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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

The Library will be
closed Tuesday,
January 1st for New
Year's Day
and
Monday, January 21st
for Martin Luther
King Jr. Day



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Library Connections

The Newsletter of Thayer Public Library

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Device Advice

Get Free eBooks, Magazines, Music, Movies and More from the Library



Did you know you can get free eBooks, magazines, music, and movies from the library on your tablet, phone, or computer? Come to the Device Advice workshop on **Saturday, January 19th at 10:00 AM in Logan Auditorium** and we'll show you how!

Now that you've had some time to learn how to use that new tablet, smartphone, or eReader it's time to learn how to fill your entertainment needs with free ebooks, audiobooks, movies, music, magazines, and more using your Thayer Public Library card.

Register for this workshop online through the library calendar (www.thayerpubliclibrary.org), over the phone, or in person at the Reference Desk. You will need to bring your library card and PIN, as well as know the user ID and password for your device's app store. And don't forget to bring your device!

New Year, New Career!

Thayer Public Library and One Life at a Time want to help you achieve your career dreams this year!

Join us on **Tuesday, January 22nd 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. Jump start your career with the help of the experts at One Life at a Time.

Registration is requested. Register online through the library calendar, in person at the Reference Desk, or over the phone at 781-848-0405, x4417.



Trivia Night @ the Library ❄️❄️

Join us on **Tuesday, January 22nd from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in Logan Auditorium** for Winter Trivia Night at the Library! The loosely-adhered-to theme is "Baby, It's Cold Outside." This program is geared towards adults, but teens and family teams are welcome. Register online or over the phone at 781-848-0405 x4430. Register a team or get matched with a team when you arrive. We expect the reigning champions will show up to defend their title!

Fun, friendly, low-key competition with small prizes for winning teams. Sponsored by the Friends of Thayer Public Library.

This month only, Trivia Night is on a **Tuesday** night instead of the usual Monday night.

January Movies



Join us on **Wednesday, January 9th at 6:30 PM in Logan Auditorium** for a screening of **A Simple Favor**, the story of Stephanie (Ana Kendrick), a single mother with a parenting vlog who befriends Emily (Blake Lively), a secretive upper-class woman who has a child at the same elementary school as hers. When Emily goes missing, Stephanie takes it upon herself to investigate. -- *IMDb*

Can't make it to the Wednesday night movie? Remember, you can see an encore matinee on **Thursday, January 10th from 2:00 to 4:00 PM in Logan Auditorium.**
BRON Studios ~ Rated R ~ 1 hour, 57 minutes

Some of our Newly Released on DVD Program regulars wanted to see a movie that didn't qualify as new on DVD. So we added another date with a movie that has been out a bit longer!

This month we are showing **Christopher Robin** on the big screen in **Logan Auditorium** on **Wednesday, January 23rd at 6:30 PM and at 2:00 PM on Thursday, January 24th.** Choose the time that is best for you!

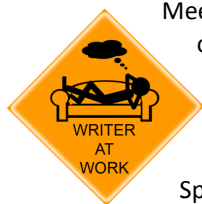
Director Marc Forster directed this live action movie that features English author A. A. Milne's best loved characters as walking and talking stuffed animals. Ewan McGregor stars as a middle-aged Christopher Robin, now burdened by an stultifying white collar job that prevents him from spending quality time with his family. Winne the Pooh, Piglet, Eeyore, and Tigger venture from Hundred Acre Wood into London to turn his life around. -- *IMDb*

2DUX2 ~ Rated PG ~ 1hour, 44 mins



These programs are intended for an adult audience. Children who can sit quietly for the duration are welcome. The first 100 people will be admitted. The Friends of Thayer Public Library provide the licensing for our movie programs.

Saturday Morning Writers Group



Meet up with others who love to write on **Saturday, January 5th at 10:30 AM in the Reading Room.** Share tips of the trade while giving and getting support and encouragement to other local writers. The Saturday Morning Writers Group meets monthly to talk about works in progress and the writing and publishing process.

Meetings may start with a brief discussion of an article or topic given out the month before or end with a writing prompt to get the creative juices flowing.

Sponsored by the Thayer Public Library. The group's meetings are facilitated by a librarian.

Learn Something New With Gale Courses

Let Gale Courses Help You Achieve Your New Years Resolutions!

Start the New Year off right by learning something new, improving your skills, or even trying a new hobby!

Gale Courses offers a wide range of fun, interactive classes for professional development and personal enrichment, led by live instructors. The program is entirely online, and free with your Thayer Public Library card. Each course lasts six weeks and new sessions start once a month. Students can interact with other students and instructors in an online discussion area.

Courses are offered on the following topics:

- Accounting and Finance
- Business
- College Readiness
- Computer Applications
- Design and Composition
- Health Care and Medical
- Language and Arts
- Law and Legal
- Personal Development
- Teaching and Education
- Technology
- Writing and Publishing

Find Gale Courses on the Services page of our website (www.thayerpubliclibrary.org/services). Call the Reference Desk at 781-848-0405, ext. 4417 for more information.

