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NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK
Join the Circle of Knowledge @ your library!
APRIL 13-19, 2008

Batavia, OH – National Library Week is April 13-19, a time to celebrate the contributions of libraries, librarians and library workers in schools, campuses and communities nationwide - and the perfect time to discover how you can join the circle of knowledge @ your library.

Little Nutbrown Hare from the children's book *Guess How Much I Love You* by Sam McBratney will be visiting select Clermont County Public Library branches to celebrate National Library Week this year. Bring your camera and have your child's picture taken with this beloved book character! Crafts will also be provided.

“Everyday, libraries in big cities and small towns, colleges and universities, in schools and in businesses help transform their communities,” says Cindy Mahaffey, Systemwide Programmer. “At our library, people of all backgrounds can come together for community meetings, lectures and programs, to do research with the assistance of a trained professional, or to find homework help.

First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries across the country each April.

Little Nutbrown Hare visits:

Batavia (732-2128) – Wednesday, April 16th, 7:00 p.m.

Bethel (734-2619) – Tuesday, April 15th, 11:00 a.m.

Goshen (722-1221) – Thursday, April 17th, 11:00 a.m.

Milford (248-0700) – Friday, April 18th, 11:00 a.m.

New Richmond (553-0570) – Saturday, April 19th, 10:30 a.m.

Union Township (528-1744) – Tuesday, April 15th, 7:00 p.m.

Williamsburg (724-1070) – Monday, April 14th, 7:00 p.m.

Call now to register to see Little Nutbrown Hare!

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Also celebrating National Library Week:

Amelia (752-5580) – Saturday, April 19th, 2:00 p.m.

The Cat and the Hat visits the Amelia branch for a special storytime and snacks. Don't miss it! Call the Amelia Branch to register for this event.

Owensville (732-6084) – Monday – Saturday, April 14-19

Join the Owensville branch for a **scavenger hunt!** Come in each day during National Library Week and receive an entry form and a chance to win a prize during the week-long scavenger hunt. Grades K – 12 only.

Felicity (876-4134) – Monday – Saturday, April 14-19

O! Picture This Contest: Stop in and identify famous and common circles from our bulletin board montage and win circular prizes!

The Clermont County Public Library strives to provide innovative access to information and services that stimulate the diverse educational, informational, and recreational needs and interests of the community. Further, the library seeks to be an integral part of the community in cooperation with other community organizations.

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