



Newsletter

May

News



Friends of the Library Semi-Annual Book Sale

Don't miss out on a great sale! The Friends of the Library will be hosting their semi-annual book sale on May 13th from 9am-2pm.

YOGA BOOK CLUB

WEDNESDAYS,
APRIL 12 - MAY 3 (@6-7PM)

Registration Required for EACH individual Session.



Yoga for Adults!

Local yoga instructor, Melanie Simard, will be offering a weekly yoga class for adults. So grab your mat and bring a book if you would like to read while you work through poses.

**The final class is May 3rd
from
6-7pm. Register today!**

**Click here to
register**

★ ★ ★ HAPPY ★ ★ ★ MEMORIAL *Day*

Memorial Day

We will be closed on Monday, May 29th in recognition of Memorial Day. Make sure you stop by the library before then to pick up supplies!

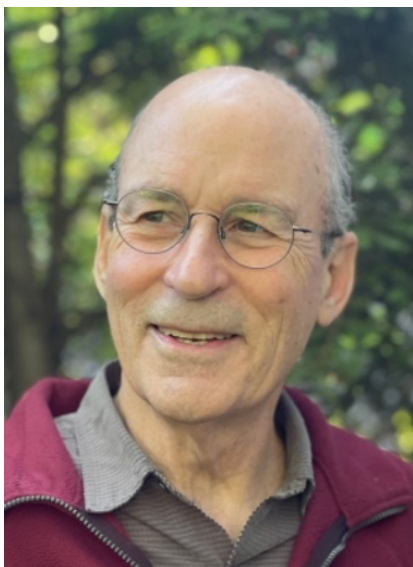
Staff Development Day



We will be closed Thursday May 25th

In order to give you the best service out there, we will be having a training day for library staff. This means we will be closed on Thursday May 25th all day. We will be open again on Friday.

Programs and More!



Author Series: Tracy Kidder

Don't forget that our Johnson Author Series Event is May 16th. In preparation of the event, the library will be closing at 5pm on that day. Check out more about the author and join the waitlist below!

[Click here for more information!](#)

Identity Theft Protection Presentation
Tuesday, May 30th @



6pm-7pm

Robin Putnam, Events & Outreach Manager from the Office of Consumer Affairs and Business Regulation, will present on identity theft & fraud prevention. The presentation will include information about the Office and what they do. It will also cover how to spot and avoid scams, recent scams that the Office has learned about, how to prevent identity theft & steps to take if you have fallen victim.

[Click here to register](#)



Garden Tool Kit

The weather is improving, the frost is ending, and spring is upon us. It's time to spruce up your gardens! Check out our Gardening Kit from the library to help you along. Containing 10 pieces and 2 books, this kit is perfect for beginner gardeners!

[Click here for more information and to place a hold!](#)



Teen Paint Afternoons: Watercolors & Salt

Wednesday, May 17th @
3:30pm-4:30pm

Take a moment this month and join Teen Librarian Katy to try your hand at watercolor painting.

It's been a busy spring, and now it's time to catch our breaths and slow down as the end of the school year approaches. After watching a brief watercolor video all together, you will use the provided materials to conjure up your own winter scenes on paper and check out what others are doing at the same time.

Teens in grades 6-12th are welcome to join. Registration Required.

[Click here to](#)



Children's Programming

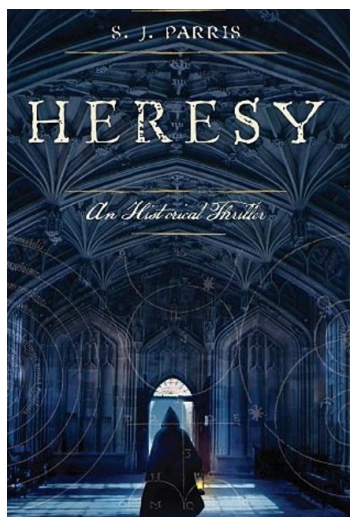
Check out the Events calendar at IpswichLibrary.org or subscribe to the IPL Children's newsletter to see when Children's programs are happening throughout the month!

[Click Here to See the Events Calendar](#)

[Click Here to Sign Up for the Children's Newsletter](#)

Book Clubs

IPL offers staff-hosted book clubs every month for adult readers who want to discuss selected titles with others in our Library community. Registration is required for all book clubs. Most book clubs have a hybrid option, so be sure to reach out to the staff contact listed for each book club if you're interested in attending a book club virtually!



Mystery Book Club
Monday, May 1st @ 6:30pm

[Click Here to Learn More About this Month's Title and Register](#)



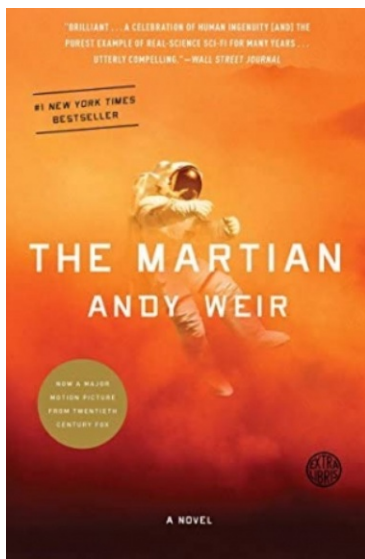
Cookbook Club
Thursday, May 4th @ 12:00pm

[Click Here to Learn About the Registration Process for the Cookbook Club](#)



Graphic Novel Book Club Monday, May 8th @ 6:30pm

[Click Here to Learn More About
this Month's Title and Register](#)



Sci-Fi and Fantasy Book Club Monday, May 15th @ 6:30pm

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this Month's Title and Register](#)



Nonfiction Book Club Wednesday, May 24th @ 6:30pm

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this Month's Title and Register](#)





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