



June Events at the Camden Public Library

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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

Wednesday, June 1, 10:00 am – Midcoast Stroke Support
Group meeting, all are welcome.

Thursday, June 2, 7:00 pm – Library Coffeehouse features the annual “Songwriters’ Coffeehouse” led by David Dodson with Rachel and John Nicholas. The songwriters have been producing original work that spans styles from singer-songwriter, to blues, ballads, love songs, and more. \$5 donation at the door.

Saturday, June 4 and Sunday June 5 Indoor Book Sale

9:00 am to 5:00 pm on Saturday

1:00 to 4:00 pm on Sunday

To benefit the book fund and programs at the library. Come browse for treasures and pleasures in an excellent collection of hardcovers, paperbacks, and DVDs.

Sunday, June 5, 2:00 pm – Cyber Sunday tech session on “Smartphone Photo Management,” 2:00 pm, led by Olga Zimmerman, all are welcome. Please call the library to sign up in advance at 236-3440.

Tuesday, June 7, 7:00 pm – “Protecting the Megunticook Watershed” illustrated talk by Paul Leeper, Director of the Megunticook Watershed Association. All are welcome.

Thursday, June 9, 7:00 pm – Japan slide talk with the eighth-grade students of the Camden Rockport Middle School. The students are inviting members of the community to a slide show about their Japan adventures.

Sunday, June 12, 2:00 pm – Cyber Sunday session is a Q&A on “Buying a Computer” with a guest speaker.

Monday, June 13, 12:00 noon – “Healing the Heart Through Writing” presented by Destination Wellness Midcoast Maine with Kathrin Seitz, MFA. Studies have shown that when people are given the opportunity to write about physical and emotional upheavals, they often experience improved health and come away with a deeper understanding and affection for who they are.

Tuesday, June 14, 1:00 pm – Leer y charlar is Read and chat – entirely in Spanish! All who are fluent in Spanish are welcome.

Tuesday, June 14, 1:00 pm – Tuesday Book Club will discuss *The Road to Little Dribbling: Adventures of an American in Britain*, by Bill Bryson. All are welcome, for more information call 230-8516.

Tuesday, June 14, 4:00 pm – Reading Group of the Camden Philosophical Society, all who enjoy a good discussion are welcome.

Tuesday, June 14, 7:00 pm – Book launch for Paul Doiron’s newest book in the Mike Bowditch saga, *Widow-maker*. Doiron will give a reading and talk about his writing

and the crime series. Sherman’s Books will have books on hand for signing and purchase at the launch.

Thursday, June 16, 7:00 pm – Ranked-Choice Voting referendum question informational session presented by FairVote Maine, a non-partisan, non-profit organization dedicated to improving democracy through public education on a number of election-reform related issues.

Sunday, June 19, 2:00 pm – “Tony Bennett: A 90th Year Birthday Celebration” with Michael Paul Lund with commentary and recordings on the legacy of this great balladeer of the American songbook. “This will be a 90-minute musical tribute to Bennett’s life, his songs, and continuing presence as the number-one living performer of the great American songbook!” says Lund.

Sunday, June 19, 3:30 pm in the Amphitheatre – Midcoast Music Academy (MCMA) recital, all are welcome. Bring blankets or chairs for seating. MCMA provides high-quality music instruction to students of all ages and all skills.

Tuesday, June 21, 7:00 pm – Author Cheryl Kerr will present her novel *See Ya*. Kerr was originally scheduled to speak last June, but the disastrous floods in Texas kept her home to work on the cleanup.

Thursday, June 23, 7:00 pm – a slide talk on The Pacific Crest Trail by Anne O’Regan. Traveling through California, Oregon, and Washington, O’Regan completed her thru-hike five months later in Manning Park, Canada. Join us as Anne shares tales from the trail, and offers a unique visual presentation gleaned from over 3,000 photographs taken along the way.

Friday, June 24, 4:00 pm – The Friday tours of Camden resume, offered each Friday at 4:00 pm. Call the library to sign up.

Saturday, June 25, 2:00 pm – Simply Books! club, all are welcome. Simply bring a book you are eager to talk about!

Tuesday, June 28, 1:00 pm – Leer y charlar – All who are fluent in Spanish are welcome.

Tuesday, June 28, 7:00 pm – The Camden Philosophical Society will continue its Film, Lecture, and Discussion Series with “Singularity or Bust” by Raj Dye. This event is free and open to the public.

Thursday, June 30, 7:00 pm – Laurie Murray presents “Ekphrastic Prose and Poetry,” writing that is inspired from a visual work of art, be it a painting, photograph, or sculpture. Murray is a lecturer at Anderson University in South Carolina.

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.

LEGO Club Wednesday, June 29, 3:00 pm.

MSBA Book Club Tuesday, June 28, 5:30 pm.

Summer Reading Program Sign up! Starts July 7.