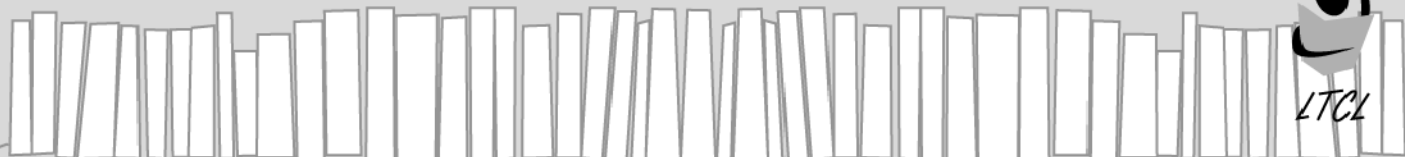


May 2010

Lake Travis Community Library



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UPCOMING EVENTS

Friends Book Sale
Sat. May 1, 8 AM - 1 PM
Jack Brown Cleaners
1508 RR 620 S

Friends Book Club
Tues. May 4, 10 AM
LT United Methodist

Memoir Writing
Tues. May 4, 7 PM

Classics Book Club
Mon. May 10, 1 PM
Panera Bread Company

Library Board Meeting
Mon. May 10, 6 PM

Liz Carmack
Sun. May 16, 2 PM

Teen Book Club
Sun. May 16, 4 PM

Craft Club
Mon. May 17, 7 PM
Call for location.

Knitting Club
Tues. May 18, 10 AM
Call for location.

BOW Book Club
Wed. May 19, 7 PM
Call for location.

Friends of the Library Meeting
Thurs. May 20, 9:30 AM

GOW Book Club
Mon. May 24, 7 PM
Call for location.

Library Closed
Memorial Day
Monday, May 31

Computer Help
Thursdays 9 - 10 AM

Genealogy Group
Fridays 9 - 10 AM

The Friends of the Library Book Sale

Saturday, May 1, 8 AM - 1 PM

**** NEW LOCATION: Jack Brown Cleaners (1508 RR 620 S) ****

SALE

Browse new and used books, videos, DVDs, audio books, children's books, antique and collectible books that have been donated to the library.

Purchase an entire bag of books for only \$10. You don't want to miss this popular event!

NEW LOCATION!

The Book Sale is in a new indoor location this spring:

Jack Brown Cleaners
1508 RR 620 S
Lakeway, TX

Liz Carmack

Historic Texas Hotels: Distinctive Destinations

Sunday, May 16, 2 PM

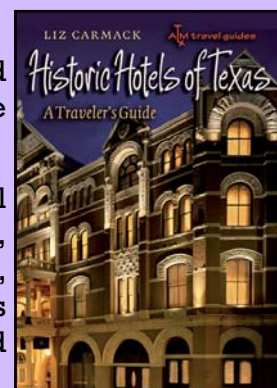


Lake Travis Community Library continues its speaker series with author Liz Carmack on Sunday, May 16 at 2 PM. Her talk entitled *Historic Texas Hotels: Distinctive Destinations* will help you prepare for summer travel in the Lone Star State.

Carmack wrote *Historic Hotels of Texas: A Traveler's Guide* that was inspired by her love for authentic Texas travel destinations and her desire to provide travelers with a comprehensive, practical reference to Texas' historic hotels.

During her research for the book, Carmack traveled more than 20,000 miles across Texas to visit all 64 of the hotels featured in her book.

"I interviewed local historians, innkeepers and hotel guests, and uncovered historic hotel details in archives, libraries and museums," said Carmack. "During my talk, I will share historic anecdotes about hotels, provide tips on the best historic hotels suited for particular trips and travel tastes, and recount some of my travel adventures."



Texas Libraries Snapshot Day May 4

Lake Travis Community Library is joining libraries across the state in participating in *Texas Library Snapshot Day* on May 4, 2010 to show how important libraries are to the state of Texas.

LTCL will compile statistics, customer comments, photographs, and other data chronicling a typical library day. The results collected at LTCL will be added to those of other libraries across Texas to show how libraries provide invaluable services to Texans. Come participate!



We the People Bookshelf



The National Endowment for the Humanities, in cooperation with the American Library Association, selected LTCL as a recipient of the *We the People* "A More Perfect Union" Bookshelf. The library will receive dozens of American history books such as *Lincoln in His Own Words*, *A More Perfect Union: The Story of Our Constitution*, and *Warriors Don't Cry*. Central to the collection are books whose narratives provide insight into challenging chapters in American history and that trace our country's ongoing struggle to make America unified and free. Come see our new adult and children's titles!

American Veterans Traveling Tribute at LTHS May 12 - 16

The American Veterans Traveling Tribute (AVTT) stops in Lakeway from May 12 - 16. This traveling exhibit provides a forum for the community to come together to Honor/Respect/Remember all those whom have served our country. Visit the Lake Travis High School football field to view the tribute 24 hours daily, then stop by the library to pick up related reading materials about American veterans.

Summer Reading Program

Summer is just around the corner! Lake Travis Community Library is busy planning over a hundred fun events for your entire family. Pick up our complete summer calendar later this month. Here is a sample of upcoming programs:

- Clown Bonzo Crunch - Monday, June 7 - 5:30 PM
- Mr. Puppet - Saturday, June 12 - 10:30 AM at TexARTS
- Barnes and Noble Book Fair - June 19 through June 26
- Bernadette Nason - Thursday, June 24 - 10 AM at Briarcliff and 11:30 AM at LTCL
- Kim Lehman - Thursday, July 15 - 10:30 AM
- Critterman - Thursday, July 22 - 10 AM at Briarcliff and 2 PM at the Lakeway Activity Center
- Sara Hickman and the Family Time Rocks Band - Thursday, August 12 - 2 PM at TexARTS



ONLINE BOOK CLUB

Join our Online Book Clubs! Every weekday, you will receive by email a five-minute selection from a chapter of a book. By the end of the week, you'll have read two to three chapters. Every Monday we start new books. Sign up, choose from a variety of genre options and start reading! Go to our webpage or click here to sign up.



Invest in Lifelong Learning! Support the New Library

Have you heard? Lake Travis Community Library District is raising money to build a new library! Invest in Lifelong Learning by donating to the capital campaign. There are still Naming Opportunities available and many Contributing Donors have already supported the cause. Making this library a reality will take the a commitment from the whole community. Please see our website at www.laketravislibrary.org/new_library.htm or ask at the front desk for more information.



Light the Way

Pedernales Electric Cooperative generously awarded the LTCL a gift of \$1,000 as a part of the *Light the Way* program, which recognizes community organizations within their constituency. Thank you, PEC!

Thank you Lakeway/Lake Travis Rotary Club!

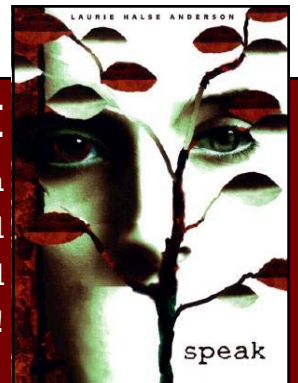
The Lakeway/Lake Travis Rotary Club recently donated \$400 to the Lake Travis Community Library to purchase books in honor of their program speakers. The library was able to order new nonfiction titles about coin collecting, Egypt, quilting, American history, and more. Thank you, Rotarians!

Randall's Good Neighbor Program

Get a Randall's Remarkable Card and ask them to add program #878. Then, Randall's will donate a percentage of your spending to the library. Thank you for supporting the library!

Teen Book Club - Sunday, May 16th at 4 PM

We will discuss *Speak* by Laurie Halse Anderson, a compelling read about a socially isolated teenage girl struggling to find her voice. All junior high and high school students are invited to join the book club. Even if you haven't read the book, come join us and eat pizza! We always have fun!



Lake Travis Community Library will be closed on Monday, May 31 for Memorial Day.

Coming Soon

- Our **Summer Reading Program** commences in June. Stay tuned for our summer schedule! The calendar will be available in the library and online later this month.
- Texas Environmental and Restoration host a seminar at the Lake Travis Community Library on Wednesday, June 9 at 7 PM on ***Living a Green Life - Changing Old Habits to Eco Habits***. Points will include how to make your home more environmentally friendly, transforming your work place to a more eco-conscious environment, and how to initiate and maintain positive green change.
- Mystery author **Susan Wittig Albert** will speak on Saturday, September 25 in the morning at TexARTS.

MAY CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Mon. 3rd: *Mother's Day* (ages 4-6) 10:30 AM

Tues. 4th: *Mothers* (ages 2-3) 10:30 AM

Wed. 5th: Baby Story Time 10:30 AM

Wed. 5th: Read It! (ages 5-8) 3:15 PM

Fri. 7th: Briarcliff 10 AM

Mon. 10th: *Frogs* (ages 4-6) 10:30 AM

Tues. 11th: *Birthdays* (ages 2-3) 10:30 AM

Wed. 12th: Baby Story Time 10:30 AM

Wed. 13th: Read It! (ages 5-8) 3:15 PM

Fri. 14th: Briarcliff 10 AM

Mon. 17th: *Bikes* (ages 4-6) 10:30 AM

Tues. 18th: *Food* (ages 2-3) 10:30 AM

Tues. 18th: **PJ Story Time 6:15 PM**

Wed. 19th: Baby Story Time 10:30 AM

Wed. 19th: Read It! (ages 5-8) 3:15 PM

Fri. 21st: Briarcliff 10 AM

Mon. 24th: *Gardening* (ages 4-6) 10:30 AM

Tues. 25th: *Barnyard Animals* (ages 2-3)
10:30 AM

Wed. 26th: Baby Story Time 10:30 AM

Wed. 26th: Read It! (ages 5-8) 3:15 PM

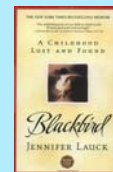
Fri. 28th: Briarcliff 10 AM



Attend story time at the Briarcliff Community Center (22801 Briarcliff Drive, Briarcliff, TX 78669) on Fridays at 10 AM.

Participate in a Program at LTCL

The Friends' Book Club meets the first Tuesday of every month at 10 AM at Lake Travis United Methodist Church (1502 RR 620 North). The group will discuss Jennifer Lauck's *Blackbird* on Tuesday, May 4.



Are you interested in writing your memoir or just preserving some of your memories for your children and grandchildren? Please join the **Memoir Writing Group** on Tuesday, May 4 at 7 PM.

The Classics Book Club will have its next meeting on Monday, May 10 at 1 PM at Panera Bread in the Hill Country Galleria to discuss *The Age of Innocence* by Edith Wharton.

The Craft Group will meet on Monday, May 17 from 7-9 PM at Sharon Rogers' house for the second session on mosaics. Please e-mail Diane Taylor at dianetaylor2020@yahoo.com for information and directions.

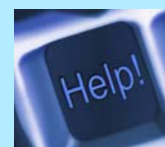
The Knitting Group will meet on Tuesday, May 18 at 10 AM at a member's home. Please email Jean at londonladyjer@att.net for directions and more information.

The Bottle of Wine Book Club will meet on Wednesday, May 19 at 7 PM to discuss Karen Fisher's *A Sudden Country*. Please call the library for location details and more information.



The Glass of Wine Book Club will meet on Monday, May 24 at 7 PM to discuss the book *Born to Run* by Christopher McDougall. Please call the library for location information. New members are always welcome.

The Bottle of Wine Book Club will meet on Wednesday, May 19 at 7 PM to discuss Karen Fisher's *A Sudden Country*. Please call the library for location details and more information.



Do you need help opening an email account? Do you know how to search on the Internet? Can you add email attachments? Come to the library on Thursday mornings from 9 - 10 AM for basic **Computer Help!**