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Marysville Public Library

January 2019

"I do things like get in a taxi and say, 'The library, and step on it.'" -- David Foster Wallace

COME HAVE FUN WITH US!

Mondays at 4pm—Tween Time (3rd grade & up)!
Tuesdays at 10:30—Tuesday Morning Storytime!
First & Third Tuesdays at 4:00 pm—Builders Club!
Second & Fourth Tuesdays at 4:00 pm—Crafternoons!
Wednesdays at 4:00 pm—Movie Matinees!
Thursdays at 4:00 pm—Teen Café (7th grade & up)!
Thursdays at 6:45 pm—Family Storytime!

Kiddos must be 8 years or older to attend alone. Call 785-562-2491 with questions.

WE WILL BE BACK THE WEEK OF JANUARY 14!

Join us for our Book Clubs!

The B.A.G. Ladies, aka the "Books Are Great" Ladies, meet the first Monday of the month at 6:00 pm, here in the library! **January's selection is *Tips for Living by Renee Shafransky***. In February, we're discussing *Seven Days of Us* by Francesca Hornak.

The YA Book Club for Adults meets to discuss young adult books on the first Thursday of the month at 5:30 pm. The sessions will only run about a half hour. **Join us for January's talk about *The Cheerleaders* by Kara Thomas**. Then check out February's choice, *Undead Girl Gang*, by Lily Anderson.

Finally, for our business book lovers, join us for **Literary Leaders Book Club** on the first Thursday of the month at noon. We are partnering with Marysville Mainstreet to give our business leaders a chance to network and grow their business. **Join us for *QBQ: Question Behind the Question* by John Miller in January**. February's book is *7 Habits of Highly Effective People* by Stephen R. Covey. Haven't had a chance to read the books? Come anyway!



Upcoming Library U Events!

LIBRARY U higher learning for adults

Monday, January 14 at 5:30 pm—Instant Pot #2! This class was so popular we brought it back for one more night! Sign ups required.

Thursday, January 24 at noon—Connect with an educator from the Omaha Zoo FROM an animal's habitat! Bring your lunch and join us!

Thursday, February 21 at noon—Come craft with us! Mandy will show you how to create a fun spring craft! Sign ups preferred!

Monday, March 18 at 5:30 pm—Join Nick Rohr in a trivia night! Bring a team or come alone and get assigned to a team. More information coming soon!

Thursday, March 21 at noon—Essential Oils Essentials with Katie Oehm! Learn what you need to know about utilizing essential oils in your life!

Monday, April 15 at 5:30 pm and Thursday, April 18 at noon—Classic Film Viewing with Mandy! View the classic *Citizen Kane* on Monday, finish it on Thursday, and discuss over lunch!

If sign ups are preferred, please call at 785-562-2491!

ALL PROGRAMS OFFERED FREE OF CHARGE!

We will be closed!

We will be closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day on Monday, January 21. Come see us the Saturday before to stock up! We'll be open our regular hours on Tuesday, January 22!

Introducing...Teen Café!

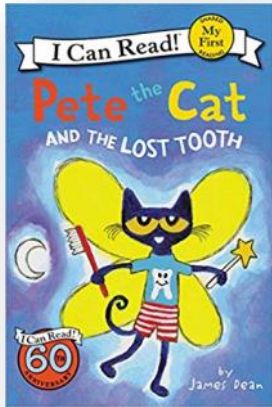
Calling all teens seventh grade and above! Come hang out at the library on Thursday afternoons after school from 4 pm to 5 pm. We'll have the Keurig up and running and have a snack or two on hand. We'll figure out what we want to do as we go along! Join us. :)



Take it from us...we love these items!

Ask us to grab them from the shelves for you!

Pete the Cat and the Lost Tooth : Tips for Living



By James Dean

Pete the Cat and the Lost Tooth is one of James Dean's newest creations and it did not disappoint.

Pete gets to assist the tooth fairy for the night, and he can fly! He even visits a few of his close friends who lost a tooth too, but Gus's tooth is missing! Will Pete find it?!

This is a great story for any little who loves Pete and would also be a wonderful book for a child who is in the process of learning to read! —reviewed by Ashley

By Renee Shafransky

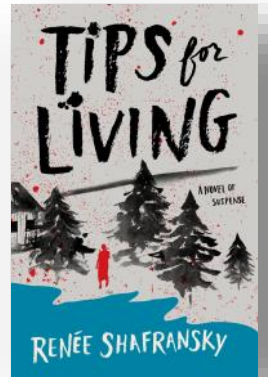
How do you prove your innocence for a murder when you don't know for sure where you were at the time?

That is the quandary for Nora, the main character of Renee Shafransky's book, *Tips for Living*.

When Nora's husband, Hugh, has an affair after twelve years of marriage, she moves to a small town to start over. But when Hugh and his beautiful pregnant new wife move to town, Nora feels the resentment, embarrassment and betrayal from the end of her marriage all over again.

When the couple is found murdered in their home, Nora becomes the "person of interest" and she has a secret which questions her whereabouts at the time of the crime. This cozy mystery has a little romance, interesting characters and a twist at the end. — reviewed by Janice

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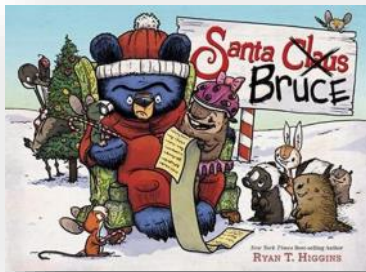


Santa Bruce

By Ryan T. Higgins

By the time you read this review, Christmas will have just concluded, but I must share this book. *Santa Bruce*, by Ryan T. Higgins, is the fourth installment in this series about this bear.

Following *Mother Bruce*, *Hotel Bruce*, and *Bruce's Big Move*, *Santa Bruce* addresses the problem that Bruce the bear has when all he wants is for the world to be quiet for his nice winter rest. What happens when Bruce is mistaken for Santa Claus by the animals? Higgins writes his books with humor and fun, and his illustrations relay this as well. May I also suggest checking out another Ryan T. Higgins' book, *We Don't Eat Our Classmates...* it's TONS of fun as well! —reviewed by Lesa



Your librarians are here to help!

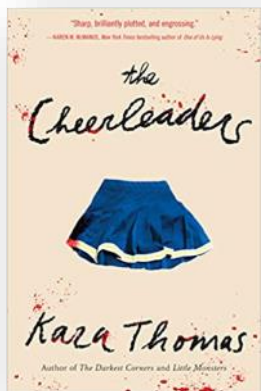


The Cheerleaders

By Kara Thomas

This book had the potential to be super cheesy—kind of like some of the "whodunit" shows in the 90s and early 2000s. However, this was the opposite of cheesy. As a matter of fact, it was sort of creepy!

Monica's sister, Jennifer, was one of the cheerleaders that died five years ago. Monica KNOWS she was murdered, because she would have never committed suicide, even if she was the last of her best friends alive. But as Monica starts to unravel the mystery of the murders, she starts to find that maybe she didn't know all of the story as she thought. But is her stepfather to blame, or Jennifer herself? Check this one out today! —reviewed by Mandy ****BONUS!**** This is January's YA for Adults Book Club Selection!



Slow

Simple Living for a Frantic World

By Brooke McAlary

It's a new year, so how about adding decluttering to your new year's resolutions? Personally, I think it's great to go through our things every once in a while and give away what we don't

use/need. This book is very encouraging, but it's not a magic recipe, and you don't have to go psycho and get rid of everything. Brooke McAlary is not preachy about what worked for her and I appreciate that. It's always interesting to read about someone else's experiences and apply what we see fit into our own lives. *Slow* reminds us to take things slow (shocking, I know) and to enjoy the small details in life, instead of obsessing over social media posts and society's expectations of what we should or shouldn't be doing. If nothing else, this book makes us

reflect upon the kind of life we're living. Isn't that a good way to start a new year? —reviewed by Dé



Come in to see us! M, T, W, F 10:00 am-6:00 pm; Th 10:00 am-7:30 pm, S 10:00 am-2:00 pm