



**Front Desk**

(207) 781-2351

**Library Hours**

Monday 9:30-5:00  
Tuesday 9:30-8:00  
Wednesday 9:30-8:00  
Thursday 9:30-5:00  
Friday 9:30-5:00  
Saturday 9:30-5:00  
Closed Sundays & Holidays

**Contacts**

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**Thank You for Your Support**

On behalf of the Board of Trustees I would like to extend our appreciation to the entire community for its support in helping us scale this final hurdle in our fundraising campaign. We are very excited to announce we have reached the \$500,000 goal as of the January 31 deadline. Thanks to the help of an anonymous donor's \$100,000 match, gifts large and small were received from individuals and businesses. We look forward to breaking ground in the next few months and welcoming all to our new Library in 2020.

Steven Knapp  
President, Library Board of Trustees

**Let the Packing Begin... Library Closure and Temporary Services**

Over the coming weeks, we are moving forward with our plans to move to a temporary location during the construction period. Thanks to many who have volunteered to help out, we will get the detailed task of sorting and packing library materials completed. Below is a summary of important dates and information on temporary library services.

We will be using our website and other social media to keep the community up to date with our progress during the move, in our temporary location, as well as progress on the construction. Library staff will be monitoring voice mail at 781-2351 ext. 207 February 25-March 12 and staff will be accessible via email at fmllibrary@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org.

Thank you for your understanding during this transitional period. If you have any questions, please call (207) 781-2351.

Andi Jackson-Darling  
Library Director

**Monday, February 18**

Library Closed-Presidents' Day Holiday

**Friday, February 22**

All Falmouth Memorial Library items due on or before this date.

**Saturday, February 23**

Last day of regular hours 9:30 am to 5:00 pm. All regular library programs (book groups, writing group, etc.) will conclude at this time until we resume services at Mason-Motz.

**Monday, February 25**

Library closed to all but temporary services (see box at right).

**Saturday, March 9**

Last Day of temporary library services; last day for interlibrary loan pick up

**Monday, March 11-March 31**

Library Closed; No library services provided

**Monday, April 1**

Library reopens at the Mason-Motz Activity Center, 190 Middle Road; loan services resume

**Temporary Library Services**

**Monday, February 25-Saturday, March 9**

Services will include interlibrary loan pick up and children's programs. *Please use the Russell Room Entrance.*

**Interlibrary Loan Pickup Hours:**

Monday 9:30 am-12:00 noon

Friday 9:30 am-12:00 noon

Saturday 9:30 am-12:00 noon

*Please use the Russell Room Entrance.*

**Children's Program Schedule:**

**Toddler Storytime**

*Mondays (February 25 & March 4) at 10:00 am*

**Pre-School Storytimes**

*Mondays (February 25 & March 4) at 10:30 am*

**Baby Singalong**

*Fridays & Saturdays (March 1, 2, 8 & 9) at 10:00 am*

*Please use the Russell Room Entrance.*

**Library Yard Sale**

*Friday, March 29 and Saturday, March 30 (see reverse)*

## Adult Programs

### Michael Carnes, Technology & Reference Librarian

Mike will be available at the Reference Desk:

Monday 1:00-5:00 pm                      Tuesday 9:30 am-1:00 pm

Thursday 9:30 am-1:00 pm                  Friday 1:00-5:00 pm

To schedule an appointment with Mike, contact him at

[mcarnes@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:mcarnes@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org).

### Second Wednesday Book Group

Wednesday, February 13 at 1:00 pm

Book for Discussion: *Lincoln in the Bardo* by George Saunders.

### Writing Group

Thursdays at 1:00pm through February 21

New writers welcome. The group reads and discusses each other's works, as well as writing, publishing and marketing topics. FMI: Mike at [mcarnes@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:mcarnes@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org)

### Tech Help Tuesday

Tuesdays, February 5 & 12 from 3:30 - 4:30 pm

The Falmouth High School Tech Team is here to help with any and all tech-related questions every Tuesday!

### A Common Yarn

Thursdays from 1:00 to 3:00 pm through February 21

A textile craftsmanship group that meets weekly to work on and share their own projects. Participants are encouraged to bring along their unfinished projects for a little inspiration and guidance.

The Flukes are always looking for new members and visitors. We meet most Wednesday evenings from 5:15-7:00 pm. We are available for performances in the community. FMI: contact director Nina Allen Miller at 781-2351 or [ukuleles4me@aol.com](mailto:ukuleles4me@aol.com). The Flukes will begin rehearsing at an alternate location. Contact Nina for more information.



# Youth Services @

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The following children's program will be held through Saturday, February 23. For a list of temporary library services and children's programs please see page 1.

### Baby Singalong

Suggested Age: Birth to age 3

Thursdays at 4:00 pm; Fridays & Saturdays at 10:00 am

### Toddler Storytime

Suggested Age: 1-3 years

Mondays at 10:00 am

### Baby Doll Storytime

Suggested Age: 2-5 years

Wednesdays at 11:15

### Pre-School Storytimes

Suggested Age: 3-5 years

Mondays at 10:30 am and Thursdays at 10:00 am

### Friday Fun

Fridays from 3:45-4:45 pm through February 22

There's always something fun happening on Friday! We'll be hosting different activities every Friday for some after-school fun! Join us for some parachute play, take part in a mask parade, try your hands at arts or crafts, build an amazing Lego creation! Every week we'll be doing some kind of different and exciting drop-in activity, so stop by and take part in some of the Friday Fun!

### Art Time for Kids

Saturdays from 2:00-2:45 pm through February 23

Join us for Art Time for Kids! This is a freestyle art session that includes stories and music to help inspire young artists as they create and explore by designing, drawing, building, and more!

For more information about our children's programs, please contact Youth Services Librarian Will Brown at 781-2351 or [wbrown@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:wbrown@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org)

## Save the Date for these upcoming events

### Library Yard Sale

Friday, March 29 and Saturday, March 30

The Library will hold a two-day yard sale at the end of March. If you would like to donate materials to sell at our yard sale, we will begin taking those donations on Monday, March 25 via the Russell Room side entrance. More information will follow.

### Author James Hayman Interview

Tuesday, March 19 at 6:30 pm at Lunt Auditorium at OceanView at Falmouth

Local author James Hayman will discuss the inspiration for his books, including his latest novel, *A Fatal Obsession*. He will also share how his life influences his writing and his characters as well as his decision to select Portland, Maine as a crime scene and a place to live. Interviewer and more information about this program will be forthcoming.

### Great Decisions 2019

May 2019 Dates TBD

Great news for all of you that have participated in our Great Decisions program over the past few years. Thanks to a donation from a supporter of the Great Decisions programs, the Library will offer the program in spring 2019. Clifford Gilpin, Facilitator extraordinaire will once again be taking the lead with this popular world affairs program. Contact Jeannie at [jmadden@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:jmadden@falmouthmemoriallibrary.org) to receive updates.