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The Library is
located directly
across from
Town Hall.

Fall Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Friday and Saturday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

*The Library will be closed
Monday, Nov. 11th in
honor of Veterans Day.
The library will close at
5:00 PM on Wednesday,
Nov. 27th and be closed all
day Thursday, Nov. 28th
for Thanksgiving.
Please check our
website for updates on
holiday hours.*



Joseph C. Sullivan
Mayor

Library Connections

The Newsletter of Thayer Public Library

NOVEMBER 2019

November Holiday Hours

Veterans Day. The library will be closed on Monday, November 11th in honor of Veterans Day.

Thanksgiving. The library will close at 5:00 PM on Wednesday, November 27th and be closed all day on Thursday, November 28th for Thanksgiving.

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Coffee with Local Authors

Three local authors will talk about their new books and their writing and publishing experience on Saturday, November 2nd from 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM in Logan Auditorium. This event is free and open to the public. The featured authors are:

- Joseph Hart and Bridget Hart-Kenney of Braintree
Papa's Past (a memoir of growing up in Charlestown)
- Nicole Asselin of Abington, formerly of Braintree
Murder at First Pitch (first in a new mystery series)
- Marie Fricker of Scituate
All in My Head: How a Hypochondriac Beat Brain Cancer



Books will be made available for purchase by the authors. No purchase is necessary to attend. Complimentary light refreshments will be served.

Read local and support our local authors!

Museum Pass News

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Peabody Essex Museum

New Museum Pass: Peabody Essex Museum

We now offer a pass for discounted admission to the Peabody Essex Museum in Salem. The pass admits two people for \$12 per person and two passes can be reserved each day. There is an additional charge of \$6 to visit Yin Yu Tang: A Chinese House.

In other Museum Pass news, Plimoth Plantation, The Boston Children's Museum, The Institute of Contemporary Art and the JFK Library are now offering E-tickets through the library pass program! Want to go to one of these museums at the last minute? Now you can get a library pass for discounted admission even when the library is not open.

Visit www.thayerpubliclibrary.org/museum-passes to learn more and reserve passes.

Passes are funded by the Friends of Thayer Public Library.

Survive the Season: Get Organized for the Holidays!



Join us on **Saturday, November 9th from 1:00 to 2:30 PM in Logan Auditorium** for tips, techniques, shortcuts, and tried and true ideas from professional organizer Marilyn Cruickshank. Get an early start and organize now so you can relax and enjoy the holiday season.

Marilyn Cruickshank is the owner of Creative Simplicity Organizing & Productivity LLC. Since 2009, she has provided an array of decluttering, organizing, and downsizing services to individuals, families and small business. Marilyn is also a Board Member of the New England Chapter of National Association of Productivity and Organizing Professionals (NAPO).

Kulina Folk Art Soap Making Workshop

Create your own special soap on **Saturday, November 16th from 11:00 Am to 1:00 PM in Logan Auditorium** in this Soap Making Workshop for adults and older teens (ages 16 and up). Limited to 40 participants. Advance registration is required.

Each participant will make their own soapy creations using white and clear glycerin soap and a variety of templates to create the shapes. The process does not involve traditional soap making techniques, so there is no lye exposure. Once the clear soap base has cooled slightly, we will add color, essential oil (optional), cosmetic grade glitter and a variety of shapes, such as hearts, stars bunnies and more. At the end of the workshop each participant will take home their handmade soap, it can be removed from the mold the following day and used right away. Soap is approximately 5.50 oz. and overall measurements of 4" x 4" x 3/4".

Register online through the library calendar, in person or over the phone at 781-848-0405 Ext. 4430.

Funding for this program is provided in part by the Braintree Cultural Council, a local agency, funded by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.



Newly Released Monthly Movie



Join us on Wednesday, November 13th at 6:30 PM in Logan Auditorium for a screening of the newly-released on DVD movie, **Red Joan**.

Joan Stanley (Judi Dench) is a widow living out a quiet retirement in the suburbs when, shockingly, the British Secret Service places her under arrest. The charge: providing classified scientific information—including details on the building of the atomic bomb—to the Soviet government for decades. As she is interrogated, Joan relives the dramatic events that shaped her life and beliefs: her student days at Cambridge, where she excelled at physics while challenging deep-seated sexism; her tumultuous love affair with a dashing political radical (Tom Hughes); and the devastation of World War II, which inspired her to risk everything in pursuit of peace. Based on a sensational true story, **Red Joan** vividly brings to life the conflicts—

between patriotism and idealism, love and duty, courage and betrayal—of a woman who spent a lifetime being underestimated while quietly changing the course of history.

Can't make it to the Wednesday night movie? Don't forget about the encore matinee on Thursday, November 14th from 2:00 to 4:00 PM in Logan Auditorium.

This program is intended for adult audiences. Admission is limited to the first 100 people.

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

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