

Stoneham Public Library Newsletter



October/November, 2019

Please join us for the annual Friends of the Library book sale. There will be hundreds of books to choose from including hardcovers, paperbacks and many children's books.

We look forward to seeing you November 7th through the 9th.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOOK SALE

November 7th-November 9th
Thursday 7-9, Friday 9-4, Saturday 10-2



books audio
Friends Museum author Library
wireless programs dvds
trip computers community talks
visual Stoneham story hour education
entertainment learning passes



**Historian Dee Morris
Stoneham Library
November 21st, 7PM
19th Century Stoneham:
Smart Workers and Savvy Leaders.**



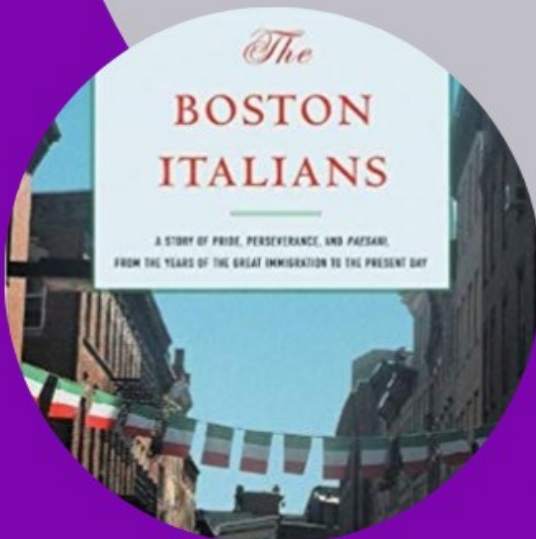
Stoneham's past is filled with the stories of self-made men and women whose achievements were due to their own hard work plus concern for their community. William B. Stevens, the 19th century historian, wrote about affluent business pioneers. Yet there are other narratives of workers and leaders that added spice and dimension to Stoneham's legacy. Join us for a new look at the lives of some remarkable residents such as J.W. Barrett, a house painter, who evolved into a gifted artist and photographer.

This event is free and open to the public.

Stephen Puleo at Stoneham Library Thursday, December 5th, 7PM

Stephen Puleo, author of several books including *The Dark Tide* will join us for a book talk on *The Boston Italians*.

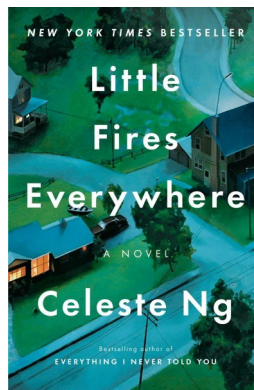
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Steve's books will be available for purchase and signing.

Adult Book Groups

The Library has 2 adult book groups led by Reference Librarian Maureen Saltzman. Please contact Maureen at saltzman@noblenet.org or 781-438-1324 for more information. The Adult book group will be reading *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng. **November 25th, at 7PM.**



The Mystery Group will be reading the Island by Ragnar Jonasson. **November 7th, at 7PM**



Director Nicole Langley is thinking of starting a non-fiction book club. You may email her at Langley@noblenet.org or call 781-438-2198 if you are interested.

November Art Exhibit The Three Graces

Jeannette Corbett, Ruth Camber, and Mary Kelly

Three long time friends painting and exhibiting together over the years like to call themselves The Three Graces after the goddesses from Greek Mythology.

Ruth Camber, a nurse , has painted all her life, and taken many courses in Botanical drawing, and workshops from noted Cape Ann painters. She particularly loves painting scenes of New England in oil and watercolor. Jeannette Corbett, a teacher who grew up in Stoneham, and now resides in Reading, has sketched and painted her whole life, but particularly enjoys it since retirement. She paints both in watercolor and oils, and her subjects vary from thoroughbred racing, tango dancers, and landscaper of New England and Europe.

Mary Kelly has worked tirelessly for local art groups. including Woburn Guild of Artist, and Reading Art Association. Mary has taken many courses and workshops over the years, exhibits along coastal New England, and has won many awards.

