



Book Talk

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Snow Is Falling... Books Are Calling!

Oh, the weather outside is frightful, but books are so delightful,
There's s'now better time to read, let it snow, let it snow, let it snow!



Crafty Thursday ~ January 18 at 2
Make a Valentine Wreath with Jennifer Bohs
Fee for supplies: \$2
Please RSVP at 810.622.8623



SDL Book Club

Share your love of books with others who enjoy reading. SDL's book discussion group meets the first Wednesday of the month at 5:30.

January 3

Clock Dance by Anne Tyler

February 7

All The Light We Cannot See
Anthony Doerr

SDL Services

- Assistance from trained staff
- Book Talk Newsletter
- Copy Machine (Fee)
- Courtesy Renewals (*see page 3*)
- FAX (Fee: \$1 per page)
- Inter-Library Loan
- MeL: MI Electronic Library
- MelCat
- Michigan Activity Pass
- Readers Advisory

AV Materials

- Audio Books
- Movies

Print Materials

- Books for all ages
- Large Print
- Local Newspapers
- Nonfiction & Reference
- Magazines

Technology

- High Speed Internet Access
- Microsoft Office Software
- Public Access Computers
- WiFi

Virtual Services

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SDL's Online Catalog

- Access 'My Account' (*see page 3*)
- Search for books & movies.
- See new books & movies.
- Read reviews.

SDL Website

- Book Talk newsletter.
- DigitalTotes: Search local history and genealogy documents housed at SDL and other libraries.
- Libby by OverDrive: FREE digital:
 - Audio books
 - eBooks
 - eMagazines
- MelCat Statewide Database: borrow books from other MI libraries.
- MeL: MI Electronic Library: access FREE databases & eResources.
- Reader's Advisory: a matchmaking service to connect readers & books.
- Search CPS Elementary and High School library catalogs.
- Discover more about SDL's history, open hours, mission, needs, policies, programs & services.

Sanilac District Library

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Port Sanilac, MI 48469
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Library Hours

Monday: 11-5
Tuesday: 11- 5
Wednesday: 11-7
Thursday: 11-5
Friday: 11-5
Saturday: 11-2

New Fiction

- *The Academy: a Dan Lenson novel*—David Poyer
- *Beyond What Is Given*—Rebecca Yarros.
- *Butterfly Collector*—Tea Cooper. 1868, Not interested in conventional life in Sydney society, Theodora discovers a butterfly that will give her scientific prestige. But everything changes when her maid's baby is missing. 1922. Verity is sent a parcel containing a butterfly costume and an invitation to the Sydney Masquerade Ball where she is commissioned to write the history of the Treadwell Foundation that supports disgraced young women and their babies. Her research leads her to a mystery 50 years in the making.
- *Deadly Game*—Michael Caine. A global conspiracy. A nuclear threat. DCI Harry Taylor is about to break all the rules as his unconventional Met team search for a lead when a metal box full of radioactive material is found at a dump in London.
- *Death At A Scottish Wedding: a Scottish Isles mystery*—Lucy Connelly
- *Death In the Dark Woods: a Monster Hunter mystery*—Annelise Ryan. Morgan investigates after a man is found dead from a vicious attack. And there have been numerous reports of a Bigfoot-type creature in the forests of Wisconsin.
- *A Different Kind of Gone*—Catherine Ryan Hyde. A woman in a search party for a missing 19 year-old, finds her hiding in a cave, terrified that her abusive boyfriend will kill her and makes a decision to keep her secret.
- *The Fiction Writer*—Jillian Cantor
- *Goodbye Girl: a Jack Swyteck novel*—James Grippando
- *Hallowed Ground*—Rebecca Yarros
- *Henry Koskinen series*—Antti Tuomainen. An insurance mathematician's carefully ordered life is turned on its head when he loses his job and inherits an adventure park with a host of problems. Soon to be a motion picture starring Steve Carell.
 1. *The Rabbit Factor*
 2. *The Moose Paradox*
 3. *The Beaver Theory*

- *Holmes, Marple & Poe*—James Patterson
- *Iron Flame: Empryeon 2*—Rebecca Yarros. After surviving her first year at Basgiath War College, dragon rider Violet Sorrengail discovers that the real danger is just beginning.
- *Iwo, 26 Charlie*—P. T. Deautermann
- *The Last Love Note*—Emma Grey. 2 years after losing her husband, Kate is grieving, solo parenting and working hard. Lurching from one comedic crisis to the next, she navigates an overbearing mom and a matchmaker friend. When Kate and her boss, Hugh are stranded for a weekend she has a chance to process her grief. Can she let go of the love of her life and risk her heart a second time?
- *Lone Oaks Crossing*—Janet Dailey. Determined to save the family farm from foreclosure, Jo Beth reinvents the property as a healing retreat for horses in hopes of a trifecta-, champion horse, a happy family and a forever love.
- *Lost Hours: Alaska Wild #5*—Paige Shelton
- *Manner of Death*—Robin Cook
- *The Mayors of New York: a Bill Smith / Lydia Chin mystery*—S. J. Rozen
- *Meadow Falls*—Carolyn Brown. Inheriting the farm that's been in her family for generations, Angela comes to see this as a precious gift by coming to terms with her past with the help of a veteran she hires as a farmhand.
- *Meet The Benedettos*—Katie Cotugno. When movie star Charlie Bingley moves next door, the five eligible Benedetto sisters, reality TV show has-beens, see this as an opportunity, especially when June, the oldest, catches his eye.
- *The Night Island*—Jayne Krentz
- *Other Mothers*—Katherine Faulkner. Tash is welcomed into a group of elite mothers discovering the kind of life she's dreamed of until two murders make her wonder why she's been accepted into their exclusive world.

- *Rebecca, Not Becky*—Christine Platt & Catherine Greene. Living in a white suburb in Virginia, De'Andrea is challenged by her therapist to make a white friend and finds one in Rebecca as they fight against racial sentiments.
- *Recipe For A Charmed Life*—Rachel Lindon
- *Restless Dolly Maunday*—Kate Greenville. Dolly, born at the end of the 19th century, is a pioneering woman working her way through a world of limits for women. A husband and two children do not deter her from searching for independence.
- *The Storm We Made*—Vanessa Chan. In 1945 Malaya, her family is in danger due to a choice she made 10 years earlier, Cecily, who was lured into a life of espionage for the invading Japanese forces during WWII, finds her actions catching up with her and will do anything to save those she loves.
- *This Spells Love*—Kate Robb
- *Welcome Home, Stranger*—Kate Christensen. Rachel goes home to deal with her mother's death. She must come to terms with long buried sorrow and the ghost of the mother who made her the woman she is.
- *The Wonder Of It All*—Barbara Taylor Bradford

New DVDs

- *57 Seconds*: When a tech blogger discovers a time-altering device, he rewrites the past and seeks revenge against the ruthless corporate empire that destroyed his family. But propell him into a battle for survival.
- *Equalizer 3*: An ex-assassin discovers his friends are under the control of local crime bosses in Italy. As events turn deadly, McCall knows he has to become his friends' protector by taking on the mafia.
- *Indiana Jones & the Dial of Destiny*: Archaeologist Indiana Jones races against time to retrieve a legendary artifact that can change the course of history.
- *Paw Patrol: The Mighty Movie*: When a magical meteor crash lands it gives the PAW Patrol pups superpowers, transforming them into the Mighty Pups!
- *Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Mutant Mayhem*: After years of being sheltered from the human world, the Turtles set out to win the hearts of New Yorkers and be accepted as normal teenagers through heroic acts.