

Highlands County Library System

“Breathing A.I.R. into our communities”

Access Information Resources



NEWSLETTER OF THE HIGHLANDS COUNTY LIBRARIES

February Awareness Topics & Celebrations

- Spay and Neuter Awareness Month
- National Library Lovers' Month
- Black History Month
- Eating Disorders Awareness Week
February 24 – March 2
- Valentine’s Day - February 14



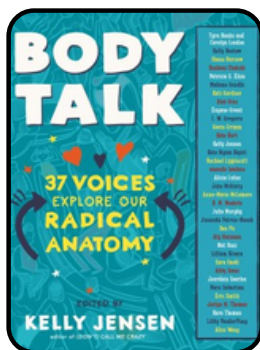
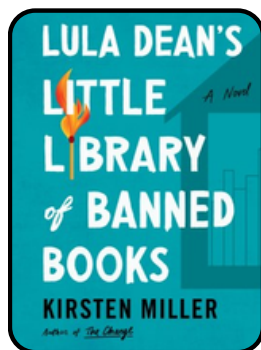
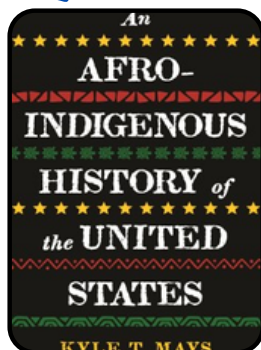
Weekly Story Times:

Lake Placid:
Every Wed. @ 10 a.m.

Sebring:
Every Wed. @ 11 a.m.

Avon Park
Every Sat. @ 11 a.m.

CHECK THESE TITLES OUT ON BOUNDLESS



VISIT OUR WEBSITE WWW.MYHLC.ORG

ACTIVITIES MADE POSSIBLE BY FUNDING FROM THE STATE AID TO LIBRARIES GRANT, THE HIGHLANDS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND EACH FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Sunday & Monday: CLOSED
 Tuesday: 10:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
 Thursday: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
 Friday: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
 Saturday: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

- Curbside Available
Fridays 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY GROUPS:

AVON PARK FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY:

LOCATED IN THE AVON PARK PUBLIC LIBRARY

MEMBERSHIP IS \$15.00 ANNUALLY AND INCLUDES A PUNCH CARD

FOR 12 FREE BOOKS

HOURS:

TUE.: 10:30 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

WED. TO FRI.: 10 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

SAT.: 10:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

SEBRING FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY:

LOCATED AT 117 E CENTER AVE, SEBRING, FL 33870

MEMBERSHIP: \$15.00 ANNUALLY

HOURS:

TUE. - FRI.:

10 AM TO 4 P.M.

SAT.:

10 AM TO 2 P.M.

LAKE PLACID FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY:

MEMBERSHIP FEE: \$15 ANNUALLY AND INCLUDES AN INVITATION TO THE ANNUAL MEETING

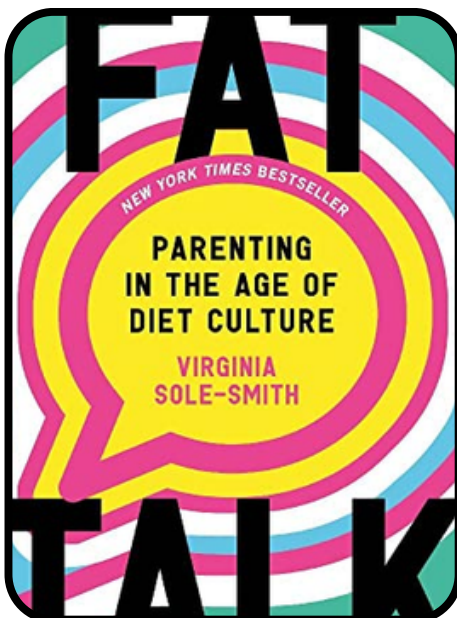
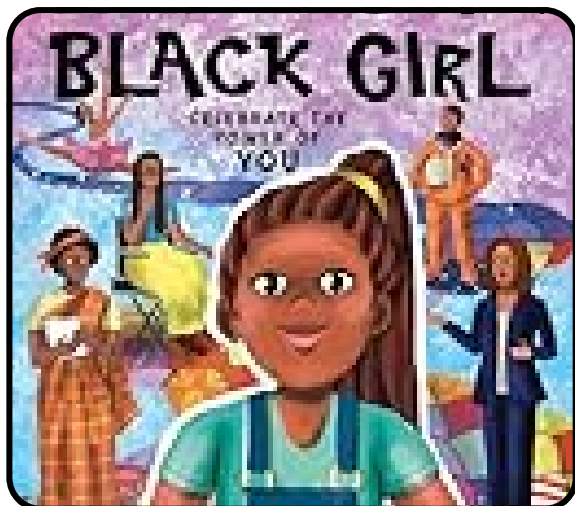
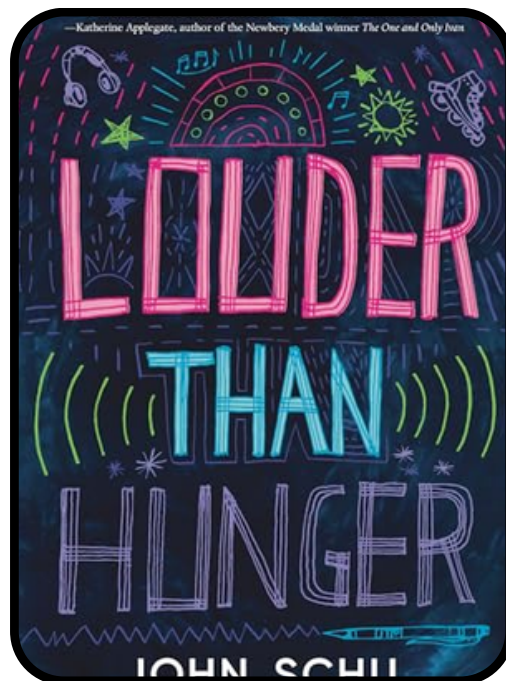
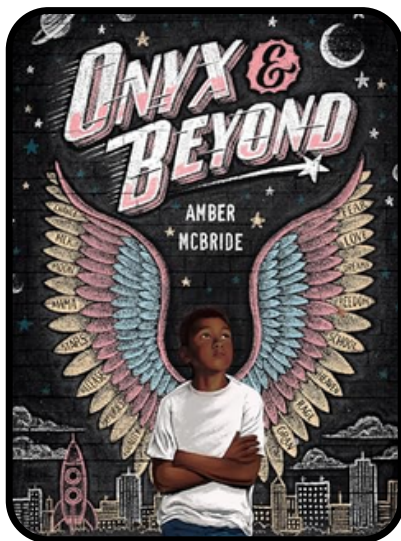
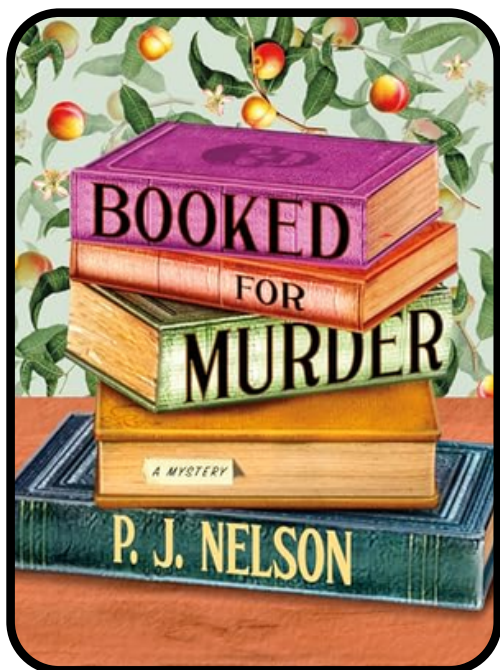
LOCATED IN THE LAKE PLACID MEMORIAL LIBRARY

HOURS:

TUES: 10:30 AM - 5 PM

WED - FRI: 10 AM - 5 PM

ITEM HIGHLIGHTS



February Week 1 (February 2 to February 8, 2025)

- February 4:
 - 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.: Avon Park Homework Help (APL)
- February 5:
 - 10 a.m.: Lake Placid Story Time (LPML)
 - 11 a.m.: Sebring Story Time (SPL)
 - 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.: Lake Placid Read for a Treat (LPML)
- February 6:
 - 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.: Lake Placid Technology Help (LPML)
 - 10 a.m.: Avon Park Monthly Book Club
- February 7:
 - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.: Sebring Technology Help (SPL)
 - 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Avon Park Technology Help (APL)
 - 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.: Avon Park Read for a Treat (APL)
- February 8:
 - 11 a.m.: Avon Park Story Time (APL)

**February Week 2 (February 9 to February 15, 2025)**

- February 11
 - 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.: Sebring Teen Time (SPL)
 - 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.: Avon Park Homework Help (APL)
- February 12:
 - 10 a.m.: Lake Placid Story Time (LPML)
 - 11 a.m.: Sebring Story Time (SPL)
 - 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.: Lake Placid Read for a Treat (LPML)
- February 13:
 - 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.: Lake Placid Technology Help (LPML)
- February 14:
 - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.: Sebring Technology Help (SPL)
 - 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Avon Park Technology Help (APL)
 - 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.: Avon Park Read for a Treat (APL)
 - 4 p.m.: Avon Park S.T.E.A.M. (APL)
- February 15:
 - 11 a.m.: Avon Park Story Time (APL)



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WEEK 2



February Week 3 (February 16 to February 22, 2025)

- February 18
 - 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.: Avon Park Homework Help (APL)
- February 19:
 - 10 a.m.: Lake Placid Story Time (LPML)
 - 11 a.m.: Sebring Story Time (SPL)
 - 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.: Lake Placid Read for a Treat (LPML)
- February 20:
 - 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.: Lake Placid Technology Help (LPML)
 - 3:45 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.: Lake Placid Teen Activity (LPML)
- February 21:
 - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.: Sebring Technology Help (SPL)
 - 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Avon Park Technology Help (APL)
 - 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.: Avon Park Read for a Treat (APL)
- February 22:
 - 11 a.m.: Avon Park Story Time (APL)

February Week 4 (February 23 to March 1, 2025)

- February 24:
 - 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.: Mobile Library @ Lorida Comm. Center
- February 25:
 - 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.: Avon Park Homework Help (APL)
- February 26:
 - 10 a.m.: Lake Placid Story Time (LPML)
 - 11 a.m.: Sebring Story Time (SPL)
 - 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.: Lake Placid Read for a Treat (LPML)
- February 27:
 - 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.: Lake Placid Technology Help (LPML)
 - 3 p.m.: Lake Placid S.T.E.A.M. (LPML)
- February 28:
 - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.: Sebring Technology Help (SPL)
 - 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Avon Park Technology Help (APL)
 - 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.: Avon Park Read for a Treat (APL)
 - 3:45 p.m.: Sebring S.T.E.A.M. (SPL)
- March 1:
 - 11 a.m.: Avon Park Story Time (APL)
 - 11 a.m.: Lake Placid Adult Program (LPML)




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MONTHLY BOOK CLUB

"Mildred Peacock is tough, but so is life in fictional Point Haven, an industrial town slowly sinking into permanent recession. Laid off from a succession of low-wage jobs; abandoned by her violent, weak-willed husband, Crook, and left to field offers from a battery of inappropriate men, Mildred is forced to make increasingly troublesome compromises in jobs and in her love life..."--Amazon **Book Club will be February 6 at 10 a.m. at Avon Park Public Library.**



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Monthly Book Club



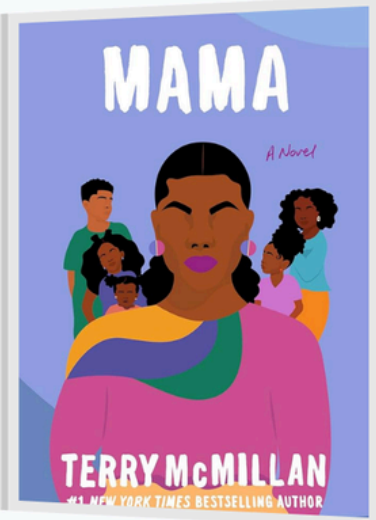
Thursday, February 6, 2024

10 a.m.

Title is:
"Mama"
by Terry McMillan


Monthly book club will meet only at the Avon Park Public Library.

100 N. Museum Ave.
Avon Park, FL 33825
863-452-3803
www.myhlc.org




QUARTERLY BOOK CLUB

"Haben grew up spending summers with her family in the enchanting Eritrean city of Asmara. There, she discovered courage as she faced off against a bull she couldn't see, and found in herself an abiding strength as she absorbed her parents' harrowing experiences during Eritrea's thirty-year war with Ethiopia. Their refugee story inspired her to embark on a quest for knowledge, traveling the world in search of the secret to belonging. She explored numerous fascinating places, including Mali, where she helped build a school under the scorching Saharan sun. Her many adventures over the years range from the hair-raising to the hilarious." - Amazon **Book Club will be March 6 at 10 a.m. at all three Highlands branches.**

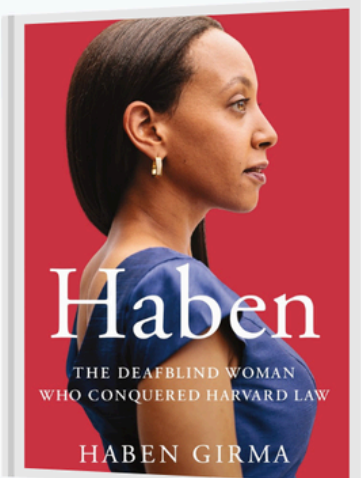


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Book Club:



2025 QTR 1 TITLE:



Quarterly

Meeting Dates:

- ➔ • March 6, 2025
- June 5, 2025
- September 4, 2025
- December 4, 2025

Quarterly Book Club will meet at all Highlands County Library branches (Avon Park, Sebring, & Lake Placid)

10 a.m.

