



Spring 2016

COMMUNITY EVENTS

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Now through May 18 (Wednesday): **Library accepting items for Friends Annual Book Sale.** Bring your donations to the Main Circulation Desk and to the Children's Department. **Opportunities to assist** sorting books and other donated items, preparing the room for the actual sale, and helping during the sale. Let us know if you're interested.

May 19 (Thursday) from 6 to 8:30 P.M. - **MEMBERS ONLY NIGHT.** If you are not a Friends member, you may join at the door.

May 20 (Friday) from 2 to 5 P.M. (\$3 entry fee for non-members) and May 21 (Saturday) from 10 A.M. to 3 P.M. (free to all) - **Annual Book Sale** - Peirce Conference Room (items for children and young adults) and the Community Room.

May 26 (Thursday) at 7 P.M. - Third **Zip One Book Symposium** in the Library's Community Room.

June 8 (Wednesday) through June 11 (Friday) - **2nd Open Juried 3D Object Art Show** - Exhibited in several areas of the Library. Entries accepted through Tuesday, May 31. Early-bird registration through May 16.

June 10 (Friday) - **Reception and Awards Ceremony** on the first floor of the Library. Artists, their guests and the general public are welcome. Please join us.

Agawam Public Library
750 Cooper Street
413-789-1550
www.agawamlibrary.org



IT'S ON ITS WAY! The Annual May Book Sale!

What better place to stock up for summer reading at prices that may beat Amazon's? How better to add puzzles, music and movies to your home collection?

Spring cleaning? Moving? Just wanting to lighten the load of "stuff" in your life? Are you a recycler? Then the Book Sale is for you! The Friends are happy to accept these gently-used items: books (for adults, teens and children; hard and soft cover; regular and large print), movies and television shows (DVDs), music of any genre (CDs), audio books (CDs), computer games, puzzles and board games. Please ensure that all CD and DVD sets contain all the original, undamaged discs and that puzzles and games are complete. We do not offer for sale items that are damaged by water, smoke, mold, rough usage, food spills, excessive dust - you get the idea - nor do we sell sets of encyclopedias, Reader's Digest condensed books, out-of-date textbooks or health manuals, and audio or video cassettes. Please do not include these items among your donations.

Plan to take advantage of our May Sale. Find something you'll like in mystery, romance, cookbooks, gardening, history, do-it-yourself, classics, self-help, science fiction and many more categories. Bring your whole family: children and young adults will find books, music, movies, games, etc., just for them. Please remember, **sales are cash only.**

Find full details about donations, Sale dates and times, and volunteer opportunities on the Friends page at www.agawamlibrary.org.

Satisfy your curiosity about what goes on behind the scenes. Sign up to help us sort books. Up until May 18, Friends will sort on Thursdays from 1 to 3 P.M. and most Tuesday evenings from 7 to 8:30 P.M. Additional sorting sessions may be scheduled for Tuesday afternoons. If this is something you'd like to do, let our Book Team know at 413-786-5506.

Thursday, May 19, will offer more opportunities to lend a hand. That day, we'll take items out of boxes, arrange them on tables, post signs and so forth. If you have some time between 1 and 5 P.M. that day and would like to help set up the Sale room, give us a call. And if you'd like to be part of the actual Sale days, again, let the Book Team know, 413-786-5506.

Zip One Book Symposium - Thursday, May 26, 7 P.M.

Agawam's readers will meet for the third time in the Library's Community Room to discuss a book all will have read. The book has not yet been determined, so check the Library's home page events listing over future weeks for the selected title. Please register for this event either on the Library's web site or by calling Cher Collins, the Adult Services Librarian, at 413-789-1550.

1st Open Juried 3D Art Object Show

Contact Bob Kadis at r.kadis@comcast.net or at (413) 789-4814, or go to the Friends page on the Library's web site, www.agawamlibrary.org/about/friends for full entry information. Hard copy of the entry form is also available at the Friends Information Board in the Library gallery.

FOR MEMBERS ONLY



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AGAWAM PUBLIC LIBRARY,
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upon a one-time presentation of this coupon,
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on any day of
the Friends 2016 Annual Book Sale.*

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