



BAILEY PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

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MON-WEDS: 10-6 | TH: 3-8 | FRI/SAT: 10-3

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, February 1

Move & Groove w/ Ms. Jenn 10:30am

Bailey Yoga Night 6pm

Monday, February 6

Pokémon Card Club 3:30pm

Tuesday, February 7

Bailey Tots Play Group 10:30am

Wednesday, February 8

Bailey Tots Play Group 10:30am

Thursday, February 9

Bailey Uke Group 6pm

Monday, February 13

Pokémon Card Club 3:30pm

Trustee meeting 6pm

Tuesday, February 14

Kids Yoga 10:30am

Wednesday, February 15

Nutrition Detectives w/ Ms. Jenn 10:30am

Title Waves Book Group 6pm

Tuesday, February 21

Bailey Tots Play Group 10:30am

Lakes Region Forum w/ Kevin Mannix 6:30pm

Wednesday, February 22

Bailey Tots Play Group 10:30am

Thursday, February 23

Bailey Uke Group 6pm

Friday, February 24

Harry Potter Party 1pm

Saturday, February 25

Bailey Acoustic Group 10:30am

Monday, February 27

Pokémon Card Club 3:30pm

Tuesday, February 28

Music Time w/ Buster B 10:30am

Every Tuesday: Craft Time 4pm

Monday-Thursday:

Teen After-School 3-6pm

Pokemon Card Club



The Bailey Library is hosting an all ages Pokémon Card Club at the library that meets after school every Monday from 3:30pm–4:30pm in the lower level Event Room of the library. Bring your Pokémon cards to trade, or challenge other players to a Pokémon battle. New players are welcome and staff will be on hand to teach the rules of the game. The library has a limited number of beginner card decks available on a first come first serve basis, but players are encouraged to bring their own standard sixty card deck to each event. Please sign up for the club by emailing rfortin@baileylibrary.org with the attendee name and phone number.

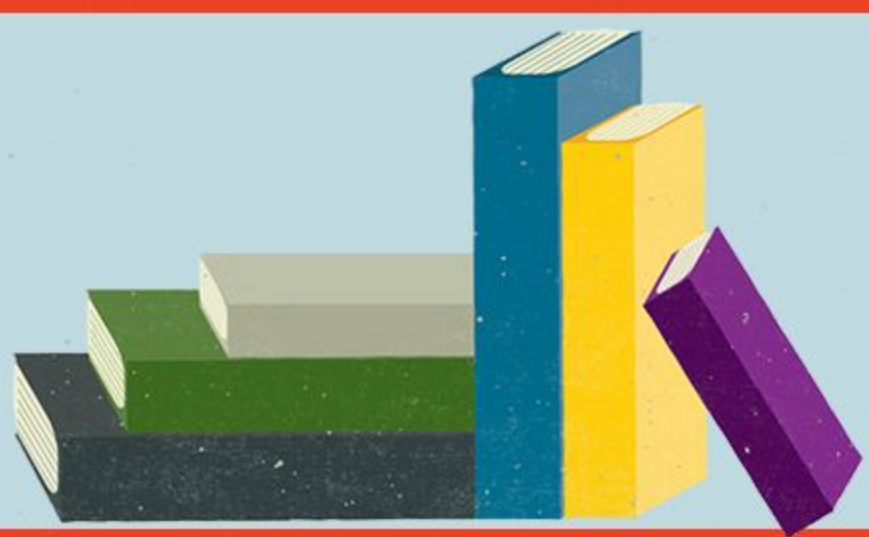
New Download Library



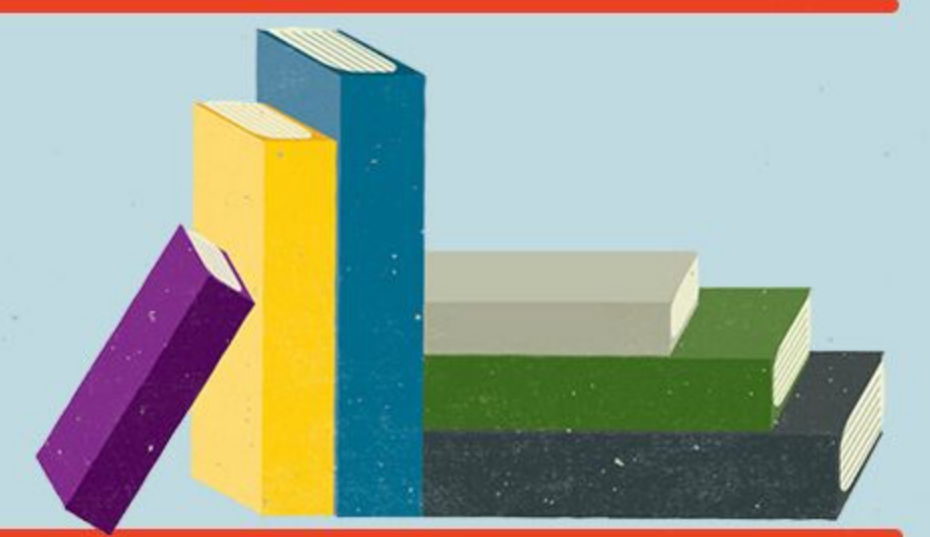
On March 1, our Download Library service will be moving to a brand new eBook and eAudiobook platform called cloudLibrary. This will replace the Overdrive platform being used now. Our current system (Overdrive) will be turned off on February 28 and the cloudLibrary will be launched the very next day. Once the system is live on March 1st, simply download the app for your device by going to:

<http://yourcloudlibrary.com/index.php/en-us/how-it-works> or go to

<http://download.maineinfonet.org> and follow the links to login. With this transition to the cloudLibrary, the Download Library will continue to offer our members nearly all of the current collection (over 10,000 digital titles) plus new titles and additional copies of popular titles. The cloudLibrary will offer patrons an App-based user experience that makes it easier to download eBooks and eAudiobooks.



Literary Favorites



NEW BOOK COMING SOON: The Dark Flood Rises by Margaret Drabble

From veteran novelist Drabble, a meditation on modern old age spiked with astringent humor on a subject "too serious for tears." Fran Stubbs is nearing the end of her life. Employed by a charitable trust researching living arrangements for the elderly, she attends conferences and visits care homes, while attending to her ageing and dying ex-husband and her friend Teresa. Meanwhile, Fran muses on her strained relationships with her son Christopher and her daughter Poppet. The final destination of several key figures should come as no surprise, given their age, but the author evokes a palpable sense of sorrow and loss nonetheless. The lack of narrative drive may irk some readers, but those who appreciate her able combination of intelligence, wit, and rue will willingly follow Drabble into the sunset.

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Debut Author Spotlight: Kayla Rae Whitaker

NEW BOOK AT THE LIBRARY: The Animators by Kayla Rae Whitaker



Unexpected and nuanced and pulsing with life, Whitaker's debut cuts straight to the heart of the creative process. From the minute Sharon Kisses meets Mel Vaught, the women are inseparable. Both are visual art majors with obvious talent. Both are from the rural south, united by their shared "white trashiness" (Mel's words)—a rarity at their posh East Coast liberal arts college. And both have a passion, an unquenchable thirst, for comics. By graduation, they are not just best friends, but also artistic partners. Ten years later, they're living and working together in a studio in Brooklyn. They make cartoons and animation shorts and their first full-length feature, an autobiographical project based on Mel's childhood, wins them an ultraprestigious grant. Sweeping and intimate at once, the novel is an exquisite portrait of a life-defining partnership. Whitaker captures the shifting dynamics between all the characters with such precision and sharpness that it's hard to let them go. Empathetic but never sentimental; a book that creeps up on you and then swallows you whole.

New & Coming Soon DVD



The Birth of a Nation directed by Nate Parker

Deepwater Horizon directed by J.C. Chandor

Denial directed by Mick Jackson

The Girl on the Train directed by Tate Taylor

The Light Between Oceans directed by Derek Cianfrance

Middle School: The Worst Years of My Life

directed by Steve Carr

Ouija: Origin of Evil directed by Mike Flanagan

Queen of Katwe directed by Mira Nair

Book to Film

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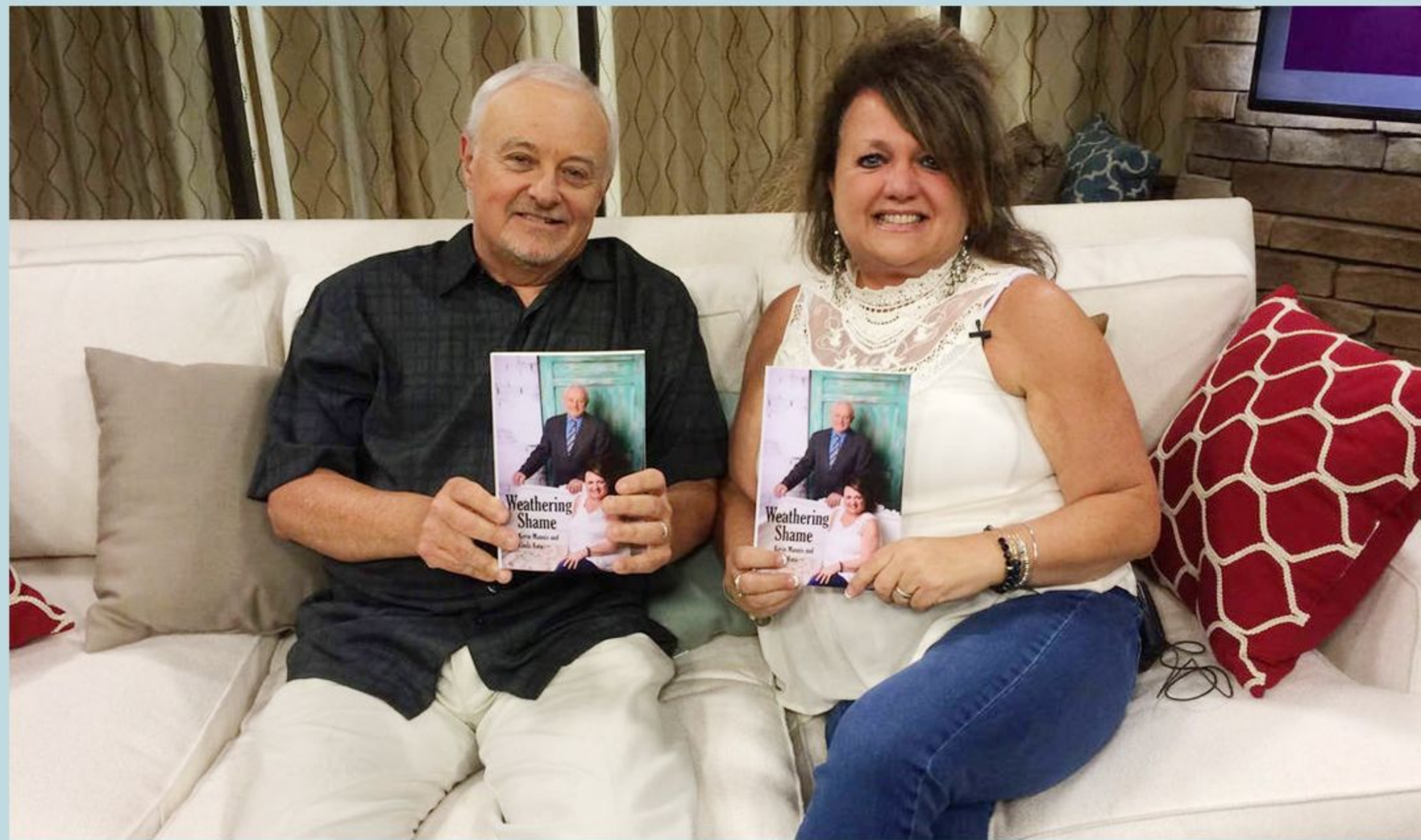
Denial directed by Mick Jackson



Critics Consensus

Based on Deborah Lipstadt's book "History on Trial" about the *Irving v Penguin Books Ltd* case when Lipstadt was sued by Holocaust denier David Irving for libel, "Denial" recounts the real-life saga in which truth itself was put on trial. Rachel Weisz delivers one of the least glam and most accomplished portrayals of her career as Lipstadt, who published "Denying the Holocaust: The Growing Assault on Truth and Memory." The film properly depicts an important moment in legal history and it does so with a rare sensitivity as the filmmakers expertly guide the viewer through the alien workings of the UK's legal system, while charting the shifting dynamics between client and advocates.

Lakes Region Forum: Kevin Mannix

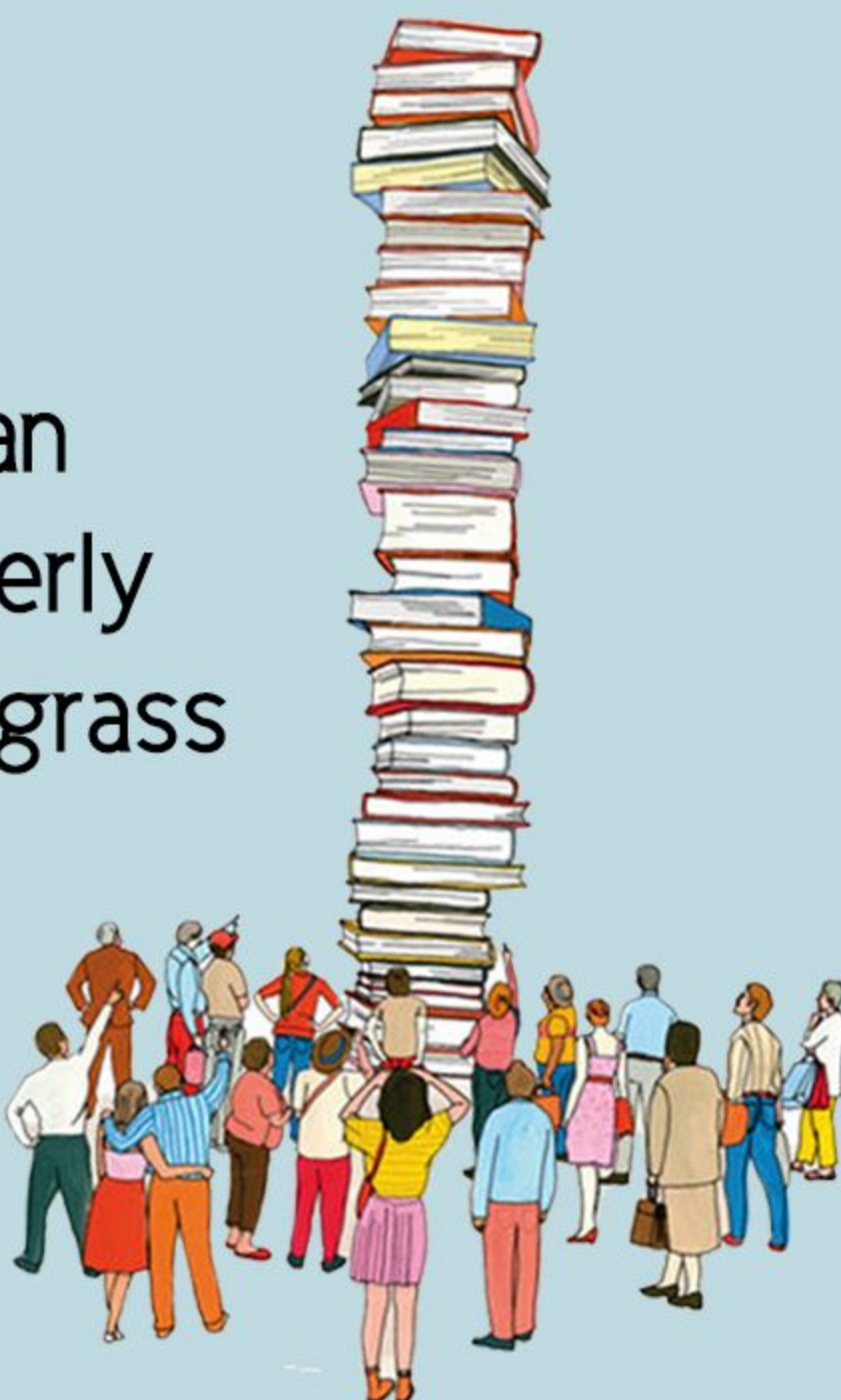


Former weatherman Kevin Mannix will lead a discussion about the challenges of depression on Tuesday, February 21, at 6:30 p.m. The discussion, sponsored by the Winthrop Public Library Foundation, is free and open to the public. After delivering the weather for over 25 years, Mannix began work on a non-weather segment called "Kevin's Story," a series that addresses the shame often associated with mental health issues. The series drew over 4,000 responses from viewers and Mannix received calls from several people who called 2-1-1 after seeing the show. Both Mannix and his wife Linda Rota have struggled with depression and the associated stigma of mental health issues. The couple coauthored the book "Weathering Shame," which is the story of individual experiences growing up surrounded by alcoholism, depression and suicide. A book signing will follow the talk and books will be available for purchase at the event.

Bailey's Most Wanted

Last Month's Most Requested Items

1. Hillbilly Elegy by J. D. Vance
2. Commonwealth by Ann Patchett
3. Night School by Lee Child
4. The Underground Railroad by Colson Whitehead
5. A Man Called Ove by Fredrik Backman
6. Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly
7. Jason Bourne directed by Paul Greengrass
8. Sully directed by Clint Eastwood
9. Game of Thrones: Season 6
10. Storks directed by Nicholas Stoller



Notable Coming Soon

A Book of American Martyrs by Joyce Carol Oates

The Clairvoyants by Karen Brown

The Dark Flood Rises by Margaret Drabble

The Dime by Kathleen Kent

The Fortunate Ones by Ellen Umansky

Lincoln in the Bardo by George Saunders

The Refugees by Viet Thanh Nguyen

