READIng AND PREsENTATIoN:
TERI GAY, AuTHOr OF
STRENGTH WITHOUT COMPROMISE

Please join us as author Teri Gay reads from her new book, Strength Without Compromise: Womanly Influence and Political Identity in Turn-of-the-Twentieth Century Rural Upstate New York, on Saturday, November 7 at 11am at the Malta Branch of the Round Lake Library.

Set against the backdrop of the national women’s rights movement at the beginning of the twentieth century, this book focuses on the quest for political equality and suffrage as carried out by the women of the rural areas of Washington, Warren, and Saratoga counties. The Political Equality Club of small Easton is highlighted, and the work of its two most ardent leaders, Lucy Allen and Chloe Sisson, showcases the Easton club members’ commitment to “votes for women” - not out of a feeling of male oppression but out of a philosophical belief in their natural rights as citizens of a democratic country. Embracing their womanliness for their noble cause, these women organized brilliantly to educate and inspire each other and their community about the wisdom of including women in the electorate at a time when the fight for enfranchisement was heating up across America.

A writer and historian for many years, Teri Gay of Charlton, Saratoga County was the former Malta Historian and author/editor of Malta Memories, published in 2007. Strength Without Compromise is based on thirty years of research on the women’s suffrage movement in the southern Adirondacks region and also tells the stories of noted suffragists Elizabeth Wakeman Mitchell of Hudson Falls, Laura Schafer Porter of Fort Edward, Mary Putnam Jacobi and Mary Hillard Loines of Bolton Landing, and Katrina Trask of Saratoga Springs. The contributions of Susan B. Anthony and her sister Mary S. Anthony to the women’s rights efforts in the tri-county area are also featured.

Additional information about the presentation can be found at roundlakelibrary.org.
BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

The Round Lake Library-Malta Branch will be hosting an ongoing Adult Book Club Thursday mornings at 11am

The first meeting will be Thursday, November 12 and will be hosted by Shirley Ryan.

On November 12, the club will talk about the first book on the list, The Center of Everything by Laura Moriarty. For this first meeting of the club, you do not have to have read the book beforehand!

Please join us for a lively discussion.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

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TEEN READ WEEK PRIZE WINNER

Congratulations to Elinor Rutkey of Malta, who won a cauldron filled with fantasy and sci-fi books in our Teen Read Week raffle.

Happy reading, Elinor!

STORY TIME FOR KIDS

Join us at the Library for these young children’s programs, which continue through November 19.

Clark House
Preschool Story Hour: Tuesdays at 10:30 Ages 3-5
Toddler Story Time: Mondays at 10:15 Ages 2-3

Malta Branch
Preschool Story Hour: Thursdays at 11:15 Ages 3-5
Toddler Story Time: Mondays at 11:15 Ages 2-3

Register your child in person or by phone—please contact the appropriate branch.

SPECIAL THANKS

The Round Lake Library wishes to thank the Ballston Spa chapter of Lions Club International for their generous contributions! They have committed $500 toward the purchase of large print books, and they have bought a subscription to the large print edition of Reader’s Digest. Thank you!

To learn more about how your club or organization can help the Round Lake Library, please contact our library director, Carol Sheffer.