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Spring Forward March 10



Meet the Candidates Night

Voting is on Tuesday, March 12 from 8am - 7pm East Kingston Elementary School - 5 Andrews Ln



EAST KINGSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY INVITES YOU TO:

MEET THE CANDIDATES NIGHT

Meet your candidates for Selectmen and bring your questions!



7 MARCH 2024 | 7PM
@ EAST KINGSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
& VIA ZOOM

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MONDAY 9AM-5PM	TUESDAY 11AM-7PM	WEDNESDAY 9AM-5PM	THURSDAY 11AM-7PM	FRIDAY 9AM-1PM	SATURDAY 9AM-1PM
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HELLO GIRLS Wed., 3/13, 5pm Documentary with Q&A

SPHERO INDI CARS MON., 3/18, 10am WWI Phone Operators All ages - we play with robotic cars. A STEAM program.

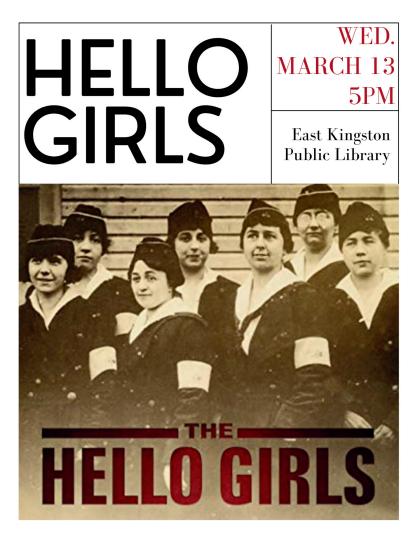
MAGIC TREE HOUSE THUR., 3/28, 3:30pm An after-school program; best for ages 5-9. Take the by David W. Moore bus to the library!!

EK BOOK CLUB WED., 3/27, 5pm Small Town, Big Oil Local non-fiction

Save the Dates for April

- Apr 09 ~ Tues ~ Friends of the Library Q1 Meeting, 5pm
- Apr 11 ~ Thur ~ Silver Social, 10am
- Apr 15 ~ Mon ~ Sphero Indi Car, 10am
- Apr 16 ~ Tues ~ History of Brewing in NH, 7pm
- Apr 22 ~ Mon ~ Library Board of Trustees, 5pm
- Apr 24 ~ Wed ~ East Kingston Book Club, 5pm
- Stay tuned for April Vacation Activities

The Hello Girls Documentary w/ Q&A Wed., Mar. 13 @ 5 pm -7 pm



In 1918, the U.S. Army Signal Corps sent 223 women to France, creating the Signal Corps Female Telephone Operators Unit. Those brave women, also known as the 'Hello Girls,' took an army oath, wore army regulation uniforms, and were expected to follow army protocols while performing their switchboard operations. They were an integral part of communications during WWI and they risked their lives daily near the front lines.

Join us for a screening of 'The Hello Girls,' a documentary based on the book by Elizabeth Cobbs. Carolyn Timbie, granddaughter of Grace Banker, Chief Operator of the first unit of 33 Hello Girls, will do an introduction to the film, and will follow with sharing stories and items from her grandmother's past. Light refreshments will be provided.



4TH THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH

- Book discussion
- Book themed snack
- Book themed craft/activity

Geared towards ages 5-9

#3 MUMMIES IN THE MORNING

THURSDAY, MARCH 28 3:30PM - 4:30PM

MAGIC TREE HOUSE Book Club Thursday, Mar. 28 @ 3:30pm

An after-school book club best for ages 5-9. All children are welcome either off-the-bus or dropped off by an adult.

Books are available at the Library.

EAST KINGSTON LIBRARY BOOK CLUB

Public is Welcome! Wednesday, Mar. 27 @ 5pm

This month's non-fiction book club pick is 'Small Town Big Oil: The Untold Story of the Women Who Took on the Richest Man in the World—And Won'. This is about the 1973 fight to stop Aristotle Onassis from putting an oil refinery in Durham, NH.

Books are available at the Library.

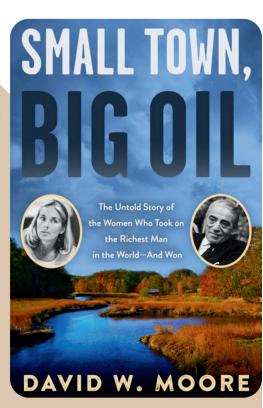


JOIN OUR EKPL BOOK CLUB! THE BOOK IS AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY.

3/27/24 @ 5pm In person at the library.

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Friends of EKPL News



By Nikki Cutler, Board of the Friends of EKPL

Spring is right around the corner! A quick but BIG thank you to everyone who stopped by the Water Street Bookstore on Feb 1st to support the Friends. We raised over \$250! Stay tuned for another fundraiser in the next couple of months... \ref{price}

As we look ahead to warmer days and green buds popping up out of the soil, the Friends group would like to call attention to our upcoming events for this year. For details, please follow our FaceBook Page "Friends of East Kingston Public Library", visit our webpage or email us with any questions at friendsofekpl@gmail.com.

New FoEKPL Board for 2024

Carol Powers, Used Book Store Director Áine Cronin, President Stacy Friedman, Secretary Open position! Treasurer Nicolette Cutler, Communications Director

The Used Book Store (UBS) at the Pound School

Open Fridays **10am-5pm** and Saturdays **10am-1pm**.

March Highlights:

- Civil War: great history in narrative and pictures
- Jigsaw puzzles: great selection, we continue to get in new donations
- Baseball: books for kids and adults
- Funk and Wagnalls Wildlife Encyclopedia: full set, 22 volumes!

Plus:

Lots of cozies for your reading pleasure

MARCH 30TH is 5th Saturday Kids Day with extended hours: 10am-2:30pm

2024 Membership Drive

Thank you to everyone who participated in the 2024 Friends Membership drive! As we've mentioned before, this is our most important fundraising period. If you would still like to donate, it is not too late! Pledge forms can be found at the library, the Used Book Store, or please send us an email at friendsofekpl@gmail.com.

Mark your calendars! 77

🌄 Book, Bake & Plant Sale @ EKPL 💳 🥸

Saturday, May 18th 10am-2pm (rain date: June 1st)

****Winter Social**

Date TBD

2024 Quarterly Meeting Dates

We would love to have you join us at our upcoming meetings. They are held at the East Kingston Public Library from 5:00pm-6:30pm with a Zoom option.

- 2024 Q1: Tuesday, April 9th
- 2024 Q2: Tuesday, July 2nd
- 2024 Q3: Tuesday, October 8th

Charitable Gaming Dates

FoEKPL has several Charitable Games of Chance dates in 2024. The Friends will receive a percentage of profits from Oceanfront Gaming Casino on Hampton Beach. The dates will be announced soon!