

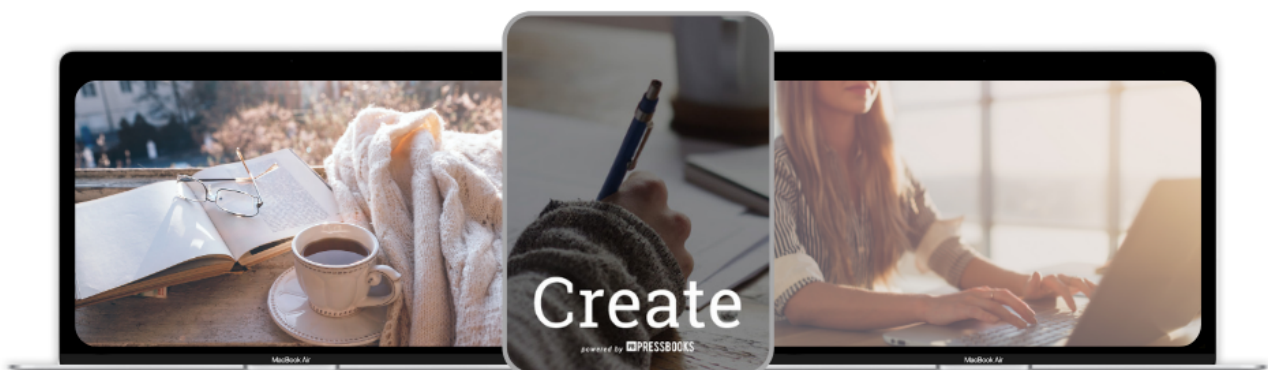


Hello , **welcome to your January update!**

Happy New Year! We hope you've had a safe and happy holiday, and we're looking forward to making 2021 a great year! Check out what we have in store this month at your favorite library!

What's New at the Palm Harbor Library?

INTRODUCING THE PALM HARBOR LIBRARY'S WRITING PROGRAM



Launching February 2021, the Madeline Oliveri Writing Program will support local fledgling writers.



SIGN UP FOR
OUR
WRITERS LIST



Next month, we kick off the **Madeline Oliveri Writing Program**, a new initiative that supports fledgling writers in our community. This

program is generously funded by the family of the late **Madeline Oliveri**, former volunteer and library supporter, and is provided to our members at no cost.

If you are interested in finding out more about this program make sure to sign up for our [Writers List](#).

We are excited to help local writers create memoirs, fiction, short stories, and more in order to help them get published in local indie author collections.

To compliment this new initiative, we have partnered with Biblioboard, an online platform that lets writers create their book, make it print and ebook ready, and includes it in local library collections.

Card holders can also enjoy Biblioboard by checking out local authors. With no holds or check out limits, Biblioboard allows you to discover new authors, great new curations, and more.

To start using Biblioboard now click [HERE](#).

Have you seen our beautiful mural?



The Palm Harbor Library, in its effort to be a cultural destination for its

residents, commissioned a mural in 2020 to be painted by artist [Noelle Jordan Stillman](#). The result is an interactive experience. Visitors are encouraged to view the mural and then use their mobile devices to scan the painted QR codes. Learn more about it on our [website](#).

Are you a fellow nature lover? If so, please send any photos you take locally of flora and fauna to art@phlib.org and they may be featured on our website!

PHIN Non-Profit Summit 2021

TOGETHER WE GROW



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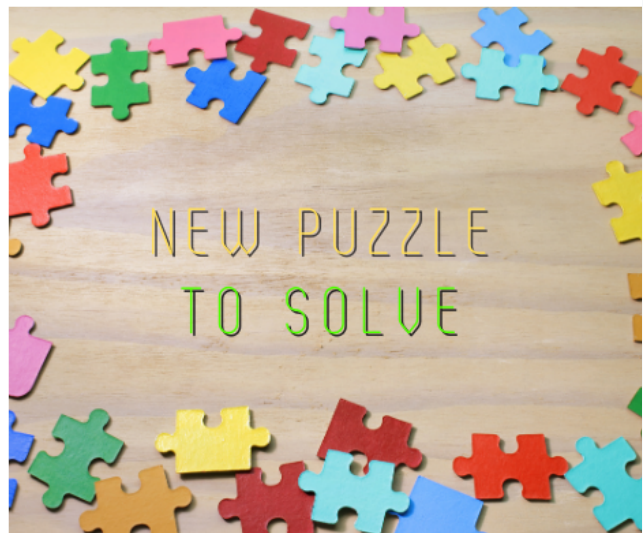


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We Put It All Together For You

On **January 26th**, the Palm Harbor Library will be hosting its first **PHIN (Palm Harbor Institution of Non-Profit) Summit**. This initiative is an effort to network with local non-profit agencies and to provide mutual support and partnership as we grow and continue to serve the Palm Harbor community. This Summit is geared to the needs and struggles many non-profits face daily, and we are optimistic that forming PHIN will provide input, insight, and much needed support among our agencies. **If you are an agent working for a Palm Harbor non-profit, and would like to learn more about PHIN, please email Library Director Gene Coppola at gene@phlib.org.**

Adult Programs and Events

Take and Make kits will now be offered on a monthly basis. Located in the stand near the front information desk, you can find something new each month. Here's a sampling of January's Take & Makes and other goodies!





"BEE PROJECT"
DUE JANUARY 16TH

Even if you didn't find all 28 Bees floating around the library, don't fret! The **Bee Project** is ongoing through January 16th. Get a Bee Project sheet at our information desks for a chance to win a free book!

Children and Youth Events



ANIME CLUB

**MAKE ANIMAL EARS
WITH US!**

Online

Wed. Jan. 27th @ 5pm

**GET YOUR
DRAWING/WRITING
PROMPTS AND YOUR
GOODIES!**

Join us on Discord to attend virtual meetings - this month's theme is **animals**! Pick up your craft kit anytime this month in the Children's Room and then attend the meeting to craft and watch anime together. Appropriate for ages 11-18. We also use Discord for weekly drawing prompts and discussions along with voting on which anime to watch during meetings. If you need the Discord link, please email phlibkids@gmail.com.

CHILDREN'S

TAKE AND MAKE

JAN. 4TH:
WINTER WONDERS
JAN. 11TH:
LET'S GET QUACKY
JAN. 18TH:
START WITH ART
JAN. 25TH:
OUTER SPACE FUN

Don't forget to pick up one of our weekly **Take and Make Crafts** from our Children's Department.

VIRTUAL ART ATTACK!

FRIDAY, FEB. 19TH
5:30-6:30PM



JOIN MISS MARISA FOR SOME
ART-THEMED FUN!

Ready for some art fun? Registration is now open for our **Virtual Art Attack!**



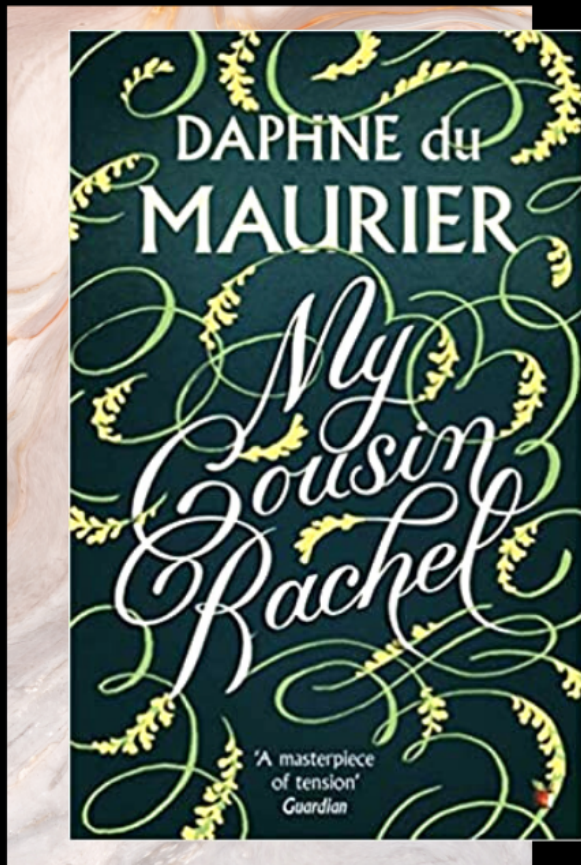
Starting **January 1st**, participants may start reading along with the posted signs while walking through our gardens to experience a story outside. For this story, follow Bruni the salamander on a chilly adventure around the library. Complete the walk and then add to our wishing tree inside the Children's Room for a chance to win a prize!



Books that are just right for kids'
reading levels and interests.

Do you need read-alike recommendations specifically for your younger reader? [Novelist K-8 Plus](#) helps kids find books that are just right for their reading level and interests. Log in using your PPLC member library card.

PhiL's Book Club Meeting

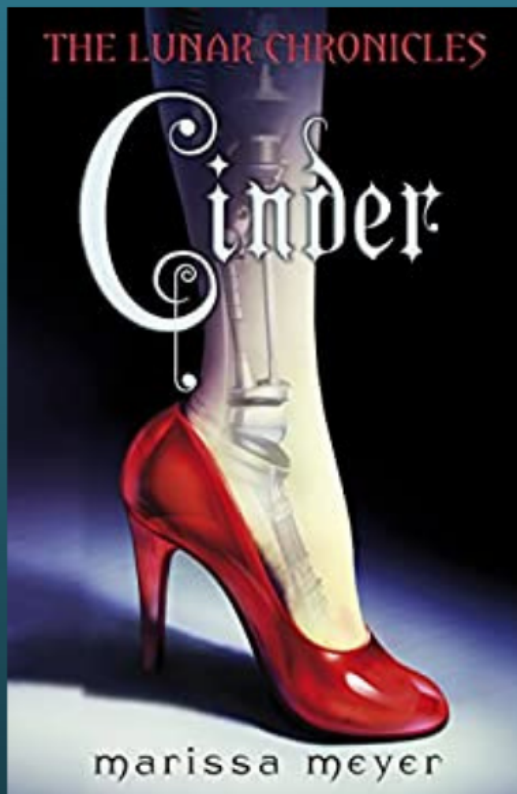


PHIL's Book Club: January 11, 2021



Phil's Book Club will meet on Zoom **January 11th at 11 AM EST**. Pick up your copy from the library and join us by clicking [HERE](#).

Even though we may be meeting on Zoom, our book club meet-ups are still thriving! Join us as we discuss great book selections, come together virtually, and enjoy some literary recreation.



ALES & TALES BOOKCLUB

Thursday,
Jan. 14th
6-7 pm
on Zoom



Our **Ales & Tales Bookclub** that always met at Stilthouse Brewery continues to meet online via Zoom for the time being. Pick up your copy of this month's book, ***Cinder* by Marissa Meyer**, at the Library and then join Maryjane on **Thurs. Jan. 14th from 6-7pm on Zoom**. BYOB for this fun club! To join us on Zoom, please click [HERE](#).

Did you know?



**WE ACCEPT
DONATIONS
ALL YEAR ROUND!**



For the past few years, the Palm Harbor Library has been a drop off location for **local donations**. We are proud of helping the community by assisting those in need, and we encourage you to consider donating to any of our following baskets:

Pack-a-Snack Providing single-serving items to local school kids in need for the weekend and holiday breaks.

FEAST Local food bank.

Humane Society Food and pet products for our furry friends.

Please note these baskets are located in our lobby area ***all year long.***



Last month, our library was a designated location to host one of the trees entered in the **ARC Foundation of Tampa Bay's Festival of Trees**, benefitting those with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Our very own Administrative Coordinator Cathy created this beautiful tree which raised \$500 for the ARC Foundation! The details and festive colors brought joy to our patrons as they visited our library in December.

Get to Know Us!

December's Staff Spotlight

JANUARY SPOTLIGHT

LARS



JOB TITLE:
CIRCULATION ASSISTANT

HOBBIES:
PHOTOGRAPHY AND PET TRAINING

BEST ADVICE EVER GIVEN:
**"YOU'LL NEVER HAVE A BAD DAY;
A BAD MOMENT, YES. BUT NOT A BAD DAY."**

Looking at 2021

JANUARY 2021

DIRECTOR'S COLUMN

"Bibliophiles, unite!"



Bibliophiles, unite!

It's amazing sometimes how things just creep up on you like birthdays and holidays and PHIL's (Palm Harbor Library) Book Club is no exception. Unbelievable as it may seem, we'll soon be heading into our **21th year** of reading and meeting. Considering this momentous occasion, I thought I'd take a few moments of your time to tell you what's coming up. [**KEEP READING [HERE](#)**]

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