From the Director

Big things are in store for us in 2014. After much research, considering the return on investment, and holding a public information session in November, the library board of trustees has voted to join the Central Library Consortium in 2014. The UAPL and two other Columbus area libraries will be joining the existing 11 libraries that share a catalog and participate in cooperative purchasing agreements, saving taxpayer funds. Staff is busy getting ready for the transition, which will happen in early April 2014.

One of the factors in our decision was that our current vendor will be discontinuing our current patron catalog and we would have had to upgrade it anyway. This decision will allow us to continue to provide the same great collection and personal service that we are known for while at the same time giving us the ability to offer the citizens of Upper Arlington a collection 10 times the size we have on our own. Other enhancements include a mobile-friendly catalog, the ability to accept fine payments online with a credit card, an automated phone renewal system, and the ability to receive text notifications. See page 3 for more details.

Also wrapping up in 2014 are our Energy Conservation Measures (ECM) projects. Many of the lighting efficiency projects have been completed with lighting levels maintained while glare and expenses have been reduced. Soon we’ll be in the middle of our Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning system replacements scheduled to be completed in the late spring. It’s worth noting that both the ECM and Library Catalog System projects were made possible by careful planning and saving by the library.

We recently added another product to our growing list of online offerings. Hoopla is a service that provides free digital videos, music and audiobooks with your library card. While other Central Ohio public libraries, we will be able to offer our patrons over 4 million items — 10 times the number in our own collection. You’ll also be able to access our catalog more easily on your mobile device and pay fines online with a credit card. Please note that in preparation for this transition, our catalog will have limited accessibility from April 3-9. Online access will not be available and you’ll need your library card to check out items, as staff will not be able to look up patron information.

From the Board President

I’m pleased and proud to be serving my first term as president of the Upper Arlington Public Library’s Board of Trustees. When I joined the board in 2011, I knew that I would be serving a community and an institution that have been highly regarded by Upper Arlington residents for decades. I saw this regard firsthand during my meetings with citizens during our 2012 levy campaign. Perhaps the biggest indicator of residents’ belief in the value of the library was the passage of our operating levy by nearly a 3-to-1 margin.

The strong, positive views that the community has expressed to me over the last three years were reflected in the results of the City of Upper Arlington 2013 Community Survey. Released last fall, the results showed that 99% of UA residents rated the quality of life at good or excellent; 99% rate their neighborhood as a good or excellent place to raise children; and 99% said UA is a good or excellent place to live. When asked what they liked most about living in Upper Arlington, dozens specifically mentioned the library.

It’s this pride in the community and the library that continues to inspire our library board and staff to keep it a great place for you and your family.

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On the cover: In this photo from the UA Archives, Perry Township recognizes citizens who served during World War II. Author Lynne Olson, author of four books on WWII, will give two talks at the Main Library on April 27. See page 4 for details.

Library Board Gets New Member

On January 21, Gloria Heydlauff was sworn in as the newest member of the Upper Arlington Public Library Board of Trustees. Gloria is a retired librarian and has been an Upper Arlington resident since 1991. She previously served on the Upper Arlington City School Board and is currently president of Tri-Village Rotary.

UAPL Joining Central Library Consortium

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Volunteer UA Expo Returns April 16

The Main Library will once again host the Volunteer UA Expo as a way to showcase volunteer opportunities in our community. The Expo will run in the atrium from 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. on Wednesday, April 16. Stop by to pick up printed materials and chat with representatives about options for donating your time. Volunteer UA was formed in 2007 as a partnership of local organizations to promote and support the many volunteer opportunities in the Tri-Village area.

Friends of the UAPL Spring Book Sale

The Friends of the UAPL Spring Book Sale will run from May 18-June 1 at the Main Library. Catch great deals during normal library hours, with the exception of Memorial Day weekend when the library is closed. The sale features a large selection of hardback and paperback books for all ages. You’ll also find DVDs, VHS tapes, CDs, records and more.

Holiday Closings

All three UAPL locations will be closed on Sunday, May 25 and Monday, May 26 in observance of Memorial Day.

Upcoming Board of Trustees Meetings

All meetings of the UAPL Board of Trustees are open to the public. The Board generally meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 5 p.m. in Meeting Room 8 of the Main Library. At press time, board meetings are scheduled for March 18, April 15 and May 20. The March 18 meeting will be held at our Lane Road Branch.

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Hoopla joins our other digital offerings, including Digital Downloads for eBooks, Zinio for magazines, and Freegal for music. If you have questions about any of our downloadable content, please contact the Media Services Department.

**Reference Subject Guides**

Our new subject guides are great all-in-one ways to research a variety of topics. Our reference librarians compile online tools using high-quality sources such as reputable websites, subscription databases, and printed materials. Interested in history? Whether you’re researching a paper or just want to learn more about a certain period or event, check out our History subject guide featuring reliable sources such as the Gale Virtual Reference Library, Proquest Historical Newspapers and many more.

Check out all our subject guides, including Jobs and Careers, Senior Citizens, Medicine and Health, Investments and much more, at www.ualibrary.org/reference.

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**UAPL Hosts Award-Winning Author Lynne Olson on April 27**

Bestselling nonfiction author Lynne Olson will visit the library on April 27, 2014 to give two presentations. The first talk will be at 1:30 p.m. and the second will be at 3:30 p.m. Each session includes a 45-minute presentation called “Racing Against Time: Roosevelt, Churchill, and the Fight to Save Britain in World War II,” followed by a Q&A period and book signing. Tickets will be available for $10 each and can be purchased via a link on www.ualibrary.org beginning March 1.


Before Olson began writing books as a full-time career, she spent seven years with the Associated Press, working as a national feature writer in New York, a foreign correspondent in AP’s Moscow bureau, and a political reporter in Washington. She left the Associated Press to join the Washington bureau of the Baltimore Sun, where she covered national politics and eventually the White House. She later taught journalism for five years as an assistant professor at American University in Washington. Her book **Freedom’s Daughters** won the Christopher Award, and Troublesome Young Men was a finalist for the Los Angeles Times Book Prize in history.

The UAPL is very grateful for the support of the Friends of the UAPL, the UA Community Foundation and the UA Rotary. It is through generous grants from these organizations that this author visit is possible. Check www.ualibrary.org beginning March 1 or call us for more information.

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How to Help Your ADHD Child Become Self-Sufficient

Wednesday, March 12 at 7 p.m. Adults Friends Theater; 60 min. No registration

Join Judy MacNamee, Founder and ADD/ADHD Coach of ADHD CoachConnect, LLC, leads a discussion on how you can change those ADHD behaviors that are so frustrating. Learn what it is appropriate to be a “helicopter” parent and when you should back off. Discover how to avoid being the “bad guy” and hear strategies for changing your home from a chaotic environment to one that is calm.

Related reading: Better Than Normal: How What Makes You Different Can Make You Exceptional by Dale Archer

Teen Tech Week: DIY Binary Code Bling

Friday, March 14; drop in from 3-6 p.m. Teen Department Grades 6-12 No registration

Show off your geek pride and sport some cool handmade bling. Stop by the Teen Department and craft a fun piece of jewelry based on binary code. Binary code is the basis of computer languages and uses zeroes and ones to represent text. All instructions and supplies will be provided.

Related reading: Geektastic: Stories from the Nerd Herd

Family Books and Build

Saturday, March 15 at 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-10 Saturday, April 12 at 10:30 a.m. Registration opens Saturday, May 10 at 10:30 a.m. Youth Activity Room; 45 min.

Children and caregivers — join us for stories, building and fun! Each month we’ll read a story for inspiration, then the building will begin with our LEGO and LEGO Duplo blocks. Please note children will not be able to keep their creations.

Related reading: LEGO Minifigures Character Encyclopedia by Daniel Lipkowitz

Read Down Fines

Saturday, March 15 at 10:30 a.m. All ages Friends Theater & Meeting Room B; 60 min. No registration

Got fines? Patrons of all ages can join us at any UAPL library to read from 10:30-11:30 a.m. and receive up to 58 off your existing overdue fines. Be sure to arrive early with your library card and reading materials with you. Please arrive no later than 10:30 to participate.

Related reading: Ask a staff member for a book suggestion

Scary Cinema: The Serpent and the Rainbow

Sunday, March 16 at 2 p.m. Adults Friends Theater; 120 min. No registration

In “The Serpent and the Rainbow,” an anthropologist goes to Haiti after hearing rumors about a drug used by black magic practitioners to turn people into zombies. The script is loosely based on the nonfiction book of the same title by Wade Davis, that recounts his experiences in investigating Haitian Voodoo and the process of making zombies. (1988, 98 min., rated R) If you like zombie movies and lore, don’t miss our program “Where do Zombies Come From?” on Thursday, March 20 at 7 p.m.

Related DVD: Re-animator

Ditching Debt: Three Simple Steps for Financial Stress Relief

Tuesday, March 18 at 7 p.m. Adults Friends Theater; 60 min. No registration

Get rid of debt without spending weekends pouring over a thick book to get the answers. Financial Coach Janine Bolon will guide you through her philosophy on putting that crushing debt behind you while changing spending habits at the source — your emotions. Her lessons can be absorbed immediately and you’ll walk away with a newfound sense of purpose and control in three steps. This class is also great if you have family that is in debt and you wish to help them recover.

Related reading: Debt-Free Forever: Take Control of Your Money and Your Life by Gail Vaz-Oxlade

Where Do Zombies Come From?

Thursday, March 20 at 7 p.m. Adults Friends Theater; 60 min. No registration

Learn about the origins of the zombie myth in Haitian voodoo tradition and how Hollywood interpreted the legend in films in the 1930s and 1940s. We’ll discuss George Romero’s Night of the Living Dead (1968) and how that image of the zombie has influenced more recent films and how all these movies represent the fears of Americans at various points in history. Ann Shiflet, instructor at the Columbus College of Art and Design, is our presenter.

Related reading: American Zombie Gothic: The Rise and Fall (and Rise) of the Walking Dead in Popular Culture by Kyle William Bishop

A Visit From the Columbus Zoo and Aquarium

Saturday, March 22 at 10:30 a.m. Kindergarten & up Friends Theater; 60 min. Free tickets required

Join us for a visit from the Columbus Zoo and Aquarium animal ambassadors! This personalized program will allow you to visit with the animals that travel with Jungle Jack Hanna to shows such as Good Morning America and The Late Show with David Letterman. Discover where they are from, what they eat, and get up close with these animal stars and their handlers. Free tickets are required for this program and will be available beginning March 8.

Related reading: National Geographic Book of Animal Poetry

High School Book Club

UAHS students: Join us for a lively discussion of classic and contemporary literature. Stop by the school’s learning center to pick up a copy of this month’s title. Please note: This book discussion meets at UA High School.

Friday Mar. 21 @ 3:15 PM
Friday Apr. 25 @ 3:15 PM
Friday May 16 @ 3:15 PM
Films By or About Women: Passion Fish

Sunday, March 23 at 2 p.m.
Friends Theater; approx. 3 hours
No registration

Linda Taylor from CCAD presents this thoughtful movie about May-lice Culhane, a New York daytime soap opera actress, who is left paralyzed after an accident. She decides to return to her family's home in Louisiana, where she slips into a life of despair. Her outlook begins to change with the arrival of Chantelle, a nurse with her own problems. (1992, 130 min., rated R)

Related DVD: Driving Miss Daisy

Let's Debate! The Best of the Best

Wednesday, March 26 at 7 p.m.
Grades 6-12
Friends Theater; approx. 3 hours
No registration

Nominated for the Academy Award for Best Foreign Language Film, Downfall is the unflinching account of the last days of Nazi Germany. It takes place almost entirely withing the confines of Hitler’s bunker and depicts the final 10 days of Adolf Hitler’s reign in 1945. The movie is based on several books including Albert Speer’s memoir Inside the Third Reich, and Hitler’s Last Days: An Eye—Witness Account by Gerhard Bold. (2004, 155 min., rated R)

Related DVD: Army of Shadows

Columbus Children's Theatre: The Wizard of Oz

Saturday, April 5 at 10:15 a.m.
Grades 4-6
Free tickets required

Meet the cast from Columbus Children's Theatre's production of The Wizard of Oz. Actors will perform a short scene from the show and provide a craft. Characters will be available after the program for photos. Free tickets are required and will be available in the Youth Services Dept. beginning March 22.

More info: www.coldschartheatre.org

World War II on Film: Downfall

Thursday, April 3 at 7 p.m.
Grades 8-12
Friends Theater; 120 min.
No registration

Nominated for 4 Academy Awards including Best Picture, Clint Eastwood's Letters from Iwo Jima The story of the battle of Iwo Jima between the United States and Japan during World War II, as told from the perspective of, and through the letters written by the Japanese who fought it. Directed by Clint Eastwood, the movie has quickly become a classic in its genre. (2006, 140 min., rated R)

Related DVD: Cross of Iron

Red Cross Blood Drive

Saturday, April 12 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Grades 13+
Free tickets required

Give the gift of life by donating blood at the Red Cross Blood Drive. Visit the website below and use sponsor code UAPL to make an appointment. Walk-ins also encouraged.

More info: www.redcrossblood.org/make-donation

DIY Bookmarks

Saturday, April 12 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Grades K-8
Youth Activity Room; 60 min.
No registration

Kick off National Library Week by decorating your own DIY Bookmarks. Notebooks & Diaries by Jodi Wheeler-Toppen

Related reading: Science Experiments That Fizz and Bubble

Science Investigation: Peeps

Wednesday, April 16 at 4 p.m.
Grades 3-5
Meeting Room B; 60 min.
Registration opens April 2

Love 'em or hate 'em, Peeps are intriguing. We'll explore how marshmallow Peeps are made and do some experimenting to see how or if we can change them. Old clothing is recommended.

Related reading: Science Experiments That Fizz and Bubble

Meet the Staff

Name: Tracie Steele
Position: Youth Librarian
Year you joined UAPL: 1994

My memorable UAPL experience: Helping a dad find a book his parents read to him when he was young. He and his wife had just had their first child and when I handed him the book, he started crying. He told me he couldn't wait to read it to his son now. This story still makes me tear up in a good way.

What I'm reading now: The Screaming Staircase by Jonathan Stroud. It's his first in the Lockwood & Co. series
Youth Department

No registration

Friends Theater; approx. 3 hours

Made in Dagenham

All ages

Friday, April 18; 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Spring Cards

presents. (2010, 113 min., rated R)

Taylor

Linda

a film based on a true story about a group of spirited

Made in Dagenham

We conclude our spring film series with

Kids and teens

Vinyl Love

Saturday, April 19; 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Youth Department

No registration

Drop-in anytime today and make a spring card. Keep one

for someone special and make another to brighten the day

of a local senior citizen. Our Outreach Services will deliver
donated cards during the next few weeks.

Related reading: Cards, Wrap and Tags by Anna Claybourne

UA Author Series Presents Lynne Olson

Sunday, April 27 at 1:30 p.m. & 3:30 p.m. Adults

Friends Theater; 90 min. Tickets on sale March 1

The UA Author Series returns with two
talks by Lynne Olson. Lynne has written six
nonfiction books, including four on World
War II. Her 2010 book Citizens of London:
The Americans Who Stood with Britain in Its Darkest, Finest Hour was a national bestseller and was named one of the American Library Association’s notable books. Her latest book is Those Angry Days: Roosevelt, Lindbergh, and America’s Fight Over World War II, 1939-1941. Her visit is sponsored by the UA Community Foundation, the Friends of the UAPL and the UA Rotary. Tickets are $10 and will go on sale March 1 through our website at www.uailibrary.org. For more information on Lynne Olson, see page 4.

Related reading: Those Angry Days by Lynne Olson

Woody Guthrie and Robert Burns: A Surprising Comparison

Thursday, May 1 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

At first glance, it’s hard to imagine two artists more different than Robert Burns and Woody Guthrie, separated by centuries, cultures and continents. Burns is a literary icon, Scotland’s Bard. Guthrie is the Dust Bowl Troubadour, his songs crafted in hobo camps, picket lines, and migrant trails. But look at the men behind the myths, and the similarities are striking: from how they lived to how they wrote. With songs, conversation and revealing stories, author, journalist and musician Scott Alarik explores their lives and legacies.

Related reading: Alan Lomax: The Man Who Recorded the World by John Szwed

Digital Media Services at the UAPL

Saturday, April 26 at 10:30 a.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min. No registration

Join the Media Services staff for an informative session on
web-based media services and digital content available to
download on your computer or mobile device.

More info: www.uailibrary.org/mediaservices

Graphic Novels: Design Your Own Character

Saturday, May 3 at 1 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min. Registration opens April 19

Meet local comic book artist Julian Dassai and learn to
design your own graphic character. He’ll have tips and
techniques as you walk through the character design
process in this hands-on drawing class.

Related reading: Making Comics: Storytelling Secrets of Comics, Manga and Graphic Novels by Scott McCloud

Hello, Columbus: A Writer’s Reintroduction to His Adopted City

Tuesday, May 13 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

The author of Fourth Down And Out, the first in a series of books about a Columbus-based private detective, discusses how researching and writing the book pushed him to discover new sights, stories and surprises about Ohio’s capital. Join Andrew Welsh-Huggins for a discussion of the process that he went through to write his novel and his exploration of Columbus.

Related reading: Fourth Down and Out: An Andy Hayes Mystery by Andrew Welsh-Huggins

Cash, Cars & College: A Young Person’s Guide to Money

Thursday, May 15 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

Are you tired of begging for loans from the First Local Bank of Mom or Dad? Do you feel like no one really treats you like the young adult that you are? This class will show you a step-by-step system for moving money into your life. Janine Bolon leads this fast-paced class with simple exercises to help you become a money magnet as well as a money manager for life.

Related reading: Savings and Investment Information for Teens: Tips For a Successful Financial Life by Kathryn R. Deering

Art: The Hudson River School

Friday, May 16 at 1 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

Learn about the works of America’s first major school of artists. Looking at the creations of Thomas Cole, Frederick Edwin Church and others, we’ll discuss how they related to the European art world of the 19th century and how the Hudson River School artists created a look that was also unique to the American spirit. Ann Shifflet, instructor at the Columbus College of Art and Design, is our presenter.

Related reading: The Hudson River School by Louise Minks

UAPL Book Circle: 1984

Wednesday, May 21 at 1:30 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.

Join us for an informal discussion of 1984 by George Orwell. Written in 1948, 1984 was George Orwell’s chilling prophecy about the future. And while 1984 has come and gone, Orwell’s narrative is timelier than ever.

Required reading: 1984 by George Orwell

World Book Night Open House

Wednesday, April 16 at 6 p.m.

Atrium; 120 min.

No registration

World Book Night is April 23. If you’ve signed up to be a giver and designated the UAPL as your pick up point, you can stop in any time between 6-8 p.m. and pick up your books and other goodies. Not sure what this is? We’ll have information available for the curious, or check out the website below and consider joining next year.

More info: www.worldbooknight.org/

Book Publishing 101

Tuesday, April 22 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 120 min. No registration

Kelsey Swindler, marketing and business development
lead at Orange Frazer Press, conducts this workshop that
focuses on all aspects of book publishing — from traditional
publishing to self-publishing, and everything in between.

More info: www.orangefrazercustombooks.com/blog
Main Library

Babytime (0-24 months)
Mon @ 10:15  Wed @ 11:15

Tales for Twos & Threes (2-3 years)
Mon @ 11:15  Thur @ 10:15

Preschool (3 ½-6 years)
Tue @ 10:15  Wed @ 10:15

Family Evening Storytime (all ages)
Mon @ 7:00

Mar. 17- May 1

Let’s Speak English
Mondays, March 3-31 at 1 p.m.  Adults  90 min.  No registration
Let's Speak English is an opportunity to practice speaking with ESOL trained volunteers.
Related reading: Writing Better English for ESOL Learners by Edward Swick

Teen Tech Tuesday
Tuesday, March 4 at 5 p.m.  Grades 6-12  60 min.  No registration
Join us for a QR code scavenger hunt and video games as we get ready for Teen Tech Week.
Related reading: Digital Photo Madness by Thom Gaines

Dr. Seuss Crafts
Wednesday, March 5 at 4 p.m.  Ages 2+  60 min.  No registration
Celebrate Read Across America Day and Dr. Seuss’ birthday with some fun crafts. We’ll make a hat like the Cat in the Hat wears and a Lorax finger puppet.
Related reading: The Lorax by Dr. Seuss

Spring Into Gardening
Thursday, March 6 at 6:30 p.m.  Adults  120 min.  Registration opens two weeks prior
Prepare for spring gardening with the Franklin County Master Gardener volunteers. On March 6, the volunteers will present on lawn care and perennials. On April 3, they’ll talk about conservation, composting and sustainability.
Related reading: Perennials for Ohio by Debra Knapke

Lane Road Library

Babytime (0-24 months)
Wed @ 11:15  Thur @ 10:15

Tales for Twos & Threes (2-3 years)
Tue @ 10:15  Wed @ 10:15

Stories & Crafts (3-5 years)
Tue @ 1:00

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Teen Wednesdays
Wednesdays, March 19-May 21 at 5 p.m.  Grades 6-12  60 min.  No registration
Join us for teen crafts, games and parties with no registration required. Look for a different theme each week. March 19: Divergent Day; April 2: Blackout Poetry and Storytelling; April 16: Earth Day; April 30: Minute to Win It; May 7: Mother’s Day Crafts; and May 21: Trivia.

Miller Park Library

Babytime (0-24 months)
Tue @ 10:15  Thur @ 11:15

Stories & Songs (2 ½-5 years)
Tue @ 11:15  Thur @ 10:15

Mar. 18 - May 1

Let’s Speak English
Mondays, March 3-31 at 1 p.m.  Adults  90 min.  No registration
Let's Speak English is an opportunity to practice speaking with ESOL trained volunteers.
Related reading: Writing Better English for ESOL Learners by Edward Swick

Teen Tech Tuesday
Tuesday, March 4 at 5 p.m.  Grades 6-12  60 min.  No registration
Join us for a QR code scavenger hunt and video games as we get ready for Teen Tech Week.
Related reading: Digital Photo Madness by Thom Gaines

Spring Into Gardening
Thursday, March 6 at 6:30 p.m.  Adults  120 min.  Registration opens two weeks prior
Prepare for spring gardening with the Franklin County Master Gardener volunteers. On March 6, the volunteers will present on lawn care and perennials. On April 3, they’ll talk about conservation, composting and sustainability.
Related reading: Perennials for Ohio by Debra Knapke

Book Circle: Short Nights of the Shadow Catcher
Tuesday, March 18 at 7 p.m.  Adults  90 min.  No registration
Join us for an informal discussion of Short Nights of the Shadow Catcher: The Epic Life and Immortal Photographs of Edward Curtis by Timothy Egan. Edward Curtis was charismatic, handsome, a passionate mountaineer, and a famous photographer — the Annie Leibovitz of his time. He moved in rarefied circles, a friend to presidents, vaudeville stars, and leading thinkers. And he was 32 years old in 1900 when he gave it all up to pursue his Great Idea: to capture on film the continent’s original inhabitants before the old ways disappeared.
Related reading: Short Nights of the Shadow Catcher by Edward Curtis

Teen Wednesdays
Wednesdays, March 19-May 21 at 5 p.m.  Grades 6-12  60 min.  No registration
Join us for teen crafts, games and parties with no registration required. Look for a different theme each week. March 19: Divergent Day; April 2: Blackout Poetry and Storytelling; April 16: Earth Day; April 30: Minute to Win It; May 7: Mother’s Day Crafts; and May 21: Trivia.

Poetry Contest
March 28-April 4  Grades K-12  No registration
UAPL’s Teen Advisory Board is hosting a poetry contest! See page 8 for details.
Related reading: Rhyme, Meter and Other Word Music by Jennifer Fandel
April 27 for two public engagements. See page 4 for details.

Reluctant American public to support the British at a critical moment of the war. These men who, determined to save Britain from Hitler, were ready to risk their lives for a cause they believed in. Olson skillfully depicts the dramatic personal journeys of Gilbert Winant. Drawing from a variety of primary sources, Olson tells from the perspective of three key American players how the United States forged its wartime alliance with Britain, depicted in the behind-the-scenes story of how Americans Who Stood With Britain in Its Darkest, Finest Hour.

Join us for an informal discussion of Citizens of London: The Story of American Heroes of the Battle of Britain by Lynne Olson. Here is the behind-the-scenes story of how the 16th president lived history. As Lincoln himself, providing an inside look at how the 16th president lived history. Lincoln presenter performs Lincoln at the Library. Thursday, May 15 at 7 p.m. Registration opens April 10

Travel back in time to the 1860s for a night with President Abraham Lincoln. Long time Lincoln presenter Robert Brugler performs as Lincoln himself, providing an inside look at how the 16th president lived history. Lincoln at the Library, Thursday, May 15 at 7 p.m. Ages 2+. No registration

Children of all ages are invited to make a fun surprise for a mom, grandma, aunt or other special person. Related reading: No Time for Mother’s Day by Laurie Halse Anderson

Lincoln at the Library

No registration

Tuesday, April 24 at 4 p.m.

Grades 3-5

60 min.

Registration opens April 10

Experiment with different materials like straw, paper towel tubes, cardboard boxes and marbles to create your own marble run. Learn the laws of physics while having a blast.

Related reading: It Can’t Be True by D.K. Publishing.

Marble Run Engineering Challenge

No registration

Tuesday, April 8 at 4 p.m.

60 min.

UAPL Book Circle: 1984

No registration

Tuesday, May 20 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

Join us for an informal discussion of 1984 by George Orwell. Written in 1948, 1984 was George Orwell’s chilling prophecy about the future. And while 1984 has come and gone, Orwell’s narrative is timelier than ever.

Related reading: 1984 by George Orwell

Related reading: The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

Crunch and munch with The Very Hungry Caterpillar. We’ll make fun caterpillar and butterfly crafts based on Eric Carle’s famous book.

The Very Hungry Caterpillar Crafts

The library spent most of 2013 reviewing and analyzing how departments were staffed in order to continue providing services to the patron. Over the last six years, the library is down 24 positions, a reduction of almost 20%. Each department has been right-staffed as determined during the review process. As vacancies arise, departments will continue to be reviewed to ensure patron needs are addressed as well as staying within the budget.

Overall, the library underspent by about 12%. Some savings will be used this year while a majority will be used to fund those unmet facility and technology needs in the future.

What’s Next

Having ended a very good year financially, the UAPL is anticipating a tighter 2014. The library has several strategic projects that will positively impact our expenditures. After the completion of the Energy Conversation Measures (ECM) project this summer, the library should see a drop in electric and natural gas usage. Other projects such as a new phone system will also lower expenses. As long as the PLF revenue comes in as projected, the library will have a healthy financial 2014.

UA flashback

Riding bicycles in warm weather is just as popular today as it was 96 years ago. This photograph was one of several published in the September 1918 issue of the Norweste Magazine depicting the end of summer and heralding the start of the new school year. For more pictures and fascinating facts about the early days of Upper Arlington, visit the UA Archives site at www.uaarchives.org.
Looking for a Good Book? Try these UAPL Staff Picks

**The Night Watch by Sarah Waters**
In turn tender, tragic, and poignant, this is a novel of WWII era London. Written in reverse chronology, starting in 1947 and ending in 1941, it relates the compelling story of four Londoners whose lives become intertwined during the repeated bombardments of the city. Grippingly complex and beautifully narrated, this generous and wise work of fiction is hard to put down and merits being read again and again.
— Shahin Sohar, Media Services

**The All-Girl Filling Station’s Last Reunion by Fannie Flagg**
Fannie Flagg’s most recent book is every bit as readable as her many previous books. As with many of her works, this story is set in the South and has many humorous elements that move the story along. The book tells the tale of Sookie Poole who finds out, on the cusp of her 60th birthday, that she was adopted as an infant and in fact is already 60. Sookie’s world is shaken when she comes to grips with the fact that she is NOT related to her over-the-top, Southern belle wannabe 88-year-old mother. As Sookie learns more about her birth mother, her relationships grow and change in touching and funny ways. This is a quick and enjoyable read told with Flagg’s usual whimsy and wit.
— Nancy Roth, Administration

**Locomotive by Brian Floca**
Train lovers rejoice! Locomotive is an excellent example of book design. The illustrations are detailed and engaging, the font choices are integral and expansive, and the text is fun and informative.
— Laura Griffin, Youth Services

**Life After Life by Kate Atkinson**
An interesting novel where death is merely a starting point. Like playing Super Mario Brothers, protagonist Ursula navigates life, and if she takes a path that leads to her demise, she can tap into an “extra life” and begin again. While repeating this pattern, she learns and grows and makes her way along the best path possible, but not without a few hiccups.
— Evan Struble, Media Services

**Miracle in the Andes: 72 Days on the Mountain and My Long Trek Home by Nando Parrado**
In 1972, a small plane carrying 45 members of a Uruguay rugby team crashed in the Andes Mountains, igniting an unbelievable struggle for survival that would become one of the most riveting and controversial tragedies of the 20th century. In this gripping first-hand account, Nando Parrado chronicles the two months his team spent in the mountains grappling with blizzards, avalanches and starvation as they struggle to maintain faith and hope against impossible odds. At once heartbreaking and inspiring, devastating and beautiful, readers will not be able to stop reading until the survivors’ final fate is revealed.
— Jenny Denen, Media Services

**The Power of Habit: Why We Do What We Do in Life and Business by Charles Duhigg**
Written in an easy to read style, the author illustrates the psychology of habits in our lives. Duhigg gives examples and stories of people and their habits, from a woman who gave up smoking to how Proctor and Gamble got us to buy Febreze!
—Vita Marinello, Adult Services

**Me Before You by Jojo Moyes**
When Louisa loses her job, her employment prospects are few, so she takes a position assisting a disgruntled paraplegic man. This fateful decision will change her life in ways she never could have imagined. I loved this deeply moving story.
— Kris Stahler, Miller Park

**The Goldfinch by Donna Tartt**
Donna Tartt’s long-awaited third novel delves deep into the underworld of gambling, drugs, and stolen art. The tale takes the reader from New York City to Las Vegas and back again before venturing to Europe. Thirteen-year-old Theo loses his mother in a freak accident in a museum, and his life is shaped by this event. Although on the surface he has a fairly charmed life, he has trouble facing the truth. Tartt’s powers of description and development of character make this book a fascinating read.
— Pam Cole, Lane Road

**P.T. Reptiles**
Saturday, March 8 at 11 a.m. 60 min.
Join us for a chance to see, touch and even hold various reptiles during Peter Rushton’s popular educational program.
Related reading: Reptiles by Mark Hutchinson

**Reading to Rover**
Tuesday, March 11 at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 8 at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 13 at 7 p.m. 60 min.
Meet some therapy dogs from Central Ohio Good Shepherds! Improve your reading skills by reading to furry friends and learn more about this wonderful organization.
Related reading: Underwater Dogs: Kids Edition by Seth Casteel

**Me Before You**
Saturday, March 15 at 10:30 a.m. 60 min.
All ages
Got fines? Patrons of all ages can join us at any UAPL library to read from 10:30-11:30 a.m. and receive up to $8 off your existing overdue fines. Be sure to arrive early with your library card and reading materials with you. Please arrive no later than 10:30 to participate.
Related reading: A kid a staff member for a book suggestion

**Sing-a-Story**
Friday, March 21 at 10:30 a.m. 45 min.
Join our in-house musician Brian Griffin and his guitar for a morning of stories and songs.
Related reading: Blowing in the Wind by Bob Dylan

**Petethe Cat Character Visit**
Thursday, April 10 at 4 p.m. 30 min.
Join us for a book from Eric Litwin’s Pete the Cat series, followed by a visit from the Pete the Cat character. Bring your camera for a great photo op!
Related reading: Pete the Cat: I Love My White Shoes by Eric Litwin

**Mother’s Day Cards**
Wednesday, May 7 from 10 a.m.-9 p.m. 60 min. All ages
Mother’s Day is May 11! Stop by anytime to make a personalized card for your mom, grandma, aunt or another someone special.
Related reading: What Mommies Do Best by Laura Numeroff

**Fairy House Building**
Saturday, May 17 at 11 a.m. 60 min. Grades K-12
Use your imagination to build a house fit for a fairy in the little woods of Miller Park. Natural materials will be provided, such as sticks, bark, leaves, dried flowers, seed pods, pine cones, shells, stones, etc. Feel free to also bring any natural materials from home. This is a family program, and at least one adult must accompany each family group. Registration as a family group is required. Please meet in the children’s area of the Miller Park Library at the beginning of the program.
Related reading: Pinkalicous: Fairy House by Victoria Kann

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Garden Variety Books

Spring is the perfect time for gardening books. Until the ground is ready to turn, turn some pages and dream for hours. Pick wildflowers. Plant yourself in front of a book and start planning today. Here are a few to get you started. For more ideas, browse our catalog or ask a librarian.

- Derek Fell's Grow This!: A Garden Expert's Guide to Choosing the Best Vegetables, Flowers, and Seeds So You've Never Disappointed Again by Derek Fell
- Refresh Your Garden Design With Color, Texture & Form by Rebecca Sweet
- The Speedy Vegetable Garden by Mark Diacono & Lia Leendertz
- Why Grow That When You Can Grow This?: 253 Extraordinary Alternatives to Everyday Problem Plants by Andrew Keys
- Beatrix Potter's Gardening Life: The Plants and Places That Inspired the Classic Children's Tales by Marta McDowell
- Top Ten Tips for Beautiful Shade Gardens: Seeing Your Way Out of the Dark by Kerry Ann Mendez
- Easy Container Combos: Vegetables & Flowers by Pamela Crawford
- How to Eradicate Invasive Plants by Teri Dunn Chace
- Right Rose, Right Place: 359 Perfect Choices for Beds, Borders, Hedges and Screens, Containers, Fences, Trellises, and More by Peter Schneider.
- The Edible Landscape: Creating a Beautiful and Bountiful Garden with Vegetables, Fruits and Flowers by Emily Tepe
- Free-Range Chicken Gardens: How to Create a Beautiful, Chicken-Friendly Yard by Jessi Bloom
- Vegetable Literacy: Cooking and Gardening with Twelve Families from the Edible Plant Kingdom, with Over 300 Deliciously Simple Recipes by Deborah Madison
- Backyard Winter Gardening: Vegetables Fresh and Simple, in any Climate, Without Artificial Heat or Electricity, The Way It's Been Done for 2,000 Years by Caleb Warnoc
- Gardening for Miniature: Create Your Own Tiny Living World by Janit Calvo
- The Edible Balcony: Growing Fresh Produce in Small Spaces by Alex Mitchell
- Straw Bale Gardens: The Breakthrough Method for Growing Vegetables Anywhere, Earlier and with No Weeding by Joel Karsten
- Touch a Butterfly: Wildlife Gardening with Kids by April Pulley Sayre

UAPL Seeks Teen Volunteers

All three locations of UAPL are seeking teen volunteers for this year’s “Fizz, Boom, Read’’ Summer Reading Club. Our Main Branch is seeking five high school interns and 50-60 junior volunteers. Our Lane Road and Miller Park Branches each need two high school interns and 25-30 volunteers.

Interns

Teens entering grades 10-12 or who graduate high school in 2014 are eligible to be an intern. The positions involve a commitment of 8-10 hours per week from June 4-August 2. Applicants will be required to write an essay and be interviewed.

Those chosen will gain valuable leadership and career skills by training junior volunteers, assisting with programming and collection needs, and other duties as assigned. Internships are unpaid but selected students will receive recognition, letters of recommendation and service hour credit for their participation.

High school intern applications are available Tuesday, April 1 and are due Thursday, May 1.

Junior Volunteers

Students in grades 7-12 wishing to help register and award prizes at our summer reading table are encouraged to apply for a Junior Volunteer position. Volunteers also help with programs and will earn service credit for their time.

Applications for Junior Volunteers will be available Tuesday, April 1 and are due Monday, May 19.

Book Buddies

Back by popular demand, the Main Library is also looking for teens to help with our Book Buddies program. Teens entering grades 6-12 are paired with a younger student and act as their “coach.” Applications for Book Buddies will be available Thursday, May 1. Book Buddies volunteers will earn service credit for their time.

"Interning at the Upper Arlington Public Library has been a truly rewarding, learning experience," said Caroline Liu, who interned at the library in 2013. "Working behind the scenes of the very programs that I had enjoyed as a child has allowed me to gain insight into the inner workings of the library. With an amazing atmosphere and nonpareil staff, there is no other place I would ever spend my summer than at the Upper Arlington Public Library."

Completed applications can be dropped off at the preferred volunteer location.

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Please note: Video and photos are occasionally taken of library activities for use in future online and print promotions. If you prefer that you or your child not be photographed, please notify the photographer.