

**69 ★ A Night with Jeffery Deaver**

Part of the Dennis L. Bruce Author Series

December 6th at 7pm at Headquarters, Upper Floor

Lauded thriller writer Jeffery Deaver will be in Spartanburg to promote his latest novel in the bestselling Lincoln Rhyme series, *The Watchmaker's Hand*. The event area will open at 6:30pm. The library will give away a limited number of copies of *The Watchmaker's Hand* to celebrate, and Deaver will sign books after the event.

**69 ★ Chautauqua: Major-General Nathanael Greene**

January 11th at 3pm and 7pm at Headquarters, Barrett Room

Come learn about the life of the talented military strategist and Continental Army General Nathanael Greene at SCPL winter edition of Chautauqua. The general will discuss major events of his life including his time on the front lines of the American War for Independence.

**69 ★ A Night with Elayne Audrey Becker**

January 25th at 5:30pm at Middle Tyger

Fantasy novelist Elayne Audrey Becker is inspired by the world around her, and writes stories that merge together her passions for history, myth, mountains and magic. Becker will speak about her novel *Forestborn*, her writing process, and her previous work as an Assistant Editor at Macmillan.

**69 ★ A Night with R.F. Kuang**

January 26th at 7pm at Headquarters, Upper Floor

Nebula Award-winner R.F. Kuang has written historical fantasy, dark academia and literary fiction, and was recently added to the 2023 Time100 Next list. Her most recent work, *Yellowface*, is a riotous novel written in first-person that dives into questions of diversity, racism, and cultural appropriation.



Advance registration required. Check our website for details.  
ASL interpreters will be present at these author events and the 3 p.m. performance of Chautauqua.



# ADULT WINTER READING 2024

Complete any six of the ten challenges below, then bring this card to your local library to claim your bird feeder!\*

\*While supplies last

Read a graphic novel

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Read a book set in a place you've never visited before

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Read or listen to a staff suggestion

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Read or listen to a book of your choice

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Read or listen to a book by an author you've never read before

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Read or listen to a book by an author visiting SCPL during Adult Winter Reading

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