

Book Clubs

Lit Wits Book Group Tuesday, May 14 at 6:30 PM

The book group for mature readers will discuss *The Girl With Seven Names: A North Korean Defector's Story*, by Hyeonseo Lee and David John. This book details the life of a young girl growing up in the Hermit Kingdom, her escape from North Korea, and her years-long struggle to survive in China, rebuild her life, and rescue her mother and brother from their bleak existence in their homeland.



Readers Anonymous Book Club Tuesday, May 14 at 6:30 PM

The book group for readers in their 20s and 30s will read *How to Stop Time* by Matt Haig. In this novel, Haig tells the story of 439-year-old Tom Hazard, who ages one year for every 15 human years. After centuries of living through history, he has found the life he wants to lead and the woman with whom to share it. The fact that falling in love is against the rules for people like Tom threatens his newfound happiness. This month's meeting will be off-site. Contact Zach at 356-6166 for meeting details.



Tuesdays with Murder Book Group Tuesday, May 21 at 6:30 PM

This book group is for anyone who enjoys reading mysteries. **Hollywood Mystery Writers of the 20s, 30s, and 40s:** American "hard-boiled" detective fiction in film noir classics. We will focus on:

- **Dashiell Hammett**, creator of the Sam Spade character in novels such as *The Maltese Falcon*, and the Nick and Nora characters in *The Thin Man*.
- **Raymond Chandler**, creator of Philip Marlowe in novels such as *The Big Sleep* and *Farewell My Lovely*
- **James M. Cain**, author of *The Postman Always Rings Twice* and *Double Indemnity*



Daytime Book Club?

Would you be interested in a daytime book club at the library? Let us know! Contact Joan Wheeler at 356-6166.

Wisconsin's Busy Bees & Other Pollinators Thursday, May 16 at 6:30 PM

Director of the UW-Madison Insect Diagnostic Lab **PJ Liesch** will introduce the bees and other pollinators of Wisconsin, discuss the risks they face and what we can do to help encourage our imperiled pollinators. This program is co-sponsored by the library and the Sauk County Master Gardener Association.



**The library will be closed
for Memorial Day
on Monday, May 27.**



Highlights This Month

- Photo Scanning at Baraboo Senior Center
- Scanning Day at the Library
- Pops for Two Piano Duet Concert
- Baraboo Chess Club for Adults
- Friends Book Sale
- Lit Wits Book Group
- Readers Anonymous Book Group
- Wisconsin's Pollinators with PJ Liesch
- Baraboo Reads Celebration for Families
- Tuesdays with Murder Book Group
- Ageism: Causes, Effects & Remedies



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Scanning Day at Senior Center
Monday, May 6 - 12 PM to 3 PM
By Appointment



The Baraboo Public Library photo scanner is coming to the Baraboo Senior Center. Sign up for time to scan your photos to create digital photo files. A staff member from the Baraboo Public Library will be present to assist you.

Bring your own flash drive for saving photo files. Call 356-8464 to request your time with the photo scanner.

This program is co-sponsored by the Baraboo Public Library and the Baraboo Area Senior Citizen Organization.

Scanning Day at the Library
Tuesday, Apr. 23 from 4 to 8 PM
By Appointment

Sign up for time to scan your photos or slides on our equipment. A staff member will be present to assist you.

Bring your own flash drive for saving digital photo files.

Call 356-6166 to request your time with the scanner.



Pops for Two! Piano Duet Concert
Tuesday, May 7 at 6:30 PM

Gretchen Roltgen and **Zach Ott** will play arrangements of pop music, including rock, jazz, Broadway, country, easy listening, and film favorites for your listening pleasure.



Baraboo Chess Club for Adults
Thursday, May 9 at 6 PM

The Baraboo Chess Club is open to all levels of adult players - beginner to experienced. Chess enthusiast and teacher **Robert Blankinship** will guide new players and challenge experienced players. Chess sets will be provided, but feel free to bring your own set. No registration is necessary.



Friends of the Library
Book Sale

Friday, May 10 9 AM to 4 PM
Saturday, May 11 9 AM to 4 PM

- Books for all ages
- Books in all categories
- Prices start at \$1
- Fill-a-bag for \$5 on Saturday from Noon to 4 PM (Bags will be provided)



Ageism: Causes, Effects, & Remedies
Tuesday, May 28 at 6:30 PM



Kris Krasnowski, from the **Wisconsin Institute for Healthy Aging**, will reveal research findings about the cause and prevalence of ageism, how ageism affects your self image and health, and how you can combat ageism in your own life

and community. Co-sponsored by the Baraboo Area Senior Citizen Organization.