



DECEMBER 2014

# CHECK IT OUT!

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WHAT'S HAPPENING @YOUR LIBRARY

HANDS-ON@ THE LIBRARY

CALENDAR

CLARK HOUSE  
31 Wesley Avenue, Round Lake, NY

MALTA BRANCH  
1 Bayberry Drive, Malta, NY

Monday-Friday 10am-8pm  
Saturday 10am-3pm



## UNWRAP A GOOD BOOK!

Children may choose one wrapped book per visit for checkout. Each one is marked with a reading level. After checkout, unwrap and enjoy a surprise read!

**December 22nd - December 27th**

**Both Locations**



## HOLIDAY BOOK EXCHANGE FOR TEENS

Teens & Tweens: Bring a gift-wrapped book (gently-used is ok) and take a book home!

**@Clark House**

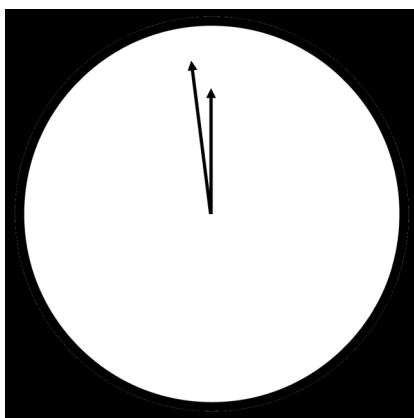
**Tuesday, December 23rd**

**10 am**

**@Malta**

**Tuesday, December 23rd**

**4 pm**



## COUNTDOWN TO NOON!

Join us for some New Year's fun as we countdown to Noon! This is a great activity for the younger ones who can't stay up till midnight.

Stories, crafts and snacks for  
ages 2 and up.

**@Clark House**

**Wednesday, December 31st**

**11:30 am**

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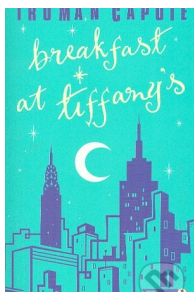
# WHAT'S HAPPENING IN DECEMBER

Visit our events calendar (roundlakelibrary.org) for more programs

## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

### BOOK GROUPS

#### TUESDAY NIGHT BOOK CLUB

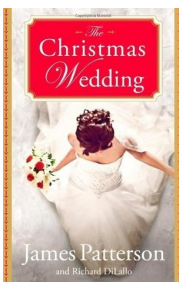


We will be discussing *Breakfast at Tiffany's* by Truman Capote and picking a title to read in December.

**@Malta**

Tuesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7pm

#### MORNING BOOK CLUB

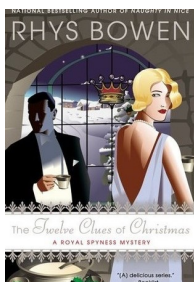


Gaby's four children haven't celebrated Christmas together since their father's death, but when Gaby announces that she's getting married—and that the groom will remain a secret until the wedding day—she may finally be able to bring them home for the holidays.

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Thursday, December 11<sup>th</sup>, 11am

#### ROMANCE! BOOK GROUP

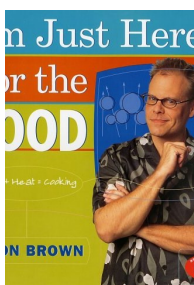


On the first day of Christmas my true love gave to me.....fun, suspense, murder mystery and a love story rolled into one.

**@Clark House**

Tuesday, January 13<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm

#### COOK BOOK CLUB



Come share and learn tricks and tips of cooking. We'll be sharing what we learned from the Alton Brown cookbooks as well as sharing samples of some of the food we made.

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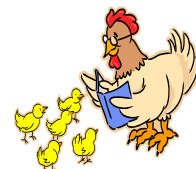
Wednesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm

**@Clark House**

Friday, December 19<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm

### STORY TIMES Ages 2-5 & caregiver

Story Time introduces young children to books, music & other fun activities. Our Story Time includes the early literacy skills that children must master before they can learn to read.



Wednesday Mornings **@Malta**

December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, & 17<sup>th</sup>: 11am

Thursday Mornings **@Clark House**

December 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>: 10:30am

### READ TO STELLA!



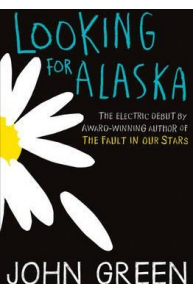
#### Meet Stella!

Stella is a standard poodle who just received her therapy dog certificate! She loves being read to, so choose a book from the library, or bring one from home.

**@Malta**

Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 11am

### THE JOHN GREEN BOOK CLUB

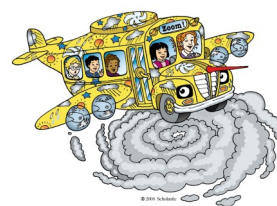


We will discuss John Green's *Looking for Alaska*. Pick up the book at the Malta Branch or we can request one for you at the Clark House

**@Malta**

Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 6pm

### MAGIC SCHOOL BUS CLUB



Join us each month as we read a Magic School Bus book by Joanna Cole and try some really cool science experiments.

K-4<sup>th</sup> grade recommended.

**@Clark House:**

Friday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 4:30pm



# EXPLORE MORE IN December @Your Library

## Winter holiday hours for the Round Lake Libraries:

Wed., Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>: 10am-3pm · Thur., Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>: Closed

Wed., December 31<sup>st</sup>: 10am-3pm · Thur., Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>: Closed



### GINGERBREAD HOUSES

We will be making gingerbread houses and decorating them with icing and candy. Please let us know if you have a food allergy, so proper arrangements can be made. Sign-up is required.

**@Clark House**

Monday, December 29<sup>th</sup>, 11am

**@Malta**

Tuesday, December 30<sup>th</sup>, 6pm

### MAHJONG

"The game of a hundred intelligences" Have you played or always wanted to learn? Please join us to learn and play this fun game of tiles so popular in Asia.

**@Malta**

Wednesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 6pm

**@Clark House**

Friday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 6pm

### KNIT&CROCHET GROUP

All experience levels are welcome... and there is always someone who can help you figure it out. From experts to beginners, all are welcome to join us. Come with your yarn & creativity! Prepare to be inspired!

**@Malta**

Tuesday, December 30<sup>th</sup>; 4:30pm

### TEENS: FILM/BOOK CRITICS

Want the opportunity to write reviews on your favorite movie, book or audiobook? You can recommend something you've read or viewed, or write a critique.

Pick up a form & let us know what you think. Forms available in the teen room all month.

### LEGO™ CLUB

Join us to build your own creations from our extensive collection of Legos.

#### PRESCHOOL LEGO CLUB (AGES 3—5)

**@Malta**

Monday, December 8<sup>th</sup>; 11am

#### JUNIOR LEGO CLUB (AGES 5 & UP)

**@Clark House**

Monday, December 15<sup>th</sup>; 6pm

**@Malta**

Wednesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>; 6pm

### TEENS: HOLIDAY DRAWING

Pen and pencil drawing for teens & tweens. Make a holiday or seasonal drawing of your choice. Materials provided.

**@Clark House**

Tuesday, December 30<sup>th</sup>, 10:30am

### TEENS: REINDEER GAMES

Get a set of reindeer antlers and play a reindeer game!

**@Malta**

Saturday, December 27<sup>th</sup>, 10 am-3pm

### TEENS: NEW YEAR'S EVE REINDEER GAMES PARTY

Play Reindeer & assorted other games. Snacks served! New Year's will be celebrated. Bring a friend! Yum!

**@Clark House**

Monday, December 29<sup>th</sup>, 6pm-8pm







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Tuesday, December 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10am

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Tuesday, December 23<sup>rd</sup>, 4pm

### KIDS: BOTTLE CAP SNOWMAN

Make a snowman from bottle caps! Material provided

**@Clark House**

Tuesday, December 16<sup>th</sup>, 4:30pm

**@Malta**

Thursday, December 18<sup>th</sup> 4:30pm



### TEENS: MAKE HOLIDAY CARDS & TAGS

Make Holiday cards and tags for gifts! Materials provided.

**@Malta**

Monday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 3pm

**@Clark House**

Thursday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, 3pm

### KIDS: FANCY NANCY TEA PARTY FOR AGES 3 AND UP

Join us for a fun and fancy celebration! Stories, crafts and snack.

**@Clark House**

Saturday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, 11:30am



### KIDS: YARN BALL ORNAMENTS

Make yarn ball ornaments for the holidays. Materials provided

**@Malta**

Wednesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 6:45pm

**@Clark House**

Wednesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:45pm





# MOVIES & MORE IN December



## TEEN MOVIE FRIDAYS!

Jack the Pumpkin King hijacks Christmas, but soon learns that he can never be Santa Clause.



**@Malta**

Friday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, 6pm



A man raised as an Elf in the North Pole is sent to find his real father.

**@Clark House**

Thur., December 11<sup>th</sup>, 5:45pm



**@Malta**

Friday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 5:45pm



A Red Ryder BB gun is the perfect Christmas gift...as long as you don't shoot your eye out.

**@Malta**

Friday, December 19<sup>th</sup>, 5:45pm



A Duke from 1876 travels to the present and falls in love with a modern woman.

**@Malta**

Friday, December 26<sup>th</sup>, 5:45pm

## Why do we write movie descriptions like riddles?

Licensing requirements forbid the library from using character names or movie titles in our newsletter or online presence.

***Please call or email for movie titles!***

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## FAMILY MOVIES!

A cold-hearted mountain dweller tries to steal the Christmas spirit from the village below....A family animated classic.

**@Clark House**

Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>; 1pm

A magical nighttime train ride allows a young boy to believe in the magic of Christmas. Cookies and Hot Chocolate will be served.

**@Clark House**

Saturday, December 20<sup>th</sup>; 12:30pm

**@Malta**

Monday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>; 6:15pm

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR DECEMBER 2014

December	All month	Both Branches	Teen Film/Book Critic
Tues., December 2	7PM	Malta	Tuesday Night Book Club
Wed., December 3	11 AM	Malta	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Wed., December 3	6 PM	Malta	John Green Book Club
Thurs., December 4	10:30 AM	Clark House	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Friday, December 5	6 PM	Malta	Teen Movie Friday!
Sat., December 6	1 PM	Malta	Family Movie
Mon., December 8	11 AM	Malta	Preschool LEGO Club (Ages 3-5)
Wed., December 10	11 AM	Malta	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Wed., December 10	6 PM	Malta	Mahjong
Wed., December 10	6:45 PM	Malta	Yarn Ball Ornaments
Thurs., December 11	10:30 AM	Clark House	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Thurs., December 11	11 AM	Malta	Morning Book Club
Thurs., December 11	5:45 PM	Clark House	Teen Movie Night!
Friday, December 12	4:30 PM	Clark House	Magic School Bus Club
Friday, December 12	5:45PM	Malta	Teen Movie Friday!
Friday, December 12	6 PM	Clark House	Mahjong
Sat., December 13	11 AM	Malta	Read to Stella
Sat., December 13	11:30 AM	Malta	Fancy Nancy Tea Party
Mon., December 15	3 PM	Malta	Teens & Tweens: Holiday Cards & Tags
Mon., December 15	6 PM	Clark House	Junior LEGO Club (Ages 5-10)
Tues., December 16	4:30 PM	Clark House	Bottle Cap Snowman
Wed., December 17	11 AM	Malta	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Wed., December 17	6 PM	Malt	Lego Club
Wed., December 17	6:30 PM	Malta	Cook Book Club
Wed., December 17	6:45 PM	Clark House	Yarn Ball Ornaments
Thurs., December 18	10:30 AM	Clark House	Story Time! (Ages 2-5)
Thurs., December 18	3 PM	Clark House	Teens & Tweens: Holiday Cards & Tags
Thurs., December 18	4:30 PM	Malta	Bottle Cap Snowman
Friday, December 19	5:45 PM	Malta	Teen Movie Night!
Friday, December 19	6:30 PM	Clark House	Cook Book Club



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Sat., December 20	12:30 PM	Clark House	Polar Express Family Treat
Mon., December 22	6:15 PM	Malta	Polar Express Family Treat
Tues., December 23	10 AM	Clark House	Holiday Book Exchange for Teens
Tues., December 23	4 PM	Malta	Holiday Book Exchange for Teens
Wed., December 24		Both Branches	Closing at 3pm
Thurs., December 25		Both Branches	Closed: Christmas Day
Friday, December 26	5:45 PM	Malta	Teen Movie Night!
Sat., December 27	All Day	Malta	Teen Reindeer Games
Mon., December 29	11 AM	Clark House	Gingerbread Houses
Mon., December 29	6 PM	Clark House	Teen Game Night & New Year's Party
Tues., December 30	10:30 AM	Clark House	Holiday Drawing for Teens & Tweens
Tues., December 30	4:30 PM	Malta	Knitting & Crocheting Club
Tues., December 30	6 PM	Malta	Gingerbread Houses
Wed., December 31	11:30 AM	Clark House	Countdown to Noon!
Wed., December 31		Both Branches	Closing at 3PM
Thursday, January 1		Both Branches	Closed: New Year's Day

