

The Community Read

Book Club

Dec 2023 to March 4, 2024

The Community Read Book Club is for adult readers interested in exploring different genres, writing styles, subjects and getting involved with community literacy. All community members are encouraged to participate! No Library Card Required.

For information on how you can get involved, please contact the library at 541-889-6371.

This program sponsored by:

The Ontario Community Library, Friends of the Ontario Community Library and Various Community Members.

**Library Books
Now Available at the Library**

Book Discussion: March 4 at 6 pm



Ontario Community Library

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Featured Book

The Midnight Library by Matt Haig



Somewhere out beyond the edge of the universe, **between life and death**, there is a library that contains an infinite number of books, each one the story of another reality. **Every book provides a chance to try another life you could have lived.** One tells the story of your life as it is, and next to it another book for another life you could have lived if your life choices had been different, and **the shelves go on forever.** While we all wonder how our lives might have been, what if you had the chance to see for yourself? Would any of these other lives truly be better?

The *Midnight Library* is the story of Nora Seed. Who finds herself faced with just this decision, changing her life for a new one, following a different career, undoing old breakups, realizing her dreams; she must search within herself as she travels through the Midnight Library to decide what is truly fulfilling in life, and what makes it worth living in the first place. This New York Times #1 bestselling book has won several awards and "Best Book" notations from groups around the world.

Author Matt Haig has several other books including *How to Stop Time*, *The Humans*, *The Radleys*, and the soon to be released *The Life Impossible*. He has also written books for children, such as *A Boy Called Christmas*, and the memoir *Reasons to Stay Alive*. Matt Haig is an English author and journalist. His writing style is distinct and understandable, easily moving between life's moments of laughable whimsy and the darker misery that can plague us. (Information obtained from Goodreads and Amazon.com)

Genres: Time Travel Fiction, Literature and Fiction.

Available on Audio CD, Audible and Kindle as well as written novel.

Listening Length – 8 Hours and 50 minutes - unabridged. 304 pages

"A feel-good book guaranteed to lift your spirits."—*The Washington Post*