






# Attleboro Public Library

## October 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Library Hours</b> Monday & Wednesday: 8:30AM – 8:30PM Tuesday, Friday, & Saturday: 8:30AM – 4:30PM Thursday: 12:30PM – 8:30PM (closed Sundays)  Register for programs by visiting the <b>Events</b> tab: <a href="http://www.attleborolibrary.org">www.attleborolibrary.org</a>		<b>1</b> <b>10AM BIOGRAPHY BOOK GROUP</b>	<b>2</b> <b>10AM WEDNESDAY AM BOOK GROUP</b>  <b>5PM FRIENDS OF APL MEETING</b>  <b>7PM Attleboro Commission on Disabilities</b>	<b>3</b> <b>6PM FAMILY CHESS</b> <b>6PM GAME NIGHT: SPOOKY CHARADES</b> (GRADES 5-12) <b>6PM PUTTING YOUR GARDEN TO BED</b> <b>6PM Sustainability Commission</b> <b>6:30PM Attleboro Historical Commission</b> <b>7PM Democratic City Committee</b>	<b>4</b> <b>10:30AM READ &amp; SING</b>  <b>11AM FREE PLAY FRIDAY</b>  	<b>5</b>
<b>6</b> <i>Request your Take-Home Kit this week: Painting Fall Leaves</i>  	<b>7</b> <b>2PM Health Screenings with Public Health Nurse</b>  <b>6PM ENGLISH CONVERSATION CIRCLE (VIRTUAL)</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> <b>6PM CRAFT CLUB: SPOOKY CANDY JARS</b> (GRADES 5-12)  <b>6:30PM APL TRUSTEES MEETING</b>	<b>10</b> <b>5PM Ready for the Holidays? (ACCS)</b>  <b>6PM FAMILY CHESS</b>  <b>6PM YOUR VOTE IS MAGIC! (family-friendly performance)</b>	<b>11</b> <b>9AM YARN LOVERS GROUP</b>  <b>10:30AM READ &amp; SING</b>  <b>11AM FREE PLAY FRIDAY</b>	<b>12</b> <b>9:30AM GENEALOGY CLUB</b> <b>10AM COSTUME SWAP</b> <b>2PM WWII BOOK GROUP</b> <b>2PM D&amp;D (GRADES. 5-12)</b> <b>2PM JOURNALISM'S ROLE IN BRIDGING THE DIVIDE</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <b>CLOSED FOR INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> <b>7PM SCI-FI / FANTASY BOOK GROUP</b>	<b>17</b> <b>6PM FAMILY CHESS</b>  <b>6PM Sustainability Commission</b>  <b>7PM APL PARENTS BOOK GROUP</b>	<b>18</b> <b>10:30AM READ &amp; SING</b>  <b>11AM FREE PLAY FRIDAY</b>	<b>19</b> <b>9AM TRICK OR READING</b> <b>9AM READING WITH ROVER</b> <b>10:30AM FAMILY MAKERS</b> <b>2PM POETRY DISCUSSION GROUP</b>
<b>20</b> It's National Friends of Libraries Week!  	<b>21</b> <b>6PM ADULT CRAFTING CLUB</b>  <b>7PM Attleboro Cultural Council</b>	<b>22</b> <b>6PM COMMUNITY READ FILM SHOWING: WON'T YOU BE MY NEIGHBOR?</b> (at Bristol Community College)	<b>23</b> <b>6:30PM Republican City Committee</b>  <b>7PM ORIGINS &amp; EVOLUTION OF PROJECT 2025 (VIRTUAL)</b>	<b>24</b> <b>6PM FAMILY CHESS</b> <b>6:30PM LEGO CLUB (GRADES K-6)</b> <b>6:30PM NEW ENGLAND UFOs w/RONNY LEBLANC</b> <b>6:30PM Gr. Attleboro Women of Today</b>	<b>25</b> <b>9AM YARN LOVERS GROUP</b>  <b>10:30AM READ &amp; SING</b>  <b>11AM FREE PLAY FRIDAY</b>	<b>26</b> <b>9AM TRICK OR READING</b>  <b>10AM PUMPKIN PAINTING</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <b>6:30 ATTLEBORO HISTORICAL COMMISSION READS!</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> <b>3:30PM KINDNESS CLUB (GRADES 5-12)</b>	<b>31</b> <b>1PM TRICK OR READING</b>  <b>6PM FAMILY CHESS</b>	<b>Ask us about Attleboro's NEW Social Worker!</b>	



# Enjoy what's NEW at the Attleboro Public Library!

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## Attleboro's Kindness Community Read

**Poetry Discussion Group (Sat., Oct. 19, 2-3:30pm):** Facilitator Dave Vecchioli will lead discussion on *The Path to Kindness: Poems of Connection and Joy*, edited by James Crews.

**Won't You Be My Neighbor? Film Screening (Tues., Oct. 22, 6-8pm):** Bristol Community College (11 Field Rd, Attleboro) will show the film *Won't You Be My Neighbor* in their auditorium. This film shares the life story of Fred Rogers, "known for his creativity, kindness, spirituality, and commitment to the well-being of children."

**Kindness Club for Grades 5-12 (Wed., Oct. 30, 3:30-4:30pm):** Inspired by the Olivia Knighton Foundation, this **new** monthly club will connect like-minded youth to spread kindness in the city. At this first meeting, participants will paint kindness rocks.

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**National Friends of Library Week (October 20-26):** Friends groups raise money, promote the library, and volunteer their time and talent. The Friends of APL support new technology, museum passes, and Wi-Fi hotspots. They also manage the Book Nook, where great deals are always available on books and DVDs. If you see a Friend this week, please be sure to thank them for their important work!

**Putting the Garden to Bed for the Winter (Thur., Oct. 3, 6-7pm):** Join Kathi Gariepy as she discusses closing gardens for this year and plans for next Spring. Kathi is a wealth of knowledge and an engaging speaker.

**Costume Swap (Sat., Oct. 12, 10am-1pm):** Browse donated costumes to pick out a new-to-you costume to celebrate Halloween! Children's and adult sizes will be available. While supplies last.

**Journalism's Role in Bridging the Divide and Helping to Reinstate Trust (Sat., Oct. 12, 2-4pm):** The *Attleboro Sun Chronicle* and the *Christian Science Monitor* are hosting a panel discussion for the community. Panelists include Craig Borges, John Yemma, and Noelle Swan.

**The Origins and Evolution of Project 2025 (VIRTUAL) (Wed., Oct. 23, 7-8pm):** Join Professor Brian Conley of Suffolk University as he shares the history of this document, its origins during the Reagan years, and how it led to the current Project 2025 document.

**New England UFOs with Ronny LeBlanc (Thur., Oct. 24, 6:30-8pm):** Join *Expedition Bigfoot's* Ronny LeBlanc for an energetic presentation to learn all about New England UFOs! Ronny is well known from both TV and his book *Monsterland: Encounters with UFOs, Bigfoot and Orange Orbs*.

**Pumpkin Painting (Saturday, October 26, 10am-1pm):** Suitable for all ages and sponsored by the Friends of Attleboro Public Library. Paint your pumpkin, then bring it home to enjoy!  
**Reservations are suggested.**

**Book Groups** - Visit the web site to learn about the many book discussions happening throughout the month, or visit the Circulation Desk to learn more about what titles are being discussed this month.

The Library works with many others to create opportunities for Attleboro residents to connect with one another. To learn more about events happening downtown and elsewhere, visit the City's events calendar at [www.cityofattleboro.us](http://www.cityofattleboro.us)!

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