Weekly Storytimes

Ages 0-3

- Stories & Songs - Fridays, 10:00 am - Drop in
- First Readers - Saturdays, 9:30 am - Drop in

Ages 3-6

- Yoga Stories - Tuesdays, 2:30 pm
- Craft & Story with Ms. Kate - Wednesdays, 11:00 am
- Craft & Story with Ms. Jess - Saturdays, 10:00 am

Register online, call 781-293-2151, or email info@hansonlibrary.org.

Music and Movement

Wednesday, October 26, 2016
11:00 am

Come sing, dance, and create music with Ms. Marsha. Sing and dance to the latest and greatest children’s songs and use some props and have an instrument play. Drop in. For children of all ages and their caregivers. Sponsored
Autumn Kids Craft

Celebrate the Autumn Harvest with a fun & easy seasonal craft!

Who: Children in grades 2 & up – families are welcome

What: Create paper mache pumpkins!

When: 2 dates (Must commit to both dates to attend)

Friday, October 21st from 4:00-5:00 pm
Friday, October 28th from 4:00-5:00 pm

Cost: $20 total per child for both classes

Cash or checks made payable to the Friends of the Hanson Public Library. Space is limited, pre-registration is required.

Register online, call 781-293-2151, or email info@hansonlibrary.org.

Free Lego Build Drop In

Tuesday, October 11, 2016
4:00-5:00 pm

Have fun building with the library's collection of legos. Drop in.

Author Talk - Susan Playfair

America's Founding Fruit: The Cranberry in a New Environment
Sunday, October 16, 2016
3:00 pm

- Featuring author talk with PowerPoint presentation
- Questions and answers
- Books available for purchase and signing
- Light refreshments

*America's Founding Fruit: The Cranberry in a New Environment featuring:

- a brief history of the cranberry, a perennial vine native to MA
- the role of this small, crimson berry in our American heritage
- the cultivation process from planting through distribution
- the men and women who grow and harvest it
- effects of climate change and the berry's long-term survival
- the cranberry's health benefits and 21 recipes

Susan Playfair

- Susan Playfair describes herself "as a maverick with a varied working background." Her careers include investment broker, fashion merchandising, fashion design, and interior design.
- Susan Playfair's great-grandfather owned and managed cranberry bogs. As a toddler, Susan would "walk the bogs" with him. For this book, Susan walked bogs from Nantucket to Oregon to Wisconsin to New Jersey and "loved every minute of it." Susan interviews growers, spoke with scientists, plant geneticists, and plant biologists. The Boston Globe calls her research "diligent and extensive."
- Visit Susan Playfair online at www.susanplayfair.com

This event is free, but requires pre-registration. Space is limited. Sponsored by the Hanson Public Library Foundation, Inc.

[Register online](#), call 781-293-2151, or email info@hansonlibrary.org.

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**Fall Yoga Classes**

The Hanson Public Library Foundation is sponsoring two six-week medleys of Yoga classes introducing the benefits of Yoga for flexibility and releasing emotional and physical stress. Classes will be led by Certified Yoga Instructors from the Whitman Wellness Center. All Yogi levels welcome to attend!

Classes will be held in the Library Community Room on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 pm on the following Thursdays: September 15, September 22, September 29, October 6, October 13, and October 20 and on Friday afternoons from 1:00 to 2:00 pm on the following Fridays: September 16, September 23, September 30, October 7, October 14, October 21.

Cost is $5.00 per class. Checks should be made out to Hanson Public Library Foundation. You may register for individual or all classes.
Register online, call 781-293-2151, or email info@hansonlibrary.org.

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**Hoopla -- Coming This Month!**

Hoopla is a digital service that lets you instantly borrow free digital movies, music, eBooks, and more, 24/7 with your library card. From Hollywood blockbusters to best selling artists and authors - not just the hits, but the niche and hard-to-find as well, Hoopla provides you the freedom to explore and enjoy what you want, when you want, where you want. Simple to access and use, without the hassle of having to return the items you've borrowed, all you need is your library card and a web browser, smart phone or tablet to get started.

Our Hoopla subscription will go live this month. Check our website hansonlibrary.org or facebook page facebook.com/hansonpubliclibrary for updates.

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**Discover Books with NoveList Plus**

Have you ever finished a great book and wanted to find more just like it? Or wanted to help your child find just the right book to read? The Hanson Public Library now offers NoveList Plus, a helpful resource to help readers match up with the books that are right for them.

The NoveList Plus database connects readers to their next book by making recommendations for what to read next. One of the most popular elements is read-alikes. This feature suggests titles that are ‘just like’ other titles. If you’ve just finished a great book, log into NoveList Plus and find great read-alikes. There are also read-alikes for authors and series. Consider NoveList Plus your one-stop guide to great reading. It covers both fiction and nonfiction titles for all ages from the youngest readers to adults.

Also available is NoveList K-8, which is a subset of NoveList Plus, but which eliminates the adult titles and displays only fiction specifically for kids.

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**Book-to-Movie Discussion**

**Movie Showing:** Tuesday, October 25, 2016 at 1:00 pm  
**Book Discussion:** Thursday, October 27, 2016 at 6:30 pm
Join friends and fellow library patrons in reading and discussing books that have been made into a movie. Participants read the book at home and watch the movie either at home or at the library on the last Tuesday of the month at 1:00 pm. The discussion is held on the last Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm. Light refreshments will be served at the discussion. Books and movies are available for checkout through the SAILS Library Network.

Register online, call 781-293-2151, or email info@hansonlibrary.org.

In October, we're reading/watching:

**The Hundred-Foot Journey**

By [Morais, Richard C.](http://example.com)

2010-07 - Scribner Book Company

9781439165645 [Check Our Catalog](http://example.com)

In this lively and charming fable about family, nationality, snobbery, acceptance, and the inevitability of destiny, the hundred-foot distance between a new Indian kitchen and a traditional French one represents the gulf between cultures, people, tastes, and desires. [...More](http://example.com)

**The Hundred-Foot Journey**

By [Hallstrom, Lasse](http://example.com)

2016-05 - Buena Vista Home Entertainment

0786936844436 [Check Our Catalog](http://example.com)

In "The Hundred-Foot Journey," the opening of a new Indian restaurant in the south of France, next to a famous Michelin starred eatery, is nearly cause for an all-out war between the two establishments until Le Saule Pleureur's icy proprietress Madame Mallory recognizes her rival's undeniable brilliance for preparing masterful meals. [...More](http://example.com)

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**Beginner Watercolor Painting Classes**

Starting Saturday, October 22nd, the Hanson Public Library will sponsor a 5-week session of art classes. The classes will be taught by local artist Bill Patton.

**Beginner Watercolor Painting**

This session is designed to teach the different ways to apply paint to paper, color mixing, value scales, shapes and symbols, and basic elements of design.

The classes will be held on Saturday mornings from 9:30 am to 12:00 pm and will continue through November 19th. The cost is $30. Sign up at the main desk in the Library.
Museum Passes

Boston Children's Museum
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Massachusetts ParksPass
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**Ancestry Library Edition**

[ancestry.com](https://ancestry.com)

This online genealogy resource is available from any of the library’s public computers. Search census data, vital records, directories, and more. Both U.S. and international data is included. **In-library use only, no remote access available.**

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**Library Hours**

Monday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Tuesday 12:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Wednesday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Thursday 12:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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