Holidays & Closings

Memorial Day Weekend
Saturday, May 25—Monday, May 27

Open Hours
Monday : 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Tuesday : 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Wednesday : 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Thursday : 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday : 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday : 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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Meetings:
Board of Library Trustees
TBD
Friends of the Lynnfield Library
Monday, May 13, 7 pm
Weekly Storytimes

Time for Stories Ages 2-5
Mondays, May 6, 13 and 20 at 10 am
Join us for stories, finger-plays, songs, and a craft.
Ages 2-3. No registration required.
Monday, May 20, local author Cathy Ballou Mealey will visit and read her new picture book: When a Tree Grows

Mother Goose On the Loose
Storytime Ages 0 - 24 months
Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 at 10 am
Join us for a lap-sit storytime filled with songs, stories, finger-plays and nursery rhymes, followed by a group playtime.
Ages birth to 24 months. No registration required.

Songs & Stories Ages 0-4
Fridays, May 3 and 10 at 10:30 am
Come and sing songs, hear stories, and have fun! Craft and group playtime will follow.
Ages 0-4. No registration required.

All storytimes are open to the public - no registration required

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Lego Block Party  
**Thursday, May 2 at 3:00 pm**  
Children will create LEGO masterpieces with friends to inspire creativity.  
*For safety reasons, this event is designed for children ages 6 and up or those who have experience working with LEGO’s. The library will provide the LEGO’s, so please do not bring any with you unless you plan on donating them.*  
No registration is required.

Family Resource Network Storytime  
**Thursday, May 9 at 10 am**  
Join staff members from the Family Resource Network for 45 minutes of fun and learning. We will gather to sing, do a craft, and read a book.  
*Ages 2-4. No registration required.*

STEAM School for Preschoolers by Curious Kids Lynnfield  
**Wednesday, May 15 at 1 pm**  
Join us in the Children’s room for a FREE class that integrates concepts of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math into a storytime.  
*Ages 3-4. Registration is required (and limited to 10 children). Visit our website at [www.lynnfieldlibrary.org](http://www.lynnfieldlibrary.org) to register.*

Wiggle Worms Fridays: May 17—June 7 at 10:30 to 11:30  
**Storytime at MarketStreet in partnership with Lynnfield Library**  
Meet on the Green every Friday from May 17—June 7 for animated storytelling followed by time to move and wiggle with KidzFun! A free ticket is required for each child and includes a free kid’s cone at JP Licks. Check in 30 minutes before Storytime begins. *Geared for children ages 2—5. Visit [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/wiggle-worms-tickets-60270885842](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/wiggle-worms-tickets-60270885842) to register.*

Reading to a Dog  
**Wednesday, May 22 at 3:30 pm**  
Mitzi, a trained Therapy dog of Massachusetts, will visit the library to hear some great stories. Children may sign up for a 10 minute session to read to her. Mitzi is a patient listener, so reading to her is good practice for readers who are still struggling a bit and for pros alike.  
*Program is geared for children in grades K-4. Registration is required. Space is limited to 4 children per day; those on the waiting list will get priority for Mitzi’s next visit. Call Pam or John to register. 781-334-5411*

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TWEEN AND TEEN EVENTS
Youth Advisory Board  
Tuesday, May 14 at 3:00 pm  
Have ideas or programs you would like to see in the library? Join the Youth Advisory Board and let your voice be heard!  
Ages 10-14. No registration required.

Table Top Tuesday  
Tuesday, May 21 at 3 pm  
Come and play classic board and card games with other tweens and teens.  
Tweens and Teens. No registration required.

Book Bingo  
Thursday, May 23 at 3 pm  
Tweens ages 10-13 are invited to attend. No registration is required. Ask Ms. Pam or Mr. John for more details.

YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

Book Tasting  
Tuesday, May 28 at 3:30 pm  
Hungry for a new read? Craving books by Young Adult authors like Meyer, Yoon or Albertalli? Join Mr. John as he serves you a three-course book meal to whet your literary appetites.  
Designed for teens 15-18.

Video Game Vengence!  
Thursday, May 30 at 3 pm  
Join friends new and old to compete in a game of Super Smash Brothers.  
Ages 10+. No registration required.

ALL AGES

Pokémon Go Lure Drops  
Thursday, May 16 at 3 pm  
Come and join other Pokémon trainers as you compete to see who is the very best! We will drop two lines for an hour of Pokémon catching fun!
Horses Change Lives: Therapeutic Riding Info Session
Thursday, May 2 at 7 pm
Horses Change Lives. Windrush Farm, a therapeutic riding center founded in Boxford by pioneer Marj Kittredge in 1964, will present the benefits of riding and horse-related activities for children, teens and adults with physical, developmental, and emotional challenges. No registration required.

Coffee with Crighton Meet and Greet
Friday, May 3 from 9:30 to 11:30 am
Senator Crighton represents the 3rd Essex District, serving the City of Lynn and Towns of Lynnfield, Marblehead, Nahant, Saugus, and Swampscott. This event is an opportunity for consistent, in-person conversations about issues facing our district and the Commonwealth.

Foster Care Information Session
Thursday, May 9 at 6:30 pm
May is Foster Care Awareness Month. Did you know there is a need for foster parents to be able to provide care for overnights, long-term, foster-to-adopt, and respite care? The Massachusetts Department of Children & Families serves children of all ages—from every community—from infants to adolescents—who need a home. Every Parent Makes a Difference.
Free and open to the public. This session will be held on the Library mezzanine. For more information contact Lori at 978-557-2722 or lori.roscoe@state.ma.us

Too Human with Evan Carley on Upright Bass
Tuesday, May 14 at 7 pm
Meeting House on the Common
A Celebration of Song—The Great American Songbook and Beyond—Jazzy Bluesy Originals and Jazz Standards.
No registration required. Program is sponsored in part by a grant from the Lynnfield Cultural Council, a local agency which is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

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BookLovers
Thursday, May 16 at 6:30 pm
The May selection is *The Art of Rivalry: Four Friendships, Betrayals, and Breakthroughs in Modern Art* by Sebastian Smee. Join us for some great nonfiction book conversation—newcomers always welcome!
*Questions? Contact Jen at 784-334-5411 or jinglis@noblenet.org*

Friends Spring Book Sale
Saturday, May 18 at 9 am to 1 pm
The Friends of the Lynnfield Library are hosting their annual Spring Book Sale on the Common!
*Held inside the Library in the event of rain.*

Eclectic Art with Nathalie B. Lilley
Thursday, May 23 at 10 am to 12 noon or 2 to 4 pm
Meeting House on the Common
Come and create a piece of art by experimenting with different materials and techniques. Nathalie will guide you through the steps needed to complete your work of art. All supplies will be provided. Any and all skill levels of artistic ability are welcome.
*Space is limited. Registration is required.*
*Call the library at 781-334-5411 or stop by the Circulation Desk to register for the afternoon session or to be added to the wait list for the morning session. Patrons may only register for one session. This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Lynnfield Library.*

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CENSUS DAY AT THE LYNNFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

The United States Census Bureau is in the process of recruiting applicants to work on the upcoming 2020 Decennial Census. The Lynnfield Public Library will hold a Census Day on Tuesday, May 14 from 9:30 to 12:30.

A representative from the Census Bureau will be here to give information about the jobs they are recruiting for and assist anyone interested in applying. The Census Bureau is committed to hiring census takers to work in their own communities. The jobs are well paying at $25 per hour in Essex County with flexible hours up to 8 hours a day and up to 40 hours a week. Employees will receive paid training and be paid on a weekly basis. Work related mileage is reimbursed as well.

Applying is easy and can be done by going to https://2020census.gov/jobs.