

GoodNewsletter

A Note from the Director

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LIBRARY HOURS

SUMMER HOURSBEGINNING July 1

- Monday-Thursday:9 am-9 pm
- Friday:9 am-5 pm
- Saturday:9 am-1 pm
- Sunday: CLOSED

CLOSED



- Thursday, July 4
- Saturday, July 6
- Sunday, July 7
 CLOSED ALL DAY

Summer is upon us and that means Summer Reading here at the Library! If your kids haven't signed up yet for <u>Dig into Reading</u>, you will want to make sure you do it soon. There are many activities, events and prizes for all the summer readers out there.

Please note: this is a very busy time for the library staff. Bringing your library card with you is so important in saving you time, their time and improving accuracy! If you can't find your card, we will give you a new replacement, featuring our commemorative 150th design!

We have lots of other exciting news as well.

IPads come to Goodnow:

Thanks to the <u>Goodnow Library Foundation</u>, we are about to deploy 10 iPads for general use in the library. We will have anchored stations both upstairs in the Reference Area, and on the first floor in the Children's Room. We are excited to get your feedback on the apps we have pre-loaded and your suggestions for additional apps. Look for them around mid-July!

Better Wi-Fi:

We have upgraded our Wi-Fi network! If you are a regular user of our Wi-Fi, you should notice a significant increase in speed as you surf.

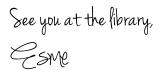
New Young Adult Librarian:

We are pleased to announce that a new staff member will be joining us on July 10. Her name is Megan and she will be leading the Young Adult Department. She is really excited to find out what YOU want in your library, so look for her surveys and come by and say hello. She will give you a great book suggestions and invite you to the next teen happening.

Museum Passes:

As of August 1, we will be loaning our museum passes from the Reference Desk. We made this decision and planned it carefully. We continually evaluate our services and how they are best deployed, and with the increase in customers and traffic in the Children's Room, where the passes are currently located, we found that patrons were waiting for too long to get service for both museum passes and children's service. We analyzed traffic at all three service points, and found that the Reference Desk was the most able to absorb the task. So, remember, in August, you will want to take the stairs or the elevator to pick up your passes. And, in case you didn't know, you can reserve passes on-line and also check availability of the pass you want before you make the trip down here. Just go to Reserve Museum Passes for complete information.

We are so excited about all that is happening here and hope you are too!



July 2013

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Adult Book Clubs

"The Bookies" Book Discussion Group



The "Bookies" met this past Tuesday, June 25 to discuss **Team of Rivals** by Doris Kearns Goodwin. We had a civil, but sometimes divided discussion. This can lead to incisive disputes, yet taking a page from Abe Lincoln's manner of bringing rival viewpoints together, the Bookies should always bet on a good union in the end.

Our next discussion is scheduled for **Tuesday**, **August 6 at 7 pm**. We'll have a chance to read and discuss **Cracks in the Foundation** by Erica Ferencik. Erica is a local author who's managed to crack the literary jackpot – we hope the "Bookies" take home a bundle of good words for this already well-praised 'hoot' of a comic novel published in

2009. Follow the real estate adventures of Ginger Kanadoo in Squamskootnocket, New York and see if she hits pay dirt. Hit the good ground at the Goodnow Library where the good book discussion pays off. All are welcome!



Books in Bloom Book Group Friday, September 20, 10:30 am



Do you love to read? Do you enjoy arranging fresh flowers or silk flowers? Would you like to combine your two interests and share them with a group? We are a new Book Discussion/Flower Arranging group that meets on the 2nd Friday of each month at 10:30-12 noon in the Small Conference Room at the Goodnow Library. Our goal is to choose a book to discuss each month and then to interpret it with individual flower arrangements (fresh or silk). The arrangements are made by you at home and are brought to the meeting: they can be symbolic of the

characters or themes in the book.

Books will be ordered by Maureen Hines, Group Leader, and will be available at the Goodnow Library. Just bring yourself, your creativity, and a sense of fun to the meeting. We will share a love of books and a love or arranging flowers--No expertise is needed. This program is free and sponsored by the Goodnow Library. Hope to see you there!



In September, we will read and discuss any biography of George and/or Ira Gershwin.

IN THE MCQUEEN GALLERY

Photographs from the New England Wild Flower Society



The New England Wild Flower Society will exhibit a collection of photographs of the region's native plants and flowers throughout the month of July. This rich collection taken from our biologically diverse landscape is sure to herald summer's rich natural world for all visitors to see at the library.



Our Neighbor in the Woods - Garden in the Woods

Wednesday, July 17 at 7:30 pm

To complement July's exhibit of wildflower photographs from the New England Wild Flower Society, the Friends and the Goodnow Library Sesquicentennial Committee are hosting a talk on Garden in the Woods, botanical garden and headquarters of the nation's oldest plant conservation organization. Learn about the Garden's history, its connection with New England Wild Flower Society, and its conservation mission. Enjoy images of special plants, beautiful garden places, and hear about the first ever master plan for Garden in the Woods, being put together this year.

Admission is free and refreshments will be served.

In the Know at Good(k)now

On the Road with Sudbury History



Goodnow Library Celebrates its Sesquicentennial, 2013

Next time you are in the library, make sure to check out our fascinating project on the mezzanine. Every day we add a new street name to the map, including the history of its name in the town. For example, Kato Drive. "Kato, also referred to as Cato, Karte, or Goodman was the original Indian owner of the land which became the Sudbury Plantation. He consented to the sale of the territory to the English in 1637 (along with a sachem named Tahattawan). His wigwam was near Goodman's Hill."

You can find out more amazing facts about the streets you pass by every day, and maybe even your own!



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! Here's 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.



In the Know at Good(k)now

MOBILE APP REVIEWS FOR YOU

By Laura M. Bogart

"Drive" by Google

Devices: Android and iPhone

Features: Quick access to files saved on Google Drive (formerly called Google Docs).



Pros: You can easily view, edit, and change sharing preferences to your "cloud" files, such as documents, spreadsheets, images, and PDFs, from your phone.

Cons: Trying to read or edit large files from a phone can cause eyestrain.

Overall: A must-have for Google users on the go!

Recommend at 4 out of 4 stars.



"QR Barcode Scanner" by WB Development Team

Devices: Android

Features: Uses the camera on your phone to scan QR Barcodes (those funny looking squares) on anything that has them printed, and automatically open the link on your phone's web browser.



Pros: Convenient, and far faster than typing in a URL.

Cons: A lot of codes scanned will simply open a website listing essentially the exact same thing you're looking at.

Overall: Works perfectly, and once more manufacturers and event coordinators catch on and connect phone-friendly pages with extra information to their codes.

Recommend at 3.5 out of 4.

In the Know at Good(k)now

SPECIAL VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

The Goodnow Library is currently planning its participation in Sudbury's July 4 Parade, with a float and "Famous Book Characters."

If you are interesting in impersonating a character from your favorite book (The Hobbit, Wizard of Oz, Charlie & The Chocolate Factory, The 3 Musketeers, Winnie the Pooh, Harry Potter, Alice in the Wonderland, Tom Sawyer, The Secret Garden, Little Red Riding Hood, The Hunger Games, Little Women, Romeo & Juliet, and many others), kindly please contact our Karen Tobin at 978-443-1035 or tobink@sudbury.ma.us.

Characters will be assigned on first-come, first-served basis.





Youth Volunteer Opportunities



High school or junior high volunteers are always welcome in the children's department! For general information, or to sign-up to volunteer, please email the children's department at childrenslib@sudbury.ma.us or call at 978-443-1035 ext 3.



Adult 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,



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Have a **WONDER**ful Summer at Goodnow Library!

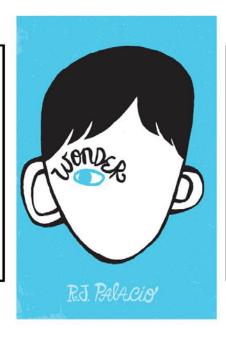
The first 25 students to sign up for the book discussion will receive a FREE copy of WONDER!

Self-Portraits

Wednesday, July 31 4pm-5:30pm

Using Auggie Pullman as our inspiration, current and incoming Curtis Middle School Students are invited to a self-portrait workshop. The finished artwork will be hung in the Young Adult Room for friends, family and patrons to view.

No previous drawing or art skills are required.



Book Discussion

Wednesday, August 14 7pm-8pm

Current and incoming
Curtis Middle School
Students (and their
parents!) are invited to join
us at the Goodnow Library
for a librarian-led
discussion about Wonder,
the Curtis school-wide
required reading book.

Snacks will be provided.



Learn more and sign up for these events on Goodnow Library's website:

http://sudbury.ma.us/departments/ChildrensLib

Look for updates on the library's Facebook and Twitter pages!

Questions? Email the Young Adult Librarian Megan Statza: mstatza@minlib.net

Regular Summer Children's Programs

Always drop-in, no registration necessary!



Summer Weekly Guessing Jar - New Jar each Monday Morning, Children's Room Stop by the children's room each week this summer to participate in our weekly guessing jar contest! The person with the closest guess will win a prize.



Summer Movies - Mondays, 4:00, Large Meeting Room
Grab a friend and head to the library every Monday afternoon in the Summer for a
movie and snacks! Great for all ages. All movies are rated PG.



Summer Sing-A-Long - Tuesdays, 10:30-11:00 AM, Large Meeting Room A fun mix of music, rhythm, and movement for children ages 5 and under.



Summer Lego Club - Tuesdays, 2:00-2:45 PM, Large Meeting Room Children ages 4 and up can drop-in every Tuesday in the summer to make Lego creations at the Library. Duplo Lego bricks are available for the youngest Lego enthusiasts.



Baby & Me - Wednesdays, 10:30-11:00 AM, Story & Craft Room Lapsit storytime featuring stories, songs and rhymes to encourage early literacy and parent/child interaction. Perfect for children ages 2 and under with their caregivers. Join us after the program for playtime!



Summer Science Series - Wednesdays, 4:00-4:45 PM, Large Meeting Room
This drop-in program is perfect for children ages 4 to 8 years old. * starting July 10



Story & Craft - Thursdays, 10:30-11:00 AM, Story & Craft Room
Join us for a morning of stories, songs and a fun craft! This interactive program is perfect for children ages 2 years and up with their caregivers.

Storytime

Storytime Fun - Fridays, 10:30-11:15 AM, Story & Craft Room
Join Miss Victoria on Friday mornings for a themed storytime fun and craft! This
program is perfect for children ages 2 ½ and up with their caregivers. * starting
July 12

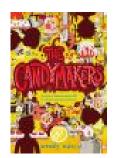
Special Children's Programs



4th of July Parade! - Thursday, July 4, 1:00-about 2:30 PM, Beginning at Union Ave and ending at Town Center

See Goodnow Library staff and volunteers dressed as your favorite children's book characters! If you are interested in impersonating a character from your favorite children's book, please come in to the Children's room to sign up.





Summer Book Group: *The Candymakers*, Wednesday, July 10, 7:00-7:45 PM, Story & Craft Room

Children are invited to join us for a fun discussion of *The Candymakers* by Wendy Mass and candy sushi making! This book is great for incoming fourth through sixth grade students. Registration is required for each book group and the event will be held in the Large Meeting Room. Books are available to pick up in the Children's Department.



Teddy Bear Picnic, Thursday, July 11, 10:00-11:00 AM or 11:00 AM-12:00 PM, Large Meeting Room



Children are invited to bring their favorite teddy bear for a picnic at the Library! Kids will enjoy stories, songs, and dancing! Then they will share a teddy bear picnic with their favorite furry friends. This fun program is perfect for children ages 2 and up with their caregivers. Registration is required.

Special Children's Programs



Lego Club for Older Kids, Thursday, July 11, 7:00-8:00 PM, Story & Craft Room

Join us for a Lego club for kids 9 and up at the library! Registration is required for this fun and informal program. Once finished, creations will be on display in the Children's Department for everyone to enjoy!





Truck Day! Wednesday, July 17, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM, Library Outdoor Grounds

Kids of all ages are invited to drop by the Goodnow Library parking lot to experience TRUCK DAY! Kids young and old can touch, honk, and climb on the many vehicles that will be on display. There will even be a train for kids to ride this year! Please note that the Library parking lot will be blocked off that day - parking is available at Salem Five Bank next door and the Memorial Congregational Church across the street. No registration required.



Clifford Storytime, Thursday, July 18, 10:30 AM-11:00 AM, Large Meeting Room



Join us for a special Clifford the Big Red Dog storytime sponsored by MEFA UFund College Investing Plan! Children

2-6 years old are invited to participate in this engaging program and caregivers are encouraged to bring cameras for photos with Clifford! Registration required.

Special Children's Programs



Pajama Storytime, Thursday, July 18, 7:00 PM-7:45 PM, Story & Craft Room

Join us for stories and songs about bugs, and stay for a bug craft and snack! This program is perfect for families with children ages 3 and up. No registration required.





Stuffed Animal Sleepover,

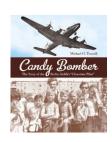
Drop-off: Monday, July 22, 4:00 PM-7:00 PM Pick-up: Tuesday, July 23, 9:00 AM-10:30 AM

Large Meeting Room

Children will bring their stuffed animals to the library on Monday afternoon and make a fun sleepover themed craft while dropping them off! Then, head back to the library on Tuesday morning to pick up the stuffed animals and see photos of their sleepover adventures! All ages of children (and stuffed animals) are welcome!



Summer Book Group: *The Candy Bomber*, Wednesday, July 24, 7:00-7:45 PM, Story & Craft Room



Children are invited to join us for snacks and a fun discussion of *The Candy Bomber*, *The Story of the Berlin Airlift's "Chocolate Pilot"* by *Mi*chael O. Tunnell. Children are also encouraged to pick up the picture book of the same story: *Mercedes and the Chocolate Pilot* by Margot Theis Raven. This book is great for incoming fourth through sixth grade students. Registration is required for each book group and the event will be held in the Story & Craft Room. Books are available to pick up in the Children's Department.

The Friends of the Goodnow Library Present...



Present

OUR NEIGHBOR IN THE WOODS - GARDEN IN THE WOODS

The Friends invite you to spend an evening discovering the wonders of Garden in the Woods.

Come learn the Garden's history, its conservation mission, and its connection with the New England Wildflower Society.

Enjoy images of special plants, beautiful gardens and hear about the exciting plans the Garden has for its future.



This presentation is part of an ongoing series of events to honor the 150th anniversary of Goodnow Library.

Free Admission





Refreshments



Wednesday
July 17, 2013
7:00 p.m.
GOODNOW LIBRARY
21 Concord Road
Sudbury, MA
978/443-1035

For information or directions: www.town.sudbury.ma.us/departments/Library

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How to shop Amazon through Goodnow Library:

- Start at the Library's website: http://sudbury.ma.us/departments/library/
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When you choose to shop on Amazon for anything – books, clothing, computers, office products, electronics, food, health and beauty supplies, furniture, toys, tools, etc., please order through the Goodnow Library gateway. Participation in this program will benefit Library resources and services.

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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.