

THE E-LIBRARIAN



SOMETHING NEW!

Each month our Assistant Director, Karla Umland, will be highlighting a service or services offered by Stonington Free Library.

This month learn about our Seed Library and Public Computers!

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Each month join us as Mrs. Frey shares thoughts, books, and resources available in the Children and Teen Rooms.

Spring is upon us, with the joys of emerging flowers, longer days, increasingly warm sunshine, and since we live in New England – mud.

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Each month enjoy beautifully written Book Notes by our Director Emeritus, Belinda de Kay.

This month enjoy her thoughts on poetry and spring.



'The late-past frosts tributes of pleasure bring.' (George Herbert, 'The Flower')

That sense of a gift freely given is echoed in Elizabeth Bishop's 'A Cold Spring', perhaps one of the loveliest of Spring poems – 'Now, from the thick grass, the fireflies/begin to rise:/up, then down, then up again:/ lit on the ascending flight,/ drifting simultaneously to the same height,/ – exactly like the bubbles in champagne..... And your shadowy pastures will be able to offer/ these particular glowing tributes/ every evening now throughout the summer.'

[READ MORE HERE](#)

Each month we will highlight a member of our library community. Check back each month to learn more about our staff, our trustees, our volunteers, and our supporters.

This month we honor the newest member of the SFL team, Kim, a Library Technical Assistant.

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YOUTH PROGRAMMING



DUNGEONS & DRAGONS ONLINE

Register today for a two-part D&D session!

Friday, April 9th and 23rd from 3:30-5pm

Ages 12 +

Limited to 6 players

**We will supply the adventure,
characters, and online materials. All you will need is your
imagination (and access to the internet)!**

For more information and registration contact brianwalls@stoningtonfreelibrary.org



SPEAK UP FOR NATURE
PLANT A TREE
GRAB AND GO BAGS

Earth Day

Pickup April 23

While supplies last

Ages 6-16

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ADULT PROGRAMMING

ONLINE EVENING BOOK GROUP

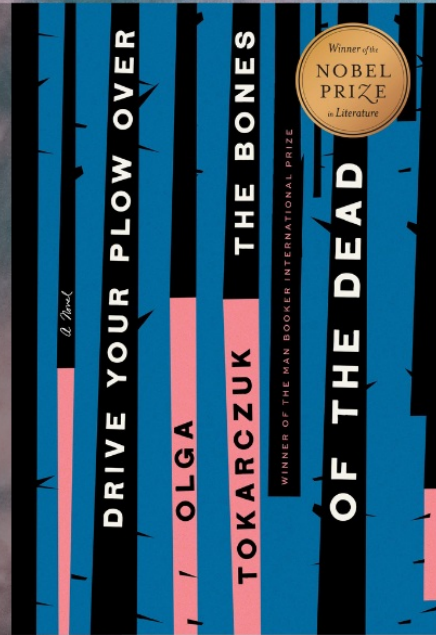
Evening Book Group Members
will discuss :

*Drive Your Plow Over the
Bones of the Dead*

by

Olga Tokarczuk

Wednesday, April 7th
at 5:30pm

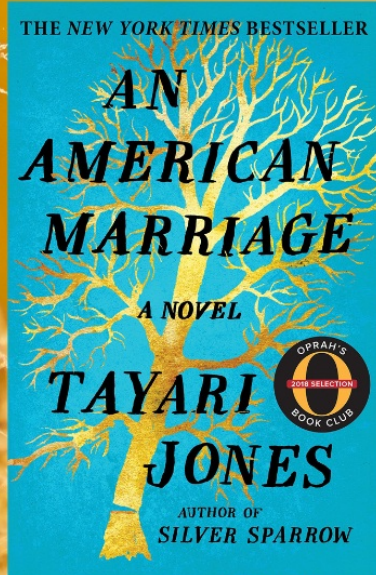


New to the group?

Email ivyhope@stoningtonfreelibrary.org
for the Zoom info.



ONLINE AFTERNOON BOOK GROUP



Afternoon Book Group Members
will discuss:

An American Marriage

by Tayari Jones

Thursday,

April 8th

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

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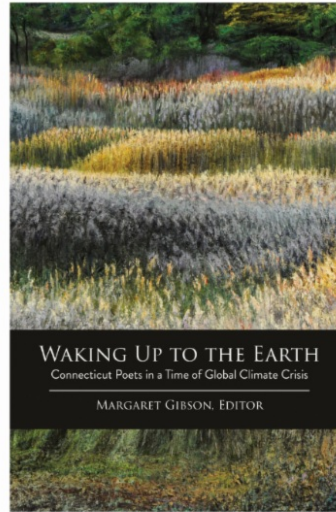


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Poetry Anthology Reading from "WAKING UP TO THE EARTH"

Presented by:
Connecticut Poet Laureate Margaret Gibson
& guest poets



Margaret Gibson and selected poets read from their new anthology
"Waking Up to the Earth: Connecticut Poets in a Time of Global Climate Crisis"

April 11, 2021 at 5 PM via Zoom

Registration is required and limited to 100 participants.

[Click here to register.](#)



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Women & Money

How to Make Sense of Today's Financial Markets

Presented By:

Liz Maccarone CRPC®, Julia Strayer CPWA® CIMA® CRPC®
& New Canaan Library



A monthly financial literacy program designed to educate women of any age about the financial matters that affect their lives.

1-2 PM on April 21, 2021
via Zoom

Registration is required.

Email karla@stoningtonfreelibrary.org to register.

Once approved, you will be emailed the Zoom link and instructions to join.

Healthy Housekeeping with COVID-19 Cleaning Tips

Presented By: Mary Ellen Welch & Sara Tomis

UConn Extension Educators



Healthy housekeeping and COVID-19 cleaning tips for
personal and home safety.

5 PM on April 22, 2021
via Zoom

Registration is required.

[Click here to register.](#)

Once approved, you will be emailed the Zoom link and instructions to join.

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SAVE YOUR BOOKS!
WE WILL BE HAVING OUR
BOOK SALE
at the Village Fair on August 7th, 2021

We want your books but we don't have a
place to store them yet!
More information coming soon!

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Holiday Closings:

Call us at 860-535-0658
or email us at
[Stonlib@stoningtonfree
library.org](mailto:Stonlib@stoningtonfree
library.org)

Monday, 10-6
Tuesday 10-6
Wednesday 10-7
Thursday 10-6
Friday 10-5
Saturday 10- 1

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