



**Hours:**  
**Mon to Fri 10-8**  
**Sat 10-5**  
**Sun 2-5**

## November/December 2011

*Closed Nov 24th &  
 Dec 24th, 25th, & 31st*

### Teen Nite @ the Library

Hang out with friends, play video games on the Wii and PS2 or lo-tech games of the board and card variety, use our laptops with WiFi and fuel up with snacks. Drop in any time

**between 4:00 and 8:00 PM on Fridays, November 4th and December 30th.**

**Games \* Snacks \* Friends \* Fun!**

**Special Events:**

- Teen Nite - Nov 4 & Dec 30 @ 4PM
- Life-Book Journal - Nov 5 @ 10AM
- Reading with Miss Martha - Nov 11 @ 1PM & Dec 13 @ 4PM
- CSI for Kids - Nov 12 @ 10AM
- Button Jewelry - Nov 13 @ 2:30PM
- Craftastic Morning - Nov 19 @ 10:30AM
- Ithaca Brass - Nov 20 @ 4PM
- Bedtime Stories - Nov 21 & Dec 19 @ 6:30PM
- Kids Reading to Kids - Nov 26 & Dec 17 @ 10:30AM
- Masters of Disaster - Dec 3 & 10 @ 10:30AM
- Family Craft & Tree Decorating Party - Dec 4 @ 2PM
- Kids in the Kitchen - Dec 16 @ 6:30PM
- Seneca Singers - Dec 18 @ 4PM

**Regular Events:**

- Bookbug Club - Wednesdays @ 7PM in Nov
- Preschool Story Times - Wednesdays & Fridays @ 10AM (No story time on Nov 25)
- Knit Club - Tuesdays @ 10:30AM
- Red Tent Book Discussion - 1st Tuesdays @ 7PM
- Card Making - 2nd Thursdays @ 9:30AM
- Genealogy Club - 3rd Thursdays @ 11AM

### Creating the Life-Book Journal

Join local resident Pat Schwartz – a published poet, writer and collage artist who has conducted workshops widely in the Finger Lakes region and Rochester – on **Saturday, November 5th from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM** for a delightful experience learning how to create a volume in which to document your life’s journey!



We’ll blend techniques from scrapbooking, collage, photo-journaling, memoir and journal-writing. From favorite photos, mementos and pictures, decorate a blank journal book. From exercises in guided imagery/visualization and “free writing,” begin to write in your book. Receive tips and inspiration to continue on your own, and learn how personal writing enhances your growth. For teens, adults and seniors. Please register.

Please bring a blank journal book, photos and other mementos (postcards, ticket stubs, programs, news clippings, etc). If you have any decorative materials you’d like to use, such as stickers, paper or colored pens, bring those also.

This event is funded in part by Poets & Writers, Inc. with public funds from New York State Council on the Arts, a state agency.

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## Reading with Miss Martha



Everyone knows that dogs are the best listeners! Kids can practice reading with a lovable, furry friend on **Friday, November 11th from 1:00 to 2:00 PM** and **Tuesday, December 13th from 4:00 to 5:00 PM**.

Miss Martha is an experienced reading companion who loves to hear stories! We'll be scheduling readers for 10-minute sessions. Registration required.



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## CSI for Kids

Learn about the science behind crime solving on **Saturday, November 12th from 10:00 AM to 3:30 PM**. Lawyer and forensic scientist Thom Jones will guide kids and teens ages 10 and up through hands-on collection and examination activities using real crime scene investigation supplies. The program includes a mock crime scene where participants collect and analyze evidence to solve a crime!

Thom has conducted more than 200 CSI workshops for kids. He worked for 11 years as an attorney reviewing specific types of evidence for probative value and authenticity, and has pursued graduate degrees in forensics and geography. Learn more about Thom and his workshops [www.crimescenecamps.com](http://www.crimescenecamps.com).

The library will provide pizza and drinks for lunch. If you don't do pizza, please bring a packed lunch. Registration required. This program is generously sponsored by Seneca Meadows.

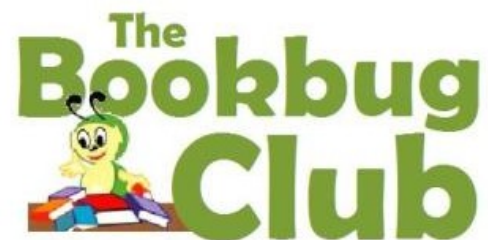


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## Bookbug Club Reads Geronimo Stilton

Do you love reading about Geronimo Stilton and all his adventures? So do we!

Kids in grades 2-4 are invited to join Miss Tara on **Wednesdays from 7:00 – 8:00 PM on October 26th through November 30th** for reading and activities from the Geronimo Stilton series. Please register.



*For kids in 2nd, 3rd & 4th grades.*



## Card Making with Phyl Lyons

Join local card-crafting expert Phyl Lyons on **Thursdays, November 10th and December 8th at 9:30 AM** to get creative with paper! Making your own greeting and holiday cards is a fun way to show your family and friends how much you care. Homemade cards can be as simple or as complex as you like, but they're all unique! During each session, participants will make two cards. All materials will be provided. Please register.

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## Button Jewelry for Adults

Back by popular demand - and this time it's grown-ups only! Join us on **Sunday, November 13th at 2:30 PM** to make a beautiful and unique piece of jewelry using buttons! All materials will be provided. Please register.



## The Withers Family Concert presents *The Ithaca Brass*

Please join us for an afternoon of wonderful music by The Ithaca Brass on **Sunday, November 20th at 4:00 PM**.

The Ithaca Brass was established in 1966 as the resident brass quintet of the Ithaca College School of Music, making the quintet one of the very first groups of its kind. Since then The Ithaca Brass has performed programs throughout the United States at regional, state, and national conferences of educators and professional music organizations. Through the years they have performed hundreds of concerts for schools from elementary to high school, as well as community and college concert series throughout the Northeast.

This event is supported by the Withers Family.



*The members of The Ithaca Brass are Frank Campos, trumpet, Kim Dunnick, trumpet, Harold Reynolds, trombone, Alex Shuhan, French horn, and David Unland, tuba.*

## Seneca Singers

The Seneca Singers will once again fill the library with holiday cheer on **Sunday, December 18th at 4:00 PM**.



## Family Craft and Tree Decorating Party

The whole family is invited to join us on **Sunday, December 4th at 2:00 PM** to make winter crafts, enjoy holiday refreshments and help us decorate the library's Christmas tree!



## Craftastic Morning

Join us for fun family crafts -  
all ages welcome!  
**Saturday, November 19th**  
at **10:30 AM**. Please register.



## Bedtime Stories

Bring the whole family for these special story times  
with Miss Tara on **Mondays, November 21st**  
**And December 19th at 6:30 PM**. Wear your  
jammies and bring your lovies!

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## Kids Reading to Kids

Does your school-age child like to read aloud? Does your preschooler like to be read to? Then bring them to Kids Reading to Kids on **Saturdays, November 22nd and December 17th at 10:30 AM!** These special story times will give readers a chance to practice in a low-key setting, while pre-readers can meet some great role models. Please register.

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## Masters of Disaster!

Presented by a Red Cross representative on **Saturdays, December 3rd and 10th at 10:30 AM**, this 2-part series teaches kids in grades K-3 how to be prepared for a variety of weather-related emergencies. Please register.



These programs can help reduce children's anxiety about unknown aspects of natural disasters. Children will also gain the confidence to deal successfully with life's unexpected turns. Lessons are enjoyable and interactive, ensuring that children are having fun while internalizing important life skills through building capabilities in math, language arts, social studies and science.

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## Kids in the Kitchen: *Skills and Safety*

Learn basic cooking skills and kitchen safety from the experts at the Red Cross! On **Friday, December 16th at 6:30 PM**, kids will cook a meal on the stovetop or in the microwave, then eat their yummy creations.



This class is intended for kids in grades 1-5. Each participant will receive a special gift from the library to help them keep on cooking!  
Registration required.

