

Holmes Library News—June

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Get Caught Listening!

June is Audiobook Month. a great time to get caught listening! Pick up a list of new and award-winning audiobooks at the library or on our Web site. June is also a great time to try downloading an audiobook to your phone or other mobile device using Overdrive.

See a demo of the Overdrive app, Tumblebooks, and a sampling of recommended reading-related apps for kids ages 2-8, **Wednesday, June 11, 6:30 p.m.** This repeat of Best Bookish Apps for Your Kids includes the edible kind of apps (appetizers)!



Summer is a great time for reading, and the library's got you covered! Can't find a summer reading book or your school summer reading list? Just ask us for help!

On **Monday, June 16, at 6:30 p.m.**, Jerry Lagadec presents a new performance of Native American flute and spoken word. A retired professional musician, Jerry has gen-

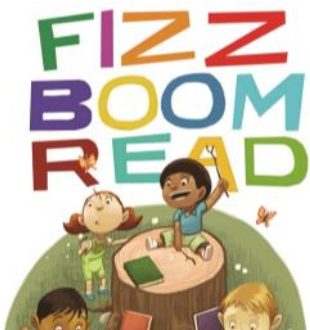
erously donated this performance. He is also the author of a new book, *Walking with Basho: Poems, Rambles, and Rants*, which is available through the library.

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News in Brief

- **Friends Book & Bake Sale**, Sat., June 7, 10-1.
- **Best Bookish Apps for Your Kids, + Appetizers**, Wed., June 11, 6:30 p.m.
- **Native American Flute with Jerry Lagadec**, Mon., June 16, 6:30 p.m.
- **Friends of the Library**, Wed., June 25, 6:30 p.m.
- **Summer Reading Kick-Off, Day** Fri., June 27, 11 a.m., with magician Domino the Great, and cake!

Summer Reading Starts June 27!



Fizz Boom Read, this year's library summer reading program, kicks off on Friday morning, **June 27**, with registration and a magic show at **11:00 a.m.** by Domino the Great. After the show,

everyone is invited for a piece of the Fizz Boom Read cake. Fizz Boom Read is sponsored by the library, the Massachusetts Library System, the Boston Bruins, and the Board of Library Commissioners. Performances

are funded by the Friends of the Library, except Science Magic, provided by the Museum of Science, and the Davis Bates & Roger Tincknell performance, funded in part by the Halifax Cultural Council.

Book & Bake Sale—Sat., June 7, 10-1

The Friends' Annual Book & Bake Sale is a major fundraiser. Please support it by coming to buy, and by renewing your Friends membership during the sale.

The Friends elected officers at their May 28th meeting. Thank you to all who agreed to run!

President Jen Packard

Treasurer Monica Mueller

Recording Sec'y Jeanne Kling

Corresp. Sec'y Maureen Rogers

Members at Large:

Joan Brides

Mary Howlett

(Vacancy — How about you?)

Annual Dues:

Seniors \$2/yr.

Individual \$5/yr.

Family \$10/yr.

Patron \$25/yr.

Sponsor \$100/yr.

Lifetime \$250

The Friends meet **Wednesday, June 25, at 6:30 p.m.** New members are always welcome!

Friends' Annual Book & Bake Sale



**Benefits the Friends of the
Holmes Public Library**

Saturday, June 7

10-1



Ancestry.com is available at the library. For access, sign on with your laptop or tablet, or use a library computer.

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Summer Hours (starting 6/9)

Monday, 10-8

Tuesday, 10-5

Wednesday, 10-8

Thursday, 10-5

Friday, 10-5

Saturday, Closed

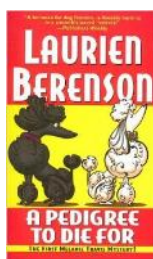
Display Case



This month's Double Trouble display is by Priscilla Murphy.

Please call the library if you have a collection or a hobby you would like to display!

Big Library Read Starts June 3



SAILS is part of the Big Library Read program. All SAILS library card holders may borrow and read the ebook *A Pedigree to Die For*, Book 1 of the Melanie Travis Mystery Series by Laurien Berenson, between June 3 and June 17, by visiting <http://sails.lib.overdrive.com>.

Big Library Read is an international program that gives library patrons unlimited, simultaneous access to a popular title during the program dates, creating a

virtual, global book club. Patrons will all be able borrow *A Pedigree to Die For* and read it at the same time on all major computers and devices, including iPhone®, iPad®, Nook®, Android™ phones and tablets, and Kindle®. Titles automatically expire at the end of the lending period.

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