



August Events at the Camden Public Library

www.librarycamden.org 207-236-3440

Library Hours: Monday through Saturday, 9:00 am to 6:00 pm;
Tuesday and Thursday until 9:00 pm; Sunday 1:00 to 5:00 pm

- Monday, August 1, 8:15 pm** – Free Monday Night Movie, “**The Big Sleep**” (1946, 1 hr 54 min), for Camden Classics Weekend, starring Humphrey Bogart and Lauren Bacall. Bring blankets or chairs for comfortable seating.
- Tuesday, August 2, 7:00 pm** – Author Jon Olsen presents “Why Did Kennebec Valley Mainers Conspire to Overthrow the Queen of Hawai’i?”
- Wednesday, August 3, 10:00 am** – Midcoast Stroke Support Group, all are welcome.
- Thursday, August 4, 6:00 pm** – “**The Tempest**,” performed in the Amphitheatre by the Camden Shakespeare Festival. Tickets are available online at www.camdenshakespeare.org. Performances will continue on August 4, 5, 7, 10, 13, and 14.
- Friday, August 5, 4:00 pm** – free **Walking Tours** of Camden every Friday; please call the library at 236-3440 to register.
- Saturday, August 6, 3:00 pm** – Opening art reception for **Artist of the Month John Wisseman**. The exhibit is “The Working Waterfront.” Wisseman uses a little-known and infrequently seen technique, *pochoir*.
- Sunday, August 7, 2:00 pm** – Cyber Sunday topic is “**Back to School: Current Technology in the Local Public Schools**” with a guest speaker. All classes are free.
- Monday, August 8, 12:00 noon** – “**Shamanism**” presented by Susan Bakaley Marshall and Chris Marshall, at a Brown Bag Lunch hosted by Destination Wellness Midcoast Maine.
- Monday, August 8, 3:00 pm** – **CANCELLED** – Hypnotism Demonstration..
- Monday, August 8, 8:00 pm** – Monday Night Movie is **Stardust** (2007, 2 hrs 7 min, PG-13), free, bring chairs for seating.
- Tuesday, August 9, 1:00 pm** – **Leer y charlar** – Read and chat – entirely in Spanish! 2nd and 4th Tuesdays.
- Tuesday, August 9, 1:00 pm** – **Tuesday Book Club** monthly meeting, all are welcome. The book for this session is *Girl Waits with Gun* by Amy Stewart.
- Tuesday, August 9, 4:00 pm** – monthly meeting of the Reading Group of the Camden Philosophical Society.
- Tuesday, August 9, 7:00 pm** – Author Tom Johnson will present his book *Threaded Journeys*, a compilation of fly fishing and bow hunting stories from adventures in the Maine woods and on Maine rivers.
- Thursday, August 11, 7:00 pm** – **The Juke Rockets** return to the Camden Amphitheatre! The Rockets are a great rock & roll band and they get people dancing! Free.
- Friday, August 12, 2:00 pm** – **The Gazebones**, a trombone ensemble, in a free informal recital in the Amphitheatre.
- Sunday, August 14, 1:00 pm** – electronic artist **Quantum** in a free performance at the Amphitheatre. Quantum is the duo of Jason Dean and Michael Whitehead.

Monday, August 15, 6:30 pm – **MOJO Jazz** orchestra kicks off another double feature evening in the Amphitheatre with a free concert. Bring blankets or chairs for seating.

Monday, August 15, 8:15 pm – the Monday Night Movie is “**The Englishman Who Went Up a Hill But Came Down a Mountain**” (1995, PG, 1 hr 39 min), free.

Tuesday, August 16, 7:00 pm – author **Ronald Epp** presents “Creating Acadia National Park: The Biography of George Bucknam Dorr.”

Thursday, August 18, 7:00 pm – author **Kathryn Avery** presents “Your Countdown to Retirement: The Pre-Retirement Planning Guide That’s NOT About Money.”

Saturday, August 20, and Sunday, August 21 – special “**Blue and Gray**” Civil War Encampment featuring the 20th Maine Company B and the 15th Alabama Company G.

Saturday, August 20, 1:00-4:00 pm – **11th Annual Children’s Book-Fair-By-the-Sea!**

Sunday, August 21, 2:00 pm – “**Digital Natives: Kids and Social Media**” is the topic in the ongoing Cyber Sunday Technology Series.

Monday, August 22, 7:45 – **Movie Make-up Night**, “**Who Framed Roger Rabbit?**” movie in the Amphitheatre.

Tuesday, August 23, 7:00 pm – Nicole Carbisiero presents “**Expanding Opportunities**” with service projects in Kenya.

Thursday, August 25, 7:00 pm – **Maine Pro Musica Brass Quintet** performs a free concert in the Amphitheatre.

Friday, August 26, 5:00 pm – **Djump!** is a local African drumming ensemble in an informal performance and jam session, 5:00 to 7:00 pm

Saturday, August 27, 9:00 to 5:00,
and Sunday, August 28, 1:00 to 4:00 pm
INDOOR BOOK SALE
“Book Pleasures and Book Treasures”

Sunday, August 28, 2:00 pm – “**Back to School: You’re in Charge: Parental Controls**” is the topic of the Cyber Sunday tech series. Call to register.

Tuesday, August 30, 7:00 pm – author **Tim Caverly** presents “The Ranger and the Reporter” about his adventures on the Allagash, released in time to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the National Park Service as well as the 50th birthday of the Allagash Wilderness Waterway.

Children’s Events

Babbling Books Mondays at 10:00 am for busy bodies.

Booktime for Babies Wednesdays at 10:00 am.

Thursday Story Hour for 4- & 5-year-olds at 10:00 am.

Friday Story Hour for 2- & 3-year-olds at 10:00 am.

Saturday Story Hours with Miss Katie, 10:00 am.

Blueberry Stories on Beech Hill, Monday, August 8, 11:30.

Smokey the Bear Tuesday, August 9, 1:00 pm.

MSBA Tuesday, August 9, 5:30 pm.

LEGO Club Wednesdays, August 10 and 24, 3:00 pm.

Children’s Book-Fair-by-the-Sea, August 20, 1:00-4:00 pm.

Hip-hop dance workshop with Kea Tessyman and Kinetic Energy Alive! In the Amphitheatre at noon, August 25.