



**March 2012  
Brown Bag Programs**

**March 7**

**Harper Lee and To Kill A Mockingbird**

Today's film explores the *To Kill a Mockingbird* phenomenon and unravels some of the mysteries surrounding Harper Lee, including why she never published again. We'll learn about the history of the Deep South and the cultural changes taking place at the time.

**March 14**

**Manage Back & Neck Pain & Relieve STRESS!**

Beth Scherer-Smokey, a chiropractor with our neighbors at Back On Track Chiropractic will join us today to talk about ways to manage back pain and live well! She'll touch on ways to relieve stress so you don't carry it around in your neck, shoulders, and back ... something we all need!

**March 21**

**English Masters: Gainsborough**

We'll explore the world of this famous 18<sup>th</sup> century portrait painter in this colorful documentary. Thomas Gainsborough was undoubtedly one of the greatest English portrait and landscape painters of his day. We'll see some of the homes he lived in, view major works, and hear about his life and legacy at today's program.

**March 28**

**The Crusades**

In today's action-packed documentary we'll see re-enactments of key battles of the Crusades and meet the sword-wielding soldiers who fought in them. In addition, we'll look at ancient documents and artifacts and hear from historians about the period.

*The doors open at noon and programs begin at 12:30pm in the Library's Community Meeting Room. Please bring a sack lunch; drinks and dessert provided. Contact Katie Moellering for more information at 205/445-1118 or [kmoellering@bham.lib.al.us](mailto:kmoellering@bham.lib.al.us).*

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