

PML NEWS

What's Happening at Parsons Memorial Library!



Math Workshop



Math can be challenging. So many numbers and number concepts! But...Math can also be fun if you understand how it works. Learn more at our Feb. 28 Math Workshop! From 4-6 p.m. participants can play games and do activities aimed at making math more fun! Email ekilgore@alfredme.gov to reserve your spot!

Children's Clothing Swap!

Children. They grow so fast, right? It can definitely make keeping them in well-fitting clothes a real challenge. That's why you'll love the PML Children's Clothing Swap! Bring in your gently used, CLEAN, children's clothing size 0-5 to our Children's Room and see if there's something you can use. Everything has been sorted for easier searching, and all unclaimed items will be donated locally.

PML Friday Night Movie Nights!

It's time to go to the movies...at PML! On March 1 we'll Meet the Parents (PG-13) in a hilarious comedy starring Ben Stiller and Robert DiNiro. We'll supply free popcorn and the movie. You're welcome to bring a comfy camp chair, a cozy blanket for curling up in, a favorite snack, and bring a friend! Movie nights will run from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Community Room at PML. See you at the library!



Bruce Tucker Returns With History Springs Forth

Local history is something special when Bruce Tucker is presenting, and beginning March 2, Bruce is back with History Springs Forth! On March 2 at 1 p.m., he'll share the story of Old Bet the Elephant - Murder Most Foul. The Saturday Speaker Series continues on March 9 with the Heirs of Bridget Phillips - Alfred's Proprietors and the Revolution. On March 16, Bruce will tell us about Bob Herrick's Grog Shop and Temperance Movement, and on March 23 the series wraps up with Alfred and the Agricultural Census of 1771. Bring a snack, bring a smile, and enjoy learning more about the history of our little village!



Watch the Weather!

'Tis the season...for keeping an eye on the weather. This is a reminder that **if RSU 57 Schools are closed, so are we.** Enjoy those snow days!



Join Us For a "Friendly" Potluck



If you're like us, you're feeling some serious cabin fever. That means it's the perfect time to join us for the Friends of PML Cabin Fever Potluck Dinner! On March 16, bring your favorite entree or salad and serving utensils to the library and the Friends will provide the rest, including fabulous desserts! Shake off the last of winter with good friends and good food. See you at the library!

New Books! New Books! New Books!

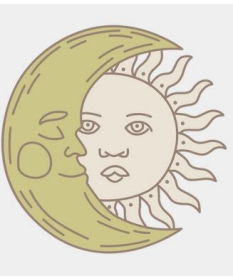
It's always an exciting day when our boxes of new books arrive. We've got some fantastic new titles for you, including:

Only if You're Lucky - Stacy Willingham
The Year of the Locust - Terry Hayes
We've Got Issues - Phillip C. McGraw, PhD
The American Daughters - Maurice Carlos Ruffin
What Have We Here - Billy Dee Williams
Birding to Change the World - Trish O'Kane
Cold - Tamaki
A Love Song for Ricki Wilde - Tia Williams
The Women - Kristin Hannah
Chickadee: Criminal Mastermind - Monica Silvie
Everything in its Place - Pauline David-Sax
Keep Dancing Through - Allison Holker

Irish Milkshake Murder - Carlene O'Connor
Diva - Daisy Goodwin
The Five-Star Weekend - Elin Hilderbrand
No Better Time - Sheila Williams
The Tusks of Extinction - Ray Nayler
Everyone on This Train is a Suspect - Benjamin Stevenson
Everyone But Myself - Julie Chavez
Queens of London - Heather Webb
Dream Town - Lee Goldberg
The Hidden Life of Cecily Larson - Ellen Baker
Whiskey Tender - Deborah Jackson Taffa



Space Science is Super Exciting!



You might have heard that there's an eclipse coming up. Well, to get people excited for such a fun solar event, we're hosting a series on Space Science, brought to you by Ossipee Hill Farm and Observatory. Beginning March 5 at 2:30 p.m. with What is a Star and What are Constellations, the series continues weekly with different topics, including What is our Sun? What is our Moon? And What is A Solar Eclipse? All ages are welcome. The observatory will then celebrate the eclipse on April 8!

Saturdays are Lego Challenge Days

It's time to get creative. It's time to build. It's time for the Saturday Lego Challenge! Every Saturday morning you're invited to challenge yourself to see what you can create using our Lego bricks and your imagination. Each week will bring a new prompt. From 10 a.m. to noon, the challenge is on. Legos will be provided, and all ages are welcome!

Join Us For Story Time and Toddler Time

Join your friends at PML for Story Time, Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., and Toddler Time, Wednesdays at 11:30 a.m. Story Time is for children of all ages. We'll hear a story, sing some songs, and do crafts and activities. Friendships and smiles abound! Toddler Time is just for littles 0-3 years. They'll get to explore and play at the library. Watch your little one learn about others and their world, while you make connections with new friends, too!



Monday Night Book Group

The next title for Monday Night Book Group is *The Lone Winter* by Anne Bosworth Greene. Discussion will be March 25 from 5:30-7 p.m. in the Reading Room.

