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ONE BOOK, ONE CITY

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Catch-22

noun

1. a problematic situation for which the only solution is denied by a circumstance inherent in the problem or by a rule. (i.e. the show-business catch-22—no work unless you have an agent, no agent unless you've worked.)
2. an illogical, unreasonable, or senseless situation
3. a measure or policy whose effect is the opposite of what was intended
4. a situation presenting two equally undesirable alternatives

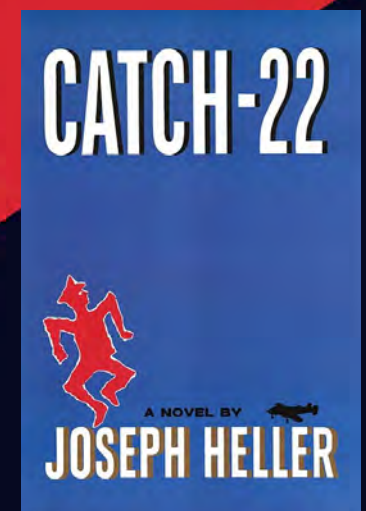
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2019 ONE BOOK ONE CITY EVENTS

A LOOK AT JOSEPH HELLER AND HIS WORK

Saturday, February 2 at 1:00 pm

Join Rich Procter, Senior Writer for BRC Imagination Arts and contributing writer to “A Prairie Home Companion,” as he brings an in-depth look at Joseph Heller to kick off our OBOC events.

CATCH-22 OFF THE PAGE AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Monday, February 4 at 7:00 pm

Enjoy a reading of the stage adaptation of *Catch-22*, directed by new Playhouse Associate Artistic Director C. Julian White, at the Sierra Madre Playhouse.

DISCUSS THIS YEAR'S ONE BOOK ONE CITY SELECTION AT THIRD THURSDAY BOOK CLUB

Thursday, February 21 at 11:00 am

Enjoy a riveting discussion with your friends and unpack the magic of Joseph Heller's riveting classic, *Catch-22*.

HBO DOCUMENTARY WORLD PREMIER—*THE COLD BLUE*

Saturday, February 16 at 1:00 pm

Join us at City Hall Council Chambers to watch the world premiere of *The Cold Blue* by Erik Nelson—an HBO documentary about the making of *Memphis Belle*.

THE MEMPHIS BELLE SCREENING

Saturday, February 16 at 3:00 pm

Continue our double-feature at City Hall as we watch *The Memphis Belle*, a compelling documentary, portraying the last surviving B-17 pilots who were interviewed about what it was like to fly bomber missions in WWII.

WAR CARD GAME TOURNAMENT FOR TEENS

Wednesday, February 20 at 4:00 pm

Teens—Play the card game “War” in a tournament for prizes.

AMERICAN MILITARY MUSEUM TOUR

Saturday, February 23 at 11:00 am

Drive yourself and bring a friend to the American Military Museum, located at 1918 Rosemead Blvd., in South El Monte.

