



Edith B. Ford Memorial Library

MAY 2018 EVENTS

Book Sale April 30-May 12 *during library hours*

- Mon-Fri **Star Wars Week** (April 30-May 4) **2:30-4:30pm**
Young Padawans, join us for an adventure each day: Mon. Jar Jar Binks Games; Tues. Yoda origami and art; Wed. Wookie Scavenger Hunt; Thurs. Jedi Academy; Fri. Droid Movie & Prizes for the best Star Wars costumes. All ages welcome.
- Mondays **D&D Adventure** (all ages welcome) **2:30-4:45pm**
Join DM Luke for an adventure of epic proportions. Registration appreciated.
- Mondays **Knit & Chat** **2:00-4:00pm**
Knit socially with all skill levels; share projects & receive advice.
April 30, May 7 & 14 at the Ford Library. May 21 at the Ovid Fire Hall, Brown St.
- Tues. May 1 **Caring for the Elderly** **10:30-11:30am**
Seneca County Office of the Aging will present information on what to do when your elderly parent can no longer live alone. Topics will include Medicaid and Medicare; in-home care and assisted living; local resources that are available. Bring your questions. Registration appreciated.
- Tues. May 1 **Bat House Build** **5:30-7:30pm**
Join Marris and Billy to learn about bats and how to construct bat houses. Build houses that will be for sale at the library plant sale. Ages 8+, younger with an adult.
Registration required. *Sponsored by GFLAWMA Earth Day Project.*
- Wednesdays **Genealogy Assistance & Local History Research** **10:00am-2:00pm**
Our Library Archivist is available for a one hour one-on-one researching assistance using our local history collection or online databases. Registration required for a time slot.
- Wednesdays **LIFT: LibCraft – Minecraft & Technology Day** (May 2 & 9) **2:30-4:15pm**
Join Luke to learn how to explore & build a Minecraft world. *Sponsored: Rosen Library Fund.*
- Wednesdays **Computer Cafe** (May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30) **6:30-7:30pm**
Luke will provide 1:1 and small group computer lessons for anyone requiring assistive technology. Registration Required. *Sponsored by the Finger Lakes Library System.*
- Wednesdays **Excel I & II** (May 2 & 9) **6:45-8:15pm**
Matt Barkee will present Excel for home or business use. Laptops provided, or bring your own.
Registration required. *Sponsored by the Finger Lakes Library System.*
- Thursdays **LIFT Classic** (grades 6-8) May 3 & 10. **2:30-4:15pm**
Enjoy fun art & science activities. *Sponsored: Rosen Library Fund.*
- Thur. May 3 **Author Joe Siccardi** **7:00pm**
Joe Siccardi, former publisher *Reville/Between the Lakes*, will give a talk related to his new book, *Heaven Shining Through*. Book signing to follow presentation. Registration appreciated.
- Fridays **Storytime** *All Ages Welcome* **10:30-11:30am**
All ages enjoy stories, songs and fun activities with Ms. Nora. We welcome infants, toddlers and school-aged children. 5/4 Star Wars; 5/11 Seed; 5/18 Hair; 5/25 Insects.
Sponsored: Rosen Library Fund. Beginning 5/18 meet at the pavilion in Ovid Park – next to the Ovid Fire Hall, Brown Street.
- Sat. May 5 **Catapult Build** **10:00am-1:00pm**
Forget the sword and shield, we are going large! Seth Holmberg will lead us in building a full-size catapult. We will build and test fire our siege weapon. Ages 8+, younger with an adult.
Registration required.
- Tues. May 8 **Essential Oils and Application** **6:30-8:00pm**
Learn how to use essential oil for the entire family with Jolene Burger & Anna LaRocca
Registration required.
- Thur. May 10 **Craft & Chat: Beading** **6:30-7:30pm**
Teen advisor Foust will teach us how to bead. Registration appreciated.
- Sat. May 12 **Ovid Library Plant Sale** **8:30am-noon**
Find flowers, vegetables, herbs, bushes, and hanging baskets. All proceeds benefit the Ford Library. Free kid activities & bounce house. Quilt Raffle. Shop for Mom & support your library! Plant donations are welcomed.
- Sat. May 12 **Library Expansion Groundbreaking** **10:30am**
Join library staff, trustees and Senator Pam Helming to usher in a new era for our library.

Flip for more programs

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LIBRARY HOURS: MON 9-5; TUES 10-8; WED 10-8; THURS 10-8; FRI 9-5; SAT 10-2

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- Mon. May 14 **Author Philip Ackerman** **7:00pm**
 Philip Ackerman, Professor of Sustainable Agriculture & Regional Food Systems, will discuss his latest book, *A Precautionary Tale*, about how one small town banned pesticides, preserved its food heritage, and inspired a movement. Philip will discuss how to create a local, sustainable food system. Registration appreciated. **At the Ovid Fire House.**
- Thur. May 17 **Board of Trustees Meeting** **5:30-7:00pm**
 The public is invited to attend the open meetings. **At the Ovid Fire House.**
- Thur. May 24 **Adult Game Night** **6:00-7:30pm**
 Library staffers are game geeks! Join us for games and drinks at the Lost Kingdom Brewery, Main Street, Ovid. Registration appreciated.
- Wed. May 30 **Lake Country Book Club** **3:00-4:00pm**
 A great afternoon book club. May title: *Red Scarf Girl: A Memoir of the Cultural Revolution* by Ji-li Jiang. Copies of the book at the library. **At the Christ Episcopal Church, Willard.**
- Sat. June 2 **Edible Plant Walk** **10:00am-noon**
 Sarah Kelsen will lead us on a walk in the Hector National Forest to identify wild, edible plants. Registration is required. Location TBA. *Sponsored by the Delavan Foundation.*
- Sat. June 9 **Mushroom Farm Walk** **10:00am-noon**
 Steve Sierigk will give a tour of the commercial mushroom yard at Hawk Meadow Farm. Registration required. *Sponsored by the Delavan Foundation.*



Visit NYS parks this summer!
 Borrow an Empire Pass from the Ford Library.
 1 week loan period.

Library Expansion Update –

We need your help! While fundraising has been strong, we still have a long way to achieve our funding goal. We need all library users and supporters to consider donating to our Capital Campaign to make our library expansion a full reality. If you value our library and the services you receive, please consider a tax-deductible donation today. Our expansion goals:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth Room • 2 small meeting rooms • Local History research room • Outdoor patio & program space • Additional restrooms • Self-serve elevator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quiet adult reading area • Classroom • Technology center • Enlarged driveway and parking lot • Toddler room • Improved rear entrance
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GIVING OPTIONS

Check (payable to Ford Library Capital Campaign)

Online (www.ovidlibrary.org/donate)

I would like to be acknowledged as:

I would like my contribution to aid:

General Outdoor Space Technology

Children's Space Archive Space