



Vose Library

Union, Maine

*advancing learning, inspiring curiosity,
enriching lives, and promoting community.*

Summer
2017
Newsletter



Walking Trails Without Ticks

Thu. July 6, 7pm

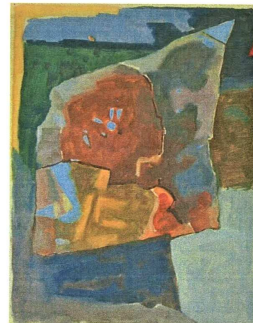
Vicki Harriman, Union's Local Health Officer, will present the latest information on tick-borne diseases and prevention. There have been a number of advances in our understanding recently. She will also talk about how to reduce exposure, including building tick-safe paths, ideas that we will be incorporating into our Nature Trail. If the weather is good, we'll take a walk outside. Handouts and free tick cups will be available.



Joseph Fiore and His Art

Wednesday, July 26, 7pm

Anna Witholt Abaldo from Maine Farmland Trust will share a short film by Richard Kane, *Joseph Fiore, The Nature of the Artist*, and talk about Fiore's art, his connection to MFT, the distribution of his Rock Paintings to Maine non-profits and the recent establishment of the Fiore Art Center and artist residency program in Jefferson.



EZ Self Defense

Thursday, August 10, 7pm

A practical workshop for teens and adults, taught by Mr. Andrew of Mid Coast Martial Arts. Perfect for those heading off to college in the fall, or anyone who wants to brush up on personal safety skills. Wear loose clothing.



Open House featuring Rapid Reviews!

Monday August 7 at 7pm. Get involved @ your library!



You're invited to our Open House on Monday, August 7 at 7pm. Come talk to us about what you hope for from the library, share a book you love, find out about ways to get involved, and meet current Board members and volunteers. Light refreshments will be served.

Our Rapid Reviews open mic will be open to anyone who wants to share a quick review of a book they loved and why someone else might like it. A number of library regulars will share their reviews, so feel free to come just to listen.

Whether you are a regular library patron, or someone who simply has a desire to contribute to the community, this Open

House is an opportunity to share your ideas for the library and discover how your interests and skills can support and strengthen the library, its programs, and the town of Union. We hope that this open house will give us insight into what our community looks for in their library. We have an ongoing survey at the front desk that we hope you will fill out.

A library is much more than books—it is a continuously evolving resource for the people of our community. Its ability to thrive and grow depends on the enthusiasm and vision of the community. Even a seemingly small investment of your time and ideas can make a difference, on a local, personal level, to

Vose Library's mission of advancing learning, inspiring curiosity, enriching lives, and promoting community. As a side benefit, putting your skills to use as a volunteer is satisfying, rewarding, and enjoyable. Volunteering is a great way to learn new things and meet local people with shared interests. In short, if you have some time to volunteer, we need your talents!

If you can't make it to the open house, please contact us with your ideas or for more information about volunteering. Email librarian@voselibrary.org, telephone 785-4733, or reach out to us on Facebook. We look forward to meeting you soon!



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Hours

Tuesday: 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Wednesday: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Friday: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 12 noon.
Storytime, Fridays 10:30 a.m.

Services

- Books for children and adults
- Audio books
- Videos and DVDs
- Download ebooks and audio
- High-speed wireless internet
- Interlibrary loans
- Photocopying
- Programs for all ages
- Reference

Vose Library Board of Trustees

Monthly board meetings at 7:00 p.m.
on second Mondays. Guests welcome.

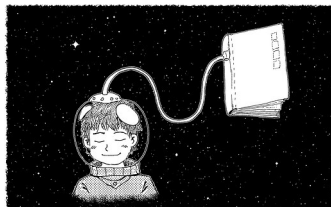
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Director's Updates

Membership update

Our nonprofit corporation's "shareholders" are our voting members. Our Annual Meeting and Volunteer Appreciation is Monday, June 26 at 7pm. We are updating our membership list, so if you no longer wish to participate or would like to join, please let us know.

Classes @ your library

We would love to host classes at the library—it's something that many people have asked for, and we have worked out a building use procedure. We encourage teachers to propose classes and workshops, perhaps tai chi, yoga, art, culture, etc. We are working on a collaboration with Midcoast Senior College, so stay tuned.

Read Harder Challenge

We encourage everyone to read diverse books to Build a Better World—this year's summer reading theme. We're using BookRiot's Read Harder list. Pick up a challenge list at the library and see where your explorations take you!

Nature Trail update

We have gotten a real start on our Nature Trail, thanks to some energetic volunteers and the prospect of a grant for community fitness. We will be having work days over the summer to work on the trail itself. Keep an eye on our publicity or let us know if you would like to help.

New on the Shelves at Vose Library

Adult Fiction

Hag-seed - Margaret Atwood
The Dry - Jane Harper
Boston Castrato - Colin Sargent
Exit West - Mohsin Hamid
Gentleman of Moscow - Towles
This Is How It Always Is - Frankel
Tam Lin - Pamela Dean
Children of Time - Tchaikovsky
The Long Way to a Small Angry Planet - Becky Chambers

Adult Nonfiction

There is no good card for this - Crowe and McDowell.
Diabetic Cookbook for Two - Koslo
Walking Distance - Manning
Planting - Piet Oudolf
Island People: The Caribbean and the World - Jelly-Schapiro.
Parenting Teens with Love and Logic - Cline and Fay.
Weaponized Lies: How to Think Critically in the post-truth era - Daniel Levitin.

Children's

Kamik's First Sled - Sulurayok
Peace Is an Offering - LeBox
Farmer Will Allen and the Growing Table - Martin
Lola at the Library - Anna McQuinn
Du iz tak? - Ellis Carson
Building Our House - Jonathan Bean
The Thank You Book - Mo Willems
Plus new picture book+CD kits!

Ghost - Jason Reynolds (J)
The Pushcart War - Jean Merrill (J)
American Street - Ibi Zoboi (YA)

Movies

Carnivale
Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries
Ghost Army (PBS)
Great British Baking Show
Homeland Season 4
SciGirls
Wild Kratts triple feature
A Gentleman's Dignity (Korean)
Jean de Florette (French)

Kids' Summer Reading Program Activities and Events

Start: Saturday, June 17th 10am to 12noon
Finish: Pizza Party, Friday, Aug 25th 6pm

Summer Reading celebrates the engineering, construction, environmental and community theme "Build a Better World!" Children from birth to eighteen can sign up at the library, set reading goals, keep reading logs, and earn chances to win a Kindle Fire!

Be sure to come to our special Pizza Party for Summer Reading participants and their families (Friday evening, August 25th, 6pm), when we will draw for the Kindle and give out finishers' prizes. Come have fun and celebrate your achievements. See you there!

Special Storytimes with activities every other Friday:

- June 30, 10:30 am
- July 14, 10:30 am
- July 28, 10:30 am
- August 11, 10:30 am

Don't miss Family PJ Movie Nights, the Teddy Bear's Picnic, and Raspberry Pi Coding with Minecraft!

Teddy Bears' Picnic

Saturday, August 5th, 10am

Calling all stuffed creatures! Teddy Bears' Picnic with games, activities, and snacks. Bring your teddy bear!



Raspberry Pi Coding with Minecraft



Friday, July 28, 5-6:30pm

Come learn to write code for the Raspberry Pi (a small, single-board computer) using Minecraft. A fun, hands-on way to gain programming skills and explore new technology.

Hosted by Mr. Andrew of Mid Coast Martial Arts here at the library. Ages 8 and up; parents, adults, teenagers—all are welcome. No experience needed. Contact the library to reserve your place.

Movies @ your Library!

We are excited to show movies this summer! The movies are free, but donations to cover the licensing fee are gratefully accepted.

Recent Releases:

Third Thursdays, 7pm.

July: *Star Wars Rogue One*, (2016, PG)

August: *Lion* (2016, PG)

Family PJ Movies:

Second Mondays, 7pm.

Wear your pajamas and curl up for a fun movie.

July: *Moana*, (2016, PG)

August: *Big Hero 6* (2014, PG)

Tech Tuesdays

3rd Tuesdays
6-8pm

Open hours with our tech experts. We will answer questions and walk through the steps together! Don't forget your own devices—chargers, cables, and a laptop could be helpful. Or use ours for general skills.



Abbe Museum

Museum Passes

Vose Library is pleased to offer tickets to the Abbe Museum, a Smithsonian affiliate featuring the culture and history of Maine's Native American Wabanaki Nations. The museum is located in Bar Harbor, with a second trailside archaeological location at Sieur de Monts Spring in Acadia National Park. The museum generously donated tickets for use by our patrons. We only have a limited amount, however, so tickets will be limited to one pair per family until we run out.

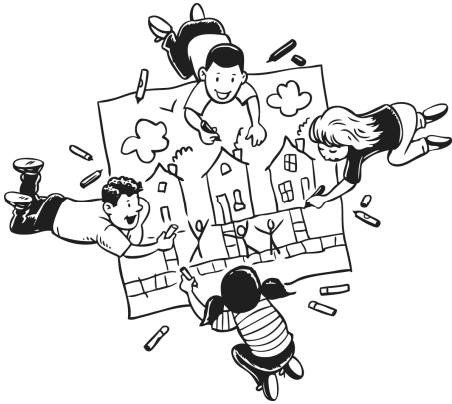
Your Name in Lights: Sponsor a Movie

We encourage businesses and individuals to sponsor a movie night.

Your name will be included on our website, email newsletters, posters, and credited at the event. \$25 to \$50 makes a big difference and generates positive name recognition.

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Vose Library Events Calendar, Summer 2017

- June 17, Saturday, 10-12noon** – Summer Reading Begins! Fun activities. Sign up and get ready to read this summer!
- June 19, Monday, 7pm** – Come Spring Readings Dramatic readings from the novel by Ben Ames Williams.
- June 20, Tuesday, 6-8pm** – Tech Tuesday Bring questions and devices to go hands-on. Topics chosen by participants.
- June 23, Thursday, 7pm** – Ragtime Jack Live music: early jazz, blues and Appalachian music. \$15 supports the library.
- July 1-4, Saturday and Tuesday, closed for Independence Day holiday**
- July 6, Thursday, 7pm** – Walking Trails Without Ticks Talk by Vicki Harriman on tick identification, diseases, & prevention.
- July 10, Monday, 7pm** - Moana (PG, 2016) Family pajama movie night.
- July 15, Saturday** – Golden Opportunity Golf Green fees at the Union Country Club support the library. \$15.
- July 18, Tuesday, 6-8pm** – Tech Tuesday Bring questions and devices to go hands-on. Topics chosen by participants.
- July 20, Thursday, 7pm** – Star Wars: Rogue One (2016, PG-13) Recent Release movie.
- July 26, Wed., 7pm** – Joseph Fiore and His Art Short film about his work + talk by Anna Abaldo of Maine Farmland Trust
- July 28, Friday, 5-6:30pm** – Raspberry Pi Coding with Minecraft with Mr. Andrew
- August 5, Saturday, 10am** – Teddy Bears' Picnic Games, activities and snacks. Bring your teddy bear!
- August 7, Monday, 7pm** – Open House and Rapid Reviews .
- August 10, Thursday, 7pm** - EZ Self Defense with Mr Andrew of Mid Coast Martial Arts. Wear loose clothing.
- August 14, Monday, 7pm** - Big Hero 6 (2014, PG) Family pajama movie night.
- August 15, Tuesday, 6-8pm** – Tech Tuesday Bring questions and devices to go hands-on. Topics chosen by participants.
- August 17, Thursday, 7pm** – Lion (2016, PG-13) Recent Release movie.
- August 25, Fri, 6pm** Summer Reading Pizza Party for participants and their families. Prizes, activities, pizza, and more!
- September 2, Saturday, closed for Labor Day Weekend**

Watch for updates online at voselibrary.org/events