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The Main Library Pearl Street Entrance Is Open!

We will celebrate the improved and accessible entrance with an official celebration in the spring! In the meantime, please enjoy the beautiful new entrance on Pearl Street!

Lifelong Learning Lecture Series Resumes

Spring 2023 This free series is a partnership between **Framingham State**



University and Framingham Public Library. Our spring series starts February 9 and runs through May 4, at 7pm, at the Framingham Public Library (Main Library, Costin Room) and live on **YOUTUBE.** February lectures are listed on page 2, and full descriptions and all spring programs can be found on our WEBSITE.

Mini Horror Book Festival (Ashland/Framingham partner program)

ALL AGES! (aimed at older teen/adult) SATURDAY FEBRUARY 25, 12:30-3:30PM | ASHLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY We're so excited to welcome horror authors Gretchen Felker-Martin, Christopher Golden, Eric LaRocca, Errick Nunnally, and Paul Tremblay to Ashland for our very first Mini-Fest! The day will include a panel discussion (you can come in person or watch online!), small group conversations, and a book sale/signing. Grab your horror lovin' friends and join us. REGISTER.



Lunchtime Learning Series: Districts, Streets, & Luminaries: **An Early History of Framingham Schools**

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 3, 12PM | MAIN LIBRARY, COSTIN ROOM AND YOUTUBE LIVE Experience a brief history of Framingham Public Schools from 1700 to 1929 with Framingham History Center Director of Programs & Education Laura Rankin. You'll discover how the inspiration for school names evolved from districts, neighborhoods, and street names to prominent local and national public figures.



Sustainability Series: Show Me the Money...for Electric Vehicles

MONDAY FEBRUARY 6, 7PM | MAIN LIBRARY, COSTIN ROOM AND YOUTUBE LIVE Interested in electric vehicles? Are you a two car family looking to replace one soon? Find out what type of electric or hybrid electric vehicle might be right for you and where to charge up here in Framingham. Hear about those tax credits and incentives. Learn about a way to calculate costs to see if you can afford an EV today. NOTE: Please check our website for the rescheduled January Heat Pump progam.

The Bob Dodd Sunday Concert at FPL

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 12, 3PM | MAIN LIBRARY, COSTIN ROOM AND YOUTUBE LIVE The Aroma Duo featuring cellist Johnny Mok and pianist Tianhong Yang performs! The series is sponsored in part by: Middlesex Savings Bank Zeroche Bros. METRO st. mary's



Registration or program questions: email framinghamlibraryevents@gmail.com or call 508-532-5570.

Main Library

49 Lexington Street 508-532-5570 Monday-Thursday 9-9 Friday-Saturday 9-5 Sunday 1-5

Christa McAuliffe **Branch Library** 746 Water Street 508-532-5636 Monday-Thursday 9:30-9 Friday-Saturday 9:30-5 Sunday 12-4

Holiday Hours Both Libraries will be closed Sunday February 19 and Monday February 20 for Presidents' Day.

If you feel unwell, please don't enter the Library. Please maintain proper social distancing when in the Library.

Sign up for email updates of Library news and events on our homepage!

Funding for Library programs is provided in part by the Friends of the Framingham Library.



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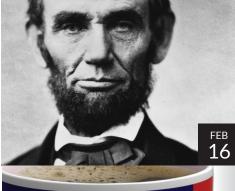
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McAuliffe Craft Ladies: **Junk Journals**

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 15, 7PM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH, COMMUNITY ROOM | Please join us for an adult craft night and create your own junk journal from envelopes. Embellish it with pictures, stickers, lace and other ephemera. **REGISTER.** Supplies and space are limited.







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Lifelong Learning 🙀 **Lecture Series**



Framingham

Spring 2023

This free Thursday evening SERIES is a partnership between Framingham State University (FSU) and Framingham Public Library. MAIN LIBRARY, COSTIN ROOM AND **YOUTUBE** LIVE. Sponsored by The Joseph L. and Ray L. Freund Foundation, courtesy of Elizabeth F. Fideler.

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 9, 7PM

Exploring Humane Standards in Animal Agriculture through **Documentary Film**

Dr. Audrey Kali, Professor of Communication, Media and Performance, FSU

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 16, 7PM A Divided Nation? What

Abraham Lincoln Can Teach Us About Our Own Political Divisions

Dr. David Smailes, Associate Professor of **Political Science, FSU**

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 23, 7PM **Can the Food Industry Be Part** of the Solution to Challenges in Food Systems?

Dr. Vinay Mannam, Associate Professor of Food Science, Department of Chemistry and Food Science, FSU

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MAIN LIBRARY COSTIN ROOM

Where the Crawdads Sing (2022) 2hr. 5min. PG-13. FRIDAY FEBRUARY 3, 7PM

Film Noir Club: The Woman in the Window (1944) 1hr. 39min. NR. SATURDAY FEBRUARY 4. 3:15PM

Matrix Resurrections (2021) 2hr. 28min. R. MONDAY FEBRUARY 27, 2PM

MCAULIFFE BRANCH COMMUNITY ROOM

If Beale Street Could Talk (2018) 1hr. 59min. R. SELEBAR) African WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 8, 1PM American/ Black History

The Notebook (2004) 2hr. 1min. PG-13. **TUESDAY FEBRUARY 14, 1PM**

Musical: The Phantom of the Opera (2004) 2hr. 23min. PG-13. THURSDAY FEBRUARY 16, 1PM

Animatinee: Princess Mononoke (1997) 2hr. 13min. PG-13. FRIDAY FEBRUARY 17, 2:30PM





TUESDAY FEBRUARY 14, 1:30-3:30PM | MAIN LIBRARY, SPARK LAB

Join us for some crafty fun just in time for Valentine's Day! Create a one of a kind card or assemble a charming pendant and coordinating gift box—or both! No experience or artistic talent required. All materials provided while supplies last.

Vintage Valentines

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 7, 3-8PM MCAULIFFE BRANCH. COMMUNITY ROOM

Did you know the woman credited with popularizing Valentine Cards was from Worcester? Make your own vintage Valentine Cards inspired by Esther Howland's lacy, fanciful designs to give out to friends and family.

Heart Art Mandalas

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 14. 3-7PM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH, COMMUNITY ROOM Create a mandala design of your own with local artist Samela St. Pierre. This meditative practice can help bring you to a peaceful and calm state.

Please visit our WEBSITE for more event details.



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BOOK CLUBS

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Club de Lectores: El amor en los tiempos del cólera por Gabriel García

Márquez (pages 175-348) LUNES 6 DE FEBRERO, 8PM | ZOOM | REGÍSTRESE. 3/6: Máscaras por Leonardo Padura (pages 1-120)

Adult Book Club: Snow

by John Banville TUESDAY FEBRUARY 7, 7PM | ZOOM | REGISTER. 3/7: TBA

Sci-Fi Book Club: The Light Brigade by Kameron Hurley

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 8, 7PM | ZOOM | REGISTER. 3/8: The Daughter of Doctor Moreau by Silvia Moreno-Garcia

MCAULIFFE BRANCH

Evening Book Club: Jane Eyre by Charlotte Bronte

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 14, 7PM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH, CRAFT ROOM AND ZOOM | **REGISTER** for the Zoom link. 3/14: TBA

Morning Book Club: Becoming Mrs. Lewis by Patti Callahan

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 16, 10AM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH, COMMUNITY ROOM AND ZOOM | REGISTER for the Zoom link. 3/16: TBA

Monthly Free Practice Interview Group

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 15, 3:30PM | MAIN LIBRARY, CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM

Want to improve your job interview skills? Join us for this free monthly practice session.

Veteran's At Ease **Coffee Hour**

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 17, 10AM | MCAULIFFE **BRANCH, COMMUNITY ROOM**

Join us and your local, fellow veterans on the third Friday of each month for free coffee and light refreshments. This program is a collaboration between the Framingham Public Library and the City of Framingham Veterans Services.

Adult Shuttle Loom Weaving Workshop

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 21, 6:30PM | MAIN LIBRARY, SPARK LAB

Learn to use a shuttle loom and weave a 6" wall hanging using yarn and other decorative items. **REGISTRATION** required. Supplies and space limited.

Come visit the **Bookmobile**



at this Community Event! Eastleigh Farmer's Market -

Valentine's Event SUNDAY FEBRUARY 12, 12-3PM | EASTLEIGH FARM, 1062 EDMANDS RD.

See our full CALENDAR. Veja nosso CALENDÁRIO completo. Todo nuestro CALENDARIO.

Board Game Night

MONDAY FEBRUARY 27, 7PM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH, COMMUNITY ROOM Inconceivable, a Princess Bride Board Game Night! Together, we will race through the Cliffs of Insanity and navigate the Fire Swamp, for Death cannot stop true love. All it can do is delay it for a while. Promises of Fencing, Fighting, Torture, Revenge, Monsters, Giants, Chases, Escapes, True Love, and Miracles!

ONGOING EVENTS

Tone & Stretch

with Laila Vehvilainen MONDAYS, 4:30PM | ZOOM (except 2/20) Tone your core and upper and lower body muscles followed by stretches. **REGISTER.**

Drop-in Adult Coloring



SECOND MONDAY OF THE MONTH. 6:30-8PM | MAIN LIBRARY, SPARK LAB Supplies provided for you-or bring vour own!

Advanced Poetry Workshop

led by Alan Feldman, Professor Emeritus, Framingham State University

TUESDAYS, 7:30-9:30PM | ZOOM This class welcomes serious poets with experience. If you are new to the group, **REGISTER** by noon on the day of the workshop.

Stretch & Relax

with Laila Vehvilainen WEDNESDAYS, 4:30PM | ZOOM Maintain flexibility, improve balance, and reduce stress. **REGISTER**.

Job Search Assistance on Zoom*

One-on-one Resume Building THURSDAYS, 9AM-1:30PM. REGISTER. *If you need access to a computer, email fplmail6@minlib.net or call the library at 508-532-5570.

Release, Relax, & Reinvigorate

THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH, 11AM | ZOOM Join Leslie Gabriele of With Love and Gratitude for guided meditation. **REGISTER.**

Yarn Social Clubs

WEDNESDAYS AND SECOND & FOURTH SATURDAYS, 10AM | MAIN LIBRARY Beginners welcome. WEDNESDAYS, 6PM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH

Puzzles

SECOND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH, 7PM | MAIN LIBRARY Stop by and grab a free puzzle to keep! FOURTH MONDAY OF THE MONTH. 7PM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH Swap a puzzle you've already completed or take a new one home to try!

Please click on images to borrow

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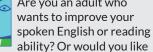
these titles.

RESOURCES

Literacy Unlimited



Join our community! Are you an adult who



to volunteer your time to help an adult achieve their English learning goals? To learn more about our English one-toone tutoring, our English Conversation classes, and our community, check out our website HERE. Or come see us and meet our new Program Coordinator, Michelle Cuata Monday-Thursday 9am-4pm or contact us at: <a href="mailto:fplmailto:fflmailto:fplmailto:fflmailto:fplmailt or 508-532-5574.

Homework Center

We provide free tutoring, homework and school project help to students K-12. We are open Monday through Thursday, 2:30-6pm.

We also facilitate academic enrichment book groups. Students read Framingham Public School recommended books and meet on a weekly basis to discuss and iournal about the characters, setting, plots, and themes in their books.

To be matched with a tutor or sign up to participate in a book group please contact lkilburn@minlib.net.



Framingham Business Resource Center

Starting a business, expanding your career or furthering your education? Visit the FBRC for thousands of online resources and video courses! Located on the 3rd floor of the Main Library. Learn more HERE.

Check out our YouTube

channel! Watch many of our programs, and find recipes, crafts, lessons, and more!

YOUNG ADULTS

Weekly Minecraft Collaborative Build Grades 4-12.

EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 2:30-4PM | FRAMINGHAM PUBLIC LIBRARY MINECRAFT SERVER Must be accepted on Minecraft server to participate, for more info visit HERE. Every Wednesday in February, we're going to be working on a group build in Creative Mode. Winter is almost over, so let's finish up our cozy mountain village!



Metal Stamping Workshop Grades 5-9.

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 2, 6:30-8PM | MAIN LIBRARY, SPARK LAB Learn to metal stamp and create jewelry to take home. Space and materials are limited.



Anime Club Grades 6-12.

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 4, 1-3PM | MAIN LIBRARY, COSTIN ROOM Watch your favorite anime and eat tasty Japanese snacks!

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Secrets of the Superheroes! Comic Book History and Workshop Grades 5-12. WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 8, 6:30-8PM | MAIN LIBRARY, CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM Calling all artists and future comic creators! Talk about your favorite superheroes, design your own characters, and show off your creations.

Video Game Hangout Grades 6-12.

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 9, 3-5PM | MAIN LIBRARY, COSTIN ROOM Play video games and eat snacks!

Horror authors are visiting the nearby town of Ashland on the 25th, so we're teaming up with them to celebrate the spooky this winter!

Moveable Mummies Grades 6-12.

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 16, 3-5PM | MAIN LIBRARY TUESDAY FEBRUARY 21, 3-5PM | MCAULIFFE BRANCH

Mini Horror Book

Festival ALL AGES EVENT! (aimed at older teen/adult) SATURDAY FEBRUARY 25, 12:30-3:30PM | ASHLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY Details on page 1.

Join us to make your own posable mummy figure while we watch a classic Mummy movie!

Special Effects Makeup Grades 6-12.

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 23, 6-7:30PM | ASHLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY Join the Ashland Public Library and Decimated Designs from New Britain, CT as they demonstrate the do's and don'ts of SFX makeup, hygiene, and how to get started exploring special effects on your own.

SUPPORTERS



Order Your Valentine's Day **Fudge** by February 3

Only a few days left but you still

have time to place your order. We have once again partnered with The Fudge Lady. Click HERE for the list of flavors available and how to place your order.

February 18 – Book Sale

All four book sale areas at the Main Library will be open from 10am to 3pm. Friends can have early access to the Bag Room and Book Sale Room at 9:30am. Books in the Friends Bookstore and Lobby can be purchased from 9am onward. Can't Make the Book Sale? Visit the Friends Bookstore at the Main Library. It's open when the Library is open.

Join the Friends: It's a bargain. Click HERE to join.

Framingham Public Library Foundation

The Framingham Public Library Foundation is raising funds to create and equip a new space in the Main Library for our Literacy Unlimited Program. Literacy



provides individual tutoring and group classes for adults wishing to learn English. To support this important project, click HERE or send a check to FPLF, 49 Lexington Street, Framingham, MA 01702, For information contact Ruth Winett at rwinett@rcn.com or 508-877-1938.

COMMUNITY PARTNERS

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CHILDREN'S

FEBRUARY 2023 PROGRAMS

MAIN LIBRARY SPECIAL EVENTS



Yeti Storytime & Craft All ages.

SAT. FEB. 4, 11:30AM-12PM | CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM | Join us for a fun-filled storytime and craft featuring a friendly Yeti!

Tube Trains Ages 3+. MON. FEB. 6, 11AM-12PM | Use recycled materials to create your own train!

Paper Plate Dinosaurs Ages 4+. TUE, FEB. 7, 10:30AM-12PM | Make vour own dinosaur to play with out of colored paper plates and toilet paper rolls.

SAT. FEB. 11, 11AM-12PM | Join us in making quilt crafts (traditional and non-traditional!) out of different materials.

Historical Valentines All ages. MON. FEB. 13, 6-7PM | Join us to learn about the Massachusetts history of Valentines, and then make a unique Valentine!

Gumdrop Critters Ages 7+.

MCAULIFFE BRANCH SPECIAL EVENTS

Community Open Play Ages 3-7. SAT. FEB. 4, 9:30AM-12PM | COMMUNITY ROOM Come enjoy open play time with our puppets, toys, and more. Pretend play fun!



Owl Pellet Exploration Ages 7-11.

WED. FEB. 15, 4-5PM | CRAFT ROOM | Bring your curiosity and find out what's inside owl pellets! **REGISTER.**

Open Lego & Block Build Ages 5+. THU. FEB. 16, 4-5PM | CRAFT ROOM | Drop in and be creative with Legos and Keva Planks.

Stuffed Animal Sleepover Ages 5-11. TUE. FEB. 21, ALL DAY DROP OFF BY 7PM / WED. FEB 22, ALL DAY PICKUP | CHILDREN'S ROOM Drop off your stuffed animal for their own overnight adventure in the library! Space is limited. Registration required at 508-532-5636 x4.

Stuffed Animal Storytime Ages 5-11. WED. FEB. 22, 11AM | CHILDREN'S ROOM | Drop by to pick up your stuffed animal and stay for storytime!

Studio Ghibli Movie and Craft Afternoon - Howl's Moving Castle Ages 8-12.

THU. FEB. 23, 2-4PM | COMMUNITY ROOM, CRAFT ROOM | Watch a movie and then make some cool Howl jewelry!



Quilt Crafts Ages 6+.

Valentine's Day Craft Ages 2+. TUE. FEB. 14, 11AM-12PM | Make a surprise Valentine's Day themed craft.

WED. FEB. 15. 4:30-5:30PM | Make a mini animal out of gumdrops! Gumdrops are to craft, not to eat.

Vacation Week Movie: Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse (2018) Rated PG. 116 mins. TUE. FEB. 21, 11AM | COSTIN ROOM | Miles Morales

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February 19 and Monday February 20 for

Winter Reading Cookie

Club Wrap-up Party

MAIN LIBRARY, CHILDREN'S

Join us for a cookies and hot cocoa party with prizes and more to wrap

up our winter reading program!

Please visit our WEBSITE for more

49 Lexington Street | 508-532-5570

Mon.-Thu. 9-9 | Fri.-Sat. 9-5 | Sun. 1-5

746 Water Street | 508-532-5636

Mon.-Thu. 9:30-9 | Fri.-Sat. 9:30-5 |

Both Libraries will be closed Sunday

Christa McAuliffe Branch Library

event details.

Main Library

Sun. 12-4

Holiday Hours

Presidents' Day.

SAT. FEB. 25, 1-3PM |

PROGRAM ROOM AND MCAULIFFE BRANCH,

COMMUNITY ROOM

Spinner Challenge!

make a craft. Fun for the whole family!

Lego League Ages 5+.

SELEBRAY. African American Black History

join with five spider-powered individuals from other dimensions to stop a threat for all realities. Closed Captions in English provided. Stuffed Animal Sleepover Grades K-5.

becomes the Spider-Man of his universe, and must

TUE. FEB. 21, ALL DAY DROP OFF / WED. FEB. 22, ALL DAY PICKUP | CHILDREN'S ROOM Drop off your stuffed animal for their own overnight adventure in the library!

Cardboard Lacing Snowflakes Ages 8+. WED. FEB. 22, 2-4PM | Practice your hand sewing techniques with this snowflake craft.

Stuffed Animal Storvtime Grades K-5. WED. FEB. 22, 5:30PM | CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM | Drop by to pick up your stuffed animal and stay for storytime!

Alma Thomas Collages Ages 5+.

THU. FEB. 23, 2-3:30PM | Celebrate Black artist Alma Thomas by making a colorful collage inspired by her paintings. Sunday Family Storytime All ages.

SUN. FEB. 26, 3-3:30PM | CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

ROOM | Read stories, sing interactive songs, and

MON. FEB. 27, 4:30-6:30PM | Make a Lego creation

based on each month's theme. February's theme is



Color Field Painting Ages 5-11. TUE. FEB. 7, 4-5PM | CRAFT ROOM Celebrate Black History Month by



painting in the style of famous artist Alma Thomas. Valentine Card Drop In All ages.

WED.-FRI. FEB. 8-10, 3:30-5PM | CRAFT ROOM Stop by to design and make Valentine's Day cards.

Sponge Painting Ages 3-5. FRI. FEB. 10, 10-11AM | CRAFT ROOM | Paint something creative with other preschool age friends.

Studio Ghibli Movie and Craft Morning -My Neighbor Totoro Ages 5+.

SAT. FEB. 11, 10AM-12PM | COMMUNITY ROOM, CRAFT ROOM | Roll out of bed and come to the library to watch a movie and then do a craftpajamas optional!

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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Historical Valentines 6-7pm @ Main	Valentine's Day Craft 11-12pm @ Main	Owl Pellet Exploration 4-5pm @ MCA Gumdrop Critters 4:30-5:30pm @ Main	Open Lego/Block Build 4-5pm @ MCA		
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	Closed	Into the Spiderverse 11am @ Main Book Bingo 4-5pm @ MCA	Garageband Beats 11-1pm @ Main Lacing Snowflakes 2-4pm @ Main	Studio Ghibli + Craft 2-4pm @ MCA Alma Thomas Collages 2-3:30pm @ Main		Winter Reading Cookie Club Party 1-3pm @ Main + MCA
26	27	SPIDERAMAN	Sensory Crafts			
Sunday Family Storytime 3-3:30pm @ Main	Lego League 4:30-6:30pm @ Main	INTO THE SPIDER-VERSE	Soft Obstacle Course Sat. Feb. 4, 10:30-11 @ Main Loose Parts Play/Sorting Sat. Feb. 25, 10:30-11 @ Main		Stuffed Animal Sleepover Tue. Feb. 21 Drop Off @ Main + MCA Wed. Feb. 22 Pickup @ Main + MCA	
Weekly Storytime (Ages 2-5)Weekly Baby IMcAuliffe: Mondays, 10-10:30amMcAuliffe: TuesdaysMain: Thursdays, 10-10:30amMain: Fridays			Neurodiverse Storytime Sat. Feb. 11 10-11am @ MCA	Stuffed Animal Storytime Wed. Feb. 22 10AM @ MCA Wed. Feb. 22 5:30PM @ Main		

TWEEN EVENTS

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Grades 5-9. THU. FEB. 2, 6:30-8PM | MAIN LIBRARY, SPARK LAB Learn to metal stamp and create jewelry to take home. Space and materials are limited.

Secrets of the Superheroes! **Comic Book History and Workshop** Grades 6-12.

WED. FEB. 8, 6:30-8PM | MAIN LIBRARY, CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM Talk about your favorite superheroes, design your own characters, and bring your artwork to show!

GarageBand Beats Grades 4-8

WED. FEB. 22, 11AM-1PM | MAIN LIBRARY, SPARK LAB Come and learn how to use GarageBand to create unique music. Bring your own iPad or use one of ours. **REGISTRATION required** if you would like to borrow an iPad.



ONGOING EVENTS

Weekly Storytimes Ages 2-5.

MONDAYS 10-10:30AM (EXCEPT FEB. 20) | MCAULIFFE, CHILDREN'S ROOM THURSDAYS 10-10:30AM | MAIN, CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM Drop in every week for age appropriate stories and craft with your favorite Children's Librarian.

Baby Lapsit Ages 0-2 and their caregivers. TUESDAYS 10-10:30AM | MCAULIFFE, COMMUNITY ROOM Includes stories, songs, and a sensory component. FRIDAYS 10:30-11AM | MAIN, CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM Sing and play with words, rhyme, and puppets!

Early Childhood Alliance Events Sign up HERE! Play, Learn, & Grow Together TUESDAYS 10AM EARLY CHILDHOOD ALLIANCE Let's Go to Kindergarten FRIDAYS 12PM

Sensory Crafts

Fun, safe, and simple sensory activities to help your baby/toddler explore. Soft Obstacle Course Ages 1-4. SAT. FEB. 4, 10:30-11AM | MAIN, CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM

Loose Parts Play & Sorting Ages 1-4. SAT. FEB. 25, 10:30-11AM | MAIN, CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ROOM

Neurodiverse Storytime Ages 5-10.

SAT. FEB. 11, 10-11AM | MCAULIFFE, COMMUNITY ROOM Storytime for a neurodiverse audience. Parent or supporting adult should accompany each child. Registration required at 508-532-5636 x 4 or drop by to sign up. Walk-ins welcome as space allows.

Please visit our WEBSITE for more event details.