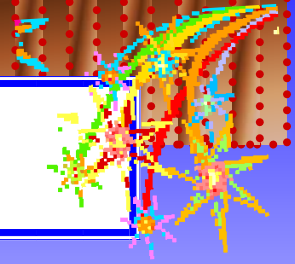


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### Calendar of Events

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Summer Programs	Wed's
Preschool Story Time & Crafts	10:30 am
Elementary Ages	2:00 pm
Newtonians	7-10 2:00 pm
FOL Meeting	7-12 NOON
Shawn House: "History of Midwifery in Arkansas"	7-17 2:00 pm
Puppet Show For All Ages	7-28 10:30am
"What The Bleep" Discussion Group	7-30 6:00 pm



### Coley / House To Give Programs



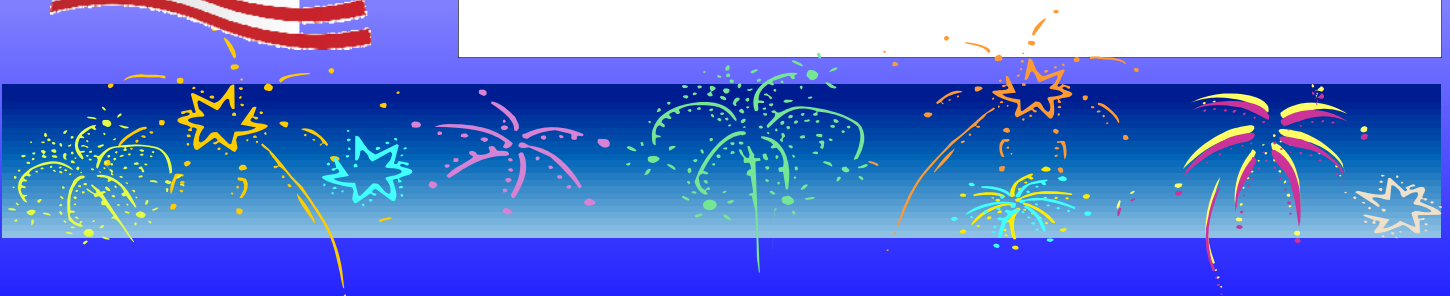
**Shawn House**, an Arkansas Licensed Midwife, will be at the library on Saturday the 17th to bring us a presentation entitled "History of Midwifery in Arkansas". Shawn is excited about bringing information to the public on this age-old method of childbirth, as it was the primary source

for child birthing before the turn of the century—and especially in the once sparsely populated Ozark Mountains of Arkansas. Even today, midwifery care is an option for expectant women who are healthy and low-risk. There will be a slideshow for Shawn's program and refreshments will be served following the event.



### "What The Bleep" To Be Discussed

On Friday, July 30th from 6 to 8 p.m., we will be discussing the movie "What The Bleep, Down The Rabbit Hole". The group will discuss the various topics, theories and ideas raised within the movie, in a roundtable fashion. If you haven't already viewed "What The Bleep", you should. It's an intellectual appetizer for the mind, leading your brain and concepts toward the main course. Anyone that is interested in collaborative brainstorming should attend this program. Hopes are that this event will split off into a regularly meeting discussion group, but this is dependant on the attendance and interest of the first meeting.





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## Last Month's Programs



Reverend Dr. Judith Arnold was here last month for her presentation on "Self-Publishing". Jude was happy to see so many people interested in the topic, and hopeful to publish their own works.

Thanks to her for her guidance, wisdom, tips and collaboration.

Our greatest thanks to D'Coda for her wonderful "Herbalist Workshop". Many anxiously awaited this rescheduled event. She has quite a history of gaining knowledge about native plants and their medicinal and edible qualities, and supports seed preservation and usage as an integral part when developing your own 'herbalist workshop' or garden. Great attendance!!!

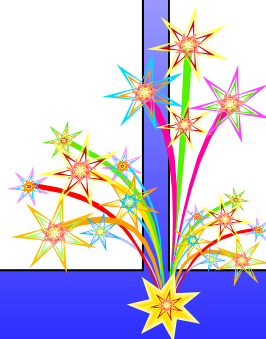


### -Postponement-

Dr. Lynn Baker postponed the "Arkansas Gravestone Project" program until Saturday, August 28th at 2:00 p.m., due to its conflicting time with the Buffalo River Elk Festival. Watch for flyers and more information.

## New Books

The Newton County Library added many new books, and DVD's this month. The following are new to the Mystery section: *Private* by James Patterson, *The Devil Amongst The Lawyers* by Sharyn McCrumb, *The Critic* by Peter May and *61 Hours* by Lee Child. New in Fiction are *Work Song* by Ivan Doig, *Deep Water* by Robert Whitlow, *Family Ties* by Danielle Steele and *The Passage* by Justin Cronin. Children's Section additions include *Ladybug Girl At The Beach* by David Soman and *I Spy Fly Guy* by Tedd Arnold. *Battles Of The Klans* by Erin Hunter, *The Red Pyramid (Book 1)* Kane Chronicles by Rick Riordan and *The King of Clonnel (Book 8)* *Ranger's Apprentice* by John Flanagan are new to the Juvenile and Young Adult Section. *The Station Agent*, *Kill Bill (Vol. 2)* and *The Importance of Being Earnest* are all new DVD's.



## Summer Programs

Make a Splash—READ! is the Summer Program theme for 2010. This year Wonderful Wednesdays will be chalked full of fun! June 16th and 23rd will be geared toward getting library cards and "make and take" crafts—all day from 9:30a.m. to 5:30p.m. Parent(s) or guardian(s) must sign for children to be issued a card. June 30th and July 7th, 14th and 21st will be stories and crafts for Preschool and Kindergarten ages at 10:30a.m., and at 2:00p.m. will be activities and crafts for Elementary grades. Children should be registered for these events, as to allow enough materials and supplies for everyone to participate, so please sign your youngster up at the front desk.



And, Miss Teresa is planning a Puppet Show for all ages on July 28th at 10:30 a.m., so get ready for some super fun entertainment!