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February 2019 Newsletter



Our patrons list of Favorite Books of 2018:

Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine by Gail Honeyman
Eleanor is a very interesting character, very quirky, and socially awkward but unexpectedly finds friendship and love even when she wasn't looking for it. (Jo-Ann Beverland)

Killing Commendatore by Haruki Murakami and *East of Eden* by John Steinbeck (Pooh Kaye)

The Lighthouse Keeper's Daughter by Hazel Gaymor
I loved the characters, their interactions and also the descriptions of the lighthouse and the surroundings. (Helen Nash)

Winter Garden by Kristen Hannah (Joanne C.)

Alexander Hamilton by Ron Chenow It took the better part of the year to get through it- but it was worth it. (Steve Zerby)

Tainted Moonlight by Erin Kelley A fascinating debut novel by a NY author that brings true-to-life experiences into the fantasy realm of vampires and werewolves. (Mindy Baker)

The Prayer Box by Lisa Wingate A book that give us hope, no matter what your situation, God is always with us to show a new way when we have lost our way. (Joan DeBenedittis)

Very Old Bones by Willian Kennedy - Fictional history of Albany, NY

Women in the Window by A.J. Finn - Brilliantly written with great twists throughout. (Mike Castro)

Calypso by David Sedaris (for a good laugh) and *The Darker the Night, the Brighter the Stars* by Paul Brok (Joanne Tobey)

Killers of the Flower Moon by David Grant - A fascinating read; another example of the appalling treatment of Native Americans. (Maggie Coombs)

The Island at the Center of the World by Russell Shorto
Fascinating history lesson on why New York City is such a unique place; going back to the Dutch settlers. (Diane Addresso)

The Cooking Gene by Michael Twitty and *Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat* by Samin Nosrat (Pamela Cooley)

11-22-63 by Stephen King - The message that change isn't always better. (Yvonne Wilkens)

Beach Music by Pat Conroy - Great story, lots of history. (Kathryn Lewis)



MAGIC THE GATHERING

Saturdays, February 16 & 23, 5 - 8 pm

The Library has just received a "Magic, the Gath-erin" kit and will begin teaching teens and adults how to play. Great for ages 13 through adults. More info on our website and facebook page.

New Books:

<i>Maid</i>	Stephanie Land
<i>The Nowhere Child</i>	Christian White
<i>Night Miracles</i>	Elizabeth Berg
<i>Master of His Fate</i>	Barbara Taylor Bradford
<i>Look Alive Twenty Five</i>	Janet Evanovich
<i>Mirror Image</i>	Michael Scott & Melanie Ruth Rose
<i>Hazards of Time Travel</i>	Joyce Carol Oates
<i>Ungifted</i>	Gordon Korman

New DVDs:

The Duff	Non-Stop	Star Trek
Casablanca	Goosebumps	Storks
Pain & Gain	Patriot's Day	2015 Poltergeist
2017 Ghostbusters		

New Audio CD: *The Best of Beat Bugs Season 1 & 2*
(music from the Netflix cartoon with The Beatles music)

Board Game Night Every 3rd Friday (Feb. 15) at 6 pm

Crafter's Circle Last Tuesday (Feb. 26) at 10 am



with Activities
Wednesdays at 10 am



The Friends Annual Fund Raiser brought in over \$8,000!!

The Board of Trustees is so grateful to the Friends and our supporters for such a successful fund drive. These funds will pay for the circulation desk and other office items needed. **Thank You!**



New Building Update: We're getting close!! Carpeting will be installed middle of February, the kitchenette is on order. We are hoping to be there in a month or so. Stay tuned for notices and ways you can help.