**GREAT BEGINNINGS BOOK CLUB**

Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month @ 7:30 PM  
Moderated by John Donaldson

This group is always looking for members. To join, stop by the library & pick up a copy of the next book.

January 14th - *Circe* by Madeline Miller  
February 11th - *Machines Like Me* by Ian McEwan  
March 10th - *The Great Alone* by Kristen Hannah  
April 14th - *The Talented Mr. Ripley* by Patricia Highsmith

**CONTEMPORARY CLASSICS BOOK CLUB**

Meets 3rd Thursday of each month @ 12 NOON  
Moderated by Louise Pedrick

An open group that is always looking for new members! To join, please stop by the library & pick up a copy of the next book.

January 16th - *Goldfinch* by Donna Tart  
February 20th - *The Reliable Wife* by Robert Goolrick  
March 19th - *Ordinary Grace* by Kent Kruger  
April 16th - *Harry’s Trees* by John Cohen

**GENEALOGY CLUB**

Meets on the Last Thursday of the month @ 6:30 - 7:30 PM  
Receive research assistance from professional genealogist, Jill Lemaster-Moore and learn new techniques from members and guest speakers. Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

**BIRDING & CLIMATE CHANGE**

Thursday, January 23rd @ 6:30 PM  
Global warming poses an existential threat to 2/3’s of North American bird species - but there is still time to protect them. This program discusses factors affecting bird populations and what we can do as citizens to help our feathered friends and fight Climate Change if we act now.

Space is limited. Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

This program is sponsored by the OC Audubon Society.

**OUR ENVIRONMENT**

If the library is closed or has a delayed opening due to inclement weather, it will be announced on the library’s answering machine. Please call (845)496-5483 to be sure.
TEEN TIME

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD
For Teens in Grades 7 - 12
Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays @ 4 PM 1/13, 2/5 & 3/2
(snow dates 1/15, 2/10 & 3/11)
Stop by the Library today to pick up an Application!
For more info contact Emily Kinney at: ekinney@rcis.org

NERF CAPTURE THE FLAG
Friday, February 7th @ 6:30–8:00 PM
(snow date 2/14)
Beat the winter doldrums with an afterhours game of Capture the Flag. Bring your friends and your Nerf guns if you have them! For teens grades 6-12.
Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

TEEN KNITTING CLUB
Tuesdays @ 3:30 PM-1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18 & 2/25
Learn to knit your own hooded scarf! Participants will need to bring: 2 skeins of medium weight yarn and US size 13 knitting needles. For teens grades 6-12.
Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

TEEN OPEN GAMING
Friday, January 17th @ 3–5 PM
Join us for open gaming at the library, including Super Smash Bros, board games, and snacks.
For teens grades 6-12.
Register now @ moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar

MOFFAT LIBRARY TEEN ART SHOW & CONTEST
ART SHOW: March 21st - 28th | AWARDS RECEPTION: Sunday, March 29th @ 2 PM

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS
♦ Grades 6 – 12
♦ Name, Grade, & Home Tel. # on the artwork
♦ Drop-off artwork at Library during regular hours
♦ Submission Deadline: FRIDAY, MARCH 13th by 4 PM
AWARD CATEGORIES
Drawing/Painting/Photography/Sculpture
♦ Receive Feedback from Professional Artists
♦ Have Your Art Displayed @ the Library
♦ Win Prizes!
All participants are invited to join us for a RECEPTION & AWARDS CEREMONY on Sunday, March 29th @ 2 PM where the winners will be announced & ALL entries will be on display!

** SUBMISSION DEADLINE is FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2020 **
The 17th Annual Moffat Library Teen Art Show & Contest is proudly sponsored by The Friends of Moffat Library
**KIDS & FAMILIES**

### EARLY LITERACY

#### BOOKS & BABIES
(Birth - 18 mos. w/ a caregiver)
**Thursdays @ 10:30 AM - 2 Sessions**
4 Weeks: 1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30
4 Weeks: 2/20, 2/27, 3/5, 3/12
An interactive nursery rhyme program with board books, songs, and playtime to promote early literacy.
*Register online or call (845)496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### TODDLER TIME
(For ages 18 mos. - 36 mos. w/ a caregiver)
**Tuesdays @ 10:15 AM - 2 Sessions**
4 Weeks: 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28
4 Weeks: 2/18, 2/25, 3/3, 3/10
Stories, songs, and games designed for wiggly toddlers.
*Register online or call (845)496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### PRESCHOOL STORYTIME
(For ages 3 - 5 years w/ a caregiver)
**Tuesdays @ 11 AM - 2 Sessions**
4 Weeks: 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28
4 Weeks: 2/18, 2/25, 3/3, 3/10
Storytime featuring longer books and activities geared towards preschoolers.
*Register online or call (845)496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### BABY SIGN LANGUAGE
(Birth - 3 years old w/ a caregiver)
**Wednesdays @ 12:30 PM - 4 Weeks**
2/5, 2/12, 2/19 & 2/26
Learn sign language geared toward kids ages 0-3 in this signing and singing program with Dorey Houle.
*Register online or call (845)496-5483 x 324 today!*

### FAMILY PROGRAMS

#### OPOSSUM APPRECIATION DAY
(For all ages)
**Tuesday, January 21st @ 6 PM**
Learn about America’s only marsupials from experts Pamela Golben, Jan Berlin, & a couple of live opossums at the library!
*Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### PEBBLE PAINTING
(For kids of all ages)
**Thursday, January 23rd @ 4 PM (snow date 1/30)**
Brighten up your winter with this colorful project!
*Please bring in a rock from home to paint!*
*Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### LEGO FREE BUILD
(For kids of all ages)
**Mondays @ 4 PM on 1/27, 2/24, 3/30**
Bring your imagination and we’ll supply the Legos!
*Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### PONY BEAD CRAFTING
(For K+)
**Monday, February 3rd @ 4 PM (snow date 2/18)**
Stop in to make a bracelet or keychain using pony beads.
*Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER
(For ages 3+)
**Monday, February 10th @ 6 PM (snow date 2/13)**
Tuck your stuffed animals in at their very own sleepover! Stop by after 12 PM the next day to see what shenanigans they got up to!
*Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

#### TURTLE DANCE MUSIC
(Family Show)
**Wednesday, February 12th @ 6:30 PM (snow date 3/11)**
Laugh, sing, learn, and dance at this high energy, sensory-friendly performance!
Turtle Dance Music is crafted to be inclusive to all kids, including kids on the Autism Spectrum.
*Register online or call (845) 496-5483 x 324 today!*

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*Registration is required for all programs.*
*To register visit: [www.moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar](http://www.moffatlibrary.org/events-calendar)*
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FRIENDS OF MOFFAT LIBRARY

MEET THE AUTHOR’S LUNCHEON
w/ Authors Mary Calvi & Peter Duffy
Sunday, April 5th @ 12 - 4 PM

This year The Friends of the Moffat Library are happy to announce authors Mary Calvi and Peter Duffy as our featured speakers for this popular annual event.

Mary Calvi is the co-anchor of CBS 2 This Morning and CBS 2 At Noon at WCBS-TV in New York City, and the recipient of 10 Emmy Awards. Her debut award-winning novel, Dear George, Dear Mary: A Novel of George Washington’s First Love, is a never-before-told story, hidden away for centuries, revealing that long before tea was tossed into Boston Harbor, unrequited love helped spark a flame that ignited the cause that became the American Revolution.


Books will be available for purchase at the event. An autographed book makes a great gift for someone special who likes history and non-fiction! The Friends raise money through the sale of author books at their Author Luncheons.

Tickets for the luncheon are $40.00 & will be available for sale at the Moffat Library in late February 2020

For more information call (845) 496-5483 x 323 or email us at: moffat@rcls.org

Proceeds from the Luncheon support programs at the Moffat Library