

# JOIN THE CHALLENGE!

*Shepherdstown Public Library is challenging patrons ages 14–19 to read twenty (20) books over the course of 2021.*

*Any book, any length. Yes, class assignments count! And audiobooks, too! And that book your little brother wants you to read to him for the hundredth time!*

*Y/A Reading Challenge:*

**20** *over* **21**

*Read 20 books in 2021!*

*A Teen Reading Program by  
Shepherdstown Public Library*

*Confirm that you're participating by emailing the Youth Services librarian:  
[tish.wiggs@martin.lib.wv.us](mailto:tish.wiggs@martin.lib.wv.us)*

*Submit your completed Reading Log by December 17, 2021. Then join us on December 18 for our **YULE BALL!***

*Come dressed as your favorite book character. (Parents & siblings are invited.) Prizes will be awarded & goody bags available for all participants.*

*We're here to help!*

*Follow us on Facebook & Instagram (@shepherdstownlibrary) for booklists & monthly themes.*

*In addition, the librarians will send out a monthly email to check on your progress.*

## THE FINE PRINT:

- 1. Participants must be between the ages of 14 and 19.*
- 2. Participants can begin the challenge at any point during the year. Twenty books must be completed by December 17 in order for the participant to be entered into prize drawings.*
- 3. Participants must complete at least 75% of each book recorded on the log. (We understand—sometimes a book just doesn't interest you. But you have to give it a chance for it to count towards the challenge.)*
- 4. Participants must read the book themselves. Read-alouds to others DO count!*
- 5. Length of book does not matter. Books do not have to come from the library.*
- 6. Finally, this challenge is meant to be fun. Don't stress! Just be proud that you tried.*