

LIBRARIES ROCK!

2018 Summer Reading Program
kicks off July 5th!
Book & Bake Sale July 7th

Rangeley Public Library

JULY 2018 NEWSLETTER

Dear Patron,

Ah, summer at last! Time for swimming, boating, hiking, reading for the fun of it, enjoying some solitude and silence. You may wonder what solitude and silence have to do with summer. Hopefully for the sake of your brain, it is a part of your summer, or even your whole year. According to Belle Beth Cooper (2017, Quiet Doesn't Cut It: Why Your Brain Might Work Better in Silence as retrieved from <https://www.fastcompany.com/3068168/quiet-doesnt-cut-it-why-your-brain-might-work-better-in-silence>), researchers have discovered that silence is more relaxing to our brains than soothing music. In fact, our brains grow new cells in the hippocampus during times of silence.

Like most of the world around us, libraries have become much

noisier places in the past few decades. What was once a place of enforced silence has become another place of noise and distractions. Most of our patrons seem to enjoy the sense of community at the Rangeley Public Library, but occasionally we have patrons who truly need a quiet place to think. Therefore, we have set aside the conference room as the quiet room. It will certainly not provide silence since our walls are not sound-proof, but we ask that those who choose to use this room remember that the other people in there may be there because they appreciate quiet. If someone needs to converse with someone, talking is allowed in the rest of the library. Let's be considerate of our quiet-seeking neighbors.

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What's Happening at the Library

Stop by to pick up your free tickets for these exciting events.

Move & Groove

with Ms Jenn

Thursday, July 5, 10:30 AM

Kids, come kick off the summer reading program "Libraries Rock!" with a musically themed story, lots of music and movement activities, and a musical craft for music making at home.

Book Talk

Friday, July 6, 10:30 AM

Join author Virginia MacGregor as she discusses her two newest novels, *Wishbones* and *Before I Was Yours*.

Book & Bake Sale

Saturday, July 7, 10-1:00

Look in fundraising section below for details.

Open Season

Wednesday, July 11, 6 PM

Author Darren Worcester will discuss his book *Open Season* which is a collection of 20 stories from both retired and active-duty game wardens.

Trail Dreams

Wednesday, July 18, 6 PM

Brad "Old Buzzard" Cook wants to inspire people to reunite their children with the great outdoors.

Internet Safety

Thursday, July 19, 10 AM

Topics will include wireless security, data protection, and privacy. This class is limited to 20 participants. Sign up at the library today!

Sounds Like

Science

Wednesday, July 25, 10 AM

Kids of all ages are invited to join us for some scientifically awesome entertainment dealing with the science of sounds. Get your free ticket at the library.

Up in Maine: Poetry of Holman Day

Wednesday, July 25, 6 PM

Peter Beckford will recite selections from the works of Holman Day who perfectly captured the spirit of crusty old New Englanders in his poetry written in the early 1900s.

**Folk Music by Bill
Berlinghoff & Mia Boynton**

Wednesday, August 1, 6 PM

Bill Berlinghoff, a Pete-Seeger-era folk singer, and coffee house singer Mia Boynton will each perform half a set.

ONGOING PROGRAMS

Book Groups - 3rd Weds. at 10:00 AM and last Weds. at 4:00 PM

Book Groups

Rangeley Readers

will discuss

River Talk

by

C. B. Anderson

July 18, 10:00 AM

Adventure Book Group

will discuss

Killers of the Flower Moon

by

David Grann

July 25, 4:00 PM

LIBRARY HOURS

(Note new hours which started in November.)

Tuesday: 10AM-4:30PM ~ Wednesday: 10AM-7PM

Thursday & Friday: 10AM-4:30PM ~ Saturday: 10AM-2PM

MEDIA COMING IN JULY

Adult Fiction

Clock Dance by Anne Tyler
Harry's Trees by Jon Cohen
Spy Master (Scot Harvath #17) by Brad Thor
Stay Hidden (Mike Bowditch #9) by Paul Doiron
The Lost Vintage by Ann Mah
The Skaar Invasion (Fall of Shannara #2) by Terry Brooks
Safe Houses by Dan Fesperman
The Perfect Couple by Elin Hilderbrand
The King's Witch (Frances Gorges Trilogy #1) by Tracy Borman
A Gathering of Secrets (Kate Burkholder #10) by Linda Castillo
A Place For Us by Fatima Mizra
City of Lies (Poison Wars #1) by Sam Hawke
Bearskin by James A. McLaughlin
Before & Again by Barbara Delinsky
Bring Me Back by B. A. Paris
The Banker's Wife by Christina Alger
The Bar Harbor Retirement Home for Famous Writers by Terri-Lynne DeFiro
All We Ever Wanted by Emily Giffin
Summer Wives by Beatriz Williams
Between You & Me by Susan Wiggs
The Ruin (Cormac Reilly #1) by Dervla McTiernan
Splinter in the Blood (Carver & Lake #1) by Ashley Dyer
Dear Mrs. Bird by A. J. Pearce
The Throwaway by Michael Moreci
The Great Believers by Rebecca Makkai
What We Were Promised by Lucy Tan
The Reckoning at Gossamer Pond by Jaime Jo Wright
The Book of M by Peng Shepherd

Adult Nonfiction

Never Stop Walking: A Memoir of Finding Home by Christina Rickardsson
Peace of Mind for Your Aging Parents by Kenneth O. Doyle
Accidental Brothers: The Story of Twins Exchanged at Birth by Dr. Nancy Segal
The Sun Does Shine: How I Found Life & Freedom on Death Row by Anthony Hinton
The Promise of the Grand Canyon by John F. Ross
Limits of the Known by David Roberts
Lincoln's Last Trial: The Murder Case That Propelled Him to the... by Dan

Abrams

Young Adult

Just As You Are: A Teen's Guide to Self-Acceptance by Michelle Skean

My Lady Jane by Hand/Ashton/Meadows

Older Kids

Masterminds (Book #1) by Gordon Korman

Masterminds: Criminal Destiny (Book #2) by Gordon Korman

Masterminds: Payback (Book #3) by Gordon Korman

The Serpent's Secret (Kiranmala & the Kingdom Beyond #1) by Sayantani DasGupta

Younger Kids

The Squirrel's Busy Year: A First Science Storybook by Martin Jenkins

Audiobooks

Something in the Water by Catherine Steadman

My Dear Hamilton by Stephanie Dray

DVDs

Justice League

Chappaquiddick

WEDNESDAY EVENING VOLUNTEER(S) NEEDED!

We have an opening for a volunteer on Wednesday evenings from 4:30 to 7:00 PM. If you would be interested, please stop by and see Pat at the circulation desk.

LIBRARY FUNDRAISING

SAVE THE DATE!

Thursday, August 9th: Summer Celebration

Book & Bake Sale

Saturday, July 7, 10 AM to 1 PM

Our biggest book sale combined with our yummiest bake sale of the year will be held on Saturday, July 7th. Books will sell for \$1 each, or brand new Rangeley Public Library canvas book bags may be purchased for \$10 each and filled with books for an additional \$5. Come early for the best selection of both books and baked goods. And remember, it all benefits the Rangeley Public Library!

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