

# Lucille E. Dearth Union Township Library

## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

195 N. BROADWAY STREET, UNION CITY, MICHIGAN



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#### **NEW MANAGER**

The Dearth Union Library welcomes our new Branch Manager, Judy Gottschalk, who is replacing the retiring manager, Pat Kaniewski. Judy worked

as a paraprofessional for the Union City Community Schools for 24 years. She has worked for the Branch District Library since 2008, recently as the clerk at the Sherwood Branch. Judy is a Union City resident, so the library should never



have a Snow Day! Her vision of the future of the library is to expand the Children, Teen and Adult programming.

#### INVASION OF THE NOOKS

The Nooks have arrived. The
Friends of the Library have purchased Barnes &
Noble e-readers called Nooks. These devices hold
hundreds of books in an easy to carry and easy to
use format. If you have never tried an e-reader, stop
by the library and take a tour. We will be happy to
demonstrate them. The Nooks have a variety of
books, both classical and New York Times Best
Sellers. Teen books are also included. Currently one
Nook is devoted to children up to eight years old
and contains Read-To-Me stories and alphabet and
number exercises. For a complete list of contents
go to

https://branchdistrictlibrary.org/nook

### SUMMER READING PROGRAM

The Summer Reading Program is being planned. The program will run from June 13<sup>th</sup> to July 26<sup>th</sup>. The theme for this year is Fizz, Boom, Read for children. Many programs are being planned with two programs already confirmed. One is a Made in Michigan Program by Dynamic West and an earthquake program by Peter Voice of WMU. Please contact the library for more information.

#### COMING EVENTS

June – July Mad Scientist Kids Crafts

June 14<sup>th</sup> Father's Day Coffee 10:00

**June 25<sup>th</sup>** Don of Dynamic West presents made in Michigan program at 10:00.

**July 11<sup>th</sup>** Peter Voice WMU presents Teen earthquake from 1-2:00 PM.

July 16<sup>th</sup> Teen Build A BOT 3:00 to 4:00

July 23<sup>rd</sup> Family Scientist Night

July 26<sup>th</sup> Summer Reading Roundup starts at 10:00

Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> Family Back to School Book Bingo

**Aug** Watch for information on this year's Pine Car Derby Race.



Check out our Facebook page for up to date information on the Summer Reading Program

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Or www.facebook.com/BDLUnion

#### LIBRARY MILLAGE PROPOSAL

On the August 5th primary ballot there will be proposal for a millage for the Branch District Library. This is the first increase in millage for the library since 1991 and will last for eight years. It will replace funding lost from other sources and overcome cuts from ever increasing costs. This millage will support our library in several ways:

- Library hours will be restored to previous levels.
- More new books will be purchased
- More funding for additional programs and activities.

#### **NEW KID'S BOOKS**



Scholastic Discover More: Emergency Vehicles by Penelope Arlon (Author) An exciting and modern reference book about emergency vehicles for emergent readers.



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Happy Birthday Hamster (Hot Rod Hamster) by Cynthia Lord (Author), Derek Anderson (Illustrator) Pink cake, blue cake, chocolate through-and-through cake.

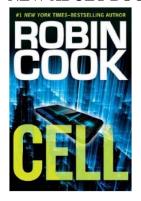
Short cake, tall cake, cannot-eat-it-all cake. WHICH WOULD YOU CHOOSE?



Scholastic Discover More: Titanic by Sean Callery
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TITANIC encourages children to think for themselves about what caused this great disaster, and how it could have been averted.

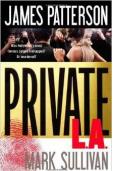
#### **NEW ADULT BOOKS**



CELL by Robin Cook. George Wilson, M.D., a radiology resident in Los Angeles, is about to enter a profession on the brink of an enormous paradigm shift, foreshadowing a vastly different role for doctors everywhere. The smartphone is poised to take on a new role in medicine, no longer as a

mere medical app but rather as a fully customizable personal physician capable of diagnosing and treating even better than the real thing. It is called iDoc. Then several of his patients die after undergoing imaging procedures. Is it possible that iDoc is being subverted by hackers? This novel is available on the Nook.

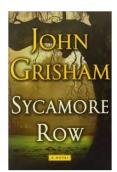
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**Private L.A.** by James Patterson

Thom and Jennifer Harlow are the perfect couple, with three perfect children. They maybe two of the biggest mega movie stars in the world, but they're also great parents, philanthropists and just allaround good people. When they

disappear without a word from their ranch, facts are hard to find.



**Sycamore Row (Jake Brigance)** by John Grisham

John Grisham's A Time to Kill is one of the most popular novels of our time. Now we return to that famous courthouse in Clanton as Jake Brigance once again finds himself embroiled in a fiercely controversial trial-a trial that will

expose old racial tensions and force Ford County to confront its tortured history. This novel is available on the Nook.

**Kiss And Tell; A Family Affair** and **Classified** by Fern Michaels

The Mix & Match Guide to Companion Planting by Josie Jeffery

**Poison spring : a Frontier Story** by Johnny D. Boggs



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