

FEBRUARY

2017



Book Discussion

Tuesday, February 21st at 6:30 PM



The Girl on the Train

By Paula Hawkins (Led by Katie Cote and Melissa Hayes)

Rachel takes the same commuter train every morning and night. Every day she rattles down the track, flashes past a stretch of cozy suburban homes, and stops at the signal that allows her to daily watch the same couple breakfasting on their deck. She's even started to feel like she knows them. Jess and Jason, she calls them. Their life—as she sees it—is perfect. Not unlike the life she recently lost. And then she sees something shocking. It's only a minute until the train moves on, but it's enough. Now everything's changed.

All readers welcome. Light refreshments served.

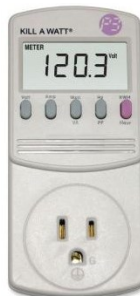
February Artist of the Month: Alissa Mulliken

Alissa Mulliken first moved to Lebanon CT in 2003. She received a BFA in painting from UConn in 1994. Alissa is also a nationally certified massage therapist and engaged plant medicine practitioner/activist. She has most recently been merging her creative forces in painting, plant, metal, stone, and bone to make a statement about the sacredness of life and the finite natural world in today's consumer society. In this month's art display here at the library, you will see rhythm instruments, painting, and sculptural montage with accompanied descriptions.



Want to See What's Driving Your Electricity Bill?

Borrow a Kill A Watt Electricity Usage Monitor to learn which appliances are costing you the most. What's your guess? Stereo? Air conditioner? Microwave? Toaster Oven? The Lebanon Energy Task Force Advisory Committee and the CT Clean Energy Fund Community Innovations Grant Program provided the library with these monitors a few years ago and they are here for your use.



Hot Chicks with Sticks



The knitters will meet on **Mondays, February 6th and 27th at 6:30 PM**

Like to knit? All knitters are welcome to join this friendly group. (Crochet is welcome too!) Ultra-talented knitter, Diana Cowles, facilitates.

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Go to www.lebanonctlibrary.org to borrow from Zinio with your library barcode. No expiration dates or overdue fines! You don't have to read *US Weekly* or *Woman's World* in the supermarket checkout line anymore. (We have *Men's Health*, too!)

Talking Books — A Good Book is Like a Good Friend

Residents with visual or physical disabilities may receive library service from the National Library for the Blind. We have a great, easy to use player for patrons to try out, with sample books. Come in and ask to borrow it for someone who would enjoy a good book!



First Tuesday Films

Free popcorn and comfy seats at all films!



Sully (2016): Tuesday, February 7th at 2:00 PM

Starring Tom Hanks! On January 15, 2009, the world witnessed the "Miracle on the Hudson" when Captain "Sully" Sullenberger glided his disabled plane onto the frigid waters of the Hudson River, saving the lives of all 155 aboard. However, even as Sully was being heralded by the public and the media for his unprecedented feat of aviation skill, an investigation was unfolding that threatened to destroy his reputation and his career.

Hell or High Water (2016): Tuesday, March 7th at 2:00 PM

Texas brothers — Toby (Chris Pine), and Tanner (Ben Foster), come together after years divided to rob branches of the bank threatening to foreclose on their family land. For them, the hold-ups are just part of a last-ditch scheme to take back a future that seemed to have been stolen from under them. Justice seems to be theirs, until they find themselves on the radar of Texas Ranger Marcus (Jeff Bridges) looking for one last grand pursuit on the eve of his retirement, and his half-Comanche partner, Alberto (Gil Birmingham).



Read, Rock, & Rhyme:

Infants to 24 months & their caregivers

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM

February 1st, 8th, 15th, & 22nd

Read, Rock and Rhyme is fashioned after the Mother Goose on the Loose program that integrates the latest research in early literacy and infant brain development with traditional story time elements. Join us as we share books, rhymes, musical instruments, songs, movement, flannel board tales, puppets, finger plays, and more.

This program is designed for the birth to 24 month audience, but siblings are welcome. Open play is available at the end of the program.



Youth Services

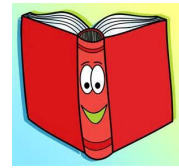


Time for Stories:

2s, 3s, & their caregivers

Mondays at 10:00 AM

February 6th, 13th, & 27th



Time for Stories is an early literacy program filled with age-appropriate activities. Please join us for stories, rhymes, flannel boards, finger plays, music, and more.

This program is designed for a preschool audience, but siblings are welcome. Open play is available at the end of the program.

Let's Make Valentines!

Tuesday, February 7th at 6:00 PM

Ages 3 & up.

We'll have plenty of supplies for you to create beautiful hearts for your family.

Pokémon Club

Saturday, February 18th at 10:00 AM

All ages welcome.



Get ready to swap cards and wage battles against your friends. Are you new to Pokémon? Not to worry! We have plenty of experienced players who will be happy to show you the ropes.

Take Your Child to the

Library Day 2017:

Valentine Gingerbread Houses

*Saturday, February 11th
at 10:00 AM*

*Ages 3 and up. Limit 20.
Please call to register.*

Graham crackers, icing, and candy ... yum!
Get ready to decorate!



Saturday Stories

Saturday, February 25th at 10:00 AM

Ages 2 - 4 and their parents/caregivers



For all of you who are unable to attend Monday morning stories! Please join us for stories, rhymes, flannel boards, finger plays, music, and more.

This program is designed for a preschool audience, but siblings are welcome. Open play is available at the end of the program.

Teen Book Discussion

Tuesday, February 28th at 6:30 PM



Bring various suggestions with you as we discuss future titles.



Home School Building Club

Wednesday, February 15th at 2:00 PM

All ages welcome.

Duplo and Lego bricks will be available for your children to create with while you network with other caregivers and explore our collection of materials.



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