

*41 years of growth with the community*

# Hamburg Township Library



*Newsletter for community residents and neighborhood friends.*

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## COMMUNITY BOTANICAL GARDENS FOUNDATION

Future site of new Serenity Garden



## COMMUNITY DONATIONS - CONTRIBUTE TO THE MISSION OF THE LIBRARY

The Library is happy to announce that the Community Botanical Gardens Foundation has gifted a beautiful garden to the Hamburg community. The garden is located behind the library off the children's corner and behind the meeting rooms. You can access this beautiful area through the hallway nearest to the meeting rooms and along a pathway on the north side of the building (by the rose wall). Dedication of the Dennis Morgan Serenity Garden is planned for Saturday, August 4, 2007, please check our web site or at the front desk for more details and time. The Morgan family invites all members of the community to enjoy the garden in a peaceful and caring way.

Dennis Morgan was the Hamburg Township Supervisor from 1996 to 1998. His vision for the future included a new public library located at the Township Complex. We have Mr. Morgan to thank for the serene location of the Library that the entire community enjoys.

A special thank you to the officers of the Community Botanical Gardens: Jan Morgan, Karen Morgan, Carol Christopher and Donna Lee Hornyak. The Community Botanical Gardens will continue to accept donations to further enhance the garden's future.

## HAMBURG TOWNSHIP LIBRARY KEEPSAKE COOKBOOK



Due to the interest in our Keepsake Cookbook, we have extended our deadline for submitting recipes to June 30, 2007.

Include your name and phone number. Selection of recipes will be determined by the staff in order to avoid duplications. Names will be published with recipes unless you indicate you would prefer to withhold your name.

The cookbooks will be published and ready for sale around October 2007 for \$5.00 each.

### RECIPE CATEGORIES:

|   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| Appetizers & Beverages  | Breads & Rolls  |
| Soups & Salads  | Desserts        |
| Vegetables & Side Dishes  | Cookies & Candy |
| Main Dishes   |                 |
| This & That (salad dressings, pickles, flavored butters, marinates, etc.) |                 |

## A DULT ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Registration is required for all adult programs.  
Fees must be paid at registration time.

For registration and more information:

- call (810) 231-1771
- email at hamb@tln.lib.mi.us
- online at www.hamburglibrary.org

All programs begin promptly at times indicated.  
Minimum age 15 years.

### Investor Education @ Your Library Saturday, June 23, 9:00am-Noon.

This program is focused on anyone receiving or considering a buy-out option. You will be provided with information so you can gain a fundamental understanding of:

- Common investment terms-explained in plain English
- Common investment scams and how to avoid them
- Diversification
- Volatility or risk
- Investment strategy
- Retirement income planning
- How to select a financial services provider

Sponsored by the State of Michigan, Office of Financial and Insurance Services, Dept. of Labor & Economic Growth. Upon registration you will receive a "Personal Balance Sheet" which can be completed at home. No identification is used on this form. You will take this to your one-on-one 30-minute counseling session on Saturday, June 23. You will also learn the warning signs and common "red flags" that are usually associated with investment fraud. This is an excellent learning opportunity for anyone who is facing retirement or restructuring. This service is free, but registration is required.

## S UMMER IN THE PARK



### Hamburg Family Fun Fest - June 14 to 17

*Kids' Day* is Thursday June 14 from Noon to 8:00pm.

*Volunteer Fair* from Noon-4:00pm. As in the past, many non-profit organizations will be available to educate the public about their services. This is a good time to sign up for volunteer hours that you can donate to help out these services in your community. Each group will provide a child-related activity or gift. **Free.**

*The Joel Tacey Comedy Variety Show* at 6:00pm. This interactive, exciting family-friendly show is jam-packed with trick juggling, cool gadgets, edge-of-your-seat stunts and lots of audience participation. **Free.**



## G ENIE'S BOOK CLUB

Join friends and neighbors for lively, informal, adult book discussions on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. Pick up the book prior to the meeting date. No registration or fees.

**May 16, 2007**

### *One True Thing*, by Anna Quindlen

After caring for her mother during her final, painful battle with cancer, Ellen Gulden discovers many surprising things about her mother's life and finds herself accused of murdering her mother in a mercy killing. (Fiction : 387 p.)

**June 6, 2007**

### *Pride & Prejudice*, by Jane Austen

Human foibles and early nineteenth-century manners are satirized in this romantic tale of English country family life. (Fiction:378 p.)

**June 20, 2007**

### MOVIE PRESENTATION

*Pride & Prejudice* (2006): Keira Knightley, Matthew Macfadyen, Brenda Blethyn, Donald Sutherland, Tom Hollander, Rosamund Pike, Jena Malone, Judi Dench. (129 min.)

**July 11, 2007**

### *Jane Austen in Boca*, by Paula Marantz Cohen

A send-up of *Pride & Prejudice* set in a Florida retirement village follows a circle of retirees on a voyage of love and manners. (Fiction : 258 p.)

**August 1, 2007**

### *Standing Alone*, by Asra Nomani

A journalist and unwed Muslim mother makes a pilgrimage to Mecca and reflects on the changing status of women in the Muslim religion and the impact of the modern world on the practice of Islam. (Biography : 306 p.)

**September 5, 2007**

### *The Memory Keeper's Daughter*, by Kim Edwards

In a tale spanning twenty-five years, a doctor delivers his newborn twins during a snowstorm and, rashly deciding to protect his wife from their baby daughter's affliction with Down Syndrome, turns her over to a nurse, who secretly raises the child. (Fiction : 401 p.)

**October 3, 2007**

### *Miss Julia Speaks Her Mind*, by Ann B. Ross

Recently widowed and newly wealthy, Miss Julia receives a visit from Hazel Marie, who claims that her nine-year-old son is the child of Julia's late husband. (Fiction : 273 p.)

## GRAMMY WINNERS 2007

This collection has been made possible through the generosity of the Borek Jennings Funeral Home.

*Thank you for your donations to the community.*

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| <b>Blues</b>       | After the Rain (Irma Thomas)<br>Risín' With the Blues (Ike Turner)   |
| <b>Children</b>    | Catch That Train! (Dan Zanes & Friends)  |
| <b>Classical</b>   | Mahler : Symphony No.7<br>(San Francisco Symphony)<br>Simple Gifts (London Symphony Orchestra)   |
| <b>Country</b>     | Instrumentals<br>(Ricky Skaggs & Kentucky Thunder)<br>Taking the Long Way (Dixie Chicks)   |
| <b>Jazz</b>        | The Hidden Land<br>(Bela Fleck & The Flecktones)<br>Some Skunk Funk (Randy Brecker, et al.)<br>Turned to Blue (Nancy Wilson)<br>The Ultimate Adventure (Chick Corea) |
| <b>Pop</b>         | B'Day (Beyonce)<br>The Breakthrough (Mary J. Blige)<br>Continuum (John Mayer)<br>St. Elsewhere (Gnarls Barkley)  |
| <b>Duets</b>       | An American Classic (Tony Bennett)   |
| <b>Rock</b>        | Modern Times (Bob Dylan)<br>Stadium Arcadium (Red Hot Chili Peppers)<br>We Shall Overcome (Bruce Springsteen)  |
| <b>Shows</b>       | Jersey Boys (Original Broadway Cast)<br>Memoirs of a Geisha (John Williams)<br>Walk the Line (Joaquin Phoenix, et al.)   |
| <b>Special</b>     | Amarantine (Enya)  |
| <b>Lost Sounds</b> | Blacks and the Birth of the Recording Industry<br>(Various Artists)  |
| <b>World</b>       | Blessed (Soweto Gospel Choir)<br>Wonder Wheel (The Klezmatics)   |

## ACADEMY WINNERS 2007

| DVD | Book | Audio | Academy Winners          |
|-----|------|-------|--------------------------|
| ✓   |      |       | The Departed             |
| ✓   |      |       | Dreamgirls               |
| ✓   |      |       | Happy Feet               |
| ✓   |      |       | An Inconvenient Truth    |
| ✓   | ✓    |       | Last King of Scotland    |
| ✓   |      |       | Little Miss Sunshine     |
| ✓   | ✓    |       | Marie Antoinette         |
| ✓   |      |       | The Queen                |
|     |      |       | <b>Nominees</b>          |
|     |      |       | Blood Diamond            |
|     |      |       | Cars                     |
|     | ✓    | ✓     | The Devil Wears Prada    |
|     | ✓    | ✓     | Flags of Our Fathers     |
|     |      |       | Half Nelson              |
|     |      |       | Monster House            |
|     |      |       | Poseidon                 |
|     | ✓    |       | The Prestige             |
|     | ✓    | ✓     | The Pursuit of Happyness |
|     |      |       | Superman Returns         |
|     |      |       | United 93                |



## THE PAGE - TURNERS

Many people love mystery novels, but the kind of detective story you crave reveals a lot about you. Do you love mysteries that take a surprising twist at the end? People, who prefer less-predictable endings tend to have higher self-esteem than those who like to be able to finger the killer from the very start. Found in a new study conducted at Ohio State University that investigated the popularity of crime stories.

What's behind the difference? "Whodunit stories with foreseeable endings can boost the spirits of people feeling down on themselves," says Silvia Knobloch-Westerwich, Ph.D., assistant professor of communications and coauthor of the study. Even if you usually feel pretty good about yourself, solving a mystery can also lift your spirits when you've just had a bad day. -LHJ

Check out these new mystery titles at the Library:

MYS Bea 2007 - *Death of a Maid* by M. C. Beaton

MYS Bra 2007 - *The Cat Who had 60 Whiskers*  
by Lilian Jackson Braun

MYS Bro 2007 - *Puss 'n Cahoots*  
by Rita Mae Brown

MYS Cra 2007 - *The Watchman* by Robert Crais

MYS Eva 2007 - *Plum Lovin'* by Janet Evanovich

MYS Jan 2007 - *Dust* by Martha Grimes

MYS Jan 2007 - *Web of Evil* by J. A. Jance

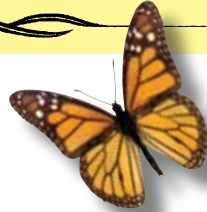
MYS Par 2007 - *High Profile* by Robert B. Parker

MYS Per 2007 - *At Some Disputed Barricade*  
by Anne Perry

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**Business Hours**

Monday to Thursday  
9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Friday  
12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m.

Saturday  
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



Library Directory  
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www.hamburglibrary.org

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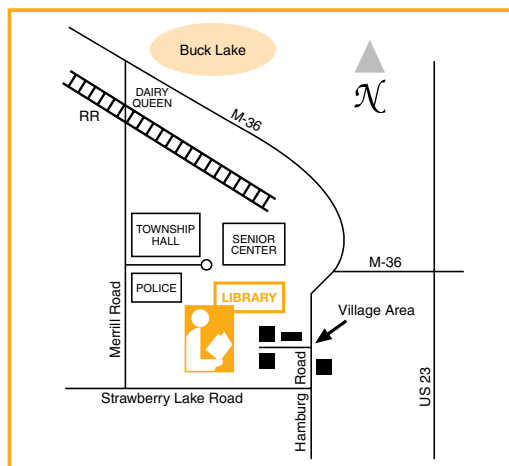
Mailing address:  
P.O. Box 247  
Hamburg, MI 48139

**Remember: Book Drop, Holds and Renewals**

There is a 24 hour book return by the 5 minute parking area.  
Renewals and Holds can be done by phone, in person, or online at  
[www.hamburglibrary.org](http://www.hamburglibrary.org).

**Library Closings:**

Monday, May 28th - Memorial Day  
Saturday, June 16th - Hamburg Family Fun Fest  
Wednesday, July 4th - Independence Day  
Monday, September 3rd - Labor Day



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# SUPERHEROES

## POWERED BY BOOKS

GRATITUDE STEEL BAND  
6/13/2007 1:00PM  
(OUTSIDE)

PHOTO HOLDER  
6/19/2007  
6:30PM

~MAGIC~  
ABBOTT  
6/27/2007  
1:00PM

VENTRILOQUIST  
RICHARD PAUL  
7/11/2007 1:00PM

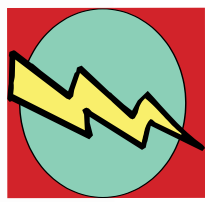
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6/19/2007  
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6:30PM

KRYPTONITE BOX  
7/17/2007  
6:30PM

SUPERHERO MASK  
7/31/2007  
6:30PM



## SUMMER READING ACTIVITY SIGN-UP

\$0.50 PER CHILD/PER ACTIVITY PAID AT TIME OF SIGNUP

For more information visit our web site:  
www.hamburglibrary.org  
or phone: 810-231-1771

2007 Summer Reading  
At  
Hamburg Township Library

Program

KICK-OFF PARTY

FRIDAY  
JUNE 8, 2007  
7:00 PM

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☺ See  
Summer  
Pre-Paid  
Activities  
on other  
side.

**FREE ACTIVITIES DURING SIGN-UP**



**MAGIC**



**FACE PAINTING**



**CRAFTS**



**BALLOON ANIMALS**



**ICE CREAM SUNDAES**

**Teen Community  
Read 2007**

Monday, June 11  
through  
Friday, August 10

For all teens, ages 11-18 are encouraged to read *No More Dead Dogs* by Gordon Korman and/or *Dairy Queen* by Catherine Gilbert Murdock. Participate in an online discussion of the books. Both authors will be participating in the blog and posting weekly.

See the web site for more information.  
www.hamburglibrary.org