



# THE LIBRARY PAGE

The monthly newsletter by The Friends of the Blue Hill Public Library

## WHO WE ARE

The Friends of the Blue Hill Library is a volunteer group that raises funds for a variety of library purposes not covered by the library's operating budget.

## WHAT WE DO

We fund: New York Times subscriptions, Must See Movie Series, Play Readings, Opera Previews, Great Decisions Series, Children's Programs, Literacy Programs, purchases of digital media, furniture, a/v equipment, staff appreciation gifts, scholarships for staff and volunteer development, and more!

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## Letter From the President

The long daylight of summer certainly has begun to recede, but the warm days and full schedules continue. I hope you were able to enjoy some of the Library's special summer events.

Pat Horton and her team led another successful and packed series of **Leaping Literacy**, the summer reading program for area children. Participants were treated to days of the written word, as well as science, art, and super heroes.

**Paint the Peninsula** drew huge crowds to see wonderful artwork. Generous patrons and artists helped us raise a good time and impressive dollar amounts to support Library programs. Many thanks to Margret Baldwin for once again organizing this lively event.

We have also had banner weekly used book sales this summer, raising record-breaking sums and sending happy buyers home with good reads. I like to think of the used book sales as part of Blue Hill's recycling efforts. Thanks to all of you who shop, donate books, and volunteer to help with the sales. In September we will resume our schedule of monthly sales on the first Saturday. Please continue to visit us and think of the Library when clearing out your book, CD, and DVD shelves.

I enjoyed many of the special talks in celebration of the Library's 75th anniversary, ranging from the geology of our Bay to the history of the Library itself. More events are scheduled throughout the fall. Check the Library's website for upcoming opportunities and squeeze these interesting programs into your calendar. You'll be glad you did.

I look forward to seeing you at the Library!

Leslie Goode, President, Friends of the Blue Hill Public Library

# Book Nook Book Sales

Saturday,  
September 5,  
9am – 2pm

In the Book Nook  
Blue Hill Public Library

Our weekly summer sales were a huge success with record proceeds!! Many thanks to all who visited, bought—AND DONATED!!! The quality, variety, and number of the books we can offer depends entirely on the donations we receive. Books of all genera are welcome, but of special value are art, poetry, nature, biography and history. Please check with the library for donation guidelines. Because of your generosity, the Friends can continue to offer special programming and purchases at the library.

**MONTHLY SALES RESUME ON SEPTEMBER 5TH** with lots of new titles. And be sure to come and check out the rolling cart and other specials! They will vary from month to month.

Most books remain just a dollar or two, and children may choose one free book from the youth section!

*See you the first Saturday in September!!*

# HAPPY 75TH BHPL: *Let's party like it's 1940!*

Come join us in celebrating the Library's 75th Anniversary of our building at 5 Parker Point Road on October 2nd from 5:00 to 7:00. There will be dancing to the swing stylings of the GSA Jazz Band under the direction of Steve Orlofsky, period costumes optional but highly encouraged with prizes, activities for the kids, treats from local purveyors, and of course, birthday cake. This party is a free community event thanks to our sponsors: Tradewinds Marketplace, Camden National Bank, EBS Building Supplies, the Merle B. Grindle Agency and El El Frijoles. Need more info? Want to volunteer? Interested in sponsorship? Call Shelley at 374-5515 ext. 16 or slatham@bhpl.net.

## Knit Your Own Blue Hill Village Mittens

Happy Birthday to the Blue Hill Public Library! To help celebrate 75 years of a most wonderful library, we have launched the **BLUE HILL VILLAGE MITTEN** pattern and project. Marjorie Yesley who loves our Library and loves to knit conceived the pattern, loosely based on colorful Latvian designs. This is her way to join together knitters in our community on one common project. Everyone who produces a pair (or maybe even five pairs!) will be able to display the mittens created as part of a group show on display in the Howard Room cases from September through November 2015. And, knitters may offer their mittens for sale in November (all at the same set price). The moneys raised from donated mittens will be used by the Friends of the Library to buy holiday gifts for children in the area. We will distribute the purchased gifts in conjunction with other gifts collected during the Library's annual December holiday party.

Go to the Library's website (or check with the staff) to find background information and the mitten pattern, including a chart for the beautiful Blue Hill-inspired design. Colors, sizes and yarns are all up to the knitter. Any yarn or needle sizes will work. This is a great opportunity to knit through random skeins or bits in your stash!

To help knitters with this project, answer questions, and have some fun, group knitting sessions are offered on certain Monday afternoons and Thursday evenings in the Library. Please check the events calendar on the Library website (or the weekly email) for the exact dates. We meet in front of the cozy fireplace downstairs. See you there with your needles (double-pointed or round are ideal) and yarn!

# New on the Shelves

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## Nonfiction

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Dirda, Michael, *Browsings: A Year of Reading, Collecting, and Living with Books*

Rigal, Emily-Anne, *Flawd: How to Stop Hating on Yourself, Others, and the Things That Make You Who You Are*

Rael, Patrick, *Eighty-Eight Years: The Long Death of Slavery in the United States, 1777-1865*

Berkowitz, Eric, *The Boundaries of Desire: A Century of Good Sex, Bad Laws, and Changing Identities*

Donaghue, Chris, *Sex Outside the Lines: Authentic Sexuality in a Sexually Dysfunctional Culture*

DePaulo, Bella, *How We Live Now: Redefining Home and Family in the 21st Century*

Faudem, Joshua, *Mike's Place: A True Story of Love, Blues, and Terror in Tel Aviv*

Korschun, Daniel, *We Are Market Basket: The Story of the Unlikely Grassroots Movement That Saved a Beloved Business*

Proctor, Noble, *A Field Guide to North Atlantic Wildlife: Marine Mammals, Seabirds, Fish, and Other Sea Life*

Nave, Bill, *Student-Centered Learning: Nine Classrooms in Action*

Mullin, Gerard E., *The Gut Balance Revolution: Boost Your Metabolism, Restore Your Inner Ecology, and Lose the Weight for Good!*

Silverstein, Charles, *The Joy of Gay Sex: Fully Revised and Expanded Third Edition*

Chutkan, Robynne, *The Microbiome Solution: A Radical New Way to Heal Your Body from the Inside Out*

Lewis, Marc, *The Biology of Desire: Why Addiction Is Not a Disease*

Williams, Katrina, *Understanding Autism: The Essential Guide for Parents*

Nicoletti, Cara, *Voracious: A Hungry Reader Cooks Her Way Through Great Books*

Helwig, Jenna, *Real Baby Food: Easy, All-Natural Recipes for Your Baby and Toddler*

Meyn, Laura Samuel, *Meatless in Cowtown: A Vegetarian Guide to Food and Wine, Texas-Style*

Abood, Maureen, *Rose Water and Orange Blossoms: Fresh & Classic Recipes from My Lebanese Kitchen*

Cook's Country, *Cook's Country Eats Local: 150 Regional Recipes You Should Be Making No Matter Where You Live*

Lahey, Jessica, *The Gift of Failure: How the Best Parents Learn to Let Go So Their Children Can Succeed*

Leopold, David, *The Hirschfeld Century: Portrait of an Artist and His Age*

Rancourt, Sylvie, *Melody: Story of a Nude Dancer*

Moore, Mandy, *Yarn Bombing: The Art of Crochet and Knit Graffiti*

Scottoline, Lisa, *Does This Beach Make Me Look Fat?: True Stories and Confessions*

Vargas Llosa, Mario, *Notes on the Death of Culture: Essays on Spectacle and Society*

Pellegrino, Charles, *To Hell and Back: The Last Train from Hiroshima*

Strathern, Paul, *Death in Florence: The Medici, Savonarola, and the Battle for the Soul of a Renaissance City*

Bunting, W. H., *The Camera's Coast: Historic Images of Ship and Shore in New England*

Rivlin, Gary, *Katrina: After the Flood*

## Biography

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Daugherty, Tracy, *The Last Love Song: A Biography of Joan Didion*

Downs, Paul, *Boss Life: Surviving My Own Small Business*

Gibbons, Brittany, *Fat Girl Walking: Sex, Food, Love, and Being Comfortable in Your Skin... Every Inch of It*

Goodman, Simon, *The Orpheus Clock: The Search for My Family's Art Treasures Stolen by the Nazis*

Mannix, Kevin, *Weathering Shame*

Meyer, Elizabeth, *Good Mourning*

## Fiction

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Acevedo, Chantel, *The Distant Marvels*

Alcott, Kathleen, *Infinite Home*

Arlidge, M. J., *Eeny Meeny*

Atkins, Ace, *The Redeemers*

Baggott, Julianna, *Harriet Wolf's Seventh Book of Wonders*

Barker, Susan, *The Incarnations*

Brett, Simon, *Mrs Pargeter's Principle: A Cozy Featuring the Return of Mrs Pargeter (First World Publication)*

Brookes, Adam, *Spy Games*

Brown, Sandra, *Friction*

Burke, Shannon, *Into the Savage Country*

Celt, Adrienne, *The Daughters*

Cha, Steph, *Dead Soon Enough: A Juniper Song Mystery*

Cleave, Paul, *Trust No One: A Thriller*

Clifford, Stephanie, *Everybody Rise*

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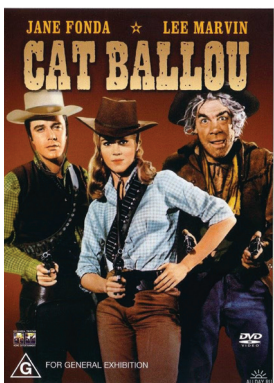
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Crucet, Jennine Capo, *Make Your Home Among Strangers*  
Doig, Ivan, *Last Bus to Wisdom*  
Egan, Elisabeth, *A Window Opens*  
Evans, Lissa, *Crooked Heart*  
Fairstein, Linda, *Devil's Bridge*  
Fossum, Karin, *The Drowned Boy*  
Fox, Lauren, *Days of Awe*  
Galm, Ruth, *Into the Valley*  
Garrett, A. D., *Believe No One: A Thriller*  
Ghosh, Amitav, *Flood of Fire*  
Goodfellow, Richard, *Collector of Secrets*  
Goolrick, Robert, *The Fall of Princes*  
Gottlieb, Eli, *Best Boy*  
Grafton, Sue, *X*  
Griffin, W. E. B., *Deadly Assets*  
Hall, Louisa, *Speak*  
Hoffman, Alice, *The Marriage of Opposites*  
Hopkins, Ellen, *Love Lies Beneath*  
Huchu, Tendai, *The Hairdresser of Harare*  
Keller, Julia, *Last Ragged Breath*  
Kellerman, Jonathan, *The Murderer's Daughter*  
Klaussmann, Liza, *Villa America*  
Koryta, Michael, *Last Words*

LaPlante, Alice, *Coming of Age at the End of Days*  
Lotz, Sarah, *Day Four*  
Macomber, Debbie, *Silver Linings: A Rose Harbor Novel*  
Mario, Helaine, *The Lost Concerto*  
Maron, Margaret, *Long Upon the Land*  
McLaughlin, Emma, *How to Be a Grown-Up*  
Moore, Christopher, *Secondhand Souls*  
Murakami, Haruki, *Wind/Pinball: Two Novels*  
Ostlundh, Hakan, *The Intruder: A Crime Novel*  
Penny, Louise, *The Nature of the Beast: A Chief Inspector Gamache Novel*  
Rankin, Ian, *The Beat Goes on: The Complete Rebus Stories*  
Rich, A. J., *The Hand That Feeds You*  
Saville, Guy, *The Madagaskar Plan*  
Stradal, J. Ryan, *Kitchens of the Great Midwest*  
Todd, Charles, *A Pattern of Lies: A Bess Crawford Mystery*  
Turtledove, Harry, *We Install: And Other Stories*  
Urquhart, Jane, *The Night Stages*  
Urza, Gabriel, *All That Followed*  
Williams, Naomi J., *Landfalls*

## Must See Movies

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### *Cat Ballou* (1965)

Thursday, September 3, 2015  
7:00 pm, Howard Room

**Starring:** Jane Fonda, Lee Marvin, Nat King Cole

**Director:** Elliot Silverstein

**Running Time:** 97 minutes

**Story Line:** Cat Ballou's (Jane Fonda) family farm is being threatened by a rail road that is

coming through. When Cat's father is killed by one of the company's henchmen, she vows revenge, sending for the famous gun man Shelleen (Lee Marvin). Now a drunkard asleep on his horse, Shelleen can help no one—or can he?

*Thanks for your support.*

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or call 207.374.5515



# First Fridays at the Blue Hill Public Library!

BHPL has joined with downtown Blue Hill shops and galleries and the Blue Hill Peninsula Chamber of Commerce for **First Friday** Blue Hill. Participating businesses stay open late on the first Friday of the month and offer special programs and refreshments to the public. The library will remain open until 8:00pm on September 4th and October 2nd providing a good spot to meet up with friends before or after hitting the town. Special events planned at the library are the opening reception of *The Peninsula Painters*, the September art show, from 4-6pm on the 4th and the library's **75th Anniversary Party** on October 2<sup>nd</sup> from 5-7.



## The Peninsula Painters: September Art Show



During the month of September, the Blue Hill Public Library will showcase artwork from more than 70 local artists, in a show titled *The Peninsula Painters*. All of the artists represented in this show participated in *Paint the Peninsula*, the Library's fresh paint fundraiser in July. For this exhibit they will be showing pieces more characteristic of their usual work, created on their own studio time. The exhibit will include a range of paint media and subject matter in a rare group show of so many artists connected to the Blue Hill Peninsula.

**Participating Artists:** Eileen Ahern • Marcie T. Amory • Leslie Anderson • Elise Andreas • Anya Antonovych • Mary Aro • Olena Babak • Margret Baldwin • Charles Fenner Ball • Mary Barnes • Deb Belyea • Wimberley Burton • Kay Carter • Nai Chang • Diana Chase • Johanna Chase • Philip Chase • Katherine Churchill • Avy Claire • Henrietta T. Clews • Stephen Collier • Teddi-Jan Covell • George L. Crosby • Heidi Daub • Linda

Deming • Alison Dibble • Paula Dougherty • Pamela Elias • Kate Emlen • Susan Finsen • Anina P. Fuller • Cynthia Gallant-Simpson • Roberta Greany • Barbara Joy Hare • Nina Hartman • Dorothy B. Hayes • Em Herzstein • Edee Howland • Jill Hoy • Wendy Jagger • Scarlet Kinney • Beth Lambert • Wendy Lewis • Heather Lyon • Donald Mallow • Charles Marbach • Frederica Marshall • Mary B. Martin • Jane McNichol • Rosalani Moore • Rosie Moore • Corey A. Paradise • Patricia Pettigrew • Carolyn Raedle • Rebekah Raye • Penny Ricker • Jerry Rose • Carla Heider • Rosenzweig • Elizabeth Sawyer • Jack Schlueter • Elsie Sealander • Walter Smalling • Bruce Stahnke • Robert Starkey • Judy Steeves • Axel Stohlberg • Sherry Streeter • Judy Taylor • Paul Trowbridge • Adele Ursone • Michael Vermette • Becky Whight.

The public is invited to meet the artists at a reception on Friday, September 4th, 4:00 to 6:00 PM.

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## SEPTEMBER 2015

The local farmer's markets are loading up with fresh apples and squashes and Blue Hill Public Library is loading up with new book arrivals, a new movie screening, a new art show... check us out!

## IN THIS EDITION

BHPL celebrates its **75th Anniversary** on October 2nd. Come join us for a Gala party! The **Peninsula Painters** show will display the work of 70 artists throughout the month and on September 4th, BHPL will stay open until 8 pm to join with Blue Hill shops and galleries for **First Friday**. This month's movie screening is **Cat Ballou**. September's **book sale** takes place Saturday, September 5. And, as always, you'll find the most recent list of **New Titles!**



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## HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
and Friday: 9am – 6pm  
Thursday: 9am – 8pm  
Saturday: 9am – 5pm

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First Saturday of the month,  
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