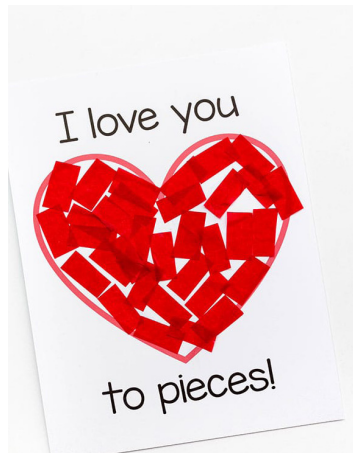


February at the

Guilford Free Library

ART CLUB

Wednesday, February 7
at 6 PM



YEAR OF THE DRAGON:

FINGER PUPPET WORKSHOP

Saturday, February 10
10 AM-NOON

VALENTINE WORKSHOP

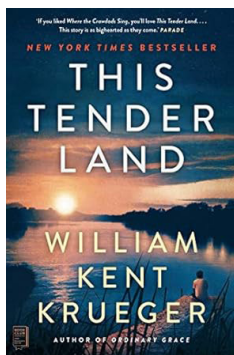
February 13
10 AM-5 PM

Talk About Books:

THIS TENDER LAND

by William Kent Krueger

Wednesday, February 21, 6:30 PM



Tuesdays, 9:30 AM-6 PM

Wednesdays, 1-8 PM

Thursdays, 3-6 PM

Saturdays, 9:30AM-3 PM

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STORYTIME

Tuesdays at 2 PM

2/13, 2/20, 2/27

Saturday, February 17

10:30 AM

SOMEONE IS EATING THE SUN!

School Vacation Week Adventures

February 20-23



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Art Club Makes Art Together

Next Wednesday the 7th of February from 6-7:30pm, we are gathering **to make** Art together! This is an exciting new trial format for our group. The prompt is the **things that surround us**. You are invited to bring an object from your home, and we will collaboratively assemble a Still Life composition for each of us to interpret in our own way. Bring your favorite medium.

We can share stories of the object(s) we chose and how the things in our lives affect us.

If you were inspired to make a piece of art before our meet up, please bring it to share.

Hope to see some of you then!

MAKE A YEAR OF THE DRAGON FINGERPUPPET

February 10-15 is the celebration of the start of the Lunar New Year, the Year of the Dragon. The dragon is a representation of bravery, strength and luck. The celebration of the Lunar New Year began as a method to celebrate the end of winter and the arrival of spring. The Lunar New Year is a time for family get-togethers, much like Thanksgiving in Western countries.

To join in the celebration, come to the Library on Saturday the 10th between 10 AM and NOON and make a dragon finger puppet.



VALENTINE WORKSHOP

Make a valentine for that special someone, or make one for each person on your list. You'll find paper lace doilies, card stock with matching envelopes, ribbon, string, foam stick-ups and stickers among the materials in the art center. Colored pens and pencils, markers, rubber stamps and stamp pads, scissors, glue, and water colors will all help you make a one-of-a-kind valentine. Come with an idea of what you'd like to create, or let yourself be inspired by the materials and supplies available. The art center will be open on Tuesday, February 13 at 10 AM through 5 PM. School-aged children are invited to come to the Library after school. Pre-school children need to be accompanied by an adult.



Talk About Books:

THIS TENDER LAND by William Kent Krueger

This Tender Land is an epic tale of four orphans who canoe along the Gilead, Minnesota, and Mississippi Rivers, escaping from a dark, abusive place and searching for a home in depression-era America.

Throughout *This Tender Land*, there is a theme that "you're not alone." These four orphans form a family that takes care of each other. And they add good people to their family as they travel the rivers. It has a good message about the decency of people and the ability of people to find a sense of belonging even in the absence of a family.

STORYTIME is still on Tuesday afternoon at 2 or 3, but this year we are going to try a once a month Saturday morning as well.

Storytime usually starts with a song or two, before jumping into a book or a story. After that, who knows, it could be an action rhyme, a play, another song, some puppets, dancing with scarves. It all depends on the children in the room.

Join us as we create a special time for young children on most Tuesday afternoons (not 2/6), and/or on Saturday, February 17.

Recent Additions to the Collection

NONFICTION

Tobias Dengel *The Sound Of The Future*
 Jones *Yearbook Of Astronomy 2023*

CARING FOR CHILDREN

Matthew Burgess *Sylvester's Letter*
 Saira Mir *Always Sisters*

FICTION

Daniel Mason *North Woods*

JUVENILE FICTION

Mariana Drokhasco *Who Will Make The Snow?*

JUVENILE NONFICTION

Anna Claybourne *The Usborne World Of Shakespeare*

LARGE PRINT

Phillip Margolin *A Matter Of Life And Death*

Naomi Krupitsky *The Family* Walter Mosley *Blood Grove*

Bonnie Garmus *Lessons In Chemistry* Stella Duffy *The Purple Shroud*

Lee Smith *Guests On Earth* Lisa Scottoline *Loyalty*

Anne Rivers Siddons *Up Island* Hernan Diaz *Trust*

Fiona Davis *The Spectacular* John Sandford *Twisted Prey*

Isabel Allende *The Wind Knows My Name* James Patterson *The Inn*

Peter Lovesey *Beau Death* Candice Fox *Redemption Point*

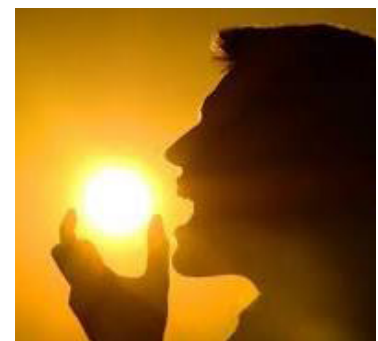
PICTURE

Nikki Grimes *A Walk In The Woods* Janet S. Fox *Wintergarden*

Mac Barnett *How Does Santa Go Down The Chimney?*



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