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April 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday					
<div style="border: 2px solid purple; border-radius: 25px; padding: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p>Hours:</p> <p>Tues, Weds, & Thurs 10AM - 8PM</p> <p>Friday & Saturday 10AM - 5PM</p> <p>Closed Sunday & Monday</p> <hr/> <p>Registration is required for programs unless otherwise noted.</p> <p>Don't forget to sign up for our newsletter and like us on Facebook!</p> </div>							1 4pm Tuesday Crafternoon	2 11am Story Time! 1pm Afternoon Book Club 6pm Poetry Reading: Eve Rifkah	3 11am Bouncing Baby Story Time!	4	5 1pm Teen Tea Party 2pm Drop-In Tech Help
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Tuesday Crafternoon

Tuesday, April 1 @ 4pm

Ages 6–11 are invited for a relaxed, fun craft activity the first Tuesday of the month.

Story Time!

Every Wednesday @ 11am (Except 4/23)

This Story Time is designed for ages 2–5 and includes singing and crafts with fun STEM connections!

Registration required; space is limited.

Bouncing Baby Story Time!

Every Thursday @ 11am (Except 4/24)

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; space is limited.

Afternoon Book Club

Wednesday, April 2 @ 1pm

Join us in the library or online for a discussion of our monthly book club book. For April we will read 'Behind us is the Sea' by Susan Muaddi Darraj. Copies are available at the library or on Libby.

Registration is required for Zoom Link.

Poetry Reading: Eve Rifkah

Wednesday, April 2 @ 6pm

Join us at the Boylston Library to kick off our three-month series of poetry readings by local poets. We are happy to have Eve Rifkah at the Library to start this series with readings from her book, 'Outcasts the Penikese Island Leper Hospital 1905–1921.' The book is a documentary of sorts with persona poems in the voices of the actual patients.

Eve Rifkah is the 2021 recipient of the Stanley Kunitz award and has been instrumental in poetry organizations such as co-founder of the Poetry Oasis, Inc. She lives in Worcester, MA with her husband, musician, artist, writer Michael Milligan and their cat. Join us for this relaxing evening of poetry reading and leave inspired to hear more these next few months.

This program is supported in part by a grant from the Boylston Cultural Council, a local agency which is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

This presentation will be taking place in the Library and virtually via Zoom. Registration is required for the Zoom link.

Teen Tea Party

Saturday, April 5 @ 1pm

The Teen Advisory Board is cordially inviting you to a tea party! Tea and refreshments will be served in a true Afternoon High Tea fashion. Semiformal attire encouraged! Registration required. Ages 12–18.

Drop-In Tech Help

Saturday, April 5 @ 2–5pm

Drop by the library for all of your basic technology needs! Our librarians or volunteers will help you learn about using your computers, smart phones, tablets, or other devices. Stop by any time between 2–5pm.

For more advanced tech help, consider signing up for an appointment by emailing our assistant director at anix@cwmares.org so we can best serve your needs.

Perler Bead Craft

Wednesday, April 9 @ 2pm

It's another half day at school! Get crafty at the library and make some perler bead creations. Ages 6 and up.

Supplies are limited; Registration is Required.

Meet & Greet: Dave Marzo

Thursday, April 10 @ 4pm

Meet Board of Selectmen candidate Dave Marzo at the library. This is an opportunity to ask questions, share your ideas, and get to know the candidate in an informal and relaxed setting.

Spring Time Hike with DCR

Saturday, April 12 @ 10am

Join DCR Watershed staff for this hike as we enjoy the sights of spring on the Wachusett Watershed! This guided hike will be about 3 miles round trip to shoreline views of Scar Hill Bluffs on easy-to-moderate terrain. There will be a few inclines on paved road and dirt access road, and we'll navigate over forest trail to sandy shore. Come and enjoy the changing season with us!

Meet at Boylston Public Library, 695 Main Street, Boylston. Dogs are not allowed. Registration encouraged.

Writer's Group

Tuesday, April 15 @ 6:30pm

This is a group for aspiring writers, led by Susan Roney O'Brien, MFA. All are welcome, no matter your writing level! Join this group as they improve their writing together. You can either join us in person at the library or virtually. Registration is required for Zoom Link.

Teen Advisory Board

Wednesday, April 16 @ 6pm

Ages 13–18 can help the library and make their voices heard on the Teen Advisory Board! We'll meet on the third Wednesday of each month to discuss library programs and other fun projects. Bring friends and enjoy snacks as our group helps to make the library a place for all teens to enjoy. Teens can commit as little or as much time as they like, and those looking for additional volunteer hours will be offered opportunities through Teen Board meetings.

Registration encouraged.

Evening Book Club

Thursday, April 17 @ 6:30pm

Join us online for a discussion of our monthly book club book. For April we will read 'Rental House' by Weike Wang. Copies are available at the library or on Libby. Registration required.

Robotics 101 with True Robotics

Saturday, April 19 @ 10am

Boylston Townhouse – 599 Main Street, Boylston, MA 01505

Have you always wanted to learn how to program a robot? True Robotics and their team of teachers are here to show us how! This relaxed workshop at the Boylston Town House is for adults and teens 16 and up with an interest in playing with robots! Bring your own laptop or tablet and you'll learn some basic coding to operate the robots.

An EdTech startup based in Worcester, True Robotics' mission is to inspire and make STEM disciplines more accessible through innovative robotics kits, paired with a research-driven, evidence-based curriculum and comprehensive training services.

This program is supported in part by a grant from the Boylston Cultural Council, a local agency which is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

Registration required.

Analog Minecraft Party

Tuesday, April 22 @ 11am

This party is all old school! We won't be playing the video game, but we'll enjoy some block themed activities, games, and fun!

Ages 6 and up. Registration required.

Stuffy Sleepover

Wednesday, April 23 @ 4pm

Your stuffy can have a sleepover party in the library! Drop them off between 4–6pm and create a special name tag. You can read them a bedtime story before you go. Will your stuffy stay in bed all night, or will they have some adventures? Mrs. S will watch them and let you know what happened when you get them the next day. Stuffy pickup begins at 10:30am on Thursday with donut holes and juice.

Registration required.

World Wednesdays

Wednesday, April 30 @ 6:30pm

The Teen Advisory Board (TAB) presents a monthly event for teens to try tasty snacks from around the world! We'll feature treats from countries like Greece, Colombia, and Turkey.

Open to everyone ages 12–18. No registration required.