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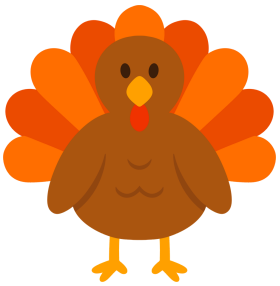

NOVELS, NEWS, AND NOTES

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Welcome to new volunteer and board member Matt Ritter! He earned degrees from LCCC in Digital Media and Kutztown U. in Electronic Media. A computer technician at Salisbury School District, he has been employed by Borders Books and Apple.

We are sorry to announce the passing of former volunteer **Brenda Roth**. Our condolences to her family and friends.

Silent auction: It ends Nov. 7! Place your bids on our 37 fabulous items before it's too late!

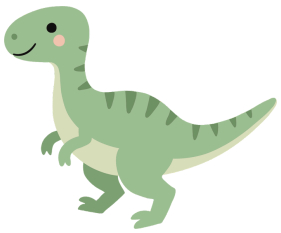
Order shirts and sweatshirts with the BMCL logo and get them in time for Christmas!
- Sizes adult S-XXXL available
- Light gray or medium blue
- BMCL logo in dark blue on left chest
- Unisex crew-neck t-shirts: $11*
- Fitted V-neck shirts: $14*
- Sweatshirts: $20*
- *Adult XXL and XXXL slightly more

Order forms and samples are available at the library through Nov. 20 at noon.

Board meeting: Tues., Nov. 17, 6:30pm

The library is closed on Thurs., Nov. 26 to celebrate Thanksgiving.

Grades 4-6, mark your calendars now for winter programs with 4-H:
Wed., 11/18 at 5:30pm - DiNovember (Registration is open now.; limited spots)
Wed., 1/27 at 5:30pm - bats
Tues., 2/23 at 5:30pm - winter animal adaptations



Preschool Storytime: Wednesday mornings
Nov. 4 at 11am
Nov. 18, Dec. 2, and Dec. 16 at 10:30am
Participants are required to register for <u>each</u> storytime they plan to attend; send child's name, birthdate, parent/guardian's name, and phone number to info@bmcl.org, or provide this info at the library or via 610-863-3029. Deadline is Monday two days prior to each storytime. Spots are limited.

Book group for adults
Email info@bmcl.org to register.

Nov. 10 at 4pm - *Tabitha, Get Up* by Lee Upton
No meeting in Dec.
Jan. 12 at 6:30pm - "book tasting" (come and share a book recommendation or two!)
Feb. 7 at 6:30pm - *The Sideways Life of Denny Voss* by Holly Kennedy

New to the circulating collection
- plus many others!

Adult fiction:
- Hollow Bones (Jodi Picoult)
- The Sideways Life of Denny Voss (Holly Kennedy)
- The Shadow Friends (Tess Gerritsen)
- American Hagwon (Min Jin Lee)
- Double Tap (Vince Flynn and Don Bentley)
- The French Illusion (John Grisham)
- Dream State (Eric Puchner)
- Dolly All the Time (Annabel Monaghan)
- The Mother-Daughter Book Club (Susan and James Patterson)
- Culpability (Bruce Holsinger)
- Say You'll Remember Me (Abby Jimenez)
- Valley of the Moms (Hannah Selinger)
- Peck & Peck (Bonnie Garmus)
- Wolf Hour (Jo Nesbo)
- The Witch (Freida McFadden)
- The Staircase in the Woods (Chuck Wendig)
- Partita (Barbara Kingsolver)
- Music against the Night (Yiyun Li)
- Miss Wolcott's Ghost (Louise Penny)
- Go Gentle (Maria Semple)
- Chain Reaction (Lee Child)

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Adult nonfiction:
- The American Way of Killing (Malcolm Gladwell)
- The Vanishing Family (Robert Kolker)
- Wintering (Katherine May)
- Food IQ (Daniel Holzman and Matt Rodbard)
- New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey: 50 Hikes with Kids (Wendy Gorton)
- On the Hippie Trail (Rick Steves)
- Before It's Gone (Jonathan Vigliotti)
- Imminent (Luis Elizondo)
- The Rush (Nathaniel Philbrick)
- Half Baked Harvest (Tieghan Gerard)
- Cooking from the Spirit (Tabitha Brown)
- Good Energy (Casey Means)

Large print:
- Bubbles at the Beach House Hotel (Judith Keim)
- Kiss Her Goodbye (Lisa Gardner)
- Passions in Death (J.D. Robb)
- The Unknown (Riley Sager)
- The Secret of Secrets (Dan Brown)
- Lost and Found in Paris (Lian Dolan)

Juvenile fiction:
- Stumpkin (Lucy Roth Cummins)
- Daniel Tiger’s 5-Minute Stories (Jason Fruchter)
- Pete the Cat’s Groovy Guide to Kindness (Kimberly and James Dean)
- Diary of a Fly (Doreen Cronin)
- In November (Cynthia Rylant)

Juvenile nonfiction:
- Little Kids First Big Book of Space (Catherine D. Hughes)
- On the Train (Carron Brown)
- It's Disgusting and We Ate It! (James Solheim)
- Dinosaurs (Lisa Regan)
- Young Naturalist's Handbook Insect-lo-pedia (Matthew Reinhart)