

Book Groups - Spaces still available



Space still remains in a few book groups! Do you love to eat? Discuss gastronomic memoirs in *Food & France*. Explore the renaissance of

the heart through the reading of love poetry in *Lyric Dialogues of Love*. Discover fiction that weaves childhood and adult perspectives in *Childhood & Memory*.

For more information, including book titles, dates, and instructions

on how to register, [visit our website](#).

January Program Just Added
Wednesday 27 January 19h30

Dispatches: A conversation with Steven Erlanger



Join us for a conversation with Steven Erlanger, *New York Times* bureau chief to Paris, as he reports on his recent trip to Yemen, his coverage of Muslims in Europe, and a career of analyzing conflict.

Young Author's Fiction Festival Contest



Do you have a budding writer in your midst? Take part in this year's Young Authors' Fiction Festival open to all young writers, kindergarten/grande section – 12th grade/terminale, who reside in the

Paris area and write in English. Submission deadline is 1 April 2010, but it's never too early to get started.

Visit the The Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators website to [download this year's contest guidelines](#).

Kids and teens

Saturday 23 January
15h00-16h00 (ages 6-12)

Magic Up-Close (Part II)

See up close a variety

of illusions, using cards, coins, and cups with practicing



magician and natural performer Dominique Armilhon. Come early for a good spot!

Saturday 30 January
15h00-16h00 (ages 6-12)

Greeks Bearing Gifts

Join the (Greek-

Canadian!)

children's librarian as



she shares photos and maps of Greece, and tells some of her favorite Greek myths. Learn more about the ancient gods, practice the Greek alphabet, and read and write your first Greek words.

Saturday 6 February

Note from the Circulation Desk



Open stacks are a luxury and we encourage you to browse our shelves, pick up and leaf through books or magazines, as well as look through DVDs or CDs.

If you decide not to borrow the item(s) you've removed from the shelves please either leave them on one of the tables in the reading room or drop them off at the Circulation Desk. We'll take care of reshelving them for you and in the process it allows us to keep track of how our collection is being used. Thanks in advance!

Upcoming Events and Programs

Tuesday 19 January 19h30

WICE@The Library - Writers on Writing: Chip Martin on publishing, writing and American literary expatriation in Europe.

Wednesday 20 January 19h30

Evenings with an Author: Award-winning Russian translators Richard Pevear and Larissa Volokhonsky discuss the translation process and their newest work on 'Doctor Zhivago.'

Wednesday 27 January 19h30

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Wednesday 3 February 19h30

Evenings with an Author: Award-winning artist and author Kadir Nelson discusses his classic children's book, 'We are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball.'

Saturday 6 February 10h00-19h00

Used Book Sale all day at the Library.

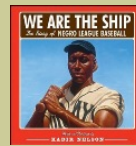
Tuesday 9 February 19h30

Dr. Monique Wells discusses 'Black Paris and the Myth of a

15h00-16h00 (ages 6-12)

The Story of Negro League Baseball

Visit the Library for a special



presentation by children's book author and illustrator Kadir Nelson. He'll talk about his multi-award winning book, *We Are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball*.

Publishers Weekly calls it "a sumptuous volume that no baseball fan should be without."

Read more about this amazing book on the [I.N.K. \(Interesting Nonfiction for Kids\) blog](#).

We Are the Ship and a selection of other books [illustrated by Kadir Nelson](#) will be available for purchase, thanks to the [Red Wheelbarrow bookstore](#).

And always...

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

28 January & 4

February

Rhymes, songs, and

Colorblind France' and presents an overview of 200 years of African-American history in Paris.

Wednesday 10 February 19h30

Evenings with an Author: Journalist Michael Schuermann presents his book, 'Paris Movie Walks,' and discusses the role of Paris as a film location throughout the decades.

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.

stories in English on Thursdays.

Wednesday Story Hour

10h30 & 14h30 (ages 3-5)

Drop-in sessions on Wednesdays. Spend an hour with friends and some good books. No sign-ups needed.

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

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