


# RANGELEY PUBLIC LIBRARY

## April 2024 Newsletter



Dear Library Patron,

April is here, and for a change, we are *not* expecting Rangeley to be a ghost town. The total solar eclipse is just a week away, and we are expecting the town of Rangeley to be full of people excited to view this amazing event. If you are one of those people and you do not yet have solar eclipse glasses for safely viewing the eclipse, please stop by the library. We still have plenty of glasses to give away. 

Enjoy this rare and exciting event!

Janet Wilson, Director  
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## LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10:00-4:30

Wednesday 10:00-7:00

Saturday 10:00-2:00

## Special Hours for Eclipse

Monday April 8th

Open 11-1:00

Stop by to pick up last minute eclipse glasses, test your existing glasses, or just use the library!

# PROGRAMS

## ADULT BOOK GROUPS

### Rangeley Readers

3rd Wednesday @3:00 PM

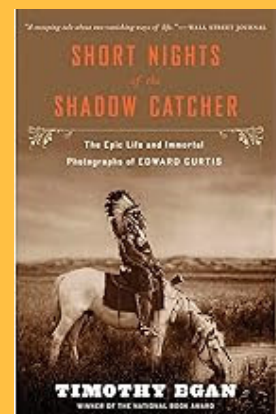
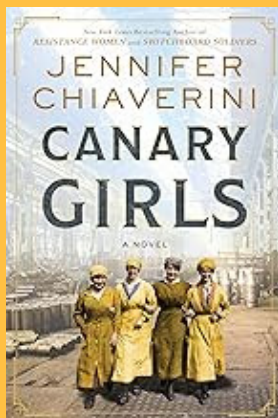
### Adventure Book Group

Last Wednesday @4:00 PM

## April Book Discussions

Wednesday, April 17th, 3:00 PM Rangeley Readers will discuss *Canary Girls* by Jennifer Chiaverini.

Wednesday, April 24th, 4:00 PM Adventure Book Group will discuss *Short Nights of the Shadow Catcher* by Timothy Egan.



## CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

### Preschool Story Hour

Fridays 10:00

The last OWL Club meeting for this year was on Thursday, March 28th.  
See you in September!

# LIBRARY RESOURCES

## Polaris News

Many of our patrons are taking advantage of the new opportunities to request books directly from other libraries. Our interlibrary loan volume has picked up tremendously! However, many people are not yet aware that Rangeley Public Library is now part of the MaineCat System also. This means that if you are looking for a book or other library item, and it is not available within our library system, you can now go to the MaineCat System which includes many of the larger libraries in the state and request items directly from them. You can get to MaineCat by starting with [our website](#), hovering over the resources tab and then clicking on catalog. This takes you to our shared catalog, [MILS](#) (Maine InfoNet Library System). If you are unable to find the resource you are searching for in MILS, scroll down to the bottom of the page where you will see "Search [MaineCat](#)". You will log into MaineCat using your 14-digit Rangeley Public Library account number and entering your pin. For most people, your pin is the last four digits of the first phone number listed in your library account. You can change this number whenever you want. Ask a library staff member if you need assistance.

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## NEW MEDIA IN APRIL

### Adult Fiction

- How to Solve Your Own Murder* by Kristen Perrin  
*The Good, the Bad, & the Aunties* by Jesse Q. Sutanto  
*The Truth About the Devlins* by Lisa Scottoline  
*Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt  
*The #1 Lawyer* by James Patterson  
*She's Not Sorry* by Mary Kubica  
*City in Ruins* (The City #3) by Don Winslow  
*The Sweet Blue Distance* by Sara Donati  
*Tourist Season* by Brenda Novak  
*The Reaper Follows* by Heather Graham  
*Table for Two* by Amor Towles  
*The Sicilian Inheritance* by Jo Piazza  
*I Cheerfully Refuse* by Leif Enger  
*Sandcastle Inn* (Hope Harbor #10) by Irene Hannon  
*Just for the Summer* by Abby Jimenez  
*A Short Walk Through a Wide World* by Douglas Westerbeke  
*Clear* by Carys Davies  
*The Twilight Garden* by Sara Nisha Adams  
*Fellowship of Puzzlemakers* by Samuel Burr  
*Daughter of Mine* by Megan Miranda  
*Toxic Prey* (Prey #34) by John Sandford  
*The Familiar* by Leigh Bardugo  
*Butter: A Novel of Food & Murder* by Asako Yuzuki  
*A Calamity of Souls* by David Baldacci  
*Close to Death* (Hawthorne #5) by Anthony Horowitz  
*Lost to Dune Road* by Kara Thomas  
*Henry, Henry* by Allen Bratton  
*Indian Burial Ground* by Nick Medina  
*While We Were Burning* by Sara Koffi

### **Adult Nonfiction**

*Soldiers & Kings: Survival & Hope in the World of Human Smuggling* by Jason De Leon  
*Secrets of the Octopus* by Sy Montgomery  
*The Two-Parent Privilege* by Melissa S. Kearney  
*A History of the World in Twelve Shipwrecks* by David Gibbins  
*Walk, Ride, Paddle* by Tim Kaine  
*The Believer: A Year in the Flyfishing Life* by David Coggins  
*The Wives: A Memoir* by Simone Gorrindo

### **Young Adult**

*Jujutsu Kaisen (#2)* by Gege Akutami  
*The Reappearance of Rachel Price* by Holly Jackson  
*The One That Got Away with Murder* by Trish Lundy  
*Gokurakugai (#1)* by Yuto Sano

### **Older Kids**

*Afternoon on the Amazon* (Magic Treehouse Graphic #9) by Mary Pope Osborne  
*The Eyes & the Impossible* (2023 Newbery Winner) by Dave Eggers  
*Skandar & the Phantom Rider* (Skandar #2) by A. F. Steadman  
*I Survived the Battle of D-Day, 1944* (I Survived Graphic #9) by Lauren Tarshis  
*The Ghost Forest* (Secrets of the Sky #3) by Sayantani DasGupta  
*Lightningborn* (Storm Dragons #1) by Julie Kagawa

### **Younger Kids**

*Pinkalicious: Kittens! Kittens! Kittens!* by Victoria Kann  
*Penelope Rex & the Problem with Pets* by Ryan T. Higgins  
*Lake Mamas & Babies* by Stan Tekiela  
*Cave of the Crystal Dragon* (Dragon Masters #26) by Tracey West  
*Pokemon: Ash Takes the Cake* by Maria S. Barbo  
*Song of the Seasons* by Glenys Nellist  
*Ahoy!* by Sophie Blackall  
*Proper Badger Would Never!* by Lauren Glattly

### **DVDs**

All Creatures Great & Small Season 4  
Migration  
The Beekeepers  
Wonka  
Midsomer Murders Season 24

## **COMMUNITY RESOURCES**



**Free Solar Eclipse Glasses!**

# Pick up a pair at the library today!

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