

Mark Your Calendars!

Fall is a Fantastic Time for Friends Fun!

Join us at the **September Delaware Main Library Book & Media Sale!** Stop by the garage for a Book Sale on Friday, Sept 13 from 5 - 8 pm and Saturday, Sept 14 from 9 am - 3 pm. We'll hold a Media Sale in the Community Room on Saturday, Sept 14 only from 10 am - 3 pm.



It's not too late to join our new **Friends Book Groups!** The Afternoon Group will meet **Sept 17 at 2 pm** and the Evening Group on **October 22 at 6:30 pm**. All Friends of DCDL members are welcome to join the book groups. One time or every time! For more information or to be added to the email list, please contact the group facilitators at bookgroup@delawarelibraryfriends.org.



We are thrilled to partner with Preservation Parks of Delaware County to host renowned Ohio birding legend **Kenn Kaufman** for two events on **October 17 & 18**. Read the article to the right for ticket info and more details of these unique events!



OK, let's have one last Delaware sale in 2024! Come to a **Delaware Main Library Book & Media Sale** on October 26. Book Sale runs from 9 am - 3 pm, and the Media Sale in the Community Room runs from 10 am - 3 pm.

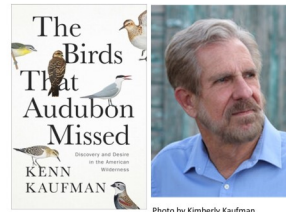


Details on these events will be emailed to Friends members and are available at delawarelibraryfriends.org.

Author and Renowned Ohio Birding Legend Kenn Kaufman

We are excited to partner with Preservation Parks of Delaware County to bring you an opportunity to learn from famed naturalist Kenn Kaufman. We appreciate their sponsorship of his author visit and nature walk.

Kenn Kaufman burst onto the birding scene as a teenager in the 1970s, hitch-hiking all over North America in pursuit of birds—an adventure later chronicled in his cult-classic book *Kingbird Highway*. After several years as a leader of birding tours worldwide, he transitioned to a career as a writer, editor, and illustrator. His energy currently goes into book projects - 14 books to date - and painting bird portraits. Kenn is a field editor for the National Audubon Society, a Fellow of the American Ornithological Society, and the only person to have received the American Birding Association's Lifetime Achievement. Event and ticket info is below!



The Friends of DCDL and Preservation Parks will host famed naturalist and Ohio birding legend **Kenn Kaufman** for a discussion of "The Birds That Audubon Missed", a book signing and a guided bird walk! Discount books available for \$26 by pre-order from Beanbag Books when you buy your ticket.

Where: Liberty Branch Library, 7468 Steitz Road, Powell
When: Thursday, October 17 @ 6:30 pm
Tickets: www.delawarelibraryfriends.org/author-visits
\$20 for the public, \$15 for Friends of DCDL

**AUTHOR
TALK &
BOOK
SIGNING**

Where: Deer Haven Park, 4183 Liberty Road, Delaware
When: Friday, October 18 @ 9:00 am
Tickets: www.delawarelibraryfriends.org/author-visits
\$20 - registration is limited to 25 participants

**BIRD
WALK**

We offer many THANKS to the Robert Weiler Family Fund of the Delaware County Foundation for funding the purchase of an Epson SureLab Photo Printer and Wolverine 8mm Film Converter for the Liberty Maker Studio. Delaware County residents have already started using them to preserve precious family memories. See the column on page 2 for info on digitizing 8mm film.



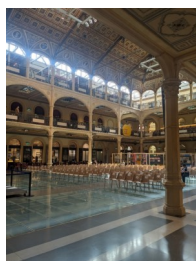
Joyce Maynard Author Visit Recap

The Friends of DCDL welcomed Joyce Maynard on July 10th during her book tour for *How the Light Gets In*. Around 100 attendees from Central Ohio and beyond attended the event, which included a talk by the author, spectacular charcuterie, and demonstrations of Chi Gong and singing bowls. Thank you to our volunteers and partners: DCDL, The Dempsey Center, Beanbag Books, Klatter Photography, and Hilton Polaris.



Traveling Friends - Share Pics with Us!

Do you visit libraries when you travel? We bet you do! Nicole Fowles recommends Biblioteca Salaborsa, the main public library in Bologna, Italy, which is built upon a site of ancient Roman ruins. Send a picture of a library you visited to newsletter@delawarelibraryfriends.org for inclusion in a future newsletter.



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Not receiving our email? Please check your spam folder for event notices, newsletters and other information. You can unsubscribe if you choose. Your email address is not shared beyond the Friends and DCDL.

Maker Studio Spotlight - Digitizing 8mm video

Project: Converting 8mm film on reels to digital files

What to bring: 8mm or Super8 film reels

Equipment used: Wolverine 8mm Film Converter

Reservation needed? Suggested.

Location: Liberty Maker Studio

Cost: Using the equipment is FREE

Lessons learned: The equipment digitizes frame by frame, and it takes about 10 minutes to convert one minute of film. Plan accordingly and bring a book to read, while keeping an eye on the conversion. Old film may have poor sprockets or other issues which cause the conversion to stop, so you need to stay with it to work past problem areas. The equipment is easy to use. You can save your files to the cloud or a flash drive (bring one large enough to hold video files).

Additional idea: If you have VCR tapes to digitize, you can do that at the same time (on different equipment) at the same station.



Did You Know? You can now directly manage your "My Favorite Authors" list, which lets you get placed in the hold line first? Yes! DCDL is offering this updated service at www.delawarelibrary.org/my-favorite-authors

Welcome New Friends Members!

Linda Baker	Marcia Barnhart
Jeanne Barrett	James Bode
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Michael Carlisle	Abby Chrismer
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