

Librarian's Report  
January 13, 2014

Programming

- Saturday, 2/1:  
National Take Your Child to the Library Day!
  
- Thursday 2/6, 6PM:  
The Reckoning & the Glory: The Battle Between the  
USS Kearsarge and the CSS Alabama  
Presenter: Mike Mckinley
  
- Friday, 2/14, 3PM:  
Library Buddies Valentine's Day Party
  
- Monday, 2/24, 10AM:  
Third Monday Book Group -- We will be reading *Transatlantic* by, Colum  
McCann
  
- Tuesday 2/25, 7PM:  
The Nepal Chronicles  
Presenter: Dan Szczesny
  
- New! Wednesday & Friday mornings, 10:30AM:  
Book Toters Toddler Activity Time -- Unstructured activity time in the meeting  
room for toddlers and their parents. Board books, puzzles, and toys will be  
available for use.
  
- Thursdays, 6PM:  
MSL Knitting Group

Friends

- Cookie Buffet brought in about \$870.00 for the library

Staff

- Working on staff evaluations for 2013 - hope to have them completed by the end of  
January. I will go over them at the February Trustee's meeting.

### Technology & Computers

- Anticipated Staff and Patron computer needs handout. Gives an idea of what software & hardware we will want this year and what we will want to think about upgrading within the next few years in order to stay current.
- Redesigned website and updated content. We now also have a blog page specifically for our Third Monday Book Group. If there is something you would like to see on the website, just let me know and I can add it.

### Operating Budget

- Our 2014 invoice for the NH Downloadable Books Consortium came to \$814 and has been paid. In 2013 we circulated 3,772 eBooks and audio books.

**The library will be closed on January 20<sup>th</sup> for Civil Rights Day and February 17<sup>th</sup> for President's Day.**