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Newsletter # 24 The FRIENDS of the MIMS / SCOTTSMOOR LIBRARY October 2007

FRIENDS BOOK and BAKE SALE A SUCCESS

Our successful Fall Book and Bake Sale earned just over $1000 to support our library. Thank you to everyone who donated time, books, baked goods, and other items. You're the best! Watch for our next book sale early in 2008.

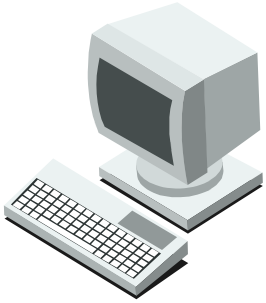
DRIP, DRIP, DRIP…

Although the leaks in the library roof were repaired, a recent inspection revealed that the entire roof should be replaced. In additional, the floor needs major repairs. Bids to repair the floor are being solicited. Paying for the roof replacement is the main concern.

COMPUTER CLASSES

Our Reference Librarian teaches a series of four computer classes most months. Call Beth (264-5080) to find out the details of each class and to sign up for classes. Classes offered are: Introduction to a Computer (starting with how to turn it on), Internet Basics, Using E-mail, and Word Processing. These classes are held from **9:00 to 11:00am**.

The next classes are:
Intro to E-mail – **October 17**
Intro to Word Processing – **October 31**
Intro to Computers – **November 14**



DAR MEETING

The Indian River Chapter of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR) will hold their first meeting of the 2007-2008 year at **1:00 pm** on **October 16**. Their speaker will be Lucia Robson, author of "Shadow Patriots." For further information, call 433-2070. This meeting is open to the public.

ON-LINE BANKING – IS IT SAFE?

The Agriculture Extension Office will present "Moving to On-Line Banking" at **10:00 am** on **October 30**. The program is free and no sign in is required.

BE THERE OR BE SQUARE!

Adult classes – Sign up today (264-5080)

The library is offering several programs that are free or low-cost. Please sign up for the following presentations at the library:

Pat Urbano will teach a painting class from **9:00 am to noon** on **November 3**. The fee is $10.00.

Beverly McNally will teach an adult craft class on Beaded Earrings from **1:00 to 3:00 pm** on **November** 5.

GENEALOGY

An Introduction to Genealogy "Where do I Start?" will be presented by Mary Parker at **6:30 pm** on **November 15**. Signup at the library or call 264-5080.

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GINGERBREAD HOUSE

Let's Decorate a Gingerbread House! A fun and easy workshop on how to construct and decorate a small, edible, gingerbread house will be held from **10:00 am to noon** on Saturday, **November 10**. Beginning decorators are welcome. The fee is $10.00 per house and includes all materials. Class is limited to ten houses. It is suggested that each participant bring a 12" or larger (washable) tray or plate for the house. The class is for teens and adults, but adults in the class may bring younger children who wish to watch and enjoy.

SPECIAL SPEAKER and BOOK SIGNING

"Weeki-Wachee, City of Mermaids" will be presented by Lu Vickers on **December 11** at **6:30 pm**. Books will be available for purchase and signing at a cost of $34.95 each. Do your holiday shopping here! The public is invited to attend, whether you buy a book or not. Invite your neighbors.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

Preschool Story Times: Tuesday-Friday at **10:30 am**.

After School Story Times (3rd through 6th grades) are planned for every 3rd Thursday. They will be held on **October 16** and **November 20** from **2:30 to 3:30 pm**.

Halloween Craft Night will be **Thursday, October 25, 2007**, at **6:30 pm**.

Kids Thanksgiving Craft Night is scheduled for **6:30 pm** on **November 13**.

DANCE LADY

"Dance Lady" Cathy Johnson teaches line dancing most Mondays and Thursdays from **10:00 am to noon**. The fee is $2.00 for seniors and $4.00 for all others.

FRIENDS SEEK MORE FRIENDS

The group of volunteers known as FRIENDS of the Mims/Scottsmoor Public Library started its new membership year in September. The FRIENDS group meets at **6:30 pm** on the **2nd Thursday** of each month. All meetings of FRIENDS are free and open to the public. Our next meeting will be **November 8** at **6:30 pm**. See you there!

We need more members of FRIENDS. Please join today—cost is only $5.00 per person per year, plus a few hours every few months if you have time. Please invite your friends and neighbors to visit our library, too. The more, the merrier!

CLASS FOR HOME SCHOOLERS

The Mims/Scottsmoor Public Library is now offering a "Basic Library Skills" class for children who are home schooled. The classes will include: (1) using the computer catalog to search for subjects and titles (2) finding items by call numbers, and (3) using basic reference sources to find information. Parents are encouraged to attend with their children. Instruction will be tailored to children's ages and learning levels.
To schedule a session or for more information, please call the library at 264-5080.