

Summer Splash

At the New Rochelle Public Library

Loads of Enriching Programs for Children
Lively Music and Dance from Around the World
**Great Books, DVDs, Music CDs, Audio Books,
Magazines & More to Check-out**
Wonderful Workshops for Teens
Terrific Live Shows for Kids
Fabulous Family Films



A Host of Materials and Activities for All Ages!
(See details inside!)



Message from the
Director

Dear Patrons,

At New Rochelle Public Library, our current budget year ends in June with the advent of a new fiscal year on July 1st. Thanks to your electoral support on May 18th, our new 2010/11 budget, in addition to approval of our Bond Proposition, will allow us to continue to provide high quality, customer friendly and safe service to you and your family, friends and neighbors.

After much planning, we will have a number of new library projects, enhancements and events that will improve your library experience in the coming year. Such projects include:

- Infrastructure Bond projects including replacement of the fire alarm system, selective replacement of Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) components and replacement of lobby entrances.
- New Rochelle Public Library Foundation supported projects will include a “refresh” (i.e. new carpeting and paint) for the Library Lobby, enhancements to the Teen Area including new furniture and an attractive and pragmatic enclosure for the space, as well as support for pilot programs relating to Spanish preschoolers and English conversation classes.
- Partnership for Huguenot Children’s Library supported projects allowing for key technology upgrades at the Huguenot Children’s Library including new computers and peripherals as well as furniture.
- A diverse and exciting Museum Pass program for New Rochelle residents as sponsored by the New Rochelle Public Library Foundation

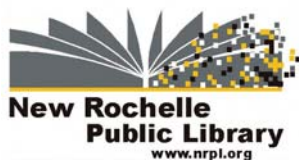
As in previous years, July 1st will witness the reconstitution of our Board of Library Trustees. George Walters, currently finishing his first term in office as a Library Trustee, was returned to serve another term per the May 18th election. We welcome George’s continuation on the Library Board and wish him continued success in his efforts to improve our library and community.

Feel free to contact me at tgeoffino@nrpl.org or 632-7879 if you have any questions or suggestions.

Best regards,

Tom Geoffino

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**News from the
NRPL Foundation**

SAVE THE DATE!

For the
much-anticipated
CelebriTea!

Sunday,
November 14th, 2010
in the late afternoon.

**NOTICE:
Community members
sought for input on
Library’s Five Year Plan.**

The Library’s Board of Directors is committed to developing a new Five Year Strategic Plan. This plan will be created by an ad hoc Five Year Strategic Plan committee consisting of Board members as well as New Rochelle residents. If you wish to participate by providing your ideas and vision for the library, please contact Barbara Davis, Community Relations Coordinator, 632-8254.

Librarians Recommend

If you're looking forward to lazy summer days and would like to round up a few good books to read, check out our **Readers' Corner** located next to the library catalog on the first floor. We have gathered together many of the lists compiled by critics for the New York Times, the Christian Science Monitor and National Public Radio, among others, and put them in our "Hot Picks For Summer Reading" notebook. Finally finding the time to read one of those intriguing mystery or romance series you've been too busy to start? Take a look at Sequels, also in the Readers' Corner, which will list all the titles in order and make it easier to find the one you want. Would you like still more help finding a good book? Ask one of our librarians to help you get started with the Novelist database, or have them show you some of the fascinating book-related web sites linked to the literature section of "Librarians' Best Web Picks" which can be found on the Westchester Library System's web page (www.westchesterlibraries.org).



Readers Corner
on the First Floor

Improved Library Service In the Children's Room (We Heard You!)

Are you a fan of fantasy? Mad about mysteries? Sold on Sci Fi? It's easier than ever to find your favorite genre in the Children's Room with new shelving that groups fantasy, mysteries, short stories, sci-fi, horror, and historical novels in separate sections. Come see how easy it is to find a fresh read browsing the shelves --- and, of course, the children's librarians are always ready with good tips to find the perfect summer book.

Friends Annual Luncheon pays tribute to June Schetterer



June Schetterer displaying her
gift of a clock in an engraved
wooden book



Eileen Gitlin and Amy Tietz

"Indefatigable"... "intelligent"... "dedicated"... "a genuine humanitarian"... these are just a few of the many descriptives used in the glowing tributes paid to June Schetterer at the annual luncheon of the Friends of the New Rochelle Public Library. In proclamations from Mayor Noam Bramson and City Council and from NRPL Trustees, and in speeches and remarks, June was feted for her steadfast work in helping to build the Friends organization into one of the most successful in the area, if not the country. The president of the Friends is now stepping down from the post she has so ably held for nearly two decades. But --- June is not leaving her beloved library. She will continue to help assist with the myriad of tasks the Friends carry out each day to raise invaluable funds for NRPL.

The luncheon was also an occasion to thank Eileen Gitlin for her many years ably serving as treasurer of the Friends. Eileen has loyally performed the enormously important job task with efficiency and accuracy. We are all extremely grateful to June and Eileen for their years as officers, and look forward to their future years with the Friends.

And, speaking of the future years, the Friends recently elected their new slate of officers:

Co-presidents: Amy Tietz and Linda Lamos

Treasurers: Aurora Lederman and Harnet Childs

Secretary: Ruth Greene

We look forward to more terrific book sales and the many programs funded by the Friends!

SPOTLIGHT on STAFF



Lisa Gasparini-Wilkie
Job Title: Clerk Typist
Date of Hire: August 1980

Q: What do you do at the library?

A: I'm in technical services. I process and link all materials for adults – books, dvds, and audio.

Q: Where did you grow up?

A: New Rochelle, all my life.

Q: Favorite childhood memory of New Rochelle?

A: The Thanksgiving Day Parades – they were at night. They lit up Main Street. We were kids in those snow-suits you can't move in and it was so cold, I mean cold! We'd come home and my mother would make us hot chocolate. And in the summer being at the beach club with my family.

Q: What was your best library memory?

A: The old library was across the street from my house. Seeing the same people when I was a little girl and then working with them as a teenager when I got my first job at the library (as a page), that was nice. Back then, you could hear a pin drop in the library!

Q: What was your favorite job ever?

A: This is the only place I ever worked, right out of high school, but if I hadn't stayed at the library I was interested in being a beautician or a travel agent. To this day, I'm the one who books all our cruises when we go away.

Q: What's the best thing about living in Westchester County?

A: Being close to the water. The New Rochelle waterfront is gorgeous.

Q: If you had a fantasy dinner party and could invite anyone, who would be your guests?

A: Andy Pettitte. Do we have to have anybody else?

Q: And what might you serve?

A: Anything he likes! (And my husband is a very good sport. He might even buy the groceries for me!).

Q: Describe yourself in a few words.

A: Fun, kind, compassionate, spontaneous.

Q: Favorite recent reads?

A: I just started a Nora Roberts book called *Savor the Moment*.

Q: What do you enjoy most about working at NRPL?

A: We have fun in tech. I enjoy the people I work with and I like my job.

Q: Any hobbies or special interests?

A: I love to read and I love to watch sports. Baseball is my favorite (Go Yankees!). I like to cook, but not in the summer.

Q: Do you have a bucket list and if so, name a thing on it you have already done:

A: I've taken cruises to the Caribbean, Bermuda, and the Bahamas.

Q: Name a thing you have yet to do but plan to:

A: Go to Hawaii. Or Europe. I'd like to have homemade pizza in Venice if I can get my husband to fly.

Q: People would be surprised to know that you?

A: I'm an open book – there are no surprises. What you see is what you get.

New Rochelle Public Libraries

New Rochelle Public Library
One Library Plaza, New Rochelle,
New York 10801

Huguenot Children's Library Branch
794 North Avenue,
New Rochelle, New York 10801

Phone Numbers

Main Library 632-7878

Important Extensions:dial 2 first:

Registration/Circulation ext:1700 & ext:3000

Children's Room ext:1800

Reference Desk ext:2000 & ext:2100

Community Relations/Programs ext:3300 & ext:3400

Administration ext:1500

Huguenot Children's Library 632-8954

Hours of Operation

Main Library

Monday 9am - 8pm

Tuesday 9am - 8pm

Wednesday 10am - 6pm

Thursday 9am - 8pm

Friday 9am - 5pm

Saturday 10am - 2pm

Sunday Closed

HCL

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Saturday Closed

Sunday Closed

More Summer Programs

International Music & Dance

One of NRPL's most popular series, the sounds and movements of global cultures thrill and delight all ages!

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July 6 –

To drums, the astounding movements and drumming of the martial art-dance form are performed by Masters Bom Jesus and Ari Lima and students of the Brazilian Capoeira Center. A sizzling performance of Samba percussion and dance tops off the show.



July 13 -

Greg Ryan performs a broad spectrum of Irish music on a variety of traditional instruments, and world championship medalist Katie Ryan kicks up the show with a dazzling display of reels, slip-jigs, treble jigs and the hornpipe.



July 20 –

The renowned dancer and belly dance instructor Aszmara performs to the folkloric sounds of Arabia and the Middle East by Armenian Musicians . Haig Manoukian on oud, Souren Baronain on G-clarinete, and Mal Stein on dumbek.



July 27

Beautiful costumes and graceful movements are hallmarks of the traditional dances performed by members of the Japanese Folk Dance Institute of New York, including the Lion Dance, fan dances, an umbrella dance, a flower hat dance from Yamagata Prefecture, Sakura (Cherry Blossoms), and a summer festival dance from Okinawa.



August 3

Homespun American! Inspired by the rural string bands of the early 20th century, this family band plays unique instruments including guitar, banjo, fiddle, dulcimer, mandolin, banjo-ukulele, harmonica, jawharp, doumbek, and percussive dance to put their own stamp on a repertoire drawn from the classics of rural American music, including blues, bluegrass, country, and folk.



August 10 –

The crowd-pleasing Bokandeye Troupe, directed by Anthony Wooden, closes the 2009 series with African dance to djembe drumming. The rich cultural traditions of African villages come alive as the troupe's multigenerational dancers perform in authentic costume.

Free Summer Programs 2010 For Preschoolers

Drop-in; First-come, first-served (except Bedtime Stories at HCL)

Bouncing Babies (6 mos. – 24 mos.)

Music, movement and Mother Goose rhymes with Nora Maher

Fridays, July 9 – August 13

Main Library: 9:45 – 10:15 am

HCL: 11:45 am – 12:15 noon

Preschool Story Time (3 – 5 yrs.)

Stories, songs, finger plays and a take-home craft

Main Library: Tuesdays, July 6 – August 10 10:00 – 10:45 pm

HCL: Mondays, July 12 – August 9 10:30 – 11:15 am

Bedtime Stories (3 – 5 yrs.)

Pajamas and stuffed animals encouraged

Main Library: Mondays, July 12 – August 9 6:30 – 7:00 pm

HCL: Thursdays, August 5th, 12th, and 19th, 6:00 to 7:00 pm

Registration for each session at HCL is required: 632-8954

Let's Pretend (3 – 5 yrs.)

An introduction to theater through games, songs and nursery rhymes, with Nora Maher

Fridays, July 9 – August 13

Main Library: 10:30 am - 11:15 am

HCL: 12:30 – 1:15 pm

At the Main Library

Wednesday Mornings Especially For the Younger Set

Live performances, stories and films geared for children ages 3 – 5 years old.

11:00 am – 12 noon (first come, first served to 148-seat capacity of the

Ossie Davis Theater)

Wed. July 7

Film from Picture Books: *Martha Speaks*

Wed. July 14

Live Performance – Robert the Guitar Guy

Everyone loves to jump, dance, clap and tap to

Robert's "Moving to the Beat" show.

Wed. July 21

Film from Picture Books: *Bark, George*

Wed. July 28

Live Performance – Zev Haber

Terrific songs for singing and moving, and music on

all kinds of cool instruments make Zev's shows a hit.

Wed. Aug. 4

Film from Picture Books: *Diary of a Worm*

Wed. Aug. 11

Live Performance "Caps for Sale" Puppet Show

The acclaimed PuppeTree Theater returns with an exciting,

fun-filled spin on a global folk tale involving

mischievous monkeys!

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Disney Summer Hit Parade

Five free family films to enjoy together, in the air-conditioned Ossie Davis Theater of the New Rochelle Public Library. All movies start at 6:00 pm.



TREASURE ISLAND (1950)

Directed by Byron Haskin; Starring Bobby Driscoll, Robert Newton, Basil Sydney

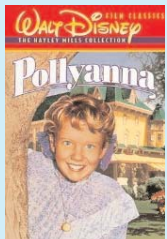
Ahoy, mateys! Come aboard the good ship Hispaniola and set sail in search of buried treasure in one of Walt Disney's most critically acclaimed adventure classics. Robert Louis Stevenson's timeless tale of buccaneers and buried gold is brought vividly to life in Disney's very first all live-action feature film. Color, 96 minutes.



20,000 LEAGUES UNDER THE SEA (1954)

Directed by Richard Fleischer; Starring Kirk Douglas, James Mason, Peter Lorre

Climb aboard the Nautilus, and into a strange undersea world of spellbinding adventure! Kirk Douglas, Paul Lukas and Peter Lorre star as shipwreck survivors taken captive by the mysterious Captain Nemo (James Mason). Disney's brilliant Academy Award-winning adaptation of Jules Verne's gripping tale is a truly mesmerizing masterpiece. Color, 127 minutes.



POLLYANNA (1960)

Directed by David Swift; Starring Hayley Mills, Jane Wyman, Richard Egan

Hayley Mills received a special Academy Award for her performance as Pollyanna, the orphan who brings sunshine into the lives of everyone she meets in this timeless Walt Disney tapestry of small-town Americana. Color, 134 minutes



THE LOVE BUG (1968)

Directed by Robert Stevenson; Starring Dean Jones, Michele Lee, Buddy Hackett

The classic comedy that introduced the world to Herbie, the lovable Volkswagen with a mind of its own and the only Disney superstar to provide laughs per gallon! Color, 108 minutes



FREAKY FRIDAY (1976)

Directed by Gary Nelson; Starring Jodie Foster, Barbara Harris, John Astin

Trading places was never so funny, and it could only happen on Friday the 13th! That's when tomboyish and free-spirited Annabel (Jodie Foster) switches bodies with her straitlaced mother Ellen (Barbara Harris) and suddenly finds herself responsible for running the entire household. Challenges of school, including a typing test, field hockey competition, and much more. Color, 95 minutes.

FREE PROGRAMS

Students Ages 10 - 17

Make Waves @ Your Library

Mondays July 12 – August 16

Make Cyber Waves – On-line Multimedia Project

Using digital video and photograph, create your own multimedia production to be published on the Journal News website (www.lohud.com).

LoHud photographer Carucha Meuse will guide, inspire and make it all happen.

4:00 – 5:30 pm Computer Lab and Meeting Room

Drop in, Limited to 15

Tuesdays July 6 – August 10

Cook up a Storm

Chef Sharlaine Holness will be back with her delicious and easy recipes you will be able to make and taste. On alternating weeks, visits from guests chefs will introduce more great food and flavors of New Rochelle

3:00 – 4:00 pm Meeting Room

Drop-in, limited to 15

Wednesdays July 7 – August 11

Anime and Gamers Club

Anime screenings, videogames and card/RP gaming take place each week, and special events will include DDR and Karaoke tournaments, candy sushi making and more. The Club is for students entering grades 7 – 12 and requires registration with Ken Petrilli, Teen Services Librarian, (phone 813-3735 or email planetfire@hotmail.com)

4:00 – 6:00 pm Meeting Room and Theater

Registration Required

Thursdays July 8 – August 12

Make Musical Waves – Dance!

Hop-Hop, Latin, African, Modern...whatever you like, you'll find it here.

Astere Yemmer leads the latest and greatest moves in these fun-filled 90 minute workshops.

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm Meeting Room and Theater

Drop-in, limited to 18

Thursdays July 15, 22 and 29

Needlework

Knit & purl, crochet, embroider, quilt – expert instruction is at hand to help you make beautiful things! Workshops for adults and teens are led by Rosalie Hollingsworth and Charlotte Kastenbaum. Tools and yarn is supplied.

10:30 am – 12:00 noon Community Gallery

Drop-in, limited to 12

These free programs for teens are made possible by the Friends of the Library and the New Rochelle Public Library Foundation. All programs are subject to change.

Make a Splash: Read!

At the Main New Rochelle Public Library
Summer 2010 Reading Programs for Children



Summer Kick-off Party

Saturday, June 26, 2010

1:00 - 3:00 pm

Preschool through Grade 5

Main Library Lobby & Library Green

See whimsical kinetic sculptures, richly painted paper mache masks and puppet figures that range in size from 12 inches to the 16 foot tall Tree of Life, when the Arm-of-the-Sea troupe performs the Turtle Island Medicine Show in Library Green (or library theater, if rain) Also: decorate a canvas book bag, make a rain stick, create a water critter mask, and get into sand art. Most important: Sign up for the 2010 Summer Reading Game and start earning points towards prizes.

End of Summer Awards Parties

Tuesday, August 17

10:00 - 11:30 am

Preschool through entering Kindergarten

Main Library Theater

Sing and move along with Storytime Stage as they perform "Splish, Splash, Summer!", pick up your certificate and a gift, and enjoy refreshments.



Wednesday, August 18

2:00 - 4:00 pm

Grade 1 through Grade 5

Main Library Theater

Celebrate your summer reading achievements at our End-of-the-Summer Party, featuring the rockin' music of "T-Bone" – America's Musical Pied Piper, award certificates, a gift and refreshments!

IT'S SHOWTIME!

Wednesday Mornings at Huguenot Children's Library (HCL) (Start at 11:00 am)

Wednesday Matinees at the Main Library (Start at 1:00 pm)

A variety of live, interactive shows to entertain and enrich, with fun water-related movies on alternate weeks.

For children ages (5 – 12 yrs.)

At HCL: First come/first-served, to the 25-seat capacity of HCL's Lower Level

At the Main Library: First-come, first-served to the 148-seat capacity of the Ossie Davis Theater

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Wed. July 14

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Ponyo

The Princess and the Frog



Wed. July 21

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Wed. July 28

Make a Splash! Films

HCL 11:00am:

MAIN LIBRARY 1:00 - 2:25 pm

Happy Feet

Ice Age

Wed. August 4

Live Show: Magic & Comedy with Jim McClenahan

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MAIN LIBRARY: 1:00 pm



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MAIN LIBRARY 1:00 - 2:45 pm

Finding Nemo

Ponyo

Free Weekly Programs For Elementary School Kids At the Main Library

Programs at the Huguenot Children's Library and Preschool Programs
at both libraries are listed on separate flyers, or see: www.nrpl.org

Craft Workshop (5-12 yrs.) Limited to 25

Barnard teacher Debbie Rosario returns to help you make terrific projects to take home.

First come, first served, beginning at 10:15 am.

Mondays, July 12 – August 9 10:30 am – 12:00 noon

Needlework for Beginners (8 – 10 yrs.) Limited to 12

Learn to knit & purl or crochet with Rosalie Hollingsworth and Charlotte Kastenbaum. *Sign-up first day of program, to capacity.*

Mondays, July 12 – August 9 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Nature Workshops (6 – 12 yrs.) Limited to 25

Wonderful hands-on nature activities, crafts and tastes of food, with "2 Hands 2 Learn" *First come, first served beginning at 12:45 pm.*

Tuesdays, July 6 – August 10 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Yoga and Creative Movement (4 – 10 years) Limited to 30

A series of fun movements and games that promotes strength, flexibility, coordination, balance, relaxation, concentration and self-confidence – while also stimulating creativity, with Nora LeMorin.

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Chess (8 – 12 yrs.) Limited to 20

John Gallagher, NY state certified teacher and chess instructor, provides the chess boards and pieces and expert guidance to assist beginners, intermediates and pros.

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Nick-Nack Nonsense Workshops in Creative Expression (6 – 11 yrs.) Limited to 25

Explore drawing, poetry, arts & crafts, and word play with Mr. Nick, as he opens up a whole new world of creativity through his fabulous Seuss-like nonsensical creatures. The artist/illustrator will guide participants (ages 6 & up) in creating their own illustrated stories and poems while playing games and sampling different art mediums. *First come, first served, beginning at 1:45 pm.*

Fridays, July 9 – August 13 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Calligraphy (8 – 11 yrs.) Limited to 20

Learn the beautiful art of handwriting using italic lettering with Mary Jackson. This workshop teaches basic skills to complete greeting cards, invitations, book covers, borders and banners. Earn a certificate by attending at least four sessions.

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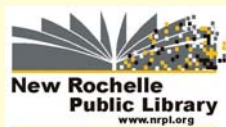
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Tuesday, July 13	Irish Music and Step Dancing
Tuesday, July 20	Arabian Dance by Aszmara with Music of Armenia, Turkey and Egypt
Tuesday, July 27	Japanese Folk Dancing
Tuesday, August 3	Homegrown String Band (American)
Tuesday, August 10	Bokandeye African Dance and Drum Troupe

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Have a blast creating masterpieces using mixed media and "found" objects, including treasures from nature found on nearby treks. Art teacher Michael Cammer leads the artistic pursuits suitable for all levels of creative experience.

First come, first served, beginning at 2:15 pm

Thursdays, July 8 – August 12 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

StoryPlay Workshops (4 – 8 yrs.) Limited to 18

Help create and act out stories involving pirates, sea creatures and other water themes, with teacher-author Jason Edwards from the Monster Detective Agency!

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Summer Fun on the Patio

Huguenot Children's Library

Mondays through Fridays, June 28 - August 20, 10:00 am to 4:30 pm (except July 5)

Made possible by the Partnership for the Huguenot Children's Library

A free drop-in program at the Huguenot Children's Library provides good old fashioned summertime fun – ping pong, arts and crafts, jump rope, games, kickball, and many more outside activities that are supervised by experienced, enthusiastic adults and teens. Children must be accompanied by a parent or adult caregiver.

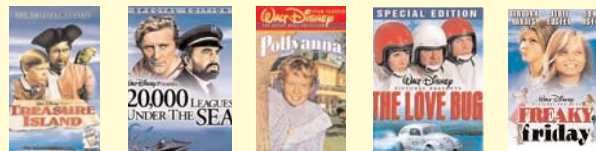
Summer Fun does not take place in rainy weather.

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Disney Summer Hit Parade



Five free family films to enjoy together, in the air-conditioned Ossie Davis Theater of the Main Library.

All movies start at 6:00 pm.

Monday, July 12

Treasure Island

Monday July 19

20,000 Leagues Under The Sea (1954)

Monday July 26

Pollyanna (1960)

Monday August 2

The Love Bug (1968)

Monday August 9

Freaky Friday (1976)

International Music & Dance for the Entire Family

One of NRPL's most popular series, the sounds and movements of global cultures thrill and delight all ages!

All performances begin at 7:00 pm.

*First-come, first-served to the capacity of the main library's Ossie Davis Theater. Doors open at 6:45 pm.
Please note: seats may not be "held" and doors will close promptly at 7:00 pm if theater is filled to capacity.*

Tuesday, July 6	Brazilian Capoeira
Tuesday, July 13	Irish Music and Step Dancing
Tuesday, July 20	Arabian Dance by Aszmara with Music of Armenia, Turkey and Egypt
Tuesday, July 27	Japanese Folk Dancing
Tuesday, August 3	Homegrown String Band (American)
Tuesday, August 10	Bokandeye African Dance and Drum Troupe