

September/October 2013



Hours



Sunday	Closed
Monday	Closed
Tuesday	10 am—8 pm
Wednesday	10 am—6 pm
Thursday	10 am—8 pm
Friday	10 am—6 pm
Saturday	10 am—3 pm

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NOTES FROM THE DIRECTOR

Welcome to our first newsletter! We're proud to bring you all our program information in one bi-monthly publication. It's been a busy summer at the Library and we're looking forward to an equally exciting autumn. We hope to see you soon!

- Betsy Rajotte, Director

ADULT PROGRAMS

Book Discussion Group at the Sutton Senior Center

September 16 at 12:30 pm

We will be discussing ***That Woman: The Life of Wallis Simpson, Duchess of Windsor*** by Anne Sebba.

October 21 at 12:30 pm

We will be discussing ***Following Atticus: forty-eight high peaks, one little dog, and an extraordinary friendship*** by Tom Ryan.

Book club books will be available at the desk of the Library after the previous book group. Books for the Senior Center Group are also available at the Senior Center.

Book Discussion Group at the Library

September 19 at 6 pm

We will be discussing ***King Peggy*** by Peggielene Bartels.

October 17 at 6 pm

We will be discussing ***The Light Between Oceans*** by M.L. Steadman.

Knitting Group

Wednesday mornings at 10 am

Join our casual knitters on Wednesday mornings to chat and knit. (You don't have to knit, any handicrafts are welcome!)

Movie Night

September 18 at 6 pm

Stories We Tell

Rated PG-13; 108 minutes

Sarah Polley's documentary *Stories We Tell* finds the director/actress exploring a family secret. She had discovered a few years earlier that her biological father was not actually the person she knew as her father; in an effort to fully understand this long-held family secret, Polley interviews every member of her family, and had the man she thought of as her dad write his version of events and record it, using him reading his story as a recurring voiceover throughout the film.

Bring your dinner, we will provide dessert!

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Registration opens on Tuesday, September 17 at 10 AM.

Unless specifically noted, all programs require pre-registration and space is limited. Register in-person at the library, by phone (508-865-8752), or online at www.suttonpubliclibrary.org. To register online, click on the "Programs Registration" tab on the library website and then click on the specific program(s) for which you would like to register.

Apple Tree Arts Music Sessions

Children's music and movement programs with Miss Jan from Grafton's Apple Tree Arts music organization. Each session lasts for five weeks. When you register you are committing to attending all five weeks; please do not take up a spot if you cannot make this commitment.

***Registration for Apple Tree Arts Sessions will be open to Sutton residents only from Tuesday, September 17 – Thursday, September 19. If there are spots remaining, registration will be open to everyone on Friday, September 20 at 10 AM. ***

Toddler Session (Ages 2-3):

Tuesdays at 10 AM: October 1, October 8, October 15, October 22, and October 29

Baby Session (Ages birth-24 months):

Wednesdays at 10 AM: October 2, October 9, October 16, October 23, and October 30

Funded by a gift from UniBank



Music and Movement Program

Fun on the Farm with Deb Hudgins

Tuesday, September 24 at 11 AM

Ages 2-6

Farm songs, stories, and lots of fun!

Funded by an Early Childhood Reading Grant from Target.



Kids Book Club Meetings

Ages 8-12

Thursday, September 19 at 4 PM

Book to discuss: *The Incurable Children of Ashton Place: Book I: The Mysterious Howling* by Maryrose Wood

Thursday, October 24 at 4 PM

Book to discuss: *Rump: The True Story of Rumpelstiltskin* by Liesl Shurtliff

Thursday, November 21 at 4 PM

Book to discuss: *The Mysterious Benedict Society* by Trenton Lee Stewart

No registration required but please read the books ahead of time. Copies can be reserved at the library.

Chess Club Meeting

Ages 8 and up

Wednesday, September 25 at 4 PM

Whether you are a beginner or expert, come to the library to play a fun game of chess. This will be the initial meeting of the Chess Club. Once we garner enough interest we will schedule regular meetings for the club to meet. The library has some chess sets on hand, but we are always looking to add to our collection if you have a chess set to donate.

Lego Club Meetings

Ages 5 and up

Friday, September 20 at 4 PM

Thursday, October 10 at 4 PM

Tuesday, October 22 at 4 PM

Thursday, November 7 at 4 PM

Thursday, November 14 at 2 PM

Join us for some building fun! We'll provide the Legos; you provide the creativity.



CHILDREN'S STORYTIMES

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Welcome Fall Toddler Storytime Ages 2-3

Wednesday, September 18 at 10:30 AM

Fall stories, songs, and a craft.

Welcome Fall Preschool Storytime Ages 3-5

Thursday, September 19 at 10:30 AM

Fall stories, songs, and a craft.

Autumn Apples Toddler Storytime Ages 2-3

Wednesday, September 25 at 10:30 AM

Apple stories, songs, and a craft.

Johnny Appleseed Stories and Crafts Ages 4-8

Thursday, September 26 at 4 PM

Celebrate Johnny Appleseed's birthday with some apple stories and crafts.

October Pajama Storytime Ages 3-6

Thursday, October 10 at 6:30 PM

Wear your PJs and join us for bedtime stories, songs, and fingerplays.

Halloween Toddler Storytime Ages 2-3

Thursday, October 24 at 10:30 AM

Wear a costume and join us for Halloween stories, songs, and a craft.



Halloween Stories and Crafts

Ages 4-8

Tuesday, October 29 at 4 PM

Get in the Halloween spirit with some spooky stories and crafts.

Halloween Preschool Storytime

Thursday, October 31 at 11 AM

Ages 3-5

Wear a costume and join us for Halloween stories, songs, and a craft.

November Pajama Storytime

Ages 3-6

Thursday, November 7 at 6:30 PM

Wear your PJs and join us for bedtime stories, songs, and fingerplays.

Thanksgiving Preschool Storytime

Ages 3-5

Thursday, November 21 at 11 AM

Thanksgiving stories, songs, and a craft.

Thanksgiving Stories and Crafts

Ages 4-8

Friday, November 22 at 4 PM

Give thanks for books! Join us for Thanksgiving stories and crafts.

STORYTIME SESSIONS:

Drop-In Baby Storytime Session

Ages 6-23 months

(No registration for Baby Storytimes required)

Tuesdays at 10:30 AM

Four week session: November 5, November 12, November 19 & November 26

Songs, rhymes, and stories all geared towards babies.

Toddler Storytime Session Ages 2-3

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM

Four-week session: November 6, November 13, November 20 & November 27

(When you register for the Toddler session you are automatically signed up for all four weeks.)

Stories, songs, rhymes, and a simple craft.

Preschool Storytime Session Ages 3-5

Fridays at 10:30 AM

Six-week session:

September 27, October 11, October 18, October 25, November 1 & November 8 (No storytime October 4)

(When you register for the Preschool session you are automatically signed up for all six weeks.)

Stories, songs, rhymes, and a craft.

YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

September Geek Club

Wednesday, September 18

at 3:30 PM

Ages 13-18

The book we will be discussing this month is *Eleanor & Park* by Rainbow Rowell. Call or visit the library to reserve a copy of the book. The Geek Club meets once a month and members of the club are responsible for choosing the reading selections. This is a club created by teens who love anything and everything "geeky," from Harry Potter to Dr. Who! New members are always welcome!

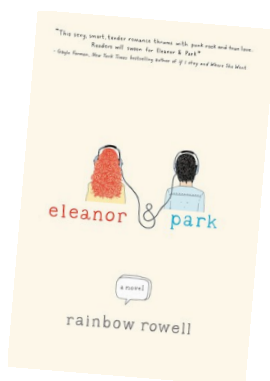
October Geek Club

Wednesday, October 23

at 3:30 PM

Ages 13-18

Book for discussion to be announced.



Teen Steampunk Crafting

Wednesday, October 30 at 4 PM

Ages 12-18

Come make a cool Steampunk craft and feel free to flaunt some Steampunk fashion if you wish. Don't know what Steampunk is? Come to the library and check out some of our Steampunk books!

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FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Library is a non-profit group made up of individuals, families, and organizations who financially support the Sutton Public Library with their annual membership drive and fundraising events.

The next Friends meeting is Tuesday, October 1 at 7 pm in the Library. All are welcome!

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

The Library Trustees meet in Room I-A on the 3rd floor of the Town Hall. All meetings are open to the public and are televised on Charter channel 11 and Verizon channel 31.

Upcoming meetings are: September 16 at 3:30 pm and October 28 at 3:30 pm.

SUMMER READING BY THE NUMBERS:

444 kids, teens and adults participated in our Summer Reading Programs!

They read:

493,230 minutes which is 8,220 hours or 343 days! That's almost a whole year!

We gave away over \$2500 worth of prizes, all of which were donated directly to us or paid for by donation money. Thank you to all our readers and sponsors for an amazing summer!

