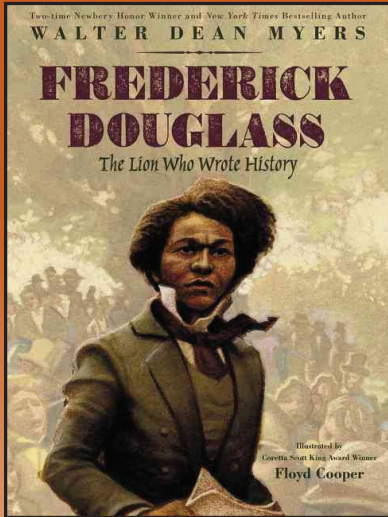




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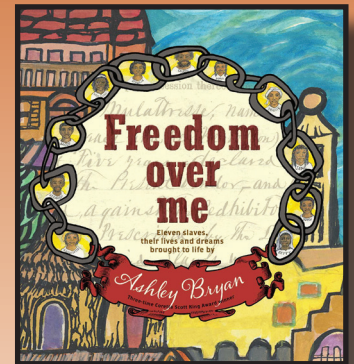


The Monroe Family YMCA is partnering with the Monroe Branch Library to bring you:



# Monroe Reads to End Racism

Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>  
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.



*For  
young people  
and their  
families.*

at the  
Monroe Branch Library Children's Room  
809 Monroe Avenue, Rochester, NY

## ***What does freedom mean to you? What are your future dreams?***

This program will address matters of race, dreams, and freedom, in celebration of the 200th anniversary of Frederick Douglass' birth. This community program series promotes racial justice through book discussion and team building.

The focus of our discussion is based on two new books:

***Frederick Douglass: The Lion Who Wrote History***, written by Walter Dean Myers, and illustrated by Floyd Cooper.

***Freedom over me: Eleven slaves, their lives and dreams***, written and illustrated by Ashley Bryan, read by members of the Monroe Branch's Reader's Theater Club. This book won the 2017 Newbery and Coretta Scott King Honor Awards.

**Come for a dramatic reading, projects, snacks, and a raffle for the Frederick Douglass book.**

Some copies of each book are available at the Monroe Branch.

*Please contact the library for more details or to register for this program.*

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This library is accessible to people with disabilities. To request specific accommodations call 585-428-8304 ten days prior to the program.