Rangeley Public Library

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FEBRUARY 2019 NEWSLETTER

Dear Patron,

In my ongoing attempt to be a better library director, I am currently taking a class on digital imaging. Unlike a traditional class, this class does not have a set list of things I must learn. Rather, it offers some textbook articles to read each week, and from there, I am to choose the two topics about which I know the least and research those topics. First of all, let me say that I know almost nothing about digital imaging, so the list of possible topics is almost endless! Secondly, while the structure of this class is a bit intimidating (it is so wide open!), the teacher in me says that this is an excellent way to get students to "own" their education and not just do whatever is necessary to get an "A".

Education within the public library, often referred to as the "people's university", works in much the same way. Find a topic that interests you, and begin learning. Look for books and magazines on the local library's shelves, seek information from other libraries through interlibrary loan, or access online databases provided through the state library. Whatever you do, don't let the fact that a teacher is not there holding a grade over your head stop you from learning what you want to know. Self-motivated learners always learn more than students who are force-fed information. Find out what you don't know and begin learning today!

Janet Wilson, Director

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ONGOING PROGRAMS

Book Groups - 3rd Weds. at 10:00 AM and last Weds. at 4:00 PM OWL Club - Every Thurs. at 2:45 PM Preschool Story Hour - Every Thurs. & Fri. at 10:00 AM

Book Groups

Rangeley Readers will discuss The Orphan's Tale by Pam Jenoff on February 20th at 10:00 AM

Adventure Book Group will discuss Radium Girls by Kate Moore on February 27th at 4:00 PM

LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday: 10AM-4:30PM ~ Wednesday: 10AM-7PM Thursday & Friday: 10AM-4:30PM ~ Saturday: 10AM-2PM

MEDIA COMING IN FEBRUARY

Adult Fiction

The Smiling Man (Aidan Watts #2) by Joseph Knox Connections in Death (In Death #48) by J.D. Robb The Friend

by Sigrid Nunez The Lost Girls of Paris by Pam Jenoff Out of the Dark (Orphan X #4) by Greg Hurwitz The Rule of Law by John Lescroart 48 Hours by William R. Forstchen Judgement by Joseph Finder The Lost Man by Jane Harper No Exit by Taylor Adams Dark Water Rising by Sharon Sala The Conspiracy (Maximum Security #1) by Kat Martin The Kingdom of Copper (Daevabad Trilogy #1) by S.A. Chakraborty Black Leopard, Red Wolf (Dark Star Trilogy #1) by Marlon James The Falcon of Sparta by Conn Iggulden The Eulogist by Terry Gamble The Line Between by Tosca Lee True Fiction (lan Ludlow #1) by Lee Goldberg A Dog Called Jack by Ivy Pembroke Scrublands by Chris Hammer A Spy in Exile by Jonathan De Shalit

The Nowhere Child by Christian White Bowlaway by Elizabeth McCracken The Heavens by Sandra Newman The Current by Tim Johnston The Curse of Misty Wayfair by Jaime Jo Wright Finding Dorothy by Elizabeth Letts Watcher in the Woods (Casey Duncan #4) by Kelley Armstrong The Girl in the Glass Box by James Grippando

Adult Nonfiction

A Serial Killer's Daughter by Kerri Rawson When Death Becomes Life by Joshua Mezrich Heirs of the Founders by H.W. Brands Prisoner: My 544 Days in an Iranian Prison by Jason Rezaian Grateful American by Gary Sinise The Truths We Hold by Kamela Harris The Feather Thief by Kirk Wallace Johnson

> Young Adult On the Come Up by Angie Thomas The Vanishing Stair

(Truly Devious #2) by Maureen Johnson

Older Kids The End of the World and Beyond by Avi Tales From a Not-So-Happy Birthday by Rachel Renee Russell Know-Nonsense Guide to Space by Heidi Fiedler Scream & Scream Again by R.L. Stine

Younger Kids

Narwhal's Otter Friend (Narwhal & Jelly #4) by Ben Clanton Look Up with Me: Neil DeGrasse Tyson by Jennifer Berne The Boxcar Children (Time to Read Lev. 2) by Gertrude Chandler Warner Follow the Trail: Baby Dinosaurs by DK

Audio Books

Night Tiger by Yangsze Choo *True Fiction* (Ian Ludlow #1) by Lee Goldberg

DVDs

What They Had Black '47 Bohemian Rhapsody Pinkalicious & Peterrific: Pinktastic Pets Johnny English Strikes Again Game of Thrones (Season 2 replacement)

LIBRARY FUNDRAISING

Annual Spaghetti Supper featuring Cerminara family's authentic Italian sauce Sat. Feb. 16, 5-7:00 PM at Church of the Good Shepherd All proceeds benefit Rangeley Public Library

Next Phonebook comes out in May 2019!

Make changes to your listing now! Go to the link below to make any corrections to your phone number or address before the next edition of the phone book comes out.

Change of Address Form

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