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General



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Teen Game: D&D

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7

3-6pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Ages 13-18

Learn to play the world's greatest roleplaying game with a short drop-in campaign for teens ages 13 to 18! This short campaign, held monthly in the auditorium, will walk new players through a short campaign from levels 1-5. Geared towards beginners, this campaign features all the elements of a classic Dungeons and Dragons adventure.

All materials are provided, including pre-prepared characters, dice, and rulebooks. Space is limited, so sign-up is required. Call, email, or text the library to sign up! Phone: (603) 524-4775, Text: (603) 556-4666, Email: info@laconialibrary.org.



Teen Manga Club

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

3:30pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Ages 13-18

Come to the Manga Club to talk about all things manga! For ages 13-18 in the Auditorium, snacks will be provided.





Teen Craft: Rolled Beeswax Candles

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

3:30pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Ages 9-18

Create and decorate your own hand-rolled Beeswax Candle! For ages 9-18 in the Auditorium.



Teen Craft: Black Light Painting Party

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4

3:30pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Ages 9-18

Join our Black Light Painting Party! Paint a canvas with glow-in-the-dark paint, or make a design on your hands and arms with glow body paint. For ages 9-18 in the Auditorium.



Family and Teen Drop-In Craft: Fall Leaf Suncatchers

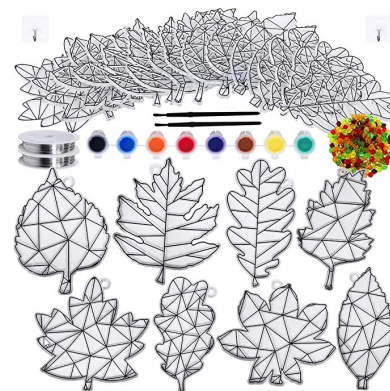
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19

10am

Selig Storytime Room

Kids through teens

Paint your own leaf-shaped suncatcher! This Drop-In craft is for kids through teens in the Storytime Room.



Teen Craft: Squishie Painting

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

3:30pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Ages 9-18

Paint a Squishie Keychain! For ages 9-18 in the Auditorium.





Children's Programs

newborn - age 12



Storytimes

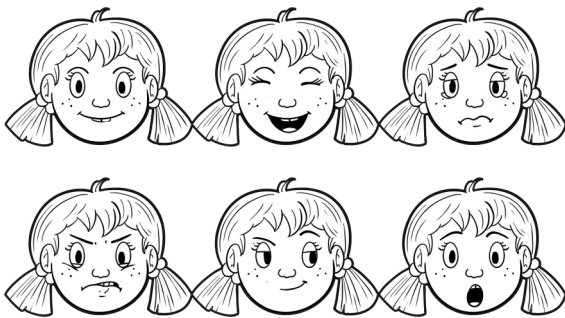
Social-Emotional Storytime

TUESDAYS

1:30pm

Selig Storytime Room

Best for ages 3-6



Big emotions can be tricky to handle, especially for young children. Join us for stories that talk about big challenges for little bodies such as sharing, waiting patiently, or feeling frustrated. Stories will be followed by a craft and handouts on supporting healthy social-emotional development are available for caregivers. Best suited for children aged 3-6 years old, in the Selig Storytime Room. There will be no storytimes the week of November 21-26.

Toddler Time

WEDNESDAYS

10am

Selig Storytime Room

Newborns-age 3

Toddler Time is a fun-filled hour with Jamie and is geared toward newborns and toddlers. We'll sing songs, move our bodies, read stories and do a craft each week! Younger or older siblings are always welcome too! In the Selig Storytime Room. There will be no storytimes the week of November 21-26.



Preschool Pals

THURSDAYS

10am

Selig Storytime Room

Best for ages 3-6

Preschool Pals is geared toward Preschool aged kiddos (3-6 years old). Join Jamie for singing, dancing, crafting, and of course, we'll be reading some great books! Younger or older siblings are always welcome too! In the Selig Storytime Room. There will be no storytimes the week of November 21-26.





Children's Programs

newborn - age 12



Lego Club

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8 & 22

3:30pm

Selig Storytime Room

Best for ages 5-12

Join us for an hour of creative fun in the Children's Room! We'll provide the Lego bricks... all you need to bring is your imagination! Best for ages 5-12 in the Selig Storytime Room.



Move & Groove

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4 & 18

10am

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Best for newborns-age 6

Let's get moving! In this program geared toward the younger crowd, we'll use scarves, musical instruments, a parachute, and other fun surprises to dance, play, and get those wiggles out! Best suited for newborns to age 6, in the Auditorium.



Baby Bookworms

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25

10-10:30am

Selig Storytime Room

Best for newborns-age 2

This brand-new program is for our youngest library friends! Baby Bookworms is a half hour of fun for little ones (newborns to age 2) and their caregivers! We'll sing nursery rhymes, read short stories, and have plenty of playtime! Join us in the Selig Storytime Room.



READING ROUND-UP



Fill out our form to have our children's librarians pick out a selection of books for your child.

<https://www.laconianh.gov/1186/Reading-Round-Up>



Children's Programs

newborn - age 12

Tinker Time: Help us get Unstuck!

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10

3:30pm

Selig Storytime Room and Library Garden

Ages 3-12

Oh no! Our kite is stuck in the tree! Who can help us? Join us in the Selig Storytime Room to read "Stuck" by Oliver Jeffries. After our story, children will be encouraged to use their imagination, loose parts, and recyclable materials to create a contraption to help unstuck our kite from the tree in the garden. This activity is best suited for children 6-12, or younger with adult assistance. No sign-up is required.




Saturday Crafts



Family Drop-In Craft: Clothespin Turkey Magnet

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12

10am-12pm

Selig Storytime Room

Families welcome

Create a cute turkey magnet in the Selig Storytime Room using a clothespin and a coffee filter or leaf. No sign-up is required for this craft which is suitable for families with children.



Family Drop-In Craft: Holiday Countdown!

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26

10am-12pm

Selig Storytime Room

Ages 3-12

The holiday season is upon us, and counting down to the big day brings so much excitement to children and adults alike! Join us in the Selig Storytime Room to make a fun countdown to Santa's visit! For ages 3-12.





Family Drop-In Craft: Fall Scarecrow Decoration

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7

3:30pm

Selig Storytime Room

Families welcome

Join us in the Selig Storytime room to create a cute Autumn scarecrow decoration. This craft is perfect for families and sign-up is not required.



Family Craft: Bubble Wrap Painted Turkeys

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14

3:30pm

Selig Storytime Room

Ages 3-12

Bubble wrap is fun for everyone, but instead of popping it, we'll be painting with it! In this craft program, we'll make colorful turkeys using everyone's favorite packing material! For ages 3-12, in the Selig Storytime Room.



Family Drop-In Craft: Fox and Mushroom Origami

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

5:30pm

Selig Storytime Room

Ages 8-12

Stop into the Selig Storytime Room for origami fun! In this program, best suited for children ages 8-12, we will provide instructions and origami paper to fold your own mushroom and/or fox. No sign-up is required.



Family Drop-In Craft: Thankful Turkey Votive

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

3:30pm

Selig Storytime Room

Families welcome

Join us at 3:30 in the Selig Storytime Room to create a turkey votive holder. This is a perfect craft to make for someone you are thankful for this holiday season. No sign-up is necessary for this fun family craft.



ADULT PROGRAMS

Russia, the United States, and the Origins of the War in Ukraine

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3

6pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

The history behind the Russian invasion of Ukraine is long and complex. In this illustrated talk, Kurk Dorsey, chair of the Department of History at UNH, will delve into the sources of the dispute between Russia on one hand and Ukraine and its allies on the other. This program is intended for an adult audience. Space is limited, so sign-up is required. Call, email, or text the library to sign up! Phone: (603) 524-4775, Text: (603) 556-4666, Email: info@laconialibrary.org.





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Organic Saffron Farming in New Hampshire

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17

6pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Salvatore Family Farm, a small family farm located in Chichester, New Hampshire, specializes in growing one of the world's most expensive spices, organic saffron. Saffron traditionally has been grown in Europe and the Middle East so what's it doing here in New Hampshire? Find out more on Thursday, November 17 at 6:00 pm when Salvatore Family Farm presents Organic Saffron Farming in New Hampshire at Laconia Public Library. Learn about the many uses for saffron and how this local family farm grows and hand-harvests their organic saffron. Space is limited, so sign-up is required. Call, email, or text the library to sign up! Phone: (603) 524-4775, Text: (603) 556-4666, Email: info@laconialibrary.org.



ADULT PROGRAMS



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Drop-In Tech Help with Shayla

TUESDAYS @ 10AM

WEDNESDAYS @ 2PM

Volpe Room

Now with an additional time! Come to have your basic computer and electronic device questions answered by a librarian. Most Tuesdays at 10am and most Wednesdays at 2pm, in the Volpe Room; check our event calendar to confirm dates.

Adult Seasonal Coloring

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4

2:30-4:30pm

Volpe Room

Please join us for a 2-hour coloring session inspired by fall. We will provide pages and many coloring tool favorites but please feel free to bring your own! We will be meeting in the Volpe room near Non-Fiction accompanied by some instrumental music.

Adult Craft: Decorative Pinecone Tree

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

1pm or 6pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

This month, our adult craft program is creating another fun seasonal decoration. Join us to decorate a pinecone to create a holiday tree.

Held in the Auditorium, this creative craft for adults provides all materials to make one tree. Sign-up is required as space and supplies are limited.

Call, email, or text the library to reserve your spot. Phone: 524-4775, Text: 556-4666, Email: info@laconialibrary.org.

November is National Novel Writing Month

WE HAVE LOTS OF WRITING CRAFT BOOKS IN OUR
COLLECTION! CHECK SOME OUT TODAY.
[HTTPS://LACONIA.BIBLIONIX.COM/?BOOKLIST=25453](https://laconia.biblionix.com/?BOOKLIST=25453)

Book Clubs

Mystery Book Club: "Conviction"

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9

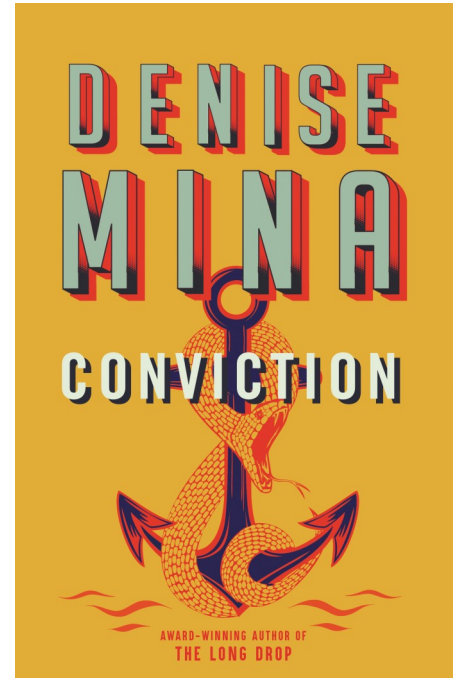
4pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Join us to discuss Denise Mina's "Conviction"

Anna is obsessed with true crime podcasts, so when her husband leaves her, she tunes into a new podcast rather than deal with her problems. But when the subject of the podcast turns out to be someone she knows from her past, Anna is determined to set the record straight, which takes her on a trip throughout Europe and has her confronting her own secret past.

Copies of the book are available at the Front Desk. Sign-up required. Call, email, or text the library to sign up: Phone: (603) 524-4775, Text: (603) 556-4666, Email: info@laconialibrary.org.



Non-Fiction Book Club: "How Stella Learned to Talk"

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

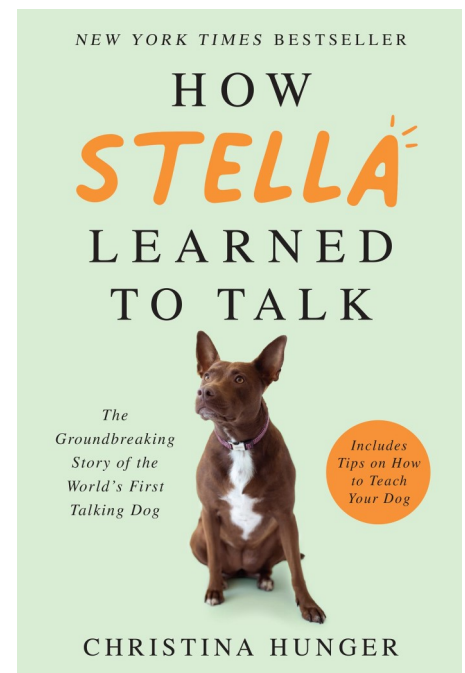
3:30pm

Laconia Rotary Hall (Auditorium)

Join us to discuss "How Stella Learned to Talk: The Groundbreaking Story of the World's First Talking Dog" by Christina Hunger.

This inspiring and astonishing chronicle documents how Christina Hunger taught her dog, Stella, to communicate using buttons with pre-recorded words. Christina was a speech-language pathologist who specialized in working with children experiencing significant language development delays. As part of her work, she taught toddlers how to communicate using Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) devices. Christina introduced a few words to Stella as an experiment. Stella now uses a bank of 30 words to construct basic sentences and requests.

Copies are available at the library. Space is limited, so sign-up is required. Call, email, or text the library to sign up! Phone: (603) 524-4775, Text: (603) 556-4666, email: info@laconialibrary.org.



Publishing in November

add your name to the reserve list

November Release Adult Books

Non-Fiction

- *The Light We Carry: Overcoming in Uncertain Times* by Michelle Obama (Release date: 11/15)
- *Marie Kondo's Kurashi at Home: How to Organize Your Space and Achieve Your Ideal Life* by Marie Kondo (Release date: 11/15)
- *The Wind at My Back: Resilience, Grace, and Other Gifts from My Mentor Raven Wilkinson* by Misty Copeland (Release date: 11/15)
- *Novelist as a Vocation* by Haruki Murakami (Release date: 11/8)
- *Surrender: 40 Songs, One Story* by Bono (Release date: 11/1)

Fiction

- *Going Rogue* by Janet Evanovich (Release date: 11/1)
- *The Perfect Assassin* by James Patterson (Release date: 11/15)
- *Desert Star* by Michael Connelly (Release date: 11/8)
- *The Choice* by Nora Roberts (Release date: 11/22)
- *A World of Curiosities* by Louise Penny (Release date: 11/29)

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November Release Teen Books

- *My Good Man* by Eric Gansworth (Release date: 11/1)
- *Seasparrow* by Kristin Cashore (Release date: 11/1)
- *Hanged!* By Sarah Miller (Release date: 11/8)
- *Cursed* by Marissa Meyer (Release date: 11/8)
- *Sanctuary Somewhere* by Ellen Hopkins (Release date: 11/8)
- *Scattered Showers* by Rainbow Rowell (Release date: 11/8)
- *Five Survive* by Holly Jackson (Release date: 11/29)
- *A Thousand Heartbeats* by Kiera Cass (Release date: 11/29)
- *Unfamiliar* by Haley Newsome (Release date: 11/29)

November Release Kids Books

J Fiction

- *The bad guys in the others* by Aaron Blabey (Release date: 11/1)
- *The sour grape* by Jory John (Release date: 11/1)
- *Cozy in love* by Jan Brett (Release date: 11/8)
- *Captain Underpants: the double crunch book o' fun* by Dav Pilkey (Release date: 11/29)
- *Snowmen at work* by Carolyn Buehner (Release date: 11/22)

J Non-Fiction

- *Super good cookies for kids* by Duff Goldman (Release date: 11/1)
- *City under the city* by Dan Yaccarino (Release date: 11/15)
- *Construction site: farming strong all year long* by Sherri Duskey Rinker (Release date: 11/15)
- *Polar bear* by Candace Fleming (Release date: 11/11)
- *Who is Ketanji Brown Jackson* by Sheila P. Moses (Release date: 11/29)

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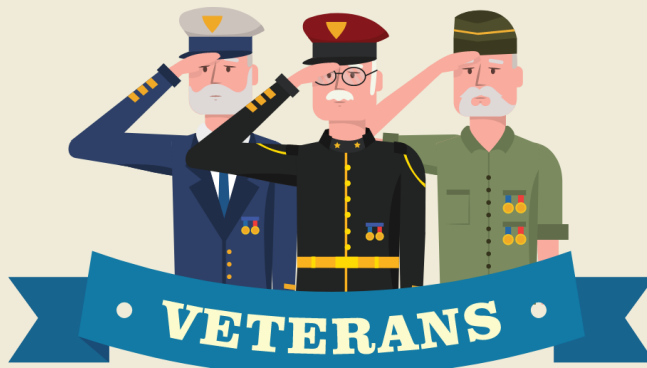
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Friday, November 11

