

## Boone County Public Library

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

### **Civil War Discussion Series Begins at Boone County Public Library**

--Burlington, KY. Archaeologist Jeannine Kreinbrink, from the James A. Ramage Civil War Museum, will lead an in-depth discussion series at Boone County Public Library, 1786 Burlington Pike, on the issues and controversies surrounding the Civil War. This five-part monthly series, called "Let's Talk About It: Making Sense of the Civil War," features readings of historical fiction and interpretation, speeches, diaries, memoirs, biographies, and short stories.

The series will run from November through March and all meetings will be held on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m:

- November 2: Imagining War: Discuss *March* by Geraldine Brooks.
- December 7: Choosing Sides: Discuss chapters from *America's War* edited by Edward L. Ayers.
- January 4: Making Sense of Shiloh: Discuss chapters from *America's War* edited by Edward L. Ayers.
- February 1: The Shape of War: Discuss *Crossroad of Freedom: Antietam* by James M. McPherson.
- March 7: War and Freedom: Discuss chapters from *America's War* edited by Edward L. Ayers.

Copies of the reading materials are available for check out in the Local History area of the Main Library in Burlington. They can be placed on reserve to be sent to any BCPL branch. To receive a free packet of discussion materials, please register online at: [www.bcpl.org](http://www.bcpl.org).

Boone County Public Library was one of two Kentucky public libraries selected to receive an American Library Association (ALA) grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities to host the series, "Let's Talk About It: Making Sense of the American Civil War."

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