

June 2017

Librarian's Report

Bradford Public Library

Programs:

French Conversation

1st and 3rd Thursdays

4 PM, Bradford Public Library

French Conversation has picked back up for the summer and is looking for more participants.

Poetry Circle

1st Wednesday

4 PM Bradford Public Library

Make Music VT, Bradford - June 21, Bradford Public Library

One duo will be on the steps of Bradford Public Library

Tom Livingston Holly and the Handpan

3:45-4:00 4:15-4:30

Full venue for this World Music Day will be posted around town.

Community Listening

Tuesday evenings of June

Strategic discussion series aimed at listening.

Historic Houses of Bradford

June 19, 6:30 PM Bradford Public Library

A presentation about historic homes in Bradford and their architecture, prepared by the Vermont Division of Historic Preservation. There are 112 entries compiled by Carson Anderson and Gna Campoli, during the period of 1979-1982. Devin A. Colman, the State Architectural Historian, will add his expertise to this event. John Fatherley, a member of the Bradford Historical Society, will make this presentation and will have copies of this study available to the public.

June 1 ~ VELI STEM Engineering workshop for child care providers. Participants received Northern Lights professional development certification hours, free books and materials for licensed centers. Fourteen providers attended, gained new information on STEM implementation and Common Core standards. All materials and librarian instructor training supported by the VELI STEM grant, Vermont Center for the Book and the VT Dept of Libraries

Friday~ Preschool Story Hour 10 AM

June 2~ 1st Friday Spanish Story Hour with Louisa Lindsley and Annual BES Kindergarten visit

Valley Cooperative Preschool visits Story Hour Bi-Monthly

June 30~ CLiF Kick Off to Summer Reading!

BPL received Summer Readers grant to include children's book author presentation and free book giveaway.

Thursday Teen Gaming Club is growing! 4:00 – 6:00 pm (usually stay until closing!)

Now playing the card game *Magic the Gathering*

Summer Reading Program

Beginning June 30th with the CLiF presentation. Author visit /Free Book Giveaway

Tuesdays ~ children ages 5+

This years' theme *Build a Better World* program will include weekly STEM based building activities, Techno-music (Makey-Makey) with Heidi Allen, SKETCH design with Edith Fogarty, VT PuppeTree and more!

Thursdays ~ Bradford Young Makers Club (BYMC) ages 11-14 yrs / entering grades 5-7

Duplicate sessions on Wednesday AND Thursdays for 6 weeks - July 19-August 24.

Wednesday will be girls only and Thursdays will be co-ed.

THANK YOU AWESOME ADULT VOLUNTEERS - Jean Carlan, Monique Priestley, Arvid Johnson and Amadon Hadley

Summer Food Service

Lunches will again be available at BPL to children under 18 yrs on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Fridays. We are looking for a volunteer to pick up a cooler from Oxbow HS and deliver to BPL before noon on these days. Please let Gail know if you are able to help.