

Stoneham Library Newsletter

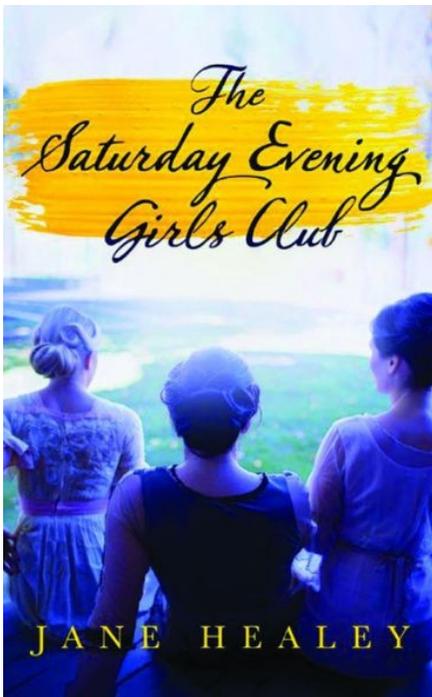
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Stoneham Reads

The Saturday Evening Girls Club

March and April 2018



The Italian Immigrant experience is celebrated in this novel depicting the factual Saturday Evening Girls Club in the North End of Boston.

Stoneham Library will provide books for this fascinating One Town, One Read book in which residents read a book and participate in book discussion groups, and other programming focusing on the themes and motifs of the book.

Look for these exciting events in 2018!

- **Book Discussion of the novel.**
- **Tour of North End and lunch.**
- **Pottery demonstration**
- **Immigrant experience dinner at the library.**
- **Author event.**

ART AT THE LIBRARY

The Stoneham Public Library is delighted to host portrait artist, Lori Del Genis. The exhibit showcases the artist's superb rendition of an eclectic array of subjects. These portraits include literary and theatrical figures as well as other subjects. Additionally, the artist will feature beloved pets.



Lori says, “We love to look at faces, from the very beginning of our lives. What we see can comfort and inspire us.” She believes that the realism of the portrait can inspire a profound response from those who view it.

Lori states that she is “self-taught” and continues to learn. The artist further explains that her work aims to capture on paper, “the emotions and expressions of faces we love, especially faces that are no longer with us.” She shares that, “I understood my mission when a grieving mother told me that when she looked at the portrait I’d created of her late son, it felt like he was always with her. I knew then that I’d done what I’d set out to do.”

On your next visit to the Stoneham Public Library take some time to view this wonderful art show in our Exhibit Hallway.



Stoneham Library Books in Bloom
May 4th, 2018
6PM-9PM



Please join us for a night of books and flowers celebrating Stoneham : the Shoe Town with beautiful floral arrangements focused around a shoe theme.

Sponsored by the Stoneham Garden Club and the

Stoneham Friends of the Library

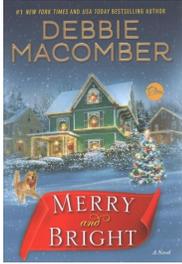
Hors d'oeuvres will be served.

Tickets \$25.00

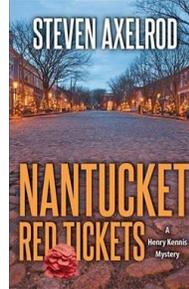
All proceeds benefit the Library

New Holiday Books

For Adults



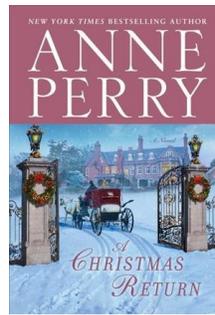
[***Merry and Bright .***](#)



[***Nantucket Red Tickets***](#)

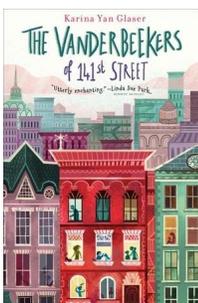


[***Last Christmas in Paris***](#)

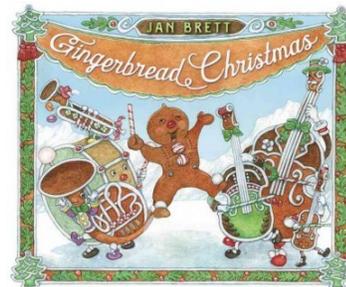


[***A Christmas Return***](#)

For Kids



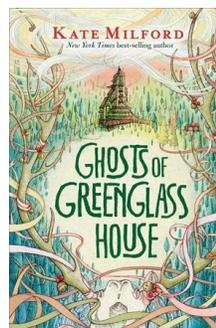
[***The Vanderbeekers Of 141st Street***](#)



[***A Gingerbread Christmas***](#)

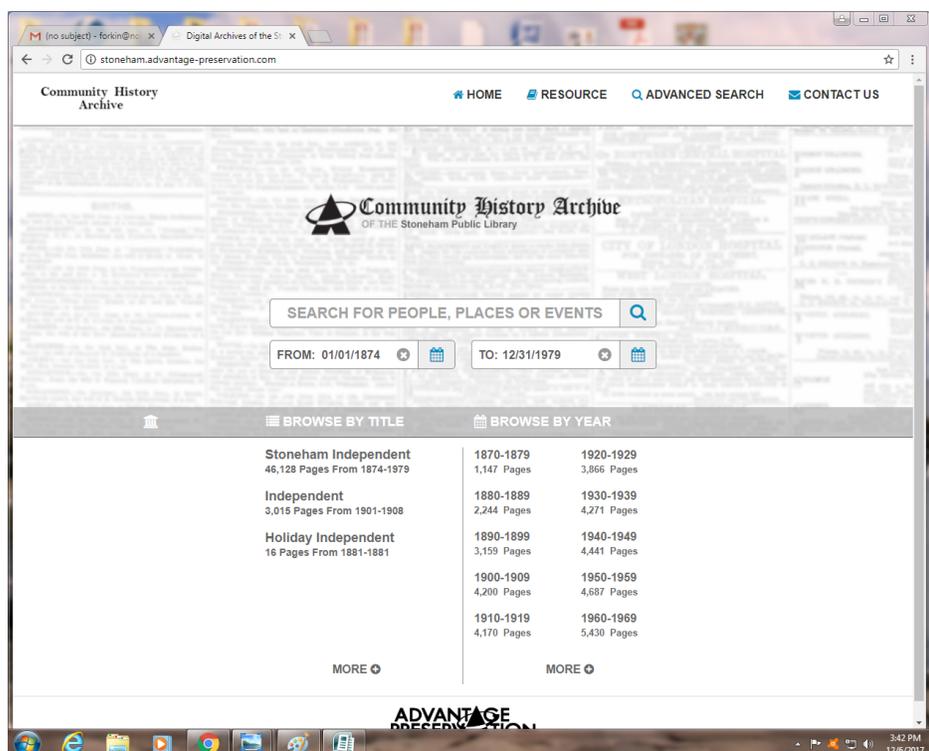


[***Young Scrooge: a Very Scary Christmas Story***](#)



[***Ghosts of Greenglass House***](#)

The Library has digitized *The Stoneham Independent* from 1874-1979. More will be digitized at a later date. Try the new database by clicking the picture.

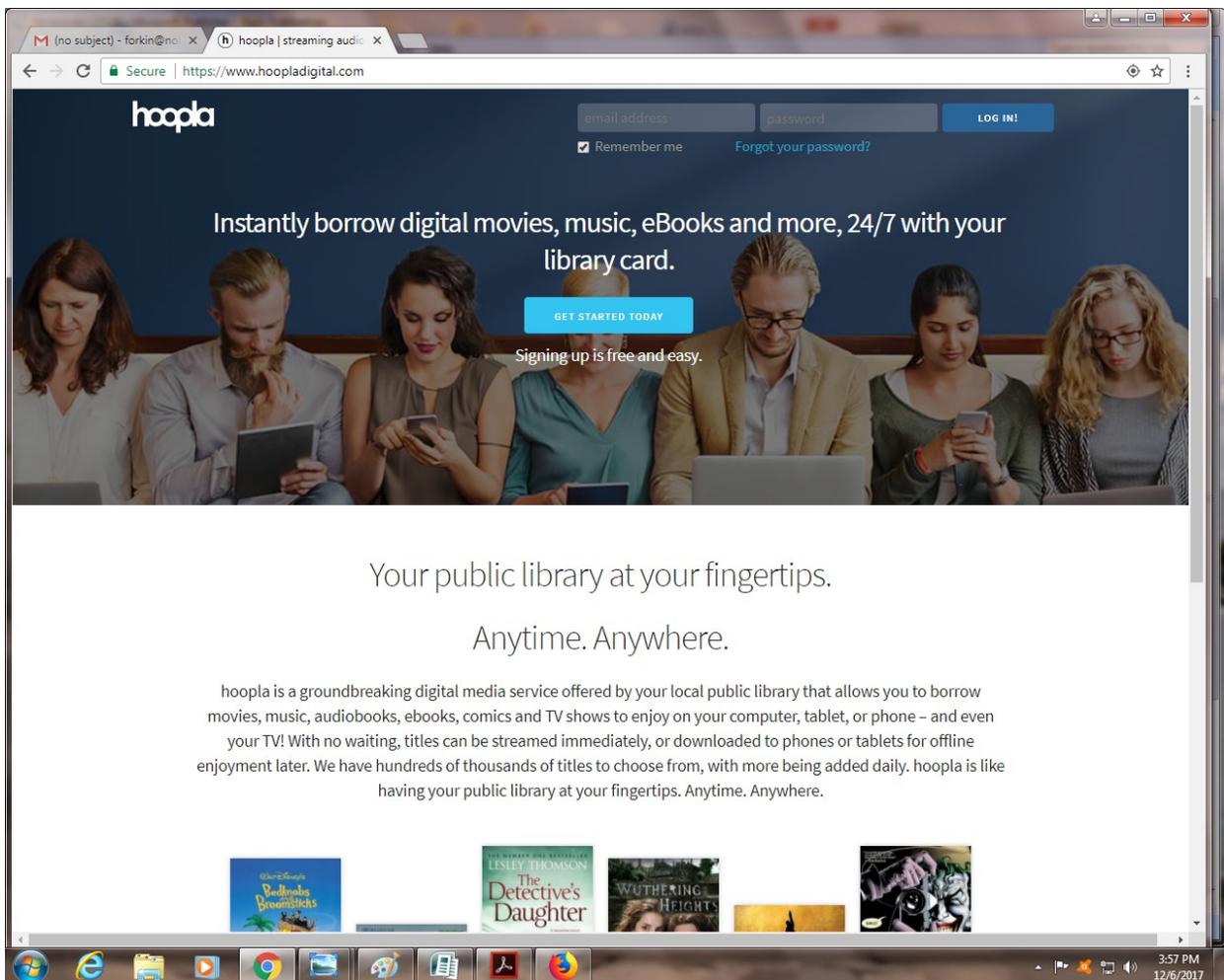


Holiday Treats Display at Library

Each month we have a new display at the Library. This month we are featuring a holiday cooking display. All of these books are available to check out at the Library. From Debbie Macomber's Christmas Cookbook to Gloria Mezikofsky's Dessertgems you will find some great recipes and lots of holiday fun .



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