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## From the Director's Desk

Happy Holidays from the library staff and Board! We will be continuing our Warm Up Putnam tree this year, as we have in years past. Warm items (such as mittens, hats, scarves and socks) will be donated to the Family Resource Center and Daily Bread Clothing Closet after the holidays. Please place your donations in the box under the tree in the foyer in front of the library. Thank you from all of us for helping to keep all in our community warm!

One of the changes in our new incarnation is that our microfilm and the microfilm reader have been moved up to the Aspinock historical center. If you would like to look for historical information they have the Putnam Patriot/Windham County Observer in both microfilm and hard copy. The Aspinock is open Tuesday through Thursday from 10 am-2 pm and the second and fourth Saturday of the month from 10 am-12 pm.

You will love looking at their displays from Putnam of yesteryear—it's so amazing!



We will be closed on December 24 and 25, as well as closing at 3 pm on New Year's Eve and all day on New Year's Day. Make sure to stock up on your reading material before the long holiday weekend.

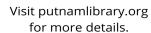
As we move into the winter months we have to think about possible closures due to snow. Please listen to WINY radio or check our Facebook page for those alerts. Keep warm!



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## Digital Library





# Acrylic Painting Workshop: Gnomes for the Holiday



Saturday, December 18 12-2:30 pm

Registration limited – call 860-963-6826



### Our Mission Statement

The Putnam Public Library serves the needs of the community by providing free access to a diversity of ideas, information and experiences with the goal of promoting the love of reading, the joy of lifelong learning and engagement with the arts, sciences and humanities.

Library Hours: Monday-Thursday 10 am-8 pm Friday 10 am-5 pm Saturday 10 am-3 pm

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# Librar\ **Public** Putnam



**Tina's Story Time** is wrapping up. The last classes are <u>December 16th & 17th</u> for those that are registered!! New sessions are being planned for February, stay tuned!

Tina's Tiny Tots, ages birth - 3, will begin in February!

For those signed up, **December's Craft To Go** Pickup is December 20th - 23rd.

Sign ups will be available in December for January Craft To Go!

Our new Teen Librarian has been hired...

Come by and welcome Taylor Copeland!

She is learning the ropes and will be offering programs soon.

Taylor will be working Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings as well as Saturdays from 10-3.

## New Books

A Man of Honor- Barbara Taylor Bradford Jane Austin's Lost Letters— Jane K. Cleland Sharpe's Assassin— Bernard Cornwell The Good Widow— Jennifer Katz
The Man Who Died Twice— Richard Osman Book of Form and Emptiness— Ruth Ozeki The Therapist— BA Paris
The Paris Detective— James Patterson Our Country Friends— Gary Shteyngart Criminal Mischief— Stuart Woods

## New DVDs

Black Widow
The Crown: Season 4
Dear Evan Hansen
A Man Called Ove
My Old Lady
No Time to Die
One Royal Holiday
Zack Snyder's Justice League



# Putnam Public Library Book Discussion

A Man Called Ove by Fredrick Backman December 8, 2021 5:30 pm Check out our downloadable audio, ebooks and magazines!

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