







March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
 <p>For more information, please visit www.SouthPortlandLibrary.com</p> <p><i>All programs are at the Main Library unless otherwise noted</i></p>			  		1	2	3
			Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Betsy Ross House Book Group: 1:30 pm Acting Up! 3:00-4:00 pm & 4:15-5:15 pm		KnitChat: 10:00 am Letter Zoo: 10:30 am	<i>Silvia Rose and the Cherry Tree</i> book launch party with author Sandy Shapiro Hurt: 10:30 am Writers' Group: 2:00 pm	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Flash Story Time 2-4 pm Branch Library	Branch Library Open	Baby Builders: 10:30 am iMake: 3:30 pm KnitChat: 6:00 pm	Spanish Language Group: 10:00 am Toddle Town: 10:30 am LEGOs in the Library: 3:30 pm 3-D Pens 3:30 pm	Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Acting Up! 3:00-4:00 pm & 4:15-5:15 pm Evening Book Group: 6:30 pm	KnitChat: 10:00 am Letter Zoo: 10:30 am	LEGOs in the Library: 10:30 am Author Talk with Susan Poulin: 2:00 pm After Hours Concert with Old Eleven: 7:00 pm	
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
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25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
Flash Story Time 2-4 pm Branch Library	Branch Library Open	Baby Builders: 10:30 am Life 101: 10:30 am iMake: 3:30 pm KnitChat: 6:00 pm	Spanish Language Group: 10:00 am Little Roots: 10:30 am Kid's Crafternoon: 1:00 pm LEGOs in the Library: 3:30 pm 3-D Pens 3:30 pm	Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Acting Up! 3:00-4:00 pm & 4:15-5:15 pm	KnitChat: 10:00 am Letter Zoo: 10:30 am		

MARCH EVENTS & PROGRAMS

Kids' Programs & Events

Flash Story Time Stop by the Branch Library on Sundays between 2 and 4 p.m. to hear stories and sing a song! Fun for all ages.

Baby Builders *Duplos, play and socializing for ages 0-4 yrs.* Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.

Toddle Town *Songs, stories, bounces, & movement for ages 1-3.* Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

LEGOs in the Library *Build, play, create and socialize! We supply LEGOs, you supply the creativity!* Ages 5+. Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m.

Book Bambinos *Songs, rhymes, books, & bounces. For ages 0-18 mo.* Thursdays at 10:30 a.m.

Starlight Stories *Pajama story time! Songs and stories for all ages.* 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

Letter Zoo *Stories and songs for ages 3-5.* Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

Special Events

Winter Reading Program The winter reading program ends March 3. Make sure to come in and claim your prize! **Ages 0-18** win a free book when they finish the program.

Sylvia Rose Party Author Sandy Shapiro Hurt will launch her debut picture book, *Sylvia Rose and the Cherry Tree*, on **Sat., March 3 at 10:30 a.m.** All ages are invited to enjoy an author read-aloud, activities, snacks, and book signings!

LEGOs in the Library Build, play and create at this special weekend edition of LEGOs in the Library! **Sat. March 10, at 10:30 a.m. Ages 5+.**

Game On! The library's board game program with Diversions Games & Puzzles continues on **Sat., March 17 from 1-3 p.m.** Games and instruction on how to play will be provided! All ages welcome!

Little Roots Families with children ages **birth through 5 years** are invited on a musical adventure! Sing-alongs, musical instrument exploration, movement and fun! *Pre-registration is helpful.* **Wed., March 21st & 28th at 10:30 a.m.**

Kid's Crafternoon Kids ages 5-10 are invited to craft the afternoon away! We'll have several crafts to try. **Wed. March 28, from 1:00-2:30 p.m.**

Teen Programs & Events

iMake Come make cool stuff and learn new skills by making a different project each week. **Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m.** at the Main Library. **Ages 10-18.**

3-D Pens Come try a 3-D pen on **Wednesdays between 3:30-5:00 p.m.** at the Main Library. **Ages 10-18** can sign up for a slot starting at 3:00 p.m. each Wednesday.

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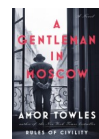
SPPL Adult Book Discussions



Dark Matter by Blake Crouch
THURSDAY, MARCH 1 AT 1:30 P.M.
Meets at the **Betsy Ross House**. Open to the public.



Lillian Boxfish Takes a Walk by Kathleen Rooney
THURSDAY, MARCH 8 AT 6:30 P.M.
Meets at the **Main Library**.



A Gentleman in Moscow by Amor Towles
TUESDAY, MARCH 20 AT 10:30 AM
Meets at the **Main Library**.

Becoming Wise by Krista Tippett
TUESDAY, MARCH 27 AT 10:30 A.M.
Meets at the **Main Library**.



Main Library
482 Broadway
767-7660



Branch Library
155 Wescott Rd.
775-1835

HOURS
Tuesday 10-8
Wednesday 10-8
Thursday 10-8
Friday 10-6
Saturday 10-6
Closed Sunday & Monday



HOURS
Sunday 12-5
Monday 10-8
Wednesday 2-6
Friday 2-6
Closed Tuesday, Thursday, & Saturday

Events for Adults

At the Main Library

Writers' Group The **1st and 3rd Saturdays of every month at 2:00 p.m.** Open to all genres and abilities. Bring a sample to share or just come to listen.

Socrates Café— Socrates Café is an opportunity for ordinary people to wrestle with the 'Big Questions' in a facilitated, volunteer-led discussion. **4th Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.**

KnitChat An open knitting group for all ages and abilities. **Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. and Fridays at 10:00 a.m.**

Genealogy Group The library's genealogy group meets on the **3rd Wednesday of each month from 1-3 p.m.** Spend time researching, sharing tips, and learning about your ancestry.

Spanish Group A conversation group at the Main Library **every Wed. at 10 a.m.** Improve your Spanish while discussing practical topics. All levels welcome!

Author Talk with Susan Poulin Local author Susan Poulin will be reading from and signing her books, *Finding Your Inner Moose: Ida LeClair's Guide to Livin' the Good Life* and *The Sweet Life: Ida LeClair's Guide to Love and Marriage* on **Sat., March 10 at 2:00 p.m.**

After Hours with Old Eleven: Join us at the Main Library for traditional and original bluegrass tunes from the talented group, Old Eleven! **Sat., March 10 at 7:00 p.m.**

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Artsy Afternoon Make needle felted spring chicks at our next Artsy Afternoon on **Sat., March 24 from 1-3 p.m.** . Registration is required, so please sign up in advance. **Ages 18+.**

