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Oscar Movie Night

For our March Adult Program, we will be showing an Oscar nominated movie on Monday March 12th at 6:30pm. (Movie title to be decided.) Bring a friend along and we'll provide the snacks! We will also be announcing the winner of our Oscar ballot guessing game that night. As a reminder, whoever was able to guess the most correct winners on our Oscar ballot will receive a free copy of an Oscar nominated movie of their choice! We will of course be purchasing all of the Oscar nominated movies for the Library, so feel free to ask a Librarian to put a hold on one for you!

March Display Case

May the luck of the Irish be with you! This month our display case has all things St. Patrick's Day, Irish and Celtic on display! The items on display belong to Jim McNeill, Julia Flannery and don to Peru to Philadelphia to Zoe Buehl. The display includes jewelry, books, signs, leprechaun figures, hanging décor, a tapestry, a drum and even more fun green and festive things!

Book Club

Book Club will next meet on Wednesday March 21st at 7:30pm to discuss Sing You Home by Jodi Picoult.

"In the aftermath of a series of personal tragedies, Zoe throws herself into her career as a music therapist. When an *unexpected friendship slowly* blossoms into love, she makes plans for a new life, but to her shock and inevitable rage, *some people—even those she* loves and trusts most—don't want that to happen." Pat Wickersham will be leading the discussion this time. Stop in to pick up your copy

today!

Between the Covers Book Club

Carolyn's next selection for her Between the Covers Book Group is The Signature of All Things by Elizabeth Gilbert. They will meet on Friday March 23rd at 10:00am. *"Exquisitely researched and* told at a galloping pace, The Signature of All Things soars across the globe--from Lon-Tahiti to Amsterdam, and be*vond. Along the way, the story* is peopled with unforgettable characters: missionaries, abolitionists. adventurers. astronomers, sea captains, geniuses, and the quite mad. But most memorable of all, it is the story of Alma Whittaker, who--born in the Age of En*lightenment, but living well* into the Industrial Revolution

--bears witness to that extraordinary moment in human history when all the old assumptions about science, religion, commerce, and class were exploding into dangerous new ideas. " We have lots of copies available for checkout!

Kids Movie Days

We will be showing two different kids movies this month! On Thursday March 8th, you can come watch Coco at 4:00pm. In Disney/Pixar's vibrant tale of family, fun and adventure, an aspiring young musician named Miguel embarks on an extraordinary journey to the magical land of his ancestors. There, the charming trickster Héctor becomes an unexpected friend who helps Miguel uncover the mysteries behind his family's stories and traditions.

On Thursday March 29th, we will show Ferdinand at 1:30pm.

(It's a No School Day.) After Ferdinand, a bull with a big heart, is mistaken for a dangerous beast. he is captured and torn from his home. Determined

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to return to his family, he rallies a misfit team on the ultimate adventure. As always, we will provide a snack for the kids while they watch the movie.

Story Time with Zoe

Story Time will continue to meet every Tuesday morning at 10:00. Join us for songs, stories, music and movement and a fun art project. New friends are always welcome!

Some of our upcoming themes are: Jungle; St. Patrick's Day; First Day of Spring and Easter.

New DVDs:

Murder on the Orient Express; Coco; Just Getting Started; Let There Be Light; Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri; Darkest; Same Kind of Different As Me; Midnight, Texas: Season One: Daddy's Home 2: Mom and Dad: The Star; Wonder: Flint: Roman J. Israel, Esq.; Madtown; All I See is You; Hedgehogs; Pokemon the Movie: I Choose You; Keep Watching: Suburbicon: A Bad Moms Christmas; LBJ; The Stray: Only the Brave: Blade Runner 2049.

New Adult Books:

The Promise Girls by Marie Bostwick; Lie to Me by J.T. Ellison; Winter Sisters by Robin Oliveira; Inventing Joy: Dare to Build a Brave & Creative Life by Joy Mangano; Here Am I, Lord...Send Somebody Else: How God Uses Ordinary People to Do Extraordinary Things by Jill Briscoe; Rosie Colored Glasses by Brianna Wolfson; The Seven Husbands of Evelyn

Hugo by Taylor Jenkins Reid; The Day I Died by Lori Rader-Day; Lost and Found Sisters by Jill Shalvis; Secrets of the Tulip Sisters by Susan Mallery; Saints for All Occasions by J. Courtney Sullivan; And Every Morning the Way Home Gets Longer and Longer by Fredrik Backman; An American Marriage by Tayari Jones; White Houses by Amy Bloom; The Great Gasbag: An A-to-Z Guide to Surviving Trump World by Joy Behar; All-American Murder: The Rise and Fall of Aaron Hernandez, The Superstar Whose Life Ended on Muderers' Row by James Patterson and Alex Abramovich; Home Sweet Murder by James Patterson; The Music Shop by Rachel Joyce; Looking For a Hero by Debbie Macomber; Thursdays at Eight by Debbie Macomber: The Great Alone by Kristin Hannah; Surprise Me by Sophie Kinsella; *Murder Beyond the Grave* by James Patterson; *Fifty Fifty* by James Patterson and Candice Fox; Dark in Death by J.D. Robb; We Were Eight Years in Power: An American Tragedy by Ta-Nehisi Coates; Acceptance and Authority by Jeff VanderMeer; Palace of Treason and The Kremlin's Candidate by Jason Matthews; Crazy Rich Asians by Kevin Kwan; The Long Home by William Gay; **Queen of Scots:** The True Life of Mary Stuart by John Guy; The Bell Jar by Sylvia Plath; Boy Erased: A Memoir of Identity, Faith and Family by Garrard Conley; Annihilation by Jeff Vandermeer; Red Sparrow by Jason Matthews; 12 Strong: The Declassified True Story of the Horse Soldiers by Doug

Stanton; First Man: The Life of Neil A. Armstrong by James R. Hansen; Look for Me by Lisa Gardner; The Way of Kings by Brandon Sanderson.

New Large Print Books:

Dark in Death by J.D. Robb; Sisters Like Us by Susan Mallery.

New Juvenile Books:

Words in Deep Blue by Cath Crowley; What Light by Jay Asher; Dreadful Young Ladies and Other Stories by Kelly Barnhill; Renegades by Marissa Meyer: The Hazel Wood by Melissa Albert; Dog Man by Dav Pilkey; Dog Man Unleashed, Dog Man: A Tale of Two Kitties and Dog Man and Cat Kid by Dav Pilkey; The Hate U Give by Angie Thomas; All American Boys by Jason Reynolds; The War with Grand*pa* by Robert Kimmel Smith; Mary Poppins: 80th Anniversary Collection by Dr. P.L. Travers; To All the Boys I've Loved Before by Jenny Han; Between Shades of Gray by Ruta Sepetys; Never Fade by Alexandra Bracken: The Darkest Minds by Alexandra Bracken; Ophelia by Lisa Klein; Every Day by David Levithan; Batman/Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles by James Tynion IV.

<u>New CDs:</u>

Always Ascending by Franz Ferdinand; Two Guitars, A Dulcimer and an Attitude by Andina and Rich; Free Range Sofas by Stephen Lee Rich; Man of the Woods by Justin Timberlake.