

Friends of the Library Chevy Chase Chapter

Enhancing Where Chevy Chase Reads

Family Fun Day Returns!

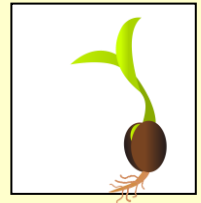
After a year's hiatus, due to the 50th anniversary of the library last year, Family Fun Day will return to Chevy Chase Library on **Saturday, September 24**, with a variety of programs.



Starting at **10:30 a.m.**, the marine biologists from Under the Sea will show a variety of live sea animals, using a video camera and projector so even those in the back of the room will be able to see the smallest animals. It'll be like watching a documentary on a large screen TV, but live and interactive.

Following the Under the Sea presentation, there will be crafts in the Children's Room. All the materials will be provided. Library staff and volunteers will be available to help kids make a variety of neat things.

From **10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.** (and perhaps continuing later), several Montgomery County Master Gardeners will be on hand to answer gardening questions and conduct an activity – probably seed planting – for kids. Weather permitting, they will be stationed outside the library.



And **starting at 2:30 p.m.**, the Baltimore Improv Group will put in a repeat appearance. BIG will take the audience into the always surprising and hilarious world of improvised theater, creating never-before-seen characters and scenes from audience suggestions and bring audience members directly into the performance. This program is for middle school students, and high school students and adults.

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FOL Chevy Chase Chapter Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Chevy Chase Chapter of the Friends of the Library will take place at **6:45 p.m. on Wednesday, September 21**. Following the Chapter's regular bi-monthly business meeting that will start at 6 p.m., there will be light refreshments, drawing for a library-oriented door prize and a special presentation by Les Rich, manager of the Friends of the Library, Montgomery County's Rockville Bookstore, and Lance Salins, FOLMC Business Coordinator. Les will discuss various aspects of book collecting and book appraising. Lance will share information about selling books online. **All FOLCC members are invited to attend.**

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The FOLCC Needs Your Help

Are any of you willing to give some time to help the FOLCC run well? We asked in the previous newsletter but no one stepped up to the plate. Forever hopeful, we are asking again.

What does the Chapter need? The “wish list” includes:

- ▶ Board members, to participate in deciding how the FOLCC will function and how funds are spent
- ▶ A newsletter editor, to produce three or four newsletters a year
- ▶ A program coordinator, to work with Library staff on logistics for the events the FOLCC sponsors
- ▶ A graphics person, to produce posters for the events (experience preferred but not required)
- ▶ Several people to help sort donated books (and be able to buy them before they’re sold to the public)
- ▶ Several people to help “sell” FOLCC memberships at the library

If you are interested in helping or for more information, please contact Steve Schmal, President of the FOLCC, by phone at 301-652-8620 or by e-mail at schmals@verizon.net.

To Serve You Better – New Library Staff

After too many years of being understaffed, the Chevy Chase Library now has a full complement of staff. The Library now has a senior children’s librarian – Maura Williams, who comes to Chevy Chase all the way from Las Vegas. She will work with Janet Bock, our very experienced children’s librarian. And replacing Cindy Schweinfest as senior adult librarian is Rachel Rappaport, who previously worked at the Silver Spring Library. Cindy is now Branch Manager of the Praisner Library, a well-deserved promotion.