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A POETRY, PROSE READING WITH STEVE COFFMAN SET FOR JUNE 30 AT LIBRARY

As part of a new, ongoing series called Poetry in the Afternoon, writer Steve Coffman will give a poetry and prose reading on June 30 from 1-3 p.m. at the library.

Coffman, who grew up in South Bend, Indiana, has won three Avery Hopwood creative writing awards. He has also seen several of his plays produced including one at the Smithsonian Institution.

His published works include but are not limited to political and country living memoirs as well as collections of poetry. His most recent work, *Off to a Bang* (2012), a collection of poetry, will be available for purchase at the reading. Coffman's next book, *Words of the Founders*, is due to be published in late summer or fall of 2012.

He currently lives with his wife and two children in Yates County, NY.

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