

*There's a chill to the air...
but a warm welcome at the library.*



**Annual Holiday Book Sale going on now through
the New Year! Like-new books at bargain prices!**

Rangeley Public Library



DECEMBER 2016 NEWSLETTER

Dear Patron,

It's that gift-giving time of year again. If e-readers are on your Christmas list, and you plan to borrow books online through the Maine State Library, you will want to know about the changes happening with the e-book program. The Maine State Library will be discontinuing its membership with Overdrive starting in March, switching instead to Bibliotheca. There are many good reasons for going with Bibliotheca, including the fact that it is much easier to use, plus it is less expensive, so the state library will be able to add more books to the collection for the same price. However, one downside is that Kindle e-ink readers will not work with the Bibliotheca format. (This will not affect most e-book readers as most devices currently using Overdrive, including Kindle Fire or a tablet using the Kindle App, are completely compatible with Bibliotheca.) Therefore, if you are purchasing a new e-reader and you want to be able to borrow books online from the library, make sure that you do not purchase an e-ink reader. Even if you already own an e-ink device, the good news is that the cost of all e-readers has dropped considerably from when they were new, so you can purchase a new device for as little as the cost of purchasing just a few books, making it still more affordable to borrow books than to keep your e-ink device and buy your own books. In the end, I think that we will all be happier with the new format.

Have a wonderful holiday season with your family and friends,

Janet Wilson, Director
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ONGOING PROGRAMS

OWL Club (K-2nd gr.) - Thursdays 2:45-4:00 PM

Preschool Story Hours - Thursdays and Fridays 10:00 AM

Book Groups - 3rd Weds. at 10:00 AM and last Tues. at 4:00 PM



Book Groups

No Book Groups during December.

Both book groups will be taking a break for the month of December and resuming in January.

Looking Ahead: The **Rangeley Readers** will discuss *The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry* by Gabrielle Zevin in January. **Adventure Book Group** will be discussing Nathaniel Philbrick's *Valiant Ambition*.

LIBRARY HOURS

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

Media Coming in December

Adult Fiction

Fate of the Tearling (Queen of the Tearling #3) by Erika Johansen
The Whole Town's Talking by Fannie Flagg
The Flame Bearer (Saxon Chronicles #10) by Bernard Cornwell
The Perfect Girl by Gilly MacMillan
Moonglow by Michael Chabon
Conclave by Robert Harris
No Man's Land (John Puller #4) by David Baldacci
Turbo Twenty-Three (Stephanie Plum #23) by Janet Evanovich
Chaos (Kay Scarpetta #24) by Patricia Cornwell
The Sleeping Beauty Killer (Under Suspicion #3) by Clark/Burke
Cross the Line (Alex Cross #24) by James Patterson
The Innkeeper of Ivy Hill (Ivy Hill #1) by Julie Klaussen
Storm Rising by Douglas Schofield
Chasing Shadows (South Shores #1) by Karen Harper
Tom Clancy's True Faith & Allegiance (Jack Ryan #17) by Mark Greaney
The Seventh Plague (Sigma Force #12) by James Rollins
Curtain of Death (Clandestine OP #3) by WEB Griffin
Westward: The Journey of Adolf Nagel (Westward #1) by Harry Simpson
Legend of Badger Claw (Westward #2) by Harry Simpson
When the Girls Have Gone by Jayne Ann Krentz
And Every Morning the Way Home Gets Longer and Longer by Fredrik Backman
I'll Take You There by Wally Lamb
The Chemist by Stephanie Meyer
The Final Reveille (Living History Museum #1) by Amanda Flower
The Final Tap (Living History Museum #2) by Amanda Flower
A Baxter Family Christmas (Baxter Family #1) by Karen Kingsbury
Superman: American Alien (Graphic Novel) by Mark Landis

Adult Nonfiction

A Torch Kept Lit by William F. Buckley
The Fleet at Floodtide: America at Total War in the Pacific, 1944-1945 by James Hornfischer
The General vs. the President: MacArthur & Truman at the Brink of Nuclear War by H. W. Brands
A Life in Parts by Bryan Cranston
Our Revolution: A Future to Believe In by Bernie Sanders
Strangers in Their Own Land: Anger & Mourning on the American Right by Arlie Russell Hochschild
Tears of Triumph: The Spiritual Journey from Suffering to Enlightenment by Marianne Williamson
Born a Crime by Trevor Noah

Young Adult

Heartless by Marissa Meyer
Unblemished by Sara Ella

Older Kids

Wolf Hollow by Lauren Wolk

The Legend of the Irish Castle (Boxcar Children) by Gertrude Chandler Warner

Hilda and the Stone Forest by Luke Pearson

Jubilee by Patricia Reilly Giff

Foxheart by Claire Legrand

Younger Kids

Blocks by Irene Dickson

My New Mom and Me by Renata Galindo

The Secret Life of Squirrels: A Love Story by Nancy Rose

Swimming with the Sharks by Heather Lang

Audiobooks

The Wrong Side of Goodbye (Harry Bosch #21) by Michael Connolly

Home by Harlan Coben

DVDs

Finding Dory

Star Trek Beyond

Deadpool

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