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Plank Town Presents: Springfilm *Great Soundtracks* November SpringFilm at the Wildish Theater

A FREE monthly film & discussion in downtown Springfield brought to you by Plank Town, the Springfield Library Foundation, and Willamalane

The monthly film and discussion event, **Plank Town Presents: Springfilm** continues its new season: Great Soundtracks! Join us in November for Tim Burton's *The Nightmare Before Christmas*. Through August 2018, *Springfilm* will feature a monthly free screening of a film with a great soundtrack.

Please join us at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, November 2 at the Wildish Theater for a free screening of Tim Burton's *The Nightmare before Christmas*. Composed by Danny Elfman, the soundtrack was nominated for the 1993 Golden Globe for Best Original Score.

Watch the film and stay for a short after-film discussion! The movie and discussion are free to attend. The ongoing film series is presented by Plank Town Restaurant and Brewery and coordinated by a partnership between the Springfield Library, the Springfield Library Foundation, and Willamalane Park and Recreation District. *Springfilm Great Soundtracks* continues at 6:30 p.m. on December 7 with *Rogue One*.

What: Plank Town presents: Springfilm, "Great Soundtracks," screening Tim Burton's *The Nightmare before Christmas*

When: 6:30 p.m. Thursday, November 2

Where: Wildish Theater, 630 Main Street, Springfield, OR

Additional Information: Kristen Cure, 541-726-2232, kcure@springfield-or.gov

Willama-Library Book Group

Discuss: A Wrinkle in Time

Discover why this has become a well-loved children's classic! A winner of many awards, including the prestigious Newberry Medal, this allegorical fantasy about a group of youth setting out to understand the meaning of life and one's place on earth will keep you turning pages and completely enthralled. Even after 55 years, this novel makes an impression and will keep you thinking long after you put it down.

Join the discussion 10:30 a.m., November 7 at Springfield Public Library in the Library Conference Room. This free and open to the public monthly book group is brought to you by the joint efforts of Willamalane Park and Recreation District and Springfield Public Library. No registration is required.

What: Willama-Library Book Group, discuss: *A Wrinkle in Time*

When: 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 7

Where: Library Conference Room, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield, OR 97477

Additional Information: Kristen Curé, 541-726-2232, kcure@springfield-or.gov

“Come Write In” For National Novel Writing Month

Bi-weekly NaNoWriMo write-ins at the Springfield Public Library during November

Now is the time to finish your novel! Join us as we celebrate NaNoWriMo with bi-weekly write-ins from 5:30-7:30 p.m., every Tuesday in the Jesse Main Room and from 1-3 p.m., every Saturday in the Library Meeting Room at the Springfield Public Library, where all events are free and open to the public thanks to our generous sponsors, The Library Foundation.

Write-ins generally last for two hours and people may come and go over the course of the event. Write-ins can often provide inspiration for a bad case of writer's block! Tuesday write-ins are facilitated by Benni and Nancy, NaNoWriMo Municipal Liaisons for Eugene/Lane County. Saturday write-ins are facilitated by Wordcrafters in Eugene.

What: NaNoWriMo Write Ins

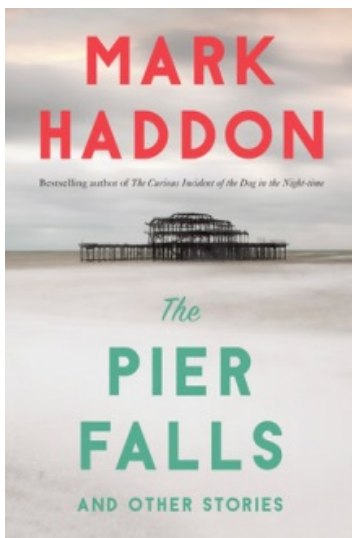
When: Bi-weekly, 5:30 p.m., Tuesdays November 7, 14, 21, 28 and 1 p.m., Saturdays November 4, 11, 18, 25

Where: Tuesdays Jesse Main Room, Saturdays Library Meeting Room, Springfield Public Library, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield OR 97477

Additional Information: Kristen Cure, 541-726-2232, kcure@springfield-or.gov

SATURDAY BOOK GROUP

Book discussion group for Springfield adults continues with six months of short stories



At 1 p.m., Saturday, November 11 the Springfield Library, the Saturday Book Group will meet to discuss *The Pier Falls and Other Stories*. This debut collection of short stories by Mark Haddon, the award-winning author of *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time*, meditates on isolation and loneliness and also on the tenuous and unseen connections that link individuals to each other. The Saturday Book Group meeting in November continues six months of book group discussions of various collections of contemporary short fiction (through March 2018). These book discussions are part of on-going free programs and events for adults at Springfield Public Library. Community members may ask to borrow a copy of the book at the Library's Reference Desk; no library card is required.

The book discussion group is facilitated by Springfield Public Library staff with financial support from the Springfield Library Foundation. The discussion group is for adults and will be held in the Library Conference Room.

The Saturday Book Group will continue at 1 p.m., December 9 with Kelly Link's *Get in Trouble*.

What: Saturday Book Group meeting discussing *The Pier Falls and Other Stories* by Mark Haddon

When: 1 p.m., Saturday, November 11

Where: Library Conference Room, Springfield Public Library, 225 Fifth Street Springfield, OR

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