



McARTHUR LIBRARY EVENTS & PROGRAMS

February 2024

Monday - Thursday
9:30am - 8:00pm
Friday 9:30am - 5:00pm
Saturday 9:30am - 3:30pm

CHILDREN

PRE-K PLAY SPACE

Every Monday, 10-11am
Families with small children are welcome to join us in the magic of play and socialization through toys, music, and stories.

PUPPET PALS STORYTIME

Every Tuesday, 10-10:30am
Join Griffin the Wizard, Frank the Monster, and all their pals for stories, songs, and spells!

BABY & ME

Every Wednesday, 10:30-11am
Our youngest patrons and their caregivers are invited to join us for a StoryTime designed just for them.

FAIRY TALE STORYTIME

Every Thursday, 3-3:30pm
Join Ms Jenn for classic stories, fun retellings, and catchy songs.

MAKERS' SPACE

Every Saturday, 10am-2pm
Come in and make whatever your heart desires with the materials we've got kicking around in the Children's Room.

HERBIVORES AT THE HUB

Thursday, February 1st, 11-11:45am
Join Ms. Carrow and an herbivore pal the first Thursday of each month for a dino-mite educational adventure! Join them at The Hub at 46 Sullivan Street in Biddeford.

WRITERS' CLUB

Monday, February 12th, 5-6pm
A group for aspiring storytellers! Ages 8-12.
Email cmaclean@mcarthurlibrary.org for more information.

PIPE CLEANER VALENTINE CRAFT

Wednesday, February 7th, 2-4pm
Join Ms Kathie to create a pipe cleaner flower valentine for that special someone in your life!

YOUTH THEATER CLASS

Monday, February 19th, 2-3pm
Our Youth Theater Class returns! Recommended for patrons ages 7-13, these classes aim to build confidence, teambuilding, and prepare participants for success both onstage and off!

BUTTON CAR CRAFT

Wednesday, February 21st, 2-4pm
Join Ms. Kathie to create a button car craft!

BOARD GAME LOUNGE

Thursday, February 22nd, 10am-12pm
Drop in and check out the library's board game collection and enjoy a curated selection of great games!

AWS FURRY TALES STORYTIME

Friday, February 23rd, 10:30am
Join our friends from the Animal Welfare Society for a special story hour with a live animal guest!

"THE PRINCESS BRIDE" AT CITY THEATER

Friday, February 23rd, 6pm
Based upon William Goldman's bestselling book, *The Princess Bride* has been a family favorite for over thirty years. McArthur Library invites you and your family to see the classic film on the big screen at Biddeford's City Theater free of charge with concessions available for purchase. Doors open at 5:30PM.

TEEN

WINTER CRAFT KITS

New Craft Kit Every Monday
Warm up with a new teen craft every week this Winter. Everything from clay ornaments to the fan-favorite diamond painting will be available to do at whatever time works best for your hectic schedule.

ADULT

KNITTING GROUP

Every Friday, 10am-12pm
Bring your latest knitting, crocheting, or similar project and join us online or in person!
(meet.jit.si/McArthurKnittingGroup)

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Films with City of Biddeford
Monday, February 5th, 5:30pm - Screening of *Harriet*
Monday, February 19th, 5:30pm - Screening of *Black Panther*

LEGAL HELP with PINE TREE LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Wednesday, February 7th, 12-2pm
A representative from Pine Tree Legal Assistance will provide in-person help for housing, consumer and public benefits issues.

TAROT 101

Tuesday, February 20th, 5:30pm
Join professional Tarot reader The Laundress for a class on how to read the cards. Kate's presentation will cover basic tarot theory, giving you a bird's eye view of the Major and Minor Arcana. Attendees are encouraged to bring a notebook and pen, plus your favorite tarot deck (if you have one).

McARTHUR LIBRARY BOOK GROUP

Wednesday February 21, 6:30pm
Hybrid/Joint Meeting join in person or via Zoom.
Selection: *The Last Thing He Told Me* by Laura Dave
Email mtcoombs@mcarthurlibrary.org for more information.

TAROT 201

Tuesday, February 27th, 5:30pm
Join professional Tarot reader The Laundress for a presentation that will explore in more depth the esoteric and spiritual principles behind the tarot, particularly the Major Arcana. Attendees are encouraged to bring a notebook and pen, plus your favorite tarot deck (if you have one).

NEWCOMERS' BOOK CLUB

Thursday, February 29th, 5:30pm
Selection: *Homegoing* by Yaa Gyasi
Field trip: Belfire Hot Glass & Gallery
Email kcheeseman@mcarthurlibrary.org for more information.

MALAGA ISLAND

Thursday, February 29th, 6:30pm
Learn about Malaga Island near Phippsburg, ME. This island reveals our complex racial history, empowering us to engage in reconciliation, education, and advocacy against recurring injustices.

SAND BUCKETS FOR SENIORS with AGE FRIENDLY BIDDEFORD

Buckets of sand are available for delivery to people 65+ in Biddeford. Call the Library at 207-284-4181 for more information.

TECH HELP

New phone for the holidays? Laptop not working the way you expect it should? Bring your device into the library to get help! To make an appointment please email tech@mcarthurlibrary.org or call 207-571-7210.

