Coming soon at the Finnish American Heritage Center:

11 Feb - A Spectacular Group Suicide (Hurmaava joukkoistemurha), a slightly dark Finnish comedy based on a novel by the same name by Arto Paasilinna is the Finnish American Heritage Center's February offering for the Nordic Film Series. The film is in Finnish with English subtitles, with showings at 2pm and 6pm

Community Enrichment classes resume in February

Finnish I: Tuesdays at 5:30 pm

Finnish I is designed for people with little or no background in the Finnish language. The class meets for 10 weeks on Tuesday evenings at 5:30.

Finnish II: Tuesdays at 5:30 pm

Finnish II, or Intermediate Finnish, is a class intended for folks with some Finnish language skill. This group will meet on Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. for 10 weeks.

Advanced Finnish Conversation and Grammar Group: Tuesdays at 7pm

This group is designed for those who are already somewhat fluent but want to sharpen their grammar and vocabulary skills. Prospective students may try either course to determine which group suits them best.

Beginning Swedish: Mondays at 5:30

For beginning, or near beginning students

5-String kantele: Wednesdays at 5:30

If you can count to five you can play the kantele, the national instrument of Finland.

For more information about FAHC enrichment programming, call (906) 487-7549 weekdays between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Calling all U.P. authors and publishers:

Finlandia University is seeking authors and publishers from the Upper Peninsula of Michigan to attend the Writers of the Northern Persuasion all-author forum for a free bookselling opportunity. The event will take place Saturday, April 9 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Finnish American Heritage Center in Hancock.