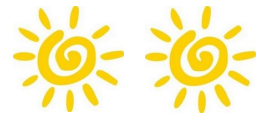


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BANCROFT MEMORIAL LIBRARY ☞ HOPEDALE, MA

ONGOING MONTHLY LIBRARY EVENTS

CookBook Club

Join us as we try new recipes from some of our many cookbooks. Each month we feature a cookbook and the Library orders extra copies for you to check out. Each member of the group prepares one recipe from the cookbook to bring to the meeting for everyone to sample. Our next meeting of the CookBook Club will be Monday, June 13th at 6:30 PM and will feature recipes from Steamy Kitchen's Healthy Asian Favorites by Jaiden Hair. CW/Mars Catalog Summary: "Features over one hundred fast and fresh recipes for Asian soups, pickles, sauces, salads, appetizers, main dishes, and desserts that replace high-fat and high-calorie components to create healthy dishes." If it is your first time, just come sample the recipes. The Library will provide drinks, plates and utensils. Sign up at the Library Circulation Desk or call (508) 634-2209 and come join the fun.



Knitting & Crocheting Group

Do you want to learn how to knit or crochet? Have you been knitting for a while but want to spend time with other crafters? Do you have a project that has been waiting for you to "get around to it?" Join the Knovel Knitters for an evening of knitting & crocheting or bring any project you are working and join the group on every Wednesday night from 6:00 until 7:45 PM.

Helen Symonds Book Group

The Helen Symonds Book Group meets in the Library Program Room at 1 PM on the first Wednesday of every month. Everyone is welcome to join the group. Please call the Library at (508) 634-2209 to request a copy of the book.

- ◆ This month's meeting will be Wednesday June 1st at 1:00 PM. The discussion book will be Let the Great World Spin by Colum McCann.
- ◆ The book group does not meet in July or August.
- ◆ The next meeting will be Wednesday, September 1st at 1:00 PM. The discussion book will be Beach Music by Pat Conroy. Books will be available in July. CW/Mars Summary: "Jack McCall, a writer who moved to Rome to flee his family, returns to South Carolina where his mother is dying and makes peace with them, including Jewish in-laws he couldn't stand and who blamed him for his wife's suicide".

Color for Relaxation

Adults are coloring for stress relief! Drop in and give your-self a "time out." Join us on the second (June 14th) and fourth (June 28th) Tuesday mornings each month from 10-11 AM to relax, de-stress and color. We will provide coloring sheets, markers and colored pencils or you can bring your own. We will also provide coffee and tea. Registration is requested, but not required.

Trustee Meeting

The Library Board of Trustees meets monthly in the Trustee Room. Their next meeting will be Monday, June 20th at 6:45 PM.

Please see reverse side for additional program news. →

THE FRIENDS OF THE HOPEDALE LIBRARY

Thank You to the Friends of Hopedale Library

Thank you to the Friends of Hopedale Library for the beautiful plants that are now in the planters on our front steps. They are very lovely and create a welcoming feeling as people enter the Library.



Books Bake and Plant Sale – Thank You!

The Friends of the Hopedale Library would like to thank everyone who came to the May Book, Bake and Plant sale. It was a great success and the Friends look forward to helping support all of the great summer and fall programs that we have scheduled.

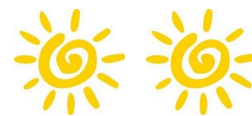
Friends of the Hopedale Library Meeting

The Friends of the Hopedale Library meetings are held on the first Tuesday morning of each month. Their next meeting will be in the Reference Room on Tuesday June 7th at 10:00 AM. Anyone interested in helping the Library is welcome and encouraged to join them.

The Friends of the Hopedale Library, founded in 1983, work with the Library staff & Trustees to support the Library by providing funds for equipment, materials & programs not covered by the regular operating budget. They offer adult events September- June, pay for the children's summer reading & for other programs. New members are always welcome! More information can be found at http://www.hopedale-ma.gov/public_documents/hopedalema_library/Friends or on the Friends of the Library Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/friends-of-the-Hopedale-Library>.



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NEWS FROM THE MARJORIE HATTERSLEY CHILDREN'S ROOM

2016 Summer Reading Programs

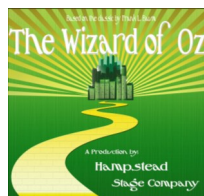
We are very excited to start our 2016 Summer Reading Programs. Registration for "On Your Mark, Get Set, Read" will take place in the Marjorie Hattersley Children's Room at Bancroft Memorial Library during the week of June 20 through June 25. Programs start June 27th. Students in Grades 7 and older can sign up for "Get in the Game...Read," including Get in the



Game Bingo (for extra school credit) at the same time. We are looking forward to a fun summer full of great programs.

Summer Reading Program Kick-Off: Wizard of Oz

We are kicking off our exciting summer program on Tuesday June 28th. Join us at 2:30 PM when the Hampstead Players will present "The Wizard of Oz," a live theatre presentation sure to delight. This event, sponsored by the Friends of the Library, will take place at the Community House.



Summer Student Volunteer/ Reading Buddies Meeting

Hopedale Jr./Sr. High school students entering grades 7 and older are invited to participate in the Summer Reading Buddies Program. Reading Buddies is a 6-week program that pairs older students with beginning readers for an hour each week to read to each other. The program is an excellent volunteer opportunity, as well as lots of fun! Interested students are required to attend a training session on Wednesday June 22nd at 3 PM in the Library Program Room. Students who would like to volunteer for other summer activities are also encouraged to attend this meeting.

Reading Buddies

The first session of Reading Buddies, for children in Grades 1 thru 3, will take place on Thursday, June 30 at 1:15. Both younger readers and their older "buddies" are urged to be at the Library at 1 PM.

Children's Room Open House


Please join us on Wednesday June 22nd as we hold an open house to celebrate the renovation of the Marjorie Hattersley Children's Room. We have been able to do quite a few updates to the Children's Room including new lighting, paint, carpet and furniture. The updates have really brightened up the space and made it more welcoming. Thank you to all who donated in memory of Janet Jacaruso as these donations were a large part of what allowed us to complete the updates.

Summer Story Times

Summer story times start the week of June 27th & continue through the week of August 2nd. Registration is requested. Please call Mrs. Kraimer at (508) 634-2209 to sign up.



- ♦ Tell Me a Story: for children ages 3-5 years, will be on Tuesdays at 3:30 PM. This 45 minute program will include stories, music, puppets and crafts. Registration is requested. Parents are welcome to attend.

Please see reverse side for additional program news. 

Additional June Events

Listed below are more June events for our fun Summer Reading Program. Please know that children must sign up for programs by calling Mrs. Kraimer at 508-634-2209 or complete the sign-up sheets at Summer Registration.

- ♦ Game Day on Monday June 27th will be from 2-3 PM. This is for children grades K-3 and will include board games, Legos, and Wii games.
- ♦ Tell Me a Story, for children ages 3 to 6, will take place on Monday June 27th at 3:30 PM. This will include stories, rhymes, and crafts.
- ♦ The first meeting of the Book Bunch, for students entering grades 1 thru 3, will take place on Tuesday, June 28th at 10:30 AM. We will enjoy a snack and the book Cock a Doodle Doo by Janet Stevens.
- ♦ On Wednesday June 29th, children 4 to 7 years old are invited to "It's a Pumpkin Day", at which they'll enjoy a story, craft, and other activities. This program will begin at 1:30.
- ♦ Children in grades K thru 5 are invited on Wednesday June 29th to take part in Yoga with Kathy Kavanagh in the Library at 3 PM.
- ♦ On Friday, July 1 Mrs. Kraimer will offer fun and a special treat, with the program "Fun & Healthy Cooking", at 2 PM for Children in Grades 1 thru 5.