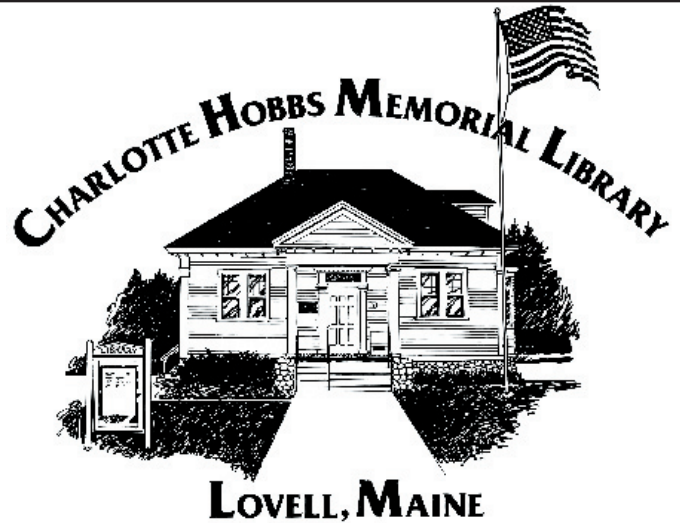

April 2007 NEWS



MESSAGE FROM THE ATTIC

Twenty-seven patrons traveled to the Portland Museum of Art last month to be part of a private tour of the Käthe Kollwitz exhibit by summer resident David Bradford. Everyone had a wonderful time and we even got to share lunch with David and the curator of the museum in their board room. Thank you David for making this possible!

We are also grateful for all the people who voted in favor of our municipal requests. With the Towns' help we will continue to be the vital community center; bringing books, knowledge and cultural enrichment to the greater Lovell area.

On April 3rd we are celebrating our one-year anniversary of joining Minerva. Staff and patrons can't say enough about the convenience and speed of the automated system. If you still feel unsure about some of the features don't hesitate to set up a training session with any of our staff.

Happy spring!

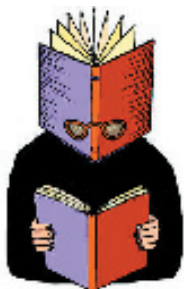
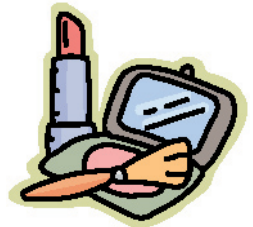
Mark your calendars for these upcoming May events:

Cinco de Mayo: On Sunday May 6 we will hold our third annual Cinco de Mayo fundraiser at Ebenezer's Pub & Restaurant. Look for more details in the next newsletter. Seating is limited so you may reserve your ticket by simply calling the library.



Makeup Advice

On Monday May 14 at 1 PM Lisa Libby will bring the tools of her trade and give makeup advice for those ladies that are still young at heart.



Videos

Books

Magazines

DVDs

Books on Tape

Books on CD

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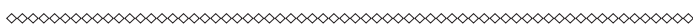
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Library Programs

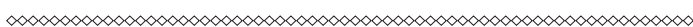
Mouse Paint a storybook art class for 5 to 7 year olds, Thursdays from 3 to 4

Every Thursday join Liz McCann for an hour full of wonderful books, songs, games, and art projects. Children can come straight off the bus with a note from their parents. Pick-up is 4 PM!



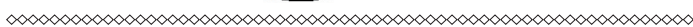
Preschool Storytime Mondays at 10 AM

For children 5 and under, with Miss Patty. Includes picture book stories, finger rhymes, and crafts. A great place for parents and children to make new friends.



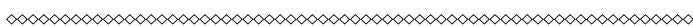
Chess and More! Wednesdays from 2:30 to 3 PM

For children grade 3 and up. Do you love chess and checkers or want to learn? Beginners and all level players are welcome. If you rather play Candyland or Scrabble we'll let you! This after-school program will run from 2 till 3:30 pm. Children can come right off the bus with a note from a caregiver. Light snack served.



Cribbage Wednesdays at 9:30 AM

Cribbage lovers get together every Wednesday morning to try their luck. Coffee, doughnuts, and cheese available. All level players are welcome.



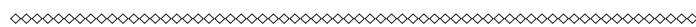
Monthly Speaker Program: **Sue & Sam Black on** **TIBET** **Tuesday April 24, 7 PM**



Sam and Sue have traveled to several countries in the Far East and have presented programs at Maine Audubon and other venues in this area. They have lived in Sweden since 1980. Sue was the librarian at the Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library for eight years back in the seventies and is presently a Trustee on the Board.

Last year they traveled for one month through the towns and countryside of the Himalayan region of South Asia. They will show slides, artifacts, craft items and informational materials. Come learn more about this fascinating culture.

All Welcome. Refreshments served.



Book Discussion Group **Monday April 9 at 1PM**

We will be discussing *Year of Wonders: A Novel of the Plague* by Geraldine Brooks. An historical novel set in 1666. Inspired by the true story of Eyam, a "plague village" in the rugged hill country of England. Books and audio books can be ordered through Minerva.

All Welcome!



Spring Raffle



'Spring Into Summer'

You will be rested and healthy with this wonderful 'pamper-your-mind-and-body' package: Winning raffle will receive

- a 10-day guest pass to Cranmore Fitness Center AND
- a \$100 gift certificate to 'Peace With-Inn', a Bed & Breakfast on West Fryeburg Road AND
- a 3-month membership to Curves in Fryeburg.

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