

# Class & Event Guide

Quincy Public Library

Summer 2019

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**2019 Summer Reading Program**  
**For Adults, Kids, and Teens**  
**June 1 - July 27**

## Summer Reading Kick Off

**9 am - Noon, Saturday, June 1**  
**Refreshments Entertainment**  
**Crafts Books and More!**



**Read Books.**  
**Earn Prizes.**  
**Enter Drawings.**

1. Pick up a book log.
2. Read books checked out from QPL (Yes! eBooks count!)
3. Return completed book logs for great prizes and drawings!

View a complete list of exciting Summer Reading events for all ages at [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org)

## *That's a Wrap* Summer Reading Ending Party Saturday, July 27

**10 am - Noon**

Enjoy star treatment as you celebrate your summer reading success! We'll have Book Bingo and refreshments. Winners of drawings for the bicycles and teen and adult prize baskets will be announced at this event.



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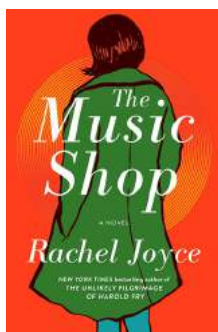
# Adult Discussion Groups

## BOOK GROUPS

With a variety of times, days, and genres to choose from, there is sure to be a book group that matches your reading interests. Stop at the ASK HERE desk to sign up for the perfect book group for you.

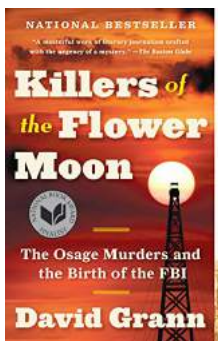
### ALL OVER THE PAGE

Known for their wild book choices, AOTP meets each third Tuesday at 7 pm at local restaurants. June 18 at the Coach House, *The Likeness* by Tana French; July 16 at County Market at 48th Street, pick your own book about an actor, entertainer, or performer; August 20 at Revelry, *The Music Shop* by Rachel Joyce.



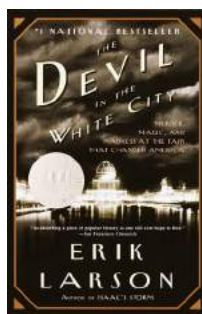
### RENAISSANCE READERS

Renaissance Readers discuss a variety of books with an intellectual view of literature. They meet each second Tuesday at 10:15 am at QPL. June 11, *One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich* by Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn; July 9, *100 Years of Solitude* by Gabriel Garcia Marquez; August 13, *Killers of the Flower Moon*, by David Grann.



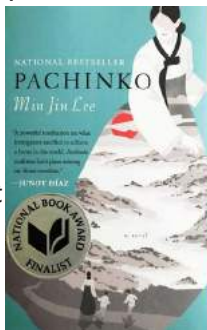
### LITERARY ANGLES

This laid-back book group leaves room for extended discussions. They meet the third Tuesday each month at 1:30 pm at QPL. June 18, *Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann; July 16, *The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics* by Daniel James Brown; August 20, *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson.



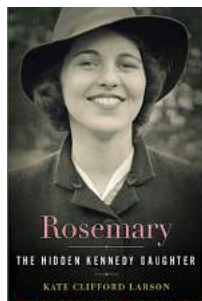
### UNSHELVED

This lighthearted group meets each second Wednesday at 1 pm at QPL and enjoys a wide variety of books accompanied by snacks and coffee. June 12, *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens; July 10, *Warlight* by Michael Ondaatje; August 14, *Pachinko* by Min Jin Lee.



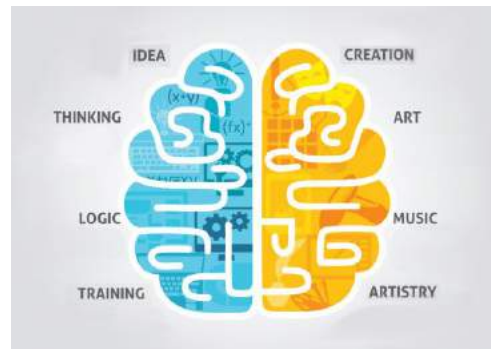
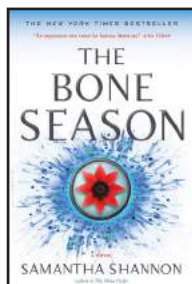
### BOOKIES

Meet the first Wednesday each month at QPL at 1:30 pm, offering a traditional book discussion atmosphere: June 5, *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* by Mark Haddon; July 3, *Rosemary: The Hidden Kennedy Daughter* by Kate Clifford Larson; August 7, *Matilda* by Roald Dahl.



### PARDON OUR YOUTH

This book group is geared to adults, 18 and up, who enjoy reading Young Adult literature. It meets at 6 pm the third Monday of each month at QPL. June 17, *All the Little Lights* by Jamie McGuire; July 15, *Uprooted* by Naomi Novik; August 19, *The Bone Season* by Samantha Shannon.



## DISCUSSION GROUPS

### SOCRATES CAFE

Everyone is a philosopher and everyone is welcome to exchange thoughtful ideas and experiences! Socrates Cafe meets the second Friday of each month at 10:15 am at QPL. June 14, *Vision of God*; July 12, *Left Brain vs. Right Brain Research*; August 9, *Purpose of Education*.

### CANDID CONVERSATIONS

Candid Conversations is designed for open, honest, respectful discussion among participants. Each meeting begins with a short video related to the discussion topic. Candid Conversations meets the third Saturday of each month at 10:15 am at QPL. June 15, *Our Dangerous Obsession with Perfectionism is Getting Worse*; July 20, *Three Ways to Practice Civility*; August 17, *A Doctor's Case for Medical Marijuana*.



## GENEALOGY

QPL has many resources for genealogists from material in QPL's Illinois Room to digital resources including Ancestry.com, HeritageQuest online, Fold3 Military Archive, and the Historical Newspaper Archive.

The Great River Genealogical Society will assist with your research each Tuesday from 9 am - Noon in the Illinois Room.

# Adult Classes and Events

## MONDAY MOVIES

**Mondays** 1 pm and 5 pm  
Come enjoy blockbusters, oldies, foreign films, and indies. Bring your friends. Popcorn and soda provided.

June 3	City of God
June 10	Boychoir
June 17	I, Tonya
June 24	Show Boat
July 1	Sarah's Key
July 8	The Age of Adaline
July 15	Mary Poppins Returns
July 22	The Band Wagon
July 29	The Cave of the Yellow Dog
August 5	Leave No Trace
August 12	Can You Ever Forgive Me?
August 19	Behind Office Doors
August 26	Gifted

## COMPUTERS & TECHNOLOGY

### PUBLIC USE COMPUTERS

QPL has 28 computers available for public use. Patrons may reserve a three-hour block of time on the computer. There is no charge for computer time.

### TECHNOLOGY TUTORING

QPL's technology tutor is available each Wednesday, by appointment, to help you learn specific tasks such as setting up an email account, downloading eBooks, performing a job search, or making a calendar on your computer or other digital device. Please call 223-1309, ext 502, or stop at the ASK HERE desk to reserve your appointment.

## ADULT COLORING CLUB

No need to be an artist to enjoy a relaxing hour of coloring! We'll provide coloring pages, pencils, hot tea, and calm music. Meet at 4 pm on **May 28, June 25, July 23, August 27.**



## SPECIAL EVENTS

### IT'S SHOWTIME AT YOUR LIBRARY! SUMMER READING KICK OFF

**Saturday, June 1**

**9 am - Noon**

Pick up your reading logs to get started reading and earning prizes. Enjoy refreshments and entertainment.

### QUINCY COMMUNITY THEATRE

**Tuesday, July 2**

**1 pm**

Enjoy an exclusive backstage tour of Quincy Community Theatre's production of *Bye Bye Birdie*. Get a behind the scenes look at scenery, props, and costumes. Registration is required. Please arrive 15 minutes early. This tour will be held at QCT and the tour route will include some stairs.

### WHAT IS CAMP NANOWRIMO?

**Tuesday, June 18 and June 25**

**4:30 - 6 pm**

Camp NaNoWriMo is an idyllic retreat for adults smack dab in the middle of your crazy life. These two sessions will cover resources for writers and hints for getting your work published. Author Ryan P. Freeman will facilitate.

### CAMP NANOWRIMO

**Tuesdays July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30**

**4:30 - 6 pm**

Learn tips and tricks for getting your words on paper with writing sprints and writing exercises. Hone your writing technique and style with these fun exercises to prepare you for National Novel Writing Month in November. Author Ryan P. Freeman will facilitate.

### THAT'S A WRAP SUMMER READING ENDING PARTY

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### WHAT'S IT WORTH - ANTIQUES APPRAISALS

**Wednesday, August 21**

**10 am - ?**

Learn the value of your treasures when you bring them to this popular antiques appraisals event hosted by expert Mark Moran. Reservations are required and must be made in advance by calling 223-1309, ext. 209.

Moran has appeared on Antiques Roadshow and has authored or co-authored more than 30 books on antiques and collectibles. Each participant is limited to two items. The first item will be appraised at no charge with a valid QPL card. There is a \$15 fee for the second item. Non-card holders pay \$15 per item, maximum two items

Moran will appraise fine art, furniture, ceramics, glassware, photographs, folk art, advertising, toys, metalware, costume jewelry, musical instruments, lighting, books, and sports memorabilia. Some items will not be allowed, including: all weapons, including swords and knives, traps, Nazi memorabilia, coins and paper money, fine jewelry, precious gems, and Beanie Babies

Moran is available for house calls for large or multiple items. His fee is \$75 per hour. Make your reservation for a house call directly with him at 715-281-5060 or moranm1953@gmail.com.



# Teen Classes and Events

## TEEN SPECIAL EVENTS

### IT'S SHOWTIME AT YOUR LIBRARY SUMMER READING KICK OFF

Saturday, June 1

9 am - Noon

Pick up your reading logs to get started reading and earning prizes. Enjoy refreshments and entertainment.

### BE A STAR! TEEN TIE-DYE WORKSHOP

Friday, June 21

2 - 4 pm

Create vibrant clothing or totes in all colors of the rainbow at this fun tie-dye workshop just for teens! Bring your own clean clothing or totes; QPL will provide the dyes and other supplies. Reservations are required for this event.



### IT'S SHOWTIME! TEEN STAGE MAKE-UP & ACTING WORKSHOP

Friday, July 12

2 - 4 pm

Stage professionals from Quincy Community Theatre demonstrate how to correctly apply stage make-up, then lead teens in a workshop for acting skills and exercises. If you love acting, this workshop is for you.



### THAT'S A WRAP SUMMER READING ENDING PARTY

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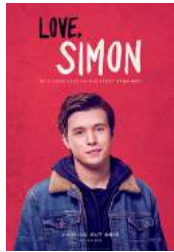
Every Wednesday

3 pm

Teens are invited to duke it out for the title of Wii or Wii U champ; or bring your favorite game or craft to do in the Library. Refreshments are served. June 5, 12, 19, 26 (with Book Bingo); July 3, 10, 17, 24 (with Book Bingo), 31 (with a movie); August 7, 14, 21, 28 (with Book Bingo).

## IT'S SHOWTIME-TEEN FILMS

Popcorn and soda provided. Bring your friends.



June 3	Love, Simon	4:30 pm
June 10	Avengers: Infinity War <i>(Please note: this film starts a few minutes early due to its length)</i>	4:15 pm
June 17	The Crimes of Grindelwald	4:30 pm
June 24	Crazy Rich Asians	4:30 pm
July 1	The House with a Clock in Its Walls	4:30 pm
July 8	Aquaman	4:30 pm
July 15	Ralph Breaks the Internet	4:30 pm
July 22	Black Panther	4:30 pm



## TEEN BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

The Teen Book Discussion Group meets every third Wednesday at 3 pm at QPL. Refreshments are served. June 19, *How We Roll* by Natasha Friend; July 17, *Truly Devious* by Maureen Johnson; August 21, *Sawkill Girls* by Claire LeGrand.

## TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) meets every second Wednesday of each month at 4 pm at the library. TAB members help plan programs and materials geared to teens at QPL. Refreshments are served. June 12, July 10, August 14.



## OPEN 24/7

The QPL Branch at County Market (48th and Broadway) is open 24/7, and digital resources are available any time at [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org).

## QPL CLOSED

May 27, July 4, and September 2

# Children's Summer Reading Events

## SUMMER READING EVENTS

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### THAT'S A WRAP SUMMER READING ENDING PARTY

**Saturday, July 27** 10 am - Noon

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### MAGNIFICENT MONDAYS

**Mondays** 6 pm

Varied activities provide opportunities for children to develop pre-reading skills - language, communication skills, and social skills.

June 3	Sensory Exploration
June 10	Little Laboratory
June 17	Mini Masterpieces
June 24	Sensory Exploration
July 1	Little Laboratory
July 8	Mini Masterpieces
July 15	Sensory Exploration
July 22	Little Laboratory



### QTUBE

**Tuesdays** 3 pm

For students going into grades 4-7 in the 2019-2020 school year. Kids help create video commercials for a variety of library services. Write the scripts. Perform, film and edit the commercials to be shown on QPL's Facebook page. This program is free, but space is limited. Registration is required. June 4, 11, 18, 25, July 2, 9, 16, 23.

### DRIVE-IN MOVIE

**Saturday, June 22** 10:15 am

Join us for our first "drive-in movie" at the library! Bring your own cardboard box (large enough for child to sit in) to transform into a car using supplies provided by QPL. We'll decorate the cars for about 30 minutes, then watch a short movie. Popcorn and lemonade provided. Space is limited; registration is required.



### RESERVE AHEAD!

QPL events are extremely popular!

• Priority will be given to those holding advance reservations who arrive at least five minutes before the start time. Reserve your space now.

• Arrive early; late arrivals may not be admitted to their scheduled program.

• People without reservations will be accommodated on a space available basis beginning five minutes before each program's scheduled start time.

• Please cancel your reservation if you cannot attend a program. Those who don't cancel will forfeit their future reservations.



### MAJOR MOVIES

**Wednesdays** 2 pm

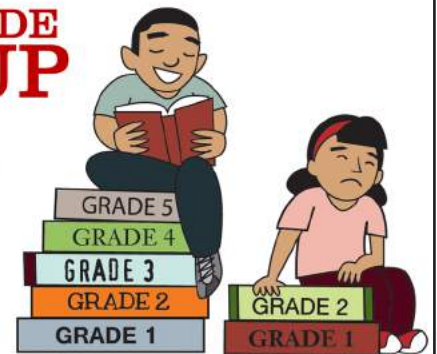
Take a break from the heat and the sun to enjoy these free, family-friendly G and PG rated movies. Popcorn and lemonade provided. Registration is required. Walk-ins will be accommodated on a space-available basis.

June 5	Ralph Breaks the Internet
June 12	Rio
June 19	Dumbo
June 26	Smallfoot
July 3	How to Train Your Dragon
July 10	The Incredibles 2
July 17	Toy Story
July 24	Hotel Transylvania 3: Summer Vacation

### SUMMER SLIDE ADDS UP

When kids don't read over the summer they fall behind.

By the end of 5th Grade, kids in need are nearly 3 grades behind their peers in reading skills.



Source: Alexander, K. L., D. R. Entwisle, and L. S. Olson. "Lasting Consequences of the Summer Learning Gap." American Sociological Review 72.2 (2007): 167-80. Web.

## ALL STAR CRAFTS

### Thursdays

2 pm and 3 pm

Enjoy fun and easy craft projects! Come back each Thursday to create something new. Registration is required. Walk-ins will be accommodated on a space-available basis.

June 6 Origami Paper Wallet

June 13 Microphones

June 20 Drums

June 27 Firework Tees

(Bring a clean white tee shirt)

July 11 Airplanes

July 18 Chenille Stem Snakes

July 25 Wooden Rafts



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## SHOWSTOPPER FRIDAYS

### Fridays

10:15 am and 1 pm

QPL presents exciting regional and local performers in these blockbuster programs! Registration is required. Walk-ins will be accommodated on a space-available basis.

### QCT ON THE ROAD PRESENTS: APOLLO TO THE MOON

June 7

Learn about NASA, the Apollo missions, and our country's journey to space. More importantly, discover what we can achieve if we keep dreaming!



### WILD TIME EXOTICS

June 14

Join us at Wild Times Exotic's inaugural visit to the Quincy Public Library. Their trained handlers will have everyone laughing and amazed by the tricks some of their animal ambassadors are able to do!



### YO-YO CHAMPION MARK HAYWARD

June 21

Mark Hayward is a World Yo-yo Champion. He's appeared on *The Late Show* with David Lettermen, *The Late Late Show* with James Corden, *America's Got Talent*, and the *NBC Nightly News*. His mother is proud. See this amazing talent at QPL!



### GREAT BIG FACES

June 28

Cartoonist Paul Merklein uses dynamic art, audience participation, and comedy to entertain while drawing famous cartoon characters.



### SPOONMAN

July 3

The Spoonman presents a hilarious interactive comedy program. He gives a stirring performance. You will really eat it up. No bib required for this totally clean act.

### OH MY GOSH JOSH AND TOTALLY NORMAL BOB THE DEWEY DIMENSION

July 12

OMG Josh is a nationally recognized entertainer and has appeared in commercials and shows on NBC, ABC, CBS, PBS, FOX, and UPN. His unique comedy and surprising tricks will delight audiences.



### JUGGLING JEFF

July 19

Enjoy Juggling Jeff's crowd-pleasing high energy show, filled with suspense, ridiculousness, and audience participation.



### ANIMAL TALES

July 26

Learn about a variety of wild, exotic animals in this educational presentation.

## CONSENT

Your participation in Quincy Public Library programs and events implies your consent to be photographed or videotaped during the program. Photos and videos may be used on our website, Facebook page, or other Library material. If you prefer not to be photographed, please let the photographer know.

# Children's Classes and Events

## STORY TIMES

Introduce your child to the excitement of live storytelling at our weekly story times, incorporating thematic books, crafts, music, and more. All story times are held in the Children's Puppet Theatre.

### TODDLER TIME

**Tuesdays 10:15 am**

Toddler story time familiarizes children, ages 16 months to 36 months, with library resources by using music, songs, stories, and crafts. Reservations requested. Books read during Toddler Time will count toward the 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program.

### BABY TIME

**Wednesdays 10:15 am**

Baby Time is a lap-sit story time for babies ages birth to 16 months and their parents or caregivers. It includes books, songs, and playtime. Reservations are requested. Books read during Baby Time will count toward the 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program.

### PRE SCHOOL TIME

**Thursdays 10:15 am**

Pre School Time incorporates thematic books, music, and playtime during 45 minute sessions. Preschool story times are designed for children ages 3 and up, but all are welcome. Reservations requested. Books read during Pre School Time will count toward the 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program.



### CREATIVITY CORNER

**First Saturdays 10 am**

Enjoy a family program focused on creating art. We'll provide supplies for a craft, a coloring sheet, and art journals. July 6, August 3

### SUPER SATURDAY

Join us for books, crafts, music, and more during the 45 minute session. Meet at 10:15 am, **August 24**

### MONDAY FUNDAY

**Mondays 6 pm**

Varied activities provide opportunities for children to develop pre-reading skills - language, communication skills, and social skills.

July 29	Process Art
August 5	Play Date
August 12	Process Art
August 19	Dance Party
August 26	Play Date



### 1000 BOOKS B4K

Start your child on a lifelong love of reading when you participate in the 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program. You and your young child can earn awards for reading books together. It's simple! Just stop in to QPL and we'll help you get started.

#### To participate in 1000BooksB4K:

- You must enroll in the program.
- Any child not yet in kindergarten is eligible.
- You must log the books you read together.
- Any book counts - library books, books from your home library, and digital eBooks.
- Books read by others count - you can include library story times or ask grandma or grandpa to read to baby.

### READING WITH BABY

It's never too early to read with your child! Reading is one of the most important activities you can do with your infant or toddler.

A child's brain develops most rapidly before the age of three and the ability to learn language skills is greatest before the age of six.

Reading to your young child helps them build a larger vocabulary and to be more successful in school.

QPL's friendly and knowledgeable children's librarian will gladly help you choose books that your infant, toddler, or preschooler will enjoy, or give ideas for the best ways to share reading with your children.



# Additional Services

## OUTREACH SERVICES

Let the Library come to you!

**HOME DELIVERY SERVICE** is available to any library patron temporarily or permanently unable to visit the library due to a visual or physical disability. We deliver books, DVDs, CDs, and more. Call Val at 223-1309, ext 217, for more information.

**ADDITIONAL SERVICES** may be available for patrons with visual or physical disabilities. Let us tell you about them.

**SCHOOL DELIVERY SERVICE** is available to teachers in our community. Our School Delivery Specialist will select material to enhance curriculum, and schedule delivery to each school. Call Anna at 223-1309, ext 222.

**LARGE PRINT BOOKS** can be enjoyed by anyone! Our extensive collection has mystery, romance, westerns, and non-fiction.

## INTERLIBRARY LOAN

Can't find the books, movies, or music you're looking for? Let us request it from another library for you. Make your request at the ASK HERE desk or online at [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org)

## MEETING ROOMS AND WIFI

QPL has meeting rooms and study rooms available free of charge for use by members of our community. Please talk to our friendly librarians to reserve one. QPL's wireless password is **qplibrary**.

## WHEELCHAIR OR WALKER

QPL keeps a wheelchair and a walker in the lobby for use by library visitors who need a little help moving about while inside the building.

## LOCAL HISTORY AND GENEALOGY

QPL's Illinois Room contains a wealth of local history and genealogy information. The librarians at the ASK HERE desk will be happy to show you these resources. Members of the Great River Genealogical Society are available each Tuesday morning in the Illinois Room to assist you with your genealogical search.

## WEBSITE

QPL's website, [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org), has many resources you can access from home. Learning Express Library, HeritageQuest, and a collection of Historic Quincy Area Photos are just a few of them. A library card barcode is required for access to some resources.

## DIGITAL RESOURCES

### EBOOKS

QPL has a collection of over 5,000 eBooks and audiobooks, available right from the library catalog, waiting for you to download to your device.

### HOOPLA DIGITAL

You can access thousands of titles – from major Hollywood movie studios, record companies and publishers – for instant streaming or temporary downloading to your smartphones, tablets, or computers. Go to our website, [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org), and get out your library card for free access!

### FLIPSTER

Flipster is a digital magazine service, provided at no additional charge to QPL library card holders. 70 titles are available for reading online, or download the Flipster app to access content offline. Visit [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org) for more information.

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## OVERDRIVE MEDIA STATION

Enjoy easy browsing of eBooks and eAudiobooks at one of two Overdrive Media Stations, located in QPL's lobby and in the Infusion Center on the first floor of Blessing Hospital. The media station simplifies the process of looking for e-content. A chosen title can be sent to a favorite personal device for check out via QR code, email, or text.

## BINGE BOXES

Looking for the perfect weekend escape? Check out one of QPL's Binge Boxes – curated collections of movies to fill your weekends! You'll find Binge Boxes in the video section at the library. They are also available to be reserved or delivered to a locker location for convenient pick up. Read more at [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org).

## FISHING POLES

Yes! You can borrow fishing poles from QPL! Ask at the CHECK OUT desk. Fishing poles are provided by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources.

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BORROW MORE  
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# Additional Services

## 24/7 HOLD LOCKERS

QPL's friendly, attentive librarians will be happy to pull the library material you want and then place it in one of our hold lockers for you to pick up at any time of the day or night!

**Call 223-1309 to request your items.**

Please specify which locker location is most convenient for you:

1. Quincy Public Library, outside the front door, 526 Jersey
2. County Market at 48th Street, in the cafe
3. Lincoln-Douglas School, 3322 Payson Road
4. Iles School, 3111 N. 12th Street

## QPL BRANCH

Enjoy 24/7 convenience with QPL's automated branch at County Market at Broadway and 48th Street. Check out and return books, movies, and audiobooks for all ages. Call to have items delivered to the lockers for you to pick up.

## BOOK DROPS

You may return your library material to QPL or to any of the convenient book drops.

Book drops are located at:

1. Quincy Mall parking lot
2. Wal-Mart parking lot
3. Hy-Vee (12th and Harrison) parking lot
4. Save-A-Lot (12th and Locust) parking lot
5. County Market at 48th and Broadway, (in the Cafe)
6. Lincoln-Douglas School
7. Iles School



# Support the Library

## FRIENDS

Friends of the Quincy Public Library provide much needed assistance in volunteering, special projects and fund-raising for the Library. They manage *Secondhand Prose* Bookstore and the used book sales. Stop in *Secondhand Prose* Bookstore in the Library to learn more about becoming a member of the Friends of the Library.

## SECONDHAND PROSE

Tuesday through Saturday  
**10 am - 4 pm**  
Snag some bargains in gently used books, CDs and more! Pick up a cup of hot coffee or delicious cappuccino - only \$1.25 per cup. *Secondhand Prose* is operated by the Friends of the Quincy Public Library. Proceeds benefit library programs and services.

## SMILE.AMAZON.COM

Shopping at Amazon? Log on through [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com). Select Friends of the Quincy Public Library as your charity of choice. A portion of the purchase price will be returned to the Friends. It's a simple way to support the Library!

## DONOR RECOGNITION GARDEN

An engraved brick is a wonderful way to express gratitude, celebrate a special occasion, or to honor a loved one. The commemorative bricks are displayed on the Library's North Lawn. To order your brick, please call Kim at 223-1309, ext 201.

## FRIENDS MEETINGS

Friends of the Library meetings are held in the Puppet Theatre on the second Monday of each month at **1 pm. June 10, July 8, August 12.** Stop in to *Secondhand Prose* Bookstore to learn about becoming a member of Friends of the Library.

## PLANNED GIVING

Planned giving is an effective way to give back to the Quincy community and to ensure Library services for future generations. The Mary Weems Barton/Quincy Public Library Foundation accepts bequests, beneficiary designations, gifts of life insurance, and Payable on Death provisions. Planned giving may have positive tax implications for the donor. Donors should consult their accountant or attorney for the most effective way to make a contribution.

Please contact Katie at 223-1309, ext 213 for more information.

## DONATIONS TO THE MARY WEEMS BARTON/QUINCY PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION

130 years ago, generous public-spirited citizens donated funds to start Quincy Public Library.

From early childhood literacy to digital resources, the library is a vibrant community resource for lifelong learning. Your support today will allow QPL to continue services for future generations. Call 223-1309 or visit | [quincylibrary.org](http://quincylibrary.org) to make a donation.

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