

# NASSAU FREE LIBRARY NEWSLETTER!

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## February Programs

### CHILDREN PROGRAMS



#### Story-time

Wednesdays @ 10:30am

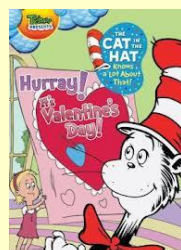
Join Kristine for simple stories and a craft.

Please register for the following programs:

#### Double Feature Family Movie Night

February 15<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm

We will be showing "Madly Madagascar" & "The Cat in the Hat: Hurray! It's Valentine's Day!" Popcorn and beverages will be provided during the movies.



#### Heart's Bingo – Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30p.m.

Bring your favorite candy bar and play bingo with conversation heart pieces. Just try not to eat them before the end of the game!



#### President's Day Story-time

February 29<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30

All ages can hear stories about our founding fathers followed by a "presidential" snack.

### Everyone is invited to our very 1<sup>st</sup> International Potluck

February 21<sup>st</sup> 6-8pm

Come taste flavors from around the world...the first stop will be Mexico. Bring a Mexican potluck dish to share. Please feel free to bring any items you have or stories you would like to share with the group. We will provide beverages and paper products. All ages welcome. We will have a Mexican craft for children to work on after the dinner.

Please call or email to register and let us know what dish you will be bringing.



### ADULT PROGRAMS

#### Movie Discussion Club

February 25<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm

This group is for people who love to watch movies and would like to discuss and hear other people's perspectives. Just like a book club but instead of reading a book, the club agrees on a movie to watch at home each month and then they discuss it at the next meeting and pick the movie for the following month.



## New Children's Items

### Picture Books

Time-Out for Sophie – Wells  
Building our House – Bean  
Grumpy Goat – Helquist

### Juvenile Fiction

Hokey Pokey – Spinelli  
Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Third Wheel – Kinney  
Lincoln's Grave Robbers – Sheinkin

### Juvenile Non-Fiction

The Elephant Scientist – O'Connell  
Girls Who Rocked the World – McCann  
Who Was Anne Frank? – Abramson

### Readers

Caught Blue-Handed (Doc McStuffins)  
Mike and Trollee in Trouble (Mike the Knight)  
Spring Chicken - Tillworth

### Young Adult Fiction

Janie Face to Face – Cooney  
The Kill Order – Dashner

### Young Adult Fiction

Bomb: The Race to Build & Steal the World's  
Most Dangerous Weapon – Sheinkin

### Adult Fiction

The Last Runaway – Chevalier  
Dream Eyes – Krentz  
The Fifth Assassin – Meltzer  
Mrs. Lincoln's Dressmaker – Chiaverini

### Mystery

Blood Money – Grippando  
Snow White Must Die – Neuhaus  
Suspect – Crais  
A Study in Revenge – Shields

### Adult Non-Fiction

My Beloved World – Sonia Sotomayor Biography  
Alone on the Ice: The Greatest Survival Story in  
the History of Exploration - Roberts  
Here, There, Elsewhere: Stories from the Road  
Help, Thanks, Wow: The Three Essential Prayers

## Tax Forms

Tax forms are now available in the library.



### Staff Pick of the month

#### Roseanne's Review

Last winter, Hallmark Hall of Fame released another wonderful family movie, A Smile As Big As The Moon, which aired on TV in late January, 2012. This is a true story, based on a book of the same title, written by special education teacher and high school football coach, Mike Kersjes, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, and co-written with, Joe Layden, of Clifton Park, formerly a sports writer with the Albany Times Union.

This inspiring story is based on Mike Kersjes belief that his special needs students should be able to attend the prestigious Space Camp in Huntsville, Alabama. His story chronicles how he worked to overcome discrimination and obstacles in the system and the unique challenges within his classroom, never giving up hope that his kids could do it - complete training similar to NASA astronauts.

The movie is exciting, funny and heartwarming, giving you a chance to "smile as big as the moon" for a long time afterward.

## COUNTING CONTEST

Stop by in February to guess on the number of candy hearts in the jar. Children may make a new guess each time they visit the library. Contest ends **February 22<sup>nd</sup>**.

