Please return your long overdue items
Do you have materials checked out from last year?

We encourage you to return them. All returns are no-contact through the bookdrop or at the return stations outside of the Youth and Adult Services spaces.

While we are not charging overdue fines, there are holds on many items that have been out since early 2019. We would like to make those items available to other borrowers. If you get a recall notice for an item, that is an indication that there is a hold for someone else.

We would appreciate it if you could please return recalled items.

Construction Update
The new building is coming along nicely. The exterior work is complete and G&R Construction is hard at work on the inside. Some of the library staff walked through in February— it is going to be a great space. There is a lot of light and the curved roof design and windows are very striking. If all continues to go well, we will be moving back in September and reopening to the public in October.

Newsletter Going Digital
Due to our reduced hours, this quarterly newsletter will be going digital for the rest of the year. We will revisit the paper newsletter once we are in our new library. We will be posting the quarterly newsletter on our website and will continue with the bi-weekly smaller edition. If you are not signed up for the digital newsletter, please go to http://www.medfordlibrary.org/newsletter

Friends of the Library Facebook Book Sale
We offer small lots of books, DVDs, puzzles, and games for children and adults every week. Check out our Facebook page for more information.

Every Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.
Facebook.com/fmplsale

Charlotte and William Bloomberg
Medford Public Library
Suite G-350, 200 Boston Ave.
Medford, MA 02155
(781) 395-7950 www.medfordlibrary.org

Library Hours as of November 1, 2020:
Monday, Thursday 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Please note: The Library is staffed during the above hours but is only open to the public on an appointment basis.

For appointment details, call 781-395-7950 for adult services. Please call 781-475-5734 for Youth Services.

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Library Open for Browsing and Computer Appointments!

We are now open on an appointment only basis for browsing or computer use. Browsing appointments will be for 30 minutes in adult and 20 minutes in Youth Services. Computer use appointments are for one hour.

You must call ahead for an appointment. Masks must be worn for the safety of staff and patrons.

To make an appointment please call 781-395-7950. The direct line for Youth Services is 781-475-5734.

No-Contact Hold Pickup

No contact holds are still encouraged and going very well. No appointment necessary. When your holds come through, we will check out the items, bag them and put them in the hallway outside Adult Services for you to pick up.

Items are held for a week, and can be picked up whenever the building is open. Hours are 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Monday-Friday.

图书馆新闻

图书馆开馆

我们现提供预约制开放，用于浏览或电脑使用。浏览时间为30分钟，成人；20分钟，青少年。电脑使用时间为1小时。

预约须知：必须提前预约。为了工作人员和顾客的安全，请佩戴口罩。

预约电话：781-395-7950。青少年服务的直接电话为781-475-5734。

无接触取货

无接触取货仍然鼓励，无需预约。当您的取货到达时，我们会检查并包装物品，存放在成人服务的走廊上供您取走。

取货物品可存放一周，您可以根据方便的时间来取。开放时间为周一至周五，9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m。

Take a Class for Free!

The Library offers several digital platforms for online learning, whether you’re interested in picking up a new language, learning a new skill, or brushing up on your history! Explore all our digital resources at http://www.medfordlibrary.org/DigitalLibrary

Great Courses is a popular audio-visual learning series now available online through RBDigital. Access classes ranging from “The History of British India” to “The Everyday Guide to Wine”, taught by experts and available streaming on your device of choice. Browse the course offerings and make your account at: http://medfordma.rbdigital.com/service/browse/greatcourses

Universal Class provides continuing education video courses, including assessments and certificates. With over 30 different areas of study to choose from, take a class on “Mastering Conversation Skills”, “Business Writing” or “Aromatherapy 101”. Get started at: https://medfordma.universalclass.com/promo.htm

Mango languages is a language learning app you can use to start a new language, or brush up your skills. Mango prepares learners for realistic conversations and communication in over 70 world languages, including ESL, Italian, Brazilian Portuguese, Mandarin, Irish, and Shakespearean English! To get started with the app, visit: http://connect.mangolanguages.com/medford/start

Museum Passes

As local museums and attractions reopen, we are keeping in touch and offering museum passes for those museums that have reactivated their programs. Not all museums are currently open or offering passes.

Please note: Each museum has its own set of rules, procedures and limitations so please call the library to inquire about pass details.

At this time, reservations can only be made by phone, at 781-395-7950.
Spring Events

The Four Billion Year Story of Medford with geologist Eamon Eames

Thursday, March 4 at 7:00 p.m.
ON ZOOM

Register on the online calendar.

Vanished continents? Volcanoes? Dinosaurs? Glaciers? Discover the incredible four billion year true story of your community from the formation of Earth to the present day with geologist and author Eamon McCarthy Eamens.

Author of multiple books on regional history and a former Town Councilor in Franklin, Massachusetts, Eamon studied geology at UMASS-Amherst.

Bald Eagles of the Mystic Lakes with Medford Photographer John Harrison

Wednesday, March 24 at 7:00 p.m.
ON ZOOM

Register on Eventbrite or by calling 781-866-3155.

Wildlife photographer John Harrison will present his newest book on the Bald Eagles of the Mystic Lakes, published as a part of a True Wildlife Series for Children and he will also include many of the other birds that populate the area. His work appeals to adults and children, wildlife lovers, and those who enjoy the Mystic Lakes.

Harrison authors the Medford Wildlife Watch in the "Medford Transcript." Among his other well-known books is Dead in Good Company: A Celebration of the Mount Auburn Cemetery.

This event is hosted by the Medford Historical Society and Museum.

Plants Go to War: A Botanical History of World War II with Judith Sumner

Wednesday, March 10th at 7:00 p.m.
ON ZOOM

Register on the online calendar.

In a blend of botanical and military history, botanist Judith Sumner will talk about the surprising and crucial role of plants in World War II. From victory gardens to drugs, timber, rubber, and fibers, plants supplied materials with key roles in victory.

Judith Sumner is a botanist, author and lecturer. Judith has been the lecturer-in-residence at the Star Island Natural History Conference, and she has been a guest on the Martha Stewart Living television show, the PBS program "Cultivating Life" with Sean Conway, and various other PBS and educational programs. Her book, Plants Go to War, was published in 2019.

Tales of a Reluctant World Traveler with local author Randy Ross

Thursday, March 25th at 7:00 PM
ON ZOOM

Register on the online calendar.

Sixteen weeks, four continents, three bungee jumps, and author Randy Ross couldn't come home soon enough. This is the story of how a Boston homebody turned a solo trip around the globe into a comedy novel and an acclaimed one-man show.

The one-hour multi-media event includes a comedy slide show, readings from Ross's novel "God Bless Cambodia", and live performances from his show "The Chronic Single's Handbook." The event will be followed by a Q&A on solo world travel (don't do it!) and fiction writing.

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Election 2020
with writer/researcher
Robert Turner

Wednesday, April 21
at 7:00 p.m. ON ZOOM

Register on Eventbrite or by calling 781-866-3155.

Robert Turner will focus on the 2020 presidential campaign, from the tactics and strategies of the candidates to the impact of the pressures of the day—the Covid-19 virus, issues of racial justice and unrest, the threat of voter fraud—the integrity of the voting process and the role of the press. He will also speak about the polls and how/why they got it wrong.

Robert Turner has been a Research Fellow at UMass Boston since 2007. Before his present assignment he worked for 42 years at the Boston Globe. During his time at the Globe he was a member of the Globe editorial staff and served as the Op Ed columnist. He is a BA graduate of Columbia University and holds an MPA from the Harvard Kennedy School.

This event is hosted by the Medford Historical Society and Museum.

It’s Now or Never:
My Life in the Late Middle Ages
with Judah Leblang

Thursday, May 6
at 7:30 p.m. ON ZOOM

Join Medford-based writer/storyteller Judah Leblang as he presents a humorous look at middle age, life on the road, and dealing with times when ‘man planned and God laughed.’ Judah’s show, “It’s Now or Never: My Life in the Late Middle Ages,” is a fast-paced exploration of aging, dating/looking for love, and going after one’s dreams.

The show was chosen “Best of Festival” at the Calgary, Alberta Fringe Festival 2019, and has entertained audiences in Boston, Chicago, and Winnipeg and Edmonton, Canada.

The History of the Medford Public Library
with Barbara Kerr,
Director Charlotte and William Bloomberg
Medford Public Library

Friday, May 20
at 7:00 p.m. ON ZOOM

Please register for the program at www.medfordhistorical.org/events.

The public library has been the heart of Medford since 1855. Join Library Director Barbara Kerr for a look at the library's past, present and future. It's quite a story.

The lecture will follow a brief MHSM annual meeting. You do not have to be a member to attend.

The History of Medford’s Hillside Neighborhood

Medford Hillside is our present home during the construction of the new building. This neighborhood is filled with stories of independent men and women who transformed a rural landscape into a resilient community. Four illustrated programs will explore these amazing changes.

March: Medford Hillside (1850s–)
The Land Adapts to People
April: Medford Hillside (1880s–) Factories Transform Boston Ave
May: Medford Hillside's Got Talent (1890s–) Residents Immersed in Culture
June: Medford Hillside Greets the World (1915–) Radio Broadcasts, Inventors and an Inclusive Community

Join local historians Dee Morris and Will Tenney, as they present a fresh look at this unique Medford neighborhood.

Stay tuned for scheduling and broadcast information!
All book groups will take place on Zoom. You must register on the library calendar to receive the Zoom invitation. Please contact the Information Desk if you need assistance with registration.

Books will be available approximately four weeks in advance. Call the Library at 781-395-7950 to have a copy checked out to you for no-contact pickup.

**Play Reading Group**

We can't go to the theatre, but we can explore some together, led by local actor/teacher/director Jen Lewis. Readers will gather on Zoom to read plays aloud and discuss. The first two are available through the Library's Hoopla e-book platform. Sign up at https://www.hoopladigital.com/.

**Second Wednesdays, 7:00-9:30 p.m. on ZOOM**

March 10: "Sweat" by Lynn Nottage
April 14: "The Wolves" by Sarah DeLappe
May 12: "Luck of the Irish" by Kirsten Greenidge

Participants can join as an actor or audience for any show. Those wanting to act will submit a form with their role requests at least a week ahead of time and roles will be distributed by lottery per request. A Facebook group will allow for additional discussion. Join us!

If you have questions about how the group will work, please email Jen at MedfordPlays@gmail.com.

**Tuesday Night Book Group**

**Second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.**

March 9
*Born a Crime* by Trevor Noah

April 13
*Furious Hours: Murder, Fraud, and the Last Trial of Harper Lee* by Casey Cep

May 11
*The Swerve: How the World Became Modern* by Stephen Greenblatt

June 8
*The Warmth of Other Suns* by Isabel Wilkerson

**History Book Group**

Co-sponsored by the MPL and the Medford Historical Society and Museum. Register through the library calendar.

**Wednesday, March 17**
*At Home: A Short History of Private Life* by Bill Bryson
Discussion leader: Kathleen Kane

**Wednesday, May 19**
*The Wordy Shipmates* by Sarah Vowell
Discussion Leader: Elaine Fossett Rittershaus

**Writer’s Workshop**

Last Wednesdays of the month at 7:00 p.m. unless otherwise listed.

Zoom Writer's Workshop will be held on
March 31
April 28
May 26

The group is always looking for new members, so meet your community's fellow writers and get feedback on your work.

If you have questions about the group, please contact David Chia at duuchia@gmail.com.

**LGBTQ+ Book Group**

**Second Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.**

All are welcome to read and discuss works by and about the LGBTQ community.

**March 11**
*Mostly Dead Things* by Kristen Arnett

**April 8**
*On Earth We’re Briefly Gorgeous* by Ocean Vuong

**May 13**
*Boy Erased: a Memoir of Identity, Faith, and Family* by Garrard Conley

**What Are You Reading?**

In this monthly program, the library director will present some of the titles new to the library. And then we'll talk about books-- what are you reading?

**Mondays at 7:00 p.m. on**

March 15
April 12
May 10

Register through the library calendar.
There's still time to make your gift to the new library!

A gift of any size gets us toward our goal and helps make our new library possible.

Make a general gift of any size, or choose from our available naming opportunities by visiting our website or sending a check to MPLF at PO Box 215, Medford, MA 02155

**COMMEMORATIVE TILE $50**

Commemorate a loved one with a printed tile that will be displayed in a meeting room in the main library.

**THE MEDFORD FAMILY LEAF $250**

Put your loved one's name, up to 50 characters, on a beautiful 2½" x 3¾" metal Leaf on the Medford Family Tree & put your family’s story in the Medford Family Digital Book. Tree will be prominently located near the Multi Purpose Performance Space & the Medford Family Digital Book will be on the MPL website.

medfordpubliclibraryfoundation.org/donate
Engrave a Paver
MAKE YOUR MARK ON
Medford’s New Public Library

Pavers are lovely LARGE 24"x24" slabs that will immortalize forever the dedication of the Medford community members to the new library! Covering the main entrance and terrace, they pave the way to the new library!

6 Lines
90 Characters
Personalize your inscription and we’ll have it professionally engraved

Prominent Placing
Have your special dedication highly visible on the terrace or main entrance (Shown Below)

Go to the website for some example messages that people are putting on pavers!

Deadline to reserve your paver:
March 12, 2021

Don’t miss your chance to have your business or family’s name written in stone.

$1250
Paid in full or over up to 5 years

Donate Here to Reserve Your Paver:
medfordpubliclibraryfoundation.org/donate
Look for our logo throughout this newsletter marking everything that your donations help fund.

The FMPL is a 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to raising funds for programming, special events, and items for the library, raising community awareness, and promoting the library’s services.

Got books/DVDs/puzzles to donate?  Please email us at friends@friendsofmedfordlibrary.org to make arrangements for us to pick them up.  (Check our website to see what we are accepting.)

Welcome New Friends:
Kathleen A. & Charles W. Anderson Jr
Lisa Brukilacchio and Mark Torgerson
Janice Byrnes
Cohen Family
Kateryna F Cuddeback
Dori-Ann Delatizky
Patricia Delisca
Christine Foot & David Granger
Sharon & Peter Hays
Susan Dalelio & Peter Hoffman
Jordan Houdeshell
Maria Judge
Kathe Lanberg
Paul Lehrman
Mary Anne Lynn
Dana Marks & Douglas Halpert
Rebecca Norstrom
Vanessa S Plant
Chris & Emily Santillo
Darshita N Shah
Nako Shinohara & David Bouldry
DiDi Vaz & Paulo Barroso
Lauren and Tegan Webel

Franklin Park and Stone Zoo, Trustees, Peabody Essex Museum and Mass Audubon museum passes are available. These do change often. Museum Reservations are only available by phone at this time. Please call for more information.

Become a member of the Friends. Make a donation or volunteer your time and help us bring even more excellent events and services to our community! You can join/donate/contact us at www.friendsofmedfordlibrary.org

Can’t get to our Virtual Sale? Order a $10 Grab bag any time!

Log on to https://forms.gle/YkWf2EHdJvJG72MA tell us a little about what you or your kids like to read and let us choose some books for you. Here are some examples of grab bags we have made: https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?vanity=FMPLSale&set=a.151535656690027

Thank you to the librarians for the great crafternoons and winter projects. Did you know that the Friends of the Library sponsors these?
**TEEN GRAPHIC NOVEL BOOK CLUB**
for teens in grades 6 and up

**THURSDAYS @ 3:30 pm**

_Paste_ is required to access the Zoom link.
Questions? Contact Medei at mmanier@minlib.net

**March 4:**  Superman Smashes the Klan by Gene Luen Yang

**April 1:**  Sheets by Brenna Thummler

**May 6:**  Fence, v1 by C.S. Pacat

**SHELF CARE BOOK CLUB**
It's a no-book book club. Practice shelf care and read books that YOU choose!

**FOR TEENS IN GRADES 6-9**
We meet virtually at 4pm on the third Wednesday of the month:

March 17
April 21
May 19

_Sign up is required for the Zoom link_.
Questions? Contact Nicole: nperrault@minlib.net

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**CREATIVE WRITING FOR TEENS**
FOR TEENS IN GRADES 6 AND UP

Exercise your creativity - build new worlds, create characters, try new styles, and more!

We meet virtually at 4pm on the third Tuesday of the month:
March 16 | April 20 | May 18

_Sign up is required for the Zoom link!_
Sign up through the library’s online calendar.
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**THE DRAWING ZOOM**

**MONDAYS 3:30 PM**

March 8 | April 12 | May 10

Learn to draw manga! All you need is paper and something to draw with (pen, pencil, marker, etc.), and you can follow along!

SIGN UP REQUIRED FOR ZOOM LINK
**Virtual Teen Movie Night**
Friday, March 19 at 7pm
For teens in grades 6 and up
Once you’ve signed up, we’ll send you a poll so you can vote for the movie we watch!
Sign up is required for the Zoom link!
Sign up through the library’s online calendar.
Questions? Contact Nicole: nperrault@minlib.net

**Teen Craft Nights**
For teens in middle or high school
Sign up required for materials and the Zoom link!
Sign up through the library’s online calendar

- Duct Tape Notepad
  Thursday, March 25, 7-8pm
- Paper Photo Frames
  Thursday, April 29, 7-8pm
- String Art
  Thursday, May 27, 7-8pm

**LGBTQIA+ Teens & Allies**
Chameleon is going fully virtual (no meetings) for the spring and summer! Get involved by creating all kinds of LGBTQIA+ content for the Medford community, such as pages for our GAYBCs picture book for kids, and posts for our Tumblr account, mplchameleon.tumblr.com!
Questions? Contact Maddi at mraniere@minlib.net

**Teen Game Nights**
Take a break and play virtual games with other Medford teens
7pm on the following Wednesdays:
- March 10
- April 14
- May 12
- March 31
- April 28
- May 26
Sign up required for the Zoom link!
Questions? Contact Nicole: nperrault@minlib.net
**Teen Programs**

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**Virtual teen Open Mic**

**Saturday**
**April 10**
**2 pm**

For teens in grades 6 & up
Sign up required for zoom link

Questions? Email Maddi at mranierl@minlib.net

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**PEEPS DIORAMA CONTEST**

For teens in grades 6 and up

Recreate your favorite pop culture moment with Peeps!
You can spend as much time as you’d like on your diorama - they just need to be ready in time for our

**Zoom showoff: Friday, April 23, 3pm**

Sign ups for no-contact supply pickup begin on Tuesday, March 23. We will contact you when your supplies are ready!

Sign up is required for materials and the zoom link!
Sign up through the library’s online calendar or contact Nicole at nperrault@minlib.net | 781-475-5735

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**TEEN TRIVIA NIGHT**

**Friday, May 21 at 7pm**

Put your book trivia knowledge to the test!
The teens with the top 3 scores will win a prize!
The game will be played with Kahoot over Zoom.

For teens in middle and high school!
Sign up is required for the Zoom link!
Questions? Contact Nicole at nperrault@minlib.net

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**MPL Teen Advisory Board presents:**

**TEEN TAKE AND MAKE KITS**

**TAKE A BREAK FROM ZOOM AND MAKE SOMETHING**

**March:** Painted Rocks
**April:** Personalized Magnets
**May:** Crayon Candles

For teens in grades 6 and up
Sign ups begin on the first of the month. While supplies last
1st grade Book Club  
THURSDAYS 3:00PM  
Mar 11 — *Ten Beautiful Things*  
Apr 8 — *First Grade Dropout*  
May 13 — *I am Human*  

2nd and 3rd grade Book Club  
THURSDAYS 3:00PM  
Mar 25 — *111 Trees*  
Apr 29 — *Over and Under the Pond*  
May 27 — *The Tea Dragon Society*  

4th and 5th grade Book Club  
THURSDAYS 3:00PM  
Mar 18 — *Lois Lane and the Friendship Challenge*  
Apr 15 — *Cosmo – Space Aces*  
May 20 — *Pilu of the Woods*  

These book clubs are virtual!  
All books are available on HooplaDigital.  

Email Tamar at tsiegel@minlib.net for 1st Grade Book Club Zoom link.  

Email Sam at ssednek@minlib.net for 2nd/3rd Grade Book Club Zoom link.  

Email Maddi at mranieri@minlib.net for 4th/5th Grade Book Club Zoom link.
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We're having a virtual DANCE PARTY!

Wednesday
April 21
10:30 AM

...and you're invited!

This program is for ages 5+
Email tsiegel@minlib.net for Zoom link

MAKE YOUR OWN INSTRUMENT WORKSHOP

THURSDAY, APRIL 22
3PM

This program will take place virtually over Zoom.
For ages 6+
Registration required.
email ssednek@minlib.net

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Children's Programs

LEARN HOW TO TEACH AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE TO YOUR INFANT

BABY SIGNS WITH SHERYL
AGES 6 months through pre-verbal
FOUR WEEK COURSE
10AM on MONDAYS
May 3, May 10, May 17, & May 24
Sign up required for Zoom Link

Paper Plate Bird Craft
This program will take place virtually on Zoom.
We will supply the materials, you supply the imagination.

For ages 6+
Registration is required.
Email tsiegel@minlib.net to sign up.
Monday, April 5 3:30pm

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  - **WEDNESDAYS 3PM**