

MAYPOLE DANCES: On Tuesday, May 1, come welcome spring as we dance around the Maypole for Storytime at 10:30 am, and again for all ages at 5:30 pm. We will be at the playground next to the Tamworth Congregational Church at 10:30, and on the village green in front of the Tamworth History Center at 5:30. If it is raining we will wait until the following week but if it's just cloudy we can dance the clouds away.



Get to Know the Chocorua Lake Conservancy: Unique and Common Plants of the Chocorua Lake Watershed, Tuesday, May 1, 7:00 pm, at the Cook Memorial Library. Join naturalist and CLC Stewardship Director Lynne Flaccus for a visual exploration of the world of plants along the shores and wetlands of Chocorua Lake and the Chocorua River. Rare orchids, carnivorous plants, plants we can eat, and more!



PRACTICAL wisdom

The Tamworth Community Nurse Association and Cook Memorial Library co-host this month's **Practical Wisdom**

program on Wednesday, May 2, beginning at 10:30 am with refreshments/social time, with program following at 11:00 am. Rebecca Turlo from the Hearing Aid Shop will speak on hearing well and explain technologies utilized for hearing aids and how to choose ones that best fit your lifestyle. She will bring sample devices and demonstrate their use. Everyone is welcome!

Book Sale! Friends of Cook Memorial Library monthly book sale, May 5, 10:00 am to 12:00 noon.

4-H Tamworth Makers' Club for kids age 9 and older meets on Monday afternoons from 3:30 to 5:00 pm. Current session (April 30 through June 18, with no meeting on May 28) combines electronics, coding and crafting. Stop in or call to sign up, 323-8510.

Ed Parsons presents *The Mountains of Home: Rambles in the White Mountains* on Wednesday, May 16 at 7:00 pm, a slideshow talk on recent and favorite hikes.

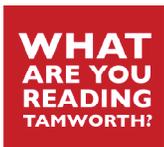
May's reading theme: Immigration

Bookworms reading club for 7- to 9-year-olds, Monday, May 21, 5:00 pm to talk about the books *A Different Pond* and *The Journey*, eat pizza, read to Clara the listening dog, and play games. Sign up if you're coming so we have enough pizza.

Brown Bag Book Group, Wednesday, May 30, 12:00 noon to discuss *The Book of Unknown Americans* by Cristina Henriquez. All are welcome.

Immigration book discussion, Wednesday, May 30, 10:30 am. Louise Wroblewski is convening a discussion of books on the topic of immigration. Come share your impressions of a book you've read, or borrow and read one from a selection of books on immigration on display at the library.

Bibliomaniacs book club for ages 10 and up, Monday, June 4, 5:00 pm to talk about the book *The Only Road*, play games, and eat pizza. Sign up!



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Mondays (not on the 28th) **3:30-5:00 p.m.**
4-H Makers' Club ages 9 and up

Tuesdays, May 1, 8, 15 **10:30 a.m.**
Storytime for young children (Maypole on 1st)

Tuesdays all month **1:00 p.m.**
Baby Lapsit Time

Tech Tuesdays **1:00-2:00 p.m.**
and other times by appointment

Wednesday, May 2 **10:30 a.m.**
Practical Wisdom: Hearing

Wednesdays, May 2 & 9 **3:45-4:30 p.m.**
Lego Club for 5-9-year-olds

Saturday, May 5 **10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon**
Friends' Monthly Book Sale

Tuesday, May 8 **5:30 p.m.**
Friends of CML Meeting

Monday, May 14 **5:00 p.m.**
Library Trustees' meeting

Wednesday, May 16 **7:00 p.m.**
Ed Parsons *The Mountains of Home*

Monday, May 21 **Sign up! 5:00-6:30 p.m.**
Bookworms reading club for 7-9 year-olds

Monday, May 28 **Library CLOSED**
for Memorial Day

Wednesday, May 30 **10:30 a.m.**
Immigration book discussion

Wednesday, May 30 **Noon**
Brown Bag book group

**Need seeds for your garden?
Stop in and check out our Seed Share!**

Library Trustees continue work on a new Strategic Plan for our library. Thanks to all who came and shared their aspirations for our community last month. Find details about the planning process, including notes from community conversations meetings on our website.

Save the Date: Friends of Cook Memorial Library and Altrusa will hold their annual perennial plant sale on Saturday, June 2. Gardeners, if you have plants to donate, please pot them up soon so they have time to adjust before the sale. For plant drop-off location, call Diane at 387-7395.

Cribbage happens weekly on Thursdays at 6:30 pm. Contact Amy Berrier at 651-5800 or refer to the Tamworth Exchange for each week's location. After a one-month run, this is the oldest established permanent floating cribbage game in Tamworth.