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of the  
Greene County Library**



**NEWSLETTER  
JULY/AUGUST 2017**

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**NEW LIBRARY HOURS.** Effective July 1, 2017, with the addition of four hours weekly, the Greene Branch will be open as follows:

Monday & Tuesday – 12-8:00 pm  
Wednesday & Thursday – 10 am-6:00 pm  
Friday & Saturday – 9 am-5:00 pm

Lisa Cornet is the newest library staff member...stop in and say hello.

**BEYOND THE BOOKS.** The summer edition of *Beyond the Books* which covers programs and events at all JMRL branches through August is now available at the library.

**INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS.** A full day of fun activities is planned for the July 4 celebration. Be sure to check out the Town of Stanardsville web site for the listing of events. (The library will be closed on the 4<sup>th</sup>).

**FIRST THURSDAY BOOK GROUP. July 6:** *Year of Wonders: A Novel of the Plague* by Geraldine Brooks.  
(No book group scheduled in August.)



**FRIDAY FILM SERIES. July 14:** 20<sup>th</sup> Century Women 2016). The story of a teenage boy, his mother, and two other women who help raise him among the love and freedom of Southern California of 1979.  
(No title yet selected for August.)

**THURSDAY AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.** The summer performers at Greene Branch (July 6, 13, 20, 27 and August 3) are listed on page 2 of *Beyond the Books*.

**BEACH READS.** The *Book Page* publication has named the following lighthearted novels of family secrets and life-changing summers as some of the best beach reads for the season. Enjoy the beach and the books!

*The Forever Summer* by Jamie Brenner

*The Sunshine Sisters* by Jane Green

*The Shark Club* by Ann Kidd Taylor

**ATTENTION CAT LOVERS.** The Madison-Greene Humane Society has a large variety of sweet cats just waiting for you to come in and adopt. The Society is a wonderful organization that saves the lives of about 300 cats yearly.

**FRIENDS MEMBERSHIPS.** Don't forget to renew your annual membership when you receive a reminder postcard.



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George Carlin

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