The following programs will be available online beginning at the time listed, and will continue to be available indefinitely thereafter.

Main Event: Author Anne Griffin
Sunday, May 3 | 4:00 p.m. online
Deschutes Public Library hosts a presentation by Anne Griffin for the final event of “A Novel Idea ...Read Together.” Tune in live for Griffin’s presentation 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, May 3. To join the event live, visit www.deschuteslibrary.org/calendar/event/59512 after April 27 for a URL to view the presentation.

Chris Sepic Performs Irish Music
Listen to traditional Irish reels and jigs on flute, bouzouki, and bodhrán, and learn a bit about the music. Chris Sepic plays traditional Irish music in Central Oregon and the greater PNW as Wood & Silver. Learn more about Chris and his music at woodandsilvermusic.com. Stream on YouTube and Facebook beginning at 3:00 p.m., April 5.

Literary Trivia
Book geeks and homebodies unite in this literature trivia night brought to you by Deschutes Public Library online. Use the link https://zoom.us/j/182340365 to attend the Zoom event. Participate at 5:00 p.m., April 7, at https://zoom.us/j/182340365

History, Literature, and Memory in 20th-century Ireland
Dr. David Campion explores the intersection of history, literature and memory in Ireland from the first performance in 1902 of W.B. Yeats’ controversial play Cathleen ni Houlihan to the Good Friday Peace Agreement in Northern Ireland in 1998. Stream on YouTube and Facebook beginning at 1:00 p.m., April 19.

Travels in the Emerald Isle
Join us for an armchair exploration of Ireland’s countryside, towns and cities with librarian Julie Bowers. Julie traveled to Ireland last year. She will share her experiences and discuss getting around, lodging, historical sites and pubs. Follow this link after April 20 for a URL to view this presentation: www.deschuteslibrary.org/calendar/event/58524

A Conversation About Memoir with Beth Alvarado and Ellen Santasiero
Join two memoirists in conversation. Hear about some of their favorite works, how you go about writing memoir, where to start, why memoir is important, and what they are telling their students about writing memoir right now. Follow this link after April 22 for a URL to view this workshop: www.deschuteslibrary.org/calendar/event/59077

Irish Soda Bread Workshop
Learn the step-by-step process of making a delicious loaf of Irish Soda Bread as well as its importance and history. Led by Elizabeth Guerin, who teaches cheese- and bread-making for several community groups. Follow this link after April 23 for a URL to view this workshop: www.deschuteslibrary.org/calendar/event/59051

Demystifying Dyslexia
The narrator of When All Is Said is a successful farmer and businessman. But his struggles with dyslexia as a boy instilled a deep sense of shame that he worked to compensate for as an adult. Sharon Bellusci will provide an accurate, myth-free, understanding of dyslexia and talk about the experiences of people with dyslexia, parents of dyslexic kids, and educators who specialize in teaching children with dyslexia. Follow this link after April 28 for a URL to view this presentation: www.deschuteslibrary.org/calendar/event/58729

Book Clubs
Join a library-led book club and discuss When All Is Said.
- April 8 | 10:00 a.m. | Participate at https://zoom.us/j/410484428
- April 9 | noon | Participate at https://zoom.us/j/444627795
- April 16 | noon | Participate at https://zoom.us/j/595922100