# Friends of the Library, Dearborn Newsletter

**June 2017** 

The purpose of this non-profit organization shall be to foster closer relations between the Dearborn Department of Libraries, the Dearborn city government, and the people of Dearborn; and further to promote knowledge of, and informed interest in, the functions, services, resources and needs of the public library.

#### **USED BOOK SALE**

Greetings to all loyal FOLD members! Thanks to all who patronized our May sale, you helped us generate \$2,648.86! This total includes sales from our 2<sup>nd</sup> floor shelves at HFCL, some online sales, and our FOLD table at the Bryant branch library. In addition to our usual stellar collection of books, DVDs, music discs, magazines, etc., our **June 7**th sale will feature book club sets at 50 cents per book, and tons of paperbacks for only 25 cents each! This is the perfect time to stock up for beach and/or backyard reading for the summer.

In our children's area we will have a new selection of nonfiction books, a great assortment of fiction for all ages, and lots of clearance items.

Our **July 5th** sale will feature freshly stocked shelves and carts in the book sale room and hallway and our special feature will be a bag sale! You will be able to buy a large paper bag for just \$3 and then fill it up with any items found on the tables and/or carts in the rotunda area.

The July sale is our last sale until October, so mark your calendars and be sure to stock up!

Please keep FOLD in mind if you have books, vinyl records, compact discs, DVDs, etc. that are fairly new and in good shape, as we can always use more donations of nice, quality items. We are especially in need of vinyl record albums, newer textbooks, nonfiction books, and children's materials. Donations can be brought in on book sale day and given directly to FOLD, or they can be dropped off in the library administration hallway any other day.

We look forward to seeing everyone on **June 7**<sup>th</sup> and then again on **July 5th**, from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Please come in and support programming at your local library by making a purchase and/or donation. Thanks, and have a great summer!

Laura Litterio FOLD Book Sale Coordinator

#### LIBRARY NEWS

As always, there is a lot going on at the library; check www.dearbornlibrary.org for a complete listing.

#### **Summer Reading Programs**

Summer reading programs for everyone, adults included, begin Monday, June 19 and conclude on Saturday, July 28. Read or listen to books, attend programs and be eligible for weekly prize drawings. Detailed information will be available on the website by early June, or call 313-943-2330.

#### Author visit - Thursday, June 22, 6:30 p.m., HFCL

Please plan to attend this very special evening with New York Times Best Selling and Pulitzer Prize winning author Glenn Frankel. Mr. Frankel will be here to talk about and sign copies of his new book "High Noon: the Hollywood Blacklist and the Making of a Hollywood Classic." Copies of this book will be available for purchase. You may reserve a seat (free of charge!) by visiting the website or by calling 313-943-2330.

### It's a hoopla summer!

Hoopla is the name of the library's streaming product. Watch movies, or listen to music albums and audio books with your Dearborn Public Library card, instantly. You can download the free hoopla digital mobile app on your Android or iOS device or visit hoopla to begin enjoying thousands of titles from major Hollywood studios, record companies and publishers. They are available to borrow for instant streaming or temporary downloading to your smartphone, tablet or computer. The checkout limit for this service is 10 items per month per cardholder but shhh! Don't tell anyone. summer the limit will be raised to 15 titles per month. Enjoy extra checkouts in June, July and August. Hoopla is perfect for those longer car trips or for downloading books to enjoy while working outside. And you can count them for the Summer Reading program, too!

## Holiday hours and Saturdays/Sundays

All Dearborn libraries will be closed Saturday, May 27 thru Monday, May 29 for Memorial Day weekend. Please remember that the libraries will be open for Saturday hours year-round - Henry Ford Centennial will be open 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Bryant and Esper will be open from 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

During the summer, Centennial Library will be closed on Sundays from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend.

### BLOCKBUSTER FILMS 7:00 p.m. Henry Ford Centennial Library

## **June 5 - Wolf Totem** (2015)

The 1960s, the final heyday for the people of the Inner Mongolian grasslands - a time when an age-old balance based on culture and tradition was maintained between the nomads, their livestock, and the wild wolves who roamed the plains. Chen Zhen, a student from Beijing volunteers to live in a remote nomadic settlement. There, he discovers life of apparent idyllic simplicity based on an eternal struggle between the wolves and the humans in their fight to survive. Once the careful balance between the wolves and humans is disrupted, however, culture and tradition are damaged, and the environment suffers. Chinese language with English subtitles (Rate PG-13, 121 min.)

# **June 12 - A Dog's Purpose** (2017)

A Dog's Purpose shares the soulful and surprising story of one devoted dog who finds the meaning of his own existence through the lives of the humans he teaches to laugh and love.

(Rated PG, 100 min.)

# June 19 - A Street Cat Named Bob (2016)

Based on the international best selling book. The true feel-good story of how James Brown, a busker and recovering drug addict, had his life transformed when he met a stray ginger cat. *Staff pick* (Not rated, 103 min.)

# June 26 - Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them (2016)

The adventures of writer Newt Scamander in New York's secret community of witches and wizards seventy years before Harry Potter reads his book in school.

(PG-13, 133 min.)

# A Big Thank You to our Library Staff

The FOLD volunteers greatly appreciate the assistance we receive from the dedicated library staff, who frequently work behind the scenes. Heading this list are the custodians who set up, clean up and assist us all day long. The very talented media personnel who help with our flyers and other print materials are amazing. Also, we thank the audio visual technicians, the computer experts and the circulation department that sells the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor FOLD materials. We reserve a special thank you to Deputy Library Director Julie Schaefer, who is our Library liaison for her helpful and cheerful assistance.

### **FOLD "Report Card"**

The money earned from the used book sales is used to provide many valuable benefits to the Dearborn libraries. Among them are:

- FOLD lecture speakers
- Blockbuster Film series (including projectionist salary)
- Adult winter reading program (programs & prizes)
- Movie Licensing USA fee and Motion Picture licensing fees
- Grand prizes for summer reading program
- Reading wrap-up party costs
- Giveaways for community outreach including change purses, flashlights, keychains
- Book Page subscriptions/Adult New Reader's Press subscription
- 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program tote bags, t-shirts
- Classics Revisited book program
- 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Groundbreaking celebration (bookmarks, cake, decorations)
- Michigan Women's Hall of Fame display
- Plate engraving for the Little Free Library
- Banners to publicize used book sale
- Bellini Opera series
- Computer class instruction
- Animal programs
- Publicity expenditures

# President's Message

Many thanks to Jean Willemse who is stepping down as the FOLD Historian after many years. Jean will remain on the FOLD board as a member at large and is continuing as a dedicated volunteer for the used book sale. We welcome two new members to the FOLD board: Toni Tront who is the new Historian/Parliamentarian and Maya Soden who will be writing our new Facebook page.

Don Valocik

## FOLD WECOMES NEW MEMBER Lila A. Adamczyk

The next newsletter will be mailed in September. If you are wondering when your FOLD yearly membership is due, check the mailing address sticker on your newsletter - your renewal date is shown there.

FOLD phone: 313-943-2023



# **BOOK & MEDIA SALE**

# WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7 9:30am—6:00pm HENRY FORD CENTENNIAL LIBRARY

# Stock up for summer.

This month we are featuring:

Book Club Sets, Paperback Fiction, plus *much more*.

# Mark the date for this great sale.

In the Children's & Teen areas:

Fiction for all ages, and many clearance items. Paperbacks, Magazines, DVD's, CD's, VHS.



All sale proceeds benefit Dearborn Public Library.

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