



**Manchester Library Friends' Newsletter  
Winter Reading Issue: January 15, 2014**

**FOML Current Events Calendar**

- January 1<sup>st</sup> New Year's Day - Library Closed
- January 20<sup>th</sup> Martin Luther King Jr's B'day-Library Closed
- January 22<sup>nd</sup> FOML Board Meeting, 7 pm
- February 8<sup>th</sup> Winter Book Sale 9 am - 3 pm
- February 26<sup>th</sup> FOML Board Meeting, 7 pm

And more ... check "Programs & Events" at [www.KRL.org](http://www.KRL.org)

**UPCOMING MANCHESTER LIBRARY EVENTS:**

**Movie Matinee: *Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs***

*What are "foodimals" ? Find out at the movie.*

Wednesday, Feb 5<sup>th</sup> 4:30 - 6 pm  
Popcorn & juice for all.



**Winter Storytimes:** Come share stories, rhymes, songs and fun with our librarian! Stay for music and crafts.

Storytimes: Tuesdays 10:30 am.

**Legos: Lego Girls, second Wednesday 6-7:30 pm**

Every month - Snacks, too !

Lego Club, third Wednesday 6 pm Every Month

Join us for mad Lego building around a different theme each month. Display what you've made at the library.



**Minecraft: Monday, 3  
February 6 - 8 pm**

Love Minecraft? Play with others on Xbox & laptops.  
Snacks, too.

**BEYBLADE Tournament:  
Monday 27 January 6-7:30 pm**

Let the games begin! Bring your own beyblade or use one of ours.

**WINTER BOOK SALE  
February 8<sup>th</sup> 9 am - 3 pm**



**2014 Winter Reading Books**

**Recommendations from your Friends**

*The Buddha in the Attic* (2011) by Julie Otsuka  
*1776* (2005) by David McCullough ... more on page 2  
*If you have a recommendation, send it to the Editor (address below)*

**BOOK WORMS**

For January we will read *The Gentleman from Finland* by Robert M. Goldstein. The group meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7 pm. See you on January 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Fred Meyer customers !!**



As you may know, the Friends of the Manchester Library (a non-profit volunteer group) own and operate the Manchester Library building. Each year we fund the cost of operating and maintaining the building as well as fund programming for all of our patrons, preschoolers through adults. We need to raise at least \$30,000 every year to keep the library open.

Fundraising to cover all of our expenses is mostly what our group does. We seek community grants wherever possible along with our usual book sales, Salmon Bake, and Plant Sales. A new funding opportunity has been created by the Fred Meyer Stores and we hope to take full advantage. Beginning January 6, 2014, all Fred Meyer customers who hold a "Fred Meyer Rewards Card" can essentially "cast a vote" to have Fred Meyer make a contribution to the Friends of the Library.

To help us with this funding opportunity all you need to do is get a Fred Meyer Rewards Card (no cost) and then go to the Fred Meyer Community web-site and update your Rewards Card information to indicate that you would like to help support the Friends of the Manchester Library; to do this go to [www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards](http://www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards) and then update your Reward Card profile to indicate you would like to support the Friends of the Manchester Library (Group #93267). There is no cost to you to do this, and it does not impact any of the other benefits you get from participating in the Rewards Program...a true win-win.

If you have any questions about this program please contact our President, John Winslow at [johnwinslo@aol.com](mailto:johnwinslo@aol.com).