



THE GOODWIN LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

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Operating Hours: Monday 10-5 / Tuesday 1-7 / Wednesday: CLOSED / Thursday 1-7 / Friday 10-5 / Saturday 10-2/ Sunday: CLOSED

September 2025

The Library will be closed on Monday, September 1 for Labor Day

Trustee Meeting

Thurs., Sept. 18 at 6:00

Learn about the new happenings at the library.

The public is welcome and encouraged to attend.

LIBRARY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Adult Programs

Craft and Chat

Monday, September 8 at 7:00 on Zoom

Settle in with your current craft project and socialize with other crafters! This program is held on Zoom. Email Pam at pgroat@goodwinlibrary.org for the link.



Adult Craft- Choose Your Craft

Tuesday, September 9 at 5:30

In the spirit of choose-your-own-adventures, you get to decide which craft you do. 1. Diamond Art, 2. Air Dry Clay Creations, 3. Beaded Keychains. We will have the supplies for all available, stop in and get crafting!



Caregiver Café

Friday, September 12 at 1:00

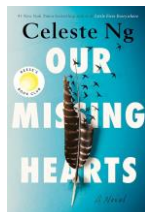
Join Cornerstone VNA for an informative support group. Meet other caregivers from the community while enjoying light refreshments.



The Bookies

Tuesday, September 16 at 6:00

This month the Bookies are reading *Our Missing Hearts* by Celeste Ng. We have multiple copies available for check out, stop in to pick one up! This group meets in person and on Zoom. Email Joyce at jwhite@goodwinlibrary.org for the Zoom link.



For Children & Families



Board Game Club

Friday, Sept 5 & 19 at 3:00

Drop into the Children's Room after school to play an old favorite, or learn a new board game! Ideal for

grades 2+. We have board games for all ages!

Story Times

We will have two story times on Mondays starting September 8!



Baby & Toddler Story Time

Mondays at 10:15

Join Miss Kayla for stories, songs, and rhymes! This story time is for ages 0-2.



Pre-School Story Time

Mondays at 11:00

Join Miss Carolyn for stories, rhymes and crafts! This story time is for ages 3-5.



Tween Craft – Lizard Keychain

Thursday, September 11 at 3:00

Flashback to the '90s with us to make beaded lizard keychains! All supplies will be provided, for ages 10-14.

Butternut Farm Apple Picking Field Trip

Friday, September 12 at 10:30

Meet us at Butternut Farm for a story time followed by apple picking! The cost for this is \$5.00 per child which covers the cost for each child to pick a bag of apples. Please register in advance for this program on our website.



Homeschool Meet and Greet

Friday, September 12 at 1:00

Drop in to meet other local homeschooling families! Share resources, ideas, or just play at the library.

Family Place Play Group

Fridays, Sept 19 – Oct 17 at 10:30

Join us for our Family Place Play Group! Play, learn, and explore with your child. This program is for children 0-3 years old. This 5-week session will feature a resource professional on play, literacy, nutrition, speech, and child development. Receive informal education all while you play with your child! **Registration is required for this program. You must be able to attend at least 3 out of 5 sessions.** See the Children's Room for more information.



Movie Matinee – Labyrinth

Saturday, September 20 at 11:00

Bring the whole family and watch this movie with us! Popcorn will be provided.

Rating: PG Run Time: 1 hour 46 min



Tween Art Club – Mini Art

Thursday, September 25 at 3:00

Paint mini art canvases with us! This program is for ages 10+.

Watercolors for Kids

Tuesday, September 23 at

2:00 or 3:00

This month we will be painting Space Aliens! Open to ages 6-10, please register on our website.

Homeschool – 2:00

Afterschool – 3:00



Lego Club

Saturdays, 10:00– 1:30

Try a Lego Challenge or free build with our Lego collection.



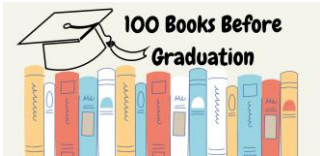
Story Trail
Read *Hello, Goodbye Dog!* This story is sponsored in memory of Blanche K. O'Brien. This story will be up through September.
The Story Trail is located at the McCarthy Trail, next to the Public Safety Complex at 160 NH-153.

1000 Books Before Kindergarten
1000 Books Before Kindergarten is a statewide early literacy initiative. It's easier than you think to read 1000 books before kindergarten.



500 Books Before Middle School
Is your child past Kindergarten age? We created a program for K-6 students. Sign up today!

100 Books Before Graduation
Older than 6th grade? This reading program is for you! Open to grades 7-12.



WIC
The Library is excited to be hosting Strafford County WIC for their monthly clinics in our community room. Visit dhhs.nh.gov or call 603-332-4358 for more information about the NH WIC Program.



Friends Meeting
Thursday, October 9 at 6:30
The Friends fund our museum passes as well as special performers. Come to the next meeting to learn how you can help support the library!



Dolly Parton Imagination Library Coming Soon!
We are raising funds to start the Dolly Parton Imagination Library in Farmington! This program mails a brand-new book every month to each child age 0-5 enrolled in the program! A donation of \$32 funds books for one child for one year, \$155 funds five years of books for one child. Email Kayla at kmorin@goodwinlibrary.org for more information.

Museum Passes

Our museum passes allow patrons and residents free or discounted admission. Call or stop into the library to reserve a pass.

Current passes: Bedrock Gardens, Castle in the Clouds, Children’s Museum of NH, Currier Museum, Libby Museum, McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center, NH Farm Museum, NH State Parks, Portland Children's Museum, Portland Museum of Art, Seacoast Science Center, Wright Museum



Upcoming Events

- October 3** – Board Game Club 3:00
- October 6** – Craft & Chat 7:00
- October 7** – Psychic Medium 5:30
- October 9** – Tween Craft 3:00
- October 11** – Period Party 10:30

Monday	Tuesday	Weds	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY	2	3	4	5 Board Game Club 3:00	6 Legos all day
8 Story Times Baby & Toddler 10:15 Preschool - 11:00 Craft & Chat – 7:00	9 Adult Craft – Choose Your Own Craft 5:30	10	11 WIC 9-4 Tween Craft Lizard Key Chains– 3:00	12 Butternut Farm Apple Field Trip 10:30 Caregiver Café 1:00 Homeschool 1:00	13 Legos all day
15 Story Times Baby & Toddler 10:15 Preschool - 11:00	16 Bookies Our Missing Hearts 6:00	17	18 Trustee Meeting 6:00	19 Family Place Playgroup 10:30 Board Game Club 3:00	20 Movie Matinee – Labyrinth 11:00
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