

### Issue 2024-10

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#### **CLOSED MONDAY FOR VETERANS' DAY**



# I'm Thankful for Stick Season

#### Hello Laura,

It might be unpopular, but I love stick season. That time, right now, before the holidays take over and our to-do list gets long. This is a quiet few weeks after the gardens are put to bed, leaves have fallen, and we just want to curl up with a hot beverage and a good book.

If you too are thankful for this quiet time, stop by to check out a book or a movie, or just to say hi. We know this time of shorter days can be hard on people. So we offer a place for camaraderie too. Hope to see you soon!

Have a good day,

### Laura

#### **HAPPENING THIS WEEK!**



## Outsmart the Scammers Wednesday, November 6th 6pm

This program will teach you:

- how to spot certain red flags that may indicate a fraudulent encounter
- resources you can turn to in the event you or a loved one are targeted
- steps you can take now to help protect yourself and loved ones

Presented by Michael Green, financial advisor at Edward Jones in Littleton.

# **Book Tasting**Friday, November 8th 11:30am

Need to find a great book to give as a holiday gift? Wanting to try something new, but don't know where to start? Join us for a book tasting. Miss Abby will offer you a plethora of books published this year. You'll sample many different books, in small "bites," and hopefully find one that makes your mouth water!



#### **MORE PROGRAMS**



# The Book Swap Above the Notch Saturday, November 16th 4pm

Sponsored by Legacy Used Books and Bethlehem Public Library

Bring a book you'd love to share. We'll wrap them all up, and then do a Yankee swap! This is for all ages and book genres. A great way to get ready for the holiday season!

\*\*This program takes place at The Place Above the Notch, 2061 Main Street\*\*

#### Trivia Night Thursday, November 21st 6pm

Come alone, or come as a group to this monthly program! All ages welcome!





# Simple Living: Keeping Yourself Healthy Friday, November 22nd 11:30am

Nancy Strand, a Licensed Massage Therapist, will teach about lymphatic drainage. Our lymphatic system is an important part of our immune system, cleaning up unwanted particles, excess fluid, and toxins. In this presentation you'll learn the basics of how this amazing system works plus how to perform manual lymphatic drainage on your own face and neck as part of a self-care program. Part of our Simple Living discussion programs.

#### WEEKLY PROGRAMS

#### Monday Fun-Day 2:45pm For ages 5-12

11/18 Graphic Novel Character Drawing 11/25 Lego Club

#### **Tuesdays: Preschool Story Time For ages 2-5**

11/12 Space - craft and Space Set for play group

11/19 Sweets - Decorating donuts

11/26 - Thanksgiving - Play-doh Cornucopias

### Fridays: Let's Talk, a discussion group for adults

11/8 If you could become famous for anything, what would it be?

11/15 If you were an animal what would you be?

11/22 - Thanksgiving Thoughts

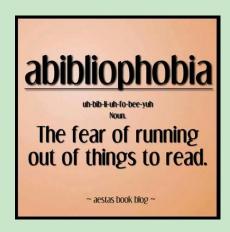
#### HAVE YOU MET THE FRIENDS?



Friends of the Bethlehem Public Library, Inc. is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping provide the citizens of Bethlehem with a library that will offer an exceptional environment for informational services, literary pleasure and educational support. They do this by fundraising, and then using the funds to pay for thing outside the library budget. This year they purchased virtual reality goggles for programming, sponsored the solar eclipse party at the library, and will run December's children's Christmas party.

A new fundraiser this year is a very special keepsake ornament, commemorating the 2024 eclipse. Their Facebook page keeps you up-to-date with all things Friends.

Take me to the Friends Facebook Page

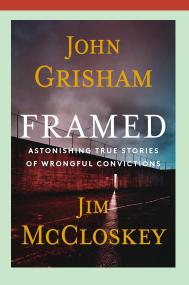


The holidays are fast approaching. Don't be caught with nothing to read, or you might have to do something drastic - like clean!

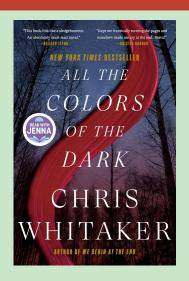
Holiday closures:

Monday, November 11th Thursday, November 28th - Saturday, November 30th

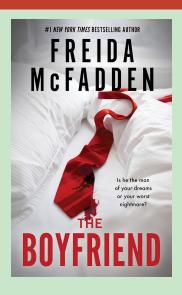
### **New Releases!** Click on cover for more information, or to reserve



Bestselling author John Grisham and Centurion Ministries Founder Jim McCloskey share ten harrowing true stories of wrongful convictions. Framed is the story of overcoming adversity when the story, a unique twist on each. battle already seems lost, and the deck is stacked against you.



An epic novel about a man fixated on finding a missing woman and the FBI agent on his tail, who might be even more obsessed than he is. A missing person mystery, a serial killer thriller, a love



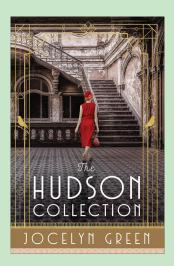
She's looking for the perfect man. He's looking for the perfect victim.

Sydney should feel safe. After all, she is dating the guy of her dreams. But she can't shake her own suspicions that the perfect man may not be as perfect as he seems.

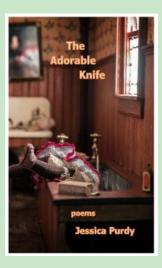


Stories selected from U.S. and Canadian magazines published in 2023. Edited by author Lauren Groff. Includes authors Jhumpa Lahiri

and Paul Yoon.

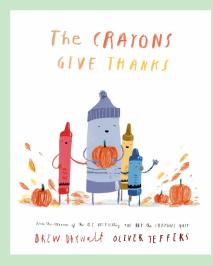


An ornithologist at Manhattan's American Museum of Natural History, Elsa Reisner is tasked with cataloging a country Gothic estate. Once there, she bonds

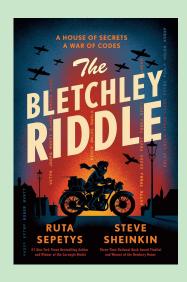


A poetry chapbook inspired by Frances Glessner Lee's Nutshell Studies. Author is reading at The Rocks Friday, November 8th 7pm.

with the house's other occupants, including an intriguing carpenter from the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and is swept up in a treasure hunt for a priceless heirloom.



The Crayons are thankful for so many things—from blueberries to night skies to life jackets to their parents and the luck that brought them all together. This humorous, mini hardcover book shows that there are so many things to be thankful for, everywhere we look!



Summer, 1940. Nineteen-year-old Jakob Novis and his quirky younger sister Lizzie share a love of riddles and puzzles. And now they're living inside of one. The quarrelsome siblings find themselves amidst one of the greatest secrets of World War II--Britain's eccentric codebreaking factory at Bletchley Park.



Two kids face off in an epic battle to see who can sell the most slime, while navigating sticky situations with friends and family.

A book for the Slime craze!

# **Coming in December**



#### 7th Annual Gingerbread House Contest

Your homemade creations are due at the library **Friday**, **December 6th**.

All the details will be on the website soon

#### Prizes:

\$100 gift certificate to Little Village Toy & Books \$25 gift certificate to Legacy Books

# Christmas in Bethlehem

Saturday, December 7th



Children's Christmas Party 11am-1pm

Hosted by the Friends of the Bethlehem Public Library They'll be crafts, cookie decorating, stories by Mrs. Claus, and general merriment!







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