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Introducing Vineland Public Library's New DVD Policy

As of **July 1**, NEW DVDs will be available for 3-day loan. They will be on a separate shelf and will have a "3-Day" sticker on the case as well. While this loan period is shorter than the 1-week loan period on other DVDs, we believe that more people will be able to watch new-release movies with less wait time. Also, as of **July 1**, all DVD overdue fines have been reduced from \$2.50/day to \$2.00/day.



Wheaton Arts Pass Now Available for Check Out



Now you can visit Wheaton Arts on the library! A wonderful experience and only minutes away, 2 adults and all children under the age of 18 can be admitted to Wheaton Arts when you check out the pass. The pass may be borrowed for free for 3 days. There is a \$2.00/day overdue charge. Ask at the Circulation Desk for details and availability.

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Library News

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Children and Teens

Family Night, August 9, 6-7 p.m., Community Event Room Power & Energy Program

Join Sciencetellers for "Race Against Time," a fast-paced summer adventure, as they make things float, bounce, transform and soar while telling a series of stories bound to energize and engage. Throw on your lab coat and buckle in — you are about to experience the science of power and energy through several exciting, hands-on experiments that will have the audience laughing, learning and having fun! **No registration required.**



Learn a Language with PRONUNCIATOR!

Have you always wanted to learn Spanish, but didn't like your high school Spanish teacher? Do you want your 6-year old to start learning Chinese? Are you going to be vacationing in France soon and need to know some basic French? The Vineland Public Library's new online service, Pronunciator, can help you out, no matter your age, no matter whether you want to learn just a little or a lot of another language.

Pronunciator offers the opportunity to study 80 different languages (including English as a second language) in any of 50 languages. It includes up to 256 live, teacher-led conversation classes per week, up to 22 months of guided instruction per language, grammar textbooks, pronunciation analysis,

flash cards, apps for your phone or mobile device and much more. Preparation for the Naturalization test is also available through 100 videos with interactive exercises in the Citizenship area of Pronunciator.

Go to the Vineland Library website at www.vinelandlibrary.org and click on the Pronunciator link to get started. You will need your Vineland Public Library card to gain access to Pronunciator. Vineland Library cards are available to Vineland residents, free of charge — just show photo ID and proof of residence (an up-to-date driver's license with your current address will do) at the library's Front Desk.

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Book Discussion for Adults

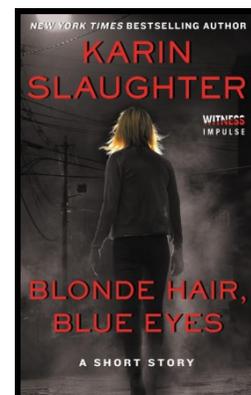
Adult Summer Reading Program 2016 Exercise Your Mind! Discuss a book!

When: Thursday August 4, 2016

Time: 6-7 PM

Where: Vineland Library's Community Event Room

Attendees will meet to discuss the short story
Blonde Hair, Blue Eyes by Karin Slaughter.



Registration is required. The first ten to register will receive a free copy of the book. You may register in person at the Information Desk or call 856-794-4244 ext. 4243.

The *Adult Summer Reading Program* is sponsored by the Friends of the Vineland Public Library. This program is limited to adults 18 and over. The “Exercise Your Mind” theme is part of the ALA Collaborative Summer Reading Program.

Cumberland County Foster Children Drive



During the month of August, the Vineland Public Library is partnering with Child Protection and Permanency to host a drive for Cumberland County foster children. The library will be collecting bags, hygiene items such as deodorant and soap, pads and tampons, toothbrushes and toothpaste, lotion, hand sanitizer, washcloths, and towels; comfort items such as lip gloss and chapstick, combs, hairbrushes; and journals, pens, pencils, colored pencils, small locker boxes, backpacks, and other school supplies. Also needed are diaper bags, diapers, baby wipes, baby lotion, bottles, baby blankets, little toys, and pacifiers.

Please bring unused donations to the library during regular business hours: Monday – Thursday (9-8); Friday and Saturday (9-5); closed Sunday.

Thank you for your support!



Beatrice's Book Review

Hello readers!

I hope you are all enjoying the summer sun! I was thrilled to have the suggestion of a few children's books to read. I hope you enjoy my review of the *Warrior Cats* series by Erin Hunter (J FIC Hunter).



Warrior Cats is a very exciting and sometimes terrifying series. The story focuses on clans of cats who live in the forest. Adventure and danger exist at every turn while they try to survive. The first book I read was about Rusty, an ordinary housecat, who has a calling to go into the forest. Every day he feels it drawing him. It takes a lot of courage to step outside of your comfort zone to pursue what is in your heart and soul as your destiny, and I applaud Rusty for doing so.

Warrior Cats is a very well written and imaginative series. I plan to read the rest once my reading schedule opens up a bit. Thank you to whoever put in the suggestion. I look forward to meeting more of the cat clans!

~ Beatrice

August 2016—Free Events for Adults

Cut here for a fridge calendar!

Monday, August 1

6:00 – 7:30 p.m. Free ESL Conversation Class for Adults, Community Event Room

Thursday, August 4

6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Adult Summer Reading Book Discussion of *Blonde Hair, Blue Eyes* by Karin Slaughter, Community Event Room *

Saturday, August 6

3:00 - 4:30 p.m. Society of New Jersey Artists Reception, Doris Tripp Memorial Room

Monday, August 8

10:00 – 11:15 a.m. Golden Yoga, Community Event Room *



6:00 – 7:30 p.m. Free ESL Conversation Class for Adults, Community Event Room

Monday, August 15

6:00 – 7:30 p.m. Free ESL Conversation Class for Adults, Community Event Room

Thursday, August 18

10:00 – 11:00 a.m. South Jersey Legal Services, Inc. for Seniors, Community Event Room

5:00 – 7:30 p.m. New Jersey Writers Society Gathering, Community Event Room (Registration Requested)

Wednesday, August 24

2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Adult Book Club Discussion of *Astoria: John Jacob Astor and Thomas Jefferson's Lost Pacific Empire: A Story of Wealth, Ambition, and Survival* by Peter Stark, Community Event Room (Registration Requested)

* Registration Required to Attend

All programs and times are subject to change. For a full list of programs, visit Vineland Public Library's website at www.vinelandlibrary.org. You can also follow VPL on these social media outlets:

