

**February
2014**

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Check It Out!

CLARK HOUSE

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MALTA BRANCH

1 Bayberry Drive, Malta, NY 12020

Monday-Friday 10am-8pm

Saturday 10am-3pm



Chinese New Year (春节) : Jan. 31—Feb. 6

Welcome to the year of the horse!

Chinese New Year (also called Spring Festival) is celebrated using a lunar calendar.

According to tales and legends, the beginning of Chinese New Year started with the fight against a mythical beast called the *Nian* (年). Nian would come on the first day of New Year to eat livestock, crops, and villagers. To protect themselves, the villagers would put food in front of their doors at the beginning of every year. It was believed that after the Nian ate the food the villagers prepared, it wouldn't attack. One day people saw that the Nian was scared away by a little child wearing red. The villagers then understood that the Nian was afraid of the color red. When the New Year was about to come, the villagers would hang red lanterns and red spring scrolls on windows and doors. People also used firecrackers to frighten away the Nian. From then on, Nian never came to the village again. (Wikipedia.org)

Note to Self: Will U B My Valentine?



We are decorating cookies for ourselves! Proclaim your love for the one person who stays with you from beginning to end: YOU!

@Clark House

Wed., February 12th
4:30 PM

Materials provided! Please advise us of any food allergies.

Please register @roundlakelibrary.org to help us plan for supplies.

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February Groups & Programs

String Student Ensemble Recital

Join us as the students of local instructor, Michelle Stewart, play selections from a variety of composers.
Free and open to the public!

@Clark House
Sat., February 15th, 11 AM



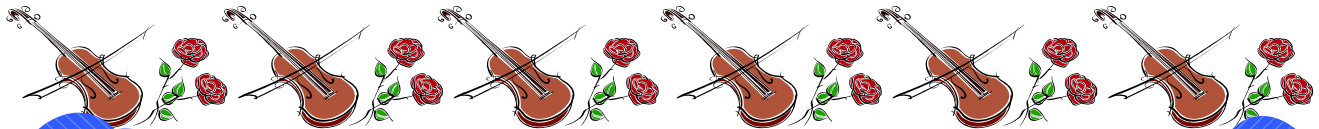
Take Your Child to the Library Day

Come enjoy the many wonderful things the library has to offer:

Drop-in crafts!

Contest: How many books are in the library?
Guess how many books are in the library! Win a tote bag and water bottle! Drawing held on Feb. 3rd.

@Both Branches
Sat., February 1st, All Day

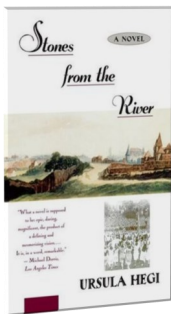


Presidents' Day Hours

Monday, February 17th: 10 AM—3 PM



Morning Book Club

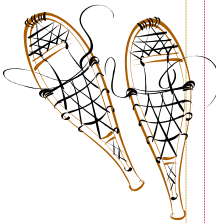


Stones from the River

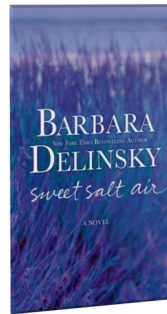
by Ursula Hegl

@Malta

Thur., February 13th
11 AM
Join Us!



Romance! Book Group



Sweet Salt Air

by Barbara Delinsky

@Clark House

Mon., February 24th
6:30 PM

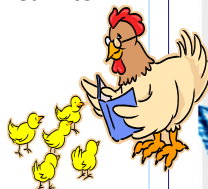
Story Time

Ages 2-5 & caregiver

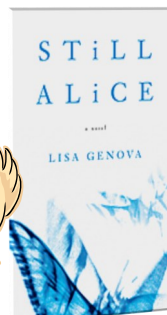
Story Time introduces young children to books, music & other fun activities. Story Time includes the early literacy skills that children must master before they can learn to read.

Wednesday Mornings @Malta
February 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th 11 AM

Thursday Mornings @Clark House
February 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th, 10:30 AM



Evening Book Club



Still Alice

by Lisa Genova

@Malta

Tues., February 11th
7 PM

All welcome!



Hands-On February



MAKE A CHUNKY SCARF USING YOUR ARMS!

Ages 10 & up!

Make a scarf using warm chunky yarn using just your arms as knitting tools.



@Clark House

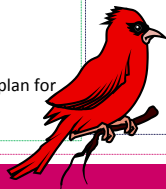
Sat., February 15th : 1 PM

@Malta

Wed., February 19th : 4 PM

Materials Provided!

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GREAT BACKYARD BIRD COUNT!

All Ages!

Come and make a Valentine for the birds! Then discover how to help count birds at the library's feeders for the Great Backyard Bird Count (GBBC). The GBBC is an important Annual Program across the USA and Canada! Please join us for the 17th annual count!

The international 2014 GBBC is an annual four-day event throughout the US and Canada that engages bird watchers of all ages in counting birds to create a real-time snapshot of where they are!

Read more about the program at: www.birdsource.org/gbbc

The GBBC is led by the Cornell Lab of Ornithology and National Audubon Society, with Canadian partner Bird Studies Canada and sponsorship from Wild Birds Unlimited.

@Clark House

Friday, February 14th : 3:30 PM

Materials Provided!

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TEENS & TWEENS: VALENTINE'S WEEK TEEN BOOK LOVE CONTEST

Ages 11 & up

Tell us your favorite romance book & get a raffle ticket. A drawing at each branch for a **box of chocolates** will be held at the end of the day, February 14th

@Both Branches

Mon., Feb. 10th – Fri., Feb. 14th

Enter to win all day for 5 days!
Must not be present to win.



TEENS & TWEENS: MAKE MAGNETS—AN EASY & FUN CRAFT!

Do U ♥ Magnets?

Use Magnets for refrigerators, the car or any metal surface! Make cat magnets, words or the popular heart shape.

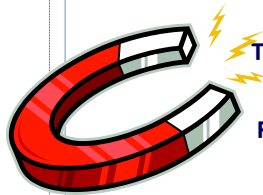
@Malta

Tuesday, February 18th : 4 PM

@Clark House

Friday, February 21st : 11 AM

Materials provided!
No Registration Required!



Knit & Crochet Group

Ages 13 & up

Fiber enthusiasts! Knitters, crocheters, weavers: from experts to beginners, are welcome to join us.

Come with your yarn & creativity! Prepare to be inspired!

@ Malta

Tues., February 25th : 4:30 PM

This is not a class, but all experience levels are welcome... and there is always someone who can



Junior LEGOs™

Ages 5 & up

Join us to build your own creations from our large collection of Legos.

@Clark House

Wed., February 12th , 6 PM

@ Malta

Wed., February 19th , 6 PM

LEGOs provided.

Parents are asked to stay with their children

Preschool LEGOs™

Ages 3-5

Come build with LEGOs: Duplo and traditional!

@Malta

Monday, February 10th , 11 AM

LEGOs provided.

Parents are asked to stay with their children

Teen Movie Fridays!



Jane Austen + Bollywood! In this romantic comedy, a lovely, eligible daughter of socially ambitious parents proclaims: "I will choose my husband, and will choose him for *love*!"

@Malta
Friday, February 7th
6 PM



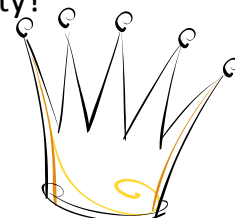
An alien with a taste for peanut butter and chocolate teams up with a BMX-loving boy and his snoopy little sister to make the longest distance phone call ever.

@Malta
Friday, February 21st
6 PM



Fairytales collide with NYC in a story about a princess dropped into our world by an evil queen. After meeting a handsome lawyer, she changes. Can storybook romance survive the City?

@Malta
Friday, February 14th
6 PM



The new girl in school risks everything when she falls in love with a cute boy who is not what he seems to be.

@Malta
Friday, February 28th
6 PM

Films for the Whole Family! Books Made into Films!

A man in a yellow hat looks after his pet monkey - an inquisitive chimp whose enthusiasm often gets both of them into hot water.

@Malta:
Mon., February 17th
1 PM



To help his town, a young man tries his invention: a machine that can turn water into food. Naturally, chaos ensues!

@Clark House
Tues., February 18th
1 PM

A disobedient little boy creates his own world - a forest inhabited by ferocious wild creatures.

@Malta
Wed., February 19th
3 PM

A teen detective happens upon clues to solve a murder mystery involving a movie star.

@Clark House
Thurs., February 20th
3 PM



An adventurous girl finds another world that is a strangely idealized version of her frustrating home, but it has sinister secrets.

@Clark House
Fri., February 21st
3 PM

Set in Jazz Age New Orleans, a young woman kisses a frog prince who desperately wants to be human again.

@Clark House
Sat., February 22nd
1 PM



In Cincinnati at the height of the Great Depression, a resourceful young girl, helps her mother run a boardinghouse after her father loses his job.

@Malta
Sat., February 22nd
1 PM

Mark Your Calendar February 2014

Saturday, February 1	All day	Both Branches	Bring Your Child to the Library Day
Wednesday, February 5	11 AM	Malta	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Thursday, February 6	10:30 AM	Clark House	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Friday, February 7	6 PM	Malta	Teens: Romantic Movie Friday
Monday, February 10	11 AM	Malta	Pre-School LEGO Club (Ages 3-5)
Tuesday, February 11	7 PM	Malta	Evening Book Club
Tuesday, February 11	7 PM	Village Hall	Library Board of Trustees Meeting
Wednesday, February 12	11 AM	Malta	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Wednesday, February 12	4:30 PM	Clark House	Decorate a cookies for ME!
Wednesday, February 12	6 PM	Clark House	Junior LEGO Club (Ages 5-10)
Thursday, February 13	10:30 AM	Clark House	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Thursday, February 13	11 AM	Malta	Morning Book Club
Friday, February 14	All day	Malta	Drawing: Valentine's Week Teen Book Love Contest!
Friday, February 14	3:30 PM	Clark House	Great Back Yard Bird Count
Friday, February 14	6 PM	Malta	Teens: Romantic Movie Friday
Saturday, February 15	11 AM	Clark House	String Student Ensemble Recital
Saturday, February 15	1 PM	Clark House	Make a Chunky Scarf: Using just your arms!
Monday, February 17	1 PM	Malta	Family Movies Based on a Book!
Monday, February 17	3 PM	Both Branches	Early Closure is observance of Presidents' Day
Tuesday, February 18	1 PM	Clark House	Family Movies Based on a Book!
Tuesday, February 18	4 PM	Malta	Teens & Tweens: Make Magnets!
Wednesday, February 19	11 AM	Malta	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Wednesday, February 19	4 PM	Malta	Make a Chunky Scarf: Using just your arms!
Wednesday, February 19	3 PM	Malta	Family Movies Based on a Book!
Wednesday, February 19	6 PM	Malta	Junior LEGO Club (Ages 5-10)
Thursday, February 20	10:30 AM	Clark House	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Thursday, February 20	3 PM	Clark House	Family Movies Based on a Book!
Friday, February 21	11 AM	Clark House	Teens & Tweens: Make Magnets!
Friday, February 21	3 PM	Clark House	Family Movies Based on a Book!
Friday, February 21	6 PM	Malta	Teens: Romantic Movie Friday
Saturday, February 22	1 PM	Clark House	Family Movies Based on a Book!
Saturday, February 22	1 PM	Malta	Family Movies Based on a Book!
Monday, February 24	6:30 PM	Clark House	Romance Book Group: Sweet Salt Air
Tuesday, February 25	4:30 PM	Malta	Knitting and Crocheting Group
Wednesday, February 26	11 AM	Malta	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Thursday, February 27	10:30 AM	Clark House	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Friday, February 28	6 PM	Malta	Teens: Romantic Movie Friday