



Old Town Public Library

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Monthly Report

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Join us:



Items of Note:

Tuesday Forum featured Tim Caverly, with his “Caverly Chronicles” program. Tim Caverly has spent his life in Maine’s outdoors. Growing up shadowing his father who was a fire warden with the Maine Forest Service and his brother, a ranger in Baxter State Park. His program focused on his family adventures in the Allagash.

Gateway @ OTPL offered programs on “Paying for Long-Term Care,” with an Elder Attorney; and, “The Secret Life of Beavers.”

Our newest book club, The Book Chasers, spent a wonderful morning with local author, Janet Chapman. Janet’s publisher graciously sent a copy of the first book in her “Spellbound Falls” series for each book club member, with an extra one or two for the library. Janet presented a program on the process of writing a publishing, and signed books as well.

The book clubs for Middle School kids, and High School kids had their first meeting this month. Attendance was great, and members were enthusiastic about these new clubs.

The library hosted the first Public Forum put together by the Downtown Revitalization Committee. Attendance was excellent, and there was lots of productive and positive discussion.

Three of us attended the State Library Conference this month— great networking, and helpful resources.

- 4921 materials checked out
- 840 materials renewed
- 730 materials loaned to other libraries
- 603 materials borrowed from other libraries
- 4820 visits

Stats



HAPPENINGS

Toddler Time—Mon & Thurs

Story Hour - Mondays

Club Discovery 1 - Wednesdays

Club Discovery 2 - Thursdays

Tuesday Forum - 1 per month

Chair Yoga —Fridays

Blue Argyles Book Club—monthly

Mystery Book Club—monthly

MS & HS Book Clubs—monthly

Gateway Speaker Series-bi-monthly

Homeschool Science—weekly

Girl Scout Meeting—weekly