

# Goodnow Library

December 2012  
Volume 2, Number 12

## LIBRARY HOURS

### Regular Hours

- Monday-Thursday: 9 am-9 pm
- Friday-Saturday: 9 am-5 pm
- Sunday: 2-5 pm

### CLOSED for Christmas



- Monday, December 24, closed 1 pm
- Tuesday, December 25, closed all day

### CLOSED for New Year's Eve/Day



- Monday, December 31, closed at 4 pm
- Tuesday January 1, closed all day

## Welcome to Goodnow

### Message from the director:



Library Director  
Esmé Green

### Discover Goodnow in 2013

Did you realize that December starts on the same day of the week as September every year and ends on the same day as April every year? **Good to know.** Did you also know that our Reference staff is here to answer just about any question you could have? **Good to know.** There are many things you may not know, but can learn at the library! Throughout 2013, while Goodnow celebrates its Sesquicentennial, we will be offering an array of programming and events to honor the 150 year history of this institution. One way you will be able to learn everything about the library and participate in the celebration will be through the Sesquicentennial Scavenger Hunt. Discover Goodnow throughout the year by uncovering **Good-to-Knows.** The **Good-to-Knows** will appear in the newspaper, on our website and Facebook pages, as well as at library events. We will have versions for kids, teens and adults, and by uncovering a **Good-to-Know**, you will be eligible to win a Kindle, iPad or other prizes.

We are full of ideas for celebrating and looking for your help! If you are interested in joining our planning committee, please contact me directly.

Wishing you every happiness for the holidays and the coming New Year.

Best,

Esmé



## December 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2	<b>3</b> » <a href="#">4:30 PM Benson the Reading Therapy Dog-Sign-up Required</a>	<b>4</b> » <a href="#">10:30 AM Mama Ballroom Registration Required</a> » <a href="#">4:00 PM National Cookie Day</a> » <a href="#">4:15 PM Sudbury Family Network Musical Program</a>	<b>5</b> » <a href="#">10:30 AM Baby &amp; Me - Ages 0-2 (Sign-up Required)</a> » <a href="#">11:00 AM SING-A-LONG</a>	<b>6</b> » <a href="#">10:00 AM Story and Craft 2+</a> » <a href="#">3:30 PM IMAGIMOTION: Ages 2-5</a> » <a href="#">4:00 PM IMAGIMOTION: Ages 2-5</a>	<b>7</b> » <a href="#">11:00 AM Drop-in Craft: Pine Cone Bird Feeder</a>	8
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# Weekly Children's Programs

## Mondays:



### Read to Benson, a Trained Therapy Dog



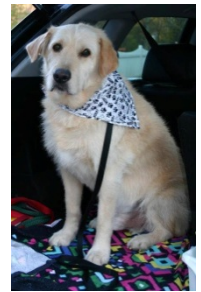
[December 3, 4:30 pm](#) | [December 10, 4:30 pm](#) | [December 17, 4:30 pm](#)

15 minute reading sessions are available. This program is designed to encourage reading and develop important literacy skills.

Please stop by the Children's Room to register or call 978-443-1035 ext. 3

For additional information on therapy dog training, please visit:

[http://www.petsandpeoplefoundation.org/petsandpeoplefoundation/About\\_Us.html](http://www.petsandpeoplefoundation.org/petsandpeoplefoundation/About_Us.html)



## Tuesdays:



[December 4, 10:30 pm](#) | [December 11, 10:30 pm](#) | [December 18, 10:30 pm](#)



The Goodnow Library is pleased to welcome dance instructor Monica Schauweker for a new mother and infant dance class!

**This Program is for Infants (Ages 6 Weeks to 1 Years Old)**

Do you have an infant and are looking for ways to stay healthy or start getting back into shape? Having trouble finding activities to do to ward off those baby blues? Want to find a hobby that promotes stress relief and wellbeing for both you and your baby? For more information about Mama Ballroom, please visit: <http://www.mamaballroom.com/>. And check out this [photo gallery](#) at [Wicked Local](#)! **Registration Required:** [December 4](#) | [December 11](#) | [December 18](#)

# Weekly Children's Programs

## Wednesdays:



[December 5 10:30 am](#) | [December 12, 10:30 am](#) | [December 19, 10:30 am](#)

Children from birth through age 2 are invited to join Miss Amy for a lapsit story time featuring songs and rhymes to encourage parent/child interaction and movement, as well as a couple of very, very short stories!



**Registration Required:** [December 5 \(Waiting List\)](#) | [December 12](#) | [December 19](#)



## Thursdays:



## Storytime and Craft

[December 6, 10 am](#) (Hanukkah) | [December 13, 10 am](#) |

[December 20, 10 am](#) (Christmas) | [December 27, 10 am](#)



**Please join us for a story and craft. This program is formatted for children ages 2 & up.**

# Special Children's Programs



## SING-A-LONG WITH JAMES LEPLER

[Wednesday, December 5, 11 am](#)



James Lepler has been performing and writing songs for over 20 years for kids and grownups alike. His programs are a fun mix of music, rhythm and movement for children ages 5 and under.

You can preview songs from his CD "Had To Dance" on [iTunes](#) and check out his website [www.kidsnharmony.com](http://www.kidsnharmony.com).



[Thursday, December 6, 3:30 pm](#) | [Thursday, December 6, 4 pm](#)  
[Thursday, December 20, 3:30 pm](#) | [Thursday, December 20, 4 pm](#)

Imagimotion Kidz provides children with the opportunity, through movement, to imagine, explore, discover, and maximize their potential. Our specially designed movement activities promote development of motor skills and fitness through fun, creative experiences.

**This program is for children ages 2 through 5**



Patty Barr is the founder of Imagimotion Kidz and has been teaching creative movement classes at local preschools and child care centers for the past 20 years. For more information on Imagimotion, please visit:

<http://www.imagimotionkidz.com/>

**Registration Required - Space is limited**

[Thursday, December 6, 3:30 pm](#) (Waiting List) | [Thursday, December 6, 4 pm](#)  
[Thursday, December 20, 3:30 pm](#) | [Thursday, December 20, 4 pm](#)

# Special Children's Programs

## DROP-IN CRAFTS

[Friday, December 7, 11 am](#)

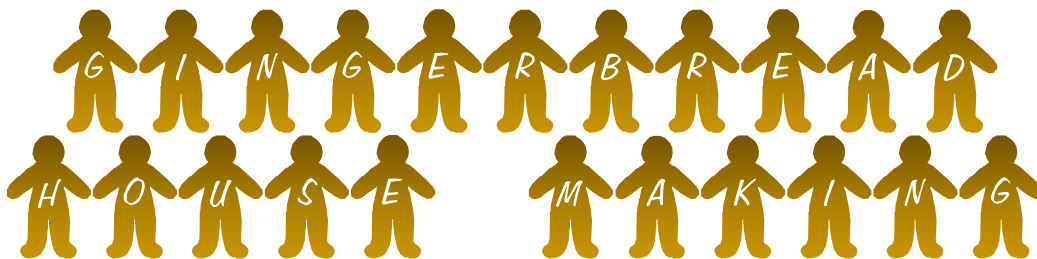


**Make a Pine Cone Bird Feeder**

**with Miss Laura**

**Ages 3 & up**

**\*PLEASE BRING A CONTAINER TO CARRY YOUR CREATION HOME\***



[Tuesday Dec 11, 2012, 11 am](#) | [Tuesday Dec 11, 2012, 4 pm](#)

**For Ages 3+**

**\*PLEASE BRING A LARGE CONTAINER FOR SAFE TRANSPORT**

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED:**

[11 am](#) | [4 pm \(Waiting List\)](#)



# Special Children's Programs

## Marcia and Mark Wilson Present: "Who's Watching You? Owls of the World"

[Wednesday, December 12, 2 pm](#)

Everyone loves owls! Yet, how many of us have ever **seen a live owl** up close?

Join naturalist Marcia Wilson and photographer Mark Wilson in sharing their passion for owls! **"Who's Watching You? Owls of the World"** will introduce you to the owls of New England.

Mark and Marcia will share the field marks, signs and naturalist's skills that you can use to find wild owls without disturbing them, while introducing you to **six live owls up close**.



Mark and Marcia Wilson are a charismatic team who teach, study, photograph and share their passion for the

natural world. Each has nurtured a fascination for nature since childhood. Both have biology degrees and

share a keen interest in birds. The program is certain to be a hoot for one and all.

For additional information, please visit: <http://www.eyesonowls.com/index.htm>

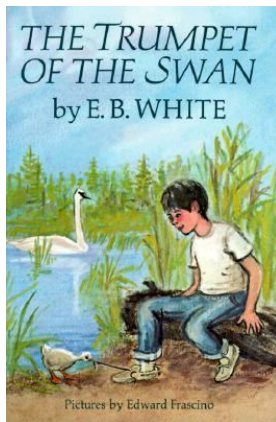
[REGISTRATION REQUIRED - SPACE IS LIMITED](#)



# Special Children's Programs

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Book Group

Wednesday, December 12, 7 pm



**Calling all Third Graders - join Miss Heather at the Goodnow Library for a book discussion.**

**This month we are discussing E.B. White's *The Trumpet of the Swan*.**

Registration Required



**Mr. Malcolm's Jammin' Science Presents: Liquids**  
Thursday, December 13, 4:30 pm

**Recommended for Ages 4-8**



**For additional information about Jam Time Indoor Play & Entertainment Center, please visit <http://www.jamtime.com>**



[Registration Required](#)

# Special Children's Programs



## Lego Club



[Thursday, December 13, 7 pm](#)

Lego Building Challenge

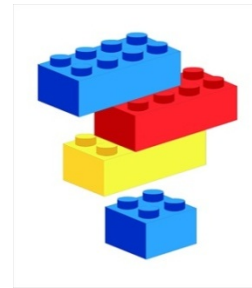


**AGES 9 & UP**

[REGISTRATION REQUIRED](#)

[Thursday, December 27, 7 pm](#)

LEGO CLUB



Children ages 6 & up can make fun Lego creations at the Library.

**DROP-IN PROGRAM**



## **Holiday Movie**

[Friday, December 14, 11 am](#)



***Prep & Landing Plus Naughty vs. Nice***

**Bring a friend and watch a movie at the library!**



# Special Children's Programs



**Holiday Story & Reindeer Crunch Making**



*Enjoy a Holiday Story & Make Reindeer Crunch with Miss Heather!*

**Magic Reindeer Food**

Sprinkle on the lawn at night  
The moon will make it sparkle bright,  
Santa's reindeer fly and roam,  
This will help them find your home!



[REGISTRATION REQUIRED \(Waiting List\)](#)



## Holiday Caroling

[Friday, December 21, 11 pm](#)

**Please join us for Non-Denominational Holiday Caroling  
in the Children's Room!**



# Special Children's Programs



## Superhero Extravaganza



Wednesday, December 26, 11 am

Calling All Superheroes! Do you love superheroes and comic books? Test your knowledge of superheroes and villains in a fun-filled trivia game. Challenge your super powers and make a costume to wear while saving the world.

AGES 4 to 8

Registration Required



## Afternoon Movie

Wednesday, December 26, 2 pm

**Bring a friend and watch a movie at the library!**



## Family Movie

Friday, December 29, 11 am

**Bring a friend and watch a movie at the library**



# Adult Book Clubs

## "The Bookies" Book Discussion Group Tuesday, December 11, at 6:30 pm

The "Bookies" met to discuss **The Red Garden** by Alice Hoffman in October. As one of our members remarked, the author planted a clever 'fairy tale' for adults. Her story might have been 'in the red garden', but the Bookies were 'in the black' by the time we finished praising her fine novel. As a bonus, we also discussed the 1959 film, **On the Beach**, with Gregory Peck and Ava Gardner. The subject of nuclear extermination was bleak, but the "Bookies", of course, survived all bets!

The "Bookies" next title is **84, Charing Cross Road** by Helene Hanff. Published in 1970, it chronicles the New York author's 20 year correspondence with a British book dealer. If you care for a briskly and keenly written character study of friendship in the place and time of post-World War II, then you'll certainly enjoy this book. Rare and finely crafted books themselves are a feature within this warm and rich tale.

Feel free to pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. On this unique occasion, the "Bookies" will view the film based on the book, starring Anne Bancroft and Anthony Hopkins, followed by a lively discussion of the book and film.



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## Books in Bloom Book Group



We're taking time off for the holidays!

Watch for new dates in 2013!

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## The Goodnow Book Club for Grown up Girls Monday, January 15, 7 pm at the Fairbank Community Center

Interested in reading smart, fun, modern fiction for women? Want to get together with other like-minded souls to talk about books? Why not try the newest book club in town: The Goodnow Book Club for Grown Up Girls, jointly sponsored by the Goodnow Library and the Sudbury Park & Recreation Department.

January's title is the [Widower's Tale](#) by [Julia Glass](#)

*Enjoying an active but lonely rural life, 70-year-old Percy haplessly allows a progressive preschool to move into his barn and transform his quiet home into a lively, youthful community that compels him to reexamine the choices he made in the decades after his wife's death.*



Books will be available at the circulation desk of the Goodnow Library.

This event is free and open to the public, but you must register by calling 978-443-1092.



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# IN THE MCQUEEN GALLERY

## Gail and Layla Mays: "Those Moments"

Memories are formed by moments that stood out in our life, like a chain of beads. Some moments are more prominent than others. They stood out; we are compelled to go back to revisit them in our later days.

When I feel overwhelmed by that particular moment, I would like to transform it into art. It displays itself in front of my eyes and is given a chance to sing out its long last tone like a plucked string on an instrument. As an exchange, I will thereafter always remember what it was like at its striking moment.

Gail Mays, a Sudbury resident for the last twenty years, is a molecular biologist and published writer of six books. She did not receive any formal institutional education in art. However, art has been a passion of hers since her childhood and she persistently explores it on her own. She uses different media to record those striking moments and thoughts in her life. She started experimenting fabric collage six years ago. The pieces on display at Goodnow Library are some of her works in watercolor and collage. She hand sewed the collage works using her children's childhood clothes incorporated with designer fabric.

Layla Mays, a junior at Lincoln-Sudbury High, observes the world in an abstract way. She expresses her ideas in different forms of continues lines. When she was little, she used to cover the entire long driveway at her family house with continues chalk lines. As she grew bigger, those lines moved onto paper with growing sophistication. She enjoys inventing pictures out of parallel and winding lines. She also paints fantastical landscapes and inspiring abstractions.



Layla Mays Gail Mays



# Getting More from Your Library

## Volunteer Opportunities



Would you be willing to assist the library in sorting and shelving its incoming materials delivery? We are looking for someone with basic computer skills, good organizational skills, and an interest in helping us serve the public in a vital way. The process takes about 3-4 hours start to finish, from the point when our delivery arrives on Fridays (usually between 11:30 and 12:30), and involves the following: emptying bins of library materials (usually between 10 and 20 bins) onto carts,

processing materials which have been reserved by Sudbury library patrons, and filing all of these alphabetically on our reserve shelves. There is some standing, sitting, and moving of loaded, wheeled carts involved. Staff will train, and are available throughout the process to answer questions



## Online Resource of the Month: [Cypress Résumé](#)

### Cypress Resume

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[Library.minlib.net](http://Library.minlib.net)

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## About the Library

The Goodnow Library is a lifelong recreational and learning/informational resource and community center for Sudbury. The library assists users of all ages and interests in meeting personal, educational, vocational and social goals that contribute to their well-being and to reaching their potential as individuals and as members of a democratic society. Goodnow strives to enhance the quality of life of all users, to strengthen the fabric of the Sudbury community and to promote a well informed and enlightened citizenry.

