Fish On! Andover 2019

A free fishing series on Tuesday evenings in February

January/February

Adult Events

at Memorial Hall Library
Adult Board Game Afternoons
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Kilimanjaro: Journey to the Roof of Africa
Jan. 8

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Career Networking Group
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Great Books Group
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Morning Book Group
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Discover Your Past Genealogy Club
Jan. 10 • Feb. 14

Computer Users Group
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American History with Don Robb: The Five Frontiers of the American West
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Feb. 6

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Feb. 7

Art of the Recital: Joshua Peckins & Eliko Akahori
Feb. 10

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Feb. 28

Programs are sponsored by the Friends of MHL.

Programs are subject to change.
Please call 978-623-8430, or visit mhl.org
**Adult Board Game Afternoons**
Sunday, January 6th, 1:15-4:45pm  
Sunday, February 3rd, 1:15-4:45pm  
Learn and play board games in the Activity Room. Hosted by Andover resident, John Totten.

**Kilimanjaro: Journey to the Roof of Africa**
Tuesday, January 8th at 7:00pm  
Join award-winning photographer, Peter Christoph, on a journey through five climate zones, from tropical rain forest to arctic conditions, to the summit of Mt. Kilimanjaro, the tallest mountain in Africa and the world's highest free-standing mountain.

**Device Advice**
Tuesday, January 8th & 22nd, 7:00-8:00pm  
Tuesday, February 5th & 19th, 7:00-8:00pm  
Bring your technology questions to the Reference Desk. Get help with the basics for iPads, cellphones, laptops, Kindles and other e-readers. Bring your chargers, usernames and passwords. Stop by the Reference Desk anytime for device assistance.

**Conversational English**
Mondays, 10:00am-noon, Memorial Hall  
January 7th, 14th, 28th & February 4th, 11th, 25th

**Career Networking Group**
Thursdays, 10:00-11:30am, Friends Alcove 1  
January 17th, 31st & February 14th, 28th

**Book Groups@MHL**
Nonfiction Book Group meets Wednesday, January 2nd & February 6th at 7:00pm  
Morning Book Group meets Monday, January 28th & February 25th at 10:30am  
Great Books Group meets Tuesday, January 22nd & February 26th at 7:30pm

Register online and check for program changes and additions at mhl.org/calendar or by calling 978-623-8430.
Discover Your Past Genealogy Club

**Thursdays, 10:00-11:00am, Memorial Hall**

**January 10th & February 14th**

Everyone is welcome, whether you’re just getting started or have been researching your family for years.

Computer Users Group

**Mondays, 1:30-3:00pm, Activity Room**

**January 14th & February 11th**

Facilitated by MHL librarians, Dean Baumeister and Theo Kontos.

Parent to Parent & MHL: The 57 Bus Book Discussion

**Thursday, January 17th at 6:30pm, Memorial Hall**

MHL Teen Services Librarians will facilitate a discussion of The 57 Bus, Dashka Slater’s account of the true story of two very different teens whose paths crossed on a fateful bus trip.

Friends’ Winter Book Sale, January 23-27, 2019

We’ve added a day & moved Preview Night to Wednesday!

**Preview Night, Wednesday, January 23rd, 6:30-8:30pm; $20, Friends’ mbrs free**

**Thursday, January 24th, 1:00-4:30pm (an extra day!)**

**Friday, January 25th, 9:00am-4:30pm**

**Saturday, January 26th, 9:00am-4:30pm**

**Sunday, January 27th, 1:00-4:30pm** (fill a bag for $5 or $7; CDs & DVDs 4/$1)

American History: The Five Frontiers of the American West

**Thursdays, 1:30-3:00pm, Memorial Hall**

**January 31st, February 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th, Mar. 7th**

Don Robb’s six-week course will explore the history (and the myths) of the American West from the perspective of five different intersectional frontiers: the Mining Frontier, the Railroad Frontier, the Ranching Frontier, the Farming Frontier, and the Indian Frontier. Each affected the others and the exploration and settlement of the vast area from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean.

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Fishing videos at 6:00pm; seminars at 7:00pm. Weekly prizes!
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Fishing the Northeast with Eric Harrison
Tuesday, February 5th at 7:00pm
A lifelong multi-species angler, Eric will talk about year round open water fishing in the Northeast--from fishing hot summer nights to dodging winter ice floes. He is a striped fan and will talk about how he catches them every month of the year.

Trophy Largemouth & Smallmouth Bass & Fishing at Night with Allan Butler
Tuesday, February 12th at 7:00pm
Guide and outdoor writer, Allan Butler, will share proven techniques for getting big bass at night in the Northeast. He’ll cover the best types of water to fish, time of year, weather and the tackle you need to land your personal best.

A Modern Fly Fishing Experience
Tuesday, February 19th at 7:00pm
Geoff Klane had only fished a few times before moving from Vermont to Lowell. He picked up a fly rod to see what the city and New England had to offer, and was hooked. Now, whether it’s freshwater for carp, bass, or trout, or the ocean for striped or false albacore, Geoff loves to chase it with a fly rod in hand.

Freshwater Surfcasting with Julio Silva
Tuesday, February 26th at 7:00pm
Julio Silva covers the freshwater species you can target from terra firma, using surfcasting knowledge and techniques. When you are waiting for the tide to turn, why not fish the nearby pond, lake or river? The strikes by freshwater fish can be explosive!

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Maker Morning@MHL: Explore Equipment in the Makerspace
Tuesdays, 10:00-11:00am in the Makerspace. Registration required.
January 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th, February 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th
Meet at Reference Desk, Level 1.

Maker Morning@MHL: Card Making Workshop
Wednesday, February 6th, 10:00-11:00am
Create a handmade Valentine’s Day card with librarian, Kim Bears.
All supplies included. Space is limited. Registration is required.
Meet at Reference Desk, Level 1.

Tales from the Home of the World’s Worst Weather
Thursday, February 7th at 7:00pm
Mount Washington is known worldwide for its unpredictable and dangerous weather. For a mountain its size, why is Mt. Washington called the “Home of the World’s Worst Weather?”
Join Mt. Washington Observatory’s Will Broussard for an investigation into the unique life and work of weather observers stationed at the observatory year-round. Explore how the mountain’s weather works and what it can tell us about New England’s own weather patterns.

Friends’ Concert Series: Art of the Recital
Joshua Peckins & Eliko Akahori
Sunday, February 10th at 2:30pm
Concert violinist Joshua Peckins performs masterpieces of the violin and piano repertoire in electrifying duo performances with pianist Eliko Akahori. From the most passionate and expressive sonatas, to dazzlingly virtuosic showpieces, to intimate and lyrical salon pieces - their unique programs present a wide range of experiences for listeners.

Eyran Katsenelenbogen: Jazz Piano
Sunday, February 24th at 2:30pm
Internationally acclaimed pianist and Andover resident, Eyran Katsenelenbogen, returns to celebrate the release of his new CD, Outstandards. He will perform improvisations on well-known classical themes and jazz standards, including pieces from his new CD, which will be available following the concert.

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Pub Trivia at Andolini’s

Tuesday, February 12th at 7:00pm
Hosted by MHL librarians. Bring a team and all your favorite facts! $50 cash prize to the winning team.

Death Cafe

Wednesday, February 13th at 6:30pm
Join other adults for Andover’s thirteenth Death Cafe - an evening of open, lively, and insightful discussion about death. While not a support group nor a venue for bereavement, a Death Cafe seeks to provide an unscripted, non-judgmental platform to explore the many facets of this often taboo subject.

Refreshments at 6:30pm. Program at 7:00pm. Registration is required.

MHL & Courageous Conversations Immigration Series

Film Screening: Who Is Dayani Cristal?

Wednesday, February 6th at 7:00pm
Tells the story of a migrant who died in the deadly stretch of the Sonora Desert known as the ‘corridor of death’. As the subsequent forensic investigation unfolds, Mexican actor and activist Gael Garcia Bernal retraces this man’s steps along the migrant train in Central America. Running time is 85 minutes.

Film Screening: Harvest of Empire: The Untold Story of Latinos in America

Thursday, February 28th at 7:00pm
Harvest of Empire is a powerful documentary, based on the book by Juan González, that exposes the direct connection between the long history of U.S. intervention in Latin America and the immigration crisis we face today. From the wars for territorial expansion that gave the U.S. control of Puerto Rico, Cuba and more than half of Mexico, to the covert operations that imposed oppressive military regimes in the Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Nicaragua and El Salvador, the film unveils a moving human story that is largely unknown to the great majority of citizens in the U.S. “We are all Americans of the New World, and our most dangerous enemies are not each other, but the great wall of ignorance between us.” – Juan González, Harvest of Empire. Followed by a facilitated discussion led by Dr. Robert Forrant, Professor of History at UMass Lowell.

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