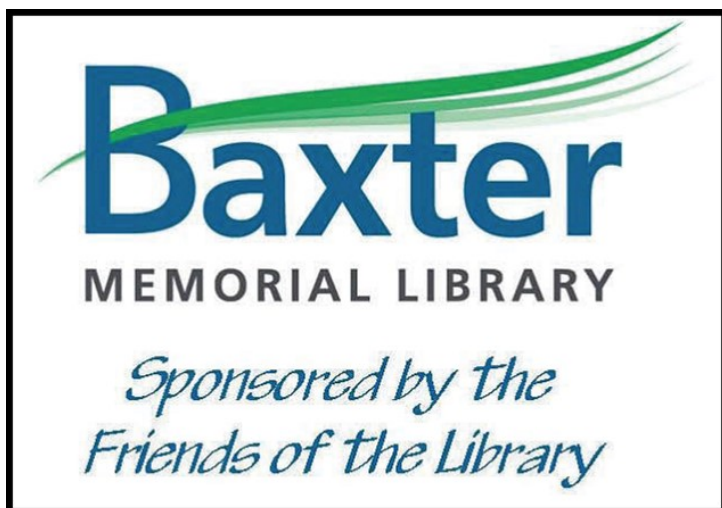




April Greetings from Baxter Memorial Library!!



Unicorn Yoga Tuesday, April 13th 9:30am



Attention Unicorn Lovers! Pearl the Unicorn (pssst it's actually Ms. Sam the Children's Librarian at Windham Public Library) will be visiting Youth Services Librarian Ms. Heidi at Baxter Memorial Library. Ms. Heidi will read the book Unicorn Yoga while she and Pearl demonstrate the moves for you! You can find the program on Facebook on or after April 13th at 9:30am.

*Visit the library to pick up a make your own unicorn headband kit so that you too can do Unicorn Yoga with Ms. Sam (aka Pearl) and Ms. Heidi!



It's Spring! Time to dust off our Let's Move in Libraries Packs. The packs are inspired by the National Let's Move in Libraries project that focuses on supporting health and wellness with physical activity in public libraries. Youth Services Librarian, Heidi Whelan is on the national advisory board for Let's Move in Libraries and has worked to incorporate movement into Baxter Memorial Library's discovery times and other programs. To further this work we are now offering backpacks available for checkout that contain everything you'd need to do yoga at home, bird watching, and dog training.

Zoom Book Club!

Thursday, April 8th *The Muralist* by Barbara Shapiro
Thursday, April 22nd *Ordinary Girls* by Jaquira Diaz

All discussions are held at 10am.
Please email nflanagan@gorham.me.us
for the Zoom link.

Virtual STEAM with Ms. Deb

Egg Muffins-Wednesday, April 7th 10am – In this program, join us to make egg muffins. They're easy to make, tasty, and good to have on-hand in the freezer. The possibilities are endless -- mix in cheese, broccoli, peppers, ham, tofu, whatever you have!

Suspension Bridge-Wednesday, April 14th 10am – In today's activity, we'll learn a bit about basic engineering and use some of our own creativity to build a suspension bridge.

Make Your Own Board Game-Wednesday, April 28th 10am – In this program, we'll design our own board games, using everyday objects from the house and nature. Bring your math skills, your creativity, and your sense of adventure! Let's get ready to play!



April Vacation with Youth Services



Chewonki Virtual Tour-Tuesday, April 20th 10am – The Behind the Scenes Tour shows the basic layout of the wildlife center and gives some general information of our place and purpose as a part of the Chewonki community. We talk briefly about the care and maintenance of our animal ambassadors, and get one or a few animals out of their enclosures to introduce on camera, telling their personal stories of what led them to be in our care, and answering a few questions regarding them. All ages. **Please register on our website under the Youth Services tab to receive the Zoom link for this awesome program!**

Spring Scavenger Hunt-Wednesday, April 21st 10am – Join Mr. Jeff on Facebook for a Spring Scavenger Hunt. Enjoy watching Mr. Jeff traversing the trails of Shaw Park looking for spring themed items, including blooming flowers, new leaves on trees, singing birds, and more! Want to try to find all the items on his list for yourself? Visit our website (on or after April 21st) to download a digital file to print off at home or save to your device. This is a great school vacation week activity for your family!



Solar Oven-Thursday, April 22nd 10am – Ms. Deb is excited to celebrate Earth Day with you, and she's even more excited to make solar ovens! You'll learn a bit about the science behind solar energy and then put your knowledge to the test as you use some basic household items (including a recycled pizza box) to cook actual food. Will you bake a potato, warm up a leftover slice of pizza, or try solar s'mores? The possibilities are endless! Join us on Facebook for some fun!



Garden Creature w/ Ms. Dani-Friday, April 23rd 10am – Visit Baxter Memorial Library to pick up supplies to create your own garden creature. Packet includes a container, soil, grass seeds and googly eyes. After the “hair” grows you can style it with scissors into the wildest new creature at your house!

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
KEY: Adult Program Youth/Family Program *=Please register			1 9:30am Toddler Discovery Time	2	3
5	6 9:30am Preschool Discovery Time	7 10am Virtual STEAM-Egg Muffin	8 9:30am Toddler Discovery Time	9	10
12	13 9:30am Unicorn Yoga	14 10am Virtual STEAM- Suspension Bridge	15 9:30am Toddler Discovery Time	16	17
19 CLOSED FOR PATRIOT'S DAY	20 10am Chewonki Virtual Tour *	21 10am Spring Scavenger Hunt	22 10am Solar Oven	23 10am Garden Creature w/ Ms. Dani	24
26	27 9:30am Preschool Discovery Time	28 10am Virtual STEAM-Make Your Own Board Game	29 9:30am Toddler Discovery Time	30	

For an update on our events, please visit our online calendar at www.baxterlibrary.org or call 222-1190 for more information.