



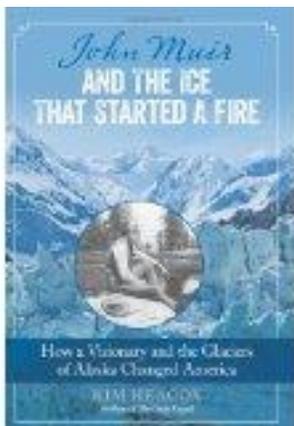
AUGUST 2014

Library News
From the Gustavus Public Library
Where Volunteers are Our Foundation –come become a desk sitter!
The library is open 6 days a week!

Weekdays 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. Mon. & Wed. nights 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.
Thurs. 10 -12:00 Sat. 11:00 a.m. – 3:00



THANKS to all NPS Rangers for their help with Summer Reading!



Kim Heacox will be reading from his new book Fri.
Aug. 1 at 7:00 p.m. at the LIBRARY!



Library
Everybody Welcome Band (15 members) traveled by ferry to Pelican for a Community Music night and sing—along with local folks and

Tourists in Pelican's Community Center! A GREAT time was had by all!



Sitka Artisans Market Application



— **Friday, December 5th**
(Vendor set-up at 6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with Gala Opening from 4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.)
Saturday, December 6th

(10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.)
**OUR WEBSITE IS A USEFUL
SOURCE OF INFORMATION**
VISIT: www.ThinkArtThinkSitka.com

Please submit your application to:
Greater Sitka Arts Council
PO BOX 564
Sitka, Alaska 99835 or
Email: sitkaarts@yahoo.com or
justosarah@gmail.com
Office- 907-747-ARTS (2787) or Sarah- 907-738-5234

Please note: space will be reserved upon receipt of payment.

SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2014

THANKS to our local businesses for helping with reading clue prizes for our weekly readers: **WE LOVE YOU:** Pep's Packing, Fireweed Gallery, Alaska Husky Ranch, Community Chest, Gustavus Landfill, Alaska Seaplanes, U.S. Post Office, Wings of Alaska, Sunnyside Market, Toshco and the Clove Hitch Cafe.

THANKS to those who brought snacks for Summer Reading: Stacey Proctor, Angela Hazen, Lynnette Hart, Ky and Heather Sellards, Erin Ohlson, Janet Neilson, and Elizabeth Hooge

THANKS to the NPS Rangers who helped out each Wednesday!



http://sanctuaries.noaa.gov/whales/main_page.html

Whale migration game online

Glacier Bay Tlingit Place Names link:

<http://www.nps.gov/glba/historyculture/loader.cfm?csModule=security/getfile&pageID=467347>



New

Typing Program on all computers: **UltraKey**
Improve your typing skills!

SUMMER 2014 IDEAS

Ten Little Indians by Agatha Christie play reading:

Would you like to join local summer artist Ann Daniels read a play together in August on a weekly basis at the library? Call the library or talk to Ann at the desk on Fridays.

Are you interested in taking local photographs of architecture and folks' artwork -- quilts, paintings, creations? Talk to Ann Daniels on Fridays.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO Alaska Geographic for 3 copies of Kim Heacox's new book JOHN MUIR AND THE ICE THAT STARTED A FIRE

JOIN the Gustavus Public Library Advisory Board

If you would like to talk to a current Advisory Member, call Artemis at 697-2224 or Rita at 697- 2151

THANKS to Rio Imboden for another year's DONATION of Brain Child magazine for the Library!

Citizen Science Projects with Bats in SE Alaska

Drivers are still needed for between Aug. 1-15, and between Sept. 1-15. Give Kate a call if you'd like to help with this scientific research!

Want to drive a 30-mile transect --Salmon River Bridge to park and back, to beach and back out Rink Creek and back to Salmon River bridge – with sonar bat reader on top of your car?

During each drive, bats have been recorded!
Thanks to Kate, Artemis, Jim, Wendy, Judy, Karen and Mike, Peter, Kathy, Mary, Emily and Iris, and Jasmin.

See photos of Bat Project
On the next page:



At left, Mary and Kathy driving the BAT survey.
At right, Batman Cooper and his Grandma Jane.



ONGOING WEEKLY LIBRARY PROGRAMS:

Book Group: Let Kate know if you'd like to join a Fall Book Group starting in September. We'd love to start this up again.

-Beginner's Ukulele Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:15
Don't have a uke? We'll find you one! Call Kate 697-2282 if you want to come!



Reid with orcas at Summer Reading

Adult and 6-12 EVERYONE WELCOME
Library Band with Kate and Ellie is on Thursdays, 5:30-7:00 p.m.

- **Yoga** is on Mondays from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. with Heidi Herter; Tues. and Thurs. from 12:00 noon – 1:15 pm with Lynn Jensen (not George's Lynne); and Wednesdays from 5:30 – 7:00 pm with Hannah Gease (from Beartrack Inn).

GUSTAVUS HISTORY BOOKS and LOCAL AUTHORS' books are on display on top of FICTION books at the library this month.

NEW ADULT FICTION BOOKS

Homer's Odyssey by Cooper
Any Human Heart by Boyd
The Time In Between by Duenas
Theft by Loren
The Mysterious Life of the Heart by Safransky
Teatime for the Firefly
The Giving Quilt

NEW ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS

John Muir and the Ice That Started a Fire by local author Kim Heacox

The Flag, the Poet, and the Song by Molotsky
The Etiquette of Freedom by Gary Snyder
A Field Guide to Getting Lost by Solnit
Notes on a Century by Lewis
Abraham by Feiler
Ukulele by Dixon

NW Coast Art Books:

In the Spirit of the Ancestors by Wright
Charles Edenshaw by Davidson
Solitary Raven by Bill Reid
Looking at Indian Art of the Northwest Coast by Stewart

NEW ADULT McNAUGHTON BOOKS

The Farm by Smith
The Inventor's Secret by Cremer
We Were Liars by Lockhart
Invisibility by Cremer

-Writer's Group for Adults is Friday mornings 10:00 – noon. Bring what you write to share. Call Kate 697-2282 to see if it's at the Library or at the Fireweed Gallery!

Please call us or come by if you would like to schedule a program or an event.

NEW DVDs

Charade
The Best of Johnny Carson
Double Jeopardy
A View to a Kill
Wyatt Earp
Stories We Tell
Prayers of the Ancient Ones

NEW JUVENILE FICTION

Arthur's Chicken Pox by Marc Brown
The Gardener by Stewart
I Am Not Going to Get Up Today by Suess (ER – Easy Reading)
Junie B., First Grader, Shipwrecked by Park
Junie B., First Grader, Aloha-ha by Park
Moreo of Monkey and Robot by Catalanotta
The Islands of Chaldea by Jones
Susan Marcus Bends the Rules by Cutler
Ocean Counting by Lawler

REFERENCE BOOK now in LIBRARY:
CODE OF ORDINANCES by City of Gustavus

NEW JUVENILE NON-FICTION

The Tale of a Whale Named Snow by Ben Gabriele, father of local whale biologist Chris Gabriele

Reptiles by Matero
Poetry for Young People by Kastan
Cool Stuff Exploded by Woodford

Stubby the War Dog by Bausum
Lever, Screw, and Inclined Plane by Thompson
Future Tech by Piddock
See, Hear, Smell, Taste, and Touch by Collins
Robots by Stewart
Crime Scene Science by Young
That's Creepy by Boyer
Xtreme Illusions by National Geo

NEW F/J/YA = Fiction/Juvenile/Young Adult

I'll Love You When You're More Like Me by
Kerr
Nightshade and Wolfsbane by Cremer
Angel Fire and Angel Burn by Weatherly
Ascend by Hocking
Torn by Hocking
Switched by Hocking
The Berlin Boxing Club by Sharenow
Between Shades of Gray by Sepety

JULY LIBRARY STATISTICS:

During July 2014, we had 803 visits (adults, school children, preschoolers, junior/senior high, in-house computer users, and library computer users), checked out 391 books, and 400 movies; for a total of 791 items. Programs included: 4 days per week of yoga, Library Everyone Welcome Band; UKES for Beginners; individual use of OWL TV; NPS program; OWL "Beyond the Bear" Author program; and inside and outside internet use.

Thanks to all of our desk sitters, volunteers, and subs: Sylvia Martinez, Karie Tuauu, Lori Ortega, Allison Banks, Heather Sellards, Kate Boesser, Fran Kelso, Bonnie Harris, Emma Johnson, Ann Daniels, Lynne Jensen and Beth Hovind.

Thanks to our Library Board Members for the time they put in to make this the best library we can have: Rita Savage, Artemis Bona Dea, Lynne Jensen, and Karen Sargent. And remember..**You can join the Library Board and make a real difference!**

Here are great video clips about both whale projects in Gustavus – orca articulation at the library and humpback at the National Park

<http://www.nps.gov/glba/photosmultimedia/glacier-bay-blogs.htm>:



Ranger Andrea talking about humpback whales with Davita and Ula at Summer Reading

Need a reminder how to get onto your e-device for free just using your library patron number? Read on...

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[named in memory of patrons Jon and Julie Howell's daughter, Rachel Howell].

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Here's how to get connected to Reading With Rachel using your Gustavus Library card # and your lowercase last name as password:

1. READING DEVICE

- a. For a Kindle, Nook, or Kobo reader or browser / App if using a tablet, smartphone, or laptop or computer, the following site gives many choices. You need a program that is compatible with the device you're using.

Site : <http://www.overdrive.com/drc>

- b. ebooks, audiobooks:

Site: <http://listenalaska.lib.overdrive.com>

Needed:

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- PIN = your last name (lower case)

2. FIND WHAT YOU WANT. You can use an ebook for reading, an audiobook to listen to, or music to enjoy. Know that you can place search parameters for: type of device, available titles or all titles and listening or reading. Please feel free to email, come in, or call if you have questions.

For **PHOTOS FROM SUMMER READING 2014**: Fizz, Boom, Read!
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SUMMER READING 2014

Summer Reading friends



Scavenger Hunt for nature's finest



Janet and Skyler



Library band on Thursdays 5:30 – 7:00 pm.



Does food coloring in water act differently than in milk?
(from Summer Reading program on Wednesdays)



Kate reading to preschoolers



Jesse doing weekly estimation and counting of items for prizes (books)



Abbey and Emily at Summer Reading with puppeteers Ethan and Cooper



Real-length humpback whale to color at Summer Reading



See photos of the Library Band's trip to Pelican on the following page:



More fun on the ferry and in Pelican with the Library band July 23, 2014