

# May 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <p>For more information, please visit <a href="http://www.SouthPortlandLibrary.com">www.SouthPortlandLibrary.com</a></p> <p><i>All programs are at the Main Library unless otherwise noted</i></p>  		<p>1</p> <p>Baby Builders: 10:30 am iMake: 3:30 pm KnitChat: 6:00 pm</p> 	<p>2</p> <p>Spanish Language Group: 10:00 am Toddle Town: 10:30 am LEGOs in the Library: 3:30 pm</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Betsy Ross House Book Group: 1:30 pm Acting Up! 3:00-4:00 pm &amp; 4:15-5:15 pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p>KnitChat: 10:00 am Letter Zoo: 10:30 am</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Writers' Group: 2:00 pm</p> 
<p>6</p> <p>Flash Story Time 2-4 pm Branch Library</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Branch Library Open</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Baby Builders: 10:30 am iMake: 3:30 pm KnitChat: 6:00 pm</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Spanish Language Group: 10:00 am Toddle Town: 10:30 am LEGOs in the Library: 3:30 pm</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Acting Up! 3:00-4:00 pm &amp; 4:15-5:15 pm Evening Book Group: 6:30 pm</p>	<p>11</p> <p>KnitChat: 10:00 am Letter Zoo: 10:30 am</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Author Talk with James Schaaf: 10:30 am Mother's Day Story Time &amp; Craft: 10:30 am After Hours Concert with Hadacol Bouncers: 7:00 pm</p>
<p>13</p> <p>Flash Story Time 2-4 pm, Branch Library</p> 	<p>14</p> <p>Branch Library Open</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Baby Builders: 10:30 am Morning Book Group: 10:30 am KnitChat: 6:00 pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Spanish Language Group: 10:00 am Toddle Town: 10:30 am Genealogy Group: 1-3 pm LEGOs in the Library: 3:30 pm</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Starlight Stories: 6:30 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p>KnitChat: 10:00 am Letter Zoo: 10:30 am</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Construct &amp; Create: 10:30 am Game On! Board Games: 1-3 pm Writers' Group: 2:00 pm</p>
<p>20</p> <p>Flash Story Time 2-4 pm Branch Library</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Branch Library Open</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Baby Builders: 10:30 am Life 101: 10:30 am KnitChat: 6:00 pm</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Spanish Language Group: 10:00 am Toddle Town: 10:30 am LEGOs: 3:30 pm</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Socrates Café: 6:30 pm Starlight Stories: 6:30 pm</p>	<p>25</p> <p>KnitChat: 10:00 am Letter Zoo: 10:30 am</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Artsy Afternoon: 1-3 pm <i>Pre-registration required</i></p>
<p>27</p> <p>Flash Story Time 2-4 pm Branch Library</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Branch Library Closed</p> 	<p>29</p> <p>Baby Builders: 10:30 am KnitChat: 6:00 pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Spanish Language Group: 10:00 am Toddle Town: 10:30 am LEGOs: 3:30 pm</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Book Bambinos: 10:30 am Starlight Stories: 6:30 pm</p>		

# MAY EVENTS & PROGRAMS

## Kids' Programs & Events

**Flash Story Time** Stop by the Branch Library on Sundays between 2 and 4 p.m. to hear stories and sing a song! Fun for all ages.

**Baby Builders** Duplos, play and socializing for ages 0-4 yrs. Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.

**Toddle Town** Songs, stories, bounces, & movement for ages 1-3. Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

**LEGOs in the Library** Build, play, create and socialize! We supply LEGOs, you supply the creativity! Ages 5+. Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m.

**Book Bambinos** Songs, rhymes, books, & bounces. For ages 0-18 mo. Thursdays at 10:30 a.m.

**Starlight Stories** Pajama story time! Songs and stories for all ages. Every Thursday at 6:30 p.m., starting May 17.

**Letter Zoo** Stories and songs for ages 3-5. Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

### Special Events

**Mother's Day Story Time and Craft** Celebrate moms with special stories and a craft! Fun for all ages! **Sat., May 12 at 10:30 a.m.** This program will take place upstairs in the Gallery Space at the Main Library.

**Construct & Create** Build with LEGOs, Duplos, Lincoln Logs, toothpicks and gumdrops, Brain Flakes and more at this special program! We'll have fun building challenges for **all ages**, or you can create your own designs! **Sat., May 19 at 10:30 a.m.**

**Game On!** The library's board game program with Diversions Games & Puzzles continues on **Sat., May 19 from 1-3 p.m.** Games and instruction on how to play will be provided! All ages welcome!



## Teen Programs & Events

**iMake** Come make cool stuff and learn new skills by making a different project each week. **Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m.** at the Main Library. **Ages 10-18. Note: iMake will be taking a break for the second half of May.** We will resume in June! Stay tuned for more information.

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## SPPL Adult Book Discussions



**The Radium Girls** by Kate Moore  
THURSDAY, MAY 3 AT 1:30 P.M.  
Meets at the **Betsy Ross House**. Open to the public.

**Smoke** by Dan Vyleta AND/OR  
**Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children**  
by Ransom Riggs  
THURSDAY, MAY 10 AT 6:30 P.M.  
Meets at the **Main Library**.



**Before the Fall** by Noah Hawley  
TUESDAY, MAY 15 AT 10:30 AM  
Meets at the **Main Library**.

**Reclaiming Conversation** by Sherry Turkle  
TUESDAY, MAY 22 AT 10:30 A.M.  
Meets at the **Main Library**.



## Events for Adults

*At the Main Library*

**Writers' Group** The 1st and 3rd Saturdays of every month at 2:00 p.m. Open to all genres and abilities. Bring a sample to share or just come to listen.

**Socrates Café**— Socrates Cafe is an opportunity for ordinary people to wrestle with the 'Big Questions' in a facilitated, volunteer-led discussion. **4th Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.**

**KnitChat** An open knitting group for all ages and abilities. **Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. and Fridays at 10:00 a.m.**

**Genealogy Group** The library's genealogy group meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month from 1-3 p.m. Spend time researching, sharing tips, and learning about your ancestry.

**Spanish Group** A conversation group at the Main Library every Wed. at 10 a.m. Improve your Spanish while discussing practical topics. All levels welcome!

**Author Talk with James Vander Schaaf** Join local woodworker and author James Vander Schaaf as he discusses his book, *An Adventure in the Art of Woodworking: Quickly Learn the Basics*. **Sat., May 12 at 10:30 a.m.**

**After Hours with Hadacol Bouncers** Join us at the Main Library for Chicago and New Orleans style jazz and swing tunes with the Hadacol Bouncers! **Sat., May 12 at 7:00 p.m.**

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**Artsy Afternoon** Project TBA. **Sat., May 26 from 1-3 p.m.** . Registration is required, so please sign up in advance. **Ages 18+.**



**Main Library**  
482 Broadway  
767-7660



**HOURS**  
Tuesday 10-8  
Wednesday 10-8  
Thursday 10-8  
Friday 10-6  
Saturday 10-6  
Closed Sunday & Monday



**Branch Library**  
155 Wescott Rd.  
775-1835

**HOURS**  
Sunday 12-5  
Monday 10-8  
Wednesday 2-6  
Friday 2-6  
Closed Tuesday, Thursday,  
& Saturday