

AINSWORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY

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SPECIAL BIRTHDAY STORYTIME

Visit us for a special storytime with our friendly Library Clerk Glen in celebration of his birthday! The theme will be "Birthday" and we will have stories, cake and a craft.



BOOK DONATIONS

The library is very limited in what it can take in for donations because of storage constraints. In addition, the Friends of the Library are no longer accepting donations for their annual book sale. With this in mind, our book donation acceptance policy has recently changed. Donations of gently used items will be accepted on a case by case basis. We prefer 6-8 donated items at a time. Exceptions may be made on a case by case basis after discussion with the Library Director. You must make an appointment with the Library Director to bring in your items. You can do so by calling the library 433-5887 or emailing Williamstownvtlibrarian@gmail.com. What happens to the items you donate? They may be added to the library's collection, used for the summer/winter reading program as prizes or put on our sale shelf at the library. You may find a detailed list of what we do not accept as well as more information about our book donation policy on our website www.ainsworthlibrary.org. Thank you for your donations!

FEEDBACK WANTED

We want to hear from you! Help your library serve you and the community by filling out our brief survey (5 minutes or less). It's a great opportunity to provide feedback, learn about services and programs, and suggest improvements. The survey will remain open until Feb. 15, 2020. Find the survey on our website: <https://ainsworthpubliclibrary.org/>. Thank you for taking the time to participate and help us serve you better!



MANY THANKS!

Have you noticed that our circulation desk is looking a little neater? A little clearer? A bit shinier? Well a big part of that is because of a donation we received for the nice piece of glass that now sits on top of the library's front desk. Thanks to Tim Lanctot, our event posters are more organized and easier to read. Tim, we really appreciate your generous gift!



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SENIOR BOOK GROUP



The Senior Book Group meets the first Tuesday of every month at The Gardens in Williamstown at 4pm. The group is open to anyone and is free. You do not need to belong to the library to participate. Join us for lively discussions, shared stories and light refreshments. The Gardens is located 2844 VT-14, Williamstown, VT 05679 across from the Pump and Pantry. You can stop in the library and get your copy of the upcoming book prior to our meeting. You do not need to register, just show up! Join in on the lively discussion sure to be had about Jodi Picoult's Small Great Things on Tuesday, February 4th at 4pm at the Gardens.

TOWN MEETING



It's coming and we will be there! Look for our informational table at Town Meeting on Tuesday March 3rd, at 10am at WMHS. We hope to see you there!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Saturday, February 1st 10am

Fiber Arts Group

Tuesday, February 4th at 4pm

Senior Book Group at the Gardens

Friday, February 7th at 11am

Board of Trustees Meeting

Saturday, February 8th 12pm- 1pm

Special Birthday Storytime

Saturday, February 15th

Last Day to Sign Up for Winter Challenge

Monday, February 17th

Library CLOSED for President's Day

Saturday, February 22 2-6pm

Spiritual Bookgroup

Happy Presidents Day



We're closed for the holiday



WINTER READING PROGRAM

Our Winter Reading Program is in full swing. Remember to stop in regularly for new challenges and to get the tickets you've earned from your reading!