



Richard Salter Storrs Library
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Library Hours

Monday–Thursday 9–8
 Friday 9–5
 Saturday 9–4

What's Happening in Adult Next Week at Storrs Library

Dates: July 24–July 30, 2022

Art Exhibit

Visit Storrs Library to view artist Noreen Acconcio's exhibit "Celebrating Art and Nature" in the Betty Ann Low Meeting Room. Enjoy pastel and watercolor paintings of flowers, landscapes, seascapes, animals, and more during the month of July. Please visit anytime the room is not in use.

Community Donation Drive

The Richard Salter Storrs Library will partner with the Longmeadow Parks and Recreation Summer Camp to collect items of need for campers. Items needed include towels, sunblock, water shoes, goggles, and backpacks. Items will be collected in the Storrs Library lobby from June 13 until August 13.

Summer Reading Program

Register online for the 2022 Adult Summer Program "Read Beyond the Beaten Path."

Adults earn Summer Tickets by checking out items, attending programs, using our computers, browsing our collection, reading the newspaper, etc. Tickets are available at the Front Desk and may be used to enter our Summer Gift Basket Raffles or to purchase a small treat. Summer Gift Baskets will be raffled off on August 13, so make sure your tickets are submitted by August 12.

[Read More/Register](#)

The 2022 Statewide Summer Reading Program is sponsored by the Storrs Library, The Massachusetts Regional Library System, the Boston Bruins, & the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

Adult Programs

Writers Group

Monday, July 25, 9:30–11:00



You're invited to join the Weekly Writing Group!

The Writers Group is a welcoming place to share and grow as a writer while being listened to and supported. Each week members share a page or two of their writing from that week and then join in a ten minutes writing exercise with sharing and discussion afterwards.

The Writers Group meets every Monday at 9:30 am on the second floor of the library. This group is intended for adults.

Town of Iron Toys

Tuesday, July 26, 6:30–7:30

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Betty Ann Low Meeting Room



Mechanical banks were extremely popular in America between the Civil War and World War II. People of all ages enjoyed the spring-loaded action that resulted from depositing a coin into these iron amusements. For more than a century, the J. & E. Stevens Company of Cromwell, CT was the world's leading developer and producer of mechanical banks. Richard Franklin DONOHUE will give a presentation exploring the history and work of this visionary company and give a presentation with original banks.

[Read More/Register](#)

Register in Advance. This program sponsored by the Friends of Storrs Library.

Bocce on the Lawn

Wednesday, July 27, 11:00–12:00

Join us for Bocce on the Lawn this summer! Every Wednesday morning at 11:00. No Experience Necessary.

This program is for Adults. Please Register in Advance!

Program will be cancelled if it rains.

BOCCE *on the Lawn*

Wednesdays @ 11:00

Registration Required: Adults
No Experience Necessary

June: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
July: 6, 13, 20, 27
August: 3, 10, 17, 24




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Mahjong

Wednesday, July 27, 5:45–7:45



MAHJONG CLUB

THE LAST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH
5:45-7:45



Interested in playing Mahjong regularly? Join us at Storrs library on the last Wednesday of every month! This is a non instructional game, please bring your 2022 card.

Space is limited so please sign up in advance

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Author Talk With Katherine Sherbrooke

Wednesday, July 27, 6:30–7:30




FIRESIDE CHATS

AUTHOR KATHERINE SHERBROOKE

Katherine A. Sherbrooke is the author of *Leaving Coy's Hill*, *Finding Home*, a family memoir, and *Fill the Sky*, the winner of a 2017 Independent Press Award and finalist for the Mary Sarton Award for Contemporary Fiction and the Foreward Indies Book of the Year. She currently serves as Chair of the Board of the GrubStreet creative writing center in Boston and lives south of the city with her family.

JOIN US JULY 27 6:30-7:30

How did Susan B. Anthony's mentor get written out of history? Come hear Katherine Sherbrooke discuss her extraordinary new novel, *Leaving Coy's Hill*, inspired by the life of abolitionist, pioneering feminist, and Massachusetts native, Lucy Stone. A *New York Times* 2021 summer reading pick, *Leaving Coy's Hill* has been called "propulsive," and "deeply relevant," as it "beautifully imagines" the life of "the heroine we all need right now."



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Cricut Club

Thursday, July 28, 6:30–7:30



Join us for this month's Cricut Club led by local craft guru Laura Bairos. We will be working with acrylic and vinyl to create a completed project for you to take home.

If you have your own weeding tools please bring them, otherwise we have spares to share.

This program is intended for adults. Register in advance as space is limited.

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Dungeons & Dragons Campaign

Saturday, July 30, 10:00–1:00



Join us for our first full DnD Campaign! Really become one with your character and complete some quests with a new crew of fearless adventurers.

Advanced registration is required. At this time our campaigns are intended for adults.

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