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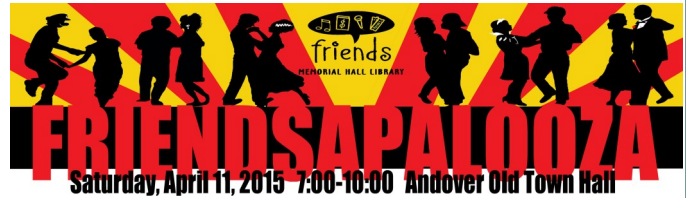
Adult Events @ MHL

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April 30 - Preview
- *May 1,2,3 - Sale*

Programs are subject to change. Please call 978-623-8401 x31, or visit www.mhl.org in advance.

Join the Friends of MHL for a family friendly evening of contra dancing for adults and children, ages 6 and up. Enjoy live music by the Cape Ann Contra Dance Band, with Caller Rose Sheehan. She'll teach you the steps and have you dancing like a regular by the end of the night. Dress is casual and light refreshments will be available for purchase. Visit <http://mhl.org/friends> for more information and to buy tickets. All proceeds benefit the Library.



An Evening with Author Paul Doiron Wednesday, April 15 at 7 pm

Meet Paul Doiron, award-winning journalist, and author of the Mike Bowditch Mysteries, set in Maine's North Woods. The series includes *The Poacher's Son*, *Trespasser*, *Bad Little Falls*, *Massacre Pond*, and *The Bone Orchard*. *The Precipice* comes out in June. A Maine native, Doiron graduated from Yale University, earned an MFA in creative writing from Emerson College, and served as Editor in Chief of *Down East: The Magazine of Maine* from 2005-2013. Copies of *The Bone Orchard* will be available for purchase. RSVP at www.mhl.org/eventcalendar. Sponsored by the Friends of MHL.



Backyard Foraging with Ellen Zachos Monday, April 13 at 7pm

Learn how to recognize, harvest, and prepare tasty treats from plants around your home, with foraging expert, Ellen Zachos. RSVP at www.mhl.org/eventcalendar. Sponsored by the Friends of MHL, Village Garden Club of Andover, and Spade and Trowel Garden Club.



Who's Tracking You Online? The Quiet "Big Data Revolution" Tuesday, April 21 at 7pm

Greg Page, CEO, Merrimack Analysis Group, will discuss how every mouse click, keystroke, tablet or smartphone selection leaves a digital footprint, the positive, negative, and uncertain implications of Big Data, critical issues surrounding individual privacy and security, and ways individuals can minimize their online footprint. RSVP at www.mhl.org/eventcalendar. Sponsored by the Friends of MHL.



April 2015 Adult Programs

Friends' Spring Book Sale



Preview Night: April 30 from 6:30-8:30pm

\$20 per person (Free for Friends' members)

No charge for regular sale

Friday, May 1 9am-4:30pm

Saturday, May 2 9am-4:30pm

Sunday, May 3 1-4:30pm

DVDs, CDs 4/\$1 on Sunday; teachers welcome after 3pm to collect unsold books for their classrooms.

Genealogy Lock-In



Friday, April 10, from 5:30 to 9:30pm

An evening of after-hours genealogy research with exclusive access to databases, computers, microfilm, and the Andover Room. A light dinner will be served. \$10 fee. Space is limited. Register at mhl.org/eventcalendar or call 978-623-8401, x31.

Discover Your Past Genealogy Club

Thursday, April 9 from 10-11am. Please register at www.mhl.org/eventcalendar or call 978-623-8401, x31.

Navigating the Legal Aspects of Caregiving Thursday, April 2 at 7pm at MHL

Local attorney, Debra Silberstein, and senior living professional, Mike Reed, kick off the *Coping With Caregiving* series by exploring issues related to the legal aspects of caregiving, including important forms and documents to have in place. Sponsored by MHL and The Center at Punchard. Call 978-623-8401, x31 or RSVP online at www.mhl.org/eventcalendar.



Another Night of Pub Trivia Tuesday, April 14 at 7:30pm

Andolini's, 19 Essex St. Teams encouraged!

Creative Café - Monday, April 6 at 7pm

Join MHL's monthly craft group in the Activity Room, open to adults who knit, crochet, scrap-book, and create other portable crafts. Email gdeyermond@mhl.org for more information.



MHL Monday Movie - *The Hundred-Foot Journey* Monday, April 27 at 6:30pm

eBook How-To Sessions

Tuesday, April 7 at 7pm

Thursday, April 23 at 10am

Download free best-selling titles to read on your computer, iPhone, Android, Kindle, or other compatible eBook reader. Register at www.mhl.org/eventcalendar and email gdeyermond@mhl.org which device you will bring. In Friends Alcove 2.



Andover Historic Mill District Series

What Can We Learn From Amesbury's Downtown Transformation?

Wednesday, April 8 at 7pm

Amesbury City Councilor and Andover attorney, Bob Lavoie, will share the story of the transformation of Amesbury's neglected mill district into an exciting North Shore destination, including lessons learned, and how they might apply to Andover's proposal.

How Can The Lessons Of Our Past Shape Our Future?

Tuesday, April 14 at 7pm

Andover Historical Society representatives, Elaine Clements, Don Robb, and John Hess, will explore the fascinating stories behind this proposal, and bring the history of the proposed district to life, from the mills, to the river, to the train station. Visit <http://andoverma.gov/planning/milldistrict/> for information. Sponsored by Memorial Hall Library.



Conversational English Group

—Mondays, April 6, 13, and 27 from 10am-noon
For non-native speakers of English who have studied formal English and would like to practice their skills.
To register, contact Carolyn Fantini at 978-475-4602.

Career Networking Group

Thursday, April 2 from 10-11:30am
Thursday, April 16 from 10-11:30am
Thursday, April 30 from 10-11:30am
Meets in Friends Alcove 2 on Ground Floor.

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