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Make A Splash at Your Library

Penn Lake was the setting for the White Haven Area Community Library's summer reading program. Nearly 50 registered children attended for a week full of special guests, which included a magician, Bear Mountain Butterfly Sanctuary, Meteorologist Noreen Clark, and Kathy Long a storyteller. There were also games, crafts, and water related activities. At the end of the week all participants in the program were awarded prizes for attending. Throughout the week monetary donations were collected and presented to Penn Lake for their ongoing playground project.



New Books Added to Shelves

The following editions have recently been added to the shelves in the library/coffee shop.

- *Days of Infamy — A Fictional Account of the Pacific Area Campaigns of World War II 1939-1945* by Newt Gingrich and William Forstchen in memory of Walter Cosgrove by Bob and Ann Bowen
- *Spoken from the Heart* by Laura Bush
- *Teaching the Pig to Dance* by Fred Thompson
- *Private* by James Patterson and Maxine Paetro
- *The Lion* by Nelson DeMille
- *Sizzling Sixteen* by Janet Evanovich
- *Chopping Spree* by Diane Mott Davidson
- *Death by Cashmere* by Sally Goldenbaum
- *Tales of the Towpath: Adventures Along the Lehigh and Delaware Canals* by Dennis Scholl, presented to the library as a gift following his presentation at the volunteer breakfast
- *The Kitchen Garden* by Alan Buckingham
- *Put 'Em Up* by Sherri Brooks Vinron in memory of June Searfoss by KME Fire Apparatus Company



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Pictured is a sampling of happy faces of children having a great time at the annual reading program in August.



Annual "Taste" Event Big Success



Nearly 200 people attended the third annual Taste of White Haven event held on September 11 at St. Patrick's Parish Hall. Guests enjoyed samples of area cuisine from nine area restaurants and an independent chef as well as domestic and imported wines and beer. Participating this year were Weaver's Restaurant, The Feed Mill, Jack's Grill, Sitkos Barn, The White Haven Bakery, Antonios, The Ugly Mug, Weatherly Country Inn, Main Street CoffeeWorks and independent chef, Larry Joffe.

Highlighting the evening was a presentation of an old railroad sign from the station formerly owned by the Jersey Central railroad. The sign had been procured years ago prior to the demolition of the building by former resident Charles Feist. It was presented to Board President Marla Doddo by Diane Lamson, niece of Feist and Edna Radley, sister of Feist.

A brief Engine House project update was presented by Charlotte Carter, member of the Building Fund committee. Carter explained that the outside landscaping and drainage systems are finished; however, the final paperwork and invoicing is still in the process of being completed by Penn DOT. The next step will be to install the geothermal piping system in the grassy area south of the Engine House after Penn DOT approves the engineering plan and the project is put out for bids. Inside work cannot be started until the outside work is completed.



Arlene and Alan Thomas proudly displaying their top shelf "mystery" bottle of wine.



Cindy and Jack Crosley of the White Haven Bakery posing for the camera.



Melissa Lamson with her dad, Bob Lamson, sampling smoked pork from Weaver's Restaurant.



Partygoers Rosemary and Ron Sturgeon enjoying wine and library displays.



Pictured with the old railroad sign being donated to the Engine House are left to right, Diane Lamson, Vice President of the Board, Edna Radley, sister of Charles Feist, who salvaged and saved the sign, and Marla Doddo, President of the Board.

Volunteers Honored at Annual Breakfast



Shown left to right: Marla Doddo, Board President, Dennis Scholl, guest speaker and author, Jill Bauersfeld, Operations Chairperson, and Diane Lamson, Board Vice President.

Board President Marla Doddo welcomed library volunteers at the annual recognition breakfast held on June 19 at Sitko's Farmhouse Catering. Each person in attendance was introduced and applauded for their efforts in maintaining the viability of the library. Guest speaker for the event was Dennis Scholl, author of the *Tales of the Towpath* and community educator representing the Delaware and Lehigh Corridor Commission.

Listed below are 2009-2010 volunteers who donated their time and expertise to the library:

- Diane Akers
- Nancy Andres
- Peter Badowski
- Jill Bauersfeld
- Virginia Bell
- Molly Brobst
- Charlotte Carter
- Louise Covelens
- Deb D'Angola
- Marla Doddo
- Evelyn Erath
- Mary Falcone
- Mary Fineran
- Ann Flaim
- Tara Gallagher
- Shirley Getz
- Ruth Gilles

- Robin Golden
- Carrie Greenberg
- Bob Heaman
- Pat Heaman
- Patty Horn
- Melissa Hudock
- Lynne Jarick
- Ana Kuhns
- Bob Lamson
- Alma Love
- Valerie Love
- Sigrid Magagna
- Tracy Michaels
- Renee Monahan
- Amanda Neidlinger
- Bernie Perch
- JoAnne Perch
- Nancy Pilecki
- Maryann Radjavitch
- Beth Raiola
- Dona Reinmiller
- Joan Sauers

- Eleanor Schofield
- Kathy Shahbazian
- Tom Shahbazian
- Marge Sharples
- Diane Shedden
- Laura Smith
- Domenica Solarek
- Kathy Spolowich
- Kaye Steele
- Mike Steele
- Jeff Taylor
- Maxine Thiel
- Arlene Thomas
- Allan Thomas
- John Toft
- Mary Toft
- Mary Trainer
- Shirley Trowbridge
- Graham Tynemouth
- Mark Yanus
- Chyrl Zickgraf

Committee Plans for Engine House Operations



Members of the operations committee met with District Consultant, Maryann Yonki to discuss the procedure for qualifying for state funding after the library moves into the Engine House. Seated from left to right are: Louise Covelens, Kathy Spolowich and Sigrid Magagna. Standing are Maryann Yonki and Jill Bauersfeld