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JANUARY 2017



Friends of the Holmes Library

2016

THANK YOU!!!

The Friends' Silent Auction raised \$900!

These funds will go directly to Library Programming, Summer Reading, and many other events the Library hosts throughout the year.

Without Friends like you, our Holmes would be very quiet.

Consider joining this vital group either by purchasing a membership or becoming a regular at monthly meetings.

Happy New Year to all!

COMING SOON Halifax IN 2017





A Community Read brought to you in the Spring of 2017. The Holmes Library will have

multiple copies of <u>A Walk</u> <u>in the Woods</u> by Bill Bryson available for checkout.

Be sure to attend the programming built around this book for both adults and students.



SPECIAL EVENTS IN JANUARY

- Knitting Drop In Tuesdays 10am-Noon
- Genealogy Group Wednesday, Jan. 4 1pm
- Anime Club Monday, Jan.9 6pm
- Writers' Group * Tuesday, Jan. 10 1pm *New Day*
- Trustee Meeting Tuesday, Jan. 10 6:30pm
- Children's Book Club Wed., Jan. 11 2:45pm
- Scattergories Thursday, Jan. 12 3pm
- Afternoon Book Club Tuesday, Jan. 17 1pm
- Mystery Book Club Wednesday, Jan. 18 2pm
- Lego Club Saturday, Jan. 21 11am
- Family Movie Night Monday, Jan. 23 6pm
- Evening Book Club Tuesday, Jan. 24 6:30pm
- Tween Book Club Wed., Jan. 25 3-4pm
- Friends Meeting Wed., Jan. 25 6:30pm

From the Children's Room

THE GLASS SENTENCE BY S.E. GROVE

Wednesday, January 25 3 -4 pm

For fans of *The Golden Compass*, this *New York Times* bestseller will take you on a fantastic journey across worlds and time.



Drop In Knitting elevating knitting and talking to an art form

Every great thing starts with the smallest step...or stitch...or purl.

Pick those knitting needles back up and join the Drop-In Knitting Group. Every Tuesday from 10am-12 the back Community Room is filled with laughter, cookies and tea. And yarn. It's a casual morning. No formal lessons, but surely some helpful eyes and knowing skills to help you get through a difficult pattern.

You may never finish that afghan, but we promise you'll have a great time trying!

From the Reference Desk

We are in the process of doing an end-to-end review of our nonfiction collection and will be adding a number of new titles. If you think there's an area of the nonfiction collection that could use some TLC or a non-fiction title you'd like to see on the library's shelves, please email me and let me know!

Did you know that the Holmes Public Library has a wide range of information available via the "Gale Research Databases" link on the library's home page? In the coming months I will highlight a few of the databases that might be of use to you. I will also put together research guides to help you find the information you need using these resources. Of course, please contact me if you have a specific question or if you'd like me to show you how to use these fabulous resources!

~ David Aronson, Reference