

The American Library in Paris

A center for literature, learning, culture, and community

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This bi-monthly electronic newsletter highlights upcoming events, exhibitions and programs, and introduces you to our resources, services, and the people making a difference on the Library's behalf.

The appeal of spring: The Library needs you

Did you know that membership fees cover only 20 percent of the Library's operating expenses? Gifts from hundreds of members and other supporters make up fully half of our income.



Donations of any size, in euros or in dollars, are important, and tax deductible. Please take a moment to [read the spring appeal letter and download the donation card](#) found on our website.

The new Library website is now online!



This month the Library launched its new website, an essential resource to communicate with our members and with anyone interested in learning more about

all that we have on offer in the way of collections, databases, services, and programs. Further improvements to the website are planned over the coming months, including the ability to pay membership fees and make donations online. Stay tuned for updates! We encourage you to [get to know it, use it, and promote it](#).

If you have any comments or suggestions you'd like to share, send us a note using our online [suggestion form](#).

Word for Word Performing Arts Company More Stories by Tobias Wolff

Kids and teens

**Saturday 21 March
15h00-16h00 (ages 6-12)**

Art appreciation for children

Join special guests

Jamileh

Talebizadeh

and Nahid Kazemi as they host a mini art exhibition featuring the works of Cézanne, as well as some of Nahid's original work in children's illustration.

Learn more about art history and appreciation, and voice your opinions!

**Saturday 28 March
15h00-16h00 (ages 6-12)**

Spring has sprung!

Join us for seasonal stories, crafts and goodies.

Help us decorate the children's room for the new



Thursday 9 April 20h00

San Francisco's celebrated theater company returns to Paris with a new selection of stories in original productions for the stage.



The evening is comprised of *Sanity, Down to Bone*, and *Firelight*, with Wolff's typical exploration of moral ambiguity and the small, life-altering shifts that he investigates with such grace and compassion.

For more details, including pricing and reservation information, see the [Word for Word](#) events page.

Upcoming Events and Programs

Tuesday 17 March 19h30

Talk about Art: Chris Boïcos unveils the *Paris of Toulouse-Lautrec*.

A lecture and slide show.

Wednesday 18 March 19h30

Evenings with an Author: Gail Milissa Grant, author of *At the Elbows of My Elders: One Family's Journey Toward Civil Rights*.

Friday 20 March 19h30

WICE@The Library: *Upstairs at Duroc* literary magazine celebrates Printemps des Poètes with a group

season. All are welcome, so bring a friend.



BOOKWORMS
Book club for
ages 9-12!

Starting Saturday, March 28th, we will be reading and discussing *Cold Tom*, by Sally Prue. Join the librarian and other passionate readers and delve into this work of fantasy, populated by "Demons" and the brutal, mysterious Tribe.

Visit the [Bookworms](#) page for dates and registration details.

Saturday 4 April
15h00-16h00 (ages 6-12)

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Learn what do if you encounter an emergency situation, and become a "Food Detective" helping to fight bacteria.

And always...

Mother Goose Lap Sit
10h30-11h00 (ages 1-3)

poetry reading.

Tuesday 24 March 19h30

SCBWI@The Library: *Playing with Words* with Orel Protopopescu.

Wednesday 25 March 19h30 - New Event

Evenings with an Author: Christopher Dickey, author of *Securing the City: Inside America's Best Counterterror Force: The NYPD*

Tuesday 31 March 19h00–20h30

Fashion writer Dana Thomas looks at *The Luxury Industry in a Time of Global Crisis* — a special event held at the Institut Français de la Mode in the 13ème. [RSVP required.](#)

For more details, see the [Events and Programs](#) page on our website.

All evening events at the Library are free and open to the public. We are grateful to the Annenberg Foundation for its continuing support of Evenings with an Author.

26 March & 2 April
English rhymes, songs,
and stories.

**Wednesday Story
Hour**

**10h30 & 14h30 (ages
3-5)**

Drop-in sessions every
Wednesday. Spend an
hour together sharing a
good book. No sign-ups
needed.

Unless otherwise stated, all
programs are free for Library
members and 9 euros for
non-members.

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