

# Join the TBBC Winter Reading Challenge: Chilly Chapters!

Talking Book and Braille Center

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The Talking Book and Braille Center (TBBC) is excited to invite adult patrons aged 18 and over to participate in the Chilly Chapters Winter Reading Challenge (WRC). This eight-week challenge will run from **January 6, 2025, to February 28, 2025**, encouraging participants to engage in reading during the winter months.



## Registration Details

Participants can register for the WRC from December 2, 2024, to December 23, 2024. Registration is free and can be completed by contacting Liz Kelly via:

- Phone: (800) 792-8322 ext. 805
- Email: [lkelly@njstatelib.org](mailto:lkelly@njstatelib.org)

Upon registration, participants will receive:

- A comprehensive packet with challenge rules.
- Curated lists of recommended books.
- A reading log to track their reading progress.

**The first 75 patrons to register will receive a TBBC logo gift!**

## Reading Program Details

- Duration: January 6, 2025 – February 28, 2025
- Eligibility: Adults (18+) registered with NJSL Talking Book and Braille Center.

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\* FOR ADULT PATRONS REGISTERED WITH TBBC \*

- Reading Log Submission: Participants must submit their completed reading logs by March 1, 2025. Logs can be submitted via:
  - Email: Send a photo or a list of read books to [lkelly@njstatelib.org](mailto:lkelly@njstatelib.org).
  - Mail: Ensure logs are postmarked by February 28, 2025 (participants must provide their own postage).
  - Phone: Consult with a Readers Advisor to add titles to the reading log.

## Prizes

All registered participants who report reading at least one book will receive one entry into a prize drawing for \$100 Visa Gift Card. Additional entries can be earned as follows:

- 2 Entries: For the top 10 patrons who read the most books.
- 3 Entries: For the top 5 readers.
- “Most books read” Prize: A tactile chess set will be awarded to the participant with the highest number of books read.

## Prize Drawing

The drawing will take place on Friday March 14, 2025, with winners notified by email or phone. Results will also be announced in the Spring issue of the TBBC Newsletter.

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