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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
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		Tech Help @ 2pm		
11	12	13	14	15
		Tech Help @ 2pm Mystery Book Club @ 4pm		
18	19	20	21	22
	Adult Craft @ 1pm Adult Craft @ 6pm	Tech Help @ 2pm		Adult Seasonal Coloring @ 2:30pm
25	26	27	28	29
		Tech Help @ 2pm	New Hampshire Cemeteries and Gravestones @ 6:30pm	

Library staff may take photographs or video recordings at library events for use in publicity. This includes use in our newsletter, website, or social media pages. Please inform us if you do not want photos or videos taken of you or your child.

Adult Programs

MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

The Keeper of Lost Things

Wednesday, October 13

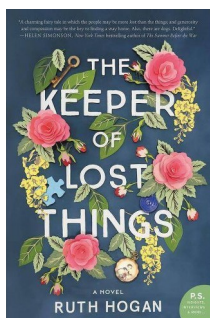
4-5pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Welcome Back! What better way to celebrate socializing again than with murder, secrets, and lies! Join us for an afternoon discussion of "The Keeper of Lost Things" by Ruth Hogan. *Anthony Peardeew is the keeper of lost things.*

Forty years ago, he carelessly lost a keepsake from his beloved fiancée, Therese. That very same day, she died unexpectedly. Brokenhearted, Anthony sought consolation in rescuing lost objects—the things others have dropped, misplaced, or accidentally left behind—and writing stories about them. Now, in the twilight of his life, Anthony worries that he has not fully discharged his duty to reconcile all the lost things with their owners. As the end nears, he bequeaths his secret life's mission to his unsuspecting assistant, Laura, leaving her his house and all its lost treasures, including an irritable ghost.

Sign-up is required, as capacity is limited to 28 people. Books are available at the Front Desk.



PRESENTATIONS

New Hampshire Cemeteries and Gravestones

Thursday, October 28

6:30-7:30pm

Virtual, on Zoom

Rubbings, photographs, and slides illustrate the rich variety of gravestones to be found in our own neighborhoods, but they also tell long-forgotten stories of such historical events as the Great Awakening, the Throat Distemper epidemic, and the American Revolution. Find out

more about these deeply personal works of art and the craftsmen who carved them with Glenn Knoblock, and learn how to read the stone "pages" that give insight into the vast genealogical book of New Hampshire. Please sign up by calling (603) 524-4775x12, or emailing info@laconialibrary.org and we will email you the link on the day of the program. This program is sponsored by the NH Humanities and the Laconia Public Library.



MONTHLY ADULT CRAFT

Watercolor Leaf Painting

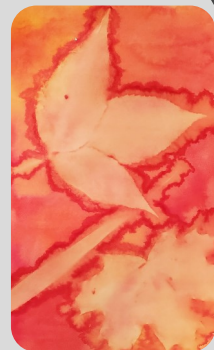
Tuesday, October 19

1-3pm

6-8pm

Laconia Rotary Hall
(Auditorium)

Bring your own leaves! Using liquid watercolor, and leaves straight from the tree, make a cool painting! All materials provided (except leaves), however, sign-up is required as supplies and space are limited. Call, email, or text the library to reserve your spot while they last! Phone: 524-4775, Text: 556-4666, Email: info@laconialibrary.org



SEASONAL COLORING

Friday, October 22

2:30-4:30pm

Volpe Room

Happy Fall! Please join us in the Volpe room for some calming entertainment. We will be coloring seasonal pictures while listening to instrumental music. Please feel free to bring your own coloring pages and favorite implements but many will be provided!

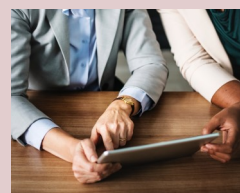


Drop-In Tech Help with Shayla

Wednesdays

2-3:30pm

Volpe Room



Shayla's Tech Help

Come to the Volpe room to have your basic computer and electronic device questions answered by a librarian!

Book Lists

FOR ALL AGES

STAFF PICK LISTS

Staff members have curated a variety of lists on themed topics and age groups. Found on our website as Staff Suggestions.

[https://
www.laconianh.gov/
1027/Staff-
Suggestions](https://www.laconianh.gov/1027/Staff-Suggestions)

NEW MATERIALS LISTS

Our library system provides handy lists of new items as they're added. You can sort by material type, and how recently an item has been added to our collection.

Just visit our catalog page, and click on the *What's New* tab.

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ADULT BOOK PICKS

Non-Fiction

- *The Old Farmer's Almanac 2022*
- *Five Ingredient Dinners: 100+ Fast, Flavorful Meals* by America's Test Kitchen
- *Vanderbilt: The Rise and Fall of an American Dynasty* by Cooper, Anderson (Release Date: 9/21)
- *All In: An Autobiography* by King, Billie Jean
- *Travels with George: In Search of Washington and his Legacy* by Philbrick, Nathaniel (Release Date: 9/14)
- *Fuzz: When Nature Breaks the Law* by Roach, Mary (Release Date: 9/14)

Fiction

- *Foul Play* by Woods, Stuart; Release Date: 10/5/21

- *The Butler* by Steel, Danielle; Release Date: 10/5/21
- *Last Girl Ghosted* by Unger, Lisa; Release Date: 10/5/21
- *2 Sisters Detective Agency* by Patterson, James/ Fox, Candice; Release Date: 10/5/21
- *The Book of Magic* by Hoffman, Alice; Release Date: 10/5/21
- *The Lincoln Highway* by Towles, Amor; Release Date: 10/5/21
- *The Judge's List* by Grisham, John; Release Date: 10/19/21
- *State of Terror* by Penny, Louise/ Clinton, Hillary Rodham; Release Date: 10/12/21
- *The Joy and Light Bus Company* by McCall Smith, Alexander; Release Date: 10/26/21

TEEN BOOK PICKS

- *A Rebel in Auschwitz* by Fairweather, Jack; Release Date 10/19/2021
- *The Woman All Spies Fear: Code Breaker* Elizabeth Smith Friedman and Her Hidden Life by Greenfield, Amy Butler; Release Date 10/19/2021
- *Hunting By Stars* by Dimaline, Cherie; Release Date 10/19/2021
- *Bluebird* by Cameron, Sharon; Release Date 10/5/2021
- *Aristotle and Dante Dive into the Waters of the World* by Sáenz, Benjamin Alire; Release Date 10/12/2021
- *The Color of Dragons* by Salvatore, R.A.; Release Date 10/19/2021
- *Any Sign of Life* by Carson, Rae; Release Date 10/12/2021
- *Vespertine* by Rogerson, Margaret; Release Date 10/5/2021
- *Oksi* by Ahokoivu, Mari; Release Date 10/12/2021
- *Creepy Cat 1* by Valent, Cotton; Release Date 10/12/2021
- *The Seven Deadly Sins Omnibus 1* by Suzuki, Nakaba; Release Date 10/19/2021
- *Needle and Thread* by Pinckney, David; Release Date 10/12/2021

CHILDREN'S BOOK PICKS

- *If the world were 100 people*, by Jackie McCann
- *North and south: a tale of two hemispheres*, by Sandra Morris
- *The secret life of viruses*, by Mariona Tolosa Sistere
- *The homework squad's ADHD guide*, by Joshua Shifrin
- *Guinness world records 2022* (publication date 9/16/21)
- *Ripley's believe it or not! Out of the box* (publication date 9/28/21)



Printing and Scanning Inside the Library

How to Print from our Public Computers	https://youtu.be/zNg3Q5SyRYI
How to Use our Copier and Scanner	https://youtu.be/m_t2-S1mjnA

The Library's Website

How to Navigate our Website	https://youtu.be/CwEJkhLwMs8
How to Search our Online Catalog!	https://youtu.be/5sxFP_zmbcl
How To Access My Account!	https://youtu.be/a9dU3W5Rjqw

Databases

How to Use NoveList Plus!	https://youtu.be/spOtrvq37U
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Downloadable Resources

What is Hoopla and How Do I Sign Up?	https://youtu.be/WLewaA5I9vE
What Is Libby and How Do I Sign Up For It?	https://youtu.be/w-gUsxKNVPY
How to Use Libby's Library Tab!	https://youtu.be/jtIgnSdbjTM
How to Use Libby's Shelf!	https://youtu.be/5FP6mY3oKqY
What is Overdrive and How Do I Use it?	https://youtu.be/XjilPxGssHk

Genealogy

How to use Ancestry Library Edition	https://youtu.be/Hzd9CVnCWY8
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General Computer & Email

How to Use Zoom	https://youtu.be/n2LyEi6LNwE
How to Use Microsoft Word	https://youtu.be/Qc3xT5GLIhs
How to Make and Use a Gmail Account	https://youtu.be/cldbfxc5xQ
Adjusting Security and Privacy Settings in your Gmail Account	https://youtu.be/OPdwVNsyAC8
How to Use Google Drive	https://youtu.be/M74OX4lxhls
How to Use Google Docs	https://youtu.be/cMC4JKyEPwE
How to Use Google Photos	https://youtu.be/OpCSQdbp69Y
How to Use Google Calendar	https://youtu.be/eBI9SicMWbo
How to Use Google Sheets	https://youtu.be/XXIVn89HJU4
How to Use Google Slides	https://youtu.be/fHT_PYuojrc
How to Use Google Forms	https://youtu.be/tmtiC8JuxZA

Technology videos made by our librarians, using our systems

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Library News



RESERVE EXPRESS FOR SERIES



Arrange to receive new items by selected

authors or Movie/TV series

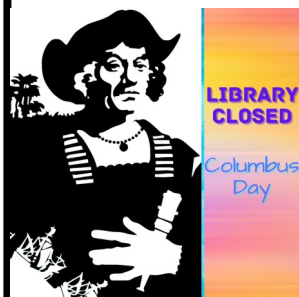
automatically! Sign up through your online account, and when we buy the latest item, the system will automatically place you on hold!

Full list here:

<https://www.laconianh.gov/1152/Movie-Series-to-Subscribe-to>

HOLIDAY HOURS

The Laconia Public Library will be closed in observance of Columbus Day, on Monday October 11, 2021.



DONATION GUIDELINES

The Laconia Public Library appreciates the generosity of persons that donate materials to the library. However, to maintain a quality collection for all we have established some basic guidelines.

The Library will happily accept the following materials in **good to excellent** condition:

- Hardcover and paperback books - 5 years old or newer
- Music CDs - in good condition and in original packaging
- Books on CD - in good condition and in original packaging
- DVDs - in good condition and in original packaging

The Library does not accept:

- Condensed Books
- Magazines
- Textbooks
- Videos
- Encyclopedia sets
- Books on cassette

All donated material becomes the property of the Laconia Public Library. The Library reserves the right to sell, or otherwise discard materials as we so choose.

There is a limit of four bags or boxes accepted at one time. All donated materials must be delivered to the library.

If requested, an acknowledgement of donation will be provided. A listing of donated items and/or monetary value for the items donated will not be provided.

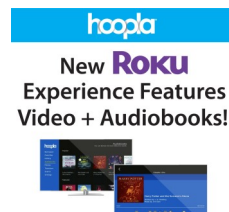
REQUEST AN ITEM

Did you know we have a form that makes it quick and easy to request we purchase new items? If we don't own a book, movie, graphic novel, or music CD that you're looking for, let us know! We can't purchase everything, but we try to get what our patrons want, whenever possible. Just fill this out with as much information you have: <https://www.laconianh.gov/FormCenter/Laconia-Public-Library-6/Patron-Request-Form-72>

AUDIOBOOKS NOW ON ROKU WITH HOOPLA

Listen to Audiobooks

hoopla is the only Library service that offers audiobooks on Roku! Discover, borrow, and listen to any hoopla audiobook through a TV with Roku enabled - great for listening while moving about the house! Roku delivers the same listening experience available on a mobile device or Internet browser. And, of course, it syncs with all other devices, so patrons never lose their place in an audiobook.



Keep Watching Great Movies & TV Shows

hoopla movies and TV shows are still easy to access through the Roku app. From discovering new content to continuing to watch a title already borrowed, the hoopla Roku app makes it simple to stream straight to a TV.