Mont Vernon

Daland Memorial Library News

Library Director: Bonnie Angulas Children's Program Director: JoAnn Kitchel Hours: Tuesday 10-5:30 Wednesday 12-8 Thursday 10-5:30 Friday 2-6 Saturday 10-1

Summer Reading Program 2015!

Every Hero Has a Story

Sunday Closed

Monday Closed

Daland Memorial Library Summer Reading Program 2015: Registration for the summer reading program begins on Saturday, June 6th from 8-1pm. Come early to sign up for a summer of arts & crafts, entertainers, prizes, storytimes and reading fun, all for FREE! Reach your reading goal and receive a \$5 gift card to Toadstool Bookstore. Ages 0-18 welcome. Registration required. Space is limited.

Teen Summer Reading

Join us this summer for a teen only program full of crafts, movie marathons, pizza parties, prizes and giveaways! Grade 7 and up are welcome. Registration required! Space is limited for some activities. Registration begins Saturday June 6th from 8-1pm and continues through July.

Cookbook Club

If you Love cookbooks, cooking, and eating (and talking about cookbooks, cooking, and eating) this is the group for you! The Cookbook Club will choose one cookbook a month to read and meet at the end of the month for a potluck meal at the library. Members are asked to pick one recipe and make it for the group to taste. Cookbooks available to borrow at the library. Please be sure to let us know what you're cooking! June Meeting: Monday June 29th at 6:00pm. The June Title is: The Barefoot Contessa Cook-

Friends of the Library to Meet June 22

The Friends of the Daland Memorial Library will meet on Monday, June 22, at 7:30 p.m. at the library. The agenda will include the final tally on the proceeds on the sales at the library on Spring Gala Day held last month. There will also be an update on the summer's Children's Reading Program now underway, and other summer activities. Vice President Lori Meader will be presiding. New members are always welcome. Questions call 673-7888.

Morning Book Discussion Program

On June 29, library's morning book discussion program will fo-cus on Toni Morrison's "The Bluest Eye." Published in 1970 it's Morrison's first book of note. The story addresses the issue of obsession with beauty and conformity through the main character, a young black girl, Pecola Breedlove. The discussion will begin at 10 a.m.

The group usually meets the first Monday each month. The meetings last an hour and a half to two hours. Participants take turns bringing a light refreshment. No attendance requirement – attend discussions that are of interest. The library purchases a copy of each selection that may be checked out by library patrons when the book is not reserved for the discussion. Copies of the books are made possible through inter-library loan and are available at the library.

The dates and list of books for the remainder of the year are as follows: June 29 - fiction - "The Bluest Eye" by Toni Morrison

NO MEETING IN JULY

August 3 – non-fiction – "The Warmth of Other Suns: The Epic Story of America's Great Migration" by Isabel Wilkerson

September 14 – fiction – "The Daring Ladies of Lowell" by Kate Al-

October 5 – fiction – "The Burgess Boys" by Elizabeth Strout November 2 – fiction – "Emily,

Alone" by Stewart O'Nan December 7 – fiction – "Wishin' and Hopin': A Christmas Story" by

Wally Lamb The program is suitable for adults and open to Mont Vernon residents at no charge. For bookkeeping purposes, non-residents wanting to borrow a book will need to join the library, annual fee is \$15. Questions call the library at 673-7888.

Museum Passes – Passes to TWO new Museums!

Passes to five museums are currently available at the library to library patrons. Three museums are free and two have a co-pay. Four are in NH and one is in Boston. New this year are passes to The Fells established in 1891 in Newbury, NH, which became the summer home of Secretary of State John Milton Hay, and passes to the Children's Museum in Dover, NH.

Check the websites listed below for further details on passes for locations, days and hours open.

Children's Museum of New **Hampshire - NEW in June!!** www.childrens-museum.org Valid only for June, July, and August

One daily pass per day (co-pay) NOTE: A pass admits a family (up to four people) into the museum at 50% off the cost of regular museum admission.

(Without the pass tickets \$9 adults and children over one year old,

Currier Museum of Art

www.currier.org Two passes - each pass admits two (no co-pay)

Current special exhibit: "From Birds to Beasts: Audubon's Last Great Adventure" through August 30, 2015.

The Fells - NEW!!

Cyan Magenta Yellow Black

www.thefells.org Two passes for each day of the week (no co-pay) (Without pass ticket price \$10 for adult, \$4 for children, discount for seniors, students, and families.) Gardens open year round 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

House open seasonally

SEE Science Center

www.see-sciencecenter.org Three family passes (no co-pay) (Without the library pass, the ticket price for ages three and up is \$8.) Museum of Fine Arts www.mfa.org

Take away FLEX pass – one pass admits two adults (co-pay) NOTE - there is a \$10 co-pay for EACH adult. Some special exhibits require a ticket with an additional charge. (Without the library pass, the ticket price is \$25 (\$23 for

Passes may be checked out for one week. (Take away and FLEX passes are not returned.) Late returns will incur a \$5 fine. Please call the library at 673-7888, or stop by to reserve a pass. The Fells passes made possible by the generous donation of a library patron. Other passes are made possible through the fund raising efforts of the Friends of the Daland Memorial Library.

Mont Vernon Historical Society News

Museum to be OPEN Saturday, June 13

The Mont Vernon Historical Society Museum will be open on Saturday, June 13 from 1-4 p.m. The museum is located on the second floor of the Town Hall on Main Street. It opened twenty-five years ago in 1990. The historical society museums in Amherst and Milford will be open at the same time. All three museums will then be open the second Saturday July through October.

This year exhibits of note include the "Key to Mont Vernon" presented to returning WWI veteran Har-old A Trow. Nine residents of Mont Vernon served in WWI. There will also be a display of old photos and newsletters from the Mont Vernon Village School, and a display of dresses worn by women in the mid-1900s. Ladies' hats from this period are on display as well. In addition, this year a small portion of the actual tea thrown overboard during the 1773 Boston Tea Party will be on display. The story of how it came to

the museum will be on hand. Other exhibits of interest include the window and a bank of mail boxes from the post office that was once located behind the general store, Lamson Farm and Grand Hotel memorabilia, two quite rare antique Nutter clocks, a row of eight David Dutton clocks, and a quilt made by the King's Daughters' organization that includes a square that is over 150 years old. There is also a small library in the museum and a selection of historical society books, note cards, and T-shirts for sale in the museum's store. There is no charge to visit the museum.

Consider supporting the museum by becoming a member. New members are always welcome. Annual dues are \$10; lifetime dues are \$100. Checks may be made out to Mont Vernon Historical Society and mailed to the Mont Vernon Historical Society, PO Box 15, Mont Vernon, NH.

Mont Vernon Congregational Church **United Church of Christ**

4 South Main Street

Mont Vernon

Email address: montvernonchurch@comcast.net Web site: www.montvernonchurch.org

Church Office: 673-3500 Hours: Tuesdays and Thursday 9 a.m. - 1

Pastor: Rev. Judie Bryant

Mid-week service, ReNew, is held every Tuesday evening from 6:30 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Our monthly free Community Dinner at Mont Vernon Congregational Church, 4 South Main Street, Mont Vernon, will be held on Thursday, May 21, from 5-7 PM. Dinner is open and free to all, donations happily accepted but not required. On the menu this month: Chicken Pot Pie, Mac & cheese, salad and dessert. Please join us. For more info, please call 673-3500.

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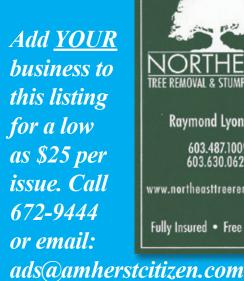
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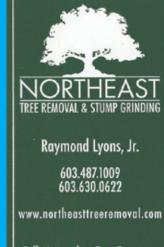
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