

READ SAINT PAUL BRAVE

*Bringing Saint Paul
Together Through Stories*

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When we read together – when a grandfather reads to a granddaughter, when a teacher reads to a classroom, when a parent reads to a child, when a sister reads to a brother, when everyone in the same town reads the same book ... **we are taken out of our aloneness. Together we see the world. Together we see one another. We connect.** And when we connect, we are changed.


- Kate DiCamillo, author

the opportunity

- Engage Saint Paulites in brave conversations around stories
- Build empathy and awareness around issues relevant to our city
- Break down invisible borders between generations, cultures, and neighborhoods

why read brave?

- Awareness
- Empathy
- Community
- Love of reading
- Connection to libraries

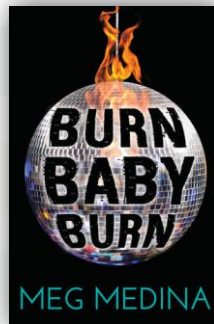


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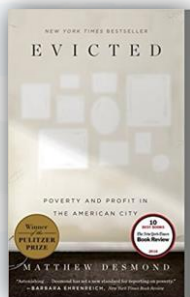
Our goal: Engage
5,000 people in
Read Brave Saint
Paul

THEME: HOUSING

YA NOVEL



NONFICTION
PICK



SCHOOL
AGE PICK

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PICTURE
BOOK
PICK

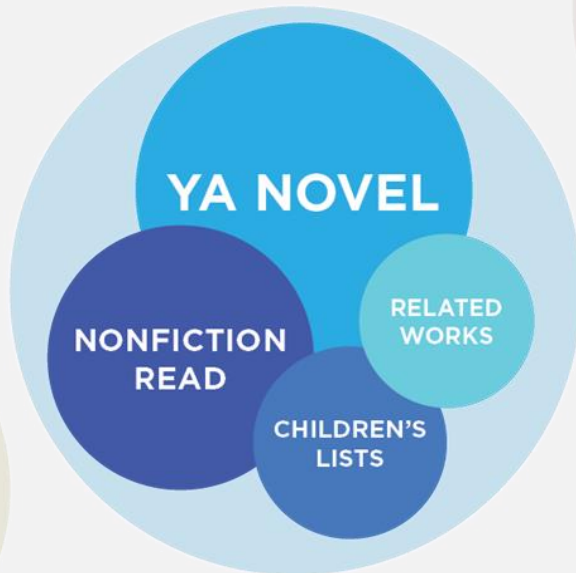
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READING



PARTNERSHIPS



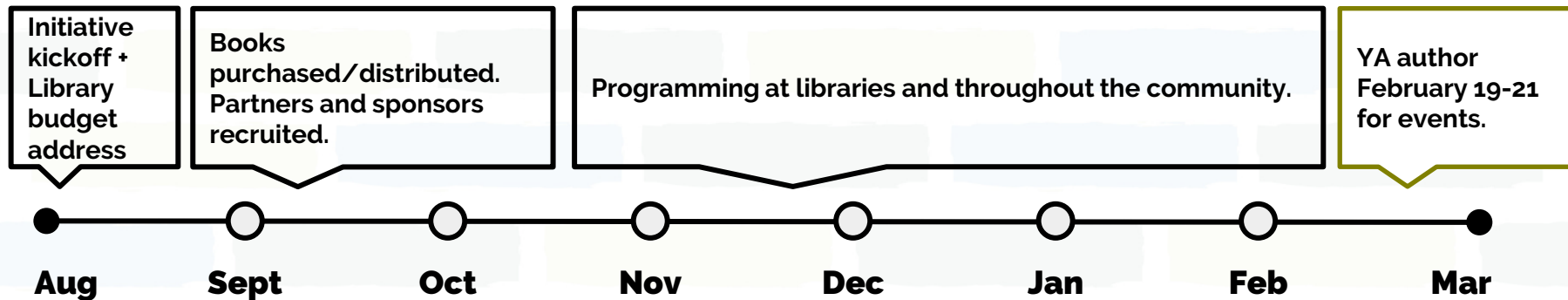
DIGITAL RESOURCES



PROGRAMMING



timeline





Daniel José Older @djolder · 2 Mar 2017

Spoke to two more great groups of Saint Paulites today. This kids truly make the future seem way less bleak. #ReadBrave



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Alison Rahman @AlisonRahman · 11 Feb 2016

OWL students are eating up the #ReadBrave book! @StPaulOpen @stpaullibrary @marburyjack @owlkevinhansen



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We can offer...

- Books – for checkout or to keep
- Discussion guides
- Promotional bookmarks, buttons, & more
- Event listings on the Read Brave website
- Meeting room space

Register as a partner

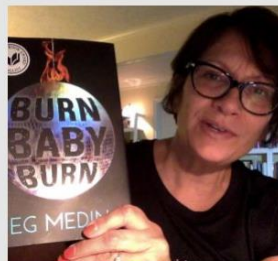


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VIDEO

'Hello' from Meg Medina »

Meg Medina talks about "Burn Baby Burn," her own life story, and previews her upcoming trip to Minnesota from February 19-21, 2019.



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COMMUNITY PARTNERS



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THE 2019 THEME IS **HOUSING**

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First Name

Last Name

Organization

Interests

- ☐ News & Events
- ☐ Educator Updates
- ☐ Community Partner Updates

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