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'WOW': HOW-TO TRAVEL WORKSHOP BY BLADE TRAVEL WRITERS FISCHER & HOLLIDAY NOV. 2, 9, 16

As part of the Way Over the World (WOW) travel series, the Way Library Foundation will present a three-part workshop, "Ready, Set, Travel: A Guide to Independent Travel," by Blade freelance travel columnists Claudia Fischer and Roger Holliday.



Roger Holliday and Claudia Fischer.

These seasoned travel writers will share their expertise and experiences in a program that explores the basics of foreign travel. While this program is primarily intended for independent travelers to Europe, Fischer/Holliday's knowledge and insight will be invaluable for anyone traveling abroad in the 21st Century. Topics will include choosing the right guidebooks, putting together a realistic itinerary, packing light, using European rail, finding hotels and restaurants, money and

budget, and travel documents.

This three-part workshop has a fee of \$30 and will be limited to the first 25 people who register. The classes will be held 7-9 p.m. on November 2, 9, and 16. Register at the Information Desk and pay your fee at that time. For more information, call 419-874-3135 ext. 102 or 100.

Way Library to host Douglas Brinkley talk Dec. 7

Way Library is pleased to announce that nationally known author/historian **Douglas Brinkley** will present an author talk in Perrysburg on Thursday, December 7. Author of "**The Great Deluge**," recent bestselling account of the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina, Dr. Brinkley is currently director of the Theodore Roosevelt Center for American Civilization and Professor of History at Tulane University. This event cosponsored by **Historic Perrysburg, Inc.**, and the **Perrysburg Schools** will serve as the culmination of a series of special activities marking the 125th anniversary of the library.

Dr. Brinkley is a 1978 graduate of Perrysburg High School. More information on this major event will be forthcoming. In the meantime, patrons may wish to check out one or more of Dr. Brinkley's works in our collection or that of other libraries in our SEO network. They include:

The Great Deluge: Hurricane Katrina, New Orleans and the Mississippi Gulf Coast; Parish Priest: Father Michael McGivney and American Catholicism; The Boys of Pointe du Hoc: Ronald Reagan, D-Day and the U.S. Army Second Ranger Battalion; Voices of Courage: the Battle for Khe Sanh, Vietnam; Rosa Parks; Voices of Valor: D-Day, June 6, 1944; The World War II Memorial: a Grateful Nation Remembers; Windblown World: the Journals ~~~ Continued on page 3>>

Portable 'Playaway' audiotape players now available at Way

Do you like audiobooks but tire of cumbersome cassettes & CDs or bulky audioplayers...or, do you want to keep listening to that good story after you park your car? Way Library now offers six titles already loaded on portable "Playaways." A Playaway fits into your pocket or purse and comes with a lanyard and batteries. All you have to do is press "play" and your story begins.

In the catalog, a playaway title is listed as "book on digital player." Order one from another library or one of the new titles in our collection: Fifth Horseman; Charlotte's Web; Digging to America; Hoot; Marley & Me: Life and Love With the World's Worst Dog; Miranda the Great/The Curious Adventures of Jimmy McGee.

Young Artist Recital October 1

Yeji Kim, flute performance master's candidate at Bowling Green State University, will perform a recital on Sunday, October 1, at 3 p.m. on the lower level of the library. The recital and reception are offered free of charge thanks to a generous grant from the DaimlerChrysler Corporation Fund.



Ms. Kim is principal flutist of the Bowling Green Philharmonia and has won its Concerto Competition. The winner of many Korean competitions, she recently was awarded third prize at the Young Artist Competition of the Flute Society of Washington, D.C.

'Where's Spot?' At Babytime!

The sturdy board book "Where's Spot" by Eric Hill will be given to all parents, grandparents or guardians who participate in the upcoming session of "Babytime" story hour. Supported by the Way Public Library Foundation, Babytime introduces the art of storytelling to parents/guardians with babies 6 months through 11 months. The fall session opens on October 20, with online registration beginning on October 5.

Reference Tip

Buying or selling property in Ohio? Everything you need to know about the legal aspects of Ohio real estate is found in **Ohio Real Estate Law, 8th edition (2005)**.

It includes definitions of important terms, sample forms, information on deeds and contracts, closings, proof of title, foreclosures, liens, and rules governing an Ohio real estate license. This book available at the Information Desk also contains up-to-date information on fair housing, landlord-tenant laws and land control regulations.

Gershwin program on Oct. 22 'Memory Fitness' on Oct. 18

In Way's WOW (Way Over the World) travel series last spring, Ohio State University professor **George Kalbous** took our library audience on a delightful tour of St. Petersburg and Moscow. Dr. Kalbous will be back in the library at 3 p.m. on Sunday, October 22, for a different type of tour...a musical tour of 20th century popular music.



The topic is "**Song Stories**," and we will travel back to the golden age of story-based popular music. Featuring the music of George Gershwin, this program also will put the spotlight on Irving Berlin, Richard Rodgers, Jerry Livingston and Cole Porter.

There is no preregistration for this event. Dr. Kalbous's lecture—including live music at the piano—is free and refreshments will be served.

Kathryn Kilpatrick, MA, CCC, SLP, will present a special program called "Memory Fitness," on Wednesday, October 18, at Way Library.



This free program for people of all ages will be held from 9:30 until 11 a.m., with registration beginning at 9 a.m. The Manor of Perrysburg and Bowling Green Manor are hosting Ms. Kilpatrick's visit.

The author of "Walking the Path to Memory Fitness One Week at a Time," and other books on staying mentally active, Ms. Kilpatrick of Hudson, Ohio, will guide participants through "workout" sessions that will enhance memory skills. Ms. Kilpatrick received her master's degree in speech and language pathology from the University of Massachusetts in 1968. For more than three decades she has worked in brain health and successful aging programs and has presented motivational programs across the nation.

Topical Tuesdays series to take on energy, nuclear terrorism

Way's new **Topical Tuesdays** series will take on two interesting issues this fall.

On Tuesday, October 24, at 7 p.m., **Don Lieder** of Perrysburg will speak on "**The U.S. Energy Dilemma.**" A retired chemical engineer who worked for Sun Oil for 30 years and has served as a consultant to the EPA, Mr. Lieder will address the "no easy answer" energy situation in this country and the world, with attention to possible alternative energy sources. After Mr. Lieder's presentation, the floor will be open to questions and comments from anyone who wishes to share their opinions on the energy crisis. "Topical Tuesdays" welcomes polite discourse on "hot-button" issues.



Don Lieder

Mr. Lieder has a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from the University of Cincinnati and a master's degree in engineering administration from Case Western.

He is a past president of the Exchange Club of Perrysburg and is president of Torch Club of Toledo. He is on the TMACOG Air Quality Committee and serves as a mediator in Perrysburg Municipal Court.

Topical Tuesdays, 7 p.m. on November 14 will feature **Phineas Anderson** on "**Nuclear Terrorism.**" See next month's newsletter for more information on this lecture and discussion session.

Reel Talk & Reel Art film series



Way's classic film series, Reel Talk, and art/foreign film series, Reel Art, are back in business for the fall.

On Thursday, Oct. 26, at 10 a.m., Reel Talk will feature "42nd Street," the 1933 classic film about the production of a Broadway musical, starring Ruby Keeler, Ginger Rogers and Dick Powell. A discussion will follow.

On Friday, Oct. 27, at 7 p.m., "The Dish," starring Sam Neill, will tell the real-life story of an Outback satellite dish antenna's role in televising Apollo 11. Both films are free, and refreshments will be served.

KeyBank: Neighbors who make a difference!



On Sept. 14, 12 KeyBank employees proved how helpful good neighbors can be by volunteering at Way Library. Above l-r, Charla Akerman and Kathy Winters receive an assignment from Director Nancy Kelley.

Entertainment Books now on sale

The Friends of Way Library are once again selling Entertainment Books. Pick up a 2007 book at the Circulation Desk for \$30. apiece. Proceeds benefit library programs.

October Events

- October 1—Adult-Child Book Discussions: A Dog's Life, 2 p.m.; Among the Hidden, 3 p.m.
- October 1— Young Artist Recital, 3 p.m.
- October 5—Online registration for FLASH, Red Cross Babysitting Class, Babytime begins.
- October 6 — Pumpkins on Parade, 1:30 p.m.
- October 9 — Columbus Day—Library OPEN.
- October 17 & 18—Recycling at Storytimes.
- October 18 — Memory program, 9:30 a.m.
- October 19— FLASH: Scooby Doo, 4:30 p.m.
- October 22— Gershwin Lecture Recital, 3 p.m.
- October 23 —Culture Club: Indonesia, 4:30 p.m.
- October 24 — Topical Tuesdays: Energy, 7 p.m.
- October 26 — Reel Talk: 42nd Street, 10 a.m.
- October 26—Online registration for Preschool Storytime begins.
- October 27—EB Games/GameStop Night, 7 p.m.
- October 27 — Reel Art: The Dish, 7 p.m.

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of Jack Kerouac, ed. by Brinkley; Tour of Duty: John Kerry and the Vietnam War; The Majic Bus: an American Odyssey; Wheels for the World; The Unfinished Presidency: Jimmy Carter's Journey beyond the White House; American Heritage History of the United States; FDR and the Creation of the U.N.; Dean Acheson: the Cold War Years, 1953-71.

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Book Buddies homebound delivery program participants recognized



Above photos: Book Buddies Jan Cooke & Dorothy Ingmire, and Shirley Cousino & Muriel Dahlmeyer. At right: long-time friends Bev Graalman



On August 18 the lower level of the library was filled with the sounds of chatting and happy laughter as more than 35 good friends enjoyed ice cream sundaes courtesy of the Friends of Way Public Library.

There is nothing like a good book to bring people together, and our Book Buddy program is based on that simple fact. Coordinator of the program, outreach librarian Deborah DiGennaro explains that friendships between people of all ages have been the result of this program which provides delivery service to homebound individuals. If you need a Book Buddy or would like to volunteer, call Mrs. DiGennaro at 419-874-3135 x109.

Fall library calendar includes many children's & young adult programs

Youth Services programming is back in full swing now that school is back in session. Watch for these opportunities for enrichment for your children:

- Children ages 8-10 and 11-14 and an adult companion may enjoy book discussions on Sunday afternoons at 2 and 3 p.m. beginning October 1.
- **Pumpkins on Parade**, an intergenerational program uniting children age 4-5 with seniors, will be held Friday, October 6, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.
- **FLASH** (Fun Library After School Happenings) on Thursday, October 19: "Scooby-Doo: Where Are You?" Register online beginning October 5.
- **EB Games Night**, 7-9 p.m., Friday, October 27. Young adults ages 11-14 will enjoy an evening of fun and games at the library.
- **Culture Club** for children in grades second through fifth will discuss Indonesia on Monday, October 23, at 4:30 p.m.