

Library Hours:

	Middlebury	East Middlebury
Monday	9-7	
Tuesday	9-7	9-12
Wednesday	9-7	
Thursday	9-7	2-6
Friday	9-5	
Saturday	9-4	9-12
Sunday	Closed	

# Inklings

- news and events -

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**Don Quixote of La Mancha: The Novel That Invented Modernity**  
**May 3, 7 p.m.**



Celebrated literary critic and author Ilan Stavans considers the impact of the masterful Don Quixote in the 401st anniversary year of Cervantes' death.

**Classic Films of the 1950s**  
**May 10,**  
**10:30 a.m.**  
**Speaker: Rick Winston**



The 1950s were a fascinating time for Hollywood films. The studio system was in decline and independent films were gaining a foothold. New stars such as Marlon Brando, Montgomery Clift, James Dean, and Audrey Hepburn were making their mark; vital issues of the time such as juvenile delinquency, conformity, and racial attitudes were addressed, however timidly, while the shadow of the Hollywood blacklist loomed. Rick Winston will show clips from several acclaimed films of various genres from that era and discuss their significance. Sponsored by the Addison County Retired Teachers Association.

**Burlington Writers Workshop at Ilsley**  
**Wednesday, May 17 & May 31**  
**6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

The Middlebury branch of the Burlington Writers Workshop is open to writers in all genres and all levels of experience. The workshop process focuses on how all participants can improve and develop their writing through the workshop process. More information is available at <http://burlingtonwritersworkshop.com/middlebury/>

**Technology Help**  
**Mondays & Wednesdays**  
**Until May 10, 11 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

**Spanish Conversation**  
**Tuesdays, 11 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.**

This group is open to all interested in practicing their Spanish. Participants should have a comfortable level of speaking, as all conversation will be in Spanish.

**Used Book Sale**  
**Saturday, May 6**  
**11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**Cuba Today**  
**Tuesday, May 16,**  
**7 p.m.**  
**Tami Munford**

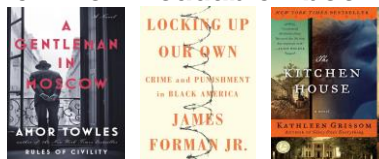


Middlebury educator and author Tami Munford will share photos and experiences from her multiple trips to Cuba. Tami learned Spanish in Caracas, Venezuela, where she lived from 1984 to 1989. She traveled to Cuba for the first time in 2014 with Burlington College to learn about the Cuban educational system. In 2015 she became the director of Cuba Programs at Burlington College. Working with the University of Havana, Tami spent from January to May of 2016 living in Vedado, Cuba. Tami has also written and illustrated a children's book that offers a portrait of life in contemporary Cuba.

**Explore the night sky with the Library Telescope**

The library recently purchased an Orion StarBlast 4.5" telescope. Ilsley cardholders who are 18 or older can borrow the telescope for a week at a time.

**New Downloadable Ebooks & Audiobooks**



**New Summer Hours Beginning in May**  
**Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.**  
**Fridays, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.**  
**Saturdays 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.**  
**Sundays, closed**

**Summer Reading Program, Not just for Kids**  
 Each year Ilsley Youth Services offers a reading program. This year adults are invited to participate too. The program runs from Monday, June 19th through Saturday, August 19th. Sign-up begins June 1<sup>st</sup>. Readers are asked to read books outside their comfort zone (for example, books in different formats they would usually pick up, books on topics unlike what they normally read about, etc.). Participants will write reviews and earn raffle tickets for prizes—just like the children's program.

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