

GALE FORECAST

Hours: Monday, 12 noon to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday & Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. Thursday through Saturday: 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. 34 Main St., Northborough, MA 01532 Phone: (508) 393-5025

Web page: www.northboroughlibrary.org

December 2014

HOLIDAY HOURS: Close at 1 p.m. on December 24. Closed December 25. Close 5 p.m. December 31. Closed January 1. Other hours remain the same unless there is a weather emergency.

"A Parent's ADHD Overview: 11 Strategies for Common Home and School Challenges" Monday, December 1, 7 p.m.

(Rescheduled from original November 17 date.)

Does your child have difficulty completing homework? Does he seem "addicted" to video games? Does she struggle with organization and focus? Has your child been diagnosed or treated for ADHD, or do you or teachers suspect symptoms of ADD/ADHD? Join neuropsychologist Dr. Nowell for this practical introduction to ADHD. Learn about medication as well as common non-medication interventions. Discover effective solutions for managing common problems at home and school. Free. No registration required. To be held in the large Meeting Room of the Library.

HOLIDAY TROLLEY BOOK SALE

Friday, December 5 & Saturday, December 6

The Friends of the Northborough Library are having their annual Northboro Holiday Trolley Book Sale! We have an excellent selection of high quality fiction and non-fiction books for adults, teens and children. Many of these books are gift quality, for a fraction of the original cost of the book. **The sale is Friday, December 5th, from noon - 5 PM, and Saturday, 9:30 AM - 4 PM** at the Northborough Library, 34 Main Street. All books will be priced at \$2, with our special of 3 books/\$5. Please visit our sale while you enjoy the town-wide trolley on Saturday afternoon!

As always, we now are accepting donations of gently used books for the sale. Please drop off your donations inside the library, the circulation desk staff will direct you to our donation pile. No encyclopedias, magazines or books in poor condition, please.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

Friday, December 12, 10-11:30 p.m. The Good Earth, by Pearl S. Buck

Wednesday, December 17, 7-8:30 p.m. Blanche on the Lam, by Barbara Neely

The Monday evening group is not meeting this month.

Anyone is welcome to attend any of the discussions. Copies of the books are available at the Circulation Desk.

TEEN/TWEEN PROGRAMS

Make Your Own Mini-Pizza & Movie Night. Monday, December 29th, 6-8 p.m. Teens in grades 6-12 welcome. Check with the Teen Librarian for the movie title. Registration is required and begins December 1st. This event will be held in the Meeting Room.

Craft Wars. Tuesday, December 30th, 2-3 p.m. Teens in grades 6-12 welcome. No registration required. This event will be in the Meeting Room.

Need more information? Check with Bonny Krantz in the Teen Room or call 508 393-5025 ext. 7.

Did you know.....

You can subscribe (for free) to the listing of all our new books, audiobooks, DVDs, and more every week!! Go to http://wowbrary.org

All you have to do is put in Northborough's zip code and your e-mail address, and you'll get a listing every week. If you see something you like, you can place a hold on it right there.

The library website www.northboroughlibrary.org also runs a feed from Wowbrary. The website is also your jump-off point for getting downloadable e-books and audiobooks, getting magazine issues for your iPad or other tablet from Zinio, seeing the calendar of events, accessing databases (not otherwise available on Google or other search engines), and reserving museum passes. Note that some services are available only to Northborough residents.

During weather emergencies, the library and other town departments may close with very little notice. We do not follow the school closing schedule. Therefore, if you are dropping off a family member, especially a teenager, be sure that person can reach you to arrange transportation!! (Children under 12 must always be accompanied by a parent or responsible caretaker.) Library staff cannot stay at the library with a stranded teen, and will call the Police if your child can't reach you and we don't know when you'll be arriving.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat		
30	Art Smarts-Still Life Drawing 3:30 – 5:00 Ages 8 - 11	2 Color Me A Story 10:30 – up to age 5 Color Me A Story 11:30 – up to age 5	Mother Goose	<u>On My Own</u> Storytime 10:30 – 11:00 Ages 3 - 5	<u>5</u>	6 Northboro Holiday Trolley- Drop in Craft noon – 4:30 Reading with Kodiak the Dog! 1:00 – 2:30 (15 min. slots)		
7	<u>Chess &</u> <u>Checkers</u> 6:30 – 7:30	9 Color Me A Story 10:30 – up to age 5 Color Me A Story 11:30 – up to age 5	Mother Goose On the Loose 10:30 – 11:00 Birth thru age 2 Make a Winter Wreath	11 On My Own Storytime 10:30 – 11:00 Ages 3 - 5 Drop In Legos Program 2:30 – 4:30	12 Yoga for Kids 10:00 – 10:30 Ages 3 - 5	13 Reading with Kodiak the Dog! 1:00 – 2:30 (15 min. slots) Kindergarten Book Club 2:30 – 3:30		
<u>14</u>		Color Me A Story	Mother Goose On the Loose 10:30 – 11:00 Birth thru age 2	18 On My Own Storytime 10:30 – 11:00 Ages 3 - 5	Music with Bill Roy 10:30 – 11:00 All ages!!	20 Reading with Kodiak the Dog! 1:00 – 2:30 (15 min. slots) Movie & Cookie Decorating 2:30 – 3:45 Ages 3 - 10		
21	Grades 1 & 2 Book Group Party 6:00 – 7:00	Color Me A Story 10:30 – up to age 5 Color Me A Story 11:30 – up to age 5 The Polar Express 1:30 – 2:30 Ages 4 and up!	Library Closes @ 1:00 Today!	25 have a mercy	Library Will Be Open Today! 9:30 – 5:00	27 Reading with Kodiak the Dog! 1:00 – 2:30 (15 min. slots)		
<u>28</u>	Snowperson Puppet-Drop In Craft 1:00 - 5:00	Morning Movie	31 Library Closes @ 5:00 Today HAPPY NEW YEAR!!					