

May 2024



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World Citizens

On the first Saturday of every month, a member of our community will share about a place in the world they call home through music, stories, photographs, videos, games, art, food, and more. For world citizens of all ages!



World Citizens

Morocco

Saturday, May 4
10:30-11:30



Join us as a local family generously shares about a place in the world they call home. All ages welcome!

Book Club

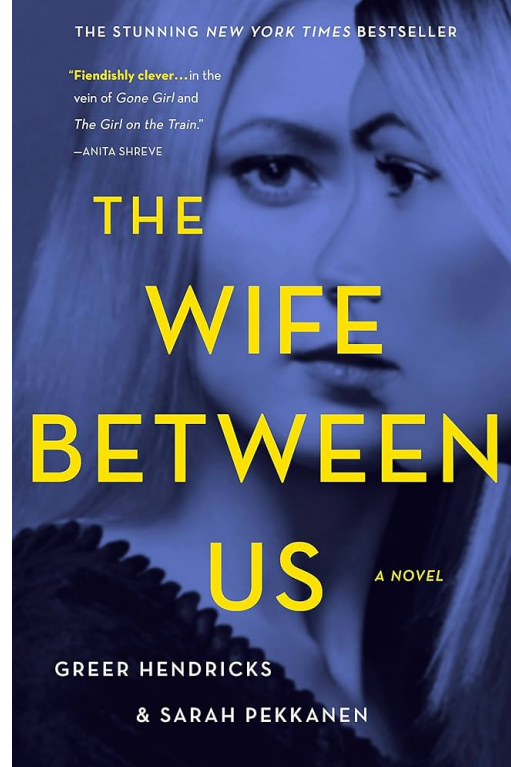
Interested in joining the Book Club? Contact the library as soon as possible! We order copies through interlibrary loan for participants!

This month's book will be *The Wife Between Us* by Greer Hendricks and Sarah Pekkanen.

Summary: When you read this book, you will make many assumptions. You will assume you are reading

about a jealous ex-wife. You will assume she is obsessed with her replacement – a beautiful, younger woman who is about to marry the man they both love. You will assume you know the anatomy of this tangled love triangle. Assume nothing.

Twisted and deliciously chilling, Greer Hendricks and Sarah Pekkanen's *The Wife Between Us* exposes the secret complexities of an enviable marriage - and the dangerous truths we ignore in the name of love.



Wednesday
May 8th
3:00 - 4:00 PM

Museum Passes

(Available at the front desk)

Boston Museum of Fine Arts

Boston Museum of Science

Children's Museum of Maine

Children's Museum of NH

New England Aquarium

Portland Museum of Art

Seacoast Science Center

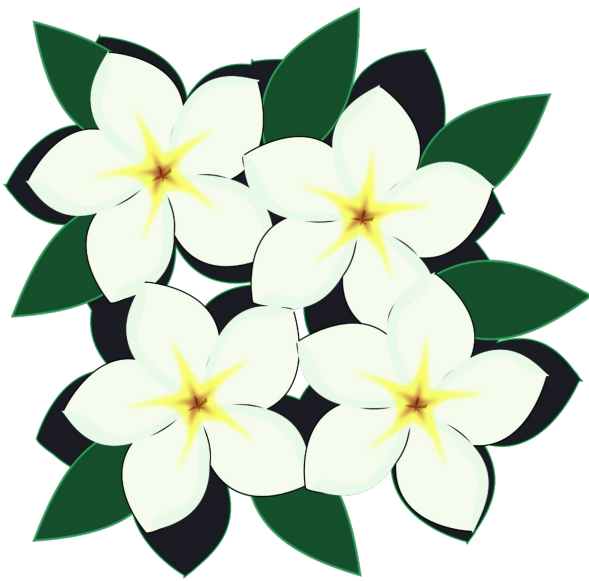
Strawbery Banke Museum

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Green and Beautiful Plans Available

The plans for the new Green and Beautiful program for the improvement of the library grounds are now available for viewing in the Sarah Farmer Room.



Informational packets with details are available at the front desk, as well.

Come learn all about the plans to make the library grounds a better place for the town of Eliot!

Handy Help

The library has a number of small "handyman" tasks that need doing. If you run a repair business, are handy or know someone who could help, please speak to the director. We are hoping to get some of these minor services donated. If you wish to help support some of the bigger maintenance needs, please see the director about ways you can donate financially to this cause.



Paddington Bear Children's Tea

Tickets are on sale now for the Paddington Bear Children's Tea on Sunday, May 19th, for both the 1:30 and 3:30 PM seatings.

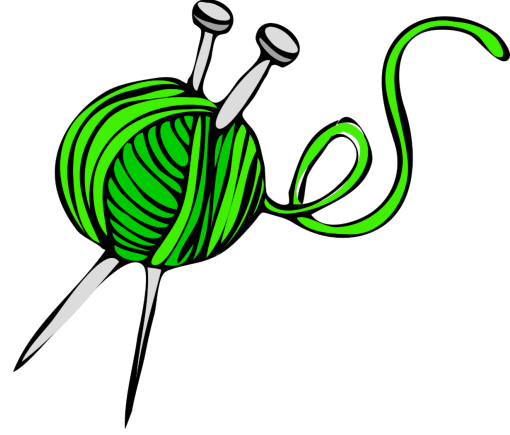
Adult tickets are \$20 each, while children's tickets cost \$10. They are on sale at the front desk of the library.

Last year's Tea was entirely sold out, so don't wait



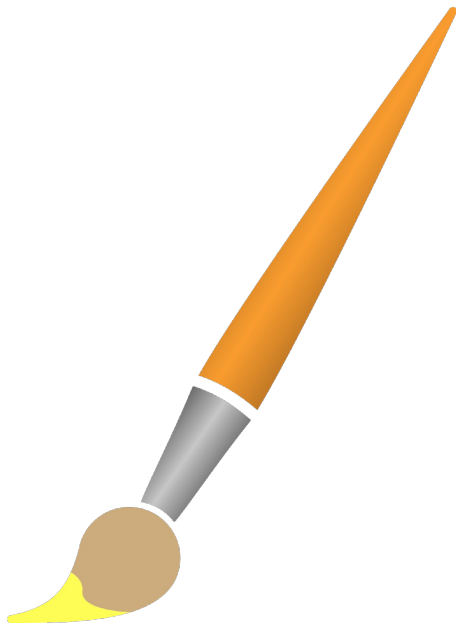
Prayer Shawl Project

If you would like to help make a prayer shawl, please ask for an information sheet at the front desk. Prayer shawls are distributed by local churches to those who are ill or in need of comfort. There are several ways to help and knitters of all levels can participate.



Plein Air Returns

The Artists Plein Air event will return for Saturday June 1st during library hours. If you are an artist of any kind and would like to participate, please sign up at the front desk. We also invite you to include a short bio so we may share a bit about you in our publicity. There is no cost to participate in the event. We invite all artists to enjoy demonstrating their skills on library grounds. You may sell your work and refreshments will be provided. You need not stay all day. Last year, we had five talented artists join us and share their talents. We hope more will do the same!





POETRY TEA PARTY

SPRING / SUMMER SERIES

Saturdays @ 10:30 am

APRIL 13

MAY 18

JULY 20

Tea, treats, and poetry for ages 2 - 102.

Bring a poem or just yourself.



Book Sale Is Back

The popular book sale will be held on June 1st during library hours, and will continue as long as the supply lasts. If you have good quality books of any genre or age group, please consider donating them to the library. Check in with the front desk for convenient drop off dates and times.

Weekly Activities

Storytimes



BABY STORYTIME

TUESDAYS @ 9 AM

An opportunity to connect with other parents and caregivers. And a baby storytime too. 0-18 mos.



TODDLER STORYTIME

THURSDAYS @ 10:30

Songs, fingerplays, stories, felt board, music, and more!
18 mos - 3 yrs.



PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

TUESDAYS @ 10:30

Songs, fingerplays, stories, felt board, movement, and a craft
3 - 5 yrs.



SCHOOL AGE STORYTIME

THURSDAYS @ 2 PM

For pre-k - 3rd grade. Wind down after school with great read alouds and a craft. Then pick out your books for the week!



Get Involved!

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

Join the Teen Advisory Board (TAB) for a fun and exciting way to help plan programs, earn volunteer hours, and meet new people! Ages 13 and up welcome!

[Fill out this form to apply today!](#)



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