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DID YOU KNOW?

The Library has an online Obituary Index Database which compiles the obituary information from the *Frankfort State Journal*. Records include name, date of birth, date of death, and obituary date. Indexing begins with January 2008 and new records are added on a regular basis.

SUBJECT SUGGESTIONS

Check out a book on these monthly subjects!

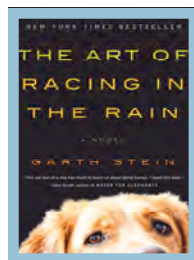
Poetry
Home Decorating
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One Book, One Bluegrass!

During the month of April, PSPL will be participating in the One Book One Bluegrass Community Reading Project.

One Book One Bluegrass is a project of the public libraries of Central



Kentucky, encouraging everyone in the region to read and discuss our selected

book and attend related programs.

This year's book selection is *The Art of Racing in the Rain* by Garth Stein. Get involved by reading the book or attending one of the many special programs offered throughout the month. All ages are welcome to participate! Copies of the book and event schedules are available to

pick up at the Library.

For more information on One Book One Bluegrass, please contact Diane Dehoney at 352-2665x108 or diane@pspl.org. You can also visit the One Book One Bluegrass website at <http://www.lexpublib.org/onebookonebluegrass2011>.

Downloadable Videos

Kentucky Libraries Unbound has experienced a digital explosion of online traffic, particularly with ebooks. But did you know that you can also check out and download videos and movies?

We have some great classic movies available such as John Wayne's *Blue Steel* and *Riders of Destiny* and a selection of Orson Welles' mysteries.

Many children's movies are also included in the digital media catalog; there are

short videos of favorite books such as *Wheels on the Bus* and *Corduroy*, and longer features such as *Here Come the Littles* and *The Secret Garden*.

Also, take a look at the collection of feature films which includes the genres of suspense, mystery, western, horror, and drama. We're sure that you will find something interesting!

As with other media through Kentucky Libraries Unbound, you log-in with

your library card number and PIN to check out digital titles. Each digital title automatically expires at the end of the check out period, so you never have to worry about returning it.

If you have any questions about Kentucky Libraries Unbound, contact the Information desk at 502-352-2665. We would be glad to help!

Easter Closing Announcement

The Library will close at noon on Good Friday, April 22.

We will be open 9:00am-5:00pm on Saturday, April 23.

The Library will be closed on Sunday, April 24, in observance of Easter.



Upcoming Adult Programs



eBooks and eReaders: What to do?

Friday, April 8 @ 10:00am
 Tuesday, May 3 @ 6:00pm
 Library Community Room

50 Books to Read Before Kindergarten and How to Use Them in Your Classroom.

Registration Required. Contact Youth Services Desk @ 502-352-2665 X 205
 Thursday, April 28 @ 6:00pm

Upcoming Children & Youth Programs



All events will be in Youth Program Room.

Teen Advisory Group (TAG)

Grades 6-12.
 Friday, April 1 @ 4:00pm

Blast From the Past: Make GAK

Registration Required. (Sign-ups begin March 28). Grades 6-12.
 Tuesday, April 5 @ 4:30pm

Teens Create: Rubber Band Bracelets

Registration Required. (Sign-ups begin March 28). Grades 6-8.
 Wednesday, April 6 @ 4:30pm

Chess Club

All ages & skill-levels.
 Thursdays @ 4:00pm

Teens Create: Decorated Eggs

Registration Required. (Sign-ups begin April 4). Grades 6-12.
 Tuesday, April 12 @ 4:30pm

Do You DS?

Ages 8-12. Bring your DS!
 Saturday, April 16 @ 1:00pm

Paper Crafting for Tweens

Registration Required. (Sign-ups begin April 11). Grades 8-12.
 Tuesday, April 19 @ 4:00pm

Cats and Birds

Registration Required. (Signups begin April 11). Ages 3-4.
 Wednesday, April 20 @ 11:00am

Teens Create: Window Screens

Registration Required. (Sign-ups begin April 11). Grades 6-12.
 Wednesday, April 20 @ 4:30pm

Family Game Night

Families with children of all ages.
 Monday, April 25 @ 6:30pm
 Youth Program Room

Spring Story Hours!

Story hour sessions continue through **April 15**.
 Registration is required.

Book Babies

Ages birth-12 months
 Tuesdays @ 10:00am

Mother Goose Time

Ages birth-24 months
 Thursdays @ 11:00am

Parents and Tots

Ages 2-3 years
 Tuesdays @ 6:30pm
 OR Thursdays @ 10:00am

Storytime

Ages 4-5 years
 Wednesdays @ 11:00am

Family Fun Night

Families and children
 ages 4 & up
 Thursdays @ 6:30pm

Check out the newsletter insert for great **ONE BOOK, ONE BLUEGRASS** programs — fun activities & events for children, adults, and families!

Computer Classes



Free and open to the public.
 Classes are held in the Library Computer Lab.

Word Processing

Tuesday, April 5 @ 1:00pm

Computers 101

Tuesday, April 12 @ 9:30am

Flash Drives, Jump Drives, and Thumb Drives

Wednesday, April 13 @ 6:30pm
 Library Computer Lab

Excel

Thursday, April 14 @ 3:00pm

Facebook

Thursday, April 19 @ 1:00pm

Check Us Out: Using the Online Catalog

Thursday, April 28 @ 2:00pm

1 Book BLUEGRASS

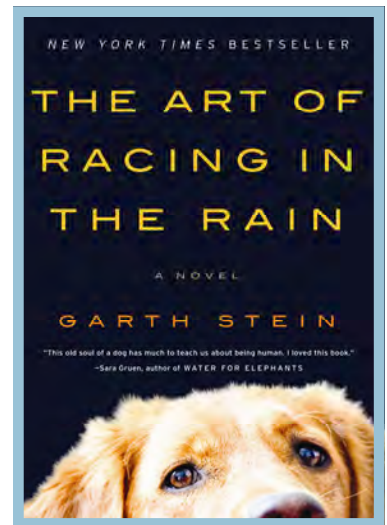
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ABOUT THE BOOK: *THE ART OF RACING IN THE RAIN*

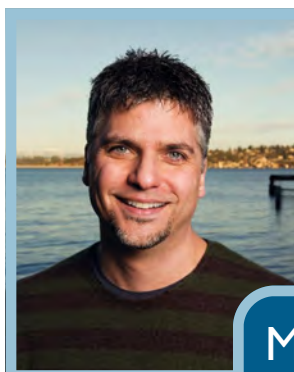
Enzo knows he is different from the other dogs: a philosopher with a nearly human soul (and an obsession with opposable thumbs), he has educated himself by watching television extensively and by listening very closely to the words of his master, Denny Swift, an up-and-coming race car driver. Through Denny, Enzo has gained tremendous insight into the human condition, and he sees

that life, like racing, isn't simply about going fast. Using techniques needed on the race track, one can successfully navigate all of life's ordeals. A heart-wrenching but deeply funny and ultimately uplifting story of family, love, loyalty, and hope, *The Art of Racing in the Rain* is a beautifully crafted and captivating look at the wonders and absurdities of human life ... as only a dog could tell it.



ABOUT THE AUTHOR: GARTH STEIN

Garth Stein is the author of the New York Times best selling literary novel, *The Art of Racing in the Rain*. Now published in 23 lan-



guages, *The Art of Racing in the Rain* was the #1 *BookSense* selection

Meet the Author!

Skype interview with Garth Stein
Tuesday, April 19 @ 6:30pm
Lexington Central Library Theater

for June, 2008, the Starbucks spring/summer 2008 book selection, and has been on the *Indie-Bound™* bestseller list since its publication.

Stein's previous novel, *How Evan Broke His Head and Other Secrets* won a Pacific Northwest Booksellers Association Award, and was a *Book-Sense* pick in both hardcover and paperback. *Raven Stole the Moon* was Stein's first novel. He has also written a full-length

play, *Brother Jones*, and produced a number of award-winning documentaries.

With an M.F.A. in film from Columbia University (1990), Garth worked as a documentary film maker for several years, and directed, produced, or co-produced several award winning films.

Stein was born in Los Angeles and raised in Seattle. After spending his childhood in Seattle and then living in New York City for 18 years, Garth returned to Seattle, where he currently lives with his wife, three sons, and their dog, Comet.

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Upcoming Adult Programs

Pet First Aid Workshop

Presented by the American Red Cross, this workshop builds first aid skills and provides guidance for emergency situations until veterinary care is available. This training session offers information

dog and cat owners can trust to keep their pets safe and healthy. *Registration is required along with a \$10 registration fee.*
 Saturday, April 9 @ 9:00am
 Saturday, April 16 @ 9:00am
 Library Community Room

The Art of Racing in the Rain Book Discussion

No registration required.
 Thursday, April 21 @ 1:00pm
 Tuesday, April 26 @ 6:30pm
 Library Community Room

Upcoming Children & Youth Programs

Paws Up and Read

Join the Library and Pawsibilities Unleashed Pet Therapy Teams and read to a specially trained dog! Children who are able to read are invited to read to dogs that are trained to have a gentle disposition and are willing listeners. *No registration required.*
 Saturday, April 9 @ 10:00am
 Saturday, April 23 @ 10:00am

Baby Pets

A storyhour for babies, newborn to 24 months, & their caretakers! *Registration is required.* (Sign-ups begin on Monday, April 18).
 Tuesday, April 26 @ 10:00am



All events will be in Youth Program Room.

Imagination Stations: Pets

Kids, ages 4-5, can pretend to visit the veterinarian, pet supply store and pet groomer! *Registration is required.* (Sign-ups begin on Monday, April 18).
 Tuesday, April 26 @ 6:30pm
 Friday, April 29 @ 11:00am



Upcoming Family Programs

So You Want to Adopt a Dog...

Thinking about adopting a dog, but not sure where to start? Join us for an informational session presented by Pawsibilities Unleashed! Learn how to choose the dog that is right for you, how to prepare for its arrival, and

what to do once you bring it home.

No registration required.
 Wednesday, April 6 @ 1:00pm
 Monday, April 18 @ 6:00pm
 Library Community Room

Pet Adoption Drive

Let PSPL and the Franklin County

Humane Society help introduce you to your new forever friend! Both cats and dogs will be on hand for adoption. Flea dip and nail clipping services will also be available. Open to the public. No registration required.
 Saturday, April 30 @ 10am- 3pm
 Library Parking Garage

Book Clubs & Discussion Groups

Film Discussion Group

Henry V starring Kenneth Branagh, Ian Holm, and Christian Bale.
Thursday, April 14
@ 6:30pm
Registration Required
Library Community Room

Breakfast with a Book

The Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin
by Benjamin Franklin
Saturday, April 30
@ 9:30am
Registration Required
Library Community Room

Kentucky Authors Book Group

The Hurting Part
by Silas House
Thursday, April 21
@ 6:30pm
Registration Required
Library Community Room

Mystery Readers Group

The Surgeon
by Tess Gerritsen
Monday, April 25
@ 7:00pm
Sower Board Room



April New Releases

City of Fallen Angels by Cassandra Clare (Apr 5)

The Fifth Witness by Michael Connelly (Apr 5)

44 Charles Street by Danielle Steel (Apr 5)

I'll Walk Alone by Mary Higgins Clark (Apr 5)

Chasing Fire by Nora Roberts (Apr 12)

Save Me by Lisa Scottoline (Apr 12)

Quicksilver by Amanda Quick (Apr 19)

The Sixth Man by David Baldacci (Apr 19)

Hot Picks, Popular Reads

Call Me Irresistible
by Susan Elizabeth Phillips

A Discovery of Witches by Deborah Harkness

The Hunger Games
by Suzanne Collins

The Memory Keeper's Daughter by Kim Edwards

Ship Breaker by Paolo Bacigalupi

River Marked by Patricia Briggs
Toys by James Patterson

"There are many little ways to enlarge your child's world. Love of books is the best of all."
— Jacqueline Kennedy

Don't Forget! March Programs & Classes

Family Game Night

Families with children of all ages.
Monday, March 21 @ 6:30pm
Youth Program Room

Celebrate Snail Mail

Registration Required. Grades 6-12.
Tuesday, March 22 @ 4:30pm
Youth Program Room

Internet 101

Tuesday, March 22 @ 1:00pm
Library Computer Lab

Heirloom Seed Workshop

Registration Required
Tuesday, March 22 @ 6:00pm
Library Community Room



Flash Drives, Jump Drives, and Thumb Drives

Thursday, March 24 @ 9:30am
Library Computer Lab

Spring Celebration

Registration Required. Ages 4 & up.
Friday, March 25 @ 11:00am
Youth Program Room

Breakfast with a Book

Registration Required.
The Stranger by Albert Camus
Saturday, March 26 @ 9:30am
Library Community Room

Teen Cupcake Camp

Registration Required. (Sign-ups begin March 21) Grades 6-12.
Monday, March 28 @ 6:30pm
Youth Program Room

Mystery Readers Group

Hostage Zero by John Gilstrap
Monday, March 28 @ 7:00pm
Sower Board Room

An Evening with Silas House

Tuesday, March 29 @ 6:30pm
First United Methodist Church
Wesley Center

Email 101

Thursday, March 31 @ 9:30am
Library Computer Lab

Library Fun in Pictures...



Children (left) made Valentine cards and other crafts on Feb 10.



Patrons (left) gathered around for a seminar led by Maria Willey on diet and nutrition on Feb 22.

Children (right) had a great time celebrating Dr. Seuss's birthday on March 2. Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss!



Patrons (right) had a great time making a matching necklace, bracelet, and earring set at the Jewelry Workshop on March 7.



Look who's come to the Library for the Book Baby story time (left)! March 8.



Miss Penny (above) demonstrated our new Early Literacy Station computers for children.

Fun Fact! Paul Sawyer Public Library Trivia

How much do you want to know about dogs and puppies? Searching in the Library catalog, you can find 282 titles and a wide range of topics on man's best friend. Go take a look!