



# Happy January 2016

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## What is coming in 2016?

*Kristy Robinett*  
*An Abnormally Normal*  
*Psychic Medium*

Join us for this FREE presentation as  
Kristy discusses her predictions for 2016

Wednesday, January 6th

At 7:00 PM

This program is for entertainment purposes only.

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## Valentine Craft

*Make something special for  
someone special.*

Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup>  
at 1:00 p.m.

*One free craft per person*

Registration required, call email or stop in  
the library to sign up.

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## John Swatosh

Vietnam Vet and Local Author of  
**97-Bravo**

*The Brief Career of a US Army Counter  
Intelligence Agent and Insights into the  
War in Vietnam*

Saturday, January 23rd

At 1:00 pm

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## Winter 2016

### Free Crochet Classes

Wednesday evenings 6 - 7:30 pm

2/10, 2/24, 3/16, 3/30

Crochet hooks and yarn will be provided  
classroom demonstration and participation.

Bring your own yarn to continue class  
projects at home!



Open to all skill & age levels.

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library to sign up.

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*Programs are paid for by the*

*Friends of the Harrison Township Public Library*



## 7 Books You Need To Read Before You See The Movies

### **“The Revenant” by Michael Punke**

In the 1820s, a frontiersman named Hugh Glass sets out on a path of vengeance against those who left him for dead after a bear mauling. The film was released December 25 2015.

### **“The Danish Girl” by David Ebershoff**

Loosely inspired by the lives of Danish painters Lili Elbe and Gerda Wegener. Lili Elbe is one of the first known recipients of sex reassignment surgery. Staring Eddie Redmayne and Alicia Vikander was released November 27, 2015.

### **“The Choice” by Nicholas Sparks**

This 2007 romantic novel takes place in a small town in North Carolina, where two neighbors fall in love at their first meeting. Staring Benjamin Walker and Teresa Palmer, the movie will premier February 5, 2016.

### **“Me Before You” by Jojo Moyes**

This romance novel places Will Traynor and Louisa Clark together after both suffer a major setback to their lives, thus uprooting them of everything they once knew as normal. Starring Emilia Clarke and Sam Claflin, the movie will premiere March 4, 2016.

### **“Allegiant” by Veronica Roth**

The final book in Roth’s “Divergent” series will be divided into two separate films. The novel follows Tris Prior’s daily struggles as she and Tobias plan to look for a better life on the other side of the fence. Part 1 will debut March 18, 2016.

### **“Through The Looking-Glass, And What Alice Found There” by Lewis Carroll**

Following “Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland,” the sequel involves Alice discovering time moves backwards in the Looking-Glass world. She encounters more magical creatures and is kidnapped by the Red Knight. The film will premiere May 27, 2016.

### **“The Girl On The Train” by Paula Hawkins**

This novel follows Rachel Watson, an alcoholic who makes up stories about a couple she sees everyday while riding the train. But when Rachel notices something that could be potentially life-threatening, she vows to uncover the truth about the “happy couple” on her daily commute. The film will premiere October 7, 2016.

### **“Let It Snow” by John Green, Maureen Johnson and Lauren Myracle**

Three separate stories — “The Jubilee Express,” “A Cheertastic Christmas Miracle” and “The Patron Saint Of Pigs” — intertwine with each other, following the exploits of three different characters as they battle a snowstorm during Christmastime. The film is slated to be released December 9, 2016.



# 2016 Winter Children's Programs

## January 11 ~ March 22

### Mother Goose on the Loose



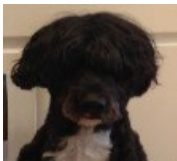
**Mondays, 9:30 - 10:00**

**& Saturdays, 10:45 - 11:15**

**No program on Jan. 18, Feb. 13, or Feb. 15.**

This award-winning lap-sit program for little ones and their caregivers includes stories, nursery rhymes, music, and movement to help develop important pre-literacy skills. This program is appropriate for infants – preschool age children.

### Tales with Tails



Kash



Rylee



Bailey

Children of all ages are invited to sign up for a 15-minute session to read aloud to a patient and friendly therapy dog. Sign-ups are available a week ahead of scheduled dates. Call or stop by the library to register.

Tues. Jan. 12, 4-5 pm: Kash

Sat. Jan. 16, 1-3 pm: Rylee

Tues. Jan. 19, 4-5 pm: Kash

Tues. Jan. 26, 5-7 pm: Bailey

Tues. Feb. 2, 6-8 pm: Rylee

Sat. Feb. 20, 1-3 pm: Rylee

Tues. Feb. 23, 5-7 pm: Bailey

Tues. Mar. 1, 6-8 pm: Rylee

Sat. Mar. 19, 1-3 pm: Rylee

Extra dates may be added.

Check the calendar on our website for updates.

### Reading ABCs



**Tuesdays, 10:30 - 11:00**

Our preschool program features a different letter of the alphabet each week, with a variety of fun finger plays, stories, music and more!

### Rockin' Readers



**Saturdays, 11:30 – 12:00. No program on Feb. 13.**

Bring the family to enjoy an entertaining story with a high-interest theme, followed by an activity or craft. This program is loosely geared toward elementary-aged children, but preschoolers and tweens are welcome, too!

Sat. Jan. 16: Disney's *Frozen*

Sat. Jan. 23: Winter Wonderland

Sat. Jan 30: Groundhogs Galore

Sat. Feb. 6: Football Frenzy

Sat. Feb. 13: NO PROGRAM

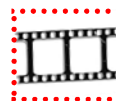
Sat. Feb. 20: Superheroes

Sat. Feb. 27: Dinosaurs

Sat. Mar. 5: Author Spotlight--Dr. Seuss

Sat. Mar. 12: Robots

### Movie Book Club



Newbery Honor book, *The Great Gilly Hopkins*, is coming to the big screen in February! Those who call, email or stop by the library **by Sat. Jan 30** to register for the book club will receive a free copy of the book. We will meet on **Mon. Mar. 14 at 4:30 pm** to discuss the book and movie. Recommended for ages 11+. Includes mild profanity. Lexile: 800L

# Friends of the Harrison Township Public Library

## Mark your calendar

Friends Meeting January 25th @ 7pm in the library



## Come visit our book sale!

It's open every day that the library is open.

Monday and Thursday 10am-6pm  
Tuesday and Wednesday 12pm-8pm  
Friday 2pm-6pm  
Saturday 12pm-4pm  
All items 25¢ to \$1.00. Open to everyone.



Dear Library Enthusiast,

The *Friends of the Harrison Township Public Library* are looking for members to help us build a great library. Your membership will give a voice to help decide what items and services we will provide for the Library.

We are looking for those who can lend a hand in various ways and activities. Opportunities vary as do the amount of time to commit, so consider sharing your talents by joining this dedicated group of volunteers. To join just fill out the application below mail it in or drop it off at the library. For more information e-mail Liz at lzbthmudge@gmail.com.

***JOIN US! You'll be glad you did.***

**YES, I would like to be a member of the *FRIENDS* of Harrison Township Public Library.**

\_\_\_ \$25 Family    \_\_\_ \$10 Individual    \_\_\_ \$5 Student, Senior    \_\_\_ Enclosed is my donation of \$\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail check payable & Mail to:

Friends of the Harrison Township Public Library, 38151 L'Anse Creuse Rd. Harrison Twp., MI 48045



## COMING IN JANUARY 2016

### Books for Adults

The Art of Taming a Rake – Nicole Jordan  
Baking with Less Sugar – Joanne Chang  
Best Friends Forever – Kimberla Lawson Roby  
The Bitter Season – Tami Hoag  
Blue – Danielle Steel  
Boys in the Trees – Carly Simon  
The Circle – Dave Eggers  
Computer Basics Absolute Beginner's Guide – Michael Miller  
Dukes Prefer Blondes – Loretta Chase  
The Ex – Alafair Burke  
First Touch – Laurelin Paige  
Fodor's Chicago – Fodor's Travel Publications  
Furiously Happy – Jenny Lawson  
Gold Fever – Steve Boggan  
The Guest Room – Chris Bohjalian  
A Hologram for the King – Dave Eggers  
How to be Single – Liz Tuccillo  
The Hunting Trip – William E Butterworth III  
The King of Oil – Daniel Ammann  
The Lost City of Z – David Grann  
The Man in the High Castle – Philip K. Dick  
The Man Without a Shadow – Joyce Carol Oates  
Mastered – Maya Banks  
Mike and Dave Need Wedding Dates – Mike Stangle  
My Name is Lucy Barton – Elizabeth Strout  
The November Criminals – Sam Munson  
Once a Crooked Man – David McCallum  
Pride and Prejudice and Zombies – Jane Austen  
The Queen of Katwe – Tim Crothers

The Rogue Not Taken – Sarah MacLean

Scandalous Behavior – Stuart Woods

Silence – Shusaku Endo

The Sound of Gravel – Ruth Wariner

Top Secret Recipes Step-by-Step – Todd Wilbur

The Winter Girl – Matt Marinovich

Younger Next Year The Exercise Program – Chris Crowley

### Easy, Juvenile and Young Adult

All Paws on Deck (Juv) – Jessica Young

The Avengers (Juv) – Alex Irvine

Bad Kitty Goes to the Vet (Juv) – Nick Bruel

Bats in the Band (Easy) – Brian Lies

Blizzard Night (Juv) – Marlane Kennedy

The Darkest Minds (YA) – Alexandra Bracken

Dino-Football (Easy) – Lisa Wheeler

Disney's Frozen (Juv) – Dorling Kindersley, Inc.

Earthquake Shock (Juv) – Marlane Kennedy

The Enchanted Feast (Easy) – Catherine Hapka

Freight Train (Easy) – Donald Crews

Frozen 5-Minute Stories (Easy) – Disney

Frozen Story Collection (Easy) – RH Disney

Guinness World Records 2016 (Juv) – Guinness

In the Afterlight (YA) – Alexandra Bracken

In the Footsteps of Crazy Horse (Juv) – Joseph Marshall III

The Incredible Hulk (Juv) – Alex Irvine

Infinite in Between (YA) – Carolyn Mackler

Iron Man (Juv) – Alex Irvine

Kissing in America (YA) – Margo Rabb

The Last Leaves Falling (YA) – Sarah Benwell

Monsters Love Underpants (Easy) – Claire Freedman

Nerve (YA) – Jeanne Ryan

A Monster Calls (YA) – Patrick Ness

Ninja Red Riding Hood (Easy) – Corey Rosen Schwartz  
Parade (Easy) – Donald Crews  
Pete the Cat and the Bedtime Blues (Easy) – Kimberly Dean  
Sail Away (Easy) – Donald Crews  
The Secret Library (Easy) – Craig Gerber  
Ten Black Dots (Easy) – Donald Crews  
Thor (Juv) – Alex Irvine  
The Three Ninja Pigs (Easy) – Corey Rosen Schwartz  
Tornado Alley (Juv) – Marlane Kennedy  
Truck (Easy) – Donald Crews  
The Truth Commission (YA) – Susan Juby  
Volcano Blast (Juv) – Marlane Kennedy  
We All Looked Up (YA) – Tommy Wallach

### **Large Type**

Blue – Danielle Steel  
Brotherhood in Death – J.D. Robb  
The Ex – Alafair Burke  
Fates and Furies – Lauren Groff  
Find Her – Lisa Gardner  
The Guest Room – Chris Bohjalian  
The Man Without a Shadow – Joyce Carol Oates  
Now You See Her – James Patterson  
Scandalous Behavior – Stuart Woods  
War Room – Chris Fabry

### **Audiobooks**

The Bitter Season – Tami Hoag  
Blue – Danielle Steel  
The Choice – Nicholas Sparks  
The Ex – Alafair Burke  
The Guest Room – Chris Bohjalian  
My Name is Lucy Barton – Elizabeth Strout  
The Power of I Am – Joel Osteen  
The Sound of Gravel – Ruth Wariner

### **DVDs**

90 Minutes in Heaven  
Ashby  
Bone Tomahawk  
Everest  
The Final Girls  
Halo: Hall of Reach  
He Name Me Malala  
Heist  
House of Cards: Season 1 and 2  
Joe Dirt 2  
Infinitely Polar Bear  
The Intern  
Irrational Man  
Love, Rosie  
The Martian  
Pan  
Racing Hearts  
Ray Donovan: Season 3  
Scorch Trials  
Shameless: Season 5  
Sleeping with Other People  
Some Kind of Beautiful  
Straight Outta Compton  
Walk in the Woods  
War Room  
Ted 2  
Transporter Refueled  
True Detective: Season 2  
Vatican Tapes  
The Walk