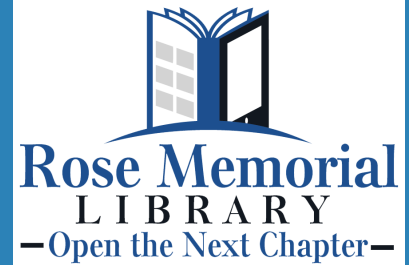


# Rose Memorial Library

January/February 2018  
Newsletter



## Featured Programs

### Hamilton Day!

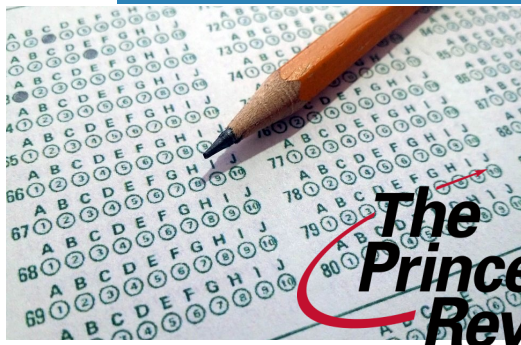
Thursday, January 11th at 5:00 pm

Did you enter our Friends of the Library "Books to Broadway" Hamilton raffle? If so, stop by the library for the prize drawing and reception. If not, last minute raffle ticket purchases will be available!



### SAT Practice Exam

Saturday, January 13th at 10:00 am



For those wanting to prepare for the SATs, this practice exam will allow students to get a preview of what the test is like, or to see areas that could be improved before taking the official exam. Practice exams are provided by The Princeton Review and exam sheets will be sent back upon completion. It typically takes 4 weeks for exams to be scored and students will have access to their score report online. **Registration required.**

### Local Author Event: "Neither Here Nor There"

Saturday, January 20th at 2:00 pm

Meet local author Richard Sullivan as he talks about his writing process and reads an excerpt from his recently published science fiction novel "Neither Here Nor There" an exciting tale of time travel, exploration, and survival! Book signing to follow. **Registration required.**



### Genealogy: Researching Your Family History

Wednesday, February 21st at 11:30 am

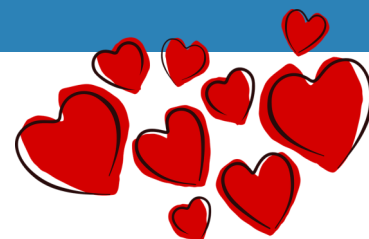


Are you interested in exploring your family history? Would you like to know how to search for documents or begin to build a family tree? Join RCCC professor and amateur genealogist Beth Robinson for this informative talk. Beth has traced her family roots back hundreds of years. There are more clues to your family origin than you know and together we may find them! **Registration required.**

### Valentine's Day Craft for Kids!

Wednesday, February 7th at 5:00 pm

Stop by the library and make a special Valentine's Day craft to take home. For children ages 6 and up. **Registration required.**

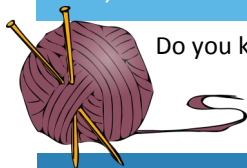


# Programs for Adults

To register for adult programs, visit online at: [www.rosememoriallibrary.org](http://www.rosememoriallibrary.org) or give us a call at: (845) 786-2100 ext 13

## Knitting Circle

Wed, Jan 10th & 24 & Feb 14th & 28th at 3:00 pm



Do you knit, crochet, felt or do needlework? Join this informal community of crafters for good company and work time.

## Using Your iPad

Monday, January 22nd at 2:00 pm

Bring your iPad to the library to learn some tips and tricks that will help you get the most out of your new device. **Registration required.**



## Overcoming the Top Roadblocks to Lasting, Healthy Weight Loss

Friday, January 26th at 5:00 pm

Join Kim Jordan, Nutritional Therapy Practitioner and owner of Root and Branch Nutrition, for a workshop on achieving weight loss the right way. Learn about six common mistakes you may be making that are preventing you from seeing and feeling the results you desire. During this talk, Kim will discuss common misconceptions about weight loss, where these originated, and how you can break free from misinformation holding you back. Come learn actionable steps you can take to finally feel your best, stop dieting, and avoid making the same New Years Resolution year after year. **Registration required.**



## Saturday Matinee: Marshall

Saturday, February 10th at 2:00 pm

Celebrate Black History Month by joining us to watch "Marshall (2017)": "A young Thurgood Marshall, the first African-American Supreme Court Justice, battles through one of his career-defining cases." Rated PG-13. Light refreshments will be served. **Registration required.**



## Third Thursday Book Club

Thursday, January 18th & February 15th at 4:30 pm



Come join us for this month's discussion! Books are available for pickup at the circulation desk.

*New members always welcome!*

**January:** "The Woman in Cabin 10" by: Ruth Ware

**February:** "No. 1 Ladies Detective Agency (Book #1)"

by: Alexander McCall Smith



## Movie Monday: Dunkirk

Monday, January 29th at 2:00 pm



Come join us to watch "Dunkirk (2017)": "WWII thriller about the evacuation of Dunkirk, France, in which 400,000 Allied troops were rescued following a catastrophic defeat." Rated PG-13. Light refreshments will be served.

**Registration required.**

## "Just for Fun" Craft Workshop

Wednesday, February 7th & 21st at 1:00 pm

Come drop in for casual crafting fun with Brenda Cirruzzo. There is no instruction but all supplies are provided.

**February 7th:** Stencil painting on glass

**February 21st:** Suncatchers

**Registration required.**



## Borrowing eBooks with Libby

Tuesday, February 20th at 2:00 pm

Have you had trouble borrowing eBooks in the past? Don't give up! Overdrive's new app "Libby" has streamlined the process! Bring your tablet to the library to get a tutorial on this new app. Note: Libby is not yet available for Amazon Fire/Kindle devices. **Registration required.**



# Programs for Children

To register for children's programs, visit online at: [www.rosememoriallibrary.org](http://www.rosememoriallibrary.org) or give us a call at: (845) 786-2100 ext 12

## Storytimes (January-February Session)

Storytime sessions fill up fast! Register (starting January 3rd) online or call: (845) 786-2100 ext 12

### Rhyme, Bounce, and Giggle!

**Mondays, January 15th — March 5th at 10:30 am**

**\* No storytime on February 5th**

Stop by the library for songs, rhymes, and stories for the littles ones! For ages 3 months - 18 months.

### Preschool Storytime

**Tuesdays, Jan 16th — March 6th at 10:30 am or 1:30 pm**

Preschoolers will enjoy fun stories, songs, and make a craft to take home. For ages 3 and up.

### Walk & Wiggle

**Thursdays, January 18th — March 8th at 10:30 am**

Bring in your little walkers for fun stories, rhymes, songs, and bubbles! For walkers, ages 19-24 months.

### Toddler Storytime

**Thursdays, January 18th — March 8th at 11:30 am**

Bring your toddler in for exciting motion rhymes, felt stories, finger plays, a short book or two, and bubbles! For ages 25 months to 35 months.

### Family Storytime \* No registration required \*

**Saturday, January 20th at 11:00 am**

**Saturday, February 17th at 11:00 am**

Hear some silly stories and make a craft to take home. For ages 5 and under.

### PJ Storytime \* No registration required \*

**Monday, January 29th at 6:00 pm**

**Monday, February 26th at 6:00 pm**

Stop by the library for some storytime fun in your PJs! Bring your favorite stuffed animal friend and listen to some stories and songs before bed. A small craft will follow. For ages 3 & up.

## Wintertime Film & Coloring

Wednesday, January 3rd at 10:30 am & 1:30 pm

Watch a film geared toward preschoolers, then use glitter crayons and stickers to decorate a coloring sheet. For ages 3 to 5 with a caregiver. **Registration required.**

## Little Yoga for Preschoolers

Thursday, January 4th at 10:30 am

Monday, February 5th at 1:30 pm



Join Valerie Vendrame in a lively introductory yoga class for preschoolers. Children should wear comfortable clothes. For preschoolers ages 3, 4, and 5 with a caregiver. **Registration required.**

## Gaming for Tweens

Monday, January 8th & February 12th at 5:30 pm



Bring your handheld device or play video games using our Wii or Playstation 4.

Board games will also be available.

For ages 8—12.



## Little Yoga for Toddlers

Thursday, January 4th at 11:15 am

Monday, February 5th at 2:15 pm

Join Valerie Vendrame in a lively introductory yoga class for toddlers. Children should wear comfortable clothes. For toddlers ages 2 & 3 with a caregiver. **Registration required.**

## Preschool LEGO Builders

Friday, Jan 5th & Feb 2nd at 10:30 am & 1:30 pm



Together, preschoolers and their caregivers will create their own LEGO designs for display at the library. For ages 3 to 5 with a caregiver. **Registration required.**

## Beaded Snowflake Craft

Wednesday, January 10th at 10:30 am & 1:30 pm

Children and their caregivers will work together to create a beaded snowflake to use as a window decoration! For ages 3 to 5 with a caregiver.

**Registration required.**





## Winter Concert for Kids with Mr. Kurt

Th, Jan 11 at 10:30 am & Mon, Feb 19 at 5:30 pm

Get ready to sing, clap and dance to the silliest tunes with Mr. Kurt, in a fun-filled show with live performances from tots, shakers or drums for everyone, limber jack puppets, jaw harp, ukulele, slide whistle, musical storytelling and a whole lot of bubbles! For toddlers up to age 4. **Registration required.**

## Reading to Dogs with Paws for a Cause

Wednesday, Jan 17th & Feb 21st at 6:00 pm

Come to the library and read to the dogs of Hudson Valley Paws for a Cause! Children are invited to read to a therapy dog who has been certified to encourage them to improve their reading skills. For children ages 6 and up. **Registration required.**



## Crazy About Science

Tuesday, January 23rd & February 27th at 5:00 pm



Fun science experiments for elementary age kids! For ages 6-10. **Registration required.**



## Family Film Friday

Friday, Jan 26th at 4:30 pm & Feb 23rd at 2:00 pm

Stop by the library for an afternoon matinee! Movies will be rated G or PG.

January: Cars 3 (G)

February: My Little Pony: The Movie (PG)



## LEGO Builders

Monday, January 15th at 11:30 am  
Thursday, February 22nd at 3:00 pm

Create your own LEGO designs for display at the library. Ages 5 & up with a caregiver. **Registration required.**



## Goosebumps: Movie, Game, and Craft

Friday, January 19th & February 16th at 4:30 pm

Viewers beware! You're in for a scare! Come join us to watch an episode of the Goosebumps TV show, play a game, and make a craft to take home. Snack provided. For ages 7 & up with a caregiver. **Registration required.**

## Fun with Play Dough

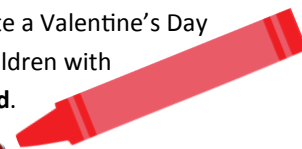
Wed, Jan 24th & Feb 21st at 10:30 am & 1:30 pm

Together, preschoolers and their caregivers will squeeze, roll, and cut out fun shapes with play dough. Decorate your creations with sequins, wiggly eyes, beads, pipe cleaners and colorful sticks. For ages 3 to 5 with a caregiver. **Registration required.**

## Valentine Film & Coloring

Wednesday, February 7th at 10:30 am & 1:30 pm

Watch a film geared toward preschoolers, then use glitter crayons and stickers to decorate a Valentine's Day coloring sheet. For preschool aged children with a caregiver. **Registration required.**



# Programs for Teens

To register for teen programs, visit online at: [www.rosememoriallibrary.org](http://www.rosememoriallibrary.org) or give us a call at: (845) 786-2100 ext 12

## Teen Movie

Friday, January 5th & February 2nd at 4:30 pm



Join your friends for a movie and popcorn and enjoy a film geared towards teens. Films rated PG-13.

Jan: Spiderman: Homecoming

Feb: 10 Things I Hate About You



## Magic the Gathering: An Introduction

Saturday, January 6th & 27th at 3:00 pm  
Monday, January 15th & February 5th at 5:00 pm  
Saturday, February 17th & 24th at 3:00 pm

Learn the basics of the popular card game, Magic: The Gathering from one of our teen volunteers and play with fellow enthusiasts!

## Teen Advisory Group Meeting

Wed, January 10th & February 14th at 5:00 pm



TAG (Teen Advisory Group) is a group of teen volunteers who meet monthly to contribute ideas for upcoming programs, make recommendations for library collections, and plan community service projects. New members, in grades 6-12, are always welcome.

## Teen Games

Monday, Jan 22nd & Tuesday, Feb 20th at 5:00 pm

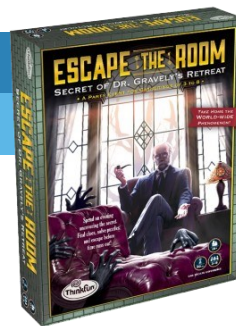
Come by the library after school to play games with your friends. Learn to play Chess or delve into board games like Scrabble, Uno, Mancala... pick your favorite! Video games will also be set up to play. For ages 12-18.



## Escape the Room

Tuesday, January 16th at 5:00 pm

Can you solve the mystery and escape the room in time? Work with your guests to discover the dark secret of Dr. Gravely's retreat by finding clues and solving puzzles. Join your friends in this exciting tabletop game! For ages 12-18. **Registration required.**



## Fan of Fiction Club

Thursday, January 25th & February 22nd at 5:00 pm

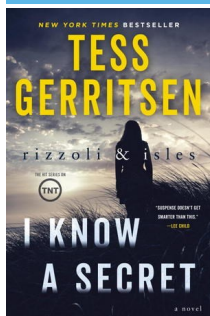
Are you a fan of fiction? Then stop by the library for our Fan of Fiction Club! Join other teens as you discuss favorite books, movies, TV shows, and genres. Share what you've recently watched or read and get recommendations for the future! Light refreshments will be served. For ages 12-18.

# Staff Picks

*Looking for something new? Here's what we've been reading...*

### Ann suggests:

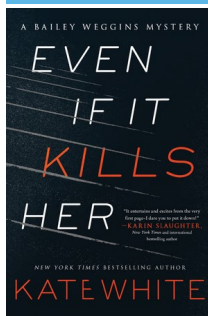
"I Know a Secret" by: Tess Gerritsen



If you miss the TV show *Rizzoli & Isles* like me, step right up for your fix of the latest adventures of the Boston PD! This latest entry in the series sees the detective and medical examiner duo investigating the gruesomely staged murder of a horror film producer. This book is suspenseful through the last chapter. A good read!

### Gerri suggests:

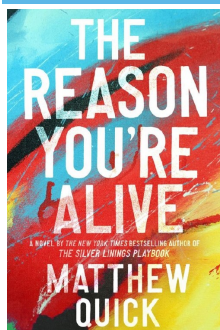
"Even If It Kills Her" by: Kate White



This is the 7th entry in the Bailey Weggins series and it is just as good as the others! Bailey is a true crime writer turned sleuth and she is approached at a book event by an old college friend, Jillian, who needs help finding her family's killer. This book has a lot of twists, turns, and surprises.

### Gretchen suggests:

"The Reason You're Alive" by: Matthew Quick



If you're looking for an entertaining listen (and are not opposed to colorful language), check out this audiobook. The gruff Vietnam veteran protagonist proves to have a heart of gold in this touching and entertaining tale. If you have watched any of The Vietnam War series on PBS, this book gives a realistic glimpse into the lives of those who lived it.

### Oscar suggests:

"Vacationland" by: John Hodgman



John Hodgman, best known for his books of fake trivia, podcasts, and time as a correspondent on *The Daily Show*, has written a memoir about reaching middle age and life in New England. It's funny in that dry Hodgman-y way but it's also very earnest. If you like the writing of David Sedaris, this might have the right amount of humor, heart, and weirdness for you.

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## Chatting from Jim

Happy New Year,

I would like to invite people to two special events: the first will be here at the library, the raffle drawing for two *Hamilton* tickets, and other prizes organized by our Friends group. The drawing will be held on January 11<sup>th</sup> 5-6 pm. Mr. Hamilton is checking his calendar and hopes to stop by, but it is his 260<sup>th</sup> birthday, and he may be too busy to attend. There will be refreshments and interesting presentations.



The second event is the first of several opportunities that the library will sponsor to encourage public participation in planning for the future of this library. Please mark your calendars for Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, at 2:00 pm to join our Strategic Planning Committee, but please tell us of your intention to attend. To register visit our webpage at: [www.rosememoriallibrary.org](http://www.rosememoriallibrary.org) and click on "Events" or leave a message at 845-786-2100, ext 10.

Our budget defeat has had unexpected consequences. We need to make some services cuts in order to reign in expenses. We have eliminated renewing museum passes, reduced some book purchases and programs (adult & children's), eliminated any new equipment expenses; and the newsletter will go back to being a quarterly. Please consider joining our annual appeal to help alleviate or restore some of these popular features. An appeal letter is being mailed to every resident after Christmas.

For your convenience we now accept major credit cards for all library charges at the front desk.

James Mahoney  
Library Director

## We've got **kanopy**!

We now offer our cardholders access to over 26,000 FREE streaming movies with Kanopy! Kanopy has a wide selection of cinema classics, foreign films, critically acclaimed hits, and documentaries that you can watch on your computer, mobile device, and even your television (with a Roku or Apple TV device)! To sign up, visit: <https://rcls.kanopystreaming.com/>

## On Display

December—January



Angel Collection by Catherine Bulson

February—March

Our Daughter and Her Chinese Heritage  
by: Joan Carey Bunyan

## Postal Patron

### Board of Trustees

Meetings: Wednesday, 1/17 & 2/21 at 6:30 PM

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### Hours

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS:

New Year's Day, January 1st

Monday - Thursday 10:00 am to 9:00 pm

Friday 10:00 am to 7:00 pm

Saturday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

Sunday 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

### Information

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