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The Library is located directly across from Town Hall.

Library Hours

Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM Friday & Saturday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Sunday 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Through May 7th

"Every good painter paints what he is." -- Jackson Pollock

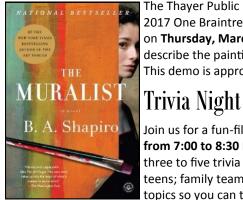


Library Connections

The Newsletter of Thayer Public Library

MARCH 2017

One Braintree, One Book 2017 The Muralist, by B.A. Shapiro, is our 7th Annual Community Read



The Thayer Public Library and the Braintree Art Association kick off the 2017 One Braintree, One Book Community Read with an art demonstration on Thursday, March 16th at 7:00 PM in Logan Auditorium. An artist will describe the painting process while creating an artwork for the audience. This demo is appropriate for adults and teens who are interested in art.

Join us for a fun-filled Trivia Night at the Library on Monday, March 27th from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in Logan Auditorium. Come with your own team of three to five trivia experts, or join a team when you arrive. For adults and teens; family teams are welcome. Brush up on your art, history, and other topics so you can take home bragging rights until the next Trivia Night!

Community Mural Project

We're building a community mural and you can be one of our artists! Just like Alizee, who sketched out her mural, we need help with the painting. Adults, teens, and kids, nine years and older, are invited to stop by Logan Auditorium on Saturday, March 25th between 10:00 AM and 12:30 PM to put their talents to work. So, roll up your sleeves and put your mark on this large mural project.

Save the Date! Saturday, April 1st at 2:00 PM

Eleanor Roosevelt plays an important role in The Muralist. Join us in the Logan Auditorium for Truly Eleanor, a live, three-person performance by the Delvena Theatre Company. You'll see her courage and her great contributions to human rights and liberty for all. The cast will be happy to discuss the subject matter after the performance.



One Braintree One Book is sponsored by the Friends of Thayer Public Library.

Note Taking & Test Preparation for Teens



Join us on Saturday, March 25th from 2:30- 3:30 PM in the Reading Room on the Main Level to learn strategies to help you perform better on tests, including how to sort through large volumes of information to know what materials to study. By the end of this workshop students will have a variety of tools they can use to make their studying more effective and more efficient.

For grades 6-12.

Workshop presented by Eliza Wagner Srestha, founder and director of ES Tutoring & Consulting.

South Shore Teen Con

Join teens from all across the South Shore on **Saturday March 11th from 1:00 to 3:00 PM in Logan Auditorium** for the Fifth Annual South Shore Teen Con for teens and tweens in grades 6 through 12. Stop by for all the events, including:



- Cosplay Fashion Show
- Dan & Phil's 7 Second Challenge
- Candy Sushi Making
- Makerspace, Crafts, & Henna
- Games & Killer Bunnies
- Prizes, Snacks, and More!

Tickets are free and are available at the Teen Desk! Check out the South Shore Teen Con Facebook Page for more information.





Join us on **Wednesday, March 8th at 6:30 PM** in Logan Auditorium for our monthly showing of a newly-released-on-DVD movie. This month we're showing the award-winning film, *Manchester by the Sea*, starring Casey Affleck, Michelle Williams, Kyle Chandler and Lucas Hedges.

In **Manchester by the Sea**, the latest film from award-winning writer and director Kenneth Lonergan, the life of a solitary Boston janitor is transformed when he returns to his hometown to take care of his teenage nephew. The story of the Chandlers, a working-class family living in a Massachusetts fishing village for generations, **Manchester by the Sea** is a deeply poignant, unexpectedly funny exploration of the power of familial love, community, sacrifice, and hope.

Can't make it to the Wednesday night movie? Don't forget that you can see an encore presentation of the Wednesday night newly released monthly movie at the Thursday afternoon matinee

in Logan Auditorium. This month's matinee is Thursday, March 9th at 2:00 PM.

Amazon Studios, Rated R, 137 mins.

Friends Present "Adventures in Wonderland!"

Join the Friends of Thayer Public Library on **Sunday, March 26th, from 1:00-3:00 PM** in Logan Auditorium, when Alice's Wonderland comes to Braintree! This afternoon of adventures will include games, visits and photos with the Mad Hatter, raffles, Alice themed activities and an English style marketplace. Everyone is welcome!

Tickets are available by request at the reference desk on the Lower Level of the library. Tickets are free but there is a limited number. Please sign up when you request tickets.

Plan to brighten up those last days of winter by spending some time in our delightful Wonderland. Come and be enchanted!

Dine at the Chateau and Support the Library

The Friends invite you to help support the library when you dine at the Chateau Restaurant in Braintree on **Wednesday, March 8th.** The Chateau will donate 20% of your check to the Friends. All donations to the Friends directly benefit the library. This offer is for lunch, dinner, and take out. You must give the server the fundraiser coupon, which is available at the library. So, gather family and friends together, have a great dinner, and feel good about helping the library while you enjoy a great meal.

