

Peter Bergin Concert



On Friday, February 15, the Friends of Bayliss Library will be hosting a special Evening at the Library, featuring Michigan ragtime musician, Peter Bergin.

The evening will begin with a wine, cheese, and chocolate party from 6-7 p.m., followed by an hour of music and dancing to classic

tunes by piano player and singer, Peter Bergin.

We will be selling tickets to this adults-only event beginning in late January. Tickets will be \$10 per person or \$18 per couple.

Come and enjoy some wine, cheese, and chocolate and then some vintage Valentine vocals. You can even sing along!

Third Thursday Craft



The Third Thursday Craft will continue into 2019.

Give your Sweetheart a one-of-a-kind gift this Valentine's Day. On Thursday, January 17 at 7 p.m.—come join us at Bayliss Public Library to make fun and creative Valentine's Day inspired gifts for your sweetheart, child, parent, co-worker—or just treat yourself.

Not sure what to do with all those photos? We have great ideas for you to share pictures in fun and creative ways with these easy to make crafts. From photo puzzles, to refrigerator magnets, to luminaries—we have the project for you. On Thursday, February 21, at 7 p.m., bring

your pictures, in paper format, and we will help you create a unique keepsake that's perfect for you.

Class size for both sessions is limited, so call 906-632-9331 to reserve your spot. There is a \$10 fee per person to cover the cost of supplies. All supplies, except for the photos, are provided.



More New Faces at Bayliss

You may have noticed a couple more new faces at Bayliss. Phill Hastings is working the Circulation Desk and shelving our books. Originally from Newberry, he has lived in the Soo for 10 years. He graduated from LSSU with a degree in History and went on to CMU to obtain his Master's in History. Currently, he is

teaching some history classes at LSSU.

Allesia Van Sloten is a senior at Sault High. After working here last summer through the EUPISD, she is back. Allesia helps with shelving and other projects. She is getting a little taste of how libraries work.

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True Crime Author Tom Carr

Tom Carr will speak at Bayliss Public Library on Thursday, January 17 at 7 p.m. about his two recent books, *Blood on the Mitten: Infamous Michigan Murders 1700s to Present* (2016) and *MI Bad: Robbers, Cutthroats and Thieves in Michigan's Past and Present* (2018).

Several of the crimes he will discuss happened in the U.P. and he will also tell about some of the crimes he covered while he worked at the Sault *Evening News* in the 1980s.

Copies of his books will be available for purchase and signing.

Carr was born in Grand Rapids, grew up in Northville, graduated from MSU, and has lived in Stur-

gis, Sault Ste. Marie, and Traverse City; he now lives in Buckley. He is an independent writer and journalist who spent 25 years in daily newspapers, primarily at Traverse City's *Record-Eagle*. He has won journalistic awards for his investigative reporting, feature writing, breaking news, and humor columns. As a freelancer, he has reported and produced many stories for Interlochen Public Radio and has had his work broadcast on NPR and Michigan Radio. His writing and reporting has appeared in such publications as *Detroit Free Press*, the *New York Daily News*, *traverseticker.com*, and *Traverse Magazine*.

"Nobody Knows You When You're Down and Out"

An evening dedicated to the long-forgotten Sault Ste. Marie residents in area Potter's Fields will be held at Bayliss Public Library on Thursday, February 21 at 7 p.m.

Inspired by the research of Caroline Grabowski in unearthing the people's names and their true stories, local poet Renee Dreiling will read from her new work,

Voices from Potter's Field. Historian Deidre Stevens will share some of the colorful history of the Sault from the early 1900s.

Bayliss Public Library and the Chippewa County Historical Society are co-sponsoring the program whose title is inspired by the 1923 song by Jimmy Cox, about the "fleeting nature of material wealth."

Superior Poetry Café

Sault area native Tyler Detloff, will be our featured poet/performer at the Thursday, January 31 Superior Poetry Café. The event will begin at 7 p.m. with an open mic following his reading.

Detloff is an Anishinaabe Métis, Italian, and Irish writer, professor, musician, gardener, and water protector raised on the edge of the Delirium Wilderness. He currently lives in Gnoozhekaaning (Bay Mills) and teaches College Composition at LSSU. He earned a B.S. in English and a dual track M.A. in

Literature and Pedagogy from NMU.

His work has been featured in *Voice on the Water: Great Lakes Native America Now*, *Crab Fat Magazine*, and *Heartwood Literature Magazine*. He records and performs music with Lost Dog Records, a co-operative label based out of Marquette. His albums, *The Way the Hook Bends*, and *Dog Folk* were released in 2015 and he has a forthcoming album, *Dynamite Honey*.

Opioid Abuse

The Chippewa County Health Department's Communities That Care Group is sponsoring a presentation by Marquette physician Dr. Kevin Piggott on Tuesday, January 22 from 6-7:30 p.m.

He will discuss the new prescribing guidelines for opioids and the outlook that will have on chronic pain management. His visit is part of National Drug and Alcohol Fact Week.

The staff of Bayliss Public Library participated in the Downtown Trunk or Treat in October, United Way's Chili Cook-off and the Parker ACE Hardware Parade of Lights in downtown Sault Ste. Marie in November.

We didn't win at the Chili Cook-off but we took third place in the Parade of Lights!

Win or not, the staff of Bayliss is thrilled when we get a chance to leave our own space in support of our community. Wonder where we'll turn up in 2019!

Tax time is coming!

Tax preparation and filing season is almost upon us. Bayliss Public Library will again be hosting the AARP Tax Aide program. Volunteers will be available on Fridays, February 1 through April 5, to assist elderly and low-income patrons with their taxes. Call Vicky Fox at 906-630-0929 to schedule an appointment.

Bayliss will also have paper forms available. Due to the 2018 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, withholding rules have changed, and the forms have been completely overhauled. The new, shorter 1040 will replace the old 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ. The new form will have six separate schedules taxpayers will need to attach to accommodate various situations. The IRS usually ships forms in mid-January to early February. We will post to Facebook as soon as they arrive.

For more information about how to file, visit www.irs.gov, click on the File button, then Individuals, and then Get a Jump on Next Year's Taxes.

Bayliss Public Library would like to thank the following individuals and organizations for their gifts of time, money, and materials throughout 2018. We appreciate your kindness and generosity. We offer our sincerest apologies in the event we inadvertently left off any names. Thank You ONE AND ALL!!

Friends of Bayliss Library	Fay Smart	Nancy Gillotte
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Building Club will start back up for the year with a special “kick-off” session on Saturday, January 12 at 1 p.m. New this year will be pop-up challenges or creative prompts designed to inspire builders. Creations will continue to be displayed and rotated out as new creations are built!

Building Club is a bi-monthly drop-in building time held on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of every month for kids ages 5 and up! LEGOs will be available from 1-3 p.m. for builders.

The Children’s Room will be hosting a special Valentine’s StoryTime and Craft at 2:30 p.m. on February 14 for children ages 3-5

While the children are enjoying their story and activity, parents may browse for sweet treats at the Friends of Bayliss’ Annual Sweet Sale being held in the main library.



TAG a Teen!

Calling all teens! Do you know anyone between the ages of 13-18 who likes pizza? You do!?! Well, send them to our TAG kick-off event. Bayliss Public Library is proud to announce the return of its very own Teen Advisory Group or TAG.

We will kick off the year with pizza and pop and discuss what the group would like to do in the library. Ms. Neveu, head of teen services, would like to hear what teens want.

TAG will be designed to assist the library with special events, selection of youth materials, and even programming!

Thank you for spreading the word! Interested teens may meet us on Saturday, January 26 at noon in the Community Room.

What’s That Noise? - StoryTime!

StoryTime will start back up with weekly stories and activities. There will be two sessions held weekly, Wednesdays at 10 a.m. and Thursdays at 2:30 p.m., from January 2 - March 21.

Stories, crafts, and activities will be appropriate for children ages 3-5 years old, but older and younger siblings are welcome. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Join us to encourage a love of literacy and learning at an early age!

To ensure that we have enough supplies for everyone, please call the library at 906-632-9331 to register your child.



Health Through Literacy

“Safe Routes to Health” is a program coordinated by AmeriCorps and the Michigan Fitness Foundation actively working to promote health through literacy. They are teaming up with Bayliss Public Library and other local stakeholders to promote healthy habits for children

3-11 years old.

Meet us in the Children’s Room at 4:30 p.m. on January 22, February 12 and February 26 for a story and an activity or healthy snack.

Cheers to literacy, health and happiness in the New Year!

Coding Club

Bayliss Library’s Coding Club, led by Shawn Durham will be wrapping up the current session on January 15.

Coding Club, which began in September 2018, met weekly with youth 9-16 years old to teach them how to do coding.

Interested and motivated individuals should keep their eyes open

for more Coding Club activity in the summer! The snowman pictured here (created by Luke) is an example of what the club has been working on.



Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss! — National Read Across America Day

National Read Across America Day is an annual event that is part of Read Across America, a reading initiative that was started on March 2, 1998 by the National Education Association.

Held in conjunction with Dr. Seuss’ birthday, National Read Across America Day is designed to promote and encourage

reading for all children and youth.

Bayliss Public Library will be celebrating on Saturday, March 2 with a special StoryTime and craft at 12:30 p.m. followed by a showing of *The Lorax*.

The movie is family friendly and free. Concessions are available by donation.



Friends of Bayliss Library

Our 24th annual Silent Auction in later October-November and 10th annual Holiday Book Sale on November 17 were very successful, together raising over \$1,300 for us to use to assist Bayliss Library with their "Wish List" items. Many, many thanks go to Friends member Cathy Mason for organizing and managing the Silent Auction and to the Friends Book Sale Committee for organizing the many details involved in staging a book sale. Thank you also to the many generous bidders and buyers who made these events successful and to the Bayliss Staff who were patient and helpful during both events.

Our next event is our annual Valentine Sweet Sale which will be held at the library on Thursday, February 14 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (or whenever the goodies sell out!). Come early for the best selection of

all the delicious cookies, pies, cheesecakes, breads, muffins and more. If you've been to the Sweets Sale before, you know we have many talented bakers who will be providing a great variety of goodies. We will feature some gently-used jewelry for sale by donation also. Come and buy your Valentine or co-workers a delicious treat.

On Friday, February 15 we have a special event scheduled—a wine, cheese and chocolate party followed by a concert. Please see page one of this newsletter for more information.

We would also like to remind you that our annual Friends membership dues are payable in January for 2019. We will be sending reminder letters to all previous Friends members. Dues remain at \$10 per year and are another way to help us help Bayliss.

Lake Sturgeon in the Great Lakes

The Sault Naturalists group is sponsoring a talk at Bayliss Public Library on Tuesday, January 8 at 7 p.m. by Roger W. Greil, Manager of Center for Fresh Water Research and Education, Fish Hatchery (Aquatic Research Laboratory) at LSSU.

The presentation will be a history of Lake Sturgeon (*Acipenser fulvescens*) in the Great Lakes, along with the research LSSU has done in the St. Marys river from 2000-2009.

The public is welcome to attend.

Food Pantry Collection

Now that the holidays are over and we are all recuperating from our Christmas time indulgences, we would like to remind everyone that there are still those less fortunate in our community. The Sault Area High School operates a Food Pantry to help provide food and personal care items to area residents in need.

Bayliss Public Library will be holding a Food Drive throughout the month of January. We ask that you kindly consider assisting us in collecting for those in need. Non-expired, nonperishable food items as well as personal hygiene products will be accepted.

The items most sought after are as follows: canned tuna and chicken, canned vegetables, cereal (box or bag), cereal bars & granola bars, oatmeal, crackers, canned chili, fruit cups and canned fruit,

Hamburger Helper meals, peanut butter and jelly/jam, juice boxes, macaroni & cheese, instant mashed potatoes, pasta, boxed pizza kits, instant rice or pasta meals, spaghetti sauce, soup, sloppy joe mix, taco shells & taco seasoning.

Personal hygiene products needed are toothpaste and toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, body soap, feminine hygiene products, and toilet paper.

Again, we respectfully request that you donate **NON-EXPIRED** food items. At the end of the month, all of the collected items will be transported to the Sault High Food Pantry for distribution as they see fit.

Items may be dropped off at the library. Call 906-632-9331 for more information.

New Books

These titles can be found at one or more of your Superior District Libraries.

Fiction

The Next Person You Meet in Heaven by

Mitch Albom

Tailspin by

Sandra Brown

War of the Wolf by

Bernard Cornwell

Lethal White by

Robert Galbraith

Depth of Winter by

Craig Johnson

The Clockmaker's

Daughter by

Kate Morton

A Spark of Light by

Jodi Picoult

Feared by

Lisa Scottoline

Pieces of Her by

Karin Slaughter

Non-Fiction

Presidents of War by

Michael Beschloss

The Poisoned City:

Flint's Water and

the American Urban

Tragedy by

Anna Clark

Leadership in Turbu-

lent Times by Doris

Kearns Goodwin

Outside the Wire: Ten

Lessons I've Learned

in Everyday Courage

by Jason Kander

Fly Girls: How Five

Daring Women De-

fied All Odds and

Made Aviation

History by

Keith O'Brien

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New DVDs

Ant-Man and the Wasp
Christopher Robin
Crazy Rich Asians
Go Fish
The Guardians
Hotel Transylvania 3
I Can Only Imagine
I Kill Giants
Juliet, Naked
Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom
A Kid Like Jake
Leave No Trace
The LEGO Ninjago Movie
Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again
The Miracle Season
Mohawk
Ocean's 8
On Chesil Beach
The Other Side of Hope
The Rider
Sami Blood
The Seagull
Solo: A Star Wars Story
Three Identical Strangers

There are things in the book you could never do in a movie.

—Noah Hathaway

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Bathroom Renovation Update

The Sault Tribe of Chippewa Indians awarded Bayliss Public Library a 2% grant in November for its bathroom project. Now that full funding has been secured, the project will get underway in early 2019.

The floor tile has been ordered

and a new public drinking fountain with a bottle filler (funded by the Friends of Bayliss Library) has been purchased.

We will keep you updated on the project as we have information.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this renovation project. It shouldn't be long until things get underway.

Now Showing at Bayliss

January 5 at 1 p.m.—*Smallfoot*
 January 8 at 2 p.m.—*I Can Only Imagine*
 January 15 at 2 p.m.—*Sully*
 January 22 at 1 p.m.—*Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again*
 January 29 at 2 p.m.—*Crazy Rich Asians*
 February 2 at 1 p.m.—*Hotel Transylvania 3: Summer Vacation*
 February 5 at 2 p.m.—*The Post*
 February 12 at 2 p.m.—*Juliet, Naked*
 February 19 at 2 p.m.—*Ocean's 8*
 March 2 at 1 p.m.—*The Lorax*

Please Note: There will not be a movie on February 26.

Free movies; refreshments by donation.
 Movies are shown through Movie Licensing USA or Motion Picture Licensing Corporation.