

In the Stacks

February 2018



Fabulous Fridays!

In Harmony...

Amos Fayette on Violin

Join us for this month's performance featuring violinist, Amos Fayette. Mr. Fayette has performed as a soloist with The New World Symphony, Orquesta Filarmonica de Medellin, Mid-Atlantic Symphony, and made solo appearances at the Festival du La Chaillol and Le Vigan in France. In demand as a guest concertmaster, he has held that distinction with the Illinois Symphony, Tucson Symphony, Annapolis Symphony, Orchestra Iowa, and others. Performance highlights of recent years include recitals in Baltimore, New York, and Miami. Equally committed to education, Amos has held teaching positions at the New World School of the Arts in Miami; CUNY Queens College Preparatory Division, and with the New Jersey Symphony's CHAMPS El Sistema Program. His students have gone on to attend the Manhattan School of Music, Oberlin Conservatory, and Lynn University. Mr. Fayette resides in Milford where he is the Director of the Milford Branch of The Music School of Delaware and Concertmaster of the Mid-Atlantic Symphony Orchestra. His violin was crafted in 2012 by Long Island maker Edward Maday.

Friday, February 2, 6:30 PM

Family Fun

First State Model Railroad

The First State Model Railroad Club will showcase a display of HO Model Trains. Check out their setup, ask questions, and do some train related crafts! Fun for the whole family!

Friday, February 9, 6:00 PM

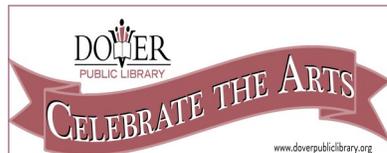
Celebrate the Arts

Sankofa African Dance Company

Energetic and exciting, the Sankofa African Dance Company is comprised of talented and creative youth from Inner City Dover and throughout the central Delaware area.

Dedicated to dance and percussion arts, this company studies under some of the finest dance teachers, choreographers and percussion artists in Pennsylvania, Maryland, New Jersey and Delaware.

Friday, February 16, 6:30 PM



Last Friday: FilmFans

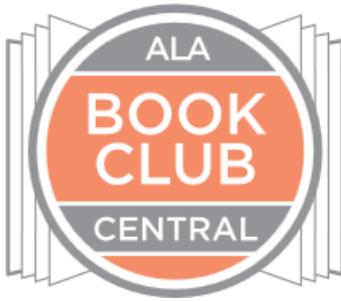
Marshall

Marshall is based on true events in the life of the late Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall. It takes place in 1940 when the NAACP sends Marshall (Chadwick Boseman) to Connecticut to defend Joseph Spell (Sterling K. Brown), a black chauffeur accused of sexual assault and attempted murder against his employer, socialite Eleanor Strubing (Kate Hudson). Marshall doesn't have a license to practice law in the State of Connecticut, but Judge Foster (James Cromwell) rules he can sit at the defense table and offer notes and counsel to Joseph's attorney as long as he doesn't speak a single word. Joseph's attorney, Sam Friedman (Josh Gad) is a civil lawyer with no criminal defense experience. At first, Friedman doesn't want anything to do with the case. But as a Jewish man living with his family in a community where there's no shortage of anti-Semitism, and during a time when a monster in Germany is committing genocide against Jews, it doesn't take long for Friedman to identify with his client, believe he's innocent, and place his career and future in the hands of Thurgood Marshall. "Offering a glimpse at Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall's life, *Marshall* offers thrills, mystery, and gripping storytelling," says Danielle Solzman of *Cultured Vultures*. "*Marshall* reminds us that before the legend, there was the badass young warrior," adds Richard Roeper of the *Chicago Sun-Times*. 1:58. Rated PG for mature thematic content, sexuality, violence and some strong language.

Friday, February 23, 6:30 PM

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"*Stay with Me* is a wise and deeply humane debut novel that unpeels the layers of politics in a marriage from the inside. Ayobami Adebayo tells the story of Akin, Yejide, and their families (a powerfully

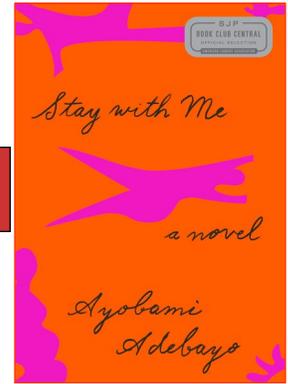
affecting tale of love, loyalty, and betrayal) with both savagery and heart. I can't wait for readers everywhere to read and enjoy this novel as our third selection for Book Club Central." Sarah Jessica Parker

"When Yejide and Akin fall in love, they decide not to have a polygamous relationship. This surprises their Nigerian families, especially when, four years into their marriage, Yejide still hasn't become pregnant. Although everyone recognizes how hard Yejide is trying to conceive, the family secretly brings in a second wife. Yejide is furious, and desperate to save her marriage.

Adebayo's debut novel expands beyond the second wife's arrival to explore the darkest moments of life and marriage. The story alternates between the late 1980s and a funeral in 2008, setting Akin and Yejide's marriage against a period of political instability in Nigeria. Telling the story from both Akin's and Yejide's perspectives, Adebayo describes parenthood and love with heartbreaking prose. She deftly reveals secrets and the decisions that set life-altering events in motion. The story's fast pace brings surprising twists to Akin, Yejide, and their families' lives while delving into their history, as a couple and as individuals. Readers of *Stay with Me* will eagerly await Adebayo's next book." Laura Chanoux

Ayobami Adebayo's stories have appeared in a number of magazines and anthologies, and one was highly commended in the 2009 Commonwealth short story competition. She holds BA and MA degrees in literature and English from Obafemi Awolowo University, Ife, and has worked as an editor for *Saraba Magazine* since 2009. She also has an MA in creative writing from the University of East Anglia, where she was awarded an international bursary for creative writing. She has received fellowships and residencies from Ledig House, Sinthian Cultural Centre, Hedgebrook, Ox-Bow School

of Art, Ebedi Hills and the Siena Art Institute. She was born in Lagos, Nigeria.



Life-Wide Learning

Purl-Fectly Knit Club

Share your love of needlework with others! Bring in your current knitting, crochet, or other needle project; get help with questions; exchange patterns & tips; or just come to craft and socialize. All skill levels are welcome from novice to epic knitter. Beginners will get help with their projects from more experienced members. **Mondays, February 5, 12, 26, 6:00 PM**

Affordable Care Act

Get your questions answered about this important program. **Wednesdays, February 7, 14, 21, 28, 3:00 PM**

Seeking Safety Support Group

Come find your voice; have group support; be heard & understood; and share your hopes & dreams.

Thursdays, February 8 & 22, 12:30 PM

Celebrate the Arts: The Art of Writing a Cookbook

As part of our *Celebrate the Arts* series, we welcome lecturer and author, Katie Barney Moose. Mrs. Moose will



share her expertise on cuisine and the art of composing a cookbook. Mrs. Moose is

presently working on an international cookbook for every country in the world, and also one on edible flowers.

Saturday, February 10, 2:00 PM

DIY @ the Library

Learn to make easy and fun duct tape rose pens! This program is intended for adults, but teens and families are welcome. To register, please call 302-736-7030.

Tuesday, February 13, 6:30 PM

COPE Van: Community Outreach & Prevention Services

The COPE Van is Brandywine Counseling & Community Services' free health screening van. Staffed with a Registered Nurse, the Van offers a range of medical screenings & referrals to services & life-saving screenings. COPE provides services to those over 18 who are insured, uninsured or underinsured. Screenings include: Blood Sugar; Blood Pressure; Cholesterol, Body Mass Index (BMI); HIV; Hepatitis C; Pregnancy testing; & others.

Thursday, February 15, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM

DIY Crafts: Memory Wire Bracelet

Learn to make a beautiful bracelet using memory wire and beads. While this program is intended for adults, teens and families are welcome. To register, please call 302-736-7030 or visit the Library's Calendar of Events at www.doverpubliclibrary.org

Saturday, February 17, 2:00 PM

Coverage 2 Care Class

Westside Family Health Care leads a workshop to help the consumer understand common health insurance terms. **Wednesday, February 21, 5:00 PM**

Tuesday Talks: "Bell House of Dover"

Over the past year, State Parks' Archaeologists and community volunteers have been digging in the yard of Bell House. Learn what they have discovered and what additional research might reveal in this illustrated talk led by John McCarthy. This program is sponsored by the Archaeological Society of Delaware.

Tuesday, February 27, 6:00 PM

Black Panther Party for Self-Defense: a Historical Presentation

The Black Panther Party for Self-Defense was a revolutionary Black Nationalist and socialist organization founded by Bobby Seale and Huey Newton in October 1966. At its inception on October 15, 1966, the Black Panther Party's core practice was its armed citizens' patrols to monitor the behavior of the Oakland Police Department officers and to challenge police brutality in Oakland, California. In 1969, community social programs became a core activity of party members. The party was active in the United States from 1966 until 1982, with international chapters operating in the United Kingdom in the early 1970s, and in Algeria from 1969 until 1972. This lecture is presented by noted local historian Syl Woolford. The presentation not only revisits the history of the Black Panther Movement, but also addresses the problems that the Panthers were trying to solve, and how we address those problems today.

Wednesday, February 28, 6:00 PM

Delaware libraries are leaders in connecting and inspiring a lifetime of discovery.

The Dover Public Library connects people to a variety of resources and services that inform, educate and entertain!

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Readers' Corner

History Book Group

Washington & Lincoln

Please join us for a discussion of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln this month in honor of President's Day. All are invited to share books, articles and memories as well as to listen, ask questions and participate in the History Book Club. Please contact Larry Koch for questions at (302) 335-8344 or by email at larry.koch.2008@comcast.net.

For assistance with locating materials, please visit the Library or call 302-736-7030.

Thursday, February 15, 4:00 PM

Other Worlds Book Group

Join us each month at the Grey Fox Grille for a great book discussion, along with food & drink specials! This month we'll be reading *Frankenstein* by Mary Shelley. For ages 18+. Copies of the book are available at the Library.

Wednesday, February 21, 6:30 PM

Adult Book Group

Small Great Things by Jody Picoult

A black neonatal nurse is charged with causing the death of a white supremacist's newborn baby. The story is told from the points of view of the nurse, her attorney, and the baby's heartbroken father.

Sunday, February 25, 2:00 PM

WINTER READING CHALLENGE

Through March 17

REGISTER READ

REVIEW

ENTER TO WIN PRIZES!

All Things Dr. Seuss

Read Across America Day
Friday, March 2

Register online:
www.doverlibrary.beanstack.org



FilmFans

Saturday Matinee

February 3, 2:00 PM: *Stronger* 1:59. Rated R for language, graphic injury, brief sexuality & nudity.

2sdays, 2:00 PM

February 6: *Dunkirk*. 1:47. Rated PG-13 for intense war experience & language.

February 13: *Victoria and Abdul*. 1:51. Rated PG-13 for thematic elements & language.

February 20: *Stronger*. 1:59. Rated R for language, graphic injury brief sexuality & nudity.

February 27: *Marjorie Prime*. 1:37. Not rated.

Last Friday

Friday, February 23, 6:30 PM: *Marshall*. 1:58. Rated PG for thematic context, sexuality, violence & language.

APEX Pardons & Expungements. Call for information, 736-7030. **Mondays, 9:15 AM**

Alternative Funding Strategies: Pay, Partner, Barter, Trade
Have you explored alternative strategies to fund your business? Don't let a lack of cash stop your plans. Explore using pay, partner, barter or trade to exchange your products & services for the others your business needs. Learn how to determine the right price to charge or pay; what responsibilities & pitfalls to discuss; who, when, how & do not's of bartering; & opportunities to make a direct trade. **Thursday, February 1, 10:30 AM**

Resume Writing, Tips & Online Resources

Learn tips & tools for crafting the perfect resume. Hear about other online resources to assist with your job search.

Mondays, February 5, 12, 26, 9:00 AM & Wednesdays, February 7, 14, 21, 28, 1:00 PM

Becoming COO of My Financial Future

Join us for this workshop on how to really take control of your finances. Sponsored by the Money School.

Monday, February 5, 5:30 PM

There Must Be a Hole in My Pocket

An informative workshop to help with learning to handle your money. Sponsored by the Money School.

Wednesday, February 7, 6:00 PM

Jumping on the Instagram Bandwagon

Instagram continues to grow by leaps & bounds, with more user engagement than Facebook or Twitter. If you're unsure how to make Instagram work for your business, this fun & educational seminar is for you! You'll learn how to get started, build a relevant following, choose the right content, use #hashtags,

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Small Business Center

Job Center Walk-in Hours

Mondays 9:00 AM-1:00 PM
Wednesdays 12:30 PM-7:00 PM

Call for other services & information

Computer Classes

2/6	Computer Basics	1:00 PM
2/13	Keyboarding	1:00 PM
2/20	Word Basics	1:00 PM
2/27	Excel Basics	1:00 PM

Classes require registration. Call 736-7030.

advertise, & engage with your audience. Walk away with the confidence to enhance your brand on Instagram. **Thursday, February 8, 10:30 AM**

Kent County Inter Agency Meet Up

Monthly meeting open to all agencies & non-profits providing direct services to citizens of Kent County. Bring your literature, event flyers & business card to share. You are welcome to bring your own brown bag lunch to eat during the meeting.

Thursday, February 8, 12:00-1:30 PM

'Stand by Me' Financial Coaching. Financial coach will be available to assist w/ budget preparation & management; provide free credit report info. & reviews; provide free tax preparation; provide college bound services; & more.

Thursday, February 15, 9:15 AM-12:00 PM

Incorporating a Small Business: The Why, What & How of Business Formation

What determines the most advantageous legal structure for your business? Learn why it is important for your success to select the right entity for your business, what it means to be incorporated & how to take the right steps. **Thursday, February 15, 10:30 AM**

Think on Purpose

Thoughts & words impact your life & business in powerful ways. Identify the honest-yet-negative words we speak to ourselves regularly: the complaints, excuses & "head trash" we continually shower upon ourselves & others. Learn instead to Think on Purpose: how positive, intentional thought patterns & habits ultimately determine & affect our results, character & destiny in profound ways. **Thursday, February 22, 10:30 AM**