

# The Fine Print

South Hadley Public Library  
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July/August 2009

## Former NASA Administrator to Speak on July 21<sup>st</sup>

The head of NASA during the Carter administration will speak at the library on **Tuesday, July 21 at 6:30.**

Dr. Robert Frosch served as NASA Administrator from 1977-1981. While at NASA, Dr. Frosch was responsible for overseeing the continuation of the development effort on the Space Shuttle. During his tenure the project underwent testing of the first orbiter, Enterprise,

at NASA's Dryden Flight Research Facility in southern California. The orbiter made its first free flight in the atmosphere on August 12, 1977.

Dr. Frosch has also served as an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Assistant Secretary General of the United Nations, and Vice-President of General Motors. He is still active in scientific and technical policy activities, serving as a Senior Associate at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard.

## Peter Biedermann ~ Solo Guitar Concert ~ Monday, July 20th @6:30



With over 30 years experience writing and performing acoustic music, Peter will perform original acoustic fingerstyle pieces in unique tunings on various 6 and 12 string guitars.

## International Film Series

Our 3rd annual summer series returns with four acclaimed films from around the world. **All films begin @6:00** and are show in their original language with English subtitles. Enjoy free soda and popcorn in our air-conditioned meeting room!

### Monday Aug. 10:

Days and Clouds (Italy)

### Wednesday Aug. 12:

Lake Tahoe (Mexico)

### Monday Aug. 17:

Under the Bombs (Lebanon)

### Wednesday Aug. 19:

The Drummer (Hong Kong)

## Starship Adventure Continues

Even though the summer reading program "Starship Adventure @ Your Library" officially ends on August 1st, the adventure continues throughout August with more programs.

For our teenage patrons we'll be having a Binocular Star Gaze on **Monday, August 17th** at Dusk. The location and exact time will be announced to teens

when they sign up. Participants will need to provide their own binoculars in order to come to this program. They can sign up at the library or by calling 538-5045.

Drop-in crafts for all ages will be offered on **Thursday, August 13th** and **Thursday, August 20th** from 1:00PM – 3:00PM. No pre-registration is

necessary for these two craft programs.

Watch the Youth Services Bulletin Board on the ramp into the Youth Room for when we'll be having our annual Monarch butterfly releases!

Our weekly pre-school story times will continue throughout the summer on each **Thursday morning at 10:30AM.**

**Special THANKS to the Friends of the Library for sponsoring our public programs!**



## Scholastic Book Fair: August 4—8

Support the Friends of the Library during our Summer Book Fair to be held during regular library hours beginning Tuesday, August 4th and ending Saturday, August 8th.



A large selection of best-selling titles and popular authors for children, teens, and adults will be offered at terrific prices with all proceeds benefiting the Friends and their support of library programs and services.

### Preservation & Care of Family Records

On **Tuesday, July 14th at 2:00** join staff archivists from the Massachusetts State Archives for a free workshop that will offer tips on how to organize and care for paper records, photographs, and other media materials. The presenters will discuss various types of paper records including a range of photographs from daguerreotypes to Polaroids, as well as digital records including digital photographs and family history websites and software. Practical advice on archival supplies, scrap-booking, and photo albums will aid most local historians and genealogists who are taking care of their own family tree. Need help taking care of your family tree—we'll see you at the workshop!



**Kids**—Don't forget to visit the Youth Room each week to pick up your reading reward and enter our weekly raffle for great prizes!

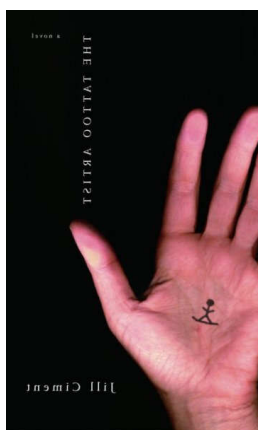
### Know Your Employer's Retirement Plan Seminar

Edward Jones financial advisors will be hosting a free 60-minute educational seminar titled *Roll It, Take It, Leave It, Move It: Know Your Employer's Retirement Plan Options* at **6:30 on Wednesday, July 22nd**.

During the seminar, participants will learn **m o r e a b o u t**: the five most common distribution options; how to avoid having the IRS withhold 20% of your retirement distribution; special considerations if you own employer stock; and factoring taxes, penalties and investment options into your decision.

This seminar is free, but space is limited. To make a reservation, call financial advisor **N o r m S t a f f o r d** at 413/536-2494.

### Summer Book Club: The Tattoo Artist



The SHPL Book Club meets this summer on **M o n d a y , August 4th @6:30** to discuss Jill Ciment's book *The Tattoo Artist*. Copies will be available near the new book section approximately 3 weeks prior to the discussion.



**New at the Library:**  
Check out the electronic magnifier for enlarging images from printed material—located near the Reference Desk.

**Red Cross Blood Drive:**  
Monday August 24  
12:00—6:00  
Make a reservation at  
1-800-448-3543  
[www.givelife.org](http://www.givelife.org)

