**Taft Adult article**

**March 2015 Events**

**& New Acquisitions**

**Library Hours**

Sunday – Closed

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Tuesday – 10am-7pm

Wednesday – 10am-7pm

Thursday – 3pm-7pm

Friday – 12pm-5pm

Saturday – 9am-12pm

**Adult Book Club**

All book club meetings are typically at 7pm the first Monday of the month unless it is a holiday.  New members are always welcome to join the group.  Please stop in or call the library (508-473-3259) for more information or to request a copy of the selected book.  Upcoming book club selections are as follows:

March’s discussion: *The Girls of Atomic City* by Denise Kiernan

April’s discussion: Any Walt Whitman poem and a P.D. James book of your choice

**New Friends of the Library Board**

The Friends of the Taft Public Library would like to introduce you to our new Board of Directors:  Gabrielle Porciello, President; Sue Allen, Vice President; Leesa Michael, Treasurer; and Anthony Ball, Clerk. The four of us were appointed to the Board in January and are looking forward to lots of exciting events for 2015. The Friends will meet on the last Friday of every month at 5:30 upstairs in the Library. Come and join in on the fun, to help us strengthen the Library's connection with our community.

**Donate to the Library Relocation Project**

The Friends of the Taft Public Library are asking for your support for the library relocation project by making a tax-deductible donation to the **Taft Library Relocation Fund**. The Rudden Family has generously pledged to match the first $10,000 raised in honor of their recently deceased parents, Georgette and Frank Rudden – both lovers of libraries.

*Double your donation again if your employer has a Matching Gift Program!*

**The library will recognize your donations of at least $100 as you choose:**

1. As a donor of between $100 and $1,000 you will be listed on a Donor Tree on the library’s main floor;
2. As a donor of at least $1,000 you will be recognized on a Donor Wall near the Library entrance;

Or

1. Honor your loved ones by naming a space, collection, or furniture item in recognition of your gift.

Make checks payable to the **Taft Library Relocation Fund** and mail to:

**Friends of the Taft Library, P.O. Box 35, Mendon, MA 01756**

*Note: For a convenient form to include with your donation as well as information on naming opportunities, go to our web site and click on ‘Donate to the Library Relocation Project’ on our home page!*

**Taft Public Library Logo Items for Sale**

The Friends of the Taft Library are selling commemorative Taft tote bags and Taft ornaments in support of the Rudden Challenge Grant, proceeds of which go toward the Taft Library relocation project. Each ornament and bag sports a design created by Mendon resident Sorcha DeFrancesco featuring an image of the current Taft Library. Ornaments are $15.00 and tote bags are $8.00 each and can be purchased at the library.

**Shop Amazon Smile and Support the Library**

The Friends of the Taft Public Library encourage you to follow the link <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-8954886>, sign in to your Amazon account, and shop away! Amazon will generously donate 0.5% of your purchase price to the Taft Public Library!

For more information please go to [http://smile.amazon.com/about/ref=smi\_ge\_ul\_lm\_raas](http://smile.amazon.com/about/ref%3Dsmi_ge_ul_lm_raas).

And thank you for your support!

**New Acquisitions**

Spotlight on. . .Adult Nonfiction!

*Scribe: My Life in Sports* – Bob Ryan

*America’s Bitter Pill: Money, Politics, Backroom Deals, and the Fight to Fix out Broken Healthcare System* – Steven Brill

*How to Cook Everything Fast* – Mark Bittman

*The Life-changing Magic of Tidying Up: The Japanese Art of Decluttering and Organizing* – Marie Kondo

*Deep Down Dark: The Untold Stories of 33 Men Buried in a Chilean Mine, and the Miracle that Set Them Free* – Hector Tobar

*Whipping Boy: The Forty-Year Search for My Twelve-Year Old Bully* – Allen Kurzweil

*The Secret History of Wonder Woman* – Jill Lepore

Movies

*Birdman*

*The Theory of Everything*

*St. Vincent*

*Fury*

*The Interview*

*Dumb and Dumber Too*

*John Wick*

*The Judge*

*Nightcrawler*

*The Homesman*