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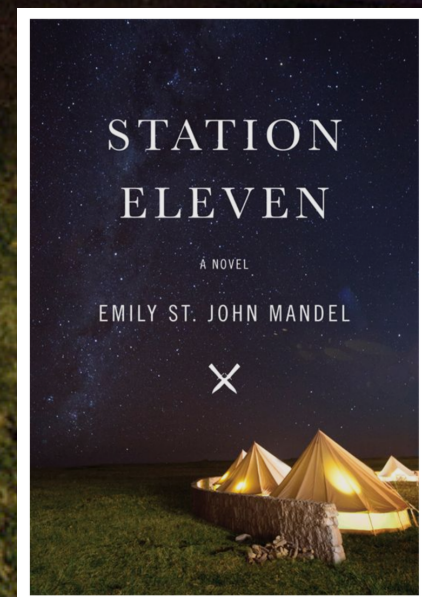
# Big Read

October 1 – November 15

## STATION ELEVEN

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EMILY ST. JOHN MANDEL



# Programs & Events

## ADULTS

**Big Read Murder Mystery**  
Come for a night of fun, food, and mystery-solving in the library as we delve into a mystery based in a post-apocalyptic world.  
7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 6 in the Community Room. **Registration required**

**Book discussions.** Join us as we discuss the many facets of Emily St. John Mandel's *Station Eleven*.  
7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 8 & 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 27. in the Frank Fanning Conference Room.

**Read & Watch.** We will be reading "The Hot Zone" by Richard Preston and watching the movie adaptation ("Outbreak"). Come to the front desk at the library to check out a book and sign up for the movie. This movie is rated R. Lunch will be provided. Noon-2:30 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 8 in the Community Room. **Registration required**

## KIDS

**Big Read Storytime** (for preschoolers) We'll read "The Library Book" by Tom Chapin and have lots of other library-related fun, including songs and games.  
10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 23 in the Early Literacy Area.

**Tween Big Read Escape Room** (3rd-5th grade) The flu pandemic has hit! Can you unlock the cure?  
Escape rooms at 1, 1:30, 2, and 2:30 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3 in the Community Room. **Registration required**

**Big Read Tweens book discussion** "The Last Kids on Earth" (3rd-6th grade) Come have some fun with other 3rd-6th graders talking about "The Last Kids on Earth" by Max Brallier. What would it be like to be one of the last kids on earth? 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 27 in the Frank Fanning Conference Room.

## TEENS

**The Last Writing Challenge on Earth.** Teens are welcome to participate in our post-apocalyptic writing challenge. Teens in grades 6-12 can write a minimum-2,000-word short story, poem collection, or play set in a world destroyed by sickness. **Writing challenge runs Oct. 1-Oct. 31.**

**The Resistance.** Join us to play the epic card game, *The Resistance!* A tyrannical government has taken over the world, but a group of freedom fighters form the Resistance to defeat them. The problem is a spy lurks in their ranks. Who will you trust and who will you betray? 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 16 in the Community Room.

**Live Action Pandemic.** The brilliant board game *Pandemic* comes to life at this Teen Tuesday event. You and your team of professionals must battle against a raging disease that threatens to destroy the world. Can you cure the illness before the outbreak? 4 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 6 in the Community Room.

