Viva Village Online Movie Group. January 25, 2023, 5 pm



Selected Movies:

Tea with the Dames (2018)

Spend a delightfully bawdy afternoon with 4 legends of British stage & cinema. Dames Maggie Smith, Judi Dench, Eileen Atkins, and Joan Plowright spill the tea on life, love, and art.

Mrs. Brown (1997)

Dramatization of one of history's most unusual love stories. Queen Victoria is grieving over her husband's death and finds herself unable to carry out public duties. John Brown is summoned from Balmoral to walk the Queen's pony in the hope that she will start to become herself again. The confident Highlander displays a distinct lack of respect for court protocol and quickly becomes the Queen's most trusted companion.

(*Note:* If you have access to Netflix, you could follow this film with *Victoria and Abdul*, a 2017 film in which Judi Dench plays Queen Victoria many years later, again scandalizing her court with another unlikely companion.)

<u>The Presidents</u> (2005), episode 1 of an 8-part series

Based on the book, *To the Best of My Ability*, this 8-part series provides an insightful look at the exclusive group of men.

All three movies are available on Kanopy streaming service available through the Washington County Library.

Click on the movie, then log in to your library account. (Create a Kanopy account.)

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