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Laconia Public Library's Monthly Newsletter

**MAY 2024**

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## A-MAY-ZING STUFF AT YOUR LIBRARY

### New Museum Passes and class on Meditation and Journaling at LPL

Beginning on Friday, May 3, Clare Persson will host a **Guided Imagery Meditation and Journaling** class at Laconia Public Library. Clare is a licensed Occupational Therapist and a certified Reiki & Mindfulness Meditation practitioner and teacher. Clare will lead the class in learning meditation and journaling techniques which can be used to reduce stress and anxiety, manage pain, improve sleep patterns, and enhance your creativity. This free class will meet every Friday for four weeks from 11:00 am -12:00 pm. **Sign-up is required.**

The **Monthly Adult Craft** group will gather on Tuesday, May 14 at 1:00 pm to create pictures using puzzle pieces. All supplies are provided; sign-up is required. Drop in and work on your current knitting, crochet, or embroidery project with the Fiber Arts Group on Thursday, May 2, 16, and 30 at 10:00 am. The Writing Group will meet on Wednesday, May 1 at 6:00 pm to discuss writing craft in a supportive group atmosphere, all levels of experience are welcome.

Want to learn how to stream the new Taylor Swift album on Hoopla for your next road trip? Bring your device to drop-in Tech Help on Tuesdays at 10:00 am and Wednesdays at 2:00 pm to learn more.

Laconia Public Library has three book groups and always welcomes newcomers. The **Evening Nonfiction Book Group** meets on Thursday, May 2 at 6:00 pm. The **Mystery Book Club** meets on Wednesday, May 8 at 4:00 pm. The **Fantastic Fiction Book Group** meets on Tuesday, May 21 at 10:00 am. Copies of this month's books are available at the Laconia Public Library.

Laconia Public Library is excited to announce that new discount passes to area attractions are available. Current discount passes available at Laconia Public Library include: **Millyard Museum, Children's Museum of New Hampshire, Castle in the Clouds, NH Historical Society, Squam Lakes Science Center, and New Hampshire Philharmonic Orchestra.** Contact the Library to learn more and reserve a pass for your next outing.

## MAY MERRIMENT IN THE CHILDREN'S ROOM

Join us every Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 10 am for one of our fun **Storytimes**! Younger or older siblings are always welcome at these weekly programs. Our popular **Move & Groove** program will take place on Friday the 10th and 24th at 10 am for newborns-age 6. We will use scarves, musical instruments, and the parachute to dance, play, and get those wiggles out!

We will create planters out of recyclable materials at the month's **Tinker Time: How Does Your Garden Grow**, held on Thursday the 2nd at 3:30 pm, for ages 6-11. Dive into the Library's many bins of Legos at this month's **Lego Club**, held on Tuesday the 7th and 21st at 3:30 pm, for ages 6-11. Paint a cute wooden bug ornament at this month's **Family Craft: Paint a Bug**, held on Saturday the 18th at 10 am, for ages 6-11. Come play one of our many fun **Family Board Games** on Friday the 24th at 3 pm.

Teen programs begin this month with the **Teen Gaming Club** on Tuesday the 7th at 3:30 pm. We will play Nintendo Switch Sports or Mario Kart on the big screen in the Auditorium. The **Teen Manga and Anime Club** will be held on Tuesday the 14th at 3:30 pm. Join us to discuss your favorite manga and anime, and to watch an anime episode of **My Hero Academia**, courtesy of Crunchyroll. Come decorate a Paper Lantern with paint and twinkle lights at this month's **Teen Art Club** on Wednesday the 22nd at 3:30 pm. All teen clubs are for ages 12-18.



Want to see a slideshow of all our events instead?  
You can watch them [on our YouTube channel](#).

If you would like to know more about an event  
give us a call at 603-524-4775, text us at 603-556-4666,  
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