

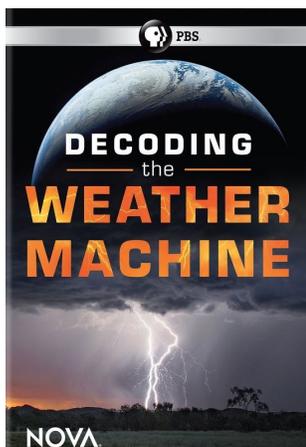
A Virtual Program



The Reel Movie Discussion April and May 2021

Watch the films first, at your leisure, and then join a virtual discussion to share your thoughts! To reserve physical copies of the films, if available, please call your local branch to place a hold. Pick up in person *or* use the Library's door-side service. Remember to check the Library website for current service hours.

These sessions will be conducted on a virtual platform and are free of charge. Registration and internet access are required to attend. Register on our website's **Upcoming Events** list to receive emailed information on how to access the discussion. The link will be emailed the business day prior to the program between 3:00 and 4:00 pm, after registration closes at noon. *These films can also be viewed through select streaming platforms.*



Wednesday, April 14 at 10:30 am

NOVA: Decoding the Weather Machine (2018) (TV-PG) In Celebration of Earth Day

In this two-hour documentary, *NOVA* cuts through the confusion around climate change - disastrous hurricanes, widespread droughts and wildfires, withering heat, and extreme rainfall - to discover why scientists overwhelmingly agree that human activity is changing our climate, as well as how and when it will affect us through the weather we experience. Scientists from around the world embark on a quest to better understand the workings of the weather and the climate machine we call Earth, as we discover how to be resilient - and even thrive - in the face of enormous change. *Discussion will be held on Zoom.*

Documentary - 1 hour and 53 minutes - Available to view on Access Video on Demand with your valid Library card
The Resilient Communities: Libraries Respond to Climate Change is a pilot program of the American Library Association
Co-sponsored by the Monmouth County Library and Moderated by Donna Mansfield, Eastern Branch

Thursday, April 29 at 10:30 am

Wild Mountain Thyme (2020) (PG-13)

Headstrong farmer Rosemary Muldoon has her heart set on winning her neighbor Anthony Reilly's love. The problem is, Anthony seems to have inherited a family curse, and remains oblivious to his beautiful admirer. Stung by his father Tony's plans to sell the family farm to his nephew, Anthony is jolted into pursuing his dreams in this comedic, moving and wildly romantic tale, set in the beautiful Irish countryside. Starring Emily Blunt, Jamie Dornan, Jon Hamm, and Christopher Walken. *Discussion will be held on Cisco Webex.*

Drama/Romance - 1 hour and 43 minutes Moderated by Kristen Harvey, Library HQ



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Thursday, May 13 at 10:30 am

The King's Speech (2010) (R)

This four-time Oscar-Winning film is the story of King George VI of Britain, his impromptu ascension to the throne, and the speech therapist who helped the unsure monarch become worthy of it. Starring Colin Firth, Geoffrey Rush, Helena Bonham Carter, and Sir Derek Jacobi. *Discussion will be held on Cisco Webex.*

Biography/Drama/History - 1 hour and 58 minutes Moderated by Kristen Harvey, Library HQ



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