Thursday Evenings

All programs begin at 7 pm

July 7

Scott Ouellette guitarist

July 14

Dr. Domenech, Northern Essex Community College Speakers Bureau, "The Cuban Embargo and Why it Happened"

July 21

Danielle Beaudette "The Social Impact of Tea in our History"

July 28

Author Jay Atkinson "Massacre on the Merrimack: Hannah Duston's captivity and revenge in Colonial America"

Aug. 4

Author Emerson Baker "A Storm of Witchcraft: The Salem Trials and the American Experience"

Aug. 11

Author Christopher Daley "Murder & Mayhem in Boston"

Aug. 18

Delvena Theatre Company "All the Presidents' Women"

Creative Coloring

Thursdays 10:30 – 12:30

July 7 to Aug. 18

All materials supplied

Technology Help

 $\begin{array}{c} Mondays \ 2:30-4:30 \\ \text{Drop-in with your devices} \end{array}$

Make Reading a Family Affair

Studies show that students who read during the summer months have stronger reading and comprehension skills when they return to school in the Fall.

Exercising reading skills is like exercising your muscles: the more you read on a regular schedule, the better you get. Ideas for reading:

- Read for at least 20 minutes a day.
- Pick your own titles to read as well as ones on Suggested Reading Lists.
- Try out **ebooks** using **Overdrive**.
- Audiobooks are great for long car rides.
- Get a public **library card** if you don't already have one it's free!

Convey the priceless message to others that reading is exciting and fun by signing up everyone in the family for **Summer at the Stevens**.

Remember, your actions speak volumes! Exercise the love of reading.

Thanks to the Friends & the Trustees of the Stevens Memorial Library, the North Andover Cultural Council, the MA Board of Library Commissioners, the Boston Bruins, & Collaboraative Summer Library Programs (CSLP) for their support.

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Summer at the Stevens 2016



Programs for Adults & Teens July 5 to August 25

Free! All are welcome. All programs are drop-in, unless specified.

Sign up for online Library News, like us on Facebook, or watch the Library website for even more events

Events Line 978-688-9508

www.StevensMemLib.org 978-688-9505 x 42016 345 Main St., North Andover 01845

How to Sign-up

Sign-up online on the Library's website (click on the **Summer icon**) or at the Reference Desk.

SIGN-UP begins **June 20** and continues through the Summer. **Reading period**: June 20 to Aug. 19

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Sign-up is **free.**All activities & events are free.

Reading Prizes

- Log your minutes each week to be entered in the Weekly Reader Drawing.
- Log 14 hours Online to earn drawing tickets for the summer grand prize

Trivia

• Answer the weekly Trivia Questions and get entered in the Weekly Trivia Drawing.

Must sign-up for "Summer at the Stevens" to be eligible for drawings

North Andover Reads: 2016 Million Minute Challenge

The Library challenges the Town to read a million minutes between June 20 & August 19 (61 days). If 1200 people read for 20 minutes a day for 42 days – that's 1,000,000! (Town population: 29,217; School district population: 4,709)

More events ...

Visit the Library website for children's programs

Rebel Shakespeare Co. Acting Workshop

Aug. 25 10:30 Ages 12 up. Sign-up in Children's Room



Rebel Shakespeare Co.

presents

Much Ado About Nothing

in the Rotunda

Aug. 25 1 pm

Tuesday Evening Book Discussion

July 19 & Aug. 16 @ 7 pm Books available at Reference Desk

Teen Book Discussion

July 26 & Aug. 30 @ 2:30 pm Books available at Reference Desk

Poetry Open Mic

July 26 & Aug. 23 @ 6:30 pm

Writers Group

July 25 & & Aug. 22 @ 7 pm

Chapter & Verse Children's Literature Book Discussion

Aug. 18 6:30 pm Books available in Children's Room

Tues. Morning Movies in the Library

July 5 to Aug. 16 10:30 am

Pick up a **Movie Schedule** at the Library or see the website calendar

Family Movies under the Tent at the Stevens Estate

Mondays at 7 pm July 11 to Aug. 22

Outdoors, some seating provided

Light refreshments provided.

Pick up a **Movie Schedule** at the Library or see the website calendar.

Library Museum Passes: visit a museum this Summer with a Library pass. Click on the **Dinosaur icon** on the Library website for details and to book a pass. (Pick up weekend passes on Friday.)

For other fun things to do this summer:

"Town News"

www.NorthAndoverMA.gov

Youth & Recreation Services

www.NAYouth.com

- Children's Shows on the Common
- Sunday Band Concerts on the Common

Outdoor fun

Stevens Pond

Friends of North Andover Trails

www.FONAT.org/trails

Massachusetts State Parks

http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/massparks/

North Andover Historical Society

www.northandoverhistoricalsociety.org