

# FOOTNOTES, JULY, 2009



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## From the Librarian...

### LIBRARY CATALOG NOW ON-LINE!

The library catalog is now available on-line! You may now go to [www.bangorlibrary.org](http://www.bangorlibrary.org) and click the catalog link and be connected with our catalog. Then you will know whether the Bangor Library owns the book and if it is here. You may also place a hold on the book if it is currently out or would like it held until you can get into the library. To place a hold you need a library card (the username) and a last name to match (the password). Any questions—please call 610-588-4136. A sincere thank you is extended to Brain Carroll for helping make this happen!

The Friends of the Library have changed their meeting night to the fourth Thursday of the month at 7pm here at the library. Meetings are not held during the months of July, August and December. Come and join the group! Your contribution will be greatly appreciated. Friends sponsor such projects as the House Tour and the book sales. They participate in town events like Heritage Days and Octoberfest. The Friends group promotes the library in the community and, through different events, provides much needed financial support for the library.

Preschool story time will not be held in August but will return Tuesday September 1 at 10am. Volunteer Wanda Cole has done a great job leading story time this year. She will take August off and then resume preschool story time in September and through the fall. Story time is for preschoolers ages 3 to 5 years of age. No pre-registration is required—just come and join the fun!

Barbara Brandt, Library Director

*Bangor  
Public  
Library -  
A Cool  
Place to  
Come on a  
Hot  
Summer  
Day!*



### Library Calendar...

Every Fourth Thursday	Library Friends Meeting, 7:00 P.M.
Every Third Thursday	Library Board of Trustees Meeting, 7 P.M.
Every Second Tuesday	Book Discussion Group, 6:45 P.M.
July 25	Duck Race 4pm Tickets are \$5! Duck wins, you win \$\$\$!
August 18-22	Blue Valley Farm Show <b>Book Sale</b>
September 5-7	Library Closed, Labor Day weekend

***Renew  
your  
Library  
books  
by  
phone.  
Just call  
the  
Library,  
610  
588  
4136.***

## From the Friends of the Library...



Every fourth Thursday, the Library Friends meet at 7:00 P.M., upstairs, at the library. Meetings and membership are open to all adult residents of the Bangor Area School District.

Please join or renew your **Library Friends membership**. We sure could use your help. It takes many hands to put on our fantastic fundraisers. So come on, come, give us a hand.

**DUCK RACE  
TO BE HELD  
SATURDAY  
JULY 25, 2009  
AT 4PM!**

Tickets are \$5. Come, buy a ticket, watch the race and root for your duck!



*Labor Day*

*Weekend*

Sept 5-7

**Library closed**

## SUMMER READING...

*The Bangor Public Library has the books available for the summer reading lists from the Bangor Area School District. If you haven't yet read your book for the summer—come in and pick up a copy of one of the books in the pamphlet sent home from the school. All grades have a list and we have more than one copy of each book!*

*We also have a selection of hardcover and paperback books—great for taking on vacation. We also have books on CD for the ride to your vacation site. If you are staying home—we have DVDs and videos. Come in and see the selection— all for free (unless you are late returning the material!)*

## Book Sale, Book Sale, Book Sale...



**BLUE VALLEY FARM  
SHOW  
August 18—22, 2009  
Don't Miss It!**

# Friends of the Library Book Club...

The Friends of the Bangor Public Library book discussion group meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 6:45 p.m. Upcoming selections are: September 8, 2009, The Road, by Cormac McCarthy; October 13, 2009, My Sister's Keeper, by Jodi Picoult; November 10, 2009, The World According to Bertie, by Alexander McCall Smith.

The member who selects the book, leads the discussion.

The reading list is as diverse as the growing membership, ranging from murder mysteries, political non-fiction, realistic fiction and rare and popular reads. Watch for the reading list in The Blue Valley Times and The Press.

The group does not meet in August or December.

No sign up is needed; all are welcome. Please direct inquiries to Sherry Darr,  
610-588-7316



**YAHOOOOWEE!!**

Books and magazines can now be checked-out for **THREE** weeks!

DVDS and videos can still be checked out for one week.

## Raise \$5, Spend \$5 and Do It Again...

The Library needs your financial help. The Library has to raise \$5 per person and spend \$5 per person each and every year. That's where you come in. Please consider a donation or increasing your donation. Also, consider contacting your local municipality to state your support of funding your local library.

Municipalities do donate money to the library, but not more than \$3 per person. That leaves a shortage of funding that has to be made up through fine collection and other fees, plus donations from the community and the Friends of the Library.

Just think—no local community library means no interlibrary loan, no "Access Pennsylvania," or "Power Library" to name just a few of the most heavily used services. Your local community library needs funding to continue to provide library service.



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**Bangor Public Library Hours:**

Monday, Wednesday	1:00—8:00 P.M.
Tuesday, Thursday	10:00 A.M.—8:00 P.M.
Friday	1:00—5:00 P.M.
Saturday	10:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.



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