



PIGEON TALES

Welcome Hank Moorehouse!

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We are very pleased to present to you a fun-filled evening of family entertainment featuring Hank Moorehouse and his magical skills at the library on Wednesday, February 13th, from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Hank Moorehouse is one of the top comedy magicians in Michigan; he also happens to be a resident of White Pigeon!

There is no cost to attend the program, but seating will be limited, so if you'd like to attend, you'll need to pick up your free tickets at the library between February 1st and 12th. Tickets are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Regretfully, we must request that children under the age of 5 do not attend the program.



It's Time for a Book Sale

Do you need to stock up on your winter reading supply? Then you won't want to miss our mid-winter book sale! It will run Friday and Saturday, the 22nd & 23rd of February, during regular business hours. Most books will be \$2 a bag. Movies and Audio Books will be \$1 each. Please stop in, you're sure to find something you'll like!

Coming Soon ... Computer Classes!

Have you been wanting to brush up on your computer skills? Do you have a new computer and have questions? We will be offering a variety of computer classes, free to library patrons, during the first three weeks of March. *Eek! It's a Mouse* will get you comfortable using a mouse; *The Wonders of Word* will help you learn to type a letter or create a flyer in Microsoft Word; *Into the Internet* will help you find your way on the World Wide Web; *E-mail Essentials* will show how to set up and use a Yahoo e-mail account. A complete schedule will be available at the library mid-February. Do you have any other computer training needs not covered here? Please call and let us know, and we'll see if we can help!

Lunch & Lit Club



The group meets on the third Monday of each month at 11:30 a.m.

If you'd like to join us, please stop in to pick up a copy of the current book!

For this month's selection, as we are unable to inter-loan books for the group to read, we are each going to be reading a memoir of our own choosing. The library has a great section of memoir-type books in the non-fiction area. If you don't already know where they are, just ask and we'll point you in the right direction!

If you don't have time to browse, here are some suggestions:

*Tuesdays with Morrie by Mitch Albom

*A Long Way Gone: Memoirs of a Boy Soldier by Ishmael Beah

*Dispatches from the Edge by Anderson Cooper

*The Bondwoman's Narrative by Hannah Crafts

*Schindler's List by Thomas Keneally

*The Tender Bar by J.R. Moehringer

New Books Checklist

On the shelf now:

__Steven King *Duma Key*

__Sue Miller *Senator's Wife*

__Jennifer Crusie

Getting Rid of Bradley

__Charlaine Harris *Dead Until Dark*

__John Grisham *Appeal*

__Judith A. Jance *Hand of Evil*

__Sue Grafton *T is for Trespass*

__Laurell Hamilton *Burnt Offerings*

__Laura Lippman *Charm City*

Due out February 1—7

__Lisa Scottoline *Lady Killer*

__T. Jefferson Parker *L.A. Outlaws*

__Debra Webb *Nameless*

__Dana Stabenow *Prepared for Rage*

__Ralph Compton *Shadow*

__James Patterson *7th Heaven*

__Tamar Meyers *As the World Churns*

__Kristen Hannah *Firefly Lane*

__Michael Palmer *First Patient*

__James W. Hall *Hell's Bay*

__Stephanie Laurens

Where the Heart Leads

__Robert Parker *Stranger in Paradise*

__Russell Banks *The Reserve*

Due out February 8-14

__Martha Grimes *Dakota*

__M.C. Beaton *Death of a Gentleman*

Due out February 15-21

__Nancy Atherton

Aunt Dimity, Vampire Hunter

__Wilson Budge *Before Green Gables*

__Alex Berenson *Ghost War*

__Will Lavender *Obedience*

__J.D. Robb *Strangers in Death*

Due out February 22 –28

__Jeanne Willis *Cottonball Colin*

__Ruth Strother *W is for Woof*

__Danielle Steel *Honor Thyself*

__Therese Fowler *Souvenir*

Story Time for Preschoolers



Children who are not yet in kindergarten, but are at least three years of age are invited to join us on Wednesday's for Story Time!

Bring your little one for this half-hour program (from 10—10:30) which includes a story and lots of fun!

Dates for February are: 6th, 13th, 20th and the 27th.

Thursday is Craft Day!

Don't forget ... every Thursday after school, you can do a different craft project in the Children's Room. You don't need to sign up, just be here between 3:30 and 5:00, whatever time suits your schedule. Any school-age child can take part in the craft.



This One's for the Girls

Dance, dance, dance! Girls in 6th grade and up can join Jerry Wright for an afternoon of moving and grooving at the library.

Jerry is the director of a studio in Three Rivers called "It's Your World", where he is also a dance instructor. His most popular class among younger people is a Sports/Dance class, and he'll be touching on the highlights of that class as well as others at our program.

Please sign up if you'd like to attend! The program is on Monday, February 18th from 1:30—3:30.



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February Calendar

- 6 Preschool Story Time 10:00
- 7 After-school Craft 3:30-5:00
- 13 Preschool Story Time 10:00
- 13 *Hank Moorehouse 5:30
- 14 Afterschool Craft 3:30-5:00
- 18 *This One's For the Girls
1:00
- 20 Preschool Story Time 10:00
- 21 Afterschool Craft 3:30-5:00
- 22-23 Book Sale
- 27 Preschool Story Time 10:00
- 28 Afterschool Craft 3:30-5:00

*Must sign up for this program.



Friends Wanted! If you would like to join the Friends of the Library, please fill out this form and return it to the library with \$3 for your annual dues. Members take part in various activities which benefit the library and provide for things that might not otherwise fit into the budget. The group meets about once every four months.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Services for Library Patrons

Inter-library Loan: We can help you find just the book you're looking for. If we don't own it, we should be able to get it for you through our state-wide interloan program.

In addition to our regular fiction and non-fiction holdings, we also have **large print books** and **audio books** (tape and CD).

Movies: Patrons may borrow movies for 2 days at a time.

Computers: We have 16 computers for public use.

Free Wireless Internet: Just bring your laptop in!

Genealogy / Local History: Visit our History Room! We have census records and some newspapers on microfilm; we also have many obituaries, family histories, and vintage scrapbooks. Patron can now access Heritage Quest online both at the library and at home ... ask us to show you how!

Home Delivery: We offer free delivery services for the homebound. Please call if you would like more information.

Online Database: Visit our website and click on "Online Catalog". (www.whitepigeonlibrary.org)

Miscellaneous Services:

copies .15; color copies from scanner \$1.00

laminating .75 for an 8.5 X 11 sheet

fax (sending) \$2 for the first page, \$1 for each additional page

fax (receiving) \$1 for up to 10 pages, .25 for each additional page.