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## Library Hours

- Mon-Thurs:  
9 am-9 pm
- Fri-Sat:  
9 am-5 pm
- Sunday,  
2 pm-5 pm
- **Closed**  
*Fri, Dec. 2  
for Staff  
Development*
- **Closed** 1-5 pm  
*on Sat, Dec 24*
- **Closed**  
*Sun, Dec 25 &  
Mon, Dec 26*
- **Closed**  
*Sat, Dec 31,  
Sun, January 1  
& Mon, Jan 2*

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## Welcome!

Welcome to our new monthly e-newsletter! You will receive it shortly before the start of each month, and each issue will contain information about upcoming library programs and events. This newsletter is brought to you by the Goodnow Library staff, and its purpose is to better inform our patrons of events happening at the library.

The Goodnow library is proud to offer free programs and services to all the residents of Sudbury and its surrounding communities. Please visit our [website](#) to learn about all we have to offer, including 24/7 access to a variety of [online resources](#), access to your [library account](#), and more. We love to hear your suggestions, so don't hesitate to send them our way, anytime.

Happy Holidays and best wishes for a Happy New Year.

*You are receiving this e-newsletter because you subscribed to the Goodnow Library email list. If you wish to be removed, please let us know.*

## For the holidays...

### Mitten Tree

- The Children's Room will have a **Mitten Tree donation drive** from December 6th to January 6th. Children can donate a new pair of gloves or mittens. The donations will go to local families in need. Please help us fill up our donation tree to help us all stay warm this holiday season.

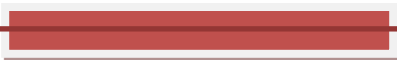
## Looking for an unusual holiday gift?

- The Goodnow Library can help! Library donations make great holiday gifts. Instead of giving another fruitcake or scarf, make a donation to the Goodnow Library in the name of your friend or loved one. A book or other donation to the library will benefit people throughout the community for years to come. Library donations are lasting and fitting memorials or tributes to friends or loved ones. They provide needed material for library patrons and signify your thoughtfulness. To make a donation, please fill out this [form](#) and bring or mail it to the library with your check made out to the **Friends of the Goodnow Library**.



# Children's Program Calendar

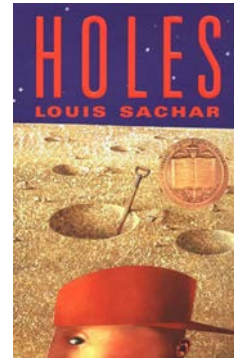
- Thursday, December 1 10 am [Storytime/craft](#)
- Thursday, December 1 7 pm [Pajama Storytime](#)
- Friday, December 2 all day [Library Closed](#)
- Monday, December 5 Decorating Program
- Wednesday, December 7 7 pm [4th Grade Book Group](#)
- Thursday, December 8 10 am [Storytime/craft](#)
- Tuesday, December 13 2 pm Drop-in Craft: Card Making
- Wednesday, December 14 7 pm [5th Grade Book Group](#)
- Thursday, December 15 10 am [Hanukkah Storytime/craft](#)
- Saturday, December 17 10 am [Holiday Stories and Reindeer Crunch Making](#)
- Monday, December 19 4 pm [Gingerbread House Making](#)
- Wednesday, December 21 10:45 am [Sing-a-long with Peter Sheridan](#)
- Thursday, December 22 10 am [Christmas Storytime/craft](#)
- Saturday, December 24 9-1 [Library open until 1](#)
- Sunday, December 25 all day [Library Closed](#)
- Monday, December 26 all day [Library Closed](#)
- Tuesday, December 27 12 noon [Movie: Cars 2](#)
- Tuesday, December 27 2 pm Drop-in Craft
- Wednesday, December 28 2 pm [LEGO Program](#)
- Thursday, December 29 3 pm [Benson, the reading therapy dog](#)
- Friday, December 30 10 am Drop-in Craft
- Friday, December 30 2 pm [Movies: Mr. Popper's Penguins](#)
- Saturday, December 31 all day [Library Closed](#)
- Sunday, January 1 all day [Library Closed](#)
- Monday, January 2 all day [Library Closed](#)



## Young Adult Book Discussion Group

The **Young Adult Book Discussion Group** meets on the third Wednesday of the month, from 7:15-8:15 pm. On December 21, the group will discuss [Holes](#) by [Louis Sachar](#).

Questions and suggestions from students and parents are always welcome. For this or for further information, please contact Krista at 978-443-1035 x4.



## A Call to Young Artists

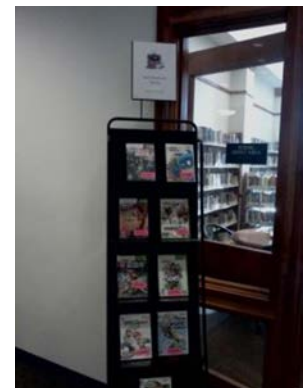
The Young Adult room will be displaying art from artists ages 12-18, who are interested in sharing their creative talent in the form of an art / craft exhibition. Displays of art and crafts by local individuals, groups of friends, private and public art class students in the community are encouraged.

Young Adult Exhibit Guidelines and Request Forms are available at the second floor reference desk. Any questions? Please contact Krista Armstrong-Moon, [karmstrong-moon@minlib.net](mailto:karmstrong-moon@minlib.net) or Cathleen "CB" Bradley at [studioceb@comcast.net](mailto:studioceb@comcast.net)

## We got game!

The library now has a variety of games, PS2, Wii and Xbox, all rated T or under. Place your reserve today!

[Our game collection](#)



## The Bookies Book Group

The Goodnow Library "Bookies" Book Discussion Group will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 10 at 7 pm.

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*The "Bookies:" A group that easily goes undercover while reading books you can really bet on. Read 'em and weep, or laugh... have fun, get smart!*

We'll read *The Journalist and the Murderer* by Janet Malcolm. Published in 1990, this unique book first appeared in the *New Yorker Magazine*. The author, Malcolm relates that journalist Joe McGinniss may have betrayed convicted murderer Jeffrey MacDonald in McGinniss's popular book *Fatal Vision*.

Feel free to ask for a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. We hope you may attend and enjoy a lively, informal discussion. This looks like a book we bet will provoke interesting responses!

## Inter-Library Loans

Have you ever requested materials and not been able to get them through our Minuteman Library Network? Perhaps the materials were missing, damaged, or not eligible for loan.

The Reference Department is happy to try to get these items for you from a source outside the MLN. The Reference staff will collect pertinent information to proceed with a search tailored to your needs, whether that involves searching the Virtual Catalog with its many Massachusetts networks (we can show you how to do this yourself, if you desire) or continuing to a nation-wide OCLC search and request.

Stop in at the Reference Desk the next time you have an item you would like us to pursue!

## Online Resource of the Month: Freegal

[Freegal Music](#) gives you access to hundreds of thousands of songs in the Sony Music catalog, with your Goodnow Library card!




How Freegal Music Works:

- Library users have a weekly download limit of 3 songs. You will be able to keep track of your downloads in the upper right corner of the site. Every song has a sample clip you can listen to before you download.
- The downloads on this site are all in the MP3 format with no DRM. This service will work with any MP3 player, including iPod, and can be loaded into iTunes. It works on both PCs and Macs.
- Be sure to check out the browsing areas, especially *Artists A to Z* and the genre lists. Click on *see all genres* to view dozens of categories.

Enjoy the site!

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## December 2011 Exhibit in the McQueen Gallery

**"Mixed Messages," mixed media works by Jim Eng, Kim Nielsen and Randy LeSage in the McQueen Exhibit Area and Meeting Room.** This group exhibit reveals mixed media works that sometimes intersect but just as often, stretch in varied directions.

**Jim Eng** offers his unique vision through combining collage, transfer, assemblage as well as painting and drawing. His works reveal a heightened expression through low relief assemblage of found and distressed objects with subtle interplays of collage, drawing and painting. At once stately in composition and free in association, viewers may delight in their own interpretations of these nuanced works. Imagery is culled from everyday sources to arcane photo images and written passages, sometimes worked with drawing and painted elements. Great stuff for the eye and mind to dwell on.

**Kim Nielson** is attracted to collage because as a medium it is capable of evoking the feeling of both past and the present. By overlapping and juxtaposing various papers he is able to arouse that feeling of the past as it mingles with the present. Kim is fond of quoting a portion of a poem by T.S. Eliot.

*Time present and time past  
Are both perhaps present in time future  
And time future contained in time past.*

**Randy LeSage** uses mixed media including drawing, painting, found materials and some printmaking methods to convey his vision. At times, these works convey impressions of cultural comment from the tragic to the comic. While other works may simply celebrate the unique juxtaposition of associations drawn from imagery and handling of materials.

**Jim Eng** is a retired professor of studio art at Framingham State College. **Kim Nielson** is a professional framer of art in the Boston area. **Randy LeSage** teaches studio art at the Worcester Art Museum and works at the Goodnow Library.




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About our Website:

[Website survey](#)

About our new LEGO program:

[LEGO Survey](#)

### *About Our Organization...*

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.

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