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The Library is
located directly
across from
Town Hall.

Winter Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Friday and Saturday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Holiday Hours

Closing at 2:30 PM:

Monday, Dec. 31st

Closed:

Monday, Dec. 24th

Tuesday, Dec. 25th

Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2019

Please check our website
for updates on holiday
hours. And weather
related closures.



Joseph C. Sullivan
Mayor

Library Connections

The Newsletter of Thayer Public Library

DECEMBER 2018

Holiday Hours



The Library will be closed all day Monday, December 24th and Tuesday, December 25th for the Christmas holiday.

The library will close at 2:30 PM on Monday, December 31st and will be closed all day on Tuesday, January 1, 2019 for the New Year's Day holiday.

For the most up-to-date information on holiday or storm closings, please call the library at 781-848-0405, or check our website (www.thayerpubliclibrary.org).

Career Workshop: Resume Top Tips



Join us on **Tuesday, December 11th from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM in Logan Auditorium** for a free Career Workshop with One Life at a Time, a non-profit organization committed to providing comprehensive employment assistance to all those in need of job training services and preparing every client to successfully rejoin the workforce.

Does it feel like your resume is falling into a black hole? This workshop will focus on Resume Top Tips. Use these tips to produce a resume that gets results. A resume is not required for this workshop, but if you

have one, bring it along for review.

Register online, in person at the Reference Desk or over the phone at 781-848-0405, ext. 4417.

OverDrive News



Reciprocal Lending Program -- Tired of waiting for OverDrive holds? Or maybe you're looking for a book that OCLN doesn't have in OverDrive. Now you can see if another library system has the book you want. Browse and borrow from the OverDrive collections of other library networks in Massachusetts through our reciprocal lending program. You can even place holds on their titles! Participating networks include CLAMS, CW MARS, NOBLE, SAILS and the Minuteman Library Network. Look for the links on the OverDrive search page to connect to other libraries collections. At this time, you must search each network individually; you cannot search all the networks at the same time.

Libby App -- Now, with the Libby App, it's even easier than ever to borrow, download and read books from OverDrive. Borrowed titles download automatically when you are connected to wifi. Libby is available for Android, iOS, Windows 10, and some Chromebooks.

Holiday Gift Wrapping

No time to wrap your holiday gifts? No worries! Have your gifts wrapped at the library when our teen elves turn Logan Auditorium in to a Gift Wrapping Station. Bring in the gifts you need wrapped in a clearly labeled bag (with your name on it and a list of the names of the gift recipients) and our helpers will do the work for you! Registration is required.

Two dates are available: **Saturday, December 15th from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM in Logan Auditorium and Monday, December 17th from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM in the Teen Room.** Gifts will be wrapped in the order they are brought in.

The Gift Wrapping Station is hosted by the Teen Advisory Group.



December Newly Released Movie



Join us on **Wednesday, December 12th at 6:30 PM in Logan Auditorium** for a screening of the newly-released on DVD movie, **Colette**.

After marrying a successful Parisian writer known commonly as "Willy" (Dominic West), Sidonie-Gabrielle Colette (Keira Knightley) is transplanted from her childhood home in rural France to the intellectual and artistic splendor of Paris. Soon after, Willy convinces Colette to ghostwrite for him. She pens a semi-autobiographical novel about a witty and brazen country girl named Claudine, sparking a bestseller and a cultural sensation. After its success, Colette and Willy become the talk of Paris and their adventures inspire additional Claudine novels. Colette's fight over creative ownership defies gender roles and drives her to overcome societal constraints, revolutionizing literature, fashion and sexual expression. -- Bleecker Street.

Can't make it to the Wednesday night movie? Don't forget about the encore matinee on **Thursday, December 13th from 2:00 to 4:00 PM in Logan Auditorium.**

This program is intended for adult audiences. The first 100 people will be admitted.

Movie Licensing fees are provided by the Friends of Thayer Public Library.

Number 9 Films ~ Rated R ~ 1 hour & 51 minutes

School Vacation Week at the Library



Taste Test Fun. Join us on **Wednesday, December 26th from 2:00 to 3:00 PM in Logan Auditorium.** Guess the fun flavors of the Oreos, plus taste test some juices -- we'll make a chart to see which brands/ flavors are most popular. For children ages five to eleven. May not be suitable for children with food allergies. Labels will be available to check for possible allergens. No sign-up needed.

Drama Day! Come to **Logan Auditorium on Thursday, December 27th from 2:00 to 3:30 PM** to act in some short plays! We'll have scripts that kids can read aloud together as a group (no need to memorize lines). The scripts and plays will be at a variety of levels and lengths, so a range of grade levels can participate. If time allows, we will make hats or part of costume. For ages seven to eleven. No registration necessary.

Movie: Early Man. Join us on to see the movie **Early Man** on the big screen **on Saturday, December 28th from 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM in Logan Auditorium.** This stop-motion animated historical sports comedy film follows a tribe of primitive Stone Age valley dwellers, who have to defend their land from bronze-using invaders in an association football (soccer) match. Rated PG, 89 minutes. No sign-up needed.

Celebrate the New Year! Join us on **Monday, December 31st from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM in Logan Auditorium** for an early New Year's celebration. Ring in the New Year at noon! Celebrate with an early countdown. Ideal for children who won't be awake at midnight. Decorate a horn to toot at the stroke of 12:00 noon, have some apple juice to sip to celebrate the New Year. It is going to be an awesome 2019! Best for ages three to seven, but open to all children. No sign-up needed.