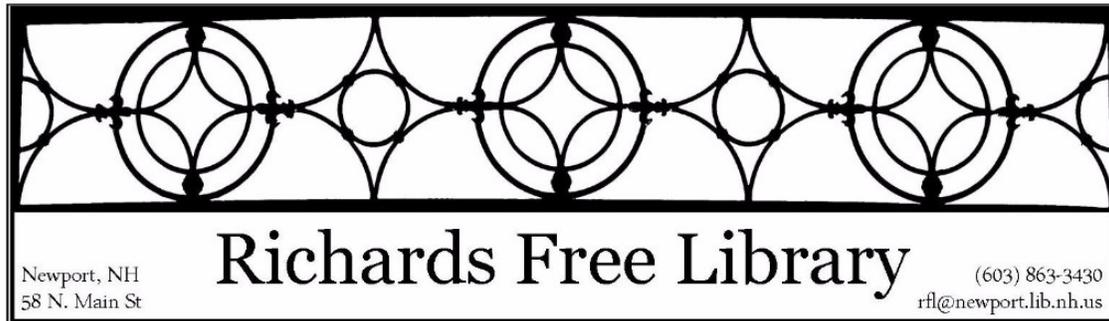


## January 2018 Newsletter

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### The New York Times

in digital format is coming soon to the library! Stay tuned for more information.



### Volunteer of the Year Award

On December 6th, the Richards Free Library presented the 17th annual Pamela Gay Award for Volunteerism to Sandra Sonnichsen at the annual Volunteer Tea.



### New Movies!

All Saints  
Jungle  
Kingsman: The Golden Circle  
Viceroy's House  
Victoria and Abdul  
Wind River



*David Bowie: A Life*  
by Dylan Jones

Sandy volunteers with our archivist collecting, arranging and cataloging the library's collection of Newport history and was involved in digitizing the Newport lantern slides. She has studied Sarah Hale in order to write the definitive defense of Sarah's authorship of the poem Mary's Lamb, submitted Sarah Hale's application to the Women's Hall of Fame, and she was recently interviewed on NHPR's Word of Mouth about Sarah's role in the Thanksgiving holiday. The staff and trustees are grateful for all she does for the library.

The Award is named in memory of Pamela Gay, who volunteered countless hours at the library and exemplified the true spirit of volunteerism not only at the library but

by Jennifer  
Chiaverini

*The House of  
Unexpected Sisters*

by Alexander McCall  
Smith

*How to Cook  
Everything*

*Vegetarian* by Mark  
Bittman

*Year One* by Nora  
Roberts



### Looking for a Book?

Not finding the book you were looking for at the library? Don't forget, you can request that we purchase a new book. If two people make a request for a book, we will purchase it.

Also, you can request older books from another library through Interlibrary loan. You fill out the form online or at the library with the book information and we will try to get it from another library in New Hampshire. It will then be sent to Richards Library and you can keep it for a couple of weeks before returning it to us.

### Hours:

Mon 1 - 6

Tues & Thurs 10 -8

Wed & Fri 10-6

Sat 10-2

### January Closings:

1st - New Year's  
Day

15th - Martin Luther  
King Jr. Day

### Library of Congress

Did you know that the Library of Congress has a [selection of movies](#) you can view online? The National Film Registry is a list of movies deemed "culturally, historically or aesthetically significant" that are earmarked for preservation by the Library of Congress. They are not selected as the "best" American films of all time, but rather as works of enduring importance to American culture. They reflect who we are as a people and as a nation. Take a look at the [website](#).



### 2018 Winter Carnival Parade Float

This year's Winter Carnival theme is "Life is Sweet," and we already have a batch of delicious ideas for our children's parade float here at the library! (We don't want to give away our plans, though! They're too tasty to share.)

**Meeting**

7:00 PM

January 22, 2018

The public is welcome  
to attend.

Children's Librarian, or sending her an email at [mchurchill@newport.lib.nh.us](mailto:mchurchill@newport.lib.nh.us).  
Come help us plan or make costumes and build decorations on January 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> from 2:30 until 4:00, and other days during the first weeks of February.

**What we need:**

- A pickup truck we can decorate! We just need it the morning of Saturday, February 10.
- Helpers and participants! **Note:** *All children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian, and everyone must be dressed for the cold, cold weather.*
- Empty cardboard rolls from wrapping paper.
- Large cardboard boxes/pieces of cardboard.
- Small hay bales for sitting on.
- Brown felt—lots of it!
- Unwanted pool noodles.

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