

UPCOMING PROGRAMS @ RML JANUARY 2025

ADULT PROGRAMS & EVENTS

Library Closures

Closed Wednesday, January 1 for New Year's Day

Closed Monday, January 20 in honor of
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

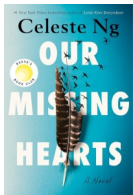
MONTHLY BOARD MEETINGS

The regular monthly meeting of the Richmond Memorial Library Board of Trustees will be held the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00 pm in the Gallery Room

Saturday, January 4 11 am - 12 pm

Journaling Club for Adults

Join us for our Journaling Club! This is a warm and welcoming environment to be creative together and individually!



ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Monday, January 6 at 6:30 pm

Wednesday, January 15 at 9:30 am

*3rd Wednesday of the month due to holiday

Read the book *Our Missing Hearts* by Celeste Ng. Genre: Literary/Family 352 pgs. Copies will be available at the front desk one month prior to the discussion. Also on Libby.

Tech Tutoring

Tuesday, January 14 9:30 am - 10:30 am

*No Evening Session in January

Mornings: Second Tuesday of each month, 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Evenings: Fourth Tuesday of each month, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Bring your device for tech help! No registration required!



A Blizzard of Reading

Winter Reading Program for
Teens & Adults

January 6 - March 1



Stay cozy & read for a chance to win prizes!

Register at the library or online starting
January 6

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MONTHLY BOOK SALE



Thursday, January 9 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
In the Wilber-Fox Room!

Second Thursday of the Month due to Holiday!!

Tuesday, January 7 and January 21 at 7 pm

Dungeons & Dragons

The first and third Tuesday of each month! For adults. Interested in joining? Email ebeardslee@nioga.org, subject "RML Dungeons and Dragons"



Thursday, January 9 at 6 pm

Movie Screenings @ RML *The Wild Robot* 2024, PG

Join us for a film the second Thursday of each month at 6 pm! The program is intended for adults but depending on the film, supervised children are welcome. Light refreshments served.

Thursday, January 16 at 10 am

Throwback Thursday: Classic Movie Screenings *Arsenic & Old Lace* 1944

Join us every third Thursday of the month for a classic movie at 10am. *Arsenic and Old Lace* stars Cary Grant & Priscilla Lane. Coffee & Pastries served!



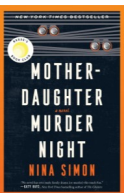
Wednesday, January 22 at 7 pm

Virtual Program- High Tea and the Low Down
Watch from home on Zoom or join us in the Gallery Room. Chuckle while learning how to avoid Britspeak disaster on your next trip from Claire Evans, author of "High Tea and the Low Down: An American's Unfiltered Life in the UK." Register at batavialibrary.org to watch from home.

Monday, January 27 at 6:30 pm

Mystery Readers' Monday

Read the book *Mother-Daughter Murder Night* by Nina Simon and be ready to discuss. Copies will be available at the front desk one month prior to the discussion. Genre: Contemporary/ Amateur Sleuth. 368 pages. Also available on Hoopla.



Keep up-to-the-minute with library happenings at www.batavialibrary.org.

Richmond Memorial Library | 19 Ross St, Batavia | 585-343-9550



DID YOU KNOW?

The library has **THREE** Empire Passes available to check out!



ROCHESTER MUSEUM PASSES

The library has **TWO** passes to the Rochester Museum and Science Center available to check out!

Visit or call the circ desk for info about these passes!



Check out the free seed library!

Located in the Non-Fiction Section

Come browse the many (free) seed offerings at the Batavia Seed Library! Vegetables, herbs, fruit, flowers and more!

Seed donations also accepted. The seed library is maintained by the Master Gardeners at the Cornell Cooperative Extension of Genesee County.

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NEW PROGRAM
NEWSLETTER @RML

We've switched platforms for our program newsletter & new material alerts!

Subscribe for:

Monthly E-Newsletter

New Fiction New Mysteries

New Non-Fiction New Large Print

& much more!

batavialibrary.org/read

TAXPAYER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 2025

We will once again partner with the NYS Department of Taxation and Finance to offer this free program! Registration will open in January.

2025 Dates: Thursdays, February 6- April 10
Appointments will be available between 9:30 and 4 pm

MORE INFORMATION TO COME!



Wireless Hotspots Available

Hotspots are once again available!

Hotspots may be checked out for two weeks with no renewals. Holds may be placed by RML patrons.

One device may be borrowed per household.

Due to ongoing issues, we are no longer able to lend hotspots to patrons aged 17 and under.

All information provided with device lending agreement!

DONATIONS WELCOME

THE FRIENDS GRATEFULLY ACCEPT YOUR DONATIONS OF GENTLY USED BOOKS



Introducing Princh, our new mobile printing solution! Securely print from a mobile phone, tablet, or laptop, both remotely and at the library. Learn more at the library or at batavialibrary.org

RML DIGITAL LIBRARY

Access eBooks, Audiobooks, Music & Video

Visit us at <https://www.batavialibrary.org/digital>



ACCEPTING DONATIONS

The library is accepting donations for **comfort boxes** in our restrooms. These will be stocked with basic hygiene items for anyone in need!

All items should be individually wrapped

Requested Items:

Tissues Toothbrushes Toothpaste (travel sized)

Deodorant (travel sized)

Other small travel sized toiletry items- bar soap, shampoo, conditioner, body wash, etc.

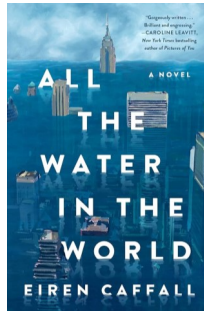


Or scan the QR code to shop via our Amazon wish list!

NEW ADULT MATERIALS FOR JANUARY

FOR MORE, VISIT BATAVIALIBRARY.ORG/READ!

NEW FICTION



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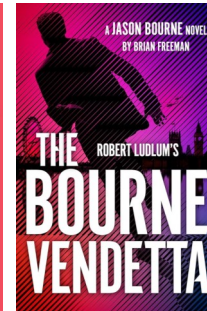
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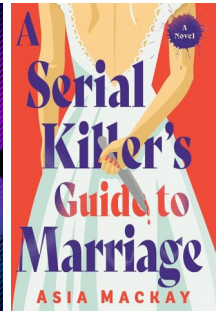
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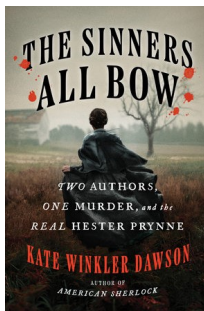


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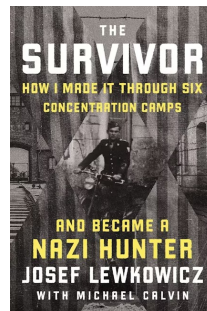


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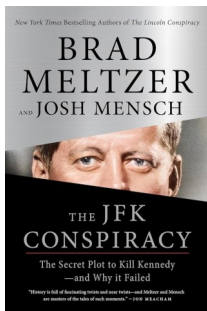
NEW NON-FICTION



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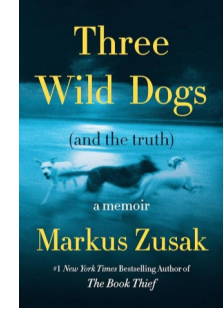
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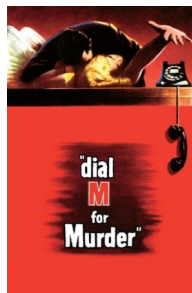
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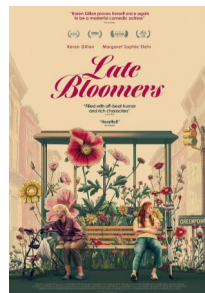
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All the Beauty and the Bloodshed
Documentary



Dial M for Murder
Thriller



Late Bloomers
Comedy



Midsomer Murders
TV series



Rob the Robot
Kids Series



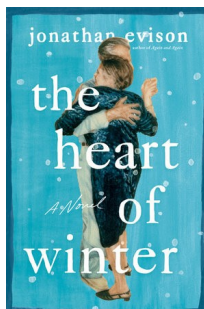
The Unlikely Pilgrimage
of Harold Fry
Based on a Book

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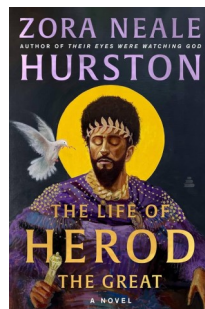
NEW IN HISTORICAL FICTION



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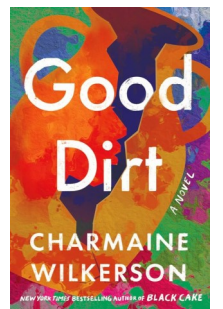
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ITEMS THROUGH THE LIBRARY!

find more at batavialibrary.org/read

YOUTH PROGRAMS

CHILDREN



WEEKLY EVENTS

Mondays at 10 am - Pre-K Storytime

Tuesdays at 10 am – Baby & Toddler Storytime

Wednesdays at 10 am - Play Café

Thursdays at 6 pm - Sensory Storytime* for ages 3-6

New! New weekly storytime on Fridays at 10 am—ages 0-5!

S.T.E.A.M. CLUB

Tuesdays at 3 pm

Ages 6 and up! No registration necessary.

MINI-MICHELANGELOS

Fridays at 3:15

Come join us for a weekly afterschool craft at 3:15 on Fridays! Recommended for Children 6-10, Younger / Older siblings are welcomed to attend. Registration not required but is encouraged.



LEGO BUILDING CLUB

Monday, December 2 and 16 at 6 pm

Join us the to build with Legos!

FIRST FRIDAY FAMILY FILM

Friday, January 3 at 11 am

Beginning in January, the Children's Room will be screening a family friendly (G or PG rated) film on the First Friday of the month at 11:00am. Stay tuned for details about each month's film. Light refreshments will be served.

THE MITTEN*

Monday, January 27 at 6 pm

Join us for a classic folktale and a craft!
Ages 3-8. Please register.



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TWEENS & TEENS

Register for teen and tween programs at batavialibrary.org/calendar. Tweens ages 10-12, Teens ages 13-17

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**Teen & Tween Minecraft
Wednesdays at 3 pm**

Snack & Craft

Mondays January 6 & 13 at 3 pm

Do a craft and enjoy a snack in teen corner!

Bingo!

Monday, January 27 at 3 pm

Join us after school for BINGO! Have fun and win prizes!

**Teen & Tween Switch Gaming
Fridays at 3 pm**

Tweens/Teens join us every Friday afternoon in January at 3pm for Nintendo Switch Gaming. Each person will get 20 minutes of gaming! If there is no one waiting to play you will get additional time! Relax and have fun! No Registration is Required!

**After School Pizza Party!
Thursday, January 9 at 3 pm**

**Teen & Tween Board Games
Tuesdays at 3 pm**



**requires registration. Register at batavialibrary.org/calendar or at the library.*