



# JUNE 2019



**BANCROFT MEMORIAL LIBRARY & HOPEDALE, MA**  
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## Flower Donation

Have you noticed the beautiful flower pots at the library entrance? We would like to thank Lambert's Garden Center for their generous donation of shrubs and flowers. Please visit Lambert's Garden Center at 1 Cape Road in Mendon and thank them for this generous gift!



## Safe Child Policy

Children are always welcome in our library! We encourage them to visit and develop their love of reading.

However, the library is a public place and your child's safety is important to us. Parents and caregivers, not library staff, are responsible for the actions and safety of the children visiting the library.

Please help us keep your children safe by following our policy:

### **Children Under 8**

Must be accompanied by an adult or caregiver at all times, whether upstairs or downstairs.

If the child is participating in a program, the parent or caregiver must remain in the Children's area until the end of the program.



### **Children Aged 9 and Over**

May be left unattended at the discretion of a responsible adult.

Will be expected to display appropriate behavior.

Must be able to reach an adult in an emergency.

At closing time, police may be notified to escort unattended children from the library.

If you have any questions or concerns about the Safe Child Policy, please contact Robyn York, Director, at 508-634-2209 or [ryork@cwmar.org](mailto:ryork@cwmar.org).

## **Ongoing Monthly Library Events**

### Helen Symonds Book Group

Helen Symonds Book Group meets in the Library Program Room at 1:00 pm on the first Wednesday of each month. Please call the library to request a copy of the book and join the discussion. Everyone is welcome.

The discussion book for June 5, 2019 at 1:00 will be The Great Alone by Kristin Hannah. Please join us to discuss this book. "In 1974, a former Vietnam POW, suffering from flashbacks and nightmares, moves his family to Alaska to live off the grid in an attempt to find peace, restoration, and freedom. They will also face dangers, both internally and externally, as they face the ultimate test of the human spirit"-- adapted from C/WMARS catalog



The Book Group does not meet in July and August. Enjoy your summer beach reads!!

### CookBook Club

June is here. Kids are out of school and the lazy (ha-ha), hazy, CRAZY summer days have begun. It's time for some simple and maybe even portable meal suggestions to enjoy with your family.

Please join us on Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30pm when the Cookbook Club will be making recipes from The Pioneer Woman Cooks – Come and Get It!, by Ree Drummond. Any cookbook that promises "simple, scrumptious recipes for crazy busy lives" is one I have to try!



As always, first time guests do not need to cook. Just come and enjoy! Please call the library to reserve a place at the table.

**Wednesday Knitting & Crocheting Group** 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 in the Reference Room for an evening of knitting & crocheting every Wednesday night from 6:00pm until 7:45pm.

Please see reverse side for additional program news.

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## Display Case

Please stop by our display case to see the Old Paper Money Collection (1776-1929) on loan by Dr. Damien Domenech. The American Revolution (1765-1783) by the United Colonies required finances greater than the amount of gold and silver in the colonies. Paper money was then issued to finance the war. It wasn't until 1861 and the start of the Civil War that the first "United States Notes" appeared. American paper money is the longest continuously issued currency in the world.



We would like to thank Dr. Domenech for the opportunity to display his collection.

## Friends of the Hopedale Library

Want to join *The Friends of the Hopedale Library*? The *Friends* help support the Library by providing funds for equipment, materials and programs not covered by the regular operating budget. They offer adult events Sept - June and pay for the children's summer reading and other programs. New members are always welcome!

*The Friends* meet at the library on the second Tuesday of the month at 10 am during the school year. Please call or stop by the upstairs circulation desk to join. Meetings will begin again in the Fall. Your support of time, baked goods and attendance at programs as well as financial support make our library a great place for the community.

## News from the Marjorie Hattersley Children's Room



**Summer Reading 2019... "A Universe of Stories!" is almost here!** Registration for our exciting summer programs will take place beginning the week of June 17. Our "Universe of Stories" programs will run from June 21 to August 10th. This summer all ages are invited to

attend programs, complete activity sheets and enter our end of summer grand prize raffle. Weekly prizes will be available to those who hand in activity sheets. Details and sign-up sheets for all summer programs will be available in the Marjorie Hattersley Children's Room. This is going to be a busy and exciting summer!



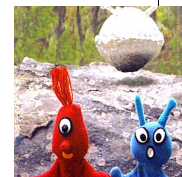
## Friday, June 21 Museum of Science – Rockets: There and Back:

We'll be kicking off the summer program with an opportunity to design, build and test balloon rockets and re-entry parachutes. The Museum of Science is sponsoring this program for ages 5 and up. This event will be held at the **Library** and children can register either for the **2 or 3pm** program.

**Monday, June 24 Mystic Drumz** - Mystic Drumz will be held at **3PM at the Community House** for children ages 3 – 12. This will be an exciting, interactive music program!



**Wednesday, June 26 at 6PM- Sparky's Puppets** Children ages 3 – 10 are invited to join us at the **Community House** to see Sparky's Puppets: "Stories from Outer Space".



Watch for additional programs in July and August!

Registration for programs is required. Details about all Summer Reading programs will be available in the Children's Room and on the library's website starting Jun 18<sup>th</sup>. For information and registration, please call Mrs. Kraimer at (508) 634-2209 or e-mail her at [ekraimer@cwmars.org](mailto:ekraimer@cwmars.org).

The "Universe of Stories" summer reading program is supported by the Bancroft Memorial Library, the Friends of the Hopedale Library, the Massachusetts Library System, the Boston Bruins, the Topsfield Fair, and The Hopedale Cultural Council.

The Bancroft Memorial Library is located at 50 Hopedale Street, Hopedale, MA 01747.

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