



RANGELEY PUBLIC LIBRARY December 2021 Newsletter



Dear Scott,

I need some input from you regarding a possible program for the library. I am thinking about having a "What's It Worth" Appraisal Program in the coming year. This program would be like an Antique Road Show appraisal event where attendees could each bring one or two items that they would like to have appraised. Since the presenter, Mike Ivankovich, lives in Pennsylvania, our event would be by Zoom, so people could choose to come to the library or join from home. I am looking for 25 to 30 people who would want to participate by showing their old/antique treasures for appraisal. If you think that you would be interested, please give me a call (207-864-5529) or email me. If we have sufficient interest, I will set up a program for sometime in 2022.

Happy Reading,

Janet Wilson, Director
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Take a Deep Breath

The next time you are in the library, you can breathe more freely. Thanks to a generous patron donation and a grant from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), we have five new air purifiers in the building. They work quietly and inconspicuously throughout the day to make sure that the air we breathe is clean and healthy. Ahhh.

LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday - Friday 10:00-4:30

Saturday 10:00-2:00

Last Wednesday of the month 10:00-7:00

Closed December 25th & January 1st

PROGRAMS

ADULT BOOK GROUPS

Rangeley Readers
3rd Wednesday @10:00 AM

Adventure Book Group
Last Wednesday @4:00 PM

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

OWL Club
Thursdays @ 3:00 PM

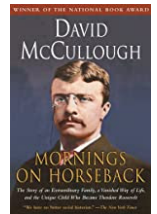
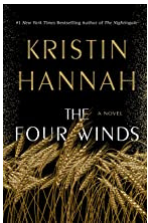
Preschool Story Hour
Fridays @ 10:00 AM

December Book Discussions

Wednesday, December 15th, 3:00 PM* Rangeley Readers will discuss *The Four Winds* by Kristin Hannah.

*Note new time!

Wednesday, December 29th, 4:00 PM Adventure Book Club will discuss *Mornings on Horseback* by David McCullough.



LIBRARY RESOURCES



Announcing ComicsPlus!

Online Graphic Novel Collection

To create an account in ComicsPlus!, just visit our [website](#), hover over "Resources", then "Online Partners/E-Books", then click on ComicsPlus! This will direct you to choose your library, then enter your account number. From there you can create your own password to get into ComicsPlus! and begin reading! You will find graphic novels for many different age groups and on many different topics, both fiction and nonfiction. Let us know if you need any help, and we will be happy to assist you.

- **Parent Warning:** Because this resource has books for both children and adults, parents may not feel comfortable with all of the content to which their children have access. It is recommended that you preview this site to determine what is appropriate for your child.

NEW MEDIA IN DECEMBER

Adult Fiction

Fear No Evil by James Patterson
Behold a Pale Horse by Milton B. Hyde
Flying Angels by Danielle Steel
Go Tell the Bees That I Am Gone by Diana Gabaldon
Christmas Bookshop by Jenny Colgan
Autopsy (Kay Scarpetta #25) by Patricia Daniels Cornwell
The Midnight Lock by Jeffery Deaver
Wish You Were Here by Jodi Picoult
Beasts of a Little Land by Juhea Kim
Crazy Like a Fox (Fox Crossing #2) by Melinda Metz
Dark Night (Alaska Wild #3) by Paige Shelton
Do I Know You? by Sarah Strohmeier
Exploring the Clouds by John Fraser
The Finder of Forgotten Things by Sarah Loudin Thomas
The Hawthorne School by Sylvie Perry
Hello, Transcriber by Hannah Morrissey
A History of Wild Places by Shea Ernshaw
Larimer Street by Timothy Browne
The Last Rose of Shanghai by Weina Dai Randel
Leviathan Falls (The Expanse #9) by James Corey
A Marvelous Light (Last Binding #1) by Freya Marske
The Mystery of the Lost Husbands by Gina Cheyne
Sea Hawke (Alex Hawke #12) by Ted Bell
Small Things Like These by Claire Keegan

Adult Nonfiction

These Precious Days by Ann Patchett
Beaten Black & Blue by Brandon Tatum
Pandemia by Alex Berenson
Silenced No More by Sarah Ransome
My Dad's Funnier Than Your Dad by Kelly Conway
Brothers in Arms by James Holland
Paradise Found by Bill Plaschke

Older Kids

The Knight at Dawn Graphic Novel by Mary Pope Osborne
Perspectives (Cat Kid Comic Club #2) by Dav Pilkey
Love Out Loud (Loud House) by Loud House Creative Team
Moon Rising (Wings of Fire #6) by Tui Sutherland
Winter Turning (Wings of Fire #7) by Tui Sutherland
Escaping Peril (Wings of Fire #8) by Tui Sutherland

Younger Kids

Castle Gesundheit by Mark Fearing
Fly Guy & Fly Girl: Friendly Frenzy by Tedd Arnold
Kit & Kaboodle Visit the Farm by Michelle Portice
Mouse Seasons by Leo Lionni
Goblin Magic (Kingdom of Wrenly #17) by Jordan Quinn
Planetary Yum (Waffles & Pancake #1) by Drew Brockington
Hector Fox & the Giant Quest (#1) by Astrid Shekels

Audios

The Judge's List by John Grisham

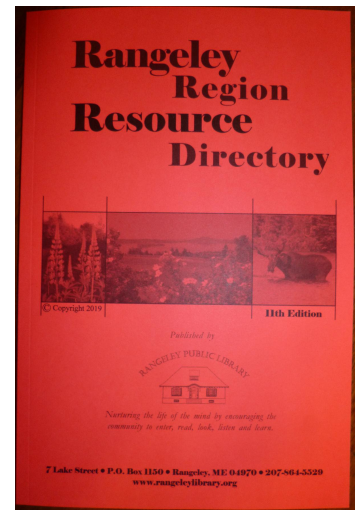
Large Print

W. E. B. Griffin: Rogue Asset by Brian Andrews
Shadows of Swanford Abbey by Julie Klassen

FUNDRAISING

Are You In the Book? You Should Be!

The next edition of the Rangeley Region Resource Directory will be coming out in Spring 2022. This is the "go-to" guide for anyone in the Rangeley region who is looking for a restaurant, a plumber, or any other service. If you want to get more bang for your advertising buck, this is the place to advertise, especially since your ad will be out there for the next three years. And while you are promoting your business, you will also be supporting the Rangeley Public Library. Thank you!



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