RANGELEY PUBLIC LIBRARY August 2022 Newsletter



Dear Scott,

If you have been into the library recently, you have probably noticed that it is a busy place! There are lots of programs happening for both children and adults. People are here using the internet, checking out books and movies, or just catching up with friends. Yet, in the midst of the busyness, there is a calm, friendly vibe. We really appreciate the patience of our older patrons when they find themselves waiting in line while a child checks out mountains of picture books. (In fact, most are very pleased to see that children *still do* enjoy reading!) We appreciate the way that library users willingly change locations when a scheduled book group or other program needs the space they are occupying. We love being a busy, multigenerational facility where people actually enjoy being around each other. Thanks for helping to make this the welcoming, friendly place that we have all come to love. Keep up the good work! Our world needs more welcoming friendly places.

Stop by soon,

Janet Wilson, Director <u>director@rangeleylibrary.org</u>

LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10:00-4:30 Wednesday 10:00-7:00 Saturday 10:00-2:00

PROGRAMS

ADULT BOOK GROUPS

Rangeley Readers 3rd Wednesday @3:00 PM

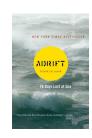
Adventure Book Group Last Wednesday @4:00 PM

August Book Discussions

Wednesday, August 17th, 3:00 PM Rangeley Readers will discuss *The Personal Librarian* by Marie Benedict. Wednesday, August 31st, 4:00 PM Adventure Book Group will discuss *Adrift* by S. Callahan.









Summer Reading Program 2022
"Oceans of Possibilities"

July 6 - August 18

Wednesdays for ages 6-9

Thursdays or Fridays for ages 3-5 Please sign up at the library!



Boppa Chua!

Marc Black's History of the '50s & '60s Through
Popular Song

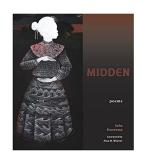
Wednesday, August 3rd, 6:00pm

New York Blues Hall of Fame inductee, Marc Black, will be your guide through an evening of song, storytelling, and laughter through these two historically defining decades.

Hugh Ogden Memorial Evening of Poetry

Sunday, August 7th, 4:30pm

Held in honor of poet Hugh Ogden, this year's event will feature Maine Poet Laureate Julia Bouwsma who will be reading new poems as well as selections from *Work by Bloodlight* and *Midden*.









Shackleton's Legendary Endurance Expedition 1914-1917

Wednesday, August 10th 6:00pm

Antarctic guide and Mt. Everest climber Ed Webster presents an educational lecture documenting Ernest Shackleton's life and times.

Disinformation: Why It Works & How We Combat It

Wednesday, August 17th, 6:00pm

Mark Thompson, former New York Times CEO and former BBC Director General, discusses why so many people choose fake rather than real news and how governments and citizens should respond.



Climate Policy Workshop

Wednesday, August 24th, 6:00pm



EN-ROADS Climate Ambassador Peter Dugas will use the Climate Simulator to explore policy options, and lead a discussion on what we all can do to ensure a safe and livable future for all.



Live Music in the Folk Tradition

Wednesday, August 31st, 6:00pm

Bill Berlinghoff's rich baritone treats you to songs from the southern Appalachians and coastal Maine, popular folk tunes of the '60s, topical songs of coffeehouses, and a varied selection of originals.



Bill Berlinghoff
with
guitar & banjo

LIBRARY RESOURCES

NEW MEDIA IN AUGUST

Adult Fiction

Shattered by James Patterson The Big Dark Sky by Dean Koontz The Retreat by Sarah Pearse Portrait of an Unknown Woman (Gabriel Allon #22) by Daniel Silva Switchboard Soldiers by Jennifer Chiaverini All the Ruined Men by Bill Glose Round Up the Usual Peacocks (Meg Langslow #31) by Donna Andrews The Book Eaters by Sunyi Dean The Many Daughters of Afong Moy by Jamie Ford I Remember You by Brian Freeman Grace Under Fire by Julie Garwood Just Like Home by Sarah Gailey The Last to Vanish by Megan Miranda The New Neighbor by Karen Cleveland Reckoning by Catherine Coulter Where the Sky Begins by Rhys Bowen The Lies I Told by Mary Burton She's Up to No Good by Sara Goodman Confino Sugar and Salt by Susan Wiggs The War Librarian by Addison Armstrong Stay Awake by Megan Goldin The Family Remains by Lisa Jewell All Good People Here by Ashley Flowers The Housekeeper by Joy Fielding Love in the Time of Serial Killers by Alicia Thompson Overkill by Sandra Brown The Last Housewife by Ashley Winstead The Challenge by Danielle Steel Dark Harvest by Will Jordan

Adult Nonfiction

Split Decision by Ice-T
Listening Well by Heather Morris
Putin by Philip Short
A Sea Between Us by Yosely Pereira
Empires of the Normans by Levi Roach
The 12-Hour Walk by Colin O'Brady
Always Faithful: A Story of the War in Afghanistan by Thomas Schueman
After the Ivory Tower Falls by Will Bunch
Life on the Mississippi by Rinker Buck

Young Adults

The Honeys by Ryan La Sala
The Drowned Woods by Emily Lloyd-Jones

Older Kids

Hummingbird by Natalie Lloyd
The Illustrated Robert Frost by Ryan G. Van Cleave
The Illustrated Emily Dickinson by Ryan G. Van Cleave

Younger Kids

Hurry Little Tortoise, Time for School! by Carrie Finison
It's All About Me-Ow by Hudson Talbott
Time to Fly by George Ella Lyon
Magically Maximus (Horsetail Hollow #1) by Kiki Thorpe
Amazingly Angus (Horsetail Hollow #2) by Kiki Thorpe
My Grandpa is the Best! by D. J. Steinberg

DVDs

Downton Abbey: A New Era Top Gun: Maverick Outlander Season 6 Minions: The Rise of Gru Mr. Malcolm's List

FUNDRAISING

Thank you Rangeley IGA!



The Rangeley Public Library was very pleased to accept a check from the Rangeley IGA from its recent "Round-Up" fundraiser to benefit the library.

According to store manager Leona Kennett, this "round-up" set a record among the stores in their chain. Thank you to all of the IGA shoppers who gave their extra change to support the library.

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