

Fall 2020



Storytimes

Acton Memorial Library, www.actonmemorallibrary.org

Lapsit Storytime via Zoom will take place on Tuesdays, 10-10:30 for ages 0-36 months with a grownup. Includes rhymes, reading stories, songs and fingerplays to encourage a love of reading. Held 9/22-12/22. Register here:

<https://www.eventkeeper.com/code/ekform.cfm?curOrg=ACTON&curID=459926>

Preschool Storytime will meet on Thursdays, 10-10:30, with Elise for lively singing, fingerplays and wonderful stories. Held 9/24-12/17. Register: <https://www.eventkeeper.com/code/ekform.cfm?curOrg=ACTON&curID=459933>

Bedford Public Library, www.bedfordlibrary.net

This library has a monthly virtual **Homeschool Book Club** open to all, whether homeschooling typically or temporarily.

Two age groups: 8-11 and 12+, where kids read an assigned book (available on Hoopla) and discuss it.

Virtual storytimes will be held on Wednesdays at 10:30 with Miss Bethany & Miss Elaine. Links for Sept. 9-Oct. 21 here:

<https://www.bedfordlibrary.net/kids/virtual-storytime/>

Sargent Memorial Library, Boxborough, www.boxlib.org

Registration required for virtual storytimes. Ages 1 ½-pre-K meet on Mondays 3:30-4 or Tuesdays 11-11:30. Pre-K and older meet on Tuesdays at 4:00. Each group includes a craft kit you can pick up weekly.

Gleason Library, Carlisle, www.gleasonlibrary.org Storytime for ages 3-6 will be held on Tuesday, 11-11:30, from Sept. 15-Dec. 8. Register for each date individually to receive the link: http://www.gleasonlibrary.org/story_times.htm

Concord Public Library, <https://concordlibrary.org/kids/programs>

Zoom Storytime with Royce for Preschoolers will be held on Wednesdays from 10-10:30. Register on the library calendar.

Zoom Storytime with Dorrie for Ages 5 and under will be held Thursdays, 10-10:30. Register on the library calendar.

Harvard Public Library, <https://www.harvardpubliclibrary.org/services/events>

Mother Goose on the Loose for ages 0-2 will be held on Mondays and Thursdays at 10:30 from 9/10-12/21. The program includes rhymes, songs, music, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, nursery rhymes, puppets and stories to help children develop a love of book reading.

2 & 3 Year Old Storytime will meet on Wednesdays at 10:30 thru December 23. Includes songs, stories, feltboard, creative dramatics and fingerplays.

4-7 Year Old Storytime will meet on Mondays at 1:30 thru December 21 and includes longer picture books.

To receive the connecting link, email and specify the storytime age group you're interested in:

childrensroom@harvardpubliclibrary.org

Reuben Hoar Library, Littleton, <https://www.littletonma.org/reuben-hoar-library>

The library now has a special Facebook page for children's posts and story times. The group name is: RHL Children's Page. Storytimes will be held on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm, "Littles & Letters" for ages 3-5 will be held Wednesday mornings, and Toddler Story Times for ages 18-36 months will be on Fridays mornings.

Lincoln Public Library, <http://lincolnpl.org/>, sfeather@minlib.net

Email to register for Zoom storytime on Tuesdays at 10:00.

Maynard Public Library, <https://www.maynardpubliclibrary.org/>

Virtual Big Kid Storytime will be held on Wednesdays from 3:30-4:15. Mark will be reading the 1st chapter of 3 new books then the group will vote on which one to continue. Discussion about what's happening in the story will take place after the reading. Register at <https://www.maynardpubliclibrary.org/children> for the Zoom link. For Baby storytime on Mondays at 11:00 or Preschooler storytime Tuesdays at 3:30, call 978-897-1010 x106 to register.

Goodnow Library, Sudbury, <https://goodnowlibrary.org/calendar/>, <https://www.facebook.com/goodnowlibrary/>

All programs are held on Facebook Live and do not require pre-registration: Mondays-Music Makers for ages 0-5, 10:30-11, Tuesdays-rotating yoga classes for different age ranges, Wednesdays-Wee Reads for 0-18 mos from 10:30-11, Thursdays-Tales for Tots 18 mos-3 yrs from 10:30-11, Fridays-Preschoolers 3-6 yrs from 10:30-11

J.V. Fletcher Library, Westford, <https://westfordlibrary.org/>, 978-399-2302

Please send a request to join the private **J.V. Fletcher Library Youth Services Department** Facebook page to see all kinds of other fun posts and news from your friends in Youth Services.

Registration required on the library website's calendar for connecting links: Wiggle Words for 2-3 yrs, Book Bunch for 3-5 yrs, Book Worms for 4-5 yrs.

In-person, outside, socially distanced Mother Goose for babies and preschoolers on the grass. Requires registration and *currently limited to families who have a Library Card for this library*. Masks required for everyone except those under age 2. Bring a blanket or chair – physical distance markers will be on the ground. Tuesdays 9/22 & 29, Nov. 3 & 10, Thursdays Oct. 1, 8 15, 22, 29 at 10:30.