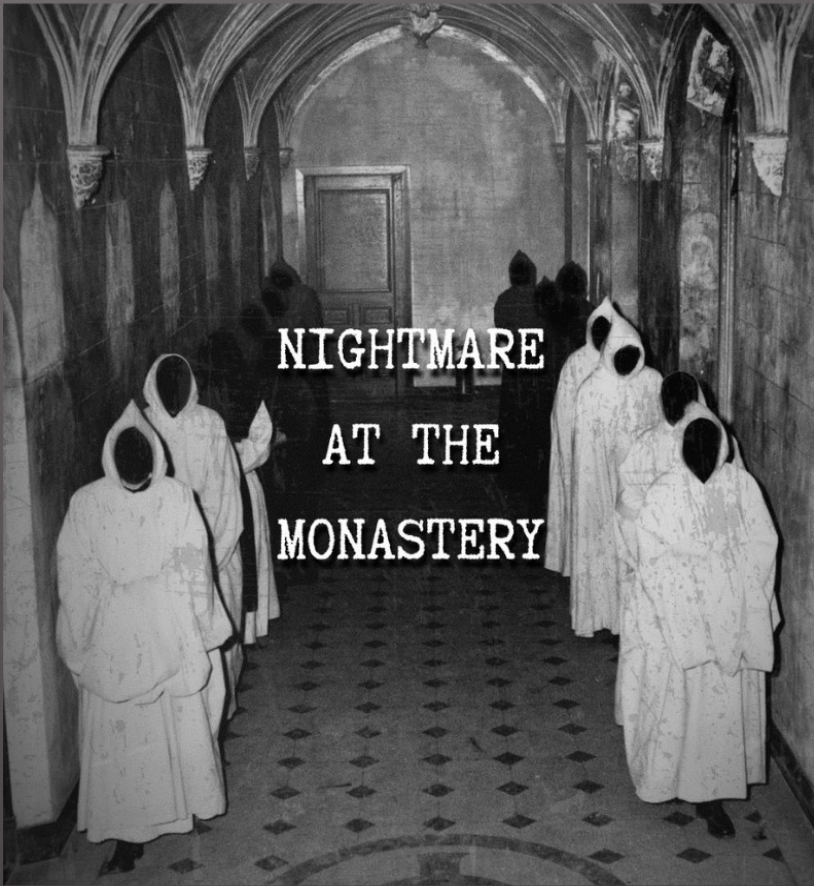


JOIN US, IF YOU DARE...

Staff Picks



NIGHTMARE
AT THE
MONASTERY

Join us for the library's first haunted house -- a limited one night only event!

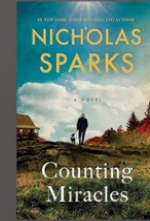
This haunted house is designed to be scary and is not recommended for children under the age of 14. Attend at your own risk. October 26th from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED - Sign up for timed slots opens on October 12th.

ARTIST OF THE MONTH
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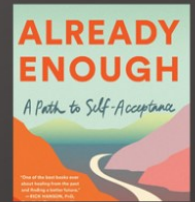
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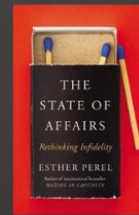
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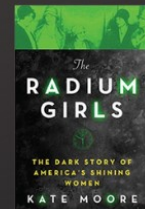
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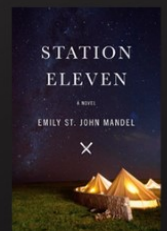
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ADULT PROGRAMS

Featured Events

Canva Design Class

Tuesday, October 1st, 6:30 pm

Join us this month to learn how to create professional looking designs using the free graphic design website, Canva.

Participants must bring a laptop, mobile phone, or tablet and should create a Canva.com account prior to the class. Space is limited. Registration required.

Family Picture Day

Saturday, October 12, from 10 to 2

Have you been wanting a family picture for your holiday cards or a memento taken by a professional photographer? This is your chance! Local photographer Nate Andre will be with us today to take family photos with a Fall background. Space is limited and on a first come first serve basis.

Organizing for Stress Free Holidays (VIRTUAL)

Tuesday, October 22nd, 6:30 pm

Join Kristin Carcieri-MacRae for an informative and motivating presentation to learn ways to get organized and reduce your stress this holiday season.

Hiking New England

Wednesday, October 23rd, 6:30 pm

Join author Jeff Romano for a slideshow presentation highlighting hiking opportunities throughout New England. The presentation will also include information on New England wildflowers, birds, wildlife, history, and conservation success stories.

Retire with Joy

Monday, October 28th, 6:30 pm

Local life coach Roberta Gregoire joins us to talk about the nonfinancial aspects of retirement planning, why they are important, and what you can start doing now to plan for your own retirement, whether you are a few years away, or already retired.

Crafts, Hobbies, and Food Programs

Cooking with Lynne

Wednesday, October 16th

This month, Lynne will show us how to make butternut squash soup. The video will be released on the library's YouTube channel at <https://www.youtube.com/CumberLib>

The Northern Rhode Island Art Group

Wednesday, October 16th, 10:00 am

Artists of any medium are welcome to join this group. Members discuss their current artworks and a different theme each month. This month's theme is **SPIRITS**.

Crafternoon: Pinecone Flowers

Saturday, October 5th, 1:30 pm

This month we are creating beautiful "flowers" by painting pinecones! Ages 18+. Space is limited. Registration required.

Grab & Go Kits: Mini Flowerpot Gnomes

Kits released on October 28th

The Adult Grab & Go Kit of the month is Halloween Spider Soap! The main materials required to create this craft are included. Ages 18+. Space is limited. Registration required.



Book Discussion Groups

Evening Book Discussion Group

Monday, October 21st, 6:30 pm

Mad Honey by Jodi Picoult and Jennifer Finney Boylan

Morning Book Discussion Group

Wednesday, October 9th, 10:00 am

Defending Jacob by William Landay

Stephen King Book and Movie Club

Tuesday, October 15th, 6:30 pm

Black House

Other Worlds Book Club

Tuesday, October 22nd, 6:30 pm

The Invisible Library by Genevieve Cogman



TEEN LIBRARY

ACTIVITIES

OCTOBER

Teen activities at the library are for youth in grades 6-12 or ages 12-18. Some events may require registration. To register please visit our website.



Programs:



Teen Black Cat Scavenger Hunt

All month long join us for our black cat scavenger hunt! Find the numbered cat pictures around the teen section then bring us your filled in scavenger hunt sheet to claim some black cat stickers!

Halloween Wreaths 10/8 6pm

Come make a Halloween wreath with us! Supplies are limited so sign up is suggested!

Movie Night: Tarot 10/10 5:30pm

Every month we try to put on a movie in the Teen Center for your enjoyment. In this month's movie follow a group of friends who recklessly violate the sacred rule of Tarot readings as they unknowingly unleash an unspeakable evil trapped within the cursed cards. One by one, they come face to face with fate and end up in a race against death. Please note this movie is PG-13 and is held in the Teen Center so attendees must be teens in the 13-18 range.

Tarot Reading 10/12 2-4pm

Local tarot reader Alessandra Grima is back for her third year of Teen Tarot Reading. Readings are for teens in grades 6-12. Sign up is required. Please sign up on our website as we will have limited slots for this event!

Teen Volunteers Club 10/16 5pm

Current volunteers and those interested in joining our volunteer program, join us for our Library Volunteer Club. We meet monthly to reset the Teen Center, prep programs, and use the dreaded button maker.

Pride Ghosts 10/24 5pm

Come hang out and paint a cute canvas ghost in front of the pride flag of your choice!

Ghost Hunt Lock In 10/25 9pm-12am

Join the teen staff and volunteers to go on our third annual ghost hunt! Use our ghost hunting equipment and explore the entire library at night. Learn about the history and maybe see if you can see something from beyond. Registration and guardian-signed permission slips are required. This is an after hours event and will be teens only.

Crafty Teens Social Club 10/29 6pm

Join us for our Crafty Teens Social Club! Come do some crafts with us, socialize with your friends and other teens! For October we are painting ceramic Halloween ornaments!

Trick or Treat 10/31 -Teen Desk

Teens!! Come show us your Halloween costumes in exchange for a trick or treat bag containing a book, some small prizes, and some candy!

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CUMBERLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY CHILDREN'S ROOM NEWS

OCTOBER 2024

IT'S GETTING CREEPY IN HERE! A CREEPY CARROTS CELEBRATION



Every where you look, it's getting creepy! Creepy carrots, creepy crayons, and even creepy underwear have infested the children's room!

Enjoy some creepy coloring pages while you visit!

Starting 10/7, take a Creepy Photo with the Creepy Characters (if you dare!)

Storytimes will be extra CREEPY the week of 10/14 (only gently so).

Hunt for the Creepy Carrots in the children's room starting 10/14!



Weekly Storytimes are back!



Our schedule runs as follows:

Tuesdays at 10 AM: Babies & Books

For birth-23 months. Children's Room. No registration required! Runs October 8th thru Nov 12th

Wednesdays at 6:30 PM: Sunset Storytime

For all ages. Children's Room. No registration required! Runs October 9th thru Nov 13th.

Thursdays at 10 AM: Family Storytime

For all ages. Children's Room . No registration required! Runs October 10th thru Nov 14th.

Saturday Storytime is back! at 10 AM

For all ages, in the Children's Room. No registration required! Runs October 12th thru Nov 16th.

Storytimes run weekly in six week sessions. Please keep an eye out on our event calendar, website and/or social media for storytime cancellations due to illness or bad weather.

Chess for Kids

Tuesday, 10/8 from 6:30-7:30 PM
For kids ages 6-12.
Children's Program Room.

Arjun and Sai visit once a month to help new and seasoned chess players with their strategical skills. Registration is required due to limited space. Sign up at our website.



Book Clubs



Comic Book Club: on Thursday,
October 10 at 6:30 PM

Rhodey Readers: on Thursday,
October 24th at 6:30 PM

Kids book clubs run once a month. We read graphic novels at Comic Book Club and chapter books for Rhodey Readers. Both clubs are for kids in 3rd-5th grades.

Registration is required and opens a month before the club date. To register, visit the children's desk at the library to pick up a book. Limited new books to keep are provided by the Friends of the Library. Other readers can borrow a library copy. Read the book before the meeting, for there will be spoilers!

Room on the Broom

Monday, October 21 from 4:30-5:30
Ages 3 and up with a caregiver.
Children's Program Room.

Celebrate Julia Donaldson's beloved witchy adventure with a storytime, crafts, and a short movie. Wear your witchy attire! Registration is required as space is limited.

KIDS VOTE TOO: President Who??

Clifford the Big Red Dog and Curious George are running for President of the Children's Room! Learn about the importance of voting in your local elections with our cuddly candidates. Activities begin when early voting opens in RI on October 16th! Kids can "register" to vote, promote their preferred candidate, watch the debate, and place their vote! Keep an eye out for more, Clifford or George 2024!

Monday Mornings with Molly

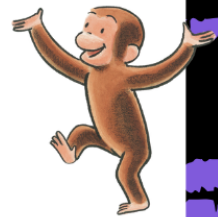
10/7 and 10/21 from 10-10:30 AM

Molly the Black Lab will be visiting the children's room. Molly is a therapy dog who helps kids get used to dogs and learn how to be gentle with animals. Drop in to meet her!

Paws to Read

Saturday, 10/19
11AM - 12 PM or 2-3 PM
For independent readers up to age 12.

Practice reading to a gentle pet therapy dog! This program runs in 15 minute slots. *Register ahead!*





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THIS MONTH
OCTOBER

Did you know...?

In the month of October, Stop & Shop on Mendon Road is selling reusable Community Bags. Each purchase of the shopping bag for \$2.50 will donate \$1.00 to the Cumberland Library Fund. Get a great reusable bag that is good for the environment and help out the Library at the same time!



LIBRARY HOURS

Mon - Thur.

9:00-8:00

Friday & Saturday

9:00-5:00

Sundays:

11:00-2:00

Closed:

October 14th



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