



Literacy & English as a Second Language (ESOL)



Book Groups

MAIN LIBRARY

Beginner ESOL

Saturdays, 9:15 AM
Beech Room

Intermediate ESOL

Tuesdays & Thursdays,
1:00 PM, Community Room
6:30 PM, Beech Room

O'NEILL BRANCH

Intermediate ESOL

Mondays & Wednesdays, 6:15 PM

O'CONNELL BRANCH

Beginner ESOL

Mondays & Wednesdays, 6:00 PM

CENTRAL SQUARE

Beginner ESOL

Mondays, Wednesdays,
& Fridays, 11:00 AM
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 1:00 PM

Intermediate ESOL

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 11:00 AM

Advanced ESOL

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3:00 PM

Job Hunting &

Resume Writing Help

Wednesdays, 1:00–3:00 PM

Chick Lit

Wednesday, April 26, 7:00 PM
Main Library, Beech Room

Contemporary Book Group

Tuesday, April 18, 6:00 PM
Main Library, Beech Room

Nonfiction Book Group

Monday, April 24, 1:00 PM
Main Library, Beech Room

Great Books Discussion Group

Tuesday, April 4 & 18, 7:15 PM
Main Library, Community Room

Boudreau Book Group

Wednesday, April 12, 12:00 PM
Boudreau Branch

Central Square Social Club

Tuesday, April 4, 7:00 PM
Central Square Branch

Collins Book Group

Thursday, April 13, 6:00 PM
Collins Branch

O'Neill Book Group

Monday, April 24, 6:30 PM
O'Neill Branch



Career Counselor

Monday, April 10

2:00 - 4:00 PM | Main Library



Device Advice

Fridays, April 7, 14, 21, 28

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Main Library, Rindge Room
& The O'Neill Branch

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE OFFICE OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Drop by for a 15-30 minute session with a career counselor from the Cambridge Employment Program. Career counselors will be onsite the 2nd Monday of the month at the Main Library. Sign up at the Q&A desk on the day of the program.

We'll assist you in accessing library content on your mobile device. Make an appointment with a librarian by calling the Research Desk at 617-349-4044. To make an appointment at the O'Neill Branch call 617-349-4023 or email esipe@cambridgema.gov

Hours & Locations

All locations are accessible by public transportation. Details are on our website.

BRANCH	ADDRESS	PHONE	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Main Adult	449 Broadway	617-349-4040	9-9	9-9	9-9	9-9	9-5	9-5	1-5*
Children		617-349-4038	9-7	9-7	9-7	9-7	9-5	9-5	1-5*
Teen Room		617-349-4027	12-7	12-7	12-7	12-7	12-5	9-5	1-5*
Boudreau	245 Concord Ave	617-349-4017	10-6	10-8	10-6		10-6		
Central Square	45 Pearl St	617-349-4010	10-6	10-9	10-6	10-9	10-6	10-2*	
Children		617-349-4012	10-6	10-6	10-6	10-6	10-6	10-2*	
Collins	64 Aberdeen Ave	617-349-4021	10-6	10-6		1-8	10-6		
O'Connell	48 Sixth St	617-349-4019	10-8	10-8	10-8	10-6	10-6		
O'Neill	70 Rindge Ave	617-349-4023	10-8		10-8	10-6	10-6		

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* from Labor Day to Independence Day

The City of Cambridge does not discriminate on the basis of disability. The Cambridge Public Library will provide auxiliary aids and services, written materials in alternative formats, and reasonable modifications in policies and procedures to persons with disabilities upon request.

We are pleased to announce that the condo association which owns the Boudreau Branch has agreed to the reconstruction of the uneven cement landscaping in front of the Branch. To ensure public and staff safety during the project, the Boudreau Branch will be closed from Monday, April 3rd through Friday, April 7th.

April 2017



EVENTS *at the* CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC LIBRARY

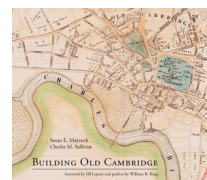


NICHOLAS BURNS

The Trump Administration's Foreign Policy Challenges

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 6:30 pm | MAIN LIBRARY, LECTURE HALL

Nicholas Burns is the Roy and Barbara Goodman Family Professor of the Practice of Diplomacy and International Relations at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government. He is Director of the Future of Diplomacy Project and Faculty Chair for the Programs on the Middle East and on India and South Asia. Professor Burns served in the United States government for 27 years. As a career Foreign Service Officer, he was Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs from 2005 to 2008; the State Department's third-ranking official when he led negotiations on the U.S.–India Civil Nuclear Agreement; a long-term military assistance agreement with Israel; and was the lead U.S. negotiator on Iran's nuclear program. As a foreign policy expert, Professor Burns will discuss the challenges facing the Trump Administration in foreign affairs, followed by a Q&A.



Building Old Cambridge with Charlie Sullivan

Thursday, April 27, 6:30 PM

Main Library, Lecture Hall

Charles Sullivan and Susan Maycock of the Cambridge Historical Commission discuss their book, *Building Old Cambridge*. Followed by a reception in the Cambridge Room.



Genealogy Workshop

Wednesdays, April 5, 12, 19, 26,

May 3, 10 | 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Main Library, Computer Classroom

Join us for a 6-week genealogy workshop series. We will help you find ancestors, discover family history, and organize your research. The workshop includes two guest speakers and a field trip to the Cambridge City Clerk's office to tour the vaults and experience vital records research. To register call 617-349-7757 or e-mail apacy@cambridgema.gov.



Leveling the Playing Field

Tuesday, April 18, 6:00 PM

Sullivan Chamber, City Hall

Hear the story of the African American members of the 1969-70 SU football team who petitioned their team for equal access to tutoring, medical care, and an effort to racially integrate the coaching staff. Meet Alif Muhammad, Gregory Allen, John Lobon, & Dana Jon Harrell, members of the Syracuse 8. Sponsored by The Office of Mayor E. Denise Simmons, The Center for the Study of Sport in Society at Northeastern University, & The Cambridge Public Library.



Reel Abilities Film

Festival: *Rachel Is*

Tuesday, April 4, 6:00 PM

Main Library, Lecture Hall

Rachel is mysterious, funny, difficult, and ready to move out of her mother's house. Her mother, Jane, is just as ready, but Rachel has a developmental disability, and Jane is desperately seeking a solution as Rachel prepares to graduate from high school. Discussion to follow with director & film subject Charlotte Glynn, and Susan Senator, author of *Autism Adulthood: Strategies and Insights for a Fulfilling Life*.



Crystal King:

Feast of Sorrow

Tuesday, April 25, 6:30 PM

Main Library, Lecture Hall

Join Crystal King as she reads from her new book, *Feast of Sorrow*. Set amongst the scandal, wealth, and upstairs-downstairs politics of a Roman family, Crystal King's seminal debut features the man who inspired the world's oldest cookbook and the ambition that led to his destruction. Co-sponsored by Porter Square Books.



Simeon Berry,
Philip Burnham &
Barbara Thomas

Wednesday, April 26, 6:00 PM

Main Library, Lecture Hall

Join us for readings from local poets to celebrate National Poetry Month.

All Library Locations will be closed Sunday, April 16 & Monday, April 17 in observance of the holidays.

Cambridge Science Festival Events

Science Carnival and Robot Zoo
Saturday, April 15, 12:00 PM | Main Library
The Science Carnival and Robot Zoo is a family-friendly expo with more than 100 ways to explore, build, learn and — most importantly — have fun!

Research Rumble: *Battle of the Science Stars*
Thursday, April 20, 6:30 PM | Main Library
Join us at an interactive competition hosted by the Mass General and Brigham Research Institutes giving six Boston biomedical researchers a chance to present their work and receive feedback from a panel of expert communicators. Hear about the latest cutting-edge science and learn from the best at this lively competition.

Growing Science *with* East End House
Tuesday, April 18, 6:00 PM | Main Library, Lecture Hall
Join East End House and partners in a roundtable discussion about the power of partnerships in STEAM education. Students will present examples of their science, followed by a facilitated community conversation exploring how we can collaborate to inspire the next generation of young scientists, innovators, designers and leaders. Pre-registration requested at www.eastendhouse.org

Staying Safe and Secure Online
Thursday, April 20, 6:30 PM | Main Library, Community Room
We will explore the risks of the digital realm from apps, to social media, email and more. Learn real world tools and techniques to minimize your risks, protect your privacy and identity, and shield your financial health. From Evolutionary IT.

Science *with* Sophie: Science Comedy
Saturday, April 22, 11:00 AM | Main Library, Lecture Hall
Science with Sophie is a science comedy show that reminds girls they are smart, curious, funny, brave scientists every day. Sophie Science, a scientist/educator/comedian, is your host, and her wacky characters will educate and entertain girls. Bring the family and be prepared for some silly science!

Not a Bedtime Story but a STEM Story
Saturday, April 22, 2:00 PM | Main Library, Community Room
Learn math and science through a story with pictures! Illustrations make STEM become STEAM! Each person will get a portion of the story to learn and illustrate. Then, we'll read the final story together. Come and 'READ STEAM'! ...literally! Grades 6-8. RSVP to Maru Colbert at edutech4snps@gmail.com

Intro to Web Dev for Girls & Women
Sunday, April 16, 2:00 PM | Main Library, Computer Lab
Come to this hands-on workshop with Women's Coding Collective and learn about HTML and CSS. Pre-registration required at <http://htmlforgirls.eventbrite.com>



Grow Native
Wednesday, April 5, 7:00 PM
Main Library, Lecture Hall

Initiatives to address pollinator decline are widespread and native plants are the preferred choice for pollinator habitat restoration. Are native cultivars as valuable in pollinator habitat gardens as the true native species?



Branches

Poetry Celebration
O'Neill Branch
Monday, April 3, 3:00 PM
Create and Celebrate Poetry!

Mary Buchinger & Ifeanyi Menkiti
O'Neill Branch
Monday, April 3, 6:00 PM

Color Me Calm-Adult Coloring Group
O'Connell Branch
Wednesday, April 5, 6:00 PM

Knitting Group
O'Connell Branch
Every Thursday, 6:00 PM



Teen Room



Sonic Pi
Tuesday, April 25, 3:00 PM
Main Library, Teen Room

Build a synthesizer and rock out! Sonic Pi is a programming environment that allows you to make sounds & music with a tiny card-sized computer. *Presented by the Rhode Island Computer Museum.*

Boston Teen Author Festival Preview Panel
Saturday, Apr 29, 1:00 PM
Main Library, Teen Room

Afternoon Movie:
Thursday, April 27, 3:00 PM
Main Library, Teen Room

Cartoon Afternoon
Friday, April 7, 3:00 PM
Main Library, Teen Room

Teen Advisory Board
Monday, April 24, 5:00 PM
Main Library, Teen Room



Children's Room

April Vacation Events | April 17- 21, 2017

Main Library <i>Curious George Room</i> AT 2:00 PM			
Tuesday Movie Ages 5+	Wednesday Puppet Show Ages 5+	Thursday Crafts Ages 5+	Friday Yoga Ages 5+
Boudreau Branch Wednesday, 2:30 pm Spring Crafts Celebrate the season with a spring craft.		Central Square Branch <i>Lewis Room</i> Wednesday, 11:00 am Mike the Bubble Man Think bubbles are little round floaty popping things? Think again!	
O'Connell Branch Wednesday, 2:00 pm Mike the Bubble Man Think bubbles are little round floaty popping things? Think again!		O'Neill Branch Wednesday, 6:00 pm Family Movie: <i>Finding Dory</i> Help O'Neill find Dory in a family movie night	
		Thursday, 12:00 – 4:00 pm Under the Sea Crafts Drop in to make an ocean-themed craft for all ages!	

Peter and the Wolf *with* Radius Ensemble
Saturday, April 29, 10:30 AM
Main Library, Curious George Room
Join us for a free family concert. Meet the woodwinds and play along on kazoos!

Book Shop | Monday, April 3, 5:30 PM
Main Library, Curious George Room
Book Shop is a hybrid book group and makerspace workshop. For ages 11-13. Registration is required. Email emeyer@cambridgema.gov or call 617-349-4038.

ECRC: Play in Early Childhood
Thursday, April 13, 6:00 PM
Main Library, Lecture Hall
With parenting educator Shawne K. Blake, LSW. Request limited free child care at 617-349-4038. Sponsored by the Greater Boston Early Childhood Resource Center at the CPL, the MA Department of Early Education and Care, and Families First Parenting Programs.

MAIN LIBRARY * Movies for Littles Saturdays, 11:30 AM Baby Lapsit % Mondays, 10:00 AM Sing-Along # Mondays & Wednesdays, 11:00 AM & Thursdays, 4:00 PM Afterschool LEGO® Time % Mondays, 4:00 PM Toddler Storytime ^ Tuesdays & Thursdays, 11:00 AM Preschool Storytime ^ Tuesdays, 4:00 PM Onesies (and Twosies) % Wednesdays, 10:00 AM	Parent/Child Book Group Wednesday, April 12, 6:00 PM <i>for ages 10-13</i> Main Library Curious George Room BOUDREAU BRANCH Storytime Mondays, 10:30 AM Sing-Along Wednesdays, 10:30 AM CENTRAL SQ. BRANCH Storytime Wednesdays, 10:30 AM Sing-Along & Storytime Thursdays, 10:30 AM	Afternoon Crafts Wednesdays, 4:00 PM O'CONNELL BRANCH Toddler Sing Tuesdays, 10:30 AM & Wednesdays, 11:00 AM Afterschool Crafts Thursdays, 3:30 PM Songs and Stories in Spanish/Cuentos y Canciones en Español Fridays, 3:00 PM Family Reading Night Tuesday, April 25, 6:30 PM <i>for all ages</i> Bring a pillow! Share your favorite books!	Book Group for Upper-schoolers Tuesday, April 4, 3:00 PM NEW! For Grades 6-8 Meet new friends! Read new books! O'NEILL BRANCH Toddler Sing Mondays, 10:30 AM Preschool Storytime Thursdays, 11:00 AM Books and Bites Wednesday, April 5, 6:00 PM
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* Main Library Children's program tickets are available to complete parties on a first-come, first-served basis on the day of the program.
Age Ranges Baby Lapsit: Pre-walkers Onesies: Walking babies Toddler: 0–3 Preschool: 3–5 Afterschool: 5–10
Capacities # 130 ^ 45 % 30