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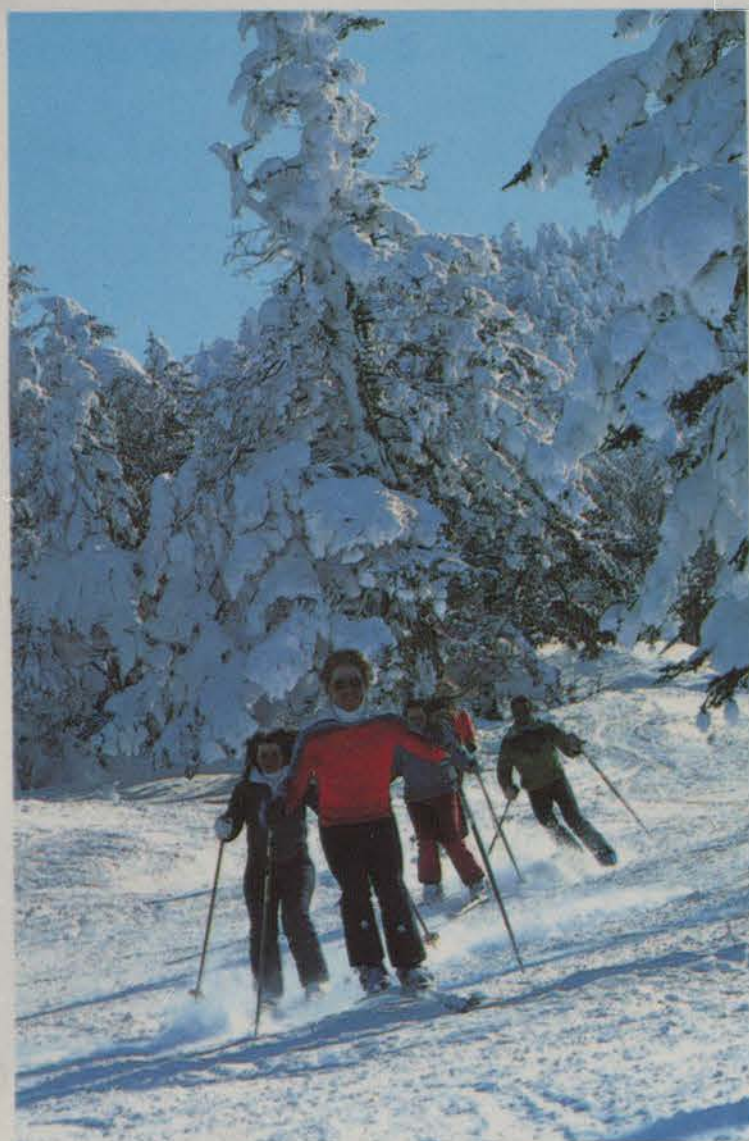






# JANUARY

## LEARN TO SKI...



## FOR THE FUN OF IT



### Eastern Professional Ski Instructors Association

Olympic Skiing will be discussed by Carole Olufsen, a professional ski instructor at Hunter Mountain, along with tips on skiing safety, lessons, clubs, the U.S. Ski team. Also included will be an equipment demonstration plus an Olympic film. Registration began January 4, for the program at Edison's Main Library, Wednesday, January 20, at 7:30. Call 287-2298.

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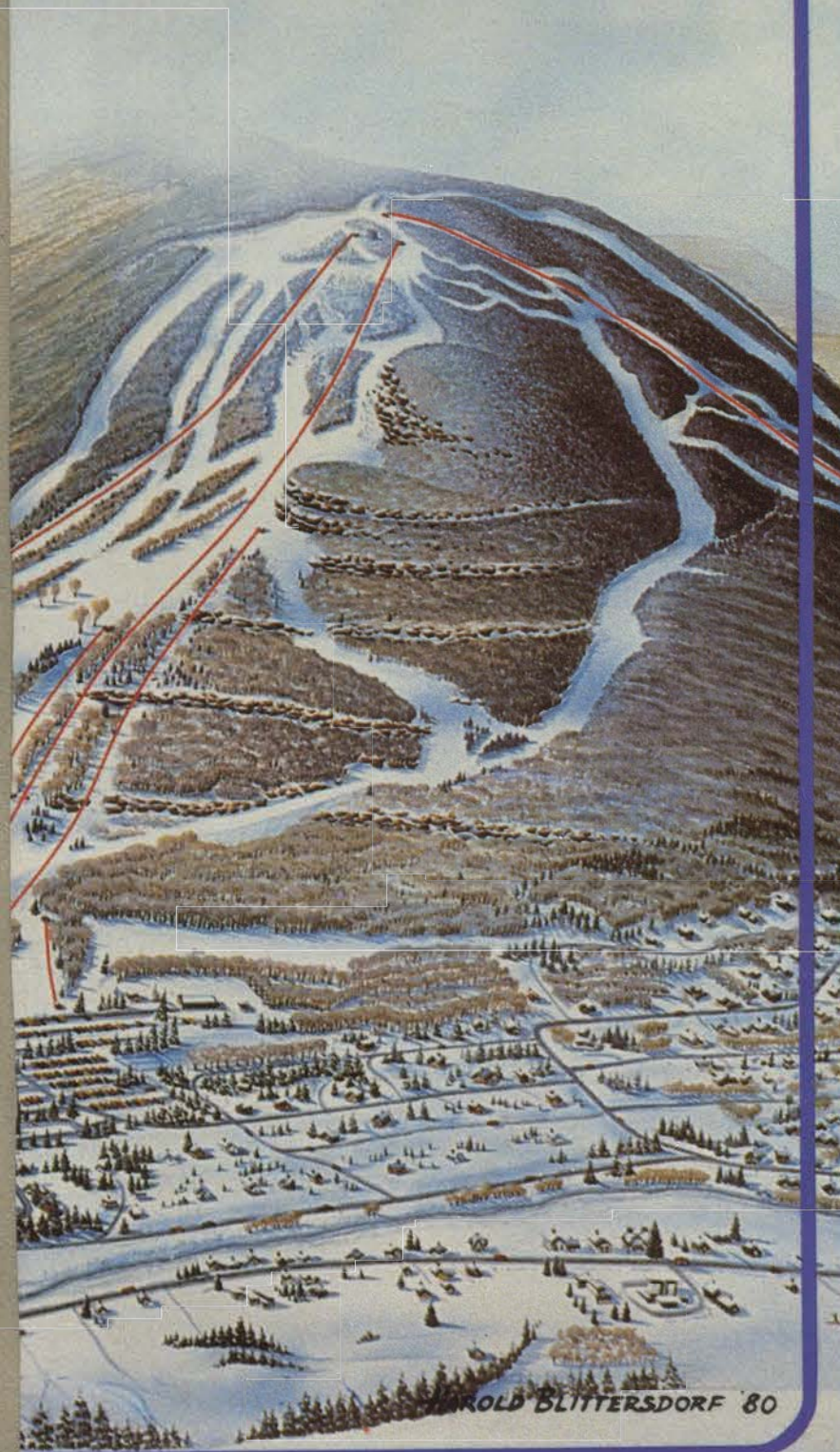
There will be a showing of one of the first long length horror films ever made. Don't miss out on the 60 min. silent classic: "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari". This program is open to the general public.

Registration started January 4, for the film to be shown at the North Edison Library on Wednesday, January 13, at 7:30 in the evening.

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Today — Olympic skiing will be discussed by Carole Olufsen, ski instructor at Hunter Mountain, at 7:30 p.m., at the Main Library.

## Horror film to be shown

EDISON - A showing of one of the first horror films ever made, "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari," will be held at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 13, at the North Edison Library, 340 Plainfield Ave.

Registration has already begun for the film program.

For further information, contact the library.

Martha Gallant, consumer adviser at Public Service Electric & Gas Company, will give a slide presentation on "Solar Energy in New Jersey" at 7 p.m. Monday at the North Edison Library.

The presentation will be given again at 7 p.m. Jan. 18 at the Clara Barton Library.

## Winter sports depicted

EDISON — A winter sports display will be on exhibit at the Edison Public Library, 340 Plainfield Ave., during January.

The exhibit, entitled "Be a Winter Sport," will include winter sports equipment and Olympic memorabilia.

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The Edison Main Library at 340 Plainfield Avenue is featuring a winter sports display entitled, "Be a Winter Sport" in the Adult Section of the library. The display includes winter sports equipment and Olympic memorabilia arranged in a "snowy" setting. Also featured are winter sports books and magazines which are part of the library's sports book collection. The public is invited to share in some winter fun!

## Signup begins for energy program

EDISON - Registration for participation in the program "Energy Dollars and Sense," a slide presentation to be held at the North Edison Library and at

the Clara Barton Library, is underway.

The presentation details some of the obstacles and potentials of solar energy in New Jersey.



# Tax-form filing help offered at Edison library

EDISON — The Edison Free Public Library has announced its schedule for the 1982 VITA program. VITA stands for Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, and is designed to assist taxpayers who cannot afford professional help in fill-

ing out their returns.

Persons desiring to register for tax assistance must call the particular library they wish to visit to make an appointment. The schedule is as follows:

● Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave.,

738-0096: Tuesday afternoons from 1 to 3 on Feb. 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6.

● Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave., 287-2298: Monday mornings from 9 to noon on Feb. 1, March 1 and 15 and April 5; and Wednesdays from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. on Feb. 3 and 17, March 3 and 17 and April 7.

● North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., 548-

3045: Wednesday mornings from 9 to noon on Feb. 3 and 17, March 3 and 17 and April 7; and Saturday mornings from 9 to noon on Feb. 6 and 20 and March 6 and 20.

● Senior Citizens Center, 2953 Woodbridge Ave., 549-7231: from 1 to 3 p.m. the weeks of Jan. 25 to 29, Feb. 22 to 26, and March 29 to April 2.

## VITA program set

EDISON — The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program will get under way in the township next week at the following locations:

Senior Citizen Center, 1 to 3 p.m., Monday through Jan. 29; Feb. 22 to 26, March 29 to April 2;

Clara Barton Library, 1 to 3 p.m. Feb. 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6;

Main Library, 9 a.m. to noon, Feb. 1, March 1 and 15 and April 4; 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Feb. 3 and 17, March 3 and 17 and April 7;

North Edison Library, 9 a.m. to noon Feb. 3, 6, 17 and 20, March 3, 6, 17 and 20 and April 7.

The VITA program is designed to assist taxpayers who cannot afford professional tax help, particularly those who file short forms and qualify for the Earned Income Credit. Volunteers also will assist low-income, elderly and handicapped persons.

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## News of the Children's Department - Edison Library

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a special presentation in the Library Puppet Theatre for children in preschool through 6th grades.

The *Stick Puppets* program will feature a premier presentation of the story "Too Much Noise" and will also include tips and ideas for creating your own stick puppets and shows.

Registration for this special program began January 5th. Children in K-6th grades are encouraged to attend. Preschoolers may attend if accompanied by an adult.

*Stick Puppets* will be presented as follows: North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., (548-4759), Monday, January 11 at 3:30. Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351), Tuesday, January 12 at 3:30. Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748), Wednesday, January 13, at 3:30.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library announces the expansion of an exciting new program for preschool children and their parents, *Storybook and Film Fun*.

*Storybook and Film Fun* will offer preschoolers an opportunity to enjoy their favorite stories on film, meet some new friends, and select books from a special display. Preschoolers and their parents are invited to drop in and join us for this informal story program. No pre-registration is required.

*Storybook and Film Fun* will be offered as follows: Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351), Thursdays, January 14 through February 18 at 10:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., (548-4759), Thursdays, January 14 through February 18 at 10:30.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library invites children in K-6th grades to an unusual winter *Craft Program* called "Monkey Business" to be offered at the Library in January. "Monkey Business" will offer children a crazy look at winter sports!

Pre-registration is required and begins on January 12th.

"Monkey Business" will be offered as follows: Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Wed., January 20 at 3:30; Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351), Sat., January 23 at 10:00 a.m.; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759), Sat., January 23, at 10:00 a.m.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a program of *Afterschool Films* for children at the Library in January.

The film program will feature a selection of car-

toon and short feature films. Children in K-6th grades are invited to attend. Preschoolers may attend if accompanied by an adult.

The *Afternoon Films* will be offered as follows: North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759), Tues., January 26 at 3:30; Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351), Tues., January 26 at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Wed., January 27 at 3:30.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library invites children in 4-6th grades to a new book discussion series guaranteed to bring books alive.

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## Library sets energy programs

EDISON — Two programs relating to energy are on tap at the Edison public library — "Energy Dollars and Sense," a slide presentation by Martha Gallant, consumer adviser at Public Service Electric & Gas, who will also present a program called "Solar Energy in New Jersey."

Registration is now open for the programs, which will be presented at 7 p.m. Monday at the North Edison Branch Library, 777 Grove Ave., and again the following Monday, Jan. 18, at 7 p.m., at the Clara Barton branch.

## Library showing early horror film

EDISON — One of the first silent horror films, "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari," will be shown tonight at 7:30 at the North Edison Branch Library, 777 Grove Ave.

*Terrific Tuesday* and *Freaky Friday* will include discussions of books by popular authors, films, crafts, puppets and a wide range of activities. Even if you hate reading, we know you will enjoy this program.

Join us for the following: *Freaky Friday* - Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Friday, January 8 at 3:30.

*Terrific Tuesday* - North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Tuesday, January 5 at 3:30; Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesday, January 5 at 3:30.

For details and titles of books to be discussed, contact the library.







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The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a new session of an exciting program for Children in 4th through 6th grades, a *Junior Film Club*. The weekly meetings will feature film and discussion activities under the supervision of the Children's Librarian. A wide variety of popular films will be offered. January will highlight Comedy Films and February will be highlighting Science Fiction Films.

Registration for the *Junior Film Club* begins

## Library invites tots

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer preschool story hour programs at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays at the North Edison and Main libraries, beginning Jan. 19 and at 1:30 p.m. Thursdays at the Clara Barton Library.

A toddlers' playgroup for children and their parents will be offered Fridays at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 22 through Feb. 19 at the Clara Barton Library. The session will last approximately 45 minutes. Preregistration begins Monday.

In addition a new program for preschoolers and their parents, Storybook and Film Fun will be held at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 14-18 at the Main Library and the North Edison Library.

## Puppet show slated

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a special presentation in the Library Puppet Theater for children in preschool through sixth-grades at 3:30 p.m.; Monday at the North Edison Library; Tuesday at the Main Library, and Jan. 13 at the Clara Barton Library.

A winter craft "Monkey Business," will be offered at 3:30 p.m. Jan. 20 at the Clara Barton Library and at 10 a.m. Jan. 23 at the Main Library and the North Edison Library. Registration starts Tuesday.

After school films, featuring a selection of cartoon and short feature films, will be shown at 3:30 p.m. Jan. 26 at the North Edison Library and the Main Library and Jan. 27 at the Clara Barton Library.

January 7. Please contact the Library for further details. The *Junior Film Club* will now meet at:

North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., Thursdays, January 21 through February 25 at 3:30. Telephone: 548-4759.

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The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library announces a new schedule of *Preschool Storyhour* programs to be offered by the Library, beginning in January.

Preschool Storyhour is a weekly program of stories, films, games and simple craft activities designed for preschool children. Pre-registration is required. Parents may register their children in person or by telephone to the appropriate library.

The following *Storyhour* sessions will be offered:

North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., (548-4759) Tuesdays, Jan. 19 - Feb. 16, at 10:30; Wednesdays, Jan. 20 - Feb. 17, at 1:30. Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351), Tuesdays, Jan. 19 - Feb. 16, at 10:30; Wednesdays, Jan. 20 - Feb. 17, at 1:30. Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748), Thursdays, Jan. 21 - Feb. 18 at 1:30.

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The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a *Toddler's Playgroup* for children

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# Community Calendar

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and their parents in January. The *Playgroup* "Talks for Tots" will be open to toddlers 2 to 3½ years and their parents.

"Talks for Tots" will feature simple stories and play activities, selection of story materials, and the opportunity for group interaction. The playgroup meets in weekly sessions of approximately 45 minutes.

Pre-registration is required and begins Monday, January 11. Parents and children may be registered in person or by phone. "Talks for Tots" is open only to those who have never attended before, and will be offered at Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave., Fridays, January 22 through February 19 at 10:30 a.m. (738-0748).

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# FEBRUARY



## Library plans contest

EDISON — Valentine fun is planned at the Edison Public Library during February.

A contest to guess the correct amount of candy in a Valentine jar can win the entire jar in a contest that continues through Feb. 27 at each of the three libraries: Main Library, Clara Barton and North Edison.

Candy jars will be on display in the adult section of each library.

## Film at library

EDISON — An original, silent vampire movie entitled, "Nosferatu," will be shown at North Edison Library Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Registration is required. NT 2/5/82

## Craft class begins

A craft class on making spice ropes will be offered at the North Edison Library at 1 p.m. Feb. 22; the Main Library Feb. 23 and the Clara Barton Library Feb. 26.

"Quartzsite Trip," a book by William Hogan, will be discussed at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the North Edison Branch. Anyone interested in joining the book club may call 548-3045.

## News of the Edison Free Public Library

Spice Ropes - Use your creative talents to make an attractive spice rope which you can use in any room of the house. Join us for a craft that is both decorative and functional. Please check at the appropriate library for supplies. Registration begins February 8th: North Edison, Mon., Feb. 22 at 1:00 (548-3045); Main Library Tues., Feb. 23 at 1:00 (287-2298); Clara Barton, Fri., Feb. 26 at 1:00 (738-0096).

Book Club for Adults - "Quartzsite Trip", a book by author William Hogan will be discussed at this monthly meeting on Thursday, February 11th at 7:30 at the North Edison Branch, Edison Free Public Library. Anyone interested in joining the book club please call the North Edison Branch at 548-3045.



TNT staff photos by Frank Wojciechowski

## Old fashions

High school students inspect fashions on display at the North Edison Branch of the Edison Public Library. The costumes are part of an exhibit titled "Grandmother's Trunk; Costumes as Social History," which will be on display through the end of the month. Carol Radice, a student at J.P. Stevens High School, Edison, stands at left, while above, Karen Ortello, also a student at J.P. Stevens, and Elena Domenicucci, a student at St. Thomas Aquinas High School, Edison, try out a pair of parasols.

## Guessing winners selected

EDISON — The Adult Department of the Edison Public Library held a Valentine Candy contest in February.

Participants were asked to guess the correct amount of Valentine candy displayed in huge jars.

The winners were determined by the guess that came closest to the total amount in the jar without going over. The winners received the candy jars as prizes.

The winners are: Main Library, Vince Maniccozzi, 940 in jar, guess 892; Clara Barton, Stephen Bell, 943, guessed 937, and North Edison, Louise Cadavero and Craig Grossman, 890, guessed 888.



## Valentine Contest Winners

The Adult Department of the Edison Public Library held a Valentine Candy Contest during the month of February. Participants were asked to guess the correct amount of Valentine

candy displayed in huge jars. The winners were determined by the guess that came closest to the total amount in the jar. The winners are as follows:

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Minicozzi, Amt. in jar, 940, winning guess, 892. Clara Barton, Stephen Bell, amt. in jar, 943, winning guess, 937. North Edison, Louise Cadavero and Craig Grossman, amount in jar, 890, winning guess, 888.

## potpourri in edison

The Coupon Exchange will meet at the Main Library from 1-2:30 p.m. Feb. 25.

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## Library sets films for kids

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EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library is offering a program of "Afternoon Films."

The program will include a cartoon and short feature selection for children in grades K to 6.

The films will be shown at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., and the main library, 340 Plainfield Ave.

Wednesday the films will be shown at 3:30 p.m. at the Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave.



## Library has heart

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will sponsor a Sweethearts Valentine Contest, beginning Monday. Children in preschool through sixth grade are invited to design a valentine and win a prize.

In addition, a party featuring games and stories with Mickey and Minnie Mouse, will be held at 3:30 p.m. Feb. 3 at the Clara Barton Library, and at 10 a.m. Feb. 6 at the North Edison Library and the Main Library.

## Preschoolers invited

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will continue its new program for preschool children and their parents, "Storybook and Film Fun," at 10:30 a.m. Thursdays at the Main Library and Thursdays at the North Edison Library.

Registration for the preschool storyhour programs will begin Feb. 22. The session will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, March 9-April 6 and at 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays March 10-April 7 at the North Edison Library; at 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays March 9-April 6 and at 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays, March 10-April 7 at the Main Library and at 1:30 p.m. Thursdays, March 11-April 8 at the Clara Barton Library.

## Book group forms

EDISON — A new book discussion series for children in grades four through six is being offered by the Edison Public Library. Discussions will take place at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the North Edison and Main libraries and Feb. 10 at the Clara Barton Library.

Also: afterschool films for children in grades kindergarten through sixth will be shown at 3:30 p.m. Feb. 16 at the North Edison Library and the Main Library and Feb. 17 at the Clara Barton Library.

## Library planning activities

NT 1/25/82  
EDISON — Registration for Valentine's Day activities, sponsored by the Edison Township Library system, will begin today.

Feb. 1 is kick-off day for the Sweetheart Valentine contest. The contest is for children in

preschool to 6th-grade. Children are asked to submit a self-made Valentine to the main library, 240 Plainfield Ave., by Feb. 14.

Entries will be on display at the main library throughout the contest.

The library is hosting

a Mickey and Minnie Valentine's Day party on Feb. 3 and 6. The party will be held 3:30 p.m. Feb. 3 at the Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave.

On Feb. 6 the party will be held 10 a.m. at the North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. and the main library, 340 Plainfield Ave.

## Edison Library NT 2/2/82 planning series

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will sponsor several activities in the coming weeks.

A storybook and film program for preschoolers will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursdays from Thursday to Feb. 18 at the Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave., and at the North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave.

A reading program for children in fourth to sixth grades will begin at 3:30 p.m. next Tuesday at the Main Library and North Edison Library and at 3:30 p.m. Feb. 10 at the Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave.

Storyhour for preschoolers will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays from next Tuesday to April 6 and at 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays from Feb. 10 to April 7 at the North Edison Library and the Main Library.

Storyhour will be held at 1:30 p.m. March 11 to April 8 at the Clara Barton Library.

Registration and further information may be obtained by contacting Pam Gares, children's librarian.



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Celebrate Valentine's Day with the Edison Public Library!

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will sponsor a variety of unusual activities in honor of Valentine's Day for children of all ages.

The *Sweet Hearts Valentine Contest* will begin on February 1st. Children in preschool through 6th grade are invited to design a beautiful Valentine and win a special prize. Entry forms will be available in the Junior Room. Entries will be on display in the Library and prizes will be given in many categories.

In addition, the Library will host children in K-6th grades at a grand celebration, *Mickey and Minnie's Valentines Party*. The party will feature games and stories with Mickey and Minnie Mouse, and lots of surprises. Pre-registration is required, and begins January 25.

*Mickey and Minnie's Valentine's Party* will be held: Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave., (738-0748) Wednesday, February 3, at 3:30. North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Saturday, February 6, at 10:00. Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Saturday, February 6, at 10:00.

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*Terrific Tuesday* and *Freaky Friday* will include discussions of books by popular authors, films, crafts, puppets and a wide range of activities. Even if you hate reading, we know you will enjoy this program.

Join us for the following: *Terrific Tuesday* - North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Tuesday, Feb. 9 at 3:30. *Terrific Tuesday* - Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesday, Feb. 9 at 3:30. *Freaky Friday* - Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Wednesday, Feb. 10 at 3:30.

For details and titles of books to be discussed, contact the Library.

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*Storybook and Film Fun* will offer preschoolers an opportunity to enjoy their favorite stories on film, meet some new friends, and select books from a special display. Preschoolers and their parents are invited to drop in and join us for this informal story program. No pre-registration is required.

*Storybook and Film Fun* will be offered as follows: Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Thursdays, February 4 through February 18, at 10:30. North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Thursdays, February 4 through February 18 at 10:30.

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The *Afterschool Films* will be offered as follows: North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 3:30; Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesday, Feb. 16 at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 3:30.

## Edison library sets films

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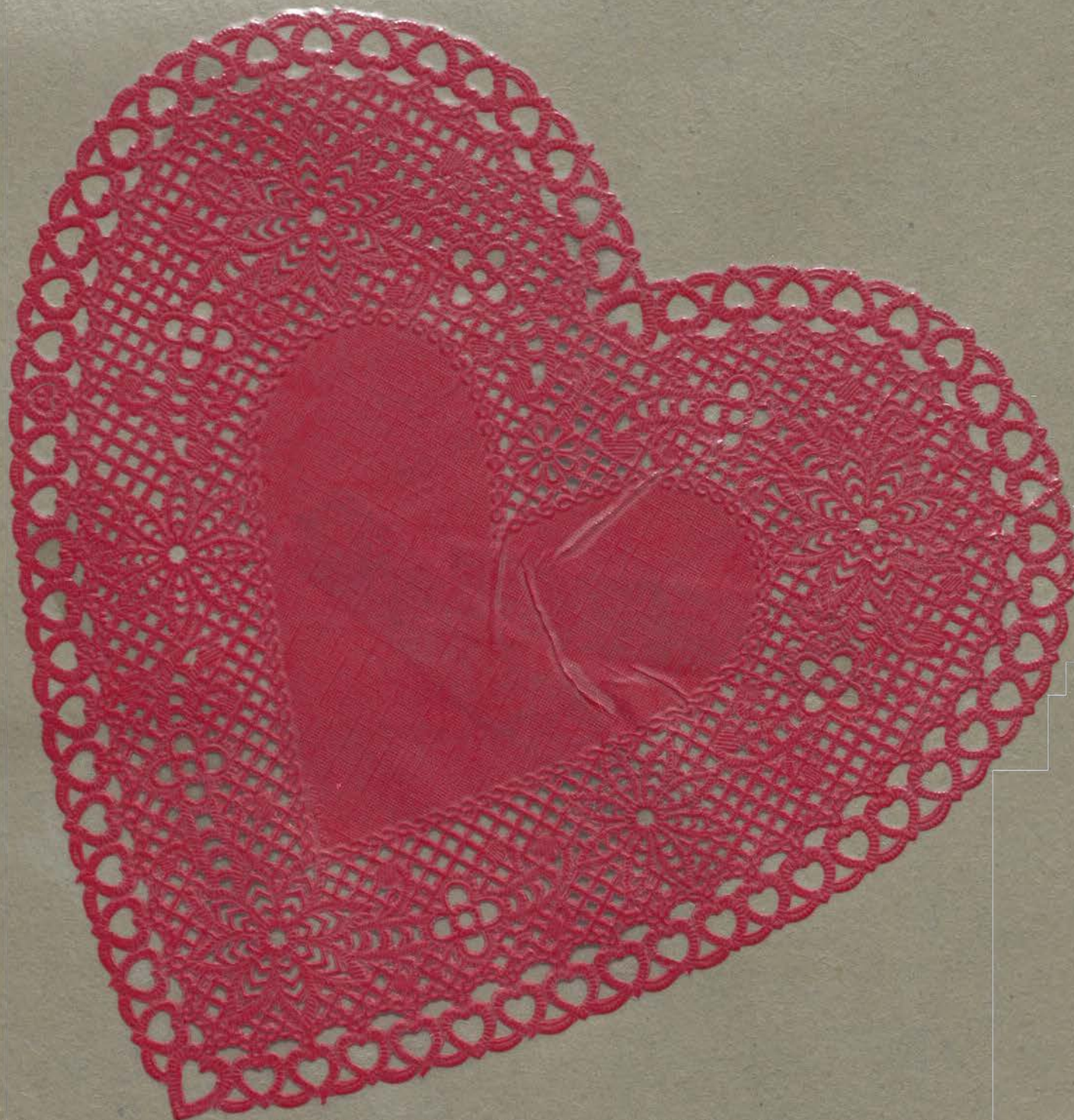
EDISON — The Children's Department at the Edison Public Library is offering a program of "Afternoon Films" during the month of February.

The film program will feature a selection of cartoon and short feature films for children in grades kinder-

garten to six.

The films will be shown 3:30 p.m. Feb. 16 at the North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. and the Main library located at 340 Plainfield Ave.

On Feb. 17 the films will be shown 3:30 p.m. at the Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave.



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Happy Valentine's Day!!!

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## Easter Egg Artistry

### Candymaking class set

EDISON — A class on how to make chocolate candy is being sponsored by the township library system. NT 3/17/82

Classes will be held at the three township libraries, the first of which will be held 1 p.m. Monday at the North Edison branch library, 777 Grove Ave.

On Tuesday the class is going to be held 1 p.m. at the Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave.

On March 26 it will be held 1 p.m. at the Clara Barton branch, 141 Hoover Ave.

A quick and easy method of making chocolate candy will be demonstrated at 1 p.m. at the North Edison Library on March 22, the Main Library March 23 and the Clara Barton Library March 26.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a special *April Fools Day Fun* program especially for children in K-3rd grades.

The *April Fools Day Fun* program will be full of foolish fun and stories just for younger elementary school children. Pre-registration is required, and begins March 22.

*April Fools Day Fun* will be offered as follows:

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesday, March 30 at 3:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Tuesday, March 30 at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Wednesday, March 31 at 3:30.

"Woman of Independent Means" by author Elizabeth Hailey will be discussed March 11 at 7:30 p.m. at the North Edison Branch Library.

"Phantom of the Opera" will be shown at the North Edison Branch Library on March 20 at 2 p.m.

## Offer tax return assistance to needy

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program is offering free service to senior citizens, the handicapped and low-income individuals who are unable to complete their income tax returns or pay for professional services. HN 3/14/82

These services are provided at the following locations in Middlesex County:

CARTERET — Carteret Office on Aging, 234 Roosevelt Blvd., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10 a.m. until noon.

EDISON — Edison Main Public Library, 340 Plainfield Ave., Monday, March 15 and Monday, April 5 from 9 a.m. to noon; Wednesday, March 17 and Wednesday, April 7 from 9 a.m. to noon and 7 to 9 p.m.

North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., Wednesday, March 17 and Wednesday, April 7 from 9 a.m. to noon; Saturday, March 20, 9 a.m. to noon.

Senior Citizen Center, 2953 Woodbridge Ave., Monday, March 29 and Monday, April 12 from 1 to 3 p.m.

## IRS volunteers offer help in preparing income tax

The Internal Revenue Service has completed training over 1,000 community representatives throughout New Jersey who are available to provide free assistance to those needing help in preparing their federal income tax forms.

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program, known as VITA, and the Tax Counseling for the Elderly program, known as TCE, are community affairs programs in which the efforts of volunteers are enlisted to help the low income, handicapped, and elderly with their tax forms.

Although the major thrust of the VITA and TCE programs is to provide assistance to the low income, handicapped, and elderly, the tax volunteers will assist any taxpayer with a relatively simple tax return, including the Form 1040-A and Form 1040 with Schedules A and B and other commonly used tax forms.

Locations where volunteer income tax service is being provided include:

VITA sites are: Edison Main Public Library, 340 Plainfield Ave., April 5, 9 to noon; April 7, 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 9 p.m.

Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave., Edison, April 6, 1 to 3 p.m.;

North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave., April 7, 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 9 p.m.

Senior Citizens Center, 2953 Woodbridge Ave., Edison, today and April 12, 1 to 3 p.m.;

Metuchen Senior Center, Middlesex Ave. (rear of Franklin School), Metuchen, Mondays, Tuesdays,

Wednesdays, 10 to 2 and Thursdays, 10 to noon;

Metuchen Public Library, 480 Middlesex Ave., Mondays, 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturdays, 10 to 2 p.m.;

The Adult High School, 178 Barracks St., Perth Amboy, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30 to 11 a.m. and Tuesdays, 7 to 8:30 p.m.;

Carteret Office on Aging, 234 Roosevelt Blvd., Carteret, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 10 a.m. to noon and

New Brunswick Public Library, Livingston Ave., New Brunswick, Thursdays 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Woodbridge Public Health Center, Woodbridge Office on Aging, 2 George Frederick Plaza, Woodbridge, Mondays thru Fridays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.;

Henry Inman Library, Inman Road, Colonia, Mondays and Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7 to 9 p.m.;

Fords Library, Ford Ave., Fords, Mondays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.;

Colonia Library, Chain O' Hill Road, Colonia, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 10 to 2 p.m.;

Iselin Library, Green Street, Iselin, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.;

Main Municipal Library, St. George Ave., Woodbridge, Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.;

Monmouth County Library, Eastern Branch, Route 35, Shrewsbury, Mondays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m.; Tuesdays, noon to 4 p.m.; Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

## Edison Library Plans Preschool Storyhour

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library announces the continuation of a new schedule of *Preschool Storyhour* programs, with registration beginning on February 22nd.

Preschool storyhour is a weekly program of stories, films, games and simple craft activities designed for preschool children.

Pre-registration is required, and parents may register their children in person or by telephone to the appropriate library.

The following *Storyhour* sessions will be offered: North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Tuesdays, March 9 through April 6 at 10:30, Wednesday, March 10 through April 7 at 1:30.

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesdays, March 9 through April 6 at 10:30, Wednesdays, March 10 through April 7 at 1:30.

Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Thursdays, March 11 through April 8 at 1:30.



## News of Edison Library

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library invites children in K-6th grades to join us for a special celebration in honor of St. Patrick's Day.

An exciting craft and story program will be offered, featuring Oscar, the Grouch, and some other "green friends". Pre-registration is required for the *Something Green* craft program, and begins March 8.

The *Something Green* craft and story program will be offered as follows:

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesday, March 16 at 3:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Wednesday, March 17 at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Wednesday, March 17 at 3:30.

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## Library wears green

EDISON — In honor of St. Patrick's Day, the Children's Department of the Public Library will offer a craft and story program for children in kindergarten through sixth grade.

The program will be offered at 3:30 p.m. at the Main Library on Tuesday; the North Edison and Clara Barton libraries, March 17.

A special April Fools Day program for children in kindergarten-third grade is scheduled for 3:30 p.m. March 30 at the Main Library and the North Edison Library on March 31 at the Clara Barton Library.

## Focus on cartoons

EIDSON — Cartoon craft program for children in grades kindergarten through sixth will be offered at the Clara Barton Library at 3:30 p.m. today; the Main Library at 10 a.m. Saturday and the North Edison Library at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Cartoon films will be shown at 3:30 p.m. at the Main Library on March 22, at the North Edison Library March 23 and at the Clara Barton Library March 24.



A slide presentation of the planning of nutritious meals will be given by Martha Gallant, consumer adviser at Public Service Gas & Electric, at 1 p.m. on April 12 at the main library, April 13 at Clara Barton library and April 26 at the North Edison library.

# MAKING THE MOST OF YOU







A demonstration of the art of creating sugar eggs will be presented at the main library on April 5 at 7:30 p.m. Registration begins Monday. Call 287-2298.

# APRIL



## Free films on agenda

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a program of after school films for children in April.

The program will feature a selection of short feature films for children in grades kindergarten through sixth. Preschoolers may attend if accompanied by an adult.

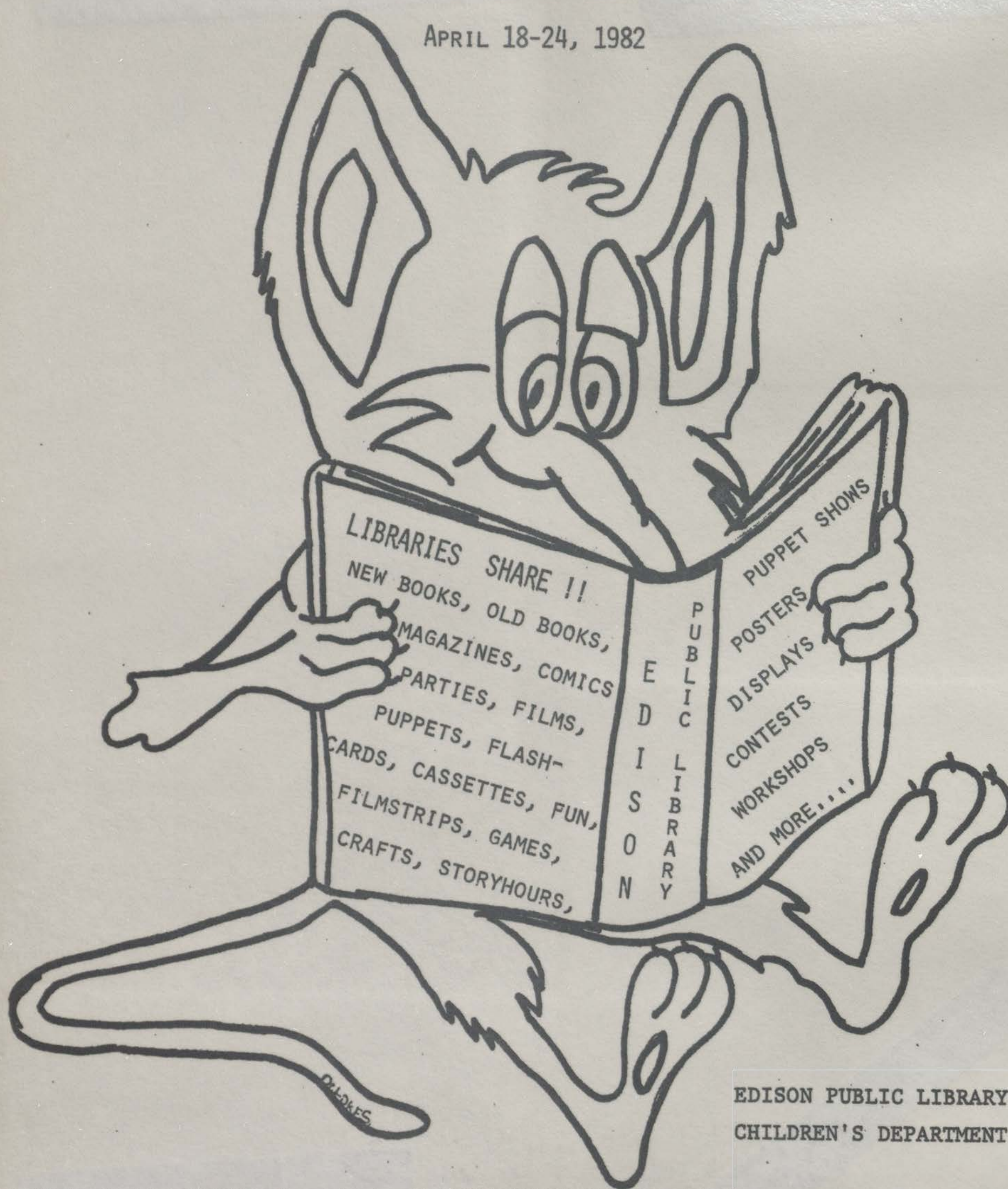
The films will be offered at 3:30 p.m. at the main library, April 13; the North Edison and Clara Barton libraries, April 14.





CELEBRATE NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK WITH US !!

APRIL 18-24, 1982



EDISON PUBLIC LIBRARY  
CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

### Library calls tots

EDISON — An expanded schedule of Storybook and Film Fun for preschoolers will be offered at 10:30 a.m. at the Main Library and North Edison Library, Thursday through April 1 and the Clara Barton Library Friday through April 2.

The Preschool Storyhour program will take place at the North Edison Library through April 6 at 10:30 a.m. and today through April 7 at 1:30 p.m.; the Main Library through April 6 at 10:30 a.m. and today through April 7 at 1:30 p.m.; and the Clara Barton Library Thursday through April 8 at 1:30 p.m.

### Library week planned

EDISON — In celebration of National Library Week, April 18-24, the Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer an entire month of activities such as films, crafts, story hours, games, contests and book groups.

Preschoolers through sixth-graders and their parents are invited to a program featuring magician Bob Pensak at 7:30 p.m. at the Clara Barton Library on April 19, the North Edison Library on April 20 and the Main Library on April 21.

Registration is required and begins April 13.

### Edison Library Slates Activities

In celebration of National Library Week, April 18 to 24, the Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer an entire month of fun-filled activities for children.

The theme of National Library Week — "Libraries share...." invites children to participate in films, crafts, storyhours, games, contests, book groups and a great variety of programs for children of all ages.

Children in preschool through 6th grade and their parents are invited to *Share the Magic* at the Library with a special evening program featuring Master Magician, Bob Pensak. The *Share The Magic* program will include a Magic Show, refreshments, surprises and a very special tour of the Library.

Registration is required for this program, and begins on April 13.

*Share The Magic* will be offered during National Library Week as follows:

Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Avenue (738-0748) Monday, April 19 at 7:30. North Edison Library, 777 Grove Avenue (548-4759) Tuesday, April 20 at 7:30. Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Wednesday, April 21 at 7:30.

**Book Club for Adults** — "The Clan of the Cave Bear" by Jean Auel will be discussed at this monthly meeting on Thursday, April 22 at 7:30 at the North Edison Branch. Anyone interested in joining the book club please call the North Edison Library at 548-3045 for further details.

**Free Film** — We will be showing the movie "Magical Mystery Tour" starring the Beatles at our North Edison Branch on Saturday, April 24th at 2:00. Registration is not required.

**COUPON EXCHANGE** — At the Main Library... Come and exchange coupons, meet new friends; here's your chance to beat the inflation crunch!! Registration is not required. Main Library, Thursday, April 29th at 1:00.



## Edison Township Public Library To Forgive Fines During National Library Week

To celebrate this special week honoring

libraries nationwide, the Adult and Junior room staff will NOT be collecting fines on any overdue library material; no matter how overdue! So look under your beds, in your cars and toy boxes, or on your bookshelves for overdue books and return them during this special week!! The book drop will be open 24 hours. Don't forget to visit us!!

**LIBRARIES ARE FULL OF WONDER** - Will be a display featured at the Main Library during the month of April. Highlighting NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK, the display will feature materials from our collection as well as special services and programs offered at the library. Please visit our display in the Adult Section's large display case... Division Street entrance.

**NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK JELLYBEAN CONTEST** - Will you be the lucky person who can guess the correct amount of jellybeans in our huge jar??? Visit us during NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK and help us celebrate this special week by entering our jellybean contest. One guess per patron... 7th grade to adult. The person guessing the nearest amount to the total without going over will

be the lucky winner!!! Winners will be notified by phone. Contest begins Monday April 19th and ends Saturday, April 24th. Celebrate with

us!!! The contest will be held at:  
Main Library... 287-2298; North Edison... 548-3045; Clara Barton... 738-0096.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

THE EDISON PUBLIC LIBRARIES WILL NOT CHARGE FINES ON OVERDUE BOOKS OR OTHER MATERIALS RETURNED DURING THE CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK APRIL 18 THRU 24, 1982.

BOOKS AND OTHER MATERIALS MAY BE RETURNED AT ANY OF THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:

MAIN LIBRARY ----- 340 PLAINFIELD AVENUE

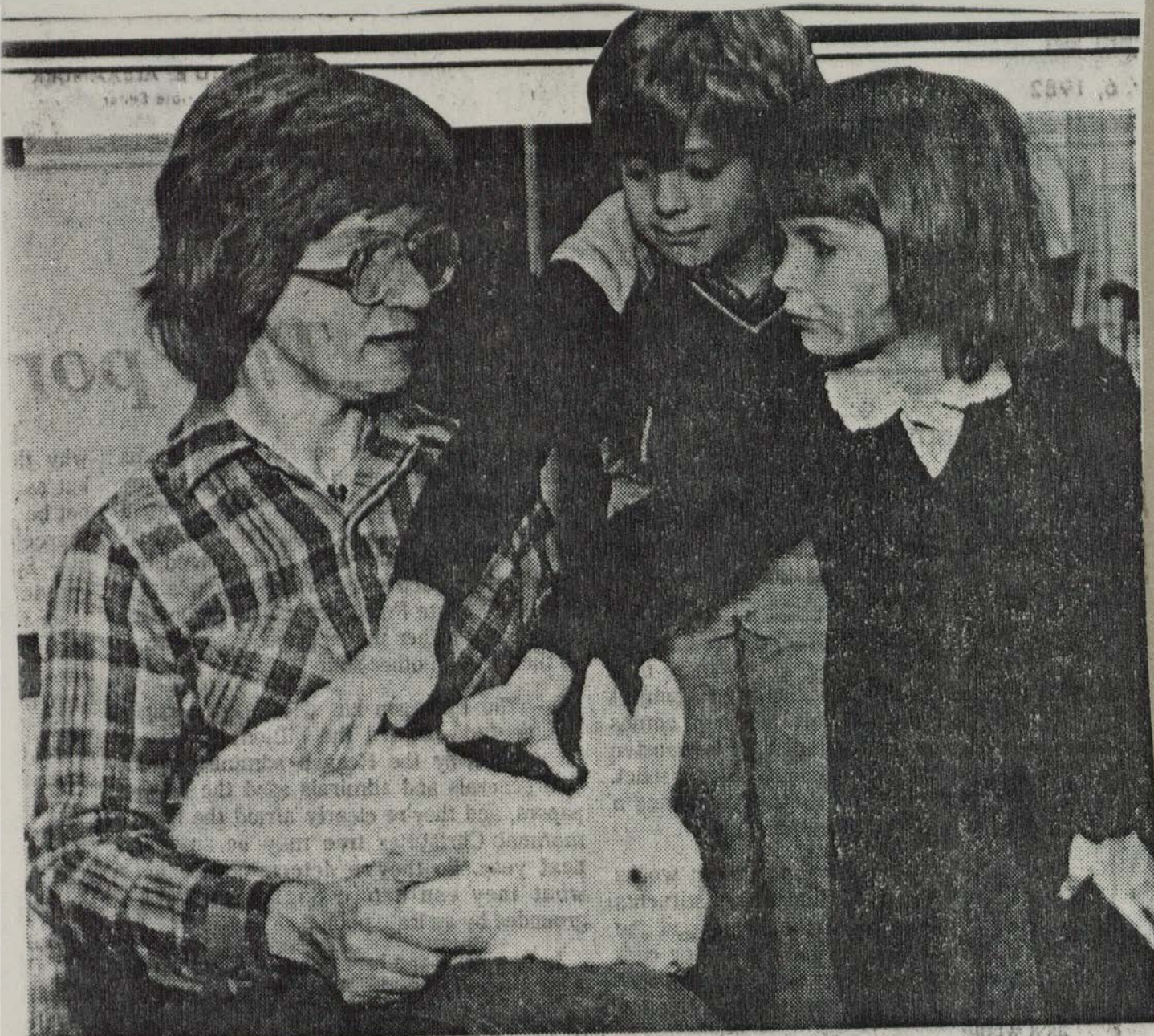
NORTH EDISON BRANCH ----- 777 GROVE AVENUE

CLARA BARTON BRANCH ----- 141 HOOVER AVENUE

BOOKMOBILE ----- ASK FOR SCHEDULE OF STOPS

BOOK DROPS OPEN 24 HOURS





N.T. 4/6/82

TNT photos  
by Ed Pagliarini

### Pet care

Aware that many children acquire new pets at this time of year, the Edison Main Library held a program yesterday to acquaint youngsters with proper care and handling techniques. Above, Virginia Smith, leader of Noah's Art, the Edison branch of the 4-H organization, introduces Snowball, a white rabbit, to Gary Pinsky, 9, and Robin Pinsky, 7, of Edison while Amy Fass, 2, of Edison, right, appears somewhat tentative in her approach toward Toffee, a dark-haired rabbit.



## potpourri

### in edison

The third annual jelly bean contest for children in preschool through sixth grades begins Monday. For details, call 287-2351, 548-4759 or 738-0748.

The Noah's Art 4-H Club will demonstrate proper pet care and handling to children in kindergarten through sixth grades and their parents in April. Registration begins Monday at the children's department of the public library.





## in edison

In the library's recent jelly bean guessing contest winners were Maria Garcia at the Main Library, Louise Lippe at the North Edison branch and Michael Brandwein at the Clara Barton Library.



## potpourri

### in edison

During National Library Week, April 18-24, overdue books may be returned and no fines will be collected. The book drop will be open 24 hours.

A jellybean contest will take place at the three Edison township libraries April 19-24. The person guessing closest to the total number of jellybeans in the jars will win a prize. The contest is open to seventh-graders to adults.

### 4/19/82 Fines forgiven

EDISON — In celebration of National Library Week, the Edison Township Free Public Library will forgive all fines on books returned to any branch of the library during the week of April 18-24.



# MAY

## Bike safety stressed

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a bicycle safety demonstration for children in grades kindergarten through six at 3:30 p.m. May 10 at the main library, May 11 at the North Edison Library and May 12 at the Clara Barton Library.

Preregistration is required and begins May 3.

## Edison Public Library Children's Department

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library invites children to get set for a super safe summer on wheels with a special presentation by the Edison Police Department. The *Bicycle Safety Demonstration* is open to children in K-6th grades, and will include tips on riding safety and bicycle maintenance, a film, and free handouts.

Preregistration is required for this program, and begins on May 3. The *Bicycle Safety Demonstration* will be offered as follows:

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Avenue (287-2351), Monday, May 10, at 3:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Avenue (548-4759), Tuesday, May 11, at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748), Wednesday, May 12 at 3:30.

Monday through next Wednesday — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library bicycle safety demonstration for children in grades kindergarten through six at 3:30 p.m., Monday at the main library; Tuesday at the North Edison Library and May 12 at the Clara Barton Library.



## Subject is coupons

EDISON — Helen Makarawicz will present a workshop, "Coupons for Fun and Profit," at 1 p.m. at the main library on May 18; at the Clara Barton library on May 19 and at the North Edison library on May 20.

A free film, "Future Shock" by Alvin Toffler, will be shown at the North Edison Branch Library at 7:30 p.m. May 13. For further information, call 548-3045.

Aldous Huxley's "Brave New World" will be discussed at the North Edison Branch Library at 7:30 p.m. May 27. Those interested in joining the book club may call the library at 548-3045.





### Specials for mom

EDISON — A Mother's Day craft program will be offered by the Children's Department of the Edison Public Library at 3:30 p.m. May 4 at the main library and the North Edison Library and May 5 at the Clara Barton Library. Preregistration begins Monday.



### Mother's Day craft program set

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library, 340 Plainfield Ave., will sponsor a Mother's Day craft program at the library on today.

The program will be held at the

Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. today at 3:30 p.m.

Registration is requested by the library.

### Mother's Day gifts

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The North Edison branch of the Edison Township Free Public Library invited children from the area to make Mother's Day cards and gifts in the library's children's department yesterday. At left, Kristen Olenik, 8, prepares a coupon book of chores, which she plans to present to her mom Sunday. The book

includes a 'coupon' for various household chores which Kristen will perform each time her mother gives her a coupon. In center photo, Carolyn Cullum, children's librarian, explains the proper method of fingerpainting to some of the kids. At right, Linda Marenus, 6, and Wendy Olenik, 10, make personalized cards.

TNT photos by David Rosenthal



# potpourri

## in edison

"A Streetcar Named Desire," starring Marlon Brando, will be shown at the North Edison Branch Library on June 12 at 2 p.m.

Members of the book club for adults will discuss "Slaughter House-Five" by Kurt Vonnegut at its monthly meeting June 23 at the North Edison Branch Library. Anyone interested in joining the club may call 548-3045 for further details.



Robert Van Buren

Robert Van Buren of Midlantic Bank's Inc., Edison, has been elected to membership on the board of directors of the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce.

Because of its growing popularity, the Coupon Exchange will meet twice in June at the Main Library. The dates are June 15 at 7:30 p.m. and June 24 at 1 p.m.

# JUNE

## Topic: babysitting

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a childcare workshop for young babysitters at the library this month.

The special two-day presentation will focus on child care, home and toy safety, and the responsibilities and duties of the babysitter.

The program is intended for upper elementary and young adult students. It will feature discussion, demonstration, films, craft and activity ideas. Those completing the workshop will receive the "SuperSitter" certificate.

Workshops are scheduled at the Main Library at 10 a.m. June 28 and 1:30 p.m. June 29; at the North Edison Library at 1:30 p.m. June 28 and 10 a.m. June 30; at the Clara Barton Library at 10 a.m. June 29 and 1:30 p.m. June 30.

Registration begins June 21.

## Exhibit at library

EDISON — A New Jersey State Exhibit has opened at the North Edison Branch, Grove Avenue, featuring clothing, worn at funerals and weddings dating from the turn of the century. Additional information may be obtained at the library.

## Victorian elegance

Karen Ortello of Edison displays photo of a Victorian-era wedding dress and a black embroidered blouse, two of several items in a display of turn-of-the-century fashions at the North Edison branch of the Edison Public Library.

TNT staff photo by Frank Wojciechowski

A New Jersey State Exhibit currently on display at the North Edison Branch Library features costumes worn to funerals and weddings dating from the turn of the century.

## BOOKS ON TRAVEL

EDISON — Various travel books and memorabilia are on display in the Clara Barton Library's adult section.

## 2-day babysitting workshops offered

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Public Library will offer a child care workshop for young babysitters. The two-day presentation will focus on child care, home and toy safety and the responsibilities and duties of the babysitter. The workshop is for upper elementary and young adult students.

Registration, by phone or in person, begins Monday, June 21. Attendance is limited.

The workshop will be offered at the Main Library June 28-29, the North Edison Library June 28 and June 30 and the Clara Barton Library June 29-30.

## Topic: house plants

EDISON — A program offering instructions on creating clear-glass planters will be offered at 1 p.m. at the North Edison Branch Library June 7 and at the Clara Barton Library June 8. The program will be offered at the Main Library at 7 p.m. June 9 and 1 p.m. June 11.

Participants are invited to bring a small cutting of their favorite plants to exchange at the program. In addition, a 16-minute film entitled "Indoor Plants" will be shown. The film offers tips on the basic gardening techniques of indoor plants focusing on light, temperature, humidity, watering, repotting and grooming.

Those attending should bring a clear glass container or flowerpot, two bags of contrasting colored sand and a small cutting of an indoor plant.





# Community Calendar

## JULY

### "Bearfoot Summer Fun"

Prizes and lots of *Bearfoot Summer Fun* are guaranteed when the Children's Department of the Edison Public Library hosts a giant *Bearfoot Bingo* party for children in July.

*Bearfoot Bingo* is open to children in K-6th grades. Preregistration is required, and begins July 7.

Join us for *Bearfoot*

*Bingo* as follows:

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Mon., July 12, at 2:00; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748), Tues., July 13 at 2:00; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Weds., July 14, at 10:30.

The *Bearfoot Fun* continues at the Edison Public Library!

**Summer Short Shorts**, a series of new programs being offered at the Edison Main Library during the summer months, will be offered in conjunction with the Children's Room storyhour programs and will run approximately one half hour in length.

The first program will be Walt Disney's "America the Beautiful" on July 21 at 1:30 p.m. Registration begins July 13.

### Program rescheduled

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a new schedule of Preschool Storyhour programs beginning in July.

The program is open to children between the ages of 3½ to 5 years of age. Children entering Kindergarten in September are still eligible for the summer session, which meet for approximately 45 minutes and feature stories, movies, games and simple craft activities.

The program will be offered at the Main Library at 10:30 a.m. July 13-Aug. 17 and at 1:30 p.m. July 14-Aug. 18; the North Edison Library at 10:30 a.m. July 13-Aug. 17 and 1:30 p.m. July 17-Aug. 18; and the Clara Barton Library at 1:30 p.m. July 15-Aug. 19.

### Preschool Storyhour Offered at Edison Public Libraries

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library announces a new schedule of *Preschool Storyhour* programs beginning in July.

The very popular *Storyhour* program is open to children between the ages of 3½ to 5 years. Children entering Kindergarten in September are still eligible for the summer session. The weekly sessions meet for approximately 45 minutes and feature stories, movies, games and simple craft activities.

Registration for the summer *Storyhour* sessions begins Monday, June 28. Registration is limited, and parents are reminded that children

may be registered in person or by telephone to the appropriate library.

### 'Panda-Monium' program planned

EDISON — Registration will begin Monday for "Panda-Monium," "Crazy Bear Craft" for children in grades K-6 at township libraries in July.

The children will create panda bear faces and see a film and story adventure.

Programs will be held July 19 at the Main Library at 2 p.m., at Clara Barton, July 20 at 2, and at North Edison, July 21 at 10:30.

### 'Summer shorts' program slated

EDISON — Summer Short Shorts is a series of new programs being offered at the Main Library during the summer months. "Summer Short Shorts" will be offered July 21 at 1:30 in conjunction with the Children's Room storyhour programs and will run for approximately one-half hour.

They are designed for storyhour parents who are looking for something to do while the kids are having fun in storyhour, or for anyone else who only has a "short" amount of time to spend in the library.

The first program will be a film entitled, "America the Beautiful," a tribute from the Walt Disney studios to the USA. Registration begins July 13.

### Edison Library to offer short stories

EDISON — Summer short stories, a series of new programs being offered at the main library during the summer months, will begin July 21.

Summer short stories will be offered in conjunction with the Children's Room

storyhour program and run approximately a half hour in length.

The July 21 program will begin 1:30 p.m. and include a film.

Preregistration is required.

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Come to the North Edison Branch Public Library during the month of July and see our display of bee and wasp materials. We will have on display a real wasp hive (nest). You will be able to see an inside view of the many small cells made by the common social wasp (or paper wasp).

Also displayed will be out range of Bee and wasp books available to the public. We hope to be seeing you soon at the North Edison Public Library, 777 Grove Ave., Edison.

### Puzzles, 'goodies' in library contest

EDISON — Visitors to township libraries during July and August are eligible to enter a contest featuring prizes of a basket of puzzles and other "goodies."

The drawing will be held on August 31.

### Returning books can be profitable

EDISON — Returning books to township libraries (on time) will not only avoid a fine, it could make you eligible for a prize.

Each time a book is returned, the reader is eligible to fill out an entry blank in the contest featuring puzzles and other "goodies."

The drawing will be held on August 31. The contest is open to library card holders from 7th grade to adult.

### COUPON EXCHANGE

EDISON — The coupon exchange will be held July 22 at 1 p.m. in the Main Library on Plainfield Avenue. For more information, call 287-2298.

**SUMMER SHORT SHORTS.** ... is a series of new programs being offered at the Edison Main Library during the summer months. "Summer Short Shorts" will be offered in conjunction with the Children's Room storyhour programs and will run approximately a half hour in length. They are designed for storyhour parents who are looking for something to do while the "kiddies" are having fun in storyhour, or for anyone else who only has a "short" amount of time to spend in the library.

The first program offered will be a film entitled "America the Beautiful" ... a tribute from the Walt Disney studios to the USA. Traveling from coast to coast and border to border, this colorful film is a "treat for the eyes", a soaring joyride for the spirit! Join us for a mini-vacation and celebrate the USA during its birthday month!

Registration begins July 13th for the program at the Main Library, July 21st at 1:30. Call 287-2298 or 287-2351 for further information.

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**PUZZLE CONTEST** - Puzzled what to do this summer? Why not read! The Free Public Library of Edison has a large selection of books and materials for every interest from A to Z!!

Visit us at the library during July and August, read some good books and enter our Puzzle Contest. Each time you return your library books you are eligible to fill out an entry blank and take a chance to win our basket of puzzles and other "goodies". The puzzles will be displayed at all three libraries beginning Tuesday, July 6th. Drawing for the basket will be held Tuesday, August 31st. Contest is open to 7th grade to adult library cardholders.

For further information call Main Library 287-2298; Clara Barton Library 738-0096; North Edison Library 548-3045.

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**What's New? What's New?** The library calendar's name, that's what! We are now known as... "THE EDISON LIBRARY NEWS-IN-PRINT" and will continue to bring you news of all upcoming happenings at the library. Don't forget to read our first edition!!

**COUPON EXCHANGE** ... come exchange coupons, meet new friends, beat the inflation crunch! Registration is not required. Held at the Main Library, July 22nd at 1:00. 287-2298.

**CLARA BARTON LIBRARY** ... will feature a summer sports display during the month of July in the Adult section of the library. Please visit and "batter-up" to some good summer reading!





### Admiring display

Peter Luger of Edison admires display of wycinanki (a Polish paper-cutting craft) now on exhibit at the North Edison Branch of the Edison Public Library. The examples of this paper artistry handcraft are the work of Edison resident Cecelia Cieciewicz and will be on view for the remainder of the month.

TNT photo

## Community Calendar

The North Edison branch of the Edison Library is currently featuring a display of Wycinanki. This ancient art of paper cutting originated in Poland and was passed on from mother to daughter through the generations. The original paper cuttings were done with sheep shears; while in modern times the cutting is accomplished using ordinary scissors. Designs can be of a single color with cuttings of such figures as flowers, birds, roosters; the designs can also reflect the daily life of the peasant.

The Wycinanki on display at the library is the artistic work of Edison resident, Cecelia Cieciewicz. The exhibit is open to the public and will continue through the month of July.

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The Edison Recreation Department will sponsor the Second Annual "Know your Township Exhibit" to be held this year at Menlo Park Mall July 29th and 30th.

The Exhibit will bring together the library, police department, senior citizens, and Mayors office for a two day show. Representatives will explain the function of each department, demonstrate equipment, and display the services provided to the residents of Edison Township.

The public is invited to attend this event and learn about the services provided to the community on July 29th from 10:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. and on July 30th from 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For additional information contact Edison Recreation daily at 287-0900.

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TNT photo by Ed Pagliarini

### Student driver

Jamie Monte, 4, of Edison, takes her driving seriously as Edison Police Patrolman Brent Papi looks on during a bicycle rodeo at the Edison Main Library yesterday. Sponsored by township police, the rodeo taught participants bicycle safety skills. Rodeos will be held today at the Clara Barton Library from 2 to 4 p.m. and Wednesday at the North Edison Library from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

## Bicycle Rodeo set at library

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library and the Edison Police Department will sponsor a special Bicycle Rodeo this month.

The rodeo is open to children in grades K-6. Preschoolers may participate if accompanied by an adult. The rodeo course will be supervised by the Edison police. All those completing the course will receive a certificate and patch.

Pre-registration is required and begins July 19.

The rodeo will be offered at the Main Library, July 26 from 2-4; Clara Barton Library, July 27 from 2-4, and at the North Edison Library, July 27 from 10:30-12:30.

### 'NEWS-IN-PRINT'

EDISON — The Edison Library's calendar has a new name, "News-in-Print," which will keep readers up to date on all programs at the three libraries.

EDISON — The North Edison branch of the Edison Library is featuring a display of Wycinanki, the ancient art of paper cutting which originated in Poland.

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The Wycinanki on display at the library is the work of Edison resident, Cecelia Cieciewicz. The exhibit will continue through the month of July.

### Bee, wasp displays at Edison library

EDISON — The North Edison Library will have a display of bee and wasp materials this month.

The display will feature a live hive in which visitors can see the many small cells made by the common wasp. Books about bees and wasps will also be available.

## Edison plans bicycle rodeo

EDISON — The Police Department and the children's department of the Public Library will sponsor a bicycle rodeo for children in kindergarten through sixth grade.

Preschoolers also may participate in the bicycle safety course if accompanied by an adult. Children who complete the course will receive a certificate and a patch.

Pre-registration, which begins July 19, is required.

The rodeo will be offered at the Main Library from 2-4 p.m. Monday, July 26; at the Clara Barton Library from 2-4 p.m., Tuesday, July 27; and at the North Edison Library from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 28.



## "Bearfoot Summer Fun"

Summertime is craft time in the Children's Department of the Edison Public Library. In keeping with the theme of *Bearfoot Summer Fun*, the Library will offer a "Panda-monium" (Crazy Bear Craft) for children in July.

"Panda-monium" (Crazy Bear Craft) will be open to children in K-6th grades, who will create panda bear faces and enjoy a film and story adventure. Preregistration is required for this craft, and begins July 12.

The "Panda-monium" will take place as follows:

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-

2351) Mon., July 19, at 2:00; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Tues., July 20 at 2:00; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Weds., July 21, at 10:30.

## Summer of "Bearfoot Fun" Awaits Kids at Edison Library

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library invites children to join the excitement of a super *Bearfoot Summer Reading Club* beginning at the Library in July.

The *Bearfoot Summer*

*Reading Club* is an individual reading program for children in elementary school. Preschoolers may join with parents' assistance. Children who register for this program will receive a colorful three-foot bear poster to decorate and record their summer reading efforts, and an invitation to the *Teddy Bears' Picnic* to be held at the Library in August. The picnic will include stories, games, and refreshments for people and bears.

As a special treat, everyone who reads eight books to complete the program will be eligible to enter the *Great Bear Giveaway*. A drawing will be held and winners will receive a teddy bear friend stuffed animal.

Registration for the *Bearfoot Summer Reading Club* begins on Tuesday, July 6. This program is open to children who are Edison Library card holders only. Take advantage of our *Early Bear Special* and register for the program between July 6-9 to receive a special bear pencil.

Contact the Libraries for additional information about the *Bearfoot Summer Reading Club* and other *Bearfoot Summer* activities for children.

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351); North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759); Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748); and the Bookmobile (287-2298).

## potpourri

### in edison

A 4-foot sailboat, built by Odd Olufsen, an employee of the Edison Public Library, will be on display at the library through August. The boat's sails were sewn by Dolores Chupela, library program coordinator.

Also featured is a collection of seashells and straw objects from the Caribbean Islands and assorted nautical items from the collection of Ruth Szilagyi, library staff member.

The North Edison branch of the Edison Library is currently featuring a display of Wycinanki, the ancient art of papercutting which originated in Poland. The original paper cuttings were done with sheep shears; the cutting now is done with ordinary scissors. The exhibit which will be on display throughout the month, is the work of Cecelia Cieckewicz, a resident of Edison.

## Library visits mall

EDISON — The Edison Public Library will present "Love the Edison Library" at Menlo Park Mall Thursday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The display will feature the adult, young adult and children's sections and the bookmobile.

In addition, there will be contests, storyhour, puppet shows and craft demonstrations.

## Winnie the Pooh Film at Library

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will present the film antics of an all-time favorite bear in a special Library showing of *The Many Adventures of Winnie The Pooh*.

This delightful animated cartoon feature includes Pooh, Piglet, Kanga, and Tigger, too. Children in K-6th grades are invited to attend, and preschoolers may attend if accompanied by an adult.

*The Many Adventures of Winnie The Pooh* will be offered as follows:

North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Weds., July 7, at 10:30.

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Weds., July 7 at 2:00.

## Bicycle Rodeo Slated at Edison Library

Challenge your skills as a bicycle rider when the Children's Department of the Edison Public Library and the Edison Police Department sponsor a special *Bicycle Rodeo* in July.

The *Bicycle Rodeo* is open to children in K-6th grades, preschoolers may participate if accompanied by an adult.

The *Rodeo* course will be supervised by the Edison Police. All those completing the course will receive a certificate and patch. Practice bicycle safety, and join us for a day of fun. Bring your bicycle to the *Bicycle Rodeo*!

Registration is required, and begins July 19.

The *Bicycle Rodeo* will be offered as follows:

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Mon., July 26 from 2:00-4:00.

Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Tues., July 27 from 2:00-4:00.

North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Weds., July 27 from 10:30-12:30.

## in edison

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will present "The Many Adventures of Winnie the Pooh," for children in kindergarten through sixth-grade. Preregistration begins Monday. Show time is 2 p.m. July 6 at the Clara Barton Library, 10:30 a.m. July 7 at the North Edison Library, and 2 p.m. July 7 at the Main Library.

George F. Poppe III, of Edison, recently attended a four-day business educational conference with officers and other leading sales representatives of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company at the St. Francis Hotel in San Francisco.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a "Panda-Monium" (Crazy Bear Craft) for children in kindergarten-sixth grades in July. Preregistration begins July 12.

The programs will take place at 2 p.m. July 19 at the Main Library, at 2 p.m. July 20 at the Clara Barton Library, and at 10:30 a.m. July 21 at the North Edison Library.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will host a Bearfoot Bingo party at the Main Library at 2 p.m. July 12, at the Clara Barton Library at 2 p.m. July 13 and at the North Edison Library at 10:30 a.m. July 14. Preregistration is required.

The Edison Police Department and the Public Library will sponsor a special bicycle rodeo in July for children in kindergarten through sixth grade. All children who complete the course will receive a certificate and patch.

The rodeo will be offered from 2 to 4 p.m. July 26 at the Main Library, from 2 to 4 p.m. July 27 at the Clara Barton Library and from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. July 27 at the North Edison Library.

Dr. Fred Roth of Edison been re-elected to the board of trustees and treasurer of the Central Division of the New Jersey Podiatry Society. He has served on the board for six years.

The North Edison Branch Public Library will feature a display of bees and wasps in July. The display will include a wasp hive which will show the cells made by the common social or paper wasp.

## Edison Library to offer preschool storytelling

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will hold a preschool story-hour this summer.

The program is open to children between the ages of 3½ to 5 years.

Children entering kindergarten in September are still eligible for the summer session. The weekly sessions meet for approximately 45 minutes and feature stories, movies, games and simple craft activities.

Registration for the summer session begins Monday and is limited. Children may be registered in person or by telephone to the appropriate library.

The preschool storyhour will be offered at the Main Library, 340 Plainfield Avenue, Tuesdays, July 13 through Aug. 17 at 10:30 a.m. and Wednesdays, July 14 through 18 at 1:30 p.m.; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Avenue, Tuesdays, July 13 through Aug. 17 at 10:30 a.m. and Wednesdays, July 14 through Aug. 18 at 1:30 p.m.; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Avenue, Thursdays, July 15 through Aug. 19 at 1:30 p.m.



## Children's Activities

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library invites children of all ages to join in our celebration of *Bearfoot Summer Fun*. Bears of all shapes and sizes will be a feature attraction of the summer-time activities planned at the Main Library and branches.

On display at each Library, children are invited to meet and visit with our giant seven-foot polar bear, who invites children to "Get Your Paws onto Some Good Reading". This furry fellow will be the attraction of a very special contest for July to draw and name the giant bear.

Children in preschool through 6th grades may pick up our special *Bear With Us Contest* entry form beginning July 6. The drawings and name suggestions will be on display in the Libraries throughout the month of July, and the winner is guaranteed to receive bear hugs!

The *Bear With Us Contest* will be held at the following libraries:

Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351); North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759); Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748).

## 'Summer' display at Main Library

EDISON — "Sail Through Summer" is the summer vacation theme on display at the Main Library in the Adult Section exhibit case. Complete with sand, beachball, sunglasses and suntan lotion, the display also features a four-foot sailboat, the "Tinkerbell," built from various found objects by library employee Odd Olufsen, with sails sewn by library program coordinator Dolores Chupela.

Also featured is a collection of seashells and straw objects from the Caribbean Islands and assorted nautical items from the collection of library staff member Ruth Szilagyi.

The exhibit will be on display at the Main Library during July and August.



## Library offers 'Summer shorts'

EDISON — "Summer Short Shorts" is a series of new programs being offered at the Main Library during the summer months. "Summer Short Shorts" will be offered in conjunction with the Children's Room storyhour programs and will run approximately one-half hour.

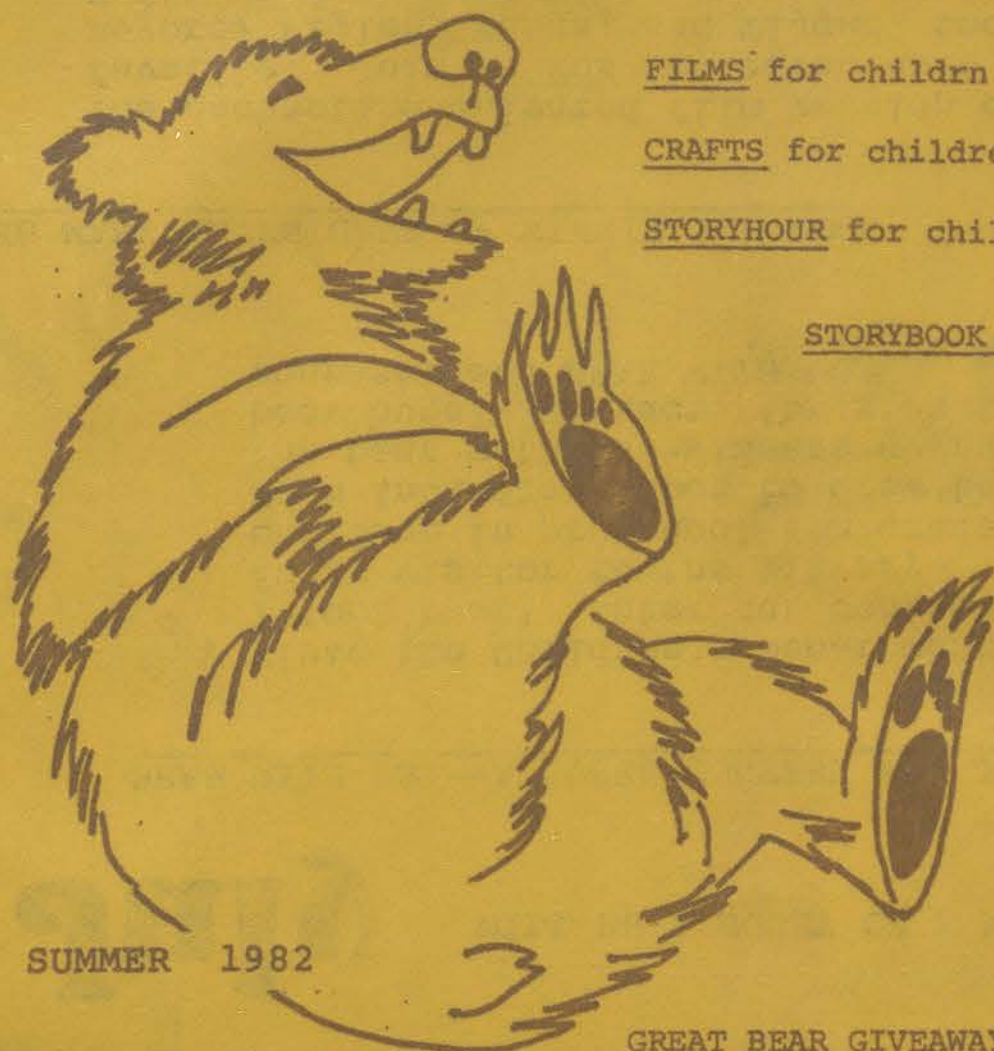
They are designed for storyhour parents who are looking for something to do while the "kiddies" are having fun in storyhour, or for anyone else who has a short amount of time to spend in the library.



# Bearfoot Summer Fun

EDISON PUBLIC LIBRARY  
CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Summer Programs  
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SUMMER 1982

FILMS for children in K-6th grade

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STORYBOOK AND FILM FUN for  
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GREAT BEAR GIVEAWAY Join the READING CLUB--  
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KNOW YOUR TOWNSHIP PROGRAM

offered at

## MENLO PARK MALL

THURSDAY, July 29th and FRIDAY, July 30th



### 'Love the Library' starts today at mall

EDISON — "Love the Edison Library" will be part of the "Know Your Township" display today and tomorrow at the Menlo Park Mall.

The hours are 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Featured in the library's display will be the adult, Young Adult and children's section, along with the Bookmobile, and services provided by the library.

Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy will be on hand to greet visitors and to help them share in contests, storyhours, puppet shows, craft demonstrations, the Bookmobiles, and other attractions.

The schedule for the two-day event:

10:30 — Cake decorating demonstration. Heart-shaped cupcakes will be

decorated... and sampled.

11:30 — Puppet show.

12:30 — Raggedy Ann & Andy Make-up. Visitors can put on a happy face, complete with rosy cheeks and "hearty" freckles.

2:30 — Storyhour. Librarians from the Children's Department will read.

3 p.m. — Parachute program. Kids will have a chance to enjoy various parachute games set to music.

3:30 — Craft demonstration. Making attractive spice ropes is one of many free programs available at township libraries.

4:30 — Filmstrip. Audio-visual equipment and filmstrips will be on display.

In addition, a special guest is slated to take the driver's seat of the Bookmobile.

### 'Know your township' exhibit due at mall

EDISON — The Recreation Department will sponsor the second annual "Know Your Township Exhibit" at Menlo Park Mall July 29 and 30.

The exhibit will bring together the library, Police Department, senior citizens and mayor's office. Representatives will explain the function of each department, demonstrate equipment, and display the services provided to local residents.

The programs will be held on July 29 from 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. and on July 30 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

For additional information contact Edison Recreation daily at 287-0900.

### Library on exhibit at mall

EDISON — The Edison Public Library will sponsor a display in the Menlo Park Mall as part of the "Know Your Township" exhibit on Thursday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The display will feature the adult, young adult and children sections and the Bookmobile. The theme will be "Love the Edison Library" and will feature a Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy who will be on hand to greet visitors.

Also planned are contests, storyhour, shows and craft demonstrations. NT 7/27/82





TNT photo by Ed Pagliarini

### Exhibit

Benjamin, Alvina and Felix Ling (l-r) view the Edison Library's booth at the 'Know Your Township' exhibit now on display at the Menlo Park Mall. The event features displays explaining the services available to Edison Township residents. The exhibit will continue through today.

## How sweet it is!

EDISON — Kim Ellmyer of Edison may be the most popular kid on her block these days.

She won the candy-guessing contest sponsored by the Edison Public Library during last week's "Know Your Township" exhibits at the Menlo Park Mall.

Her prize for coming closest to the number of cinnamon candy in the huge jar was that huge jar of cinnamon candy.

Pass the Crest.



Kim Ellmyer of Edison was the winner in the candy contest sponsored by the Edison Public Library. The contest, to guess the number of pieces of candy in a jar, was part of the "Know Your Township" exhibit at Menlo Park Mall. The prize was a large jar of cinnamon candy.

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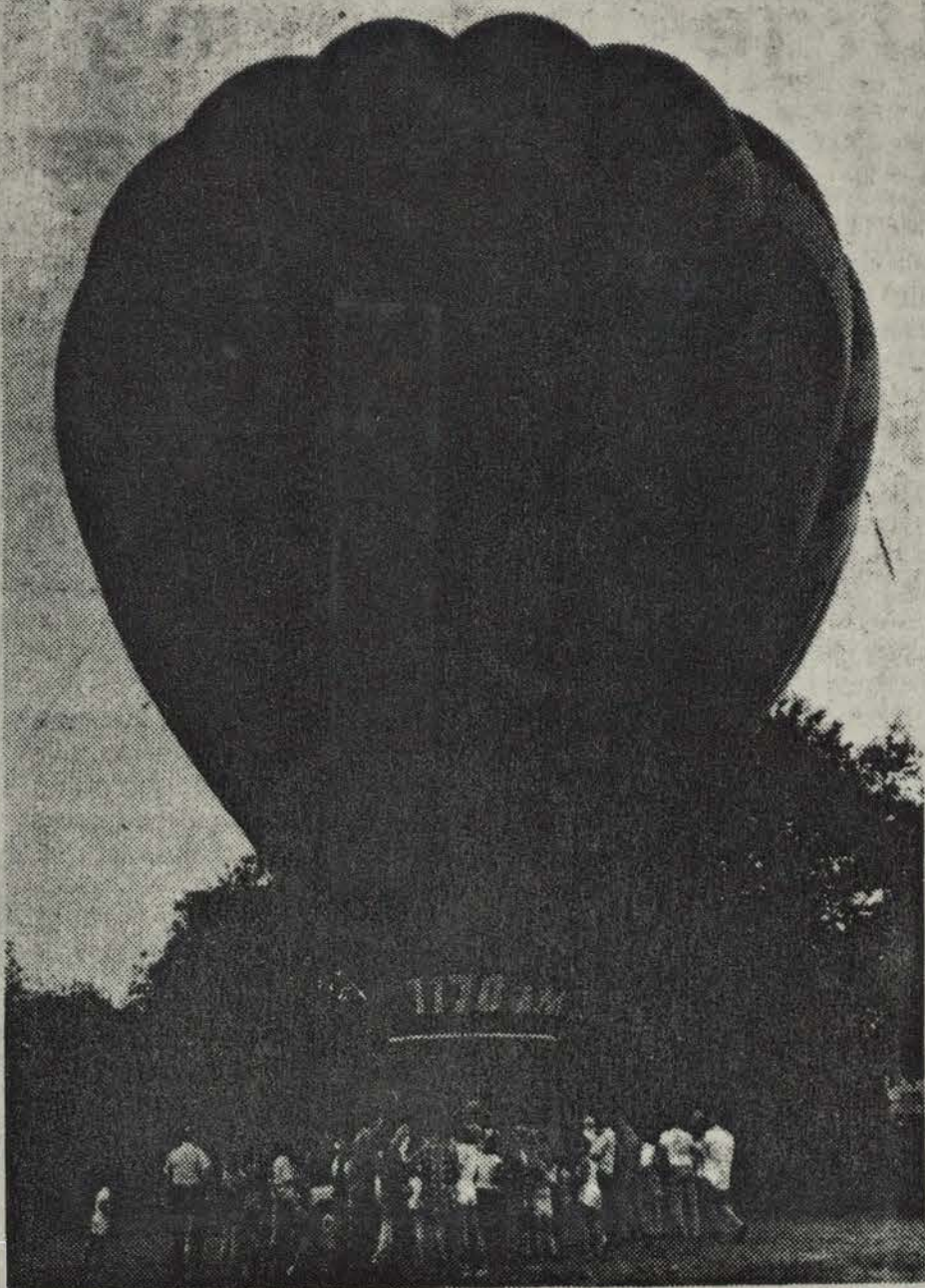


Home News Photo by Marc Ascher

RAGGEDY RICHARD — Stephanie Gibbons, program assistant at the Edison Public Library, applies freckles and red cheeks to 5-year-old Richard Angulo of Edison. The Raggedy Ann and Andy event was part of the two-day "Know Your Township" exhibition at Menlo Park Mall.



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—Photo by Ed Pagliarini

Up, up and away... was the rallying cry as 300 people got a lesson in hot air ballooning Monday night when Jonathan Eld of Far Hills launched GASP.





## Library exhibits planned

MENLO PARK — The Edison Public Library will participate in "Know Your Township and Its Services," an exhibit to be held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday in the Menlo Park Mall.

The schedule of events included in the exhibit includes a molded chocolate demonstration, 10:30 a.m.; storyhour, 11:30 a.m.; clown makeup, 12:30 p.m.; puppet show, 2:30 p.m.; craft demonstration, 3:30 p.m., and a filmstrip, 4:30 p.m.

## Library plans exhibit at Menlo Park Mall

EDISON — "Know Your Township and its Services" is the theme of the exhibit that will be offered by the Edison Public Library from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday at the Menlo Park Mall on Route 1 and Parsonage Road.

Among things to see and do will be a clown who will escort visitors through the adult, young adult and junior sections. Library staff members will be on hand to answer questions and demonstrate the use of equipment.

Stories will be read to children, contests will take place and puppet shows will be offered.

In addition, the Bookmobile will be parked outdoors for those interested in learning how a library on wheels functions.

A molded chocolate demonstration will be given at 10:30 a.m.; storyhour is scheduled for 11:30 a.m.; clown makeup for young and old alike, 12:30 p.m.; a puppet show will be shown at 2:30 p.m.; craft demonstration at 3:30 p.m. and a filmstrip viewing at 4:30 p.m.

## Arts, crafts show planned by Edison

EDISON — Harold V. McAvoy, director, has announced that the Recreation Department will hold its annual arts and crafts exhibit at Menlo Park Shopping Center on Aug. 3 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Various departments serving the township will be represented including police, fire, library, and Public Works. Representatives will provide displays of department operations and bring along vehicles such as fire apparatus, mobile health van, and library bookmobile.

Arts and crafts items made by the children on township playgrounds during the summer will be displayed and offered for sale.

Monies collected from the sale of these items will be donated to local charities.



## Arts and crafts to be exhibited

EDISON — The Recreation Department will hold its annual Arts and Crafts Exhibit at the Menlo Park Shopping Center Aug. 3 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Items made by children on township playgrounds this summer will be on display and for sale, including decoupage, flower arrangements, greeting cards, kites, jewelry and holiday ornaments.

Proceeds from the sale of the items will be donated to local charities. The theme for this year's exhibit will be "Know Your Community Services" with vehicles and apparatus on display from the police, fire, library and public works departments, including a police fingerprinting exhibit.



# Edison encourages residents to 'Know Their Township'

By KAREN DIEGMUELLER  
Home News staff writer

EDISON — Adele Searfoss was manning the "quietest table in town." As a representative of the mayor's office, she sat in the Menlo Park Mall yesterday prepared to answer residents' questions or complaints at the township's "Know Your Township" exhibition.

But she had few takers. As of early afternoon, few people had requested information from her, although Mayor Anthony Yelencsics attracted people as he walked from table to table.

"We act as a liaison between all the other departments," Ms. Searfoss explained to one of her few visitors. Or, in some instances, "if a taxpayer has a complaint that can't be resolved, he comes to the mayor's office," she said.

That was how it went. Representatives from 35 departments and divisions stood by armed with information to let the public know just what services the township provides. They were to be back at their stands today until 4 p.m.

This year's exhibit — the township's second annual one — has been expand-

ed to include all government functions except the public school system.

Papers, forms and booklets covered the surface of the tables at the township clerk's exhibit. Unlike the continuing flow of people who visit the clerk's office in the Municipal Complex with their questions and requests, most of the people at the mall "just really look," said Mary Karch. The clerk's office is responsible for nearly all the township's record keeping as well as for issuing various licenses and legal forms. And the office often serves as a directory for other municipal functions.

The biggest attractions appeared to be the public library and police, parks and recreation exhibits.

Dressed as Raggedy Ann, program coordinator Dolores Chupela demonstrated that the library is much more than a book-lending service. She produced a calendar for August filled with crafts, programs and educational films for adults.

The calendar also included a host of children's activities. "A lot of people don't realize how many programs we have for children," said children's li-

brarian Pam Gares, adding that the average is 14 a week.

The library's mall activities included cake decorating, a puppet show and craft demonstrations.

Police officers from the crime prevention and crime lab bureaus, meanwhile, were busy explaining home prevention and criminal detection methods to passers-by.

Recreation and parks personnel displayed the crafts being made on playgrounds this summer and handed out multi-colored tissue paper flowers as soon as they were completed.

In addition, the recreation and parks department, which sponsored the event, has created a mini-park that sits in the center of the majority of exhibits. The park, with its sandbox, picnic tables, slide and teeter-totter, even has overhanging clouds, sun, rainbow and birds plus a dash of unpleasant realism several beer cans lying on the grass.

And they also turned the tables on the residents — testing their knowledge of the township with a fishbowl full of questions. Correct answers got residents a reward for brightness — lightbulb-shaped erasers.



**Diversion** TNT photo by Ed Pagliarini  
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Willow Moryan, 6, a vacationer from Maine, and Michele Chuloka, 5, of Edison, enjoy a game of bingo at the Clara Barton Branch of the Edison Public Library.

## AUG.



### A good deed

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Members of Cub Scouts Pack 77 of Edison surround a Norwegian spruce tree which they donated to the North Edison Branch Library. Also on hand at the tree planting ceremony were Hilda Stein, branch librarian and Valerie Carroccio, the Cubs' Webelos leader. The tree was donated by James Di Antonio of 112 Mundy Ave., who grows several varieties of evergreens.

### Display at library

EDISON — A collection of hand carved wooden items such as eggs, plates, and boxes are on display at the North Edison Library. The items on display are from Poland from the collection of Ursula Wiatr.

### 'Butterfly flutters' program scheduled

EDISON — "Butterfly Flutters," a project in which participants create butterflies and attach them to a clothespin for a unique message holder that can be attached to the refrigerator or any other magnetic surface, will be held Wednesday at 1:30 in the Main Library.

Supplies needed: one clip clothespin, one square of felt, 1/4 yard of 3-inch wide craft ribbon, needle and thread.

### 'Lady Beware' film slated at library

EDISON — "Lady Beware," a 16-minute film which dramatizes the effective common sense techniques which women can use to protect themselves from personal assault, will be shown at the Main Library on August 18 at 1:30.

The film shows how to avoid an encounter with a possible attacker and what to do if confronted by one. It is narrated by Shirley Jones. Registration begins Wednesday.

### Library planning ornament workshop

EDISON — A workshop to make holiday ornaments will be conducted by the Edison Library.

Sessions are planned at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the North Edison Branch, at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Clara Barton Branch and Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at the main library.

Registration is underway the the library. Supplies must be provided by participants, according to a library spokesman.

### Christmas in August

EDISON — Instructions for making four unusual holiday ornaments will be offered at 1:30 p.m. at the North Edison Library on Aug. 23, the Clara Barton Library on Aug. 24 and the Main Library on Aug. 25.

The following supplies are needed for the workshop: one sugar ice cream cone, three square, non-slip clothespins, felt scraps and scissors.

Registration begins Aug. 9.

### Program on making Christmas ornaments

EDISON — While most people are trying to beat the heat, the Edison Library is trying to get the jump on Christmas.

Programs on holiday and winter ornaments will be held later in August at the three libraries.

Supplies needed are one sugar ice cream cone, three square, non-slip clothespins, felt scraps and scissors. Registration begins August 9.

Programs will be held at North Edison, August 23; at Clara Barton, August 24, and at the Main Library, August 25, all at 1:30 p.m.



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## Latch-hook class at library

EDISON — A latch-hooking course will be offered at all branches of the Edison Library, beginning Tuesday, September 21 at 1 p.m. in the main branch.

The North Edison Branch will offer its program at the same time starting Wednesday, September 22. The program at Clara Barton will be held 1 p.m. Friday, September 24. Registration begins September 7 by calling Dolores Chupela, program director, at 287-2351.

To participate in the program, patrons must have a pre-prepared

latch hook kit and a latch hook or have one's own design created by using one-half yard of rug canvas, a latch hook and approximately six packets of latch hook rug yarn.

## CAR DISPLAY

EDISON — Model cars will be on display throughout September in the showcase at the Clara Barton Branch of the Edison Library. The exhibit will feature cars assembled by Andrew Hibell.

## potpourri

### in edison

The Edison Garden Club currently has a display at the Main Library featuring dried flower arrangements, books and various aspects of the club's activities such as beautification of the Edison Light Tower at Menlo Park and garden therapy at the Veterans Home of Menlo Park and the Edison Estates. The exhibit is located in the large display case in the Adult Section of the library.

## Club display at library

EDISON — The Edison Garden Club has a display at the main library on Plainfield Avenue.

Dried flower arrangements, books and other garden items are featured.

The display will run through September.



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## Club invites members

EDISON — The Edison Garden Club will conduct a membership tea Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Edison Library's main branch on Plainfield Avenue. The public is invited and new members will be welcome.

A display of the club's programs is on exhibit in the showcase at the main branch of the library throughout September.

The club is a member of the Garden Club of New Jersey and The National Council of State Garden Clubs Inc.

For further information, call 548-6656.

## Garden Club exhibit

EDISON — A display by the Edison Garden Club may be seen at the township's main library. The display features dried flower arrangements, books and various aspects of the club activities such as beautification of the Edison Tower in Menlo Park and garden therapy at the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers at Menlo Park and Edison Estates.

## Programs set for September

EDISON — "The Making of the Raiders of the Lost Ark" and a coupon exchange will be held at the Edison Library.

The coupon exchanges will be held Wednesday, September 15 at 7:30 p.m. and Thursday, September 30 at 1 p.m. No registration is required.

The 47-minute film will be shown Monday, September 27 at 7:30 p.m. It will show how many of the stunts were performed in the film and traces the history of the variations of these back to their original performances in silent films. Harrison Ford will narrate. Registration begins Monday, September 13.

## Free film and popcorn

EDISON — "The Making of the Raiders of the Lost Ark," a 47-minute film, will be shown Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the main Edison Public Library. The film, narrated by Harrison Ford, will be of interest to both adults and young adults. Free popcorn will be provided.

## Edison book club to meet

EDISON — "Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance" by Robert Pirsig will be discussed at the monthly meeting of adult book club of the North Edison branch of the library at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 24.

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## Membership tea slated by Edison Garden Club

EDISON — A membership tea will be held Tuesday, September 21, by the Edison Garden Club at 7:30 p.m. in the main branch of the Edison Library in Stelton.

The public is invited to attend to learn the aims, purposes and functions of the club. Persons signing for membership will receive a gift when they are inducted.

Pegi Ballister Howles will speak on "Houseplants."

During September, a display of the club's progress can be seen in the showcase of the library's main branch.

The club is a member of the Garden Club of New Jersey and the National Council of State Garden Clubs Inc.



## Community Calendar

**NEWS FROM THE EDISON PUBLIC LIBRARIES:** *Monday Night at the Movies...* Young adults and adults join us Monday for **FREE POP-CORN** at *Great Movie Stunts...* subtitled "The Making of *Raiders of the Lost Ark*", this film shows how many of the stunts were performed in the feature film and traces the history of the variations of these back into their original performances in silent films. Homage is paid to Yakima Canute, considered to be the father of modern stunts and stunt performers, and preparations are shown for the various stunts performed, pointing out the vast amount of research and planning that go into each stunt. Narrated by Harrison Ford. The film last approximately 47 minutes.

Registration begins September 13th. Main Library, Sept. 27, at 7:30. (287-2298).

**COUPON EXCHANGES...** Come exchange coupons, meet new friends, beat the inflation crunch. Registration is not required. Main Library, Wednesday, September 15 at 7:30, Thursday, Sept. 30 at 1:00. (287-2298).

## Pirsig gives talk

**EDISON** — Robert Pirsig will discuss "Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance" at the North Edison Branch of the Edison Library adult book club meeting set for Monday, September 23 at 7:30 p.m.

The library will be forming a young adult book club beginning next month.

For more information on either club call the library at 548-3045.

## Volunteers sought as income tax aides

**EDISON** — The Edison Library is seeking volunteers to help conduct the library's Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program (VITA).

VITA is a program designed to help the elderly and low income families fill out tax forms.

Persons interested in working on the program may contact the library, 340 Plainfield Ave.

## Volunteers needed

**EDISON** — Volunteers are needed for the VITA program which is being sponsored for the second year by the Edison Public Library.

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program is designed to help elderly and low income families fill out their income tax forms.

Volunteers are asked to telephone the library program coordinator, Dolores Chuepla, at the main library, 287-2351.

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The Edison Public Library again this year will sponsor the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program. VITA helps elderly and low-income families fill out their tax forms.

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The Edison Public Library will again sponsor the VITA program for this year's tax season. VITA stands for "Volunteer Income Tax Assistance", a program which helps elderly and low income families fill out their tax forms.

If interested in being a volunteer, please call the library at 287-2351 and ask for Dolores Chupela, library program coordinator.

## Tax aid program planned

**EDISON** — The Edison Public Library will again sponsor the VITA program for this year's tax season.

VITA stands for Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, a program which helps elderly and low income families fill out their tax forms.

Interested persons may call Dolores Chupela, library program coordinator.

## Children's programs set at Edison Public Library

**EDISON** — A contest, films, story hour and crafts are among programs planned for September by the children's department of the Edison Public Library.

The "Willy Wonka's Back to School" reading contest for children preschool through 6th grade will begin September 1 and will continue until all prizes have been awarded. Children are invited to read and return books to the children's department and take a chance to win a prize.

Details may be obtained at the Main Library, 340 Plainfield Avenue, telephone 287-2351; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Avenue, 548-4759, or Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Avenue, 738-0748.

Registration for preschool story hour begins September 13. The program, for children 3½ to 5 will feature 45 minutes of stories, games, films and simple craft activities. Kindergarten children are not eligible. Fall sessions will be as follows: Main Library, Tuesdays, September 21 through October 19, 10:30 a.m.,

and Wednesdays, September 22 through October 20, 1:30 p.m.; North Edison, Tuesdays, September 21 through October 19, 1:30 p.m., and Wednesdays, September 22 through October 20, 10:30 a.m.; Clara Barton, Tuesdays, September 21 through October 19, 1:30 p.m.

An apple craft program will be held for children kindergarten through sixth grade, with the preregistration starting September 20.

The program will be at the Main Library, September 28, North Edison, September 29, and Clara Barton, September 30, all at 3:30 p.m.

A storybook and film program for preschoolers will be held September 23 at the Main Library, September 24 at North Edison and Clara Barton, all at 10:30 a.m.

A book discussion series for children, 4th through 6th grades will include discussions of books by popular authors, films, crafts and puppets. The program will be at the Main Library, September 20, at North Edison, September 21, and at Clara Barton, September 23, all at 3:30 p.m.



# OCT.

## Thomas Edison tribute planned

EDISON — "The Centennial of Light," a tribute to Thomas A. Edison, will be presented at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 12, at the township's Main Library on Plainfield Avenue.

Martha Gallant of Public Service Electric & Gas Co. will relate Edison's life story, explain his impact on society and describe his most famous inventions.

Another special program scheduled for next month is "Nutritious Snacks for Young Children." Middlesex County Home Economist Carol Kaiser will discuss the nutritional needs of children, ages 2 to 6, and how snacks can help fill those needs. The program also includes recipe handouts and tasting.

The program will be held at North Edison Library on Wednesday, Oct. 13, Clara Barton on Friday, Oct. 15, and the Main Library on Wednesday, Oct. 20. Registration is required.

Also at the North Edison Library is "Reflections of Elvis," an exhibit of photographs and memorabilia commemorating the life of Elvis Presley.

The display is from the collection of area resident Pat Valentine, who has been collecting Presley memorabilia for 12 years.

An investment seminar will be presented by Martin Gerstenbluth from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Nov. 10 at the North Edison Library.

A simple technique for making soft pretzels will be demonstrated along with a quick and easy method for making chocolate dipped pretzels will be demonstrated at 1 p.m. Nov. 16 at the Main Library, Nov. 17; at the North Edison Library and the Clara Barton Library, Nov. 19.

# NOV.

## Libraries offering programs

EDISON — Registration for two of the October programs at local public libraries, a tribute to Thomas A. Edison and nutritious snacks for children, will begin Monday at the libraries.

The program on Edison, "The Centennial of Light," will be given by Martha Gallant of Public Service Electric & Gas Company at the main library on October 12 at 1:30 p.m.

Carol Kaiser, Middlesex County home economist, will discuss the nutritional needs of children, 2-6, at three libraries, North Edison, October 13 at 10:30 a.m.; Clara Barton, October 15, and the main library, October 20, the latter at 1:30 p.m. The program will be for parents of children participating in the storyhour. Recipes will be distributed.

Also planned for October is the

opportunity to learn how to make fluffy wreaths for the fall season, Christmas or any other time. Registration begins October 12. Participants are to supply one 12-inch styrofoam craft ring, one medium size ball of nylon macrame cord, about 75 straight pins, scissors, a ruler, a small stiff-bristled hairbrush and something to decorate the wreaths.

The wreath-making will be at the main library, October 26, North

Edison, October 27, and Clara Barton, October 29, all at 1 p.m. Those wishing more information may call Dolores Chupela, program coordinator, 287-2351.

## Varied programs for Edison

EDISON — Coupon exchanges will be held October 13 at 7:30 p.m. and October 28 at 1 p.m., both at the main library.

The Book Club for Adults will be held at North Edison on October 21 at 7:30 p.m. when Avery Corman's "The Old Neighborhood" will be discussed. Persons interested in the club may call the library, 548-3045, for more information.

Displayed at the Clara Barton Library during October will be a haunted house, witches, goblins and other spooky things.

The North Edison Library is currently displaying photographs and memorabilia commemorating the life of Elvis Presley.

## Scary doings during October on Edison Library calendar

EDISON — Registration for "Scary Movies" to be presented by the children's department of the Edison Public Library will begin Monday, September 27, at the libraries.

The movies, "The Mummy's Tomb" and "The Mummy's Ghost" will be for elementary school children but pre-schoolers may attend if accompanied by their mothers.

The movies will be at 3:30 p.m. on October 5 at North Edison Library, on October 6 at the main library and on October 7 at Clara Barton Library.

Also planned for children, kindergarten through 6th grade, are Halloween parties at Clara Barton, October 28, at 3:30 p.m., at North Edison and the main library on October 30, both at 1:30 p.m.

The department is also inviting

children 4th through 6th grades to a "Ghostly Get-Together" to be held by librarians for the junior book discussion group. Featured will be "Stories to Scare Your Socks Off" haunting games and ghostly prizes.

The events, all at 3:30, will be October 18 at the main library, October 19 at North Edison and October 21 at Clara Barton.

EDISON — Ghosts, vampires, goblins and creatures of every description will no doubt be on hand for the Free Public Library's giant Halloween parties. Children in kindergarten through the sixth grade are invited to join in the festivities including a costume parade, stories, games, prizes and refreshments. The North Edison and the Main libraries will hold parties at 1:30 p.m. Saturday. Pre-registration is required at 225-3060.

## Talk on Edison at library tomorrow

EDISON — Martha Gallant of Public Service Electric and Gas Company will present a program on the life and inventions of Thomas A. Edison at the Main Library tomorrow.

The program is scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m. The Main Library is located at 340 Plainfield Ave.

## Library program on holiday crafts

EDISON — Ways to make supplies, menus and recipes for Christmas festivities will be given by Martha Gallant, consumer advisor for Public Service Electric & Gas Company, at the Clara Barton Library on November 5 and at North Edison Library on November 12, both at 1:30 p.m. Registration will begin Monday.

Registration will also begin Monday for movies to be shown November 1 at the main library at 7:30 p.m. and for a free investment seminar on ways to increase income and pay less taxes at North Edison on November 10, at 7:30 p.m. The seminar will be conducted by Martin Gerstenbluth of Dean Witter Reynolds Inc. The 52-minute film, "Space Seed," to be shown at the main library is an episode from the Star Trek series. Free popcorn will be served.

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**Holiday Make-Up Magic:** Dana Kuchar of Mary Kay Cosmetics will present a workshop on holiday make-up. Basic make-up techniques will be taught along with the explanation and purpose of various products and tips on ways to glamorize yourself for the upcoming holidays. A perfect program for moms and teenage daughters or anyone else who wants to "sparkle" with a holiday glow! Registration is currently underway.

To be held at the Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave., Edison, November 29th, at 7:30. 287-2298.

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## Edison Libraries Slate Activities

### BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

The Book "Catcher in the Rye" by author J.D. Salinger will be discussed at the book club's monthly meeting on Thursday, November 18th, at 7:30 p.m. Registration is not required. Please call the North Edison Library at 548-3045 for further information.

### CLARA BARTON LIBRARY

The November display case at the Clara Barton Library will feature a book and pin display by the Girl Scouts. Clara Barton Brownie Troop 488, Jr. Troop 231 and 1091, and also Cadet Troop 201 will all join their efforts in the display. Featured will be a booklet that was put together last year by the Scouts in conjunction with city officials.

The booklet offers various suggestions for helping children new to the area become adjusted.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a program of special *Cartoon Short Films* for children at the library in November.

The film program will feature a selection of cartoon and short feature films. Children in K-6th grades are invited to attend. Preschoolers may attend if accompanied by an adult.

The *Cartoon Short Films* will be offered as follows: Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesday, November 9 at 3:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Wednesday, November 10 at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Friday, November 12, at 2:00.

Pre-registration is required for this film program and is being taken now.



## Edison Public Libraries Plan Activities for Children

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library announces the continuation of an exciting program for preschool children and their parents, *Storybook and Film Fun*.

*Storybook and Film Fun* will offer preschoolers an opportunity to enjoy their favorite stories on film, meet some new friends, and select books from a special display. Preschoolers and their parents are invited to drop in and join us for this informal program. No pre-registration is required.

The *Storybook and Film Fun* program will be offered as follows: Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Thursday, November 18 through December 9, at 10:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Friday, November 12 through December 10 at 10:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Friday, November 12 through December 10 at 10:30.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will celebrate *Children's Book Week*, November 14-20 with a variety of activities for children.

This year's theme of activities for *Children's Book Week* is "Books are B-I-G fun!" The Library will sponsor a month of special programs in honor of this important week. Join us for films, craft activities, stories, games, and a very special Family Fun Night.

In honor of Children's Book Week, children in



## Investment seminar planned

EDISON — Martin Gerstenbluth, vice president of Dean Witter Reynolds, Inc., will present a free seminar on investment strategies at the North Edison Library on Grove Avenue at 7:30 tonight.

Among the topics he will address are

structuring investment portfolios, finding and selecting growth stocks, investing in short-term money markets and swapping bonds. The booklet, "22 Ways to Save Money on Income Tax," will be distributed.

To register, call 548-3045.

elementary school are invited to an unusual craft program, *Dinosaur Craft*. This craft program will feature some giant-sized craft fun for children in K-6th grades. Pre-registration is required, and begins on November 8.

The *Dinosaur Craft* program will be offered as follows: Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Tuesday, November 16 at 3:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Wednesday, November 17 at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Thursday, November 18 at 3:30.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library invites children in 4-6th grades to a book discussion series guaranteed to bring books alive.

*Terrific Tuesday* and *Freaky Friday* will include discussion of books by popular authors, films, crafts, puppets, and a wide variety of activities. Even if you hate reading, we know you will enjoy this program.

Join us for the following: Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Monday, November 22 at 3:30; North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Tuesday, November 23 at 3:30; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Tuesday, November 23 at 3:30.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will sponsor a very special *Family Fun Night* of enjoyment for parents and children together, at the Library in November.

The highlight of the evening's program will be a magical children's classic *Cinderella*. This film program is open to children in preschool through sixth grades and their parents. Registration is required and begins on November 22.

Join us for a delightful evening of enchantment the whole family can share.

North Edison Library, 777 Grove Ave. (548-4759) Tuesday, November 30 at 7:00 p.m.; Main Library, 340 Plainfield Ave. (287-2351) Wednesday, December 1 at 7:00 p.m.; Clara Barton Library, 141 Hoover Ave. (738-0748) Thursday, December 2 at 7:00 p.m.

## potpourri

### in edison

A display of crocheted items by Cecilia Chupela of Edison are on exhibit at the Main Library this month. The exhibit consists of afghans, slippers, pin cushions, hats and scarves and other items. Also included are books and pamphlets from the library's collection of craft materials.

The North Edison Library is featuring a display of international dolls from the collection of Kim Rose, Edison resident. The display is located in the adult section of the library.

The Children's Department of Edison Public Library will sponsor a special family fun night for parents and children in preschool through sixth-graders at the library this month. The highlight of the program will be the film "Cinderella." Registration begins Monday.

The program will be offered at 7 p.m. at the North Edison Library on Nov. 30, at the Main Library on Dec. 1 and at the Clara Barton Library on Dec. 2.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library offers a book discussion series for grades four through sixth. Entitled "Terrific Tuesday" and "Freaky Friday," the series includes books by popular authors, films, crafts, puppets and other activities.

The program will be held at 3:30 p.m. Monday at the Main Library, Tuesday at the North Edison and Clara Barton libraries.

The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer its *Storybook and Film Fun* for preschoolers and their parents at 10:30 a.m. at the Main Library, Nov. 18-Dec. 9; the North Edison Library, Friday-Dec. 10 and the Clara Barton Library, Friday-Dec. 10.



## HOMEMADE

## PRETZELS

### YOU WILL NEED:

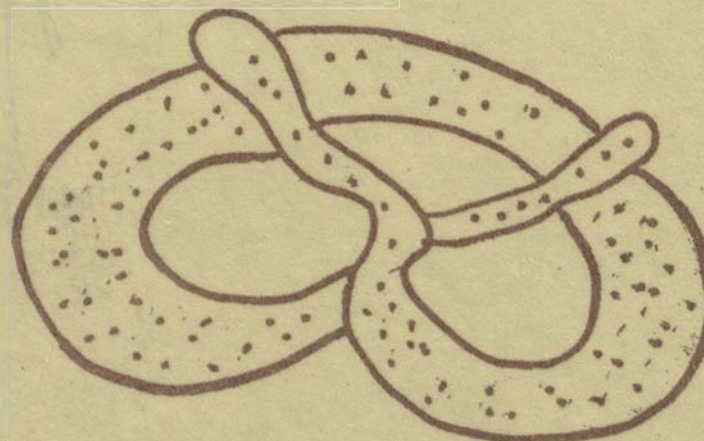
- 1 BOWL
- 2 PACKETS OF DRY YEAST
- 1½ CUPS WARM WATER
- 2 TABLESPOONS SUGAR
- 1 TEASPOON SALT
- 4 CUPS FLOUR
- WAXED PAPER
- 1 COOKIE SHEET
- COARSE SALT
- 1 EGG, BEATEN
- PASTRY BRUSH

### HERE'S WHAT YOU DO:

1. MIX YEAST AND WATER IN A BOWL
2. ADD SUGAR AND TABLE SALT
3. ADD FLOUR. MIX.
4. PUT THE DOUGH ON SOME WAXED PAPER ON A TABLE AND KNEAD IT UNTIL IT'S SMOOTH.
5. CUT OFF PIECES AND MAKE THEM INTO SHAPES YOU LIKE. DON'T MAKE THEM TOO THICK OR THEY'LL BE DOUGHY. TRY NOT TO MAKE THEM TOO THIN OR THEY'LL BE TOO BRITTLE.
6. PLACE THEM ON A COOKIE SHEET.
7. BRUSH THE PRETZELS WITH A BEATEN EGG AND THEN SPRINKLE THEM WITH THE COARSE SALT. COVER ALL THE TOP OF THE PRETZEL WITH EGG.
8. BAKE THEM AT 425 DEGREES FOR 12 or 15 MINUTES OR UNTIL THEY'RE GOLDEN BROWN.
9. EAT THEM!

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## Pretzel-making program set for Edison libraries

EDISON — The Free Public Library will present "The Art of Pretzel Making" at all three branches this month.

The program will include lessons in making soft pretzels and chocolate-dipped pretzels, recipes and a film.

The program will be held at the Main Library on Tuesday, Nov. 16; at North Edison on Wednesday, Nov. 17; and at Clara Barton on Friday, Nov. 19. All sessions will begin at 1 p.m.

To register, call the individual libraries.

## Colonial villages topic for program at Edison

EDISON — A film for anyone interested in the history of Colonial villages will be held November 24 at 1:30 p.m. at the main library. Registration starts November 9.

The 28-minute film, "Legacy of Old Sturbridge Village," will be presented by Kodak Films.

Also planned for the main library is a workshop on holiday make-up to be presented November 29 at 7:30 p.m. by Dana Kuchar of Mary Kay Cosmetics. Registration begins November 15.

## Spotlight on cartoons

EDISON — The Children's Department of the Edison Public Library will offer a program of special cartoon short films for children in kindergarten through sixth grade at 3:30 p.m. at the Main Library on Tuesday, the North Edison Library on Nov. 10 and at 2 p.m. at the Clara Barton Library on Nov. 12. Preschoolers may attend if accompanied by an adult.

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Legacy of Old Sturbridge Village, a film program for storyhour parents or anyone interested in the history of colonial villages, will be presented at the Main Library at 1:30 p.m. Nov. 24.

On Nov. 29 at 7:30 p.m. at the Main Library Dana Kuchar of Mary Kay Cosmetics will present a workshop on basic makeup techniques.

The book, "The Catcher in the Rye," by J. D. Salinger, will be discussed at the book club's monthly meeting Nov. 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the North Edison Library.

## Program at Edison Library to offer investment help

EDISON — A special course in investments will be offered at the North Edison Public Library Wednesday from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

It will deal with investments that offer tax advantages and other investment strategies.

Conducting the course will be Martin Gerstenbluth, vice president of Dean Witter Reynolds and an Edison resident.

Specific topics to be covered include: How to structure an invest-

ment portfolio, how to find and select growth stocks, short term money market investments, IRAs and Keogh accounts, utility stocks and bond swapping for tax savings.

For those who attend, the booklet "22 Ways to Save Money on Income Taxes" will be available.

To register, call the library at 548-3045.

There are 100 fancy varieties of goldfish.







