

July/August 2018

# MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY



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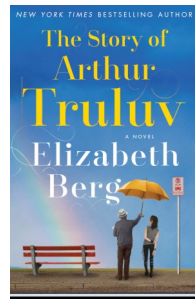
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August 17

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August 21

Programs are subject to change. Please call 978-623-8430, or visit [www.mhl.org](http://www.mhl.org).

### An Evening with Author Elizabeth Berg Wednesday, August 8 at 7:00pm in Memorial Hall

The bestselling author is stopping in Andover on her East Coast tour. She has been on the New York Times Best



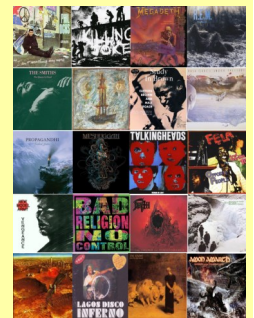
Sellers list multiple times, and two of her books were selected as ALA's Best Books of the Year. She was made a 1996 Literary Light by the Boston Public Library, and has written extensively for magazines. She will share her new book, and her books will be available for sale and signing, courtesy of Andover Bookstore. Sign up at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>. Her newest book, *Night of Miracles*, is due out this November. Her visit is sponsored by the Friends of MHL.



### Libraries Rock! Let's Talk about Music

Tuesday, July 31 at 7:00pm in Alcove 1, Level G

Join reference librarian and music buff, Jesse Light, for a meander through our extensive music collection. This wide-ranging and interactive session will cover many facets of the music here, how he decides what to buy, what genres are his personal favorites, and how you can request a purchase for the collection. Sign up at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>.



### Adult Summer Reading @MHL

June 25-August 17

Stop by any service desk and fill out a slip for every book you read or listen to this summer, and be entered to win a gift certificate to a local business. Summer reading sponsors include Quiet Pleasures Jewelry, Yella Grille, and the Friends of MHL. Prize drawing on August 17.



### MHL Pub Trivia at Andolini's Tuesday, August 14 at 7:00pm

Bring a team and test your knowledge against questions developed by our librarians. \$50 cash prize awarded to the winning team, courtesy of the Friends of MHL.

Check out all our summer reading programs at <https://mhl.org/SRP2018>

# July/August 2018 Adult Programs

## Take a Garden Tour

Tour three of the inspiring gardens in our area. Meet at each location. Heavy rain cancels. Sign up at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>.



**Andover High Garden**  
**Thursday, August 2 at 10:00am**  
Meet at the front entrance of Andover High School.

## South Church Giving Garden

**Thursday, August 9 at 10:00am**

Garden volunteer Fran Fink will lead a tour of the garden at the Rolling Ridge Retreat & Conference Center at 660 Great Pond Road, North Andover. The produce grown is mostly donated. <https://southchurch.com/giving-garden/>



**The Stevens-Coolidge Place**  
**Thursday, August 16, 10-noon**  
Horticulturist, Kevin Block, will

lead a private tour and discuss the history, future and horticulture of the Trustees property, gardens and house at 137 Andover Street, North Andover. Sponsored by the Friends of MHL.

## Foster Parent Information Session

**Tuesday, July 10 at 7:00pm in Memorial Hall**

Foster Parenting is a service that allows people to assist needy children during times of crisis. Learn how you can make a difference in a child's life. Sign up at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>. Sponsored by MHL & MA Department of Children & Families(DCF).

**Cultivate a Great Relationship w/Your Teen**  
**Wednesday, July 25, 7:00pm, Activity Room**

An informal and interactive session to explore ways to improve communication & connection with the teens in your life. Facilitated by Jennifer Dryden, CPC, Jump-Start Life, Health & Wellness Coaching. Sign up at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>.

## Death Cafe in Memorial Hall

**Wednesday, August 15 at 6:30pm**

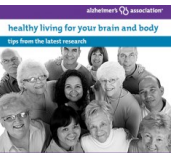
Join other adults for our eleventh evening of open, lively, and insightful discussion about death. Hosted by Andover resident, Richard Davis. Learn more at [deathcafe.com](http://deathcafe.com). Refreshments at 6:30pm; program at 7:00pm. Please pre-register at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>.



## Healthy Living - Brain & Body

**Tuesday, August 21 at 7:00pm**

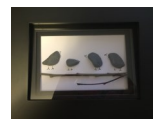
Learn tips from the latest research on diet, nutrition, exercise, cognition and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to help incorporate the recommendations into a plan for healthy aging. Presented by a representative from the Alzheimer's Association. Sign up at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>. The Walk to End Alzheimer's is Sunday, September 16 in Andover.



## Make @MHL: Rock Art

**Thursday, July 19, 10:00-11:30am**

Create with rocks, sticks, glue & sharpies. Sign up at <https://www.mhl.org/calendar>. Space is limited. Meets in the Makerspace, Level G.



## Summer Tech Drop-in Help Hours

**Wednesdays, July 11 & 25 & August 8 & 22**  
**10:00-10:45am**

Drop by the Reference Desk for help with the basics for cellphones, ereaders, laptops & tablets.

## Discover Your Past Genealogy Club

**Thursdays, July 12 & August 9, 10:00-11:00am**

## Adult Board Games @MHL

**Mondays, July 9 & August 6, 5:30-8:45pm**

In the Activity Room, Lower Level. Bring your own games or play one of ours.



## Northern Essex Registry of Deeds Community Outreach Office Hours @MHL

**Monday, July 23 from 10:00am-12:30pm & Tuesday, August 21 from 6:30-8:30pm in Activity Room**

Order a copy of your deed, pick up consumer information or access free notary services, among other things.

