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WINTER READING PROGRAM

There are a few more weeks of winter ahead. Join the Winter Reading Program and fill those days by reading some great books. The theme is "Innovation @ Your Library: Celebrating Louis Braille, Enterprise & Trailblazing." Sign up today and read ten books from the reading guide by March 15 to be entered into a multiple prize drawing. The reading guide is full of books about inventors, trailblazers, history makers, and much more. Call your reader advisor for more information or visit our website at www.mitbc.org to download forms and reading guide.

CIRCULATION SYSTEM UPGRADE

We are transitioning to a new circulation system in order to serve you better. The upgrade will take place in March and there will be a slight disruption of service. We are excited about the new system. Reader Advisors will send out extra books to you before the changeover and extended due dates will be in effect. Please call us at 1-800-426-0709 for more information.

HAVE YOU TRIED A PLAYAWAY?

Playaways are portable, pre-loaded digital audio books that do not require any downloading or computer expertise. They fit in your purse or pocket and are great for travel, trips to the doctor, and taking with you around the house. The collection is small but growing. Call the Talking Book Center today to ask for a catalog or to find out more. These titles were recently added:

China Lake by Meg Gardiner
Cry No More by Linda Howard
The Express by Robert Gallagher

The Curious Case of Benjamin Button by F. Scott Fitzgerald

Killer Weekend by Ridley Pearson

Lawman by Diana Palmer

Move to Strike by Perri O'Shaughnessy

Rogue by Danielle Steel

TailSpin by Catherine Coulter

Dewey by Vicky Myron

EMAIL YOUR READER ADVISOR

Your reader advisor is always available to take book orders and answer questions by email. If you or a friend or family member would like to send email, here are the addresses:

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THANK YOU

Thanks to all who sent donations to the Talking Book Center during the holiday season. Donations make our services more accessible to potential users and are welcome at any time of year.

NEW BOOKS

The Talking Book Center receives new books every day. Give your reader advisor a call to find out what is new in the talking book collection. Here is a list of recent arrivals.

Books with an asterisk (*) may contain some strong language, explicit descriptions of sex, or violence.

___RC64703 Spark on the Prairie: A Guns and Gavel Novel * by Johnny D. Boggs

___RC64542 The Water's Lovely by Ruth Rendell

___RC66092 The Summons: A Peter Diamond Mystery * by Peter Lovesey

___RC67011 Bowled Over: A Maggie Kelly Mystery * by Kasey Michaels

___RC66121 The Purrfect Murder: a Mrs. Murphy Mystery by Rita Mae Brown and Sneaky Pie Brown

___RC66271 So Faux, So Good: A Den of Antiquity Mystery * by Tamar Myers

___RC66749 Odd Hours * by Dean Koontz

___RC66608 Manhunt: The Last Gunfighter, Book 10 * by William W.

Johnstone

___RC66461 Dead Ex * by Harley Jane Kozak

___RC65930 The Ever-Running Man: Sharon McCone Mystery * by Marcia
Muller

___RC67221 Obedience * by Will Lavender

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