

#### October 2022

### The Great Pumpkin

Our Little Explorers program on Thursday mornings at 10:00 is always a fun-filled, hands-on sensory and imaginary play time. On **Thursday, October**13th we are taking it to a whole new level, though! Our partners from Milford Kids Thrive will be joining us to make it a super-sized event with each child receiving a small pumpkin to investigate in this STEAM program. This is a drop-in event in our OWL space (outside). In case of bad weather, the following Thursday is our rain date.



### Halloween Fun

We have fun celebrating the Halloween season here at the Wadleigh Library! We will be making crafts on **Saturday**, **October 22nd**. Feel free to wear your costumes to Little Explorers on **Thursday**, **October 27th** and our Family Storytime on **Monday**, **October 31st**. We are also happy to participate in Trick-or-Treat on the Oval on **Friday**, **October 28th** from 3:00-4:30.

<u>Please see eventkeeper.com for more program information</u>

# 1000 Book Before Kindergarten (1KB4K)

The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends reading to your child from birth. Studies show that reading together fosters healthy brain development and creates a nurturing parent-child relationship where children develop important cognitive, language, and social-emotional skills.

The 1KB4K program's goal is simply to encourage reading. If you're coming to the library, you are already doing it! Now, you can earn some fun prizes. If you have not signed up, talk to any of the children's librarians to join.

### **SPECIAL EVENTS**

- The last StoryWalk of the year is a fun Halloween book!
- Fall Craft Wednesday, October 5th @ 10 AM

## **Monthly Programs**



Saturday, October 15th 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM

**Craft Saturday** 

Saturday, October 22nd

Kids Pokemon Club

Thursday, October 27th @ 4:00 PM



The Children's Room @ Wadleigh Memorial Library