Goodnow Library

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LIBRARY HOURS

Regular Hours

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

CLOSED for Veterans Day



- Sunday, November 11
- Monday, November 12

CLOSED for Thanksgiving



- On Wednesday, November 21, the library will close at 5
- Thursday, November 22

CLOSED for Staff Training



Friday, November 30

Welcome to Goodnow

Message from the director:



Library Director Esmé Green

October 20, 2012 was a night to remember. The newly-minted Goodnow Library Foundation held its first fundraising event—a "sesquicentennial gala"—at the library.

The Gala was the first-ever event of its kind at the Goodnow Library. Because of the generosity of our community, more than 200 of your fellow Sudbury residents enjoyed an evening of music, food, laughter and community-building.

At the Gala, we enjoyed performances by Lincoln-Sudbury RHS a cappella and jazz musicians, and celebrated the past as we viewed Goodnow's historic collections and displays, and even heard from Mr. Goodnow himself (played by Hal Cutler, a Goodnow descendant). Now, we look to the future.





The money taken in from tickets, donations and the auction will provide an excellent start to the Foundation's year-long effort to raise funds for projects in the areas of children's space, technology, community space and historical archives. The Foundation also hopes to create a significant endowment to keep these and

other programs vibrant into the future.

Goodnow Sesquicentennial Committee

The library opened its doors almost 150 years ago—April 4, 2013 will be the exact date—and we want to make 2013 a year of celebrating the Library with events and programming of all kinds.

An informal, get-acquainted meeting will be held on **Thursday**, **November 15th at 7:30 p.m.** in the Historical Room of the library with those who have indicated an interested in serving on the **Goodnow Sesquicentennial**

Committee. We will be brainstorming ways to celebrate the 150th birthday of the Library, and making a list of organizations and people who we would like to invite to be involved in planning. Please email Esmé if you are interested in participating. We look forward to hearing your ideas! And please, spread the word.



See you at Goodnow!

Esmé

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	31	1 » 10:00 AM Story- time & Craft Ages 2+ » 7:00 PM LEGO CLUB	2 » 10:30 AM Storytime Fun - Ages 2.5+	3 » 1:00 PM International Games Day Family Program
4 » 3:00 PM OWLS OF THE WORLD	5 » 4:30 PM Benson the Reading Therapy Dog-Sign- up Required » 7:00 PM The Goodnow Book Club For Grown Up Girls	6	7 » 10:30 AM Baby & Me - Ages 0-2 (Sign-up Required) » 11:00 AM SING- A-LONG	8 » 10:00 AM Story- time & Craft Ages 2+ » 4:30 PM Jammin' Science: Light & Color	9 >> 10:30 AM Storytime Fun - Ages 2.5+ >> 10:30 AM Books in Bloom Book Group	10
11 » Veterans Day LIBRARY CLOSED	12 » Veterans Day LIBRARY CLOSED	13	14 » 10:30 AM Baby & Me - Ages 0-2 (Sign-up Required) » 2:00 PM Afternoon Movie » 3:30 PM Teen Advisory Board » 7:00 PM 3rd Grade Book Group	15 » 10:00 AM Story- time & Craft Ages 2+	16 » 10:30 AM Storytime Fun - Ages 2.5+	17
18	19 » 4:30 PM Benson the Reading Therapy Dog-Sign- up Required	20 » 4:30 PM SFN Book Talk	21 » LIBRARY CLOSED at 5:00 PM Thanksgiving	22 » 9:00 AM Thanksgiving LIBRARY CLOSED	23	24
25	26 » 4:30 PM Benson the Reading Therapy Dog-Sign- up Required	27	> 10:30 AM Baby & Me - Ages 0-2 (Sign-up Required) > 1:15 PM Brownie Troop Meeting > 7:00 PM 4-6 Grade Book Group	29 » 10:00 AM Story- time & Craft Ages 2+ » 7:00 PM Pajama Story Time	30 » LIBRARY CLOSED	1



Goodnow Library Community Survey 2012

Help us plan for the future. Completing this survey will help identify areas where we can improve services and better understand the needs of the community.

Your input is very important!



https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/goodnow2012

Weekly Children's Programs

Mondays:



Read to Benson, a Trained Therapy Dog



Monday, November 5, 4:30 pm | Monday, November 19, 4:30 pm | Monday, November 26, 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





Wednesdays:



Wednesday, November 7, 10:30 am | Wednesday, November 14, 10:30 am | Wednesday, November 28, 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: November 7 | November 14 | November 28

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Weekly Children's Programs

Thursdays:



Storytime and Craft @yourlibrary Storytime and Craft



November 1, 10 am | November 8, 10 am | November 15, 10 am | November 29, 10 am

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



Fridays:



STORYTIME FUN WITH MISS VICTORIA, FOR AGES 2.5 +

November 2

Jungle Safari



November 9

Transportation



November 16

Thanksgiving



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Special Children's Programs



Thursday, November 1, 7 pm

Lego Monster Challenge

Build a Halloween Inspired Creation and munch on Halloween Treats provided by the Friends of the Goodnow Library.

AGES 9 & UP









SING-A-LONG WITH JAMES LEPLER

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 <u>iTunes</u> and check out his website <u>www.kidsnharmony.com</u>.



Mr. Malcolm's Jammin' Science Presents: Light & Color

Thursday, November 8, 4:30 pm

Recommended for Ages 4 to 8 - Registration Required

For more information about Jam Time Indoor Play & Enrichment Center, please visit http://www.jamtime.com

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



Special Children's Programs



Wednesday, November 14, 2 pm



Bring a friend and watch a movie at the Library!

Rated PG





Wednesday, November 14, 7 pm



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

SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE BOOK DISCUSSIONS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

Please Register (Books will be available at the Children's Desk)





Wednesday, November 28, 7 pm

Calling all 4th, 5th & 6th graders - join us at the Goodnow Library for a book discussion.

SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE BOOK DISCUSSIONS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!



Please Register (Books will be available at the Children's Desk.)





Thursday November 29, 7 pm

Pajama Storytime for Ages 3+

Stories & Songs about Dragons



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TEEN NOTES FOR NOVEMBER



International Games Day Family Program/ Saturday, November 3, 1-4:30 pm

Join us at the Library and play your favorite games!

This is a drop-in program for children and teens Grades 4 & up

Breaking Dawn, Part One



Thursday, November 15, 3:15 pm

Come see Breaking Dawn, Part One before the new movie comes out.

Ages 13+

Join the Goodnow Library's TAB group!

Come join us for snacks as we brainstorm for ideas about teen programs for the library. The TAB also gives suggestions for CDs and books. Who knows, we may come up with a display together or write book reviews. We will meet at **3:30 on Wednesday, November 14**. Please email Krista Armstrong-Moon with any questions or to tell us you're coming.



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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.

Books in Bloom Book Group Friday, November, 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!

November's title is: <u>State of Wonder</u> by <u>Ann Patchett</u>

<u>The Goodnow Book Club for Grown up Girls</u> <u>Monday, November 5, 7 pm at the Fairbank Community Center</u>



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.

November's Title is <u>Before I Go to Sleep</u> by <u>Jennifer Haigh</u>

Books will be available behind the circulation desk of the Goodnow Library. **Register with the Park and Recreation Department at** 978-443-1092, http://recreation.sudbury.ma.us or recreation@sudbury.ma.us

The Friends of the Goodnow Library Present...

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

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

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REGISTRATION REQUIRED - SPACE IS LIMITED

*You can register on-line or call the Library at 978-443-1035 ext. 3

IN THE MCQUEEN GALLERY

November – S.W.E.E.T. Organization

S.W.E.E.T. Plant Photography Contest

The Sudbury Weed Education and Eradication Team (SWEET) brings attention to the harm invasive plants do to private, historic and conservation properties. Established in 2009, the small but effective resident volunteer group stages removal of invasive plants in various town sites including the Lincoln Sudbury High School wooded property, King Phillip Woodland and several local parks. They facilitate an invasive Garlic Mustard pull called, "Defeat it and Eat it" each spring with resident participation and Town of Sudbury support. Group efforts have been funded by the Sudbury Assabet Concord Wild and Scenic Rivers Small Grants Program along with the SUASCO CISMA (Cooperative Invasive Species Management Area), and a Math Works End -of -Year Donations Program. The group is moving towards full non-profit status this year.



The display will consist of photographs from various age and skill categories that picture sites in the Sudbury, Assabet or Concord River watershed being affected by invasive species, detailed close ups which could be used for education, or photo collage developed with digital software. To learn more about the Sudbury, Assabet and Concord Watershed areas visit www. Sudbury_Assabet_Concord.org. To learn more about invasive plant species, visit CISMA-Suasco.org, www.newenglandwild/learn.org or www.massaudubon.org/Invasive Species/plants.php

Photographs will be installed at the library on November 1, 2012. A "people's choice" award voting box will be set up on the table; please stop by to cast a vote for your favorites! Winning photographs will be used (with photographers' permission) for S.W.E.E.T. educational/public outreach projects and will be awarded ribbons.

To contact the group, send message to SWEETinvasives@gmail.com or contact Rebecca at (978)505-1301.

Getting More from Your Library

Inter-Library Loan Requests



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

Through the Reference Department we are 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.

Article Requests

Have you come across an article reference and would like to get the entire article? Our Reference Department would be happy to try to locate the article for you. The Reference staff may be able to find the article through sources we can show you, some of which you may be able to access yourself. If further search is necessary, we have a form so the request can be sent for a specialized search through the Boston Public Library. When articles are found and sent to us electronically, we have the option of attaching them to an email delivery for your convenience.



Stop in at the Reference Desk with any questions or the next time you have an item you would like us to pursue! You may also email sudill@minlib.net with requests.



Online Resource of the Month: Mango Languages



Mango is designed to equip you with conversational abilities from the very start. Whether you're learning how to order a pizza or ask when the game starts, Mango immerses you in real, everyday conversations in 48 different language courses.



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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.