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Welcome to Morgan, circulation assistant, and Amy, library assistant. We're excited to have them join the team!

We also say goodbye to Karlyn and wish her the best on her new journey.



Happy New Year! All of us at the Library wish you and yours a healthy and happy 2023. Have you set any reading goals for the new year? Besides making time to read more, some reading goals might include trying new genres or joining a book club. Most importantly, make a resolution to read what you love!

Looking for suggestions? Try our "What Should I Read Next?" service. Fill out the form on our website and get a personalized list of book recommendations. Or ask any staff member about their favorites. Have questions or concerns? Feel free to call or stop by my office any time.

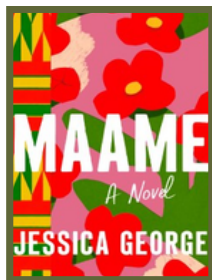
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New Arrivals



FICTION

Age of Vice - Deepti Kapoor (1/3)
 The Villa - Rachel Hawkins (1/3)
 The Mitford Affair - Marie Benedict (1/17)
 Maame - Jessica George (1/31)
 Code Name Sapphire - Pam Jenoff (2/7)
 Secretly Yours - Tessa Bailey (2/7)
 Victory City - Salman Rushdie (2/7)
 I Have Some Questions For You - Rebeca Makkai (2/21)
 Old Babes in the Woods - Margaret Atwood (3/7)
 The Perfumist of Paris - Alka Joshi (3/28)



MYSTERY

Everyman a King - Walter Mosely
 The Cliff's Edge - Charles Todd
 Collateral Damage - Judith A. Jance
 So Shall You Reap - Donna Leon



LARGE PRINT

3 Days to Live - James Patterson
 Unnatural History - Johnathan Kellerman
 Storm Watch - CJ Box
 I Will Find You - Harlan Coben
 Worthy Opponents - Danielle Steel



NON-FICTION

Spare - Prince Harry (1/10)
 Enchantment: Awakening Wonder in an Anxious Age - Katherine May (2/28)
 Poverty, by America - Matthew Desmond (3/21)
 The Wager: A Tale of Shipwreck, Mutiny, and Murder - David Grann (4/18)
 Better Living Through Birding - Christian Cooper (5/9)



AUDIOBOOKS

Friends, Lovers, and the Big Terrible Thing - Matthew Perry
 The Light We Carry - Michelle Obama
 Demon Copperhead - Barbara Kingsolver
 Distant Thunder - Stuart Woods
 Long Shadows - David Baldacci



YOUNG ADULT

The Stolen Heir - Holly Black (1/3)
 Seven Percent of Ro Devereux - Ellen O'Clover (1/7)
 My Dear Henry - Kalynn Bayron (3/7)
 In Nightfall - Suzanne Young (3/28)
 Doughnuts and Doom - Balazs Lorinczi



DVDs

House of the Dragon (Season 1)
 Reacher (Season 1)
 Smile
 The Good House
 The Woman King



Children's DVDs

Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile
 Bluey Seasons 1 & 2

THE KIDS CORNER



Children's Fiction

The Wolf Suit - Sid Sharp
 Blurp's Book of Manners - Cindy Derby
 Red Fox Road - Frances Greenslade

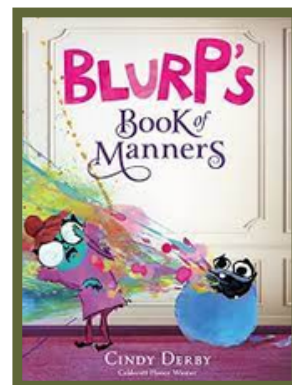


Children's Non-Fiction

On the Corner of Chocolate Avenue - Tziporah Cohen
 Dream On - Cerridwen Greenleaf
 Art Year by Year - Alice Bowden
 We Garden Together! - Jane Hirsch

Blurp's Book of Manners – @Miss Alex Cindy Derby

Readers are invited to join the very proper and polite Ms. Picklepop the IV for a course of manners but are constantly interrupted by a Blurp. Blurp tries his best but wreaks havoc on all her very structured lessons. A bright story about how the very best manners must also contain kindness and patience with people you meet! (Plus a few good fart jokes) Ages 3 and up



Staff Favorites!



Jackaby by William Ritter YA MYS RIT

This book isn't new, but is well worth revisiting! A paranormal mystery set in 19th century New England with characters who are charming and quirky enough to keep the reader engaged from the very start. A quick read recommended for fans of historical fiction or mysteries with a fantasy edge--it has something for everyone (and it's the first in a short series)!

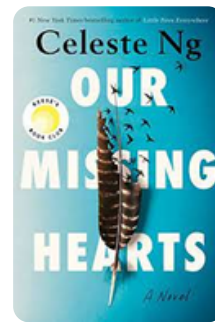
Recommended by Kristen



The Marriage Portrait by Maggie O'Farrell FIC O'FARRELL

Inspired by the 16th century marriage portrait of Lucretia de'Medici, O'Farrell reimagines the life of the young woman portrayed in the painting. Married at 13, Lucrezia must navigate the move from her family home in Florence to the court of Ferrara, while trying to figure out her enigmatic new husband. This moody historical novel is full of intrigue and twists, fine-spun details, and a strong sense of place.

Recommended by Lauren



Our Missing Hearts by Celeste Ng FIC NG

Bird Gardner is 12 years old living with his father after his mother disappears. Her poetry was deemed "unpatriotic" after dissidents sloganized one of her lines. Bird has grown up learning not to ask too many questions, but now begins a quest to find out what happened to his mother. This heartbreaking story is impossible to put down and stays with you long after the final page.

Recommended by Rose

PATTI'S MUST SEE DVDS



The Banshees of Inisherin

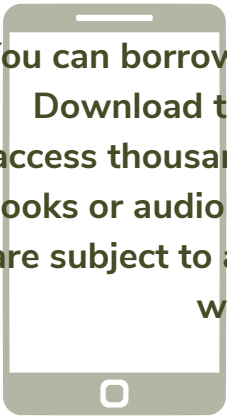
Padraic and Colm have been longtime friends, but one day Colm abruptly decides to end the friendship. Padraic is devastated and desperately tries to get his friend to change his mind. This is a beautiful, sad movie that stayed with me long after it ended. Colin Farrell and Brendan Gleeson are superb in their roles as Padraic and Colm. Definitely a must-see movie! Rated R.



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Winter - Spring Hours

Monday - Thursday

9 AM - 8 PM

Friday & Saturday

10 AM - 5 PM

Winter - Spring Closings

Martin Luther King Jr Day -

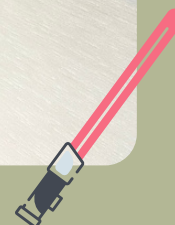
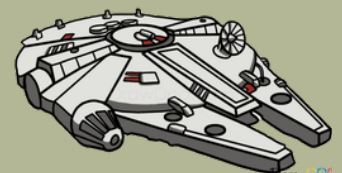
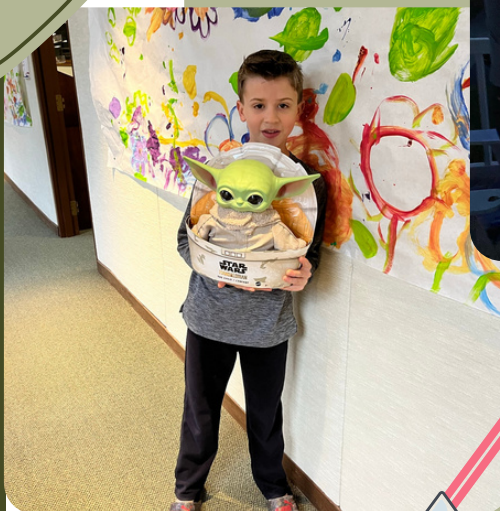
January 16

Presidents Day - February 20

Good Friday - April 7



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