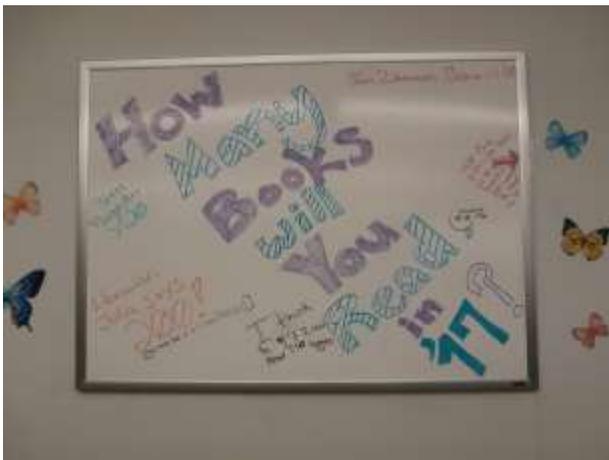


# Exeter Public Library

4 Chestnut Street, Exeter, NH 03833 \* Winter - Spring 2017



If it is winter in Exeter, spring will not be far behind. The String Bridge road project is complete for the winter and the road is now open. Yea!!!!



Seen on the Teen Scene wall...

EPL Website: [www.exeterpl.org](http://www.exeterpl.org)

Children's Room Website: [Children's Room](#)

Calendar:

<http://www.exeterpl.org/calendar.html>

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## News:

### Did you know????

We now have a new high school book group. The first meeting was last Saturday and nine teens met to choose their books for the winter and spring. They will meet once a month; call the library if you are interested in joining the group. Teens must be 14 to 18 years old.

Ongoing book groups for teens meet once a month also. For more information, call the library.



After the book discussion teens teach each other how to juggle...with clementines.

## What's Happening????

### Tech Teach:

The staff here at the library are continuing to offer free one-on-one technology lessons. You decide what you want to learn, call the library and set up an appointment with one of the staff. We will ask you a few questions to determine your level of knowledge and what equipment and/or software program you are using. Sign-up is mandatory for this program.

### Adult Book Groups:

**February 8 @ 6:30 pm**

The Atomic Weight of Love by Elizabeth J. Church

**February 15 @ 10:30**

H is for Hawk by Helen MacDonal

**March 8 @ 6:30 pm**

Ladies of Liberty by Cokie Roberts

**March 15 @ 10:30**

The Zookeeper's Wife by Diane Ackerman

**April 12 @ 6:30 pm**

I Don't Know How She Does It by Allison Pearson

**April 19 @ 10:30**

Missoula by John Krakauer

**May 10 @ 6:30 pm**

The Feud by Dean King

**May 17 @ 10:00**

The Final Solution by Michael Chabon

**June 14 @ 6:30 pm**

The Constellation of Vital Importance by Anthony Marra

**June 21 @ 10:00**

White Teeth by Zadie Smith

### Movies:

February 6 @ 1 pm \* Movie

February 27 @ 1 pm \* Armchair Travel

March 6 @ 1 pm \* Movie

March 27 @ 1 pm \* Armchair Travel

April 3 @ 1 pm \* Movie

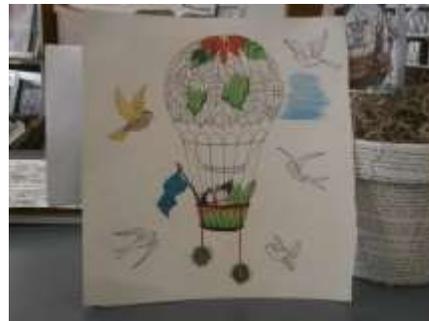
April 24 @ 1 pm \* Armchair Travel

May 1 @ 1 pm \* Movie

May 22 @ 1 pm \* Armchair Travel

June 5 @ 1 pm \* Movie

June 26 @ 1 pm \* Armchair Travel



We now have coloring books for all ages. Relax and color!



Exeter in winter....

## Adult Staff Book Picks

From the desk of Terri Fyler

### To the Bright Edge of the World by Eowyn Ivey

To the Bright Edge of the World is an atmospheric tale of adventure, love, and survival in 19<sup>th</sup> century Alaskan Territory.

When decorated war hero Allen Forrester is chosen to lead an expedition up the Wolverine River to the untamed wilds of Alaska, he must leave behind his pregnant wife, Sophie. The trip has been deemed impossible, as previous attempts ended in tragedy.

Told through journal entries, letters, and documents, we come to know the characters and see how their courage and faith are tested. The truths that Allen and Sophie discover about life and about themselves will change not only their lives, but of those who hear their stories long after they are gone.

This incisive portrait of a marriage and the uncertainty the future may hold, is also a study of the boundaries between the human and natural world.

### French Rhapsody by Antoin Laurain

When middle-aged Paris physician Alain receives what would have been a life-changing letter in the mail, thirty-three years too late, his life is turned upside down.

Lost in the postal system for decades, the letter was an offer for a recording contract for the band in which Alain once played lead guitar. Overcome with nostalgia, he decides to try and locate the former band members. This sets in motion a chain of events that will alter the lives of the individuals involved.

This whimsical novel is filled with charm and humor, yet also makes some relevant statements about issues facing the world of today. It also explores the natural curiosities we so often have in our lives of wondering what might have been if we had chosen a different path.

# Teen Staff Book Picks

from the desk of Jean Grout

## Lost in the Pacific, 1942 by Tod Olson

**LOST IN THE PACIFIC, 1942** by Tod Olson is a page-turner filled with tension as eight airmen struggle to survive on small rafts in the Pacific Ocean during World War II. This true account is a real adventure/survival tale of the men's battle with the sea. Not having the technology that is available today, their survival depended on their perseverance, their courage, and their smarts. The most famous of the survivors is Colonel Eddie Rickenbacker, a World War I pilot and war hero. The B-17 bomber and its crew were ferrying him to a top-secret mission in the Pacific when they had to ditch at sea due to a lack of fuel. Seven of the eight men survived three weeks with almost no food or water before being rescued. Black and white photos of the time period and of the survivors add to the reality of this survival story.

## Heartless by Marissa Meyer

The popular teen author of **THE LUNAR CHRONICLES**, Marissa Meyer, has written another fantasy winner, **HEARTLESS**. This story is the reimagining of **ALICE IN WONDERLAND** before Alice falls down the rabbit hole and incorporates all of its best aspects--darkness and light, love and hate. Beautiful Catherine is expected to marry the king but has entirely different ideas and is determined to become a baker and open her own shop. Falling in love with the mysterious Jest leads to secrecy, and Cath is attempting to choose her own destiny. Fate has other ideas, however. Magic and monsters transform this young girl into a madwoman, the Queen of Hearts, calling for the head of Peter Peter. There are surprises and heartbreak in this fantasy adventure.

**Teens playing "Silent Library" \* Thursday afternoons @ 3 - 5 \* Food & Fun for TEENS**

