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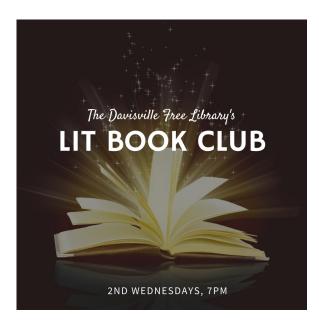


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January/February Events:

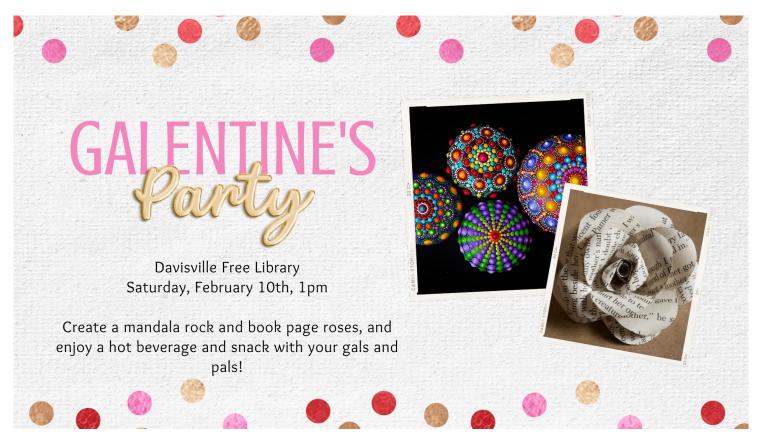




All are welcome to our book club! Each month we'll read and discuss a work of fiction or nonfiction., chosen by our members.

January: Eternal, by Lisa Scottoline

February: The Personal Librarian, by Marie Benedict

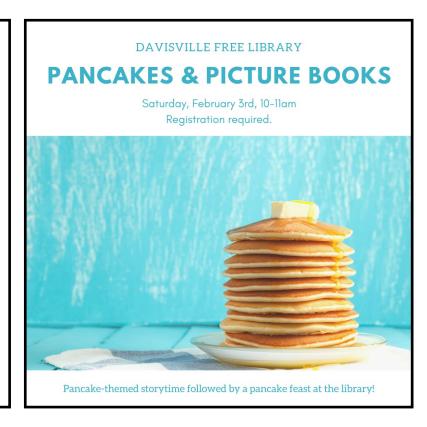


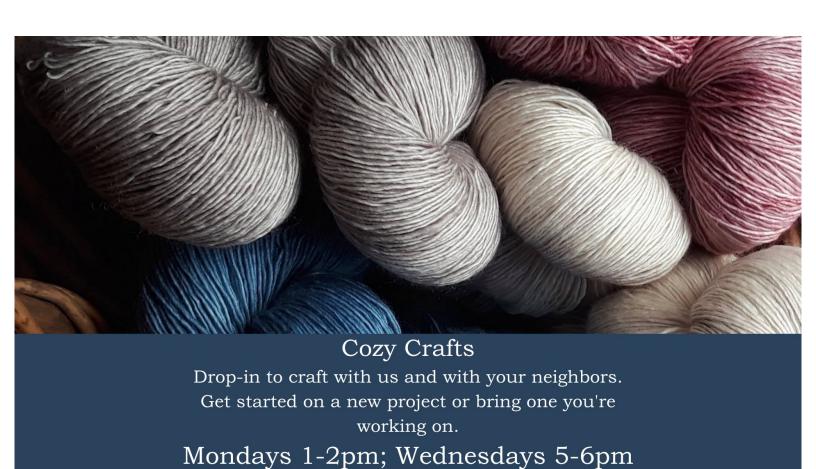




Come in to play with your kids in our children's room. Play with Legos, blocks, puzzles, and more! Connect with your kids and other families through play! Ages 0-6, but siblings of all ages are always welcome!

Saturdays 10:30-11:30am beginning 9/9







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Music & Movement Storytime



Listen to stories, sing songs, do fingerplays, and move to the music at this storytime session designed for ages 0-3, although all ages are welcome.

Mondays at 10am Begins September 11

Storytime



Listen to stories, sing songs, do crafts, and more at our storytimes! Storytimes will be held on Friday mornings at 10am at the library, and will be repeated Mondays at 1pm. This program lasts approximately 30 minutes, followed by an informal playtime.

Fridays at 10am Begins 9/8



Home-Bound Delivery Service

The Davisville Free Library will offer homebound delivery service beginning on February 8th. This service is available to area residents with a valid library card. (Don't have a library card? We can help you with that!)

To order delivery items or for more information, contact the library at 401-884-5524 or by email at staff@davisvillefreelibrary.org. Deliveries will occur every Monday that the library is open, from 10am-12pm.

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Builder's Club Last Wednesday of Each Month 5-6pm, Ages 6+

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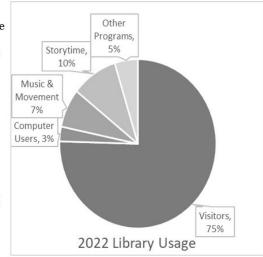
Greetings Neighbor,

We hope that this letter finds you well and enjoying your summer. Davisville Free Library is thrilled to see old friends come back to our library while we welcome new friends and expand our community. Everyone knows the past few years have been tough, but with your support, the library has been able to adapt and weather the challenges. We are grateful for the flexibility, encouragement, and generosity of the community. We hope that you will continue to support Davisville Free Library in the 2023 Annual Appeal Drive this summer. With more than half of our budget coming from community donations, your help is essential to keep Davisville Free Library's doors open! As an added in centive, The Herman H. Rose Civic, Cultural and Media Access Fund will award 8% if the library is successful in raising \$23,000, or 11% if successful in reaching your stretch goal of \$25,000.

Your fully tax-deductible donation of any amount will help the library continue to provide valuable resources and services to patrons in our community. In addition, you will help fund engaging, on-going programs such as our popular Storytime and Music & Movement programs, craft nights, book clubs, author visits, delivery of library materials to homebound patrons, technology access and instruction, access to materials from other Ocean State libraries, and so much more.

Over this past year, Davisville Free Library served roughly 6500 community members and provided a summer of exciting adventures in reading. In June, we kicked off our summer reading program with the theme, Find Your Voice! Throughout the rest of the summer, we hosted special events for all ages, including art programs, crafternoon, Fiddle n' Fun, a tiny art show, and more!

This fall we are bringing back our Trivia Night evening fundraiser with prizes for the trivia winners and loads of raffle items! All proceeds go to the Davisville Free Library.



If you are able, please contribute to Davisville Free Library's Annual Appeal 2023. In addition, you can also support the library by attending events, following our social media profiles, and liking and sharing social media posts. Your presence and participation makes our cozy library such a welcoming and engaging place!

Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you soon!

Sincerely,

The Board and Staff Members of Davisville Free Library

*Please contact us to include the library in your advanced estate planning or to make a memorial gift.

Coming Soon: January/February Titles

Before We Were Innocent, by Ella Berman
Come and Get It, by Kiley Reid
Family Family, by Laurie Frankel
The Fury, by Alex Michaelides
The Heiress, by Rachel Hawkins
Holmes, Marple, and Poe, by James Patterson
& Brian Sitts
No One Can Know, by Kate Alice Marshall
Random In Death, by J.D. Robb
Solito, by Javier Zamora
Wild and Distant Seas, by Tara Karr Roberts
Crosshairs, by James Patterson & James O.
Born

End of Story, by A.J. Finn
Fourteen Days, by Margaret Atwood, etc.
The Guest, by B.A. Paris
How You Get the Girl, by Anita Kelly
Last Night, by Luanne Rice
A Love Song for Ricki Wilde, by Tia
Williams
The Phoenix Crown, by Kate Quinn & Janie
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The Teacher, by Frieda McFadden
Three Inch Teeth, by C.J. Box
The Women, by Kristin Hannah



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