November 2019

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| **5**STEM Program – 10:30am*Ages 3-5**Friends of the Library Meeting**All are welcome – 6pm* | **6**Bouncing Babies – 10:30am*Ages 0-2*Book Club – 1pm*Sometimes I Lie* | **7**Story Time – 10:30am*Ages 2-3*Snack & Study – 2:30-4:30pm*Ages 12+*Author Talk: S.M. Stevens –6:30pm | **8**Scarecrow Craft – 1:30pm*Ages 5+* | **9****CLOSED****for Veterans Day** |
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| **19**STEM Program – 10:30am*Ages 3-5*Writers Group – 6:30pm | **20**Bouncing Babies – 10:30am*Ages 0-2*Not-So-Good Life of the Colonial Good Wife – 6:30pm | **21**Story Time – 10:30am*Ages 2-3*Snack & Study – 2:30-4:30pm*Ages 12+*Book Club – 6:30pm*Reading With Patrick* | **22** | **23**https://tse2.mm.bing.net/th?id=OIP.vB3BTBAUTWl6TimbrbkufQHaHa&pid=Api&P=0&w=300&h=300 |
| **26**STEM Program – 10:30am*Ages 3-5* | **27**Bouncing Babies – 10:30am*Ages 0-2***CLOSE at 5pm** | **28****CLOSED** | 29**FOR** | 30**THANKSGIVING** |

Hours: Tuesday 10am-8pm, Wednesday 10am-8pm, Thursday 10am-8pm, Friday 10am-5pm, Saturday 10am-5pm

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All programs are sponsored by The Friends of the Boylston Public Library, Inc. and The Boylston Public Library Foundation, Inc., and are free and open to the public.

**Friends of the Library Meeting**

**Tuesday, Nov. 5, 6pm**

Consider joining The Friends of the Boylston Public Library to help promote, support, and provide material and cultural library resources. We believe that a vibrant community benefits from a free and public library that invites sharing, knowledge, participation, and open access for all.

**Afternoon Book Club**

**Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1-2pm**

Join us for a discussion of *Sometimes I Lie* by Alice Feeney.

**Snack & Study**

**Thursdays, Nov. 7, 14, & 21, 2:30-4:30pm**

Ages 12 and up are invited to come to the library after school for snacks and study space.

**Author Event: S.M. Stevens**

**Thursday, Nov. 7, 6:30pm**

Meet local author S.M. Stevens for a discussion on her recently published novel, *Horseshoes and Hand Grenades*. Stevens' fast-paced story deals with workplace sexual harassment as it follows two women navigating new highs and lows in life, work and romance, while struggling to make sense of the abusive relationships that haunt them. Stevens began writing during back-to-back health crises: a shattered pelvis and ovarian cancer. She is an active member of the monthly Boylston Library Writers Group. Learn more about Stevens at www.AuthorSMStevens.com.

**Scarecrow Craft**

**Friday, Nov. 8, 1:30pm, Ages 5+**

Make a scarecrow out of popsicle sticks to celebrate fall. Registration is required.

**Teen Taste Test Challenge**

**Wednesday, Nov. 13 6:30pm, ages 13 & up**

Teens will need adventurous taste buds for a blindfold taste test challenge, a potato chip flavor challenge, and a mysterious gross-out challenge!

**Artist Exhibit**

**Carolyn Letvin: Interior Reveries**

Carolyn Letvin’s exhibit focuses on some of the interior spaces the artist finds compelling and engaging. Through her work, she strives to capture the transformation of these spaces through changing light along with the notion that domestic spaces shape our dreams and memories. Carolyn has won many awards including the Top Award at the 18th Annual Faber Birrent National Color Award Show, an Honorary Mention/Sakura Award from the United Pastelists of America/Oil Pastel Association in 2001, a second place in the 2014 Blanche Ames National Juried Exhibition, and the prestigious Nancy T. Baldwin Drawing Award from Concord Art’s 2017 Members Juried 2 Exhibition.

**Painted Mason Jar Candleholder**

**Saturday, Nov. 2, 2-4pm, Teens & Adults**

Teens and adults are invited to drop in anytime this afternoon to make a leaf-themed candleholder for fall. Registration is required.

**STEM Program – Young Scientists**

**Tuesdays, Nov. 5, 12, 19 & 26, 10:30am**

Have fun in this six-week enrichment series for children ages 3-5 to learn STEM concepts through hands-on activities, story time, challenges, and simple experiments. Registration required.

**Story Time - Bouncing Babies**

**Wednesdays, Nov. 6, 13, 20 & 27, 10:30am**

Infants and toddlers aged 0-23 months are invited to this musical program specially designed to engage the tiniest library users while developing early literacy skills. Registration required.

**Story Time - Terrific 2’s & 3’s**

**Thursdays, Nov. 7, 14 & 21, 10:30am**

Those toddling two and three-year olds will love this active and fun Story Time. Registration required.

**Brain Health**

**Tuesday, Nov. 14, 6:30-7:30pm**

The AARP will be here to discuss enhancing brain health and to share tips on memory improvement and stress management.

**Worcester Art Museum Tour –**

**American Landscapes: Transitions in Style**

**Friday, Nov. 15, 10:30am**

Throughout our history, landscapes have been central to the American painting genre. This tour will journey through centuries of American landscape painting and highlight the changes in artistic style in capturing our country's beauty. Registration required. Transportation provided. The tour meets at the Boylston Library and returns at 1:30pm. Some walking is required. Co-sponsored by the Council on Aging. Participants may choose to purchase their own lunch at the museum cafe.

**Make a Cork Pumpkin**

**Friday, Nov. 15, 3pm, Teens & Adults**

Back by popular demand, make a simple and colorful pumpkin out of cork to add to your fall décor. (Hot glue guns will be used for this craft which is intended for teens and adults.) Registration required.

**Writer’s Group**

**Tuesday, Nov. 19, 6:30-7:30pm**

This is a group for aspiring writers, led by Susan Roney O'Brien, MFA.

**Not-So-Good Life of the Colonial Goodwife**

**Wednesday, Nov. 20, 6:30pm**

Discover what life was really like for New England's colonial women. From menstruation, chamber pots, birth control and breastfeeding, to poopy babies, we’ll explore the engrossing “taboo" subjects often omitted from history.

**Evening Book Club**

**Thursday, Nov. 21, 6:30-7:30pm**

Join us for a discussion of *Reading With Patrick* by Michelle Kuo.