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Newsletter # 72 The FRIENDS of the MIMS / SCOTTSMOOR LIBRARY April 6, 2015

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Thursday, May 7th at **1:30pm** Mims/Scottsmoor Library Book Club. Please join us in a discussion of the book "Saving CeeCee Honeycutt" by Beth Hoffman. Copies are available for checkout at the Reference Desk. The public is invited. Free.

FRIENDS MEETING

Friends of the Mims/Scottsmoor Library General Meeting will be **Thursday April 9**, at noon. Free--but we invite you to join Friends for $5. Special thanks to the three energetic, courteous Boy Scouts and to the other wonderful volunteers who moved books, who alphabetized books, who worked at the book sale, or who donated baked goods! If you missed the book sale, you missed an impressive, well-organized event. All proceeds from the Book and Bake Sale go to purchase needed items and equipment for our library and to present speakers and programs.

SUDSY FUN

Thursday, April 16, 6pm-7:30pm Pamela Ferraro teaches Pourable Soap Art. Cost is $10 for instruction and materials. A display of her creations is at the Mims/Scottsmoor Library. Please call **321-264-5080** to register as space is limited.

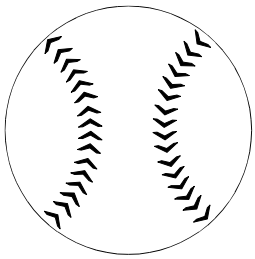
MOVIES

"When you're making a movie, you can't think anybody will ever see it. You've just got to make a movie for the values it has. The greatest films were made because someone really wanted to make them."

---Clint Eastwood

REMEMBER MY NAME

In August, 2014, Mo'ne Davis became the first female pitcher to win a game in the Little League World Series! The honor roll student from Philadelphia became a sensation after leading the Taney Dragons to a 4-0 victory over Nashville, when she was just 13. Known for her uncommon poise, she has since appeared on the cover of *Sports Illustrated*, thrown out the first pitch at a major league World Series game, and been interviewed on many television shows. She has gained fame not only for her athletic abilities, but also for encouraging others to follow their dreams. In September, she donated her jersey to the baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown.



When she joined an all-boys baseball team, her mom wasn't too happy. Nevertheless, Mo'ne said, "I proved to her (and to me) that I could do anything I set my mind to." She likes to play sports, especially basketball, and is sharing her story in her memoir, **"Mo'ne Davis: Remember My Name."** A memoir by a teenager may seem unusual, but not when she's already achieved so much. What a bright future she has!

SPY ON A JAY

Thursday, April 23, 6:30pm The Secret Life of the Florida Scrub Jay: a video and slide presentation set to music by noted Audubon Society speaker and photographer, Bob Montanaro. Free.

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DO YOU KNOW THESE AMAZING ATHLETES?

Whether you are active in sports or prefer to follow sports on TV, see how many of these high profile names you recognize. Check out the BIOGRAPHY section of the library for more information. How many more names could you add?

BABE Didrickson Zaharias (US Olympic Champion in Track and Field and Golf Champion)

Margo Oberg (3x World Surfing Champion)

Serena Williams (US Tennis Champion)

Jenny Thompson (US Swimming Champion)

Mia Hamm (USA Women's Soccer Champion)

Gracia Leydon-Mahoney (US Olympic Diver)

Brittany Griner (NCAA Women's Basketball Champion)

Mary Lou Retton (US 1984 Olympic Champion)

Elena Hight (Ladies Snowboard Halfpipe US Snowboarding and Freeskating Grand Prix Champion)

Gail Devers (World Champion in Track and Field)

Michelle Kwan (US Figure Skating Champion)

April Ross (Beach Volleyball Champion)

Emily Jackson (US Olympic Champion—Whitewater Slalom)

Danielle Carruthers (Women's 100 Meter Hurdles)

Neva Day (US Track Cycling)

Michelle Wie (US Golf Champion)

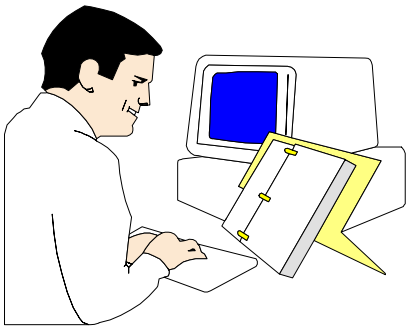
Florence Griffith-Joyner (Winner 3 Olympic Medals in 1988)

Lindsay Vonn (US Skiing Champion)

VISIT A MEDIUM

Thursday, April 30, 6:30pm Meet John Rogers , local author and Spirit Medium, and hear about his experiences with the spirit world. Free.

BEGINNER'S LUCK



Beginning Computer Class is available. Topics include: terminology, how to use a mouse, word processing, the internet, and email. Call **264-5080** for details. Registration is required. Cost is $20/class. Space is limited.

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CASEY at the BAT

"Oh! Somewhere in this favored land the sun is shining bright;

The band is playing somewhere; and somewhere hearts are light;

And somewhere men are laughing and somewhere children shout

But there is no joy in Mudville – mighty Casey has struck out."

Ernest Lawrence Thayer
Casey at the Bat

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