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Friends' Silent Auction

The Friends of the Library are holding their Annual Silent Auction until November 12th at noon when the bidding ends. This is their 7th Silent Auction and it has lots of wonderful gift baskets and individual items on display throughout the library so come on it, take a look, and place lots of high bids!

If you are into quilting, check out the Quilter's Compass display, if you are into food and drink, check out the New Glarus Brewery basket, Bud Schultz's homemade wine, Bayfield Winery wine, the Warm Wishes Coffee Basket, Vegan Wine Dinner for Five by Pat Sellon, Home raised beef from Witt Farms, Frozen Cheese Curds, Swiss Colony Cookie Jar/New Glarus Bakery Cookies, Swiss Colony Kitchen Basket, another Nifty Kitchen Basket with a homemade apron, 10-piece Cookware Basket, Tea Tray, Tea Basket, Beers of the World Basket, and 3 hand-knit tea cozies by Susie Wetherington.

If you are into decorative arts, check out the Snowman Basket, the Table Runner, Candle Gift Basket, Quilted Framed Picture and Quilted Seat/chair by Sue Wild.

Want to pamper yourself? There is the Overnight Stay at the Chalet Landhaus for Two, the Shear Concept Gift Basket, A Shellac Polish by Erica Appel, Ten

Swimming Passes; the Cozy & Warm Basket, the Nails Unlimited Basket, The Beauty Basket (Longaberger), Pamper Yourself Champagne Bucket, Purse Pals Basket, Library Book Bag & Friends' Cookbook, Afghan, Piano Lessons by Carolyn Hilliard, Pretty In Pink Beauty Basket, and Lots of Puzzles.

Like Sports, try the Badger Football Basket complete with a Badger Football signed by Bret Bielema and the Badger Hockey Ticket Basket.

Need something for your children, there is an All Boys Basket with a Hot Wheels Super Fuel Lab & Ferrari 360 Spider, The American Girl Books & Puzzles, lots of American Girl items, a Collector's Holiday Barbie, A Tales of Peter Rabbit Barbie, an American Girl Coconut Party Favor Kit, and if you are a doll collector, there is an Autumn Porcelain Doll, a Christmas Porcelain Doll, a Musical Christmas Doll, a Jacqueline Porcelain Doll from Judy Crooks, and a handmade Doll Dress by Barb Meier.

Your birds will love the For The Birds Basket, and you may love the Antique 6-Drawer Sewing Cabinet, or a Pur Water Filtration System.

Be sure to stop in often to check your bids and to see what other new items have been added!

Thank you to everyone who donated items, who solicited for

donations, and to Pat Sellon & Lynn Witt for their hours of hard work to make this Silent Auction happen. Now it's up to you—the bidders—to do the rest.

All money raised goes to the library for special items. Thank you Friends and Sponsors.

Movie Day

Carolyn will be showing a movie on the Early Release Day, Wednesday, November 9th at 1:15 p.m. in the library. Children in grades K-4 and caregivers or other adults are welcome.

The movie will be CARS 2 and will last about 102 minutes.

Book Group

The Book Discussion Group will meet on Wednesday, November 16, 2011 at 7:30 p.m. in the library to discuss Helen Simonson's book, MAJOR PETTIGREW'S LAST STAND.

"With courting curmudgeons, wayward sons, religion, race, and real estate in a petty and picturesque English Village, MAJOR PETTIGREW'S LAST STAND is surprisingly wonderfully romantic and fresh." So if you like to read, enjoy discussions, the company of

other readers, and tasty treats, come join us on November 16th. Pat Sellon will be leading the discussion and providing treats. Please bring a list of three books that you'd like to read in 2012!

Happy Thanksgiving

The library will be closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday on Thursday and Friday, November 24th & 25th. We **will** be open on Wednesday until 7:30 p.m. and again on Saturday morning from 9-12. Enjoy the holidays with your families.

New DVDs

Recently purchased titles include: BEAUTIFUL BOY; BONES: SEASON 6; ZOOKEEPER; HORRIBLE BOSSES; ARENA; CHUGGINGTON: THE CHUGGER CHAMPIONSHIP; HERO FACTORY-SAVAGE PLANET; TERRI; JUDY MOODY & THE NOT BUMMER SUMMER; ELMO'S SHAPE ADVENTURE; ANGELINA BALLERINA DANCING ON ICE; THOMAS & FRIENDS MERRY CHRISTMAS, THOMAS; JEREMY FINK & THE MEANING OF LIFE; CRIMINAL MINDS: SEASONS 1 & 2; BUCK; CATE; GREEN LANTERN; PAINTED LADY; THE GRAND; NAPOLEON & LOVE; NAPOLEON; LAND GIRLS: SEASONS 1 & 2; PROHIBITION; NERO WOLFE; RED STATE; VEGGIE TALES: BOB LENDS A HELPING HAND; CHILDREN OF THE CORN-GENESIS; THE CLONE WARS: SEASON 3; ROAD TO CHRISTMAS & RECIPE FOR A PERFECT CHRISTMAS; BATMAN YEAR ONE; BAD TEACHER; MONTE CARLO; SUNDAYS AT TIFFANYS; PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN

ON STRANGER TIDES; WINNIE THE POOH; TOM & JERRY GOLDEN COLLECTION, V. 1; CAPTAIN AMERICA-THE FIRST AVENGER; FATHER OF INVENTION; BUNRAKU; CHARLIE BROWN THANKSGIVING; PEANUTS: SNOW DAYS; THE SMURFS HOLIDAY CELEBRATION; DR. SEUSS'S HOLIDAYS ON THE LOOSE; THE PENGUINS OF MADAGASCAR-ALL NIGHTER BEFORE CHRISTMAS; DEAR SANTA; THE HARIMAYA BRIDGE; GIFT OF THE MAGI; SNOW FLOWER & THE SECRET FAN; THE SANTA INCIDENT; CRAZY STUPID LOVE; WATER FOR ELEPHANTS; CARS 2; STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE BRIGHT LIGHTS BIG SCREEN; TRESPASS; SESAME STREET BYE-BYE, PACIFIER; VICTORIOUS: SEASON 1, V.2; AN INVISIBLE SIGN; and CHRISTMAS WITH THE CHIPMUNKS.

New Adult Books

Some new titles are: HOTEL VENDOME by Danielle Steel; STEVE JOBS by Walter Isaacson; AN O'BRIEN FAMILY CHRISTMAS by Sherryl Woods; THE NEXT ALWAYS by Nora Roberts; KILLING LINCOLN by Bill O'Reilly; ZERO DAY by David Baldacci; CHRISTMAS WEDDING by James Patterson; A LAWMAN'S CHRISTMAS by Linda Lael Miller; A MAN FOR ALL SEASONS by Diana Palmer; BEST OF ME by Nicholas Sparks; THE AFFAIR by Lee Child; DOVEKEEPERS by Alice Hoffman; HEADHUNTERS by Jo Nesbo; PORTRAIT OF CAMELOT by Richard Reeves; SHOCK WAVE by John Sandford; SKELTON LETTERS by Laura Childs;

TEA WITH BEA; TART LOVE by Holly Herrick; KOVELS' ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES PRICE GUIDE; A SECRET RAGE by Charlaine Harris; WHEN SHE WOKE by Hillary Jordan; THE MARRIAGE PLOT by Jeffrey Eugenides; DOUBLE DEXTER by Jeff Lindsay; BONNIE by Iris Johansen; THE NIGHT STRANGERS by Chris Bohjalian; LIONHEART by Sharon Kay Penman; and THE LADY OF THE RIVERS by Philippa Gregory.

New Audio Books

New titles are: THE DOVEKEEPERS by Alice Hoffman; THE RACE by Clive Cussler; 1225 CHRISTMAS TREE LANE by Debbie Macomber; AN ANGEL FOR CHRISTMAS by Heather Graham; SERIOUSLY..I'M KIDDING by Ellen DeGeneres; THE BEST OF ME by Nicholas Sparks; THE MOST DANGEROUS THING by Laura Lippman; HEARTWISHES by Jude Deveraux; NIGHTWOODS by Charless Frazier; LETHAL by Sandra Brown; ONLY YOURS by Susan Mallery; THE GIRL IN THE GARDEN by Kamala Nair; BONNIE by Irish Johansen; GAME OF THRONES by George R. R. Martin; THE CHRISTMAS WEDDING by James Patterson; THE LADY OF THE RIVERS by Phillippa Gregory; and THE NIGHT STRANGERS by Chris Bohjalian.

New CDs

New CDs are: LADY & A GENTLEMAN by Leann Rimes; MYLO XYLOTO by Coldplay; CEREMONIAL by Florence & the Machine; A HOLIDAY CAROLE by Carole King; and FOUR THE RECORD by Miranda Lambert.