SERIEMBER

AUTHOR TALK WITH EMILY FRANKLIN SEPTEMBER 14 1:00 PM

Registration Required

As our town read in 2023 you've enjoyed the life and times of Isabella Stewart Gardner. Join us for readings and conversation with Lioness of Boston Author Emily Franklin! As a special treat signed book plates will be available at the event for your copy of the book!

Register Here



COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS SEPTEMBER 7 6:30 PM

Back on the Calendar!

Adults!

Our Topic for Discussion: Social Media

Everyone is welcome to join us each month as we unpack, discuss, and engage with topics relevant both within our community and beyond. Come with an open mind, leave with plenty of food for thought!

WILDLIFE PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP SEPTEMBER 23 10:00 AM



At Southwick Zoo. Price of Admission not included. Ask about discounted admission at the Circulation Desk!

Join Nature Photographer Steve McGrath on a Wildlife Photography Workshop at Southwick's Zoo! There you will learn how to use your preferred digital camera like a pro and improve your wildlife photographic technique. Understand the settings of your camera and what you need to compose a professional looking photograph.

SATURDAY STRUM ALONG SEPTEMBER 16 2:00 PM

New Program. No Registration Required

Join the fun and strum along to simple songs and cords. Practice makes perfect, but when you play the Ukulele it's not practice it's play time! This music circle is all ages. While Ukulele is the primary focus all instruments are welcome!

ONE STEP TO SAFTEY SEPTEMBER 21 6:30 PM

Registration Required

Lead by Martial Arts Master Elijah Swan. Join us in a prevention concept program that combines basic strikes, tactics, and techniques.

Our focus is on verbal and physical self defense movements, blocks, body positions, and awareness.

This program is open to teens and adults!

Register Here



MUSICAL BINGO: BROADWAY EDITION SEPTEMBER 20 6:30 PM

Join us for our new monthly Musical Bingo series! Part Bingo, part trivia, participants will listen to the music as it plays and fill in their bingo cards! This month's Bingo theme: Broadway musicals!

RESTAURANT EXPO SEPTEMBER 27 2:00 PM

Come join us for a free and exciting afternoon evening at the Franklin Public Library for Franklin Health Departments Restaurant Expo from 2PM-5PM on Wednesday September 27th, 2023! The event will include live tastings, food and beverage vendors, local products and services, and the ability to network with experienced professionals!

ADULTS & FAMILIES Month of ___SEPTEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday -
					1 Knitting Group! 10:00 AM	2
3	4 Library Closed	5 Friends of Franklin Library Book Club 6:30 PM	6	Community Conversations 6:30 PM	8 Knitting Group! 10:00 AM	9
10 Chess Group 2:00	11	Table Top 6:00PM	Friends of Franklin Library Meeting 6:30 PM	Author Talk: Emily Franklin 6:30 PM	15 Knitting Group! 10:00 AM Book Sale 1:00 PM	16 Book Sale 9:00 AM Bag Sale 1:00 PM Saturday Strum Along 2:00 PM
17 Chess Group 2:00	18	Board Game Group 6:00PM	Musical Bingo: Broadway Edition 6:30 PM	One Step to Saftey 6:00PM	22 Knitting Group! 10:00 AM	23 Wildlife Photography Workshop 10:00 AM Adult Paint Party 1:00 PM
24	25	26	27	28	29 Knitting Group! 10:00 AM	30
		Table Top 6:00PM	Restaurant Expo 2:00 PM	Genealogy Club 6:00PM		Crafty Creations 2:00 PM

REGULARLY SCHEDULED PROGRAMS (WEEKLY & MONTHLY)

Friends of Franklin Library Meeting Wednesday September 13 6:30 PM

Love the Library? Then how about we be friends! Join us at the Friends of Franklin Library meeting!

Contact us at: fofl02038@gmail.com | Follow us on Twitter: @FriendsFranklin

Table Top Tuesday September 12 & 26 6:00PM - 8:00PM

Registration Requested! No experience necessary!

It's time to dust off your dice, grab a source book and role play your way through hijinks and horrors! Table Top is a Monthly game of Table Top Role Playing Games for Adults! For info and registration contact: mgousie@minlib.net

Saturday Strum Along Saturday September 16, 2:00

Join the fun and strum along to simple songs and cords. Practice makes perfect, but when you play the Ukulele it's not practice it's play time! This music circle is all ages. While Ukulele is the primary focus all instruments are welcome!

Board Game Group Tuesday September 19 6:00 PM

Try and new game! Introduce your favorite! Most importantly... Play games!

This is a monthly group dedicated to the great board games out there and a space to find some new people to play with!

Genealogy Club Thursday September 28 6:30 PM

The Genealogy Club of the Franklin Public Library is a monthly program for genealogy enthusiasts, beginners and experienced alike. Each month a professional speaker will present the group with a lecture on a wide variety of family history and genealogy topics. This program is free and open to all who are interested.

Remote Access Available









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 Library Community Room on Fridays 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Chess Club Sunday September 10 & 17 2:00 PM

Chess - The game of kinds has resumed play at Franklin Public Library! All ages and skill levels are welcome!

Franklin Book Clubs:

F.P.L. - <u>The Push</u> by Ashley Audrain F.o.F.L. - A Banned Book

Got a book club? Why not tell the community what you are reading?! Contact mgousie@minlib.net to get your book group on the monthly print calendar!

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YOU CAN HAVE A BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY CARD?!

Visit bpl.org! Under services > Library Card Registration - e-cards. Fill out some quick information and get access to almost everything BPL has to offer! Including LinkedIn Learning, offering 16,000 video courses in business, software, technology, and creative skills, taught by recognized industry experts.

MASS CENTER FOR THE BOOK 2023 CHALLENGE

A Book by an Author with your First or Last name

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and pin outside the library!

