### **Ingleby Barwick Library Newsletter**

# Library News

December 2017

#### **Ingleby Barwick Library**

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#### **Opening Hours**

Monday to Friday: 1.00pm - 8.00pm

Saturday: 9.00am - 5.00pm Sunday: 11.00am - 4.00pm

#### **December Notices**

# Library Opening Hours During the Christmas Period

Saturday 23 December 9am-5pm
Christmas Eve Closed
Christmas Day closed
Boxing Day Closed
27/28/29 December 1pm-5pm
Saturday 30 December 9am-5pm
New Year's Eve (Sunday 31Dec) Closed
New Year's Day (Mon 1 January) Closed
Tuesday 2 January 1pm-8pm

#### JUNIOR & TEEN (11+) READING GROUPS

**Ingleby Barwick Library** 

We are having a Joint 'Christmas Themed'
Session between 5.30-6.30pm on Wednesday 6
December.

There are available spaces from January 2018

Just ask a member of staff for details

# **Library Social Groups**

Knitting Circle – our group makes toys and baby knitwear for sale, with all proceeds going to their chosen charity 'The Great North Air Ambulance'. The group meets Mondays from 2.00pm-4.00pm (excl. last Monday of the month) and Tuesdays from 5.30pm-7.30pm.

Card Making Group - meets on the first Wednesday of the month from 1.15pm-3.15pm. All profits from the sale of the cards go to the Teesside Hospice. The next meeting is Wednesday 6 December.

Adult Reading Groups – There are no meetings in December. Next meetings will be Thursday 11 January and Thursday 25 January 2018 at 6.30pm to discuss the books by John Nicholson (middle) and The Yacobian Building by ALAA al Aswany (End)

If you are interested in joining any of our groups please speak to a member of staff as places are limited..

#### **Children's Activities**

Rhyme Time Sessions – Session dates are: Saturday 2, 9, 23 & 30 December **Booking** essential as places are limited.

Parent & Toddler Group – held in the library every Tuesday and Friday afternoon from 1.30pm-2.30pm. These informal drop-in sessions include - Playtime, Snack, a Story and Songs. Numbers are limited to 15 children per session.

Bedtime Story Time – taking place from 6.00pm – 6.30pm Friday 1, & 15 December Booking is essential as places are limited. PJ's and Teddies optional!

**Homework Club drop-in** – every Monday and Thursday 4.00pm - 6.00pm and Saturday 2.00pm-4.00pm

**Colouring Club drop-in** Sunday afternoons 1pm-2pm

PLEASE NOTE: for all activities children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult/guardian.

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**Local and Family History Groups** – Due to the Christmas holiday period, the December group meeting will be on Monday 18 December between 1.30-3.30pm.

**Drop in Social Afternoon Group** - meets on the first Monday of every month from 1.00pm-2.00pm to discuss books they have enjoyed reading, have coffee and biscuits and make new friends. The next session is Monday 4 December.

#### **Bestseller Book Review**

Adult Paperback Fiction: Need you dead by Peter

James

Adult Hardback Fiction: Origin by Dan Brown
Adult Hardback Non-Fiction: 5 Ingredients – Quick

and Easy Food by Jamie Oliver

**Junior Fiction:** The Book of Dust Vol.1 by La Belle

Sauvage

Reader's Review: Christmas with You - Sheila O'Flanagan

A light hearted romantic novel for over the Christmas season, the book, by this popular author is about the guests who come to stay at Sugar loaf Lodge, in the Irish countryside; and theirs lives during their stay and thereafter. The book is quite an enjoyable read.

# 24 Hour Library

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# **Customer Comments & Stock Suggestion**

If there are any aspects of the libraries or stock suggestions that you believe could improve our services; please inform a member of the staff or email your suggestions to: inglebybarwick.library@stockton.gov.uk Your comments will always be welcome.

We have added some interesting titles to our library stock, including:

SAS Ghost Patrol - Damian Lewis (adult Non Fiction)
Super craft Christmas – 40 Festive Projects (adult Non Fiction)
Christmas with Princess Mirror-Belle - Julia Donaldson (Read Alone)
Ask the Astronaut – Tim Peake (adult Non Fiction)
Christmas with You - Sheila O'Flanagan (Adult Fiction)

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