

cordially invites you to the

27th Annual

Friends of the Library

Wine & Craft Beer Tasting Event

Saturday, April 16, 2016

5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

at the

Mexico Public Library



\$25.00 per person

RSVP by Friday, April 8, 2016

963-3012

FROZEN PARTY:

On February 6th, we held a Frozen Party based on Disney's 2013 hit movie which is still enormously popular among kids. The party had a large turnout including parents and grandparents. Kids wore Frozen inspired attire, created glittery snowflake crowns and played Pin the Carrot Nose on Olaf. They also enjoyed face painting, a photo booth and karaoke. During the party the kids ate "Reindeer antlers" pretzels, "Snowballs" donuts, and a cake created by The Bake Shop Eatery.

COLORING PARTY:

We didn't know what to expect when we held our first Coloring Party on March 2nd, but we had great attendance with many more people expressing interest. Adult coloring is the latest trend for relaxation and creativity. Look for future dates!

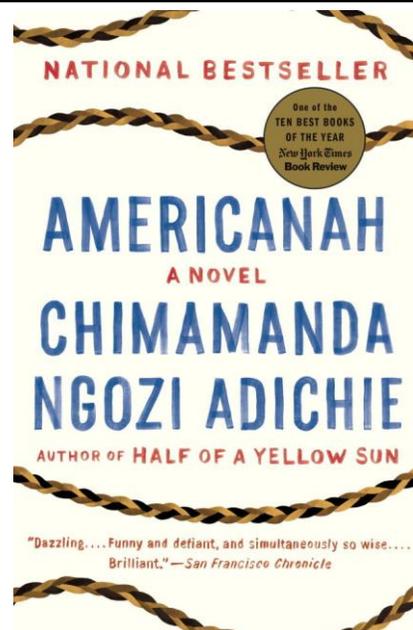
BOOKS FOR BREAKFAST BOOK CLUB:

Americanah a novel by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie, will be discussed at our April 7th meeting. Americanah is a multiple award winning book and a NY Times 10 Best Books of the year.

From Amazon: *Ifemelu and Obinze are young and in love when they depart military-ruled Nigeria for the West. Beautiful, self-assured Ifemelu heads for America, where despite her academic success, she is forced to grapple with what it means to be black for the first time. Quiet, thoughtful Obinze had hoped to join her, but with post-9/11 America closed to him, he instead plunges into a dangerous, undocumented life in London. Fifteen years later, they reunite in a newly democratic Nigeria, and reignite their passion—for each other and for their homeland.*

Join us on the first Thursday of every month for coffee, breakfast treats and a great discussion about this month’s book.

For more information on joining Books for Breakfast, see a staff member at the front desk or call the library. Books for Breakfast is open to anyone interested. Books borrowed for book club should be returned on the date of the following meeting. This book club is designed for adults.



◀ April, 2016 ▶						
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DR. SEUSS UPK SCHOOL VISITS

Students from all the universal pre-K programs at Mexico, New Haven and Palermo schools visited us during the first week of March for our annual celebration of Dr. Seuss’ birthday. The students listened to Dr. Seuss’ books, made bookmarks and Thing 1 hats, sang Happy Birthday and ate a delicious cat in the hat cookie made especially for them by The Bake Shop Eatery. We so look forward to seeing our preschool friends every year and hope we see them all year long at the library!



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Tue: 10:30 am to 5:00 pm

Wed: 10:30 am to 8:00 pm

Thur: 10:30 am to 5:00 pm

Fri: 10:30 am to 5:00 pm

Sat: 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

