

Freehold Public Library

MAY 2022 NEWSLETTER

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☎ Library phone number: 732-462-5135

✉ Email: help@freeholdpubliclibrary.org

📧 Subscribe to cancellation notices: <https://www.remind.com/join/fplpr>

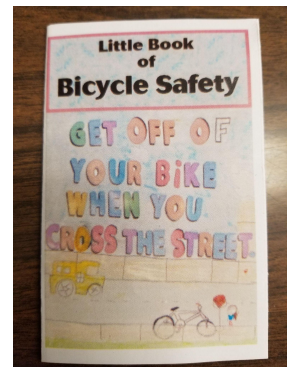
NEWS & UPDATES

- 🏛️ Masks optional inside the library.
- 🏛️ Library is closed Saturday 5/28 & Monday 5/30.
- 🏛️ Freehold Public Library reusable shopping bags, \$3.00 each. Show your library pride! Many stores may not provide plastic bags; be prepared!
- 🏛️ Congratulations to **Michael Zamorsky** on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout with Boy Scouts of America. The Library was the recipient of Michael's Eagle project: the Native New Jersey Plants Garden (between the library's rear fence and sidewalk). Besides making our community more beautiful, this is a teaching tool and a butterfly garden. We thank Michael for selecting the library for his project and for doing such a beautiful job.
- 🏛️ 📺 NJHealthConnect@Your Library. In partnership with the East Brunswick Public Library, and funded in part by the ARPA, your library is pleased to support our community's health by acquiring two iPad devices pre-loaded with various telemedicine platforms, plus quick access to a variety of health information sources ranging from COVID-19 to mental health. Ask at the library about using one of these iPads for your health information and "telehealth" needs.



For more information about library services and ARPA, visit:
https://www.njstatelib.org/services_for_libraries/american-rescue-plan-act-arpa/

- 🏛️ 📖 Books added to the library's collection will be listed in the following month's newsletter. Look for April's new books list in this issue!
- 🏛️ 📖 Featured "Little Book" of the month: May is National Bike Month, so we'll highlight one of our latest little books: "Little Book of Bike Safety." This edition is the result of a collaboration between Neighborhood Connections to Health's Bike/Walk Committee and the library.




Pick up your copy at the Circulation Desk, or contact the library if you'd like more than a few copies to share with friends.

- 🏛️ Renovation Update. By the time you read this, the project will be (or very close) "out to bid"! We expect a contract to be awarded by mid-July with construction to begin shortly thereafter. Construction is anticipated to last about eight months. Plans to have alternative access to programs and library resources are in progress. Remember, our digital collections are always available!






CHILDREN's Programs - Subscribe to Cancellation Notices at

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 Children's Book Club	Canceled until further notice
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ADULT Programs - Subscribe to Cancellation Notices at

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 Book Group	Wednesday 5/4, 7:00 PM. May's book is <i>A Gentleman in Moscow</i> by Amor Towles. For June, the book is <i>The Vanishing Half</i> by Brit Bennett. <i>Book group participants acquire subject books on their own, but the library can help in the case of older titles.</i> For information, contact Erika Cox: ecox@freeholdpubliclibrary.org .
 ESL Level 1 Presented by CARC	Monday & Wednesdays, 9:30 - 11:30 AM (except 5/30) Prior registration required Beginner English as a Second Language class (free, gratis) Contact Aina at 732-774-3282 or email aholmscheller@carcnj.org
 Trustees Meeting	Tuesday, 5/10, 7:00 PM at the library (Contact library for details)
 Come Write In!	No meeting in May.
 Craft Club	No meeting in May.

Dear Library Patron

TL;DR [this means "too long; didn't read" in text-speak!]

1. Don't ban books.
2. Library renovation is coming soon—this time I mean it! By the end of July we should be breaking ground.
3. Enjoy spring!

Be well; be well informed.

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NEW BOOKS in April

Category	Title/Author
Adult	<p>Get good with money/Aliche</p> <p>Dress code/Hyland</p> <p>Invisible kingdom/O'Rourke</p> <p>American hotel/Freeland</p> <p>Green living made easy/Birtwhistle</p> <p>Heroine with 1001 faces/Tamar</p> <p>Math games with bad drawings/Orlin</p> <p>Fodor's Bahamas</p> <p>Truly, madly/Galloway</p> <p>Go back to where you came from/Ali</p> <p>Finding me/Davis</p> <p>Pathological/Fay</p> <p>I was better last night/Fierstein</p> <p>What my bones know/Foo</p> <p>Playing with myself/Randy Rainbow</p> <p>Vanishing type/Adams</p> <p>Dream town/Baldacci</p> <p>Little souls/Dallas</p> <p>Relative murder/Deveraux</p> <p>Candy house/Egan</p> <p>Younger wife/Hepworth</p> <p>Sacred bridge/Hillerman</p> <p>Circus of wonders/Macneal</p> <p>Fear thy neighbor/Michaels</p> <p>Memory librarian/Monae</p> <p>Velorio/Navarro</p> <p>Until the last of me/Neuvel</p> <p>Death of the black widow/Patterson</p> <p>Three debts paid/Perry</p> <p>Diamond eye/Quinn</p> <p>Kingdom of bones/Rollins</p> <p>Investigator/Sandford</p> <p>Cartographers/Shepherd</p> <p>Beautiful/Steel</p> <p>Book of cold cases/St. James</p> <p>Good left undone/Trigiani</p> <p>City on fire/Winslow</p> <p>Violeta[Spanish]/Allende</p>
YA	All my rage/Tahir
Children's	<p>Superpower sisterhood/Hager</p> <p>I color myself different/Kaepernick</p> <p>I'm not scared, you're scared/Meyers</p> <p>Doggo and Pupper save the world/Applegate</p> <p>River/Hunter</p> <p>Dinosaur disaster/Patterson</p> <p>Captain Underpants and the sensational saga.../Pilkey</p> <p>Cat Kid comic club/Pilkey</p> <p>Bad seed goes to the library/John</p>

Library Information

-  **COVID-19 Countermeasures in place:**
 -  Masks optional inside the library building.
 - *All plans related to COVID-19 are subject to change.*
-  **Library Hours:**
 - Monday & Wednesday, 9am - 9pm
 - Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday, 9am - 5pm
-  **Digital Resources.** Ebooks, audiobooks and videos are available via [Libby/eLibrary NJ/OverDrive](#), [Axis360](#). And [Kanopy](#). Databases include [JerseyClicks](#) and [NJ Historic Newspaper Collection](#). Homework/Learning help is available via [Brainfuse HelpNow](#). Sign on with your library card number and (in some cases) PIN. If you don't yet have a PIN, contact the library.
- **Information that doesn't change often:**
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1g8sa1tvLCYIcbj7C1RAY4tWxbTvnIQceq5lYmINbxjs/edit?usp=sharing>



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