One Maryland One Book 2012

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One Maryland One Book 2012 Invitation for Book Discussions

Maryland Center for the Book (MCFB), a program of the Maryland Humanities Council, will continue the statewide community reading program called One Maryland/One Book. *The Cellist of Sarajevo* by Steven Galloway is the selection for One Maryland One Book 2012.

The title refers to the true story of a cellist who played Albinoni's *Adagio in G Minor* once a day for 22 days in the street, to honor the 22 victims who died in a mortar attack while waiting in a bread line. It brilliantly explores how war can change one's definition of humanity, how music affects our emotional endurance, and how a romance with the rituals of daily life can itself be a form of resistance. Participating branches in this community read are as follows:

ACCOKEEK BRANCH Wednesday, Oct. 10, 7:30 pm

BELTSVILLE BRANCH Tuesday, Oct. 16, 2 pm

BOWIE BRANCH Wednesday, Sept. 12, 7:15 pm

GREENBELT BRANCH Saturday, Oct. 6, 3 pm

HYATTSVILLE BRANCH Saturday, Nov. 3, 3 pm

LAUREL BRANCH Tuesday, Oct. 25, 7:30 pm

OXON HILL BRANCH Tuesday, Oct. 9, 2 pm

SPAULDINGS BRANCH Wednesday, Oct. 10, 2 pm

SURRATTS-CLINTON BRANCH *Afternoon Tea Book Discussion* Tuesday, Oct. 9, 2:30 pm

RIDERWOOD RETIREMENT COMMUNITY Monday, Dec. 3, 10 am
***Village Square Classroom*, 3140 Gracefield Road, Silver Spring, MD 20904**

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