

# QUOQUE LIBRARY NEWS

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**Library Hours:** Sun. & Mon. 12-5 • Wed., Fri., Sat. 10-5 • Tues. & Thurs. 10-8 *The library is glad to provide reasonable accommodations for patrons with special needs. Please call us at least two weeks prior to the program to make arrangements.*

## Special Informational Program - Learn to Grow Oysters!

Sunday, October 11 at 3:00 p.m.

Like oysters? Want to help keep our bays healthy? Then why not join us at the Quogue Library to hear about an exciting, community-based effort that helps area residents learn about aquaculture. Cornell's SPAT program provides everything you need to grow oysters on your own or in one of their community "gardens"! Andrew Lynch, an ambassador of the program, will give an interactive presentation and explain how you can get involved. **Space is limited so please call the library to register at 653-4224, extension 4.**



## Special Art Program - Celebrate and Create - Art and Culture of the Indigenous Peoples of Africa

Saturday, October 24 at 3:00 p.m.

Materials fee: \$15.00

For ages 12 and up

Celebrate United Nations Day with local artist Amy Hess and master storyteller Susan Bailey. Participants will create a design on a silk scarf, painting patterns and motifs reminiscent of the unique cave paintings found in the most remote caves of Africa, while listening to our storyteller, who will regale listeners of the origins and practices of the !Kung people, one of Africa's first indigenous hunter-gatherer groups. **Space is limited – please call to register at 653-4224, extension 4.**

"*The Washington Eagle*", an exceptionally beautiful wooden sculpture created by W.H. Fischer of Quogue, has become part of the Quogue Library's permanent collection and is now on exhibit in the library.

Accompanying the sculpture is a fully archived collection of documentation describing the work's origins as well as correspondence associated with the acquisition.

We thank longtime Quogue resident Nancy Mullan-Demirjian for donating her time to archive the documentation associated with this historic work.

## Digital Media at Quogue Library



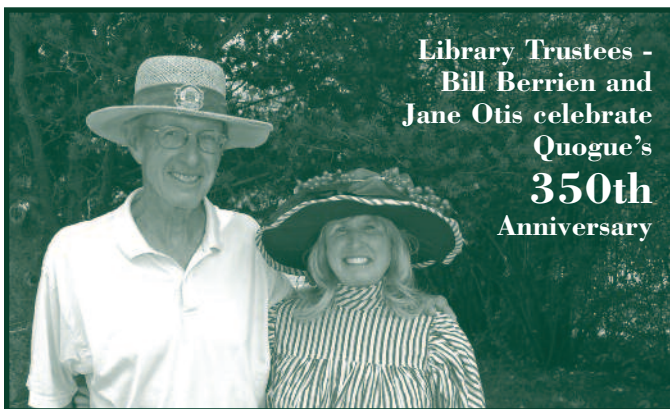
### *SuffolkWave Digital Media to Your Home Computer from the Library Webpage*

The Quogue Library is pleased to announce a new service, *SuffolkWave*, which cardholders can use to download a variety of digital media to their home computers.

A cooperative project involving Suffolk County public libraries, the Suffolk Cooperative Library System, and Overdrive Inc., *SuffolkWave* is accessed from the library's webpage at [www.quoquelibrary.org](http://www.quoquelibrary.org) and allows library patrons to download audio books, music, and video to their home computers, which then may be transferred to many popular portable devices. Patrons will need a valid library card, broadband access to the Internet, and a home computer to access *SuffolkWave* materials. A one-time free download of OverDrive Media Console is required to use the downloaded files.

This service is intended for home use and is not available on library computers.

**Need more help? Call the library at 653-4224 ext. 4.**



Library Trustees -  
Bill Berrien and  
Jane Otis celebrate  
Quogue's  
**350th**  
Anniversary

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## ADULT PROGRAMS

**Registration Required**

Please note that, due to village-imposed fire regulations, **all programs at the Quogue Library require registration.** By registering before a program takes place, you will be ensured a space for the program you would like to attend, and we can learn more about the programs and special events you would like to see take place at the library. To register for a program simply call 653-4224.

### What's New!!!

<b>Fiction</b>			
<i>Smash Cut</i>	Sandra Brown	<b>Biography</b>	<i>Keep Your Head Down</i> Doug Anderson
<i>The Girl Who Played With Fire</i>	Stieg Larsson	<i>Resilience</i> Elizabeth Edwards	<i>Perfection</i> Julie Metz
<i>Defector</i>	Daniel Silva	<i>Perfection</i>	
<i>Help</i>	Kathryn Stockett	<b>Non-Fiction</b>	
<i>Olive Kitteridge</i>	Elizabeth Strout	<i>Catastrophe</i> Dick Morris	<i>Tears in the Darkness</i> Matthew Dicks
		<i>How Patients Should Think</i> Ray Moynihan	
<b>Mystery</b>		<b>Books on CD</b>	
<i>Dying for Mercy</i>	Mary Jane Clark	<i>Vanished</i> Joseph Finder	<i>Return to Sullivan's Island</i> Dorothea Benton Frank
<i>Riesling Retribution</i>	Ellen Crosby	<i>Dune Road</i> Jane Green	<i>The Scoop</i> Fern Michaels
<i>Roadside Crosses</i>	Jeffery Deaver	<i>The Defector</i> Daniel Silva	
<i>The Devil's Punchbowl</i>	Greg Iles		
<i>Fire and Ice</i>	Judith Jance		
<i>Evolution of God</i>	Robert Wright		



### Defensive Driving

**Saturday, September 19, 9:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**  
**Fee \$38.00**

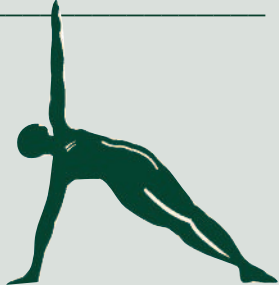
Drivers who complete Empire Safety Council's 6 hour Defensive Driving course save 10% on their liability, personal injury and collision insurance for **3 years** and **reduce 4 points** on their driving record. Course completion is transmitted to the DMV and recorded on your driving record, and a certificate is provided as a receipt to present to your insurance company. Please bring a blue or black pen, and a bag lunch and beverage. Coffee/tea will be provided. Students must bring a check in the amount of \$38.00 payable to the "Empire Safety Council" to the library the day of the class. As space is limited, you must have a reservation to attend this course which is limited to Quogue Library members and their guests. Please call 653-4224.

### Adult Exercise

**YOGA** with Peter Ames  
**Tuesdays and Fridays, September through October at 10:15 a.m.**  
**Fee: \$7.00 per class**

**Mat Pilates** with Michelle  
**September - Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.**  
**September 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29**  
**October - Sundays at Noon**  
**October 4, 11, 18 and 25 • Fee: \$7.00 per class**

This gentle introduction to Pilates is a great way to improve your flexibility and contribute to overall well being. Please wear comfortable clothes and bring a mat or towel. Please call ahead to register at 653-4224, ext. 4.



### Monthly Knitting Group

**Thursdays, September 24 & October 22 at 6:00 p.m.**

Our monthly knitting group is designed to instruct beginners and experienced knitters alike! Learn the basics or bring in your existing projects for guidance and tips from our wonderful instructor Donna Trunk. There is no fee for this program. Please call to register at 653- 4224 extension 4.

**A Special note about November and December Knitting Classes:**  
 Classes will be held on Thursdays, November 12 and December 10 at 6:00 p.m. Participants are encouraged to bring in their special holiday knitting projects on these dates!

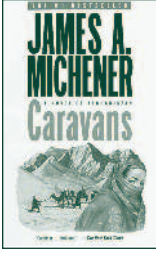


### Fiction Book Discussion Group

**Sunday, October 4 at Noon**  
**Caravans: A Novel of Afghanistan**  
 by James A. Michener

In this romantic adventure of wild Afghanistan, master storyteller James Michener mixes the allure of the past with the dangers of today. After an impetuous American girl, Ellen Jasper, marries a young Afghan engineer, her parents hear no word from her. Although she wants freedom to do as she wishes, not even she is sure what that means. In the meantime, she is as good as lost in that wild land, perhaps forever...

**Join us at the library for what should be a lively discussion, facilitated by Quogue resident and avid reader Helene Torker. Please call to register at 653-4224, extension 4.**



## New Additions to Collection

- *Lunch Lady and the Cyborg Substitute*, by Jarrett J. Krosoczka
- *The Mercy Watson Collection, Volume 3: Mercy Watson Thinks Like a Pig and Mercy Watson: Something Wonky This Way Comes*, by Kate DiCamillo (Audiobook on CD)
- *Captain Nobody*, by Dean Pitchford (Audiobook on CD)
- *Parenting Is A Contact Sport*, by Joanne Stern, Ph.D.
- *My Parents are Divorced, My Elbows Have Nicknames, and Other Facts about Me*, by Bill Cochran
- *Dinosaur Woods*, by George McClements
- *The Dunderheads*, by Paul Fleischman



### Special Thanks...

to the fabulous volunteers and staff who assisted in Children's Services this summer: Ashley Arcuri, Jenna Arcuri, Francesca King, Louise Reeves and Caroline Schulte.

### IMPORTANT REMINDER:

Children under 10 years of age must be supervised by a parent or caregiver at all times when visiting the library. Your cooperation ensures children a safe and rewarding experience at the library.

### Thank you's to

Amanda Abel for her thoughtful donation of two books for our children's collection: *Witch: World's Apart*, and *Witch: The Power Of Friendship Graphic Novel*.

Heather Forest, author, for her donation of a retelling of the book *A Big Quiet House: A Yiddish Folktale From Eastern Europe*.

## PROGRAMS

Advance registration is required for participation in the following programs. You may register in-person or by telephone for all programs. You will need your library card number to register for programs! Please have it handy. Preference will be given to Quogue Library cardholders, as space is limited. Out-of-district library users will be placed on a waiting list when they register for a program.

### Hands-On Music

**Tuesdays: September 22, 29 and October 6, 13**

**4 Week Series**

**1:30 - 2:15 p.m.**

**Children Infant through 5 years of age**

Join *Dara Linthwaite* for this exciting music program which includes singing, playing guitar, and entertaining your child with puppets and musical instruments.



### Pixie Play

**Fridays, September 11, 18, 25 and October 16, 23, 30**

**10:30 - 11:30 a.m.**

**Children Ages 1 - 3-1/2 years of age**

A short and sweet circle time starts this program. Then moms, dads, and caretakers are invited to interact and join their little ones for an informal play session. A wide variety of manipulatives, puzzles, puppets, and toys designed to stimulate interest and challenge the fine motor skills of toddlers will be explored.

### Kids After School Yoga

**Wednesdays: September 16, 23, 30 and October 14, 21, 28**

**3:30 - 4:30 p.m.**

**Grades 2 - 6**

**Parents welcome to attend!**

Have fun with creative movements, yoga postures, and breathing techniques while you learn to balance and strengthen your physical, mental, and spiritual sides. Peter Ames has been teaching yoga for over 15 years and loves practicing with children. Please call to register.



### PJ Storytime

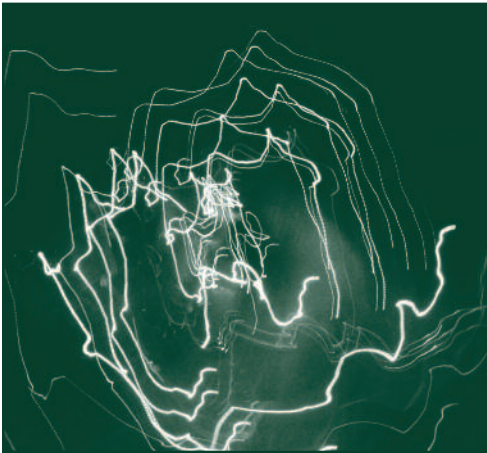
**Thursdays, September 24 and October 22**

**7:00 - 7:30 p.m.**

**Children Ages 2 - 5 years of age**

Wear your favorite PJ's, bring your favorite stuffed animal, and join us for an evening Storytime. Dreamy books and stories will ensure a good night's sleep!





## SEPTEMBER – CAPTURE THE MOMENT II: PHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGES - LANDSCAPES AND CITY LIFE

by PETER MOORE

*Artist's reception: Saturday, September 12 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.*

Peter Moore's photography is difficult to categorize, primarily because he has never been satisfied pursuing a single aesthetic. To produce his early work (meticulous black-and-white nature photography) Moore set forth to explore different landscapes in search of the perfect image. More recently, Peter has turned his attention to human, and more accurately, city life, and has developed the patience to let the pictures come to him, planting himself at a fixed vantage point (outside the Guggenheim or perched at his apartment's window in New York) to see what images and narratives present themselves. If Peter's photography has a common element, it's a narrative complexity that challenges viewers to imagine the stories behind the surface of the images.

Peter received his first camera, a Brownie, at the age of nine, and never stopped clicking. He achieved success early on: at the age of eleven, a collection of his pictures of the moon and stars were displayed at New York's *Hayden Planetarium*. Peter's mentors included Ruth Bernhard, famous for her abstracted nude studies, and John Sexton, a long-time assistant to Ansel Adams. His favorite photographers of people are Walker Evans and Henri Cartier Bresson.

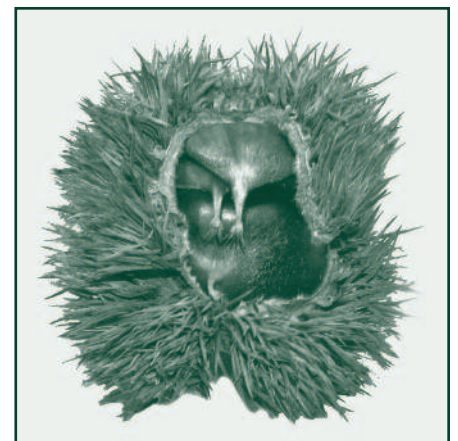
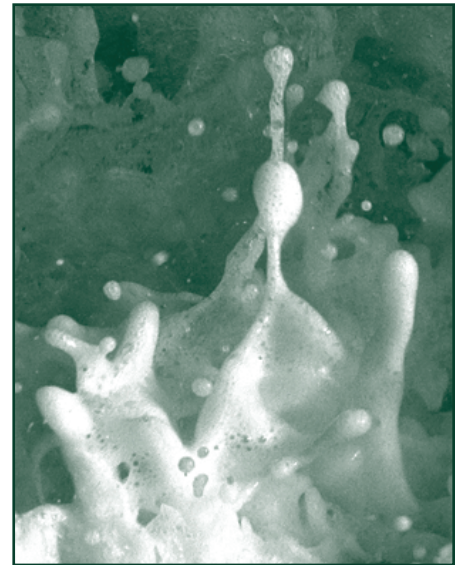
This show features a large selection of photographs from Peter's entire body of work, including some simulated prints taken with a pinpoint camera, large-format

black-and-white photographs and highly manipulated digital prints. The show

includes new prints from his Guggenheim series, which Peter has turned into a book that will be sold at the museum in the fall, and from his latest project, "Room with a View," consisting of voyeuristic street scenes and snapshots of city living taken from the window of his New York apartment.

Peter Moore's photography has been shown in New York, Maryland, and Canada, and has been sold to corporations, charitable organizations and individual collectors in the United States and abroad.

The exhibition will be on display throughout the month of September.



# ART GALLERY NEWS!

## OCTOBER – MARINE GENRE AND LANDSCAPES IN OIL AND WATERCOLOR

by Quogue Artist PIETER GREEFF

*Artist's reception: Saturday, October 10 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.*



Coming in Shinnecock Inlet

Westhampton Beach, Quogue, Philadelphia, Middletown, Virginia and Strasburg, Virginia. His recent work is largely in the marine genre including a series of paintings of Long Island shipwrecks during the sail era as well as a series on current area lighthouses.

Pieter believes that “nature is tyrannical, as many an Impressionist has discovered. One cannot paint every leaf or feather. The camera indeed knocked over every easel. The pull of complete abstraction is strong.



Breakers @ Quogue

Pieter Greeff, a life long resident of Quogue, is an artist well known for his oil and watercolor paintings of seascapes and landscapes. Early on he studied with his mother, Adele B. Greeff, an artist whose work is in numerous museums, and who lectured at *City Center* in New York City for many years. Among the many observations he learned from her is that a painting had to “read” and possess the “truth” in colors, generalities which he applied to his work.

Pieter studied art further at school and took course work at Harvard (H-58), with Ben Rolland, which led to a continuing passion for painting.

His first shows were in New York at the *Wall Street Art Association*, *Soerabaja Gallery* and continued in several galleries and shows in



Orient Point Light

Yet it is Greeff's belief that the greatest abstractions are not purely imaginative or random. They are before us in the ocean and the sky, the mountains, woods and forest floor. The poetry of these patterns, rhymed as well as random, exceeds imagination and stretches perception to keep up. The forms are ever changing and so are we.”

This exhibit will be on display from Friday, October 2 through Wednesday, October 28.

## TEEN TECH WEEK: October 19 – 24

- Join our Teen Tech Toys Raffle and let us know what your favorite Tech Toy is and why.
- Raffle slips are located in the Teen room.
- Take a chance at winning a Tech accessory.
- Raffle winners will be announced on Tuesday, October 27.

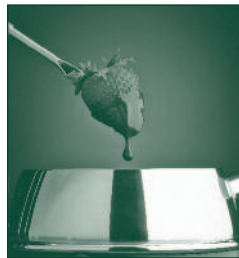
## *Banned Books week:* September 26 – October 3

Visit the Teen Room and check out our display of banned classic books as well as challenged books in 2008.

## *Fondue Fun*

Thursday, October 15  
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.  
Ages 12 - 17

Join Marilyn for a great evening of Fondue. Make a cheese fondue and a chocolate fondue. Dip everything imaginable into your fondues for a delicious treat. Pre-Registration is a must as space is limited.



## E-Mail Sign-up Sheets

*Be on top of the latest YA program dates! Sheets are on the new bulletin board behind the YA computers.*



[www.suffolkwave.org](http://www.suffolkwave.org) – Your Digital Library

- Download popular titles to your computer and transfer to your favorite devices (iPod, iPhone, MP3 player, etc...)
- Music and video are the most popular formats downloaded by Quogue Library patrons, but did you know that you can also download eBooks?

## *Congratulations to*

- ~ Nick Kok, 1st winner of the Teen Summer Reading Program Raffle. Nick won two tickets to the Quogue Junior Theater Troupe production of *Grease*.
- ~ Caroline Schulte, 2nd winner of the Teen Summer Reading Program Raffle. Caroline won an *Express Yourself* T-Shirt.

## Literacy News!

Quogue Library welcomes new literacy volunteer Joyce Flynn, who recently completed training to become a certified literacy tutor - Thank you Joyce and know that your efforts will go a long way in helping students to read and write.

## *Literacy Tutors Needed!*

Do you know someone who needs to learn English or who would like to improve their reading and writing skills? Literacy Suffolk, Inc. provides free tutoring services to adults. Students meet once a week in their local community library. For more information please call Literacy Coordinator, Carol Viteritti at 631-727-3228, ext. 126.

## Quogue Historical Society's 1822 Schoolhouse Museum

will be open by appointment through September. The one room schoolhouse museum features colonial life and includes highlights on farming and whaling. Call 653-4818 to arrange a visit!



# Program calendar at a glance

# SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>Bridge on Saturdays</b> (Instructor led) Saturdays, through mid October (last session on October 17) • 10:00 a.m. <b>PLEASE NOTE</b> – Time change for Saturday, September 12 – Bridge will meet at Noon.		<b>1</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>  Mat Pilates 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>7 Labor Day</b> <i>Library Closed</i>	<b>8</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>  Mat Pilates 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>  Pixie Play 10:30-11:30 a.m. <b>C</b>	<b>12</b> French Conversation 3:00 p.m. <b>A</b>  Artist's Reception 3:00-5:00 p.m. <b>A</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>  Mat Pilates 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b>	<b>16</b> Kids After School Yoga 3:30-4:30 p.m. <b>C</b>	<b>17</b> Comp. Cleanup & Safety 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b>	<b>18</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>  Pixie Play 10:30-11:30 a.m. <b>C</b>	<b>19</b> Def. Driving 9:45 a.m.-4:00 p.m. <b>A</b> French Conv. 3:00 p.m. <b>A</b> <i>Gran Torino</i> Feast: 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b> Film: 7:15 p.m. <b>A</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b> Hands-On Music 1:30-2:15 p.m. <b>C</b> Mat Pilates 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b> All About the Internet 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b>	<b>23</b> Kids After School Yoga 3:30-4:30 p.m. <b>C</b>	<b>24</b> Monthly Knitting Group 6:00 p.m. <b>A</b>  PJ Storytime 7:00-7:30 p.m. <b>C</b>	<b>25</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>  Pixie Play 10:30-11:30 a.m. <b>C</b>	<b>26</b> French Conversation 3:00 p.m. <b>A</b>  Comp. Lit. 101 3:15 p.m. <b>A</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b> Mat Pilates 6:30 p.m. <b>A</b> Hands-On Music 1:30-2:15 p.m. <b>C</b>	<b>30</b> Kids After School Yoga 3:30-4:30 p.m. <b>C</b>	<b>Services for the Homebound!</b> Did you know that if you are homebound due to illness or lack of transportation that you may still receive library services? Please call the library for more details at 653-4224, ext. 4.		

**C** = CHILDREN    **T** = TEEN    **A** = ADULT    **F** = FAMILY

# OCTOBER

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<b>Bridge on Thursdays</b> (Supervised Play) Thursdays, through mid October (last session on October 15) • 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Jean Clinton will be on hand to mid October to finish out another terrific series. If you have been playing for a while, or are new and would like to learn, join us on Saturdays and Thursdays. We have several tables grouped by ability, so you can learn the game from a seasoned player or just improve by practicing. <b>\$5.00 fee.</b>				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> Yoga 10:15 a.m. <b>A</b>	<b>3</b> French Conversation 3:00 p.m. <b>A</b>
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Quogue Library's adult French conversation group will meet on Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. beginning on September 12.

### Special October Film Feast and Documentary Screening



#### *Trouble the Water*

**Directed by Carl Deal and Tia Lessin**

**Saturday, October 17**

**Feast 6:30 p.m. - Film 7:15 p.m.**

When a New Orleans woman tells filmmakers trolling for Hurricane Katrina interviews, "All the footage I seen on TV, nobody ain't got what I got, I got right there in the hurricane,"

she isn't kidding or exaggerating.

The week before the storm hit, Kimberly Rivers Roberts bought a camcorder for \$20, thinking she could shoot birthday parties and document family moments.

With two hours left on the battery and a still camera as a backup, she chronicled Katrina from inside the wrath of the storm -- the attic of the house where she and others took refuge as the waters swallowed and gnawed at their Ninth Ward neighborhood.

Filmmakers Tia Lessin and Carl Deal weave that fierce footage with the story of Kim and her husband, Scott Roberts, and assorted others as they navigate the FEMA maze, flee to Memphis and come home to rebuild their lives.

It's a little jumpy, the Louisiana accents sometimes are difficult to understand and the timeline shaky but "Trouble the Water" puts us at ground zero.

**To read more about this documentary simply log onto**

**<http://movies.nytimes.com/movie/451959/Trouble-the-Water/overview>.**

### Film Feast

*Join your friends and neighbors for an evening filled with fine food and a terrific film. Price of admission is a beverage and a dish that serves at least six. Please bring us a copy of your recipe too! Our monthly program resumes with some wonderful picks. See you at the library.*

#### *Gran Torino*

**Directed by and starring**

**Clint Eastwood**

**Saturday, September 19**

**Feast 6:30 p.m.**

**Film 7:15 p.m.**



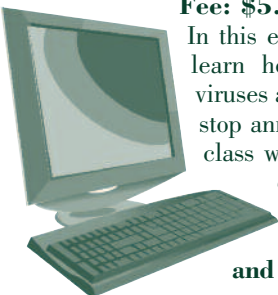
Walt Kowalski is a widower who holds onto his prejudices despite the changes in his Michigan neighborhood and the world around him. Kowalski is a grumpy, tough-minded, unhappy old man, who can't get along with either his kids or his neighbors, a Korean War veteran whose prize possession is a 1972 Gran Torino he keeps in mint condition. When his neighbor Thao, a young Hmong teenager under pressure from his gang member cousin, tries to steal his Gran Torino, Kowalski sets out to reform the youth. Drawn against his will into the life of Thao's family, Kowalski is soon taking steps to protect them from the gangs that infest their neighborhood.

## COMPUTER CLASSES

### Computer Cleanup and Safety

**Thursdays, September 17 or October 15 at 6:30 p.m.**

**Fee: \$5.00**



In this easy to follow hands-on class you will learn how to protect your computer from viruses and spyware, minimize junk email and stop annoying Internet pop up windows. This class will also cover; deleting files, E-mails, cookies, programs and more, and maintaining the general health of your computer. **For intermediate and advanced users.**

### All About the Internet

**Tuesdays, September 22 or October 20 at 6:30 p.m.**

**Fee: \$5.00**

This lecture-workshop explains how to get online, find information, understand the jargon of the Internet, send E-mail, and more.

### Computer Literacy 101

**Saturdays, September 26 or October 24 at 3:15 p.m.**

**Fee: \$5.00**

This is a slow-paced, user-friendly workshop for first-time computer users covering all the *Windows* features including turning the computer on, exploring the *Windows* desktop, using the mouse, opening programs, understanding *Windows* elements, inputting text and saving a file, and turning the computer off.