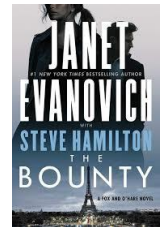
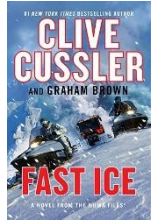


“Irish” you would come into the library and check out some of these great new books for March 2021:

- Win by Harlan Coben
- The Red Book by James Patterson
- Eternal by Lisa Scottoline
- Double Jeopardy by Stuart Woods
- The Bounty by Janet Evanovich
- Dark Sky by C. J. Box
- The Other Emily by Dean Koontz
- The Affair by Danielle Steel
- Later by Stephen King
- Fast Ice by Clive Cussler
- No Way Out by Fern Michaels
- A Matter of Life and Death by Phillip Margolin
- The Robin’s Greeting by Wanda Brunstetter



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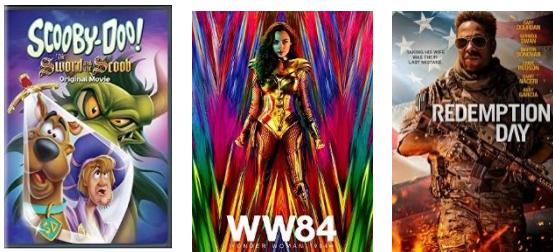
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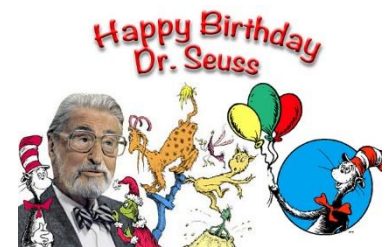
Would you like to know what new bestsellers are releasing at the Columbia Public Library each week? You can sign up for a new service called “Wowbrary”. Simply go to <http://www.wowbrary.org> and enter the information using the example at right with your own zip code and email address:

Your weekly “Wowbrary” newsletter will begin arriving every Wednesday!

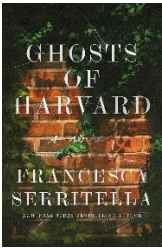


New DVDs coming out in March:
 “Scooby Doo: the Sword and the Scoob”
 “Wonder Woman 1984”
 “Redemption Day”

Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss! To celebrate “**Read Across America**” on **Tuesday, March 2**, I am preparing some special Google Slide presentations to share with children. Titles include “Green Eggs and Ham” and “The Cat in the Hat”. Google slides are available to any classroom or homeschool teacher with a Google Account. Email lgreybill@columbiapubliclibrary.org to receive a link to Google Slide story times! Please remember these are for in home or classroom use only – do not post on the internet or Facebook due to copyright.



Our Adult Book Club’s selection for March is Francesca Seritella’s “Ghosts of Harvard”. You may be familiar with Francesca – her mom is Lisa Scottoline. This is Francesca’s first novel on her own and it is described by David Baldacci as “equal parts supernatural quest, historical adventure, page-turning mystery, intense psychological study, and authentic family drama. A triumph in every respect.” Cady suspects that her



mentally ill brother's death at Harvard University is not the suicide that everyone seems to think it is. When Cady herself begins hearing voices, she wonders if she shares her brother's illness – or has she discovered something more sinister? For more details, visit <https://www.amazon.com/Ghosts-Harvard-Novel-Francesca-Serritella/dp/0525510362> **Book Club meets on Wednesday, March 3, at 4:45** using Google Meet. Email Patti at pfischer@columbiapubliclibrary.org for more details or to get a meeting link.

"Multi-media March Madness"! Beginning Monday, March 1 through Wednesday, March 31 we will have a section of our Book Nook open for a Fill a Bag sale! Fill a bag for \$5.00! Sale will be replenished as items sell so keep checking back! All proceeds benefit the library.



The March Take and Make craft project is a "Lucky Rainbow Charm". Kits will be available beginning March 1st. All materials are packaged: you will need your own crayons, glue, tape, and scissors



I am so excited about this year's **Summer Reading** season! We are "**Live and OUTSIDE**". We have greatly expanded our programming, thanks to a **very generous gift from D. H. Funk Excavating**. This gift was earmarked for children's and community programming, and we are very grateful to our friends at D. H. Funk for providing these opportunities for the community!

The gift will provide the following programs as **EVENING events for the entire community**. I especially want to do this at this time because people are really in need of a chance to enjoy outdoor events and entertainment. **Events will be held at the Park and/or Gazebo, so please bring a lawn chair or blanket:**

- Thursday, June 17 at 6 PM: a Family Concert with **Matthew Dodd**
- Wednesday, June 23, at 6 PM: Master Illusionist, **Ran'D Shine**
- Thursday, July 1, at 6 PM: **Phredd McNaughton** family concert
- Thursday, July 8, at 6 PM: **Ryan Bridge, the "Bugman"**. Live insects!
- Thursday, July 15, at 6 PM: **Jesse Rothacker and Forgotten Friends Reptiles**



"Old Time Gospel Hour" with Servant Stage Productions. Perhaps you have heard of Servant Stage. These multi-talented performers are committed to bringing the arts to everyone. You will be seeing a show of the caliber of the Fulton or Sight and Sound. There is no charge, but Servant Stage does take a "pay-what-you-will" collection to offset their costs. "A Broadway Melody" is for the entire family, presenting songs from best-loved musicals from the past up through today. **Tuesday, July 20, at 7 PM**

- Thursday, August 5, at 6 PM: Family Concert with **Mark DeRose**
- Thursday, August 12, at 6 PM: Master Juggler, **Chris Ivey**

And some programming just for the little ones and elementary aged:

- Monday, June 7, at 10 AM: **"All About Garden Camp"** with Grace Julian – Park School Playground
- Thursday, June 10, at 10 AM: **"Turtle Dance Music"** – Locust Street Park

- Friday, June 11, at 10 AM: **“Junior Park Ranger River Discovery”** with Allison Scholz – Locust Street Park
- Monday, June 14, at 10 AM: **Metal Recycling Field Trip.** MEET AT SAHD’S.



- Wednesday, June 16, at 10 AM: **Magician John Andrews** – Locust Street Park
- Monday, July 5, at 10 AM: **“Sea Tails Tell Tales”** with Lancaster County Parks – Locust Street Park
- Wednesday, July 7, at 10 AM: **“Workin On the Railroad”** with the Railroad Museum of PA – Locust Street Park
- Friday, July 9, at 10 AM: **Columbia Borough Police Department**
- Friday, July 16, at 10 AM: **“Bubble Bonanza”** with Jeff Boyer
 - Wednesday, August 4, at 10:30 AM: **“Zoo America”** (Hersheypark)

Yet to be scheduled:

- **Columbia Borough Fire Department**
- **Hank the Health Hero**

These events are *in addition to* the Lions’ Club **“Music in the Park and a Movie Under the Stars”** which will be held:

- Friday, May 21, at 6: Music in the Park
- Friday, June 18, at 6: Music in the Park
- Friday, July 16, at 6: Music in the Park
- Friday, August 20, at 6: Music in the Park

To prevent confusion, I have all of these events on Calendar format, which I will share in May and throughout the summer once all is finalized.

The Columbia Public Library Board of Directors will meet on Thursday, March 12, at 6:30 PM in our conference room.



Hopefully March will be the last time for this announcement for a while! Any delayed openings, early closings, or full day **closings** for the Columbia Public Library will be **posted on WGAL, our webpage, and the community Facebook pages.**

The Columbia Public Library – where New Worlds Await – for you. We are located on 24 S. 6th Street, next to Park Elementary School. (Cattycorner to CVS Pharmacy and across the street from St. John’s Lutheran Church). Phone number is 684-2255 and web address is www.columbiapubliclibrary.org Find us on Facebook! Please stop by and visit often!