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### Friends of PCL Used Book Sale

The 2009 Friends of the Parkland Community Library Used Book Sale will be held from April 18 to April 25. Sorting for the sale will begin on March 28th at Troxell Elementary School.

#### These are the important dates to remember:

March 28: First day of book collection - 8 am to 4 pm

March 30-April 17: Collecting and sorting books.

April 10 - NO COLLECTION, SCHOOL CLOSED FOR EASTER

We are always looking for more volunteers, ESPECIALLY people who can lift and carry 25 lb. boxes.

If you are interested in helping at the book sale, contact either Ila Dietrich at 610-395-3910 or Judy Kemmerer, 610-799-2287. Ila and Judy also can be reached via e-mail at either [ndietrich@enter.net](mailto:ndietrich@enter.net) or [jkemm@ptd.net](mailto:jkemm@ptd.net).

### Membership Update

Friends of the Parkland Community Library is an auxiliary group whose purpose is to supplement library services. Membership is open to all individuals interested in promoting library services, facilities and the needs of the library. Membership dues, in part, cover the expenses incurred by Friends of PCL, such as programs, mailings, funding of library materials, etc..

Thank you for keeping your membership current. Now get your friends to join our friends. Show them this newsletter to help them consider how much their library does for us all. A reminder: You can pick up a membership form at the library or download a membership form at the library's website: [www.parklandlibrary.org](http://www.parklandlibrary.org).

## Adult Programs at the Parkland Library

### **Book Quest**

The library's book group for adults meets once a month at 7 pm to discuss a thought-provoking story. New members are always welcome! On January 21<sup>st</sup>, Book Quest will be discussing *In Hovering Flight* by Joyce Hinnefeld. Subsequent meetings will be held on February 18<sup>th</sup> and March 18<sup>th</sup>.

### **Knitting Circle**

Spend a fun afternoon at the library swapping knitting tips and tricks. The group meets from 1:30-4 pm and is open to knitters of all ages and skill levels. Upcoming circles will be held on January 22<sup>nd</sup>, February 26<sup>th</sup> and March 26<sup>th</sup>.

### **Night at the Movies**

Each month, the library screens a unique and often award-winning film at 6:30 pm in the South Whitehall Township building. For more information, please call the library at 610-398-1361 or stop by the Circulation desk at the library. Night at the Movies will be held on January 20<sup>th</sup>, February 10<sup>th</sup> and March 10<sup>th</sup>.

### **January 26th at 1:30 pm – Issues Important to Seniors**

Seniors and caregivers will not want to miss this invaluable program sponsored by State Senator Pat Browne. Learn about the programs and services available to seniors through Senator Browne's office and other PA state departments. Some programs are also available for the disabled, regardless of age. This program will be held in the South Whitehall Township building.

### **February 9th at 7 pm – Polish Your Writing for Publication**

Join a roundtable for people who love to write – and want to do it even better! This discussion, hosted by Kathryn Craft of the Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group, will help you get inspired, learn about the industry and find out how to achieve your writing dreams.

### **March 11th at 7pm – Culture of India**

Travel to India from the comfort of the library! Ms. Prema Deshmuk shares the diversity of Indian culture through music, folk dances, a fashion show, stories and more. This program is sponsored by the University of Pennsylvania Museum of Archaeology & Anthropology and is funded by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

### **March 16th at 7 pm – Irish Music**

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with a live concert! Musician Ed Saultz performs authentic Irish songs and dance tunes, while sharing the tales of Ireland.

## Meet the Author: Joyce Hinnefeld

Wednesday, January 14th at 7 p.m.  
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The #1 Indie Next pick for September, Joyce Hinnefeld's mesmerizing debut *In Hovering Flight* has been hailed by Publisher's Weekly as "provocative and page-turning." Book lovers everywhere should be sure to attend the discussion and book signing with this talented new author. Copies of *In Hovering Flight* will be available to purchase.



Joyce Hinnefeld was born in southern Indiana, the youngest of four children. Her father was a high school science teacher, her mother a secretary and homemaker. She graduated from Hanover College in Hanover, Indiana in 1984, and attended graduate school at Northwestern University and at the State University of New York at Albany. She has lived and worked in Chicago, New York City, and upstate New York, and she now teaches at Moravian College in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

### Friends' Meetings

The meeting dates for this year are: Jan. 8, 2009; Mar.5, 2009 and June 4, 2009. All meetings will be held at the Parkland Community Library, beginning at 7:00 p.m..

### Please Send Us Your E-mail Address

There are times when we would like to update everyone quickly as to a change in event plans or to send the word out that we could use a volunteer or two. We know that many of you would benefit from these last minute updates and/or would love to help out, but sometimes a phone chain is just too long. Please send us your email address, along with your name, the fact that you are a Friend of the Parkland Community Library and any other information you wish to update to Gwynn Krempasky at [gellenk@aol.com](mailto:gellenk@aol.com).

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and book signings.**

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[www.parklandlibrary.org](http://www.parklandlibrary.org)**

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!!**

