



**NEWS FROM THE KEESEVILLE FREE LIBRARY JANUARY 2024 VOL 2, ISSUE 1**

**"THE ONLY THING YOU ABSOLUTELY HAVE TO KNOW IS THE LOCATION OF THE LIBRARY." -Albert Einstein**

**A NOTE FROM OUR DIRECTOR**

*I am excited about 2024 and hope to see even more people at the library in the months ahead. I am looking forward to building stronger relationships and community around the library. Recently, the library served as a pickup location for Sand River Community Farm's frozen lamb stew. We were able to distribute over 50 quarts of stew to the community. Thank you, Adam, for the work you are doing and for including the library in your mission. I'm going to leave you with a quote I was sent by a friend. "A library card is a powerful weapon to change lives. With it, we learn to value what we have, to mourn what we have lost and to dream of what we might become." -Val McDermid  
Happy New Year!! Robyn*

**Library Wish List**

-Handyman tools  
-Someone to teach crocheting  
If you can donate, please call the library to let us know. Thank you.

**Library Hours**

Sunday CLOSED  
Monday CLOSED  
Tuesday 10-6  
Wednesday 10-5  
Thursday 10-5  
Friday 10-5  
Saturday 9-3



Getting Ready For Winter

**January Art Exhibit**

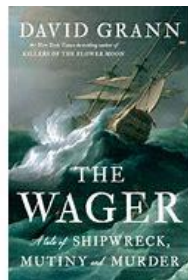
This month we are featuring the artwork of Keene Valley Porch Studio. Ann Hearden and her mother Margaret Hearden run this small shop that offers handspun yarn, original acrylic paintings, and handmade gifts.

**Book of the Month**

**The Wager**

By David Grann

A page turning true story of shipwreck, survival, and savagery, culminating in a court martial that reveals a shocking truth.



**Walking Into Wellness**

Start off the new year with like minded community members who want to improve their health through walking. Participants will receive a pedometer and walking log and lots of friendly support.

**JANUARY CALENDAR**

**1/9 Music by Fulton's Folly**

Being hosted at the AuSable Valley Grange 6:30-8pm

**1/10 & 1/24 Wellness**

**Wednesday - Walking into**

**Wellness with Robyn** 11am-

12pm. This will be 6 week walking challenge.

**1/13 Paint with Steven Dorr!**

11am-1pm. For children ages 5-10  
Painting a cardinal. \*

**1/16 Technology Tuesday** with

Romeyn Prescott 6pm\*

**1/17 Creative Writing Workshop**

Self-guided discussion on current work 6:30-8pm\*

**1/18 Wool Spinning**

Demonstration by Ann Hearden of Keene Valley Porch Studio 1pm

**1/23 Financial Education Part II**

with Maggie Pope of MVFCU  
6-8 pm\*

**1/24 Making a Vision Board with**

**Robyn** Come learn about Vision Boards and how to create one. 6-8pm \*

**1/27 Kids Art Workshop with Jodi**

**Lattrell.** 11am-1pm For children ages 5-10.

**CHILDREN'S STORY HOUR**

TUESDAYS 10-11am

**KNITTING CLASS**

THURSDAYS 10-11:30AM\*

**\*CALL THE LIBRARY FOR**

**MORE INFORMATION OR TO**

**REGISTER FOR A WORKSHOP**

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