

WHAT'S NEW AT THE BRILLION PUBLIC LIBRARY

"GET A CLUE @YOUR LIBRARY" FEATURES MYSTERY MOVIES

Tuesday Mystery movies continue through August 21st. Pick up a schedule and make plans to join us for the weekly film. Show time is Tuesday afternoons starting at 1:30 pm. in the air-conditioned comfort of the Library basement. Popcorn is being furnished by Kwik Trip and juice by T&C. Take a break and join us for full length movies projected on a screen.

MYSTERY BUCKS PROGRAM RUNS UNTIL AUGUST 31ST

The mystery bucks reading program for youth in grades 1-7 runs until the end of August. Youth can sign up, read and earn mystery bucks. One mystery buck is earned for every 15 minutes of reading. Mystery bucks can be used for a variety of purchases from the mystery store or to pay late fines. Youth who haven't signed up for the Mystery bucks programs can sign up during library hours.

BOOK TALKING SELECTS MICHAEL PERRY BOOK FOR AUGUST

"Truck" by Michael Perry is the next selection for Book Talking. Program date is Tuesday, August, 28th at 1:30 p.m. Copies of the book are available from the library. Make plans to join us for discussion of the book written by Wisconsin author, Michael Perry about his love for a truck and the work he does to redo this run down vehicle.

POTLUCK BOOKS TO DISCUSS KITE RUNNER

The Potluck Books group will be discussing the book, "Kite Runner" on Thursday, August 23rd . The book by author Khaled Hosseini is the story of growing up in Afghanistan and the sport of kite running. The discussion and pot luck meal start at 6 p.m. Come join us for food and discussion.

Potluck Books is a monthly feature of the Library. Books are recommended by participants of the group. Participants receive a copy of the featured book to read and a discussion on the book takes place on the selected date. Because the discussion takes place at 6 p.m., participants bring along a dish to share as they discuss the book. Discussions are informal and usually fun. If you would like to be a part of this group, talk to library staff.

GENEALOGY GROUP TO LOOK AT CHURCH RECORDS

The next genealogy session at the library is scheduled for Wednesday, September 5th starting at 1:30 p.m. The featured topic is Church records. Dean Wallace will discuss his work compiling records from The Brillion Area Evangelical and Evangelical United Brethren Church Records (1886-1968). The group will also talk about using Church records in genealogy and other sources of Church records. This program is open to the public. Anyone with an interest in genealogy and local history is invited to attend this session.

BOOKS ARE ADDED TO THE BRILLION LIBRARY COLLECTION

The Brillion Public Library has added the following new titles to its collection:

Cook, robin Critical

Siddiqui, Haroon Being Muslim

Dungy, Tony Quiet Strength

King, Jonathon Acts of Nature

Gaffney, Patricia Mad Dash

Gruen, Sara Riding Lessons

Brown, Sandra Play dirty

Brockmann, Suzanne Force of Nature

Stop in and check out or reserve the book of your choice during library hours. You can also place your own hold through the Library's website at www.ci.brillion.wi.us/library_home.html.

BOOK REVIEW

Thrillers seem to be the novel genre that I read the most. Today's review looks at another thriller, "The Fourth Order" by Stephen Frey. Frey uses the corporation as the background in most of his thrillers.

"The Fourth Order" by Stephen Frey has Michael Rose as a corporate CEO at Trafalgar Industries. Trafalgar, which is an energy conglomerate, is involved in a major acquisition of CIS, a global information technology company. There is much resistance from the Board and from CIS to the takeover proposal. Rose isn't aware that CIS is linked to a twisted governmental organization called the Order. Right before the Board meeting, Rose's wife is found dead in her smashed car. His relationship with his wife has been estranged and she had been having affairs on the side. When her death is ruled a murder, Rose becomes a suspect.

The book has short chapters, that keeps one reading. There is plenty of action and twists in the story. Board members are blackmailed to vote a particular way on the takeover using background information on the individual to coerce their vote. Bodies also fall in the book. The book has the makings of a future movie with plenty of action taking place around the country. On a more serious issue, one is made to think about what is going on to keep this country secure from terrorists. It becomes scary at times to think these types of things could be happening.

Any one who enjoys a good thriller, should read "The Fourth Order" by Stephen Frey. It has everything you want in a thriller. If you like the corporate world, this has plenty of background on corporations but in a way that is entertaining.

To check out or place a hold on "The Fourth Order" by Stephen Frey stop in at the Library during library hours or go online through the Library's website at www.ci.brillion.wi.us/library_home.html and place your own hold.

SUMMER LIBRARY HOURS AT THE BRILLION LIBRARY

The Brillion Library has Summer hours. Summer hours are: Mondays 8-8; Tuesday and Wednesdays 9-8; Thursday and Fridays 12-8. The library is closed on Saturdays. Summer hours run until Labor Day.