



Riverhead ABTF to Host “Paper Clips” Movie
For Holocaust Remembrance
Sunday, April 23, 1:30pm at Riverhead Library

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The Riverhead Anti-Bias Task Force and Riverhead Library will pay tribute to Holocaust Remembrance Day and to the power of education, with the documentary “Paper Clips” on Sunday, April 23 at 1:30pm. A discussion lead by ABTF Liaison Harley Abrams of Riverhead’s Temple Israel will follow the movie.

The Anti-Defamation League’s Center for Anti-Semitism Research shows that those with basic information about the Holocaust were significantly less likely to believe in antisemitic ideas. Yet more than half surveyed between ages 18-30 could not accurately state that six million Jews were murdered in the Holocaust.

The award-winning “Paper Clips” explores the impact of Tennessee students realizing the enormity of the Holocaust, far beyond history and far beyond numbers. Moving and inspiring, the movie shares an unforgettable lesson of how children and educators can change the world one classroom at a time. You may never look at a paper clip the same way again..

The public is invited and encouraged to attend this free movie. Advance registration is requested, but not required, by calling the Riverhead Free Library at (631) 727-3228.

The Town of Riverhead Anti-Bias Task Force, like every ABTF in Suffolk County, is here to guard against the impacts of bias, to support and assist anyone whose appearance, beliefs, lifestyle or heritage poses a threat to their well-being, and to encourage the understanding that, for as we may appear to be different, we’re all very much the same.

What: “Paper Clips” movie and discussion

When: Sunday, April 23 at 1:30pm

Where: Riverhead Free Library, 330 Court Street in Riverhead

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