

COOK MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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Shake up your reading habits in September! Our daytime book group will read *Fever Dream* by Argentinian author Samanta Schweblin, “an exceptional example of the short-and-creepy form” and winner of The Morning News’ 2018 Tournament of Books. Discuss *Fever Dream* Wednesday, September 26 at 10:30 a.m. Louise Wroblewski will convene another themed discussion on “sense of place,” inspired by our current art exhibit (see below). Choose one or two of the books on display to read, or one of your choosing, and come join the discussion on September 28 at 10:30 a.m.

Our current art exhibit, *Sense of Place* features photographs by Susan Lirakis, and will be here through September. Susan describes her process: “My images, even when the subject may be outer, physical landscape, tend to involve inner seeing as well. They concern a particular view. They often represent a space between words or a pause between silences.”

The 13th annual One Book One Valley community read features the book *Where You’ll Find Me: Risk, Decisions, and the Last Hike of Kate Matrosova* by Ty Gagne, who has a non-judgmental perspective on a White Mountain hiking tragedy. We will have copies of the book to borrow, and host two special programs and a book discussion in October. The author will give a talk at Kennett High School on October 25. Pizza lovers: there will be a Flatbread Company fundraiser for 1B1V on Thursday, September 13. All pizzas ordered that evening will help support this program. See onebookonevalley.org.

Library Trustees and staff will finalize the library’s **Strategic Plan for 2018-2020** this month. Thanks to all who provided input, opinions, and insight. Find copies of the plan at the library and on the library’s website.

4-H Tamworth Makers Club will meet Mondays from 3:30-5:00 p.m. beginning September 10th. For children age 9 and up, the club’s first project will be making masks then adding electronic controls to animate them with lights, movement, and/or sound. Contact Claes Thelemarck at claes.thelemarck@unh.edu to sign up.

Maine author Kate Kennedy will talk about and read from her latest book-in-progress on Wednesday, September 12 at 10:30 a.m. *The Mask* is Kate’s own story of melanoma: surgeries, skin grafts, radiation, fear, family, and healing. Tamworth Community Nurse Association is cosponsor.

Explore cool critters in the Swift River on Saturday, September 15 at 11:00 a.m. with Tara Schroeder, Education Coordinator for Green Mountain Conservation Group. All ages will learn about macroinvertebrates and collect these fascinating aquatic insects for observation. Wear clothing that you don’t mind getting wet!

Come watch two new movies this month! Free popcorn.
Book Club, Friday, September 14, 10:30 a.m. “Four lifelong friends have their lives forever changed after reading 50 Shades of Grey in their monthly book club” (imdb.com). Rated PG-13, 104 minutes.

Won’t You Be My Neighbor?, Wednesday, September 19, 6:30 p.m. “An exploration of the life, lessons, and legacy of iconic children’s television host, Fred Rogers” (imdb.com). Rated PG-13, 94 minutes.

Chocorua Lake Conservancy will host a talk by Mary Ellen Lepionka on Native Americans of the region on Tuesday, September 18 at 7:00 p.m. at the library, preceded by a reprise of the Chocorua Crankie at 6:30.

Friends of Cook Memorial Library will hold their annual meeting on Saturday, September 29 at 11:30 a.m., followed by a light luncheon, and at 12:30 NH Humanities’ storyteller Jo Radner will present *Yankee Ingenuity: Stories of Headstrong and Resourceful People*. All are welcome!

Saturday, September 1 10:00 a.m. - Noon
Friends’ Book Sale in the Annex

Monday, September 3
Library will be closed on Labor Day

Tuesdays, first three 9/4, 9/11, 9/18 10:30 a.m.
Storytime for young children

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

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

Mondays beginning Sept. 10 3:30-5:00 p.m.
4-H Tamworth Makers Club (age 9 and up)

Monday, September 10 5:00 p.m.
Library Trustees meeting

Tuesday, September 11 6:00 p.m.
Friends of CML board meeting,

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Author Kate Kennedy, *The Mask*

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Movie: *Book Club*

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Native Americans of Our Region (CLC) 7:00 p.m.

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CML Book Group

Friday, September 28 10:30 a.m.
Sense of Place reading discussion

Saturday, September 29 11:30 a.m.
Friends of CML Annual Meeting: *Jo Radner*

Note:
Lego Club for 5-9 year olds begins in October

CELEBRATE THE MOON!

To mark the occasion of International Observe the Moon Night, the Cook Memorial Library is planning an art exhibit for October and November that celebrates the moon. We invite people of all ages and abilities to share their art.

Paint, print, collage, photography, poetry (why not?!) are welcome; any two-dimensional work. It might be realistic, metaphorical, spiritual or whimsical, abstract, scientific, etc.

By September 15th: RSVP if interested in contributing
Contact Lucy 730-8743 or lucygatchell@gmail.com

By September 30th: Deliver your work to the CML.