

CHARLOTTE & WILLIAM BLOOMBERG MEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Thanks, Mike and Marjorie and the whole Bloomberg Family!



If you visit in May, we invite you to sign the "thank you" posters for the Bloomberg family whose generosity made the new library possible.

There will be a poster at each circulation desk.

Open House!

Saturday June 4 from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Please join us for a public Open House on Saturday, June 4 .

Take your first look at the new library or stop by for some fun. We'll have crafts, a photo booth, a scavenger hunt and more.

This is an all ages open house and no reservations are necessary. Parking may be limited. We hope to see you there!!

**The Library will be closed on
Wednesday, June 1 for the official
dedication ceremony.**

This is an invitation only event.



**Charlotte and William Bloomberg
Medford Public Library**

111 High Street
Medford, MA 02155
(781) 395-7950 www.medfordlibrary.org

Library Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Saturday: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. through June

***Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in July and August

We've Got Good Friends

When you see this small logo in the newsletter, it means the event or activity has been funded by the Friends of the Medford Public Library!



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Our Homebound Program is back!

Do you want a book but find that you are unable to get to the Library under your own steam? No problem! Simply call us at (781) 395-7950 and ask for Victoria. One of our volunteers will be able to deliver books to your doorstep. You are not limited to books; you can also have DVD's, CD's and magazines, too.

It's been a while, and we are happy to offer this program to Medford residents again!

Hotspots Available!

Going on vacation? Borrow a hotspot from the library, and make sure you stay connected! Hotspots check out for two weeks and cannot be renewed.

Introducing Playaways!

Playaways are pre-loaded self-playing audiobooks. Play a book with the touch of a button. Rewind or fast forward as needed. All you need are earphones and a battery.

Playaways weigh two ounces and are small enough to fit in your pocket so you can listen as you go. The universal jack is also compatible with car stereo systems and portable speakers with wire input. The Playaway collection includes adult, teen and children's titles.

Our new collection was sponsored by the Medford Public Library Foundation.

Playaways circulate for three weeks. Batteries and earphones are not included.



Mystic Makerspace Summer Programs

Embroidery: Beyond the Basics
Tuesday, June 7 from 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Assemblage
Saturday, June 11 from 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Making Mondays: Wire and Bead Creations
Monday, June 27 from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

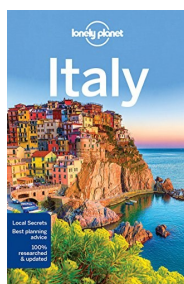
Crochet Flowers
Saturday, July 9 from 10:30 to 12:00 p.m.

Making Mondays: Eye Pillows
Monday, July 25 from 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Block Printing
Saturday, August 20 from 9:30 –12:30 p.m.

Making Mondays: Metal Letter Stamping
Monday, August 22 from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Registration required!
Please sign up using the online calendar.



Travel Ebooks

Don't carry a heavy travel guide when you're on the go! Download them from the library's Hoopla and Overdrive ebook collections. You can find many popular travel series including, Fodor's Rough Guides, Lonely Planet and more!

Museum Passes

Check out a discount Museum Pass this summer



You can book a pass [here](#) on the Library website. Please call the Library before coming to pick up your pass— there is a possibility it might just be a code we can read you over the phone!

If you have any questions, give us a call at 781-395-7950.

Transgender 101 with Nikk Cochran Selik Thursday, June 9 at 7:00 p.m.

Learn about key concepts and terminology related to transgender identity, gain practical tools for being a supportive ally, and get your questions answered, all in a non-judgmental setting by award-winning consultant and speaker, Nikk Cochran Selik. Special considerations for transgender children and adolescents will also be discussed. This program is family-friendly and suitable for all ages.

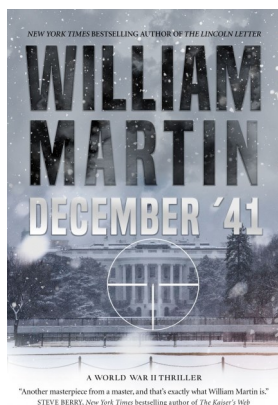


Nikk Cochran Selik (he/him) is a consultant and speaker who has been working to promote awareness around transgender identity for over 10 years. Currently, Nikk lives in Medford and works for Fenway Health as a Program Coordinator.



December '41 with William Martin Thursday, June 16 to 7:00 p.m.

William Martin, "the king of the historical thriller" brings us back to one of the most frightening times in American history with the amazing backstory behind a plot to assassinate FDR and the manhunt to foil the plan.



This event is co-sponsored by the Friends of the Medford Public Library and MHSM. Register through Eventbrite at: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mhsm-book-talk-december-41-by-william-martin-live-and-in-person-tickets-304825018837>

Measure for Measure: The Music of Shakespeare's Plays Tuesday, June 14 at 7:00 pm



Ensemble Chaconne transports the audience to Shakespeare's world for the perfect Elizabethan evening. The concert features music by leading composers of Shakespeare's time

(Robert Johnson, Thomas Morley, John Dowland, and others) with songs from *As You Like It*, *Twelfth Night*, *The Winter's Tale*, *The Tempest*, *Hamlet*, *Othello* and *Macbeth*.

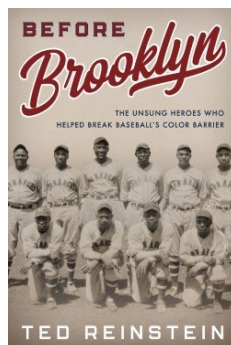
*The ensemble members are:
Peter H. Bloom, Renaissance flute;
Carol Lewis, viola da gamba;
Olav Chris Henriksen, Renaissance lute;
and mezzo-soprano Burcu Gulec.*



Before Brooklyn: The Unsung Heroes Who Helped Break Baseball's Color Barrier with Ted Reinstein Tuesday June 28 at 7:00 p.m.

Join author Ted Reinstein, as he tells the story of the little-known heroes who fought segregation in baseball.

One of the book's main unsung heroes is West Medford's very own native son, Mabray "Doc" Kountze. Kountze was the first African-American journalist to receive an official press pass from the Boston Red Sox.



Ted Reinstein has been a reporter for "Chronicle," WCVB-TV/Boston's award-winning—and America's longest-running, locally-produced—nightly news magazine since 1997.



A Rare Blend: Our Early Library and Its Neighbors (1875 - 1920s)

A walking tour with Dee Morris

Saturdays from 10:00-12:00 p.m.
June 11, July 16,
and September 17 from 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Meet in the Local History Room.

Back in 1875, Thatcher Magoun, Jr. presented Medford an amazing gift, his father's High Street mansion, which became our first Library. Nearby residents such as Samuel C. Lawrence, proprietor of Medford Rum, and Rev. Henry C. DeLong of the Unitarian Church, served as Trustees. Librarian Mary E. Sargent reached out to the community, especially children.

Amid all this success, however, Margaret O'Hare, Thatcher's adopted daughter who lived across the street, was embroiled in legal battles with Magoun relations.



Join us for a stroll around the early Library neighborhood as we explore some lively stories.

Writing From Our Lives

With Judah Leblang

Thursday, June 30 at 7:00 p.m.



Author, speaker, and teacher Judah Leblang, shares his own story in segments from his one-person show, as well as from 15 years of teaching writing classes for Grub Street.

Bring your pen and paper not only to take notes as Leblang will provide in-situ writing exercises as well. This is an event for beginners, as well as seasoned writers.

Get inspired with a new perspective on memoir writing and pick up some new tools along the way.



From Sharks to Parks with Bob Michelson Tuesday, July 12 at 7:00 p.m.

Join photographer Bob Michelson for this photography-based presentation of the animals, both on land and underwater, that live in and around the parks of the Massachusetts North Shore. Before the photos, the presentation will start with a real (preserved) animal- Bruce, a 7 ½ foot Gold Hammerhead Shark! The audience will have the opportunity to touch and visit Bruce after the program.



Michelson, of Braintree, is a professional photographer and videographer. He was also the senior New England environmental news correspondent for Underwater USA and a regular science contributor to the Patriot Ledger.

Learn Ukulele

with Julie Stepanek

Tuesday, July 19 at 7:00 p.m.



Want to try an instrument that is fun and easy to play? Join Julie Stepanek as she shows the fundamentals of ukulele playing. You'll learn how to tune, strum and read chords.

After a short lesson, you'll be able to play songs.

No experience necessary. Bring your own ukulele or borrow one of hers. This is an event for all ages.



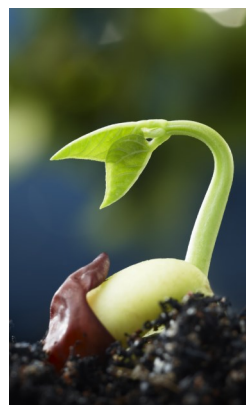
Music Social Change: Jazz Standards with a Latin Flavor Thursday July 21 at 7:00 p.m.

Five local professional musicians will provide an evening of American Jazz infused with Latin and world music flavors. local guitarist and library neighbor, Mark Torgerson will be joined by Ben Broder on piano, David Hurst on drums, Hilary Nobel on percussion and winds and David Gold on bass.

This program is supported in part by a grant from the Medford Arts Council, a local commission that is supported by the Mass Cultural Council and by the City of Medford and by the Friends of the Medford Public Library.



Seed Saving with Gretel Anspach Monday August 8 at 7:00 p.m.



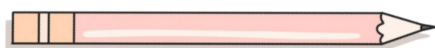
Why save seeds?
During this presentation Master Gardener Gretel Anspach will talk about the reasons for saving your own seeds and some of the basic techniques for ensuring genetic purity. We will include discussions about the home garden plants from which seeds can be easily saved and stored for future use.

Gretel Anspach is a Trustee of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, a Lifetime Master Gardener with the Massachusetts Master Gardener Association, and a recently-retired systems engineer for Raytheon. Gretel established and maintains a 20,000 square foot food production garden.



Writer's Workshop

Last Wednesday of the
month
at 7:00 p.m



Writer's Workshop will be held on
June 29
July 27
August 31

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.

Pickling: The Traditional, Easy, Probiotic Method

with Rivka Schwartz

Wednesday, August 17 at 7:00 p.m.

Old fashioned pickles can't be beat. They are easy to make, full of flavor and health promoting probiotics. Ditch the heat and work of water bath canning. Learn to make fermented vegetables including dill pickles and other seasonal vegetables. In the fall sauerkraut can be the featured vegetable. There will be a short discussion on the benefits of fermented foods.

Taste dill pickles and other ferments. Take home instructions on dry salt fermenting and brining will be available.



Rivka Schwartz studied wellness coaching at the Mayo clinic with further studies in herbal medicine.



We are still offering a few programs digitally over ZOOM!

Please register through the online calendar to receive a link by email a day or two before the event.

Planning for Medicare-Countdown to 65

With Heather Hurd of Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts

Wednesday, June 8 at 7:00 p.m.

If you're getting close to Medicare eligibility, this seminar is for you. Whether you are planning to retire or will continue to work, it's important to know your Medicare options.

A representative will be available to answer your specific questions, in addition to covering these topics:

- Explanation of Medicare Parts A, B, and C
- Medicare enrollment timeline
- Medigap plans that help supplement Medicare coverage
- Medicare Advantage plans, such as HMOs and PPOs
- Medicare Part D prescription drug plans
- Plans and programs available to early retirees, such as COBRA

Two evenings with Claire Evans, of Tea With Claire



From Uptown Girls to Downton Abbey:

How American Gilded Age Heiresses Invaded the British Aristocracy

Wednesday, July 6, at 7:00pm

Fans of "Downton Abbey" and "The Gilded Age" will delight as Anglophile and former U.K. resident Claire Evans recounts the tales of some of the famously loaded young Americans who infused bank accounts of many stately homes, including close relatives of Winston Churchill and Princess Diana. She'll also give travel tips if you'd like to create a Gilded Age tour for yourself.

Pottering Around the UK:

Real Life Locations from the World of Harry Potter

Tuesday, July 26 at 7:00pm

Travel vicariously as Anglophile and former UK resident Claire Evans takes you on a historic, scenic, architectural and occasionally culinary tour of Harry Potter's magical world. From London to Scotland and points in between, admire the amazing real-life locations film scouts picked throughout the best of the British Isles, and get tips if you'd like to visit the sights yourself one day.



Claire Evans is a former journalist, attorney, and college lecturer who started her love of most things British as she and her mother watched countless episodes of "Are You Being Served," "Fawlty Towers," and "The Vicar of Dibley" on PBS. She went on to study abroad in London and, against the odds, she married a Brit she met in Peoria, Illinois. They moved to England, and Claire became a student of historical sights, pub dining, and tea shops. Her business, Tea with Claire, grew from friends asking for travel and relocation advice.

A vertical stack of approximately 15 books of various colors including red, blue, green, yellow, and purple. The books are stacked haphazardly, with some spines visible and others partially obscured. The stack is positioned on the right side of the page.

**Got books/DVDs/puzzles to donate? We are collecting donations in saleable condition.
You can bring donations to either circulation desk at the library.
Find out what we accept at Friendsofmedfordlibrary.org**

TEEN EVENTS

FOR TEENS IN GRADES 6 + UP

TEEN MANGA DRAWING

MONDAYS
3:30 PM

JUNE 13 | JULY 18 | AUGUST 8
YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAM ROOM

Learn how to draw manga! Supplies will be provided by the library. All skill levels welcome!

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QUESTIONS? EMAIL MADDI AT [MRNIER@MINLIB.NET](mailto:mrnier@minlib.net)

TEEN MAKER MONDAYS

For teens in middle school and high school

Learn and create with STEAM projects in the Maker Space on the first Monday of the month:

June 6	July 11	August 1
3:30pm	3:30pm	3:30pm

Sign up is **REQUIRED** and space is limited!
Sign up through the library's online calendar at medfordlibrary.org
Questions? Contact Maddi at mrnier@minlib.net | 781-475-5735

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FOR TEENS IN MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL

TEEN CREATIVE WRITING

3:30-4:30PM IN THE YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAM ROOM

JUNE 27 - CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE
JULY 25 - SCRIPTS
AUGUST 15 - RETELLINGS

Sign up required! Sign up at medfordlibrary.org Questions? Contact Nicole at nperrault@minlib.net

CRAFT NIGHTS FOR TEENS

Pinterest Paint Night
Thursday, June 30, 7-8pm

Crochet 101
Thursday, July 21, 6:30-8pm

DIY Squishies
Thursday, August 25, 7-8pm

For teens in middle school and high school!

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**BOOKTOK
BOOK CLUB**

Did #BookTok make you read it? Let's talk about it. For teens in grades 8 and up.



June 9, 7-7:30pm
The Inheritance Games,
by Jennifer Lynn Barnes



July 14, 7-7:30pm
Scythe,
by Neal Shusterman




August 11, 7-7:30pm
Shadow and Bone,
by Leigh Bardugo

We'll talk about all books, but focus on a particular one each month! You can pick up a copy of that month's book in the Teen Section up to one month before the meeting. We meet on the second Thursday of the month in the Teen Section. Sign up required - sign up through our online calendar!

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**NO-BOOK
BOOK
CLUB**


There are **NO** assigned books for this book club! Instead, we'll talk about whatever books you're all currently reading!


For teens in grades 6-8. No sign up required, just drop in!

This club meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month in the Maker Space.

June 16 3:30-4:00pm	July 21 3:30-4:00pm
August 18 3:30-4:00pm	

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TEEN GAME NIGHTS

For teens in middle and high school


Take a break and play some games - video games, board games, and more!

In the Teen Section on the first Tuesday of the month:

June 7 6:30-8pm	July 5 6:30-8pm	August 2 6:30-8pm
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No sign up needed, just drop in!

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Signing Youth! For grades 5-8

ASL After School Program




In five 30 minute virtual classes with an ASL instructor, students will learn:

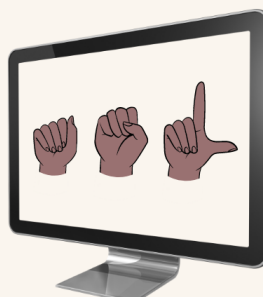
- The Manual Alphabet
- Shapes, Numbers, Names
- Greetings, Colors, Clothing
- Info about Deaf Culture and more!

3:30-4pm on Thursdays: June 2-June 30

Sign up is **REQUIRED** and students are expected to attend all five Zoom sessions. Sign up through the Library's calendar at medfordlibrary.org.

Contact Nicole at nperrault@minlib.net for more information!





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TEEN MAKER NIGHTS

For teens in middle and high school

Create, break, and build things in the Maker Space on the second Tuesday of the month!

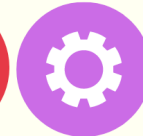
6:30-8pm:

June 14 | July 12 | August 9

Sign up is **REQUIRED** and space is limited!

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pizza • snacks • music • prizes

Trivia Night

For teens in middle school and high school

Friday, June 10, 6:30-9:00pm
at the Medford Public Library

Doors open at 6:30, game begins at 7pm!

Team up with friends to show off your pop culture knowledge. Teams can have between 2-4 players. There will be prizes for the top 2 teams AND the team with the best name!

SIGN UP REQUIRED!

Sign up your team online at medfordlibrary.org

Questions? Contact Nicole: nperrault@minlib.net; 781-475-5735

PRIDE



zine WORKSHOP

TUESDAY, JUNE 21
3-5 PM

YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAM ROOM

Learn about the history of zines, how zines are connected to LGBTQIA+ Pride, and how to make your own zines with visiting zine expert Abby Neale! In true DIY zine style, we'll also be creating copies of the zines you make to distribute in a mini zine library in the Teen Section.

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This program is supported in part by a grant from the Medford Arts Council, a local commission that is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council and the City of Medford.



TRANS 101 TEEN WORKSHOP

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27
6:30-8 PM
BONSIGNORE HALL

Led by trans speaker and youth mentor Nikk Cochran Selik (he/him), this workshop is a chance for teens in grades 6 and up to learn and engage in conversation about trans identities, family understanding and acceptance, how to cope with bullying in school, and more.

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LIBRARY AFTER HOURS EVENT FOR TEENS IN MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL

TEEN PRESENTATION PARTY

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 13,
1:30-3:30PM**

PIZZA • SNACKS • GAMES

This is your chance to make a 3 minute presentation on ANY topic you're passionate about! Defend your favorite movie that everyone else hates, explain your favorite Swiftie theory, rank Disney songs, and so much more.

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Lettering Workshop

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17
6:30-8 PM**

YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAM ROOM

LEARN THE BASICS OF LETTERING AND EXPERIMENT WITH A VARIETY OF MARKERS AND PENS. GET CREATIVE AND TAKE HOME YOUR OWN FRAME-WORTHY HAND LETTERED QUOTE!

 **FOR TEENS IN GRADES 6 & UP** 

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INTRO TO BLOCK PRINTING FOR TEENS



**Tuesday, August 23
6-9pm, in the Maker Space
For teens in grades 9-12**

Block printing involves carving an image into a material and then using the material to print that image. In this Lagniappe Arts and Crafts workshop, you'll learn about materials, safety, image selection and modification, and you'll carve and transfer your own image!

Sign up is **REQUIRED** and space is limited!
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Apply to be a Teen Library Volunteer!

Visit medfordlibrary.org/teens
for descriptions of available
opportunities and all applications.





































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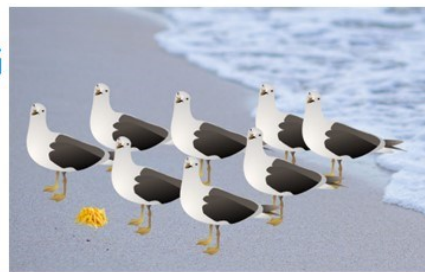
June 2022-Children's Programs

Wednesday, June 1  Open House 2PM Thursday, June 2  Toddler Story Time 10:30AM  Art Smart 3:30PM Saturday, June 4  Family Story Time 10AM Monday, June 6  Maker Space Drop-In 6-8PM Tuesday, June 7  Baby Lapsit 9:30AM  Manga Drawing 3:30PM** Wednesday, June 8  Family Story Time 3PM  Glowforge Tags 3PM** Thursday, June 9  Singalong with Matt 10:30AM  LEGO Club 3:30PM  ASL Class 6PM**	Saturday, June 11  Family Story Time 10AM Monday, June 13  STEAM School 1:30PM** Tuesday, June 14  Baby Lapsit 9:30AM Wednesday, June 15  Family Story Time 3PM Thursday, June 16  Toddler Story Time 10:30AM  Art Smart 3:30PM  STEM Kitchen 6PM** Saturday, June 18  Family Story Time 10AM  Sensory Story Time 2PM**  Circle the Square 3-7PM Tuesday, June 21  Baby Lapsit 9:30AM  Drop-In Crafting 6-7PM Wednesday, June 22  Family Story Time 3PM	Thursday, June 23  Toddler Story Time 10:30AM  LEGO Club 3:30PM Monday, June 27  Maker Mondays 3:30PM** Tuesday, June 28  Baby Lapsit 9:30AM Wednesday, June 29  Family Story Time 3PM  PJ Story Time 6:30PM Thursday, June 30  Toddler Story Time 10:30AM  Art Smart 3:30PM  Reading with Ryan 6-7PM** Sign up for our summer reading program at: https://medfordlibrary.beanstack.org/ and start logging your reading minutes on June 18th!
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Notes: ** - means registration REQUIRED. Please email ssednek@minlib.net to register.

-  For children 0-24 months
-  For children 2-3 years old
-  For children 0-5 years old
-  For children 3-7 years old
-  For children 8-12 years old
-  For school-aged children
-  For all ages

July 2022-Children's Programs



Tuesday, July 5

- Baby Lapsit 9:30AM
- ♥ Science Ice Cream! 3PM

Wednesday, July 6

- ▲ Family Story Time 3PM

Thursday, July 7

- ⚡ Toddler Story Time 10:30AM
- ♥ LEGO Club 3:30PM

Saturday, July 9

- ▲ Family Story Time 10AM

Monday, July 11

- ⚡ Maker Space Drop-In 6-8PM

Tuesday, July 12

- Baby Lapsit 9:30AM
- ⚡ Manga Drawing 3:30PM**

Wednesday, July 13

- ▲ Family Story Time 3PM

Thursday, July 14

- Singalong with Matt 10:30AM
- ♥ Art Smart 3:30PM

Friday, July 15

- ♥ Saving/Spending Lesson 3PM**

Tuesday, July 19

- Baby Lapsit 9:30AM

Wednesday, July 20

- ▲ Family Story Time 3PM
- ⚡ Decorative Sign Art 3PM**

Thursday, July 21

- ⚡ Toddler Story Time 10:30AM
- ⚡ Stop Motion 11:30AM**
- ♥ LEGO Club 3:30PM
- ⚡ STEM Kitchen 6PM**

Friday, July 22

- Rock-A-Bye Beats 12PM

Saturday, July 23

- ▲ Family Story Time 10AM

Monday, July 25

- ⚡ Maker Monday 3:30PM**

Tuesday, July 26

- Baby Lapsit 9:30AM

Tuesday, July 26 (cont.)

- ♥ Fairytale Science 2PM**
- ⚡ Drop-In Crafting 6-7PM

Wednesday, July 27

- ▲ Family Story Time 3PM
- ▲ PJ Story Time 6:30PM

Thursday, July 28

- ⚡ Toddler Story Time 10:30AM
- ♥ Art Smart 3:30PM
- ♥ Reading with Ryan 6-7PM**

Friday, July 29

- ⚡ Intro to Weaving 3PM**

Saturday, July 30

- ▲ Family Story Time 10AM

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- ∞ For all ages



August 2022-Children's Programs

Monday, August 1 Maker Space Drop-In 6-8PM	Thursday, August 11 (cont.) Art Smart 3:30PM Folk Music Lessons 6PM**	Tuesday, August 23 Baby Lapsit 9:30AM
Tuesday, August 2 Baby Lapsit 9:30AM Engineering Oceans 2PM**	Friday, August 12 Fizzy Chalk 11AM Rocket Build 3PM**	Wednesday, August 24 Family Story Time 3PM
Wednesday, August 3 Family Story Time 3PM	Saturday, August 13 Rocket Launch 1:30PM**	Thursday, August 25 Toddler Story Time 10:30AM Juggling Show 3:30PM** Reading with Ryan 6-7PM**
Thursday, August 4 Toddler Story Time 10:30AM LEGO Club 3:30PM	Tuesday, August 16 Baby Lapsit 9:30AM Bubble Mess 3PM	Friday, August 26 Look and Find Craft 3PM**
Saturday, August 6 Family Story Time 10AM	Wednesday, August 17 Family Story Time 3PM	Saturday, August 27 Family Story Time 10AM
Tuesday, August 9 Baby Lapsit 9:30AM Silly Cake Science! 3PM	Thursday, August 18 Toddler Story Time 10:30AM Farm Visit 3:30PM LEGO Club 3:30PM STEM Kitchen 6PM**	Monday, August 29 Maker Mondays 3:30PM**
Wednesday, August 10 Family Story Time 3PM	Saturday, August 20 Family Story Time 10AM	Tuesday, August 30 Baby Lapsit 9:30AM Drop-In Crafting 6-7PM
Thursday, August 11 Singalong with Matt 10:30AM		Wednesday, August 31 Family Story Time 3PM

Notes: ** - means registration REQUIRED. Please email ssednek@minlib.net to register.

- For children 0-24 months
- For children 2-3 years old
- For children 0-5 years old
- For children 3-7 years old
- For children 8-12 years old
- For school-aged children
- For all ages

Calendar of Events

June

Wednesday, June 1
LIBRARY CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC

Thursday, June 2
YA: ASL Program 3:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 4
Library Open House 10:00 a.m.

Monday, June 6
YA: Maker Monday 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 7
YA: Teen Game Night 6:30 p.m.
Makerspace Embroidery 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 8
ZOOM: Medicare Info 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, June 9
YA: ASL Program 3:30 p.m.
YA: Booktok Club 7:00 p.m.
Transgender 101 7:00 p.m.

Friday, June 10
YA: Trivia Night 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 11
Walking Tour 10:00 a.m.
Makerspace Assemblage 10:00 a.m.

Monday, June 13
YA: Manga Drawing 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 14
YA: Teen Maker Night 6:30 p.m.
Shakespearean Music 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 15
Game Night 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, June 16
YA: ASL Program 3:30 p.m.
YA: No-book Book Club 3:30 p.m.
December '41 7:00 p.m.

Monday, June 20
LIBRARY CLOSED FOR JUNETEENTH

Tuesday, June 21
YA: Pride Zines 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 22

Thursday, June 23
YA: ASL Program 3:30 p.m.
LGBTQ+ Book Group 7:00 p.m.

Monday, June 27
YA: Teen Creative Writing 3:30 p.m.
Makerspace Wire/Beads 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 28
Before Brooklyn 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 29
Writer's Workshop 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, June 30
YA: ASL Program 3:30 p.m.
YA: Craft Night 7:00 p.m.
Writing From Our Lives 7:00 p.m.

July

Monday, July 4
LIBRARY CLOSED FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY

Tuesday, July 5
YA: Teen Game Night 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 6
Game Night 6:00 p.m.
ZOOM: Gilded Age UK 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 9
Makerspace: Crochet 10:30 a.m.

Monday, July 11
YA: Maker Monday 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 12
YA: Teen Maker Night 6:30 p.m.
Sharks to Parks 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 14
YA: Booktok Club 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 16
Walking Tour 10:00 a.m.

Monday, July 18
YA: Manga Drawing 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 19
Learn Ukelele 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 20
Game Night 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 21
YA: No-book Book Club 3:30 p.m.
YA: Craft Night 6:30 p.m.
Music Social Change 7:00 p.m.

Monday, July 25
YA: Teen Creative Writing 3:30 p.m.
Makerspace Eye Pillows 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, July 26
ZOOM: Harry Potter Tour 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 27
YA: Trans 101 for Teens 6:30 p.m.
Writer's Workshop 7:00 p.m.

August

Monday, August 1
YA: Maker Monday 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 2
YA: Teen Game Night 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 3
Game Night 6:00 p.m.

Monday, August 8
YA: Manga Drawing 3:30 p.m.
Seed Saving 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 9
YA: Teen Maker Night 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, August 11
YA: Booktok Club 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 13
YA: Presentation Party 1:30 p.m.

Monday, August 15
YA: Teen Creative Writing 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 16
Game Night 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, August 17
YA: Lettering Workshop 6:30 p.m.
Probiotic Pickling 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 18
YA: No-book Book Club 3:30 p.m.

Saturday, August 20
Makerspace Prints 9:30 a.m.

Monday, August 22
Makerspace Stamping 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 23
YA: Block Printing 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 25
YA: Craft Night 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, August 31
Writer's Workshop 7:00 p.m.



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Children's Calendar of Events!



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Monday-Thursday:
9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Saturday: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
through June

*Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
in July and August

Open House!

Saturday June 4 from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Please join us for a public Open House
on Saturday, June 4.

Take your first look at the new library or stop by for
some fun. We'll have crafts, a photo booth, a
scavenger hunt and more.

This is an all ages open house and no reservations
are necessary. Parking may be limited.
We hope to see you there!!

