

# October 2018

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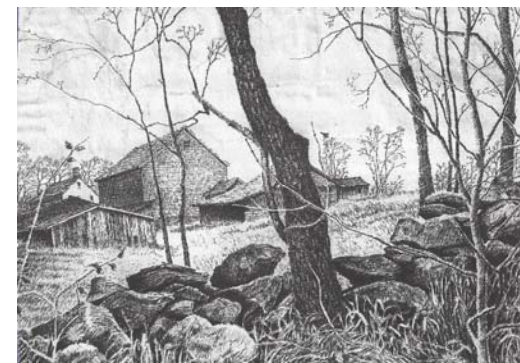
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## News & Events for October 2018

**Introduction to Landscape Drawing,  
Mondays, October 1, 15, & 22, 6:00-8:00 p.m.**



Come be inspired to capture some of the beauty around you! All you need is a black pen, a series of graphite pencils (B, B1, B2, B3), a kneaded eraser, an 8 x 10 sketch book, and a willing attitude. All adults are welcome to a supportive, non-competitive environment. Topics to be covered include skies, trees, rocks, grass and distance. There is a limit of fifteen (15) participants to this class! To register, please contact Assistant Library Director Kim Shipala at [kshipala@minlib.net](mailto:kshipala@minlib.net) or call 508-520-4941.

**Renaissance Brass Quintet,  
Tuesday, October 23, 6:30 p.m.**

Enjoy a brass concert featuring six centuries of western song-writing by the Renaissance V Brass Quintet.

Hear Renaissance tunes, 19th century marches, modern songs by Scott Joplin, Duke Ellington, and The Beatles, and more. Led by Al Testa. This event is free and open to all.

## October Library Hours

The Library will be closed Sunday, October 7 and Monday, October 8 for Columbus Day. The Library's hours are Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and Friday and Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m, and Sunday 1:30-5:00 p.m.

**October is Dyslexia Awareness Month**

*Learning Difference Center of Excellence is hosting an event in Franklin*

In partnership with the Franklin Public Library, the Learning Differences Center of Excellence (LDCOE) is hosting a kick off meeting on Saturday, October 6 @ 1 pm, at the Franklin Public Library. The LDCOE provides an extended network of caring of parents/guardians/caregivers, educators, specialists and partnering organizations that help support families and children, in the local community, who have learning differences, so each person can reach their fullest potential.

The LDCOE focus includes: Dyslexia (including dyslexic characteristics, dyscalculia, or dysgraphia); Language Based Learning Disabilities (LBLD); ADHD/D; Autism; Intellectual Disabilities; Down "Up" Syndrome; Processing Deficits.

LD families & individuals are invited to attend and learn more about the LDCOE, how you can get engaged, what we do and how we can learn from each other.

If you are interested in attending this event as a specialist or contributor, please contact Debra.

If you would like more information please contact Debra Fahey, Executive Director, Founder LDCOE @ (508) 507-7714 or [learningdifferencesMA@gmail.com](mailto:learningdifferencesMA@gmail.com)  
**Local Connections:** Debra Fahey is a Franklin resident, also founder of Teen Revolution (TR) in Franklin, is trained in Wilson, working on her MEd in Curriculum & Instruction with a focus on Dyslexia & LBLD and is an Educational Advocate for children & families.



## October Programs

### Mondays

Move Along. 10:30 a.m. For ages 0 – 5 years

This thirty minute program features music, movement, stories, instruments, and other interactive activities to encourage social skills and promote early literacy! Parents and caregivers are welcome and encouraged to participate. No registration is required.

Toddler Playgroup. 11:00 a.m.

Take a break and enjoy some playtime at this informal morning playgroup. The library will provide toys, music, and books for children who are accompanied by an adult. Connect with other parents and let little ones interact with one another. No registration is required.

Monday Crafternoons. 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Join us in the Children's Room every Monday afternoon for a drop-in craft session! Be sure to bring your creativity!

### Tuesdays

Cool Cruisers: a Playgroup for crawlers and early walkers! 9:30 a.m.

Babies who have graduated from tummy time and are scooting all over the place are welcome to this playgroup just for them! We recognize that fun age of exploring is very different from their first few months, so join us for a special playgroup just for this exciting time!

Get Ready for Kindergarten. 10:30 a.m. For ages 3 – 5.

This 45 minute program featuring stories, songs, activities, and crafts will help prepare your children for preschool and kindergarten. Parents and caregivers can attend with their child if they wish. No registration is required.

### Wednesdays

Terrific Toddlers. 10:30 a.m. For ages 18 months to 3 years. Enjoy thirty minutes of interactive stories, songs, and activities for families and children from birth to age 3. No registration is required.

Toddler Playgroup. 11:00 a.m.

Construction Junction. 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Every Wednesday afternoon we'll hang out and build all sorts of things using all our favorite building toys from Legos to Lincoln Logs!

### Thursdays

Baby Tummy Time! 9:30 a.m. (For pre-walkers ages 0-18 months)

Babies and caregivers: join us each Thursday morning for Tummy Time! Nurture your baby's development with gentle music, movement, and sensory play at the library! Please bring a small blanket or towel for your baby's comfort!

Story and Craft. 10:30 a.m. For ages 3—6 years of age.

Stories, activities, and a craft for children ages 3, 4, 5, and 6 who are able to attend on their own. Parents are encouraged to watch from the adjoining room! This program lasts around 45 minutes. No registration is required.

### Special Programs

Mommy Real Talk: A Discussion Group for New Parents, Friday October 5th, 9:30a.m.

Bring your little ones along for a causal, welcoming discussion group! If you ever find yourself wondering "is this normal?" or "are other parents feeling this way?" you're not alone! Come meet other parents in your community, share your questions and ideas, all in a supportive environment! Little ones are welcome, we'll have toys and activities! This is a low-key way to meet other parents and share the joys and challenges of parenting!

Baby Sensory! Saturday, October 6th, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for a 45 minute baby sensory program! Watch your little one interact and engage with a variety of sensory items! Sensory play is a fantastic way to help babies explore their worlds, stimulate the senses, and create little inquisitive explorers! Babies under 2 are welcome and encouraged! (Got older siblings? They can bring along a stuffed toy or baby and play along!)

Discovery Workshop! Second Thursday of the Month, October 11th, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Kids K-4th grade! Join our special guest Ms. Marsha for an hour of exploring!

Happy Feet! Friday, October 12th, 10:30 a.m.

Ideal for ages 2-4! Let's play some music and get those little toes moving! Join us for an introductory class into creative movement using very basic ballet moves. From stretching our arms and legs, to skipping, pointing our toes, twirling in place and gentle jumps, we will have fun learning to move to the music while building coordination and confidence. Laughter and giggles are definitely expected! Parents are welcome to accompany their child or just watch as our classes progress.



## Programs Continued...

Jeannie Mack Concert: Not a Fright in Sight! Saturday, October 13th, 1:00 p.m.

Jeannie Mack performs the perfect combination of songs, rhymes and hand plays about pumpkins, trick-or-treating, jack-o-lanterns, tickly spiders, and silly witches to delight 2 - 6 year-olds.

Preschool Play N' Learn! Wednesday October 17th, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Play N' Learn is a monthly theme based group for parents and children, facilitated by Ms. Marsha Wright, CFCE Parent Child Educational Specialist!

Book Bites, Third Wednesday of the Month, October 17th, 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Are you between the ages of 8-11? Do you love to read AND eat? Join us on the third Wednesday of each month for snacks and a casual conversation about your favorite reads! Share what books you're loving lately, and get great book recommendations from others! This is a low key (and delicious) way to find your next favorite book or series!

Family Yoga Adventure! Saturday, October 20th, 9:30 a.m.

Put on some comfy clothes, grab the whole family and your yoga mats and join us in the program room for our Family Yoga Adventure! We'll follow along with a fabulous story, doing different moves to keep the story going!

Spooky Slime! Thursday, October 25th, 1:00 p.m.

It's a half-day for the public schools, so we're celebrating by making slime! Supplies are limited. Limit 1 slime portion per person.

Mickey's 90th Birthday Bash! Friday, October 26th, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

You're invited to a birthday party for the one and only Mickey Mouse! October 28, 1928 was the premiere of Steamboat Willie, Mickey Mouse's big debut, since then, that date has always been considered Mickey's birthday. Join us for games, crafts, snacks and more as we celebrate everyone's favorite mouse! Happy 90th Birthday Mickey!

Pumpkin Palooza Costume Party! Saturday, October 27th, 1:00 p.m.

Join us for a spooktacular costume party! Enjoy games, crafts, some fabulous treats, and a few fun surprises!

### Teen Programs

Woke: a YA Book Club, Wednesday, October 3rd, 6:30 p.m.

Teens under 18, join us on the first Wednesday of the month to discuss a different socially-conscious YA novel! This month's pick is Moxie by Jennifer Mathieu! Pick up a copy from the display in the Teen Room!

Teen Advisory Board, Wednesday, October 10th, 6:30 p.m.

Join us on the 2nd Wednesday of each month for Teen Advisory Board! The Teen Advisory Board is a GREAT opportunity to get involved here at the library! You'll help plan events and programs, create displays and decorate the teen space, and help drive decisions around the kinds of materials we bring to the YA collection, from books and beyond, all while eating snacks and getting volunteer hours! It's a win-win-win!

Halloween Murder Mystery Party! October 31st, 6:00 p.m.

Tweens and teens, you are invited to join us for a night of glamour and mystery as you try to solve the "Murder at the Masquerade". Enjoy snacks and refreshments as you mingle with other guests and question the suspects. Come dressed to impress; masquerade masks are encouraged but not required! "It's a night of glamour, mystery and intrigue as the hottest socialites from around the world dress up in their best for a masquerade unlike any other. The location: stunning Biblioteca Nazionale Marciana in Venice, Italy. But when an esteemed librarian is found dead in Sansovino's Library, just steps away from where the masquerade is in full swing, the shadow of suspicion is cast on the esteemed masquerade guests. It's up to the guests of the masquerade to unravel the clues and crack the codes to determine the identity of the killer, but also decipher the reason WHY this seemingly innocent man was killed!"

### Adult Programs

Introduction to Landscape Drawing with Anne Uva, Mondays October 1, 15 & 22, 6:00-7:45 p.m.

Renaissance Brass Quintet, Tuesday, October 23, 6:30 p.m.

Franklin Public Library Book Club, Tuesday, October 23, 7:00 p.m.

Welcome to the new Franklin Public Library Book Club! Bring a book that you have recently read and enjoyed, and a list a suggestions for future reads. This is an organizational meeting, and we will pick titles for upcoming meetings. Meetings will be held on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

Knitting Group, Fridays, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Love to knit or crochet? Join our group of local fiber artists who will be meeting in the Friends of the Franklin Community Room on Fridays 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Genealogy Club, Thursday, October 25, 6:30 p.m.

This month's topic is Portuguese Genealogy with Sonia Pacheco.

Library Book Sale - Buck A Book!

Saturday, October 20, from 9 – 3.

Bag Sale - \$5 A Bag—Sunday, October 21, from 9-12. Come fill a brown bag with all the books you can! Bags will be provided.