



FEBRUARY GREETINGS FROM BAXTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY!

Snow Obstacle Course

Tuesday, February 22nd 10am

Join Youth Services librarians as we slip, slide, run, jump, crawl, and balance our way through a snowy maze of obstacles. This is an all ages event.



Ice Castles

Wednesday, February 23rd 10am

We will be building ice sculptures on the library lawn! Please start saving plastic and paper containers (like juice and milk cartons) from your recycling to freeze colored water in. You can use big plastic mixing bowls, plastic storage containers, yogurt containers, etc. All you need is a container with water and food coloring

that you store in your freezer. Bring your frozen building materials with you in a cooler to the event. The library will make as much colored ice as we can but would appreciate everybody pitching in with some ice from home. This is an all ages event.

Youth Services has added two new fitness kits to our Let's Move in Libraries collection. The fitness kits include: a speed and agility ladder, a beaded jump rope, a skip ball, a stopwatch, and a fitness log. Patrons can check out the new fitness kits in addition to the kits that we currently circulate that contain everything you need to do yoga at home, bird watching, and dog training.

Don't forget that you can also check out our telescope to view the beautiful night sky or our metal detector to search for treasure.



Book Club!

Thursday, February 3rd

The Boys in the Boat

by Daniel James Brown

We will meet at 10:00am via Zoom – email Nissa at nflanagan@gorham.me.us to receive the link.

All are welcome!

Snow Pant Story Time – Tuesdays at 10am

Grab your snow pants and join Ms. Heidi and Mr. Jeff for a brrrrilliant outdoor story time that features stories, singing, dancing and playing! We encourage all participants to come prepared for our chilly Maine weather by layering, wearing hats, gloves or mittens, and maybe even a blanket to cover your laps. “Do you want to build a snowman...”





CloudLibrary and
Comics Plus



Deep winter is a great time to explore Baxter’s collection from the comfort of your own home. There are two ways to read online using your Baxter Library Card: CloudLibrary and Comics Plus. Have your library card ready and “check out” our online offerings!

CloudLibrary is a collection of downloadable ebooks and audiobooks for children through adults. It works on phones, tablets, and computers and we add new titles all the time! From leveled early readers to popular graphic novels, from the classics to current bestsellers, CloudLibrary has a wide selection of books for everyone. Ebooks can make reading easier on your eyes, because you can easily adjust the size of the type, the background color of the page, and the brightness. If you’re not already a fan of audiobooks, you might find yourself surprised at how much literature you can add to your week when you listen while you drive, clean, or walk!

Comics Plus is a newer addition to Baxter’s online collection, containing thousands of graphic novels and serialized comics for adults and children. Like CloudLibrary, Comics Plus works great on phones, tablets, and computers, but has the added bonus of unlimited checkouts and no wait lists!

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14	15 10am Snow Pant Story Time (ages 2-5)	16	17	18	19
21 CLOSED FOR PRESIDENTS’ DAY	22 10am Snow Obstacle Course (all ages)	23 10am Ice Castles (all ages)	24	25	26
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For an update on our events, please visit our online calendar at www.baxterlibrary.org or call 222-1190 for more information.