



LACONIA PUBLIC LIBRARY

695 Main Street
Laconia, NH 03246
(603) 524-4775

HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9 - 8
Friday 9 - 6
Saturday 9 - 4

AGE KEY

Green = preschool

Red = children

Orange = adult

GOSS READING ROOM

188 Elm Street
Lakeport, NH 03246
(603) 524-3808

HOURS

Tuesday & Thursday 12-5

SEPTEMBER 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4	5	6	7	8
	Goss Reading Room Storytime @ 3:30pm	Adult Board Game Night @ 6pm		Movies & More for Kids: "Boss Baby" PG. 97min. @ 3:45pm
11	12	13	14	15
International Film: The Girl from Paris @ 6:15pm	Afternoon Adult Mini Mason Jar Candle Craft @ 2pm Goss Reading Room Storytime @ 3:30pm Adult Book Discussion: Into the Woods by Tana French @ 7pm Evening Adult Mini Mason Jar Candle Craft @ 6pm	Preschool Storytime (Birth-6) @ 10am Adult Board Game Night @ 6pm	Preschool Storytime (Birth-3) @ 9:30am Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-6) @ 10:30am Preston Heller, the Mentalist @ 7pm	Lego Club (Ages 5-12) @ 3:30-5pm
18	19	20	21	22
LHMS: Author Talk with Olga Morrill @ 7pm	Goss Reading Room Storytime @ 3:30pm	Preschool Storytime (Birth-6) @ 10am Adult Board Game Night @ 6pm	Preschool Storytime (Birth-3) @ 9:30am Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-6) @ 10:30am Purl Jam @ 2-4pm 230th Anniversary of the Constitutional Convention @ 7pm	
25	26	27	28	29
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LACONIA PUBLIC LIBRARY BROWSING NEWSLETTER

DID YOU KNOW WE HAVE MUSEUM PASSES?

Call to reserve one of our museum passes for a discount on admission. *Discounts vary between passes, and need to be reserved by date.*

- SEE Science Center
- Castle in the Clouds
- Currier Museum of Art
- NH Historical Society
- McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center
- Squam Lakes Natural Science Center
- Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum

For more information, visit:

DID YOU KNOW WE HAVE STEM KITS?

Playaway Launchpad

- From the Inside Out
- Into the Wild
- Imagination Station
- Little Academy
- Prehistoric Playground
- Smithsonian: All things Animal
- Problem Solver
- Science Explosion
- Built from Scratch
- Minds Go Round



Kits

- Dental Kit
- Anatomy
- Astronomy
- Optical Illusions
- Rocks and Minerals
- Microscopy
- Recon Programmable Robot

For more information visit the children's room, or: laconialibrary.org/719/STEM-kits



LOCAL ARTISTS!



The Laconia Public Library is looking for local artists to teach a 1-2 hour single event art or craft class of up to 24 participants. The goal of the program will be for attending patrons to be able to bring home a finished project, with no prior knowledge of the craft.

The Library will cover the cost of materials, and the instructor's time.

Anyone interested in partnering with the library for a program, please contact us at: aalwynlpl@metrocast.net for more details.

HELP US GO GREEN!

Would you like to be added to our email newsletter?



- **Browsing Newsletter:** Keep up to date on the programs and events at the library with this bi-weekly newsletter sent out on the 1st and 15th of each month.
- **Advanced Notice Craft List:** Are you only interested in what the next month's craft will be? Sign up for a sneak peak at what new projects will be hosted.

Sign up on our website: laconialibrary.org/803/Newsletter-Sign-Up, call us at 524-4775, or email reflpl@metrocast.net!

CONNECT WITH THE LIBRARY

Reference assistance is available to anyone, and can be requested in person, by phone at 524-4775 x12 or via email at reflpl@metrocast.net.

We'd love to hear from you!

@LaconiaLibrary



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ADULT PROGRAMS

230TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

Thursday, September 21 @ 7pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

The Constitution of the United States was the product of lengthy and serious deliberations in the summer of 1787 by a remarkable group of Americans who were intent on addressing the defects of the confederal system that was established by the Articles of Confederation in 1781.

Dr. David Marion will explain what the debates that transpired during the summer of 1787 at the convention held in Philadelphia reveal about the nature of the American constitutional system. He also will explain how an examination of what transpired at the constitutional convention can pay real dividends today as we labor to preserve the constitutional system crafted by George Washington, James Madison, and Alexander Hamilton, among other prominent Framers of the United States Constitution.

Dr. Marion is Elliott Professor Emeritus of Government and Director of the James Madison Public Service Program at Hampden-Sydney College in Virginia. He has been invited to speak at the U.S. Supreme Court, the National Archives, Mount Vernon (George Washington's plantation home) and Montpelier (James Madison's plantation home), among other places in the United States, Canada, and Europe. The author of over fifty publications, he received a national award for his book on the late Supreme Court Justice William Brennan and has been featured in programs on PBS and National Public Radio.



MINI MASON JAR CANDLE ADULT CRAFT

Tuesday, September 12
Afternoon @ 2pm or Evening @ 6pm
Selig Storytime Room



Sign up for one of two time slots!

Using soy wax, crayon, and a scent, create a small mason jar candle. Sign up is **required**. To sign up call **524-4775** or email: aalwynpl@metrocast.net. Limited enrollment.

Want a sneak peek at each month's craft? Sign up for the advance notice list on our website.: laconialibrary.org/803/Newsletter-Sign-Up

PRESTON HELLER
The Mentalist



PRESTON HELLER, THE MENTALIST

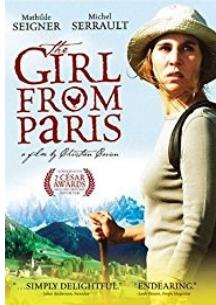
Thursday, September 14 @ 7pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

Prepare to be amazed! Preston Heller will not tell you what a mentalist does. He will show you! And in so doing, every audience member will have a unique, personal experience with the "unseen", including thought implantation or 'influence', revealing of information known only to the spectator, predictions, reading of body language and voice patterns, psychometry and much more. This program is 100% family friendly but is recommended for ages 12 and up. There is no fee to attend, but Preston requests that you bring an item for donation to St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry as part of his Fighting Hunger Tour.

ADULT PROGRAMS

INTERNATIONAL FILM: “THE GIRL FROM PARIS”

Monday, September 11 @ 6:15pm
Laconia Rotary Hall



Planning to retire, a goat farmer sells his business to a computer expert and shows her the ropes.

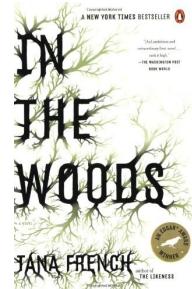
International Films selected and sponsored by the Laconia Human Relations Committee.

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION: “INTO THE WOODS” BY TANA FRENCH

Tuesday, September 12 @ 7pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

Much more than a gripping police procedural, Tana French's debut novel offers readers a stunning look into the dark recesses of the human heart and a brooding reflection on the evils that are sometimes just a breath away.

Books are available for loan at the adult circulation desk.



RECURRING ADULT PROGRAMS

ADULT GAME NIGHT

Wednesdays @ 6pm
Selig Storytime Room

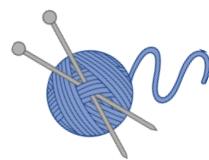
Gather together to play games. We'll provide the games.



PURL JAM

Thursday, September 21 @ 2-4pm
Volpe Room

Bring a project and knit or crochet while you socialize!



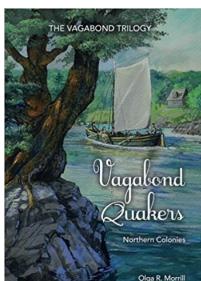
LACONIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM SOCIETY

AUTHOR TALK WITH OLGA MORRILL

Monday, September 18 @ 7pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

Olga Morrill, the author of *Vagabond Quakers* will be at the library for a talk on her book.

Quakers refrain from violence, but this new historical adventure proves they bear it with courage and passion, when it is brought against them.



OPEN HOUSE IN THE EXHIBIT GALLERY

Tuesday, September 26 @ 7pm
Upper Exhibit Gallery

Join the Laconia Historical and Museum Society for an open house in the Upper Exhibit Gallery for our next exhibit, the history of Opechee Park.



CHILDRENS PROGRAMS

MOVIES & MORE FOR KIDS: "BOSS BABY"

Friday, September 8 @ 3:45pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

A suit-wearing, briefcase-carrying baby pairs up with his 7-year old brother to stop the dastardly plot of the CEO of Puppy Co.

PG. 97 min. Snacks provided.

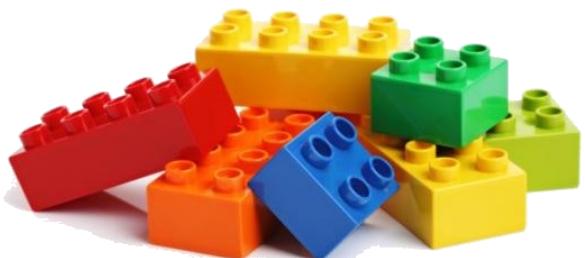
Children under 10 years old must be accompanied by a responsible caregiver age 14 or older; all adults must be with a child. **FREE**.



LEGO CLUB

Friday, September 15 @ 3:30-5pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

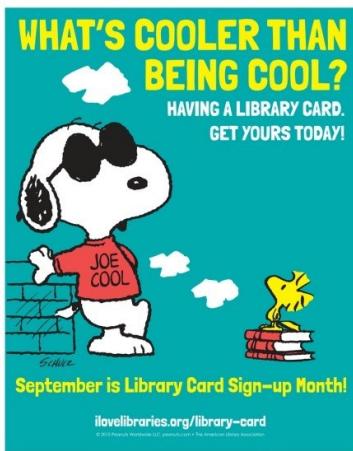
Children ages 5-12 are welcome to build their own creations. Snacks provided. **FREE**.



LIBRARY CARD SIGN UP MONTH DRAWING

Friday, September 29

Any child registering for their first Laconia Library card during the month of September will be entered into a drawing to win a new free book.



PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME BIRTH - AGE 6

**Wednesday, September 13, 20, & 27
@ 10am
Selig Storytime Room**

For children birth-6 and their adult caregivers. A drop-in program with stories, songs and fingerplays.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME BIRTH - AGE 3

**Thursday, September 14, 21, & 28
@ 9:30am
Selig Storytime Room**

For children birth-3 and their adult caregivers. A drop-in program with stories, songs and fingerplays.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME AGES 3 - 6

**Thursday, September 14, 21, & 28
@ 10:30am
Selig Storytime Room**

For children ages 3-6 and their adult caregivers. A drop-in program with stories, songs and fingerplays.



A LOOK BACK AT SUMMER READING

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