Sambeleza in Concert!
Wednesday September 7, 7:00pm –
Main Library, Costin Room
Sambeleza performs a wide variety of
Brazilian songs—both old and new—with
a jazz twist. Featured composers include
Tom Jobim, Ivan Lins and Ary Barroso, as
well as younger composers like Djavan, Dani
and Debora Gurgel and Arlindo Cruz. To round out the
mix, the group also performs a number of original compositions. Refreshments.

Sunday Concert: Duo Soleo
Sunday September 25, 3:00pm – Main
Library, Costin Room
Pianist Minna Han and Violinist Joo-in Lee
perform the works of Mozart, Debussy, and Franck.
Refreshments.

I Now Pronounce You: Lucy Stone (1811-1893)
With Historical Interpreter: Judith Kalaora, Actress, Founder of History at Play
Wednesday September 28, 7:00pm – Main Library, Costin Room
Judith Kalaora brings history to life as she portrays Lucy Stone (1811-1893), a
woman who is never one to take the easy road. In this fiery presentation, Lucy
describes the tension of Antebellum Boston. Her discussion encompasses the
gender caste system, and the fierce abolitionist and suffragette movements.

COMING OCTOBER 4-11

The Main Library Book Club:
Title TBD – Tuesday October 4, 7:00pm

Bobby Kennedy: The Making of a Liberal Icon
NY Times bestselling author Larry Tye will talk about his new book –
Thursday October 6, 7:00pm

Friday Night Film: Title TBD – Friday
October 7, 7:00pm

Adventures in Lifelong Learning:
Classes begin for registered students –
Tuesday, October 11
**Framingham Public Library and Framingham State University Lifelong Lecture Series – Fall 2016**

A partnership between Framingham State University (FSU) and Framingham Public Library (FPL). All lectures take place in the Main Library, Costin Room on Thursday evenings at 7:00pm.

**September 15 – Successful Aging: Physical, Mental and Social Well-being in Older Adulthood**  
**Presenter:** Nicole Rossi, Assistant Professor, FSU. A discussion on aging, with a particular focus on the maintenance of physical and cognitive function, and sustained social engagement.

**September 22 – Adams and Jefferson: A Revolutionary Dialogue**  
**Presenter:** Gary Hylander, Professor Emeritus. This lecture explores the way these two philosopher-statesmen sought to give meaning and memory to the American Revolution.

**September 29 – The Rise and Fall of Slavery in the United States**  
**Presenter:** Maria Bollettino, Assistant Professor, FSU. An introduction to the history of slavery and its abolition in the United States, with particular attention paid to New England.

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**FILMS**

**Main Library, Costin Room**

**Documentary Film: Weiner**  
(2016) 96 min R (for language and some sexual material)  
**Wednesday September 14, 7:00pm**  
An examination of disgraced New York Congressman Anthony Weiner’s catastrophic race for Mayor of New York City in 2013, as the real-time story of his second sexting scandal explodes wide open. “…it’s the must-see nonfiction film of the year.”  
(“Minneapolis Star Tribune”). Refreshments.

**Matinee Film: The Meddler**  
(2015) 100 min PG-13 (for brief drug content)  
**Monday September 19, 2:00pm**  
Widow Marnie Minervini has relocated to be near her daughter, a successful, single screenwriter, and smother her with motherly love. When tensions mount between them, Marnie finds a way to channel her eternal optimism to change the lives of others.

**Friday Night Film: Love & Friendship**  
(2016) 92 min PG  
**Friday September 23, 7:00pm**  
Lady Vernon takes up residence at her in-laws' estate and is determined to be a matchmaker for her daughter—and herself. Starring Kate Beckinsale and Chloë Sevigny. "Love & Friendship is quick, clever and delightful, very funny and hugely entertaining." ("Toronto Sun"). Refreshments. *Enter on the Lexington Street side between 6:30-7:15pm.*

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**Christa McAuliffe Branch Library Brick Engraving**

Buy an engraved brick to honor or remember family and friends. **But hurry as the deadline is September 15.** We will install your brick to the left of the center walkway as you face the Christa McAuliffe Branch Library.  
To purchase, go to www.brick.fplf.org or pick up a brochure at either library.

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**Main Library Book Club**

**A Man Called Ove**  
by Fredrik Backman  
**Tuesday September 6, 7:00pm – Main Library, Trustees Room**  
Ove is a complete curmudgeon with a short fuse. People call him “the bitter neighbor from hell.” But, behind his gruff exterior there is a sadness. That is, until his life is turned upside down when a chatty family moves in next door. From there, it turns into a comical tale of chaos and unexpected friendship. “A charming debut…You’ll laugh, you’ll cry, you’ll feel new sympathy for the curmudgeons in your life…” (People)

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**Game Night!**

**Thursday September 8, 7:00pm – Main Library, Costin Room**  
Back by popular demand!  
Ever play Settlers of Catan? How about Balderdash?  
Join our own game aficionado Thomas Samblanet and play old favs like Scrabble and Monopoly or try something new! Bring friends and family. All ages are welcome. Refreshments.

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**Seed Lending Library Talk**

**Tuesday September 20, 7:00pm – Christa McAuliffe Branch Library, Community Room**  
Tom Hanson from Hanson’s Farm, a fifth generation farm on Nixon Road in Framingham, will join us for an informal talk on The Hanson’s Tomato and Other Seed-saving Tips. Hanson’s Farm has a farm stand, farmers’ markets, pick-your-own vegetables, and C.S.A. shares available. This will also be a chance for you to swap seeds or cuttings from your garden!

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**Drop-in Resume Help**  
**Tuesdays September 6, 20 and 27, 10:00am-12:30pm – Main Library**  
Get expert help with resumes, cover letters and job-search strategies.
LVM Literacy Unlimited

LVM Literacy Unlimited is the adult tutoring program sponsored by the Library. Are you interested in teaching a student to read or write? We are offering 

Basic Literacy tutor training this fall. Information session: Wednesday, September 14 (10:30am-noon, Main Library, J Craft Room). The training sessions will meet on subsequent Wednesdays (10:00am-1:00pm beginning September 21).

We are offering English for Speakers of Other Languages tutor training starting October 25 (evening) and November 9 (daytime). For more information, please contact our office at 508-532-5574.

We are opening the waitlist for new students the second week of September—please let your friends know! Unfortunately, the wait for a tutor is still 9 months to a year. The complete schedule for registration is on the website: framinghamlibrary.org/literacy/our-program/.

The Homework Center

We offer free tutoring for all Framingham students K-12. We are open Monday-Thursday from 2:30-5:30pm. The Homework Center Student Advisory Board will also have their first meeting of the year, that afternoon at 4:00pm.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please contact jgatlin@minlib.net.

Ongoing Food Drive at the Main Library

Please consider donating to our food drive to support the Hope Worldwide Framingham Food Pantry! The Pantry’s most-needed items are: canned tuna, rice, oatmeal, canned fruit, pasta & pasta sauce. Please, no glass containers. If you prefer to write a check, you can it mail it to: Hope Worldwide Food Pantry, 214 Concord Street, Framingham, MA 01702. THANK YOU for helping to stamp out hunger in our community!

The Brown Bag Learning Series

Join us from 12-1:00pm one Friday a month for an informal lunch time program featuring speakers from local businesses and organizations. A wide range of topics will be discussed that are educational and entertaining.

The Brown Bag Learning Series is free to the public. Guests are welcome to bring their lunch; refreshments will be provided. Main Library, Costin Room.

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 9: TREASURES IN YOUR ATTIC Presented by Sherry Cohen

FRIDAY OCTOBER 14: LIVING WITH DIABETES Presented by Dr. Lock, Metrowest Medical Center

For the latest information please visit us at www.framinghamlibrary.org
Main Library Special Events

**Book Bingo**
Saturday September 17, 3-4:00pm, J Craft Room, Main Library. *Grades K+.*
Prizes, laughs, and best of all—books! Join us for our ever-popular Book Bingo.

**Early Release Open Lego**
Thursday September 29, 3-5:00pm, J Craft Room. *Grades K+.*
Drop in and make something creative with our supplied LEGOs. Look through our LEGO idea books to make something super exciting or design your own structure! Leave your name with the creation, and we’ll display it on top of our shelves for a month!

Christa McAuliffe Branch Events

**Weekly Storytimes**
Mondays 10-10:20am, Children’s Room, ages 2-4, Drop-in.

**Drop-in Baby Lapsit Storytime**
Tuesdays 10-10:30am, Children’s Room. *Ages 0-2 with an adult.*
Come sing and play with words, rhyme and puppets at baby lapsit time.

**“Welcome, Kindergarteners!” Storycraft**
Saturday September 10, 10-11:00am, Craft Room. *Grade K.*
Practice skills and have fun as you prepare for the school year. Materials sponsored by the Museum of Science.

**Book Buddy Reading to Dogs**
Saturday September 17, 10-11:00am, Craft Room. *All ages.*
Registration required. Call 508-532-5636 x5 or drop by to sign up for a 15 minute slot.
Improve your reading skills the fun way by reading aloud to your new Book Buddy. Certified Reading/Therapy Dog, Chewie, listens as children read aloud from a book of their choice.

**Book Buddy Reading to Dogs**
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**Music by David Polansky**
Thursday September 29, 2:30-3:30pm, Children’s Room. *Ages 4+.*
Join us for a lively performance of songs and fun.

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Enhanced search functions allow you to uncover treasures in our catalog and you can quickly delve into our Digital Collection, browse new arrivals, and spot events of interest. Easily unearth history, find your ancestors, check Consumer Reports, reserve a museum pass, and so much more, from your computer or mobile device.

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