ADULT ROCKY RIVER **READERS BOOK CLUB**

Thursdays, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. Green Room

February 13

The Nickel Boys

by Colson Whitehead

Based on the true story of a reform school in Florida that operated for over a hundred years and warped the lives of thousands with its history of abuse and torture, this novel is raw, heartbreaking and captivating. Read and come to discuss.



Thursday,

February 27

The Women of Copper Country by Mary Doria Russell

7:00 - 8:00 p.m., Green Room

Palaces for the People

led by Lt. George Lichman.

by Eric Klinenberg

Read this inspiring historical novel about "America's Joan of Arc", Annie Clementsthe courageous woman who started a rebellion by leading a strike against the largest copper

IN THE NEWS BOOK DISCUSSION

Read Palaces for the People to consider

what it means to build a strong community through civic engagement before joining a discussion of ideas

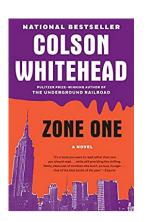
mining company in the world and come to discuss.



FOR THE PEOPLE

ERIC KLINENBERG



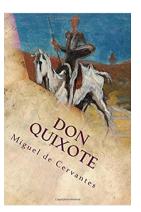






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DISCUSSIONS



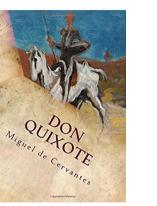


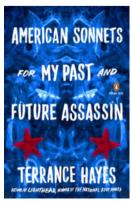




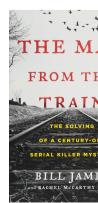
JANUARY -

BOOK









NOVEL SCARES

Thursdays, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m., Green Room

Do you love reading horror? Join us as we discuss wonderful and terrifying fiction of the past and present.

February 20

The Haunting of Hill House by Shirley Jackson

April 2

Zone One by Colson Whitehead







NEW!

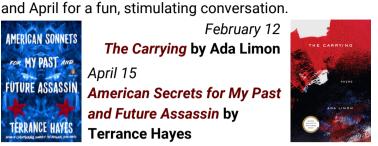
PUB READS

Wednesdays,

7:00 - 8:30 p.m., Rocky River Wine Bar Pub reads is branching out to explore contemporary poetry! Ada Limon and Terrance Hayes address the timely and the timeless in smart, funny, moving poems. Join us at Rocky River Wine Bar in February

AMERICAN SONNETS FOR MY PAST AND FUTURE ASSASSIN TERRANCE HAYES

February 12 The Carrying by Ada Limon April 15 American Secrets for My Past and Future Assassin by



BOOK TALK FOR ADULTS

Fridays, January 3*, February 7, March 6, April 3, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m., Green Room, *Community Room

It's the first Friday of the month & let's talk about books. In January, "not-so-wellness" fiction, February, Presidents in fiction, March, Irish authors in fiction, and April, "money talks" in fiction. Go home with a list of titles so you will be ready to jump into that next great read.

SATURDAY MORNING COMICS

Saturdays,

10:00 - 11:00 a.m., Green Room

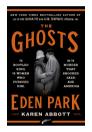
February 1: Graphic Memoirs March 21: Women in Comics

Join us to discuss your favorite comics and graphic novels while enjoying free Erie Island Coffee! Each month we will focus on a topic or theme and patrons are invited to bring along a title to explore. You'll also learn about exciting new releases in graphic novels! Teens welcome.

MEN'S BOOK DISCUSSION

Terrance Hayes

Tuesdays, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.



January 21, Purple Room

The Ghosts of Eden Park: The Bootles King, the Woman Who Pursued Him, and the Murder That Shocked Jazz-Age America by Karen Abbott



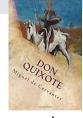
March 17, Green Room The Monster of Florence by Douglas Preston and Michael Blanding

CLASSIC BOOK DISCUSSION

Mondays,

7:00 - 8:30 p.m., Green Room

January 20: Don Quixote, Part 1 March 16: Don Quixote, Part 2



Cervantes' Quixote is probably the first modern novel, from which most of the great novelists came. The friendship between Don Quixote and Sacho Panza is legendary and probably immortal. We could say the novel is about the difference between reality and imagination, but interpretations of Quixote are endless and also very divergent. Join us in reading this classic of classics and come to discuss.