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NEWS FROM BOSLER MEMORIAL LIBRARY

IRA Rollover a Great Option for Giving

Do you take minimum distributions from your individual retirement account (IRA) but have adequate alternative sources of income? If you would like to minimize your taxes while making a meaningful gift to Bosler Memorial Library, consider making a donation directly from your IRA.

Because funds from your IRA are not taxed when you roll them over directly as a gift to Bosler Memorial Library or another charitable organization, it doesn't matter if you itemize or not.

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Talk to your financial advisor or IRA administrator to learn how easy it is to make charitable gifts this way and reduce your taxable income.

For more information and to find out if you qualify for making a gift through your IRA, click the link below.

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Music at Bosler presents the Gina Clowes Band

February 23, 7:00 pm

New to Music at Bosler this month is bluegrass artist Gina Clowes from Front Royal, Virginia.

Gina Clowes' innovative and unique musicianship and songwriting, although based in traditional music modalities, breaks free from the assumed constructs and makes a new musical statement that's influenced by emotion, is played with the highest skill, and expresses an enormous verve and vitality.

With an intent to use the banjo as a medium of personal expression, Clowes moves through varied modes of musical treatments. Although she's known mainly for her work as the banjo player for Chris Jones and the Night Drivers, she has a long history with her banjo.



The Music at Bosler series is made possible in part with support from Drs. Beth and Truman Bullard, concertgoers, and the Arts for All Partnership, a partnership between the Cultural Enrichment Fund and the Greater Harrisburg Foundation, a regional foundation of The Foundation for Enhancing Communities.

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2018 Board of Directors Includes 4 New Members

The Bosler Memorial Library Board of Directors, comprised of twelve individuals in total, includes four new members this year. They are Ardee Adams, Stephanie Chertok, Sherwood McGinnis, and Hope Miller. These four replace Bob Broyles, Harold Fraker, Jim Hutcheson, and Lillian Wong, whose terms expired at the end of 2017.



The above photograph of the 2018 Board of Directors was taken at the January board meeting. Front row (left to right) are Hope Miller, Megan Matzner, Ardee Adams and Ellen Hair; second row - Al Masland and Beth Ann Bruno; third row - Chuck Bussard, Sherwood McGinnis, Greg Lewis and Stephanie Chertok. Not pictured are Lu Conser and Cindy Murphy.

Free Tax Preparation

Fridays through April 13, 1:00-4:00 pm

Bosler is pleased to once again be a site for the United Way of the Capital Region's free tax preparation.

Low to moderate-income individuals and families with a yearly income of \$54,000 or less are eligible to receive FREE tax preparation from IRS certified volunteers through the Money in Your Pocket (MIYP) program. Learn more at the link below.

Tax preparation is available at Bosler on Fridays from 1 - 4 pm. Appointments are required. Please call (717) 254-8781 to make an appointment. Do not call the Library to make the appointment.

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Bosler Library Receives Donation from Orrstown Bank

Orrstown Bank has donated \$5,000 again this year to Bosler Memorial Library through Pennsylvania's Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) program in support of several educational programs for school-age children.



"We are very excited that the recent donation from Orrstown Bank will allow us to implement a new program called Meet the Composer," said Melissa Killinger, Assistant Director, Youth and Family Services. "This five-class program was approved for EITC funding a couple of years ago, but to jump start a new program such as this requires a sizeable amount of funding for the first year. We have been waiting for just the right donation to come in to add Meet the Composer to our growing list of school-age programming, and we are thrilled that our longtime supporter Orrstown Bank has made the contribution that will make this possible."

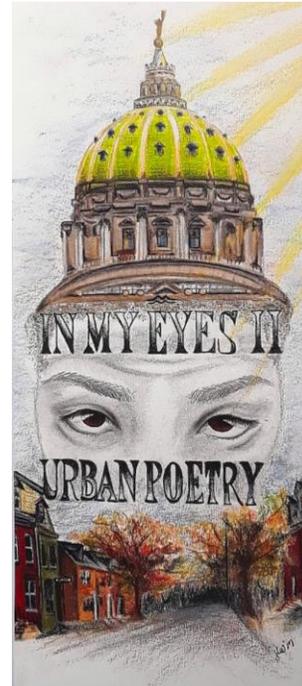
Jeffrey Gayman (left) and Reed VanDerlyke (right) from Orrstown Bank presented the check to Bosler Library's Executive Director Jeffrey Swope (center) on February 15.

In My Eyes

March 12, 6:30 pm

Author, poet, rapper and youth mentor Julian "Juelz" Davenport (aka Dæm Write) is a graduate of the hardcore streets of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania's South Allison Hill - an expensive education by any measure, with gated room and board provided by The County. Learned in the costly consequences of violating the system, his time is now honorably spent dedicated to teaching at-risk youth about how to best apply constructive changes to ingrained perceptions about personal responsibility.

As demonstrated in his self-reflective book *In My Eyes* and through critically acclaimed rap music followed by thousands around the world, he uses the Power of Words in a patois essential for effectively connecting with today's hip-hop generation. Juelz uniquely facilitates a highly-relatable, interactive presentation that inspires positive hearts and minds.



This program is free and open to the public. No registration required.

Smart Money Management

March 19, 7:00 pm

What's important about money to you? A seemingly simple question, it's highly likely to elicit a range of responses depending upon one's personal priorities.

From building wealth to college funding to engaging social responsibility, the spectrum is vast and open to wide interpretation. While the answers to this query can vary widely, this much is certain: smart money management should matter to you - today, tomorrow and well beyond.

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Celebrate The Book Week!
A Bosler & Friends Book Festival

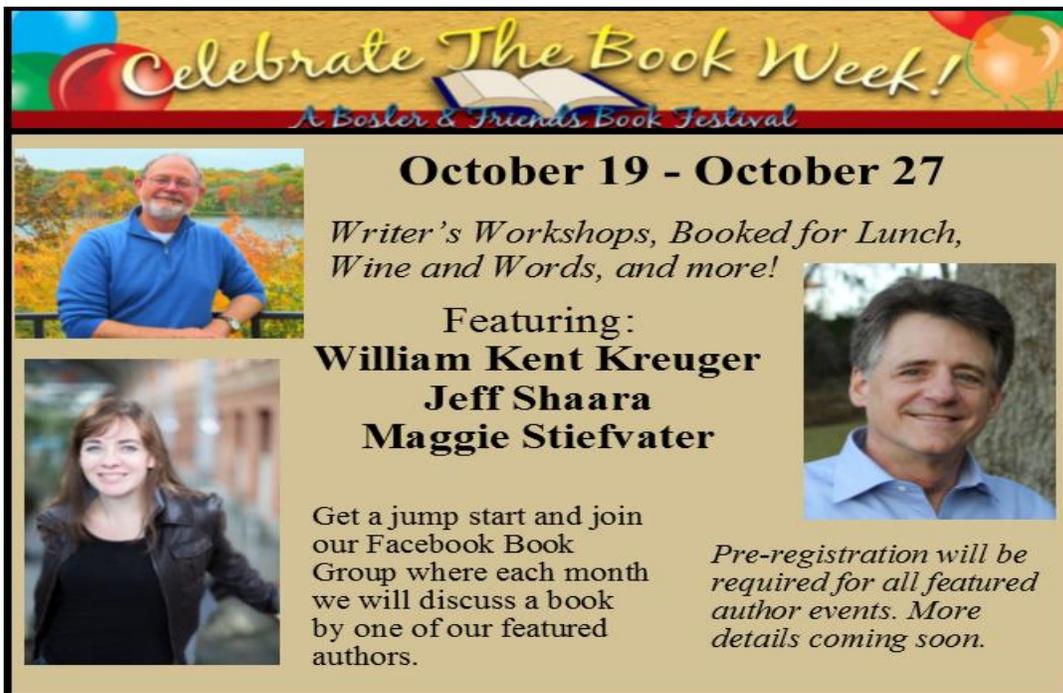
October 19 - October 27

Writer's Workshops, Booked for Lunch, Wine and Words, and more!

Featuring:
William Kent Kreuger
Jeff Shaara
Maggie Stiefvater

Get a jump start and join our Facebook Book Group where each month we will discuss a book by one of our featured authors.

Pre-registration will be required for all featured author events. More details coming soon.



Online Book Group

Join our special online book group! Each month we will select a title from one of our Celebrate the Book Week featured authors and post discussion questions throughout the month. February's title is **Ordinary Grace** by William Kent Krueger. Click below to join the group.

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Attention: Knitters/Crocheters

Need your help and/or yarn for special Friends project. Call Claudia Kyle 717-512-1886 for details.

Upcoming Library Closings

April 1 - Easter Sunday
April 18 - Staff Training

Bosler Memorial Library, 158 West High Street, Carlisle, PA 17013