**SATURDAY MORNING BOOK CHAT**
**SEPTEMBER 28 AT 10 AM**
Are you looking for a good book recommendation? Have you read a new or classic book that you want others to know about? Join us for a friendly Saturday morning book chat to discover must read titles from fellow readers. We will also demo Novelist to help you find your next favorite book. Coffee and tea will be provided along with pastries from a local Nutley bakery by the Friends of the Library. For further information and to register, please visit: nutleypubliclibrary.org/bookchat

**DISH! – THE MONDAY NIGHT BOOK CLUB**
Patrons will choose, prepare at home, and share a DISH! from a selected cookbook. We will then gather to sample each other's recipes, discuss cooking techniques, and share stories and culture. Sponsored by the Friends of the Nutley Public Library.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 AT 7 PM**
**COOKING FROM THE FARMER’S MARKET BY WILLIAMS SONOMA**
**MONDAY, OCTOBER 7 7 PM**
**MEXICO: THE COOKBOOK BY MARGARITA CARRILLO ARRONTE**

For further information and to register, please visit: nutleypubliclibrary.org/dish-bookclub

**ITALIAN LANGUAGE FILM SCREENING**
**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3 AT 7 PM**
Celebrate Italian American Heritage Month with a screening of an award-winning Italian Language film. Sponsored by Nutley Unico.

**MESSAGE FROM FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY PRESIDENT, BARBARA HIRSCH**
"What day is it?" asked Pooh. "It's today," squealed Piglet. "My favorite day," said Pooh. This Fall, The Friends of the Nutley Library will make sure you have many favorite days.

September 19 at 3:30 pm actor Kirk Cameron (Growing Pains) will join us to launch a new book "Trapped In My Own Body, In My Own Words" by Claire Centrella. This book was compiled by Melissa Centroilla’s family and friends. This is the story of Melissa Centroilla, Claire’s daughter who passed away 17 years ago. Mr. Cameron wrote the preface and will be available to autograph the book.

October 24, 25, and 26 marks our bi-annual book sale. Remember time to stock up! Among the other sponsored actives this Fall will be a Broadway show, a surprise event at Pinots Palette, flower arranging for the Fall table, breakfast at the Pancake Palace, and a fascinating lecture on the history of Rock and Roll. November will bring our Barnes and Noble Book Fair. Please join us for these events and support our Library. Feel free to contact me at bhteacher@gmail.com.

Your suggestions and ideas are truly valued. Our next meeting will be at 4 pm on Thursday, September 12.

**ADOPT – A – BOOK BOOKPLATE PROGRAM**
**SPONSORED BY THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY**

Funds raised through the Adopt - a - Book Bookplate Campaign will assist the Library in adding books, technology and materials to our collection. When you purchase a bookplate, valued at $10, your name and/or the name of the person you choose to recognize will be printed on the bookplate, placed in a new book and circulated throughout the system. The bookplate can be used to honor someone, in memory of someone or for a special occasion such as a birthday, graduation or birth.
2018 was an amazing year for the Nutley Public Library. Here are a few highlights from the Library’s 2018 Annual Report.

**Items Borrowed** – 208,505
**Library Visits** – 153,920
**Website Visits** – 131,733
**Reference Questions Asked and Answered** – 49,608
**Free Programs and Events** – 410

The Library is open 60 hours each week, Monday through Thursday. The Library has 100,003 books, print, audio and video materials. A total of 9,097 new books and media items were added to the collection in 2018. The Library is the cultural center of our town!

**COLOR & DE-STRESS WITH VINYL RECORDS**
**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 at 7 PM**
**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1 at 7 PM**

We are spotlighting our new vinyl record collection with a relaxing, mindful program. Join us to color from a wide and eclectic assortment of coloring sheets, listen to new and classic vinyl records owned by the Library, and sample pastries from local Nutley bakeries. If you have any vinyl records or coloring sheets you would like to bring, we welcome them. This program is funded by the Friends of the Nutley Library. For further information and to register, please visit nutleypubliclibrary.org/vinylrecords.

**VIRTUAL REALITY EXPERIENCE**
**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 AT 10 AM**

Adults and teens, stop by to experience the excitement of virtual reality using Oculus Virtual Reality Systems. Explore to infinity and beyond as you play games and immerse yourself into virtual environments.

**NORTH WEST NUTLEY HISTORY**
**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 AT 7PM**

This slide show will be an indoor version of the wildly successful July history walk. Town Historian John Demmer along with local author and historian David Wilson will present an hour of history from the North West section of Nutley. The “today and yesterday” format lets you place yourself in twenty historical locations. William Lambert, architect and developer, will be highlighted for his contributions to the development of Nutley (formerly Franklin). Early industrial development in Nutley will be discussed including the first electric power plant, quarry, hat factory and more. Come learn about this “wild and woolly” section of town.

**CPAW NJ COMMUNITIES**
**PROMOTING ANIMAL WELFARE**
**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17 AT 7 PM**

Join us for an “Advocat” workshop with CPAW NJ co-founder Karen Shinevar to learn how to help outdoor animals in your community. CPAW NJ provides local residents with solutions to reduce cat overpopulation and suffering. They collaborate with community partners and raise awareness through education and training. Their spaystation offers low cost procedures and vaccinations. Since 2017 they have spayed/neutered over 800 cats and have placed over 80 cats and kittens in new and/or foster home.

Learn more about this dedicated group on its website www.cpawnj.org.

**ESSEX FILM CLUB 80TH ANNIVERSARY**
**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24 AT 7 PM**

Please join us at the Nutley Library for the celebration of the Essex Film Club’s 80th Anniversary. Founded in 1939 by film historian and restorer Bob Lee, the film club ran for 44 years in Nutley out of a private movie house in the rear of his Harrison Street home. Lee would show films (many silent movies) in this building which was designed to look like a real movie theater. Town Historian, John Demmer will give a slide show history of Bob Lee and the Essex Film Club. Afterwards there will be a nostalgic movie night which will include a comedy short, a PATHE news reel specific to Nutley, a cartoon and a thrilling short silent movie. Free popcorn will be available and all candy sales with benefit the Friends of the Library.

**ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE**
**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 AT 2 PM**

Looking to learn English? We offer ESL classes during the evening hours at the Nutley Public Library. Call 973-667-0405 x2604, email the instructor at ESLNutleyLibrary@gmail.com or speak to someone at the Reference Desk for more details. The classes are led by college instructor Tony Forte. There are fees for these classes.

**SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER ARTIST DISPLAY**
**MICHAEL GABRIELE**

Enjoy an exhibit of pastel landscapes and still life by local artist and author, Michael Gabriele during the months of September and October. There will be an artist’s reception, on Thursday, September 12 at 6 PM.

**NUTLEY AUTHORS AND ARTISTS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY**
**A RICH TRADITION CONTINUES**
**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 AT 2 PM**

Join us as we celebrate our library with local authors and artists Anthony Buccino, John Demmer, Gary Erbe, Catherine Greenfeder, Barry Lenson and David Wilson.