

## Southwick Public Library

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# Library Links

November 2021

## Create a Voicemail Box!

November 17, 2:30-  
3:30

For teens in grades 7-12



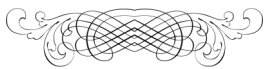
Connecting with friends and relatives this holiday season? Give a personalized gift! With this painted gift box you create with your own greeting. It will link to a recorded message, YouTube video, website, picture or any inside joke.

## Programs for Adults:



James Johnson-Corwin's artwork will be on display for November & December.

*The Trustees of the Southwick Public Library meet the second Tuesday of the month at 7pm in the library Community Room.*



*The library will be closed November 11 (Veterans Day) and November 25 & 26 (Thanksgiving)*

**Book Club (In Person)**- November 9, 10am- All are welcome to join! Copies of the book are available at the Library to borrow. November's book is "We Were Liars" by E. Lockhart.

**Craft and Chat (In Person)** – November 15, 6:30pm– Join us for an evening of crafting and catching up. All are welcome to join.

**Using Ancestry**– November 22, 7:00pm (Virtual)- The Library offers Ancestry Library Edition to use in the library for free. Have you ever wondered what you can discover with Ancestry? Take a tour through some of the resources Ancestry offers and learn how to begin or continue your family history research. This event will be virtual. Please register by emailing [southwicklibrary@comcast.net](mailto:southwicklibrary@comcast.net).



**Cookie Recipe Swap**- Now through November 22, drop off or email ([southwicklibrary@comcast.net](mailto:southwicklibrary@comcast.net)) your favorite cookie recipe! We will collect all the recipes and have them available beginning December 1! Anytime after December 1- December 31, drop in and pick out some great cookie recipes to take home and make.



## Business and Career Programs:

**The Importance of LinkedIn**– November 16, 6:30pm (virtual)- Did you know that there are over 700 million LinkedIn users worldwide. Two people join every second of every day. We will review best practices as they relate to online profile creation and managing one's account. We will also discuss the many additional usages of LinkedIn including the importance of joining groups and getting others to offer testimonials. This event will be offered on Zoom. Please email [southwicklibrary@comcast.net](mailto:southwicklibrary@comcast.net) to sign up.



**The Art of Networking**– December 2, 6:30pm (virtual) Job fairs, corporate hiring events, Meetups and other online social media platforms are just some of the avenues where people can promote their networking skills. While attending these events and dropping off a resume is a good start, deeper engagement is required in today's job market. We will discuss networking strategies to better enhance your employment attainment prospects. This event will be on Zoom, please email [southwicklibrary@comcast.net](mailto:southwicklibrary@comcast.net) to sign up.

**Brainfuse JobNow Database**– This database can be accessed at the library or at home using your SPL card. Take quizzes to determine a career path for you, find job search assistance, and get live help from interview, job search, and resume coaches– those are just a few resources offered by this database! If you need assistance, give us a call to set up a time for us to give you a tour of Brainfuse JobNow!

*The Importance of LinkedIn, The Art of Networking and the Brainfuse JobNow Database are brought to you with federal funds provided by the Institute of Museum and Library Services and administered by the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.*

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## Teen News

For teens in grades 7-12

*(See the front cover for info on our Voicemail Box program for teens!)*

**Cookies and Coloring**– November 4, 2:30-3:30pm–  
Relax and chat with friends, listen to music, and have  
a snack.



**Anime Crafter-Noon**– November 10, 2:30-3:30– Work on a  
simple craft while watching “One Piece.” Chat with other  
anime fans and snack!

**Furoshiki**– December 1, 2:30-3:30– Wrapping with fabric. Upcycle T  
-shirts into sustainable, reusable painted  
gift wrap. Learn the traditional Japanese  
methods to tie the fabric.



# Children's Room News

**The Great Turkey Escape! Contest** The Turkey doesn't want to go to Thanksgiving Dinner! Stop by the Children's Library and pick up a turkey shape anytime before November 19th. Then use any materials you have at home to disguise your turkey as your favorite fictional character. Submit your turkeys in person or email a photo to [mencarnacion@cwmares.org](mailto:mencarnacion@cwmares.org) by 11/23. Prizes will be awarded for best use of materials, most creative, and best overall!

## **Cookie Monster's Birthday Celebration and Storytime! - 11/2**

**@10:30am** Registration Required and Supplies are limited.

Come celebrate Cookie Monster's Birthday with a story time. Afterwards we will decorate cookies to look like the one and only, Cookie Monster! Om Nom nom nom nom.



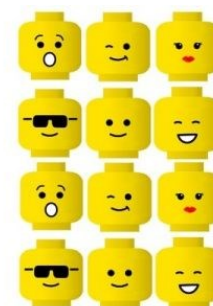
**Pathways for Parents VIRTUAL Events** For all virtual Pathways events please call Molly at 413-569-1221 or email [mencarnacion@cwmares.org](mailto:mencarnacion@cwmares.org) to register.

- Families in Harmony (Ages 2-5) 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, and 11/24 @11:00am
- Families in Harmony (Ages 5-8) 11/ 4 @4:00pm
- Yoga Storytime 11/9 @ 10:30am with Miss Lisa for ages 2-5 years old with a caregiver on Zoom. Enjoy a read aloud with stretching, balancing, focused breathing, and movement activities.
- Postpartum Training 11/30 @7:00pm

## **LEGO CLUB**

- ♦Grades 3-6 : 11/8 @3:30pm Call or Email to Register
- ♦Grades K-2 : 11/18 @4:00pm Call or Email to Register

A New Set of challenges await! Come join us in the community room for LOTS of LEGO fun! Call Molly at 413-569-1221 or email [mencarnacion@cwmares.org](mailto:mencarnacion@cwmares.org) to register.



## **Cultural Craft and Holiday Traditions in the Dominican Republic. For Grades 2-5**

Author Andrea Vera will be here to share her new book and some of the holiday traditions from the Dominican Republic. The story illustrates Christmas traditions in the culture of a Dominican family and how kindness can make a difference in people's lives. Call Molly at 413-569-1221 or email [mencarnacion@cwmares.org](mailto:mencarnacion@cwmares.org) to register. December 2 @ 4pm.

**Take and Make Owl Craft!** A fun craft activity will be available 11/22-11/24 in the main entrance way.

**Friends of the Library Basket Raffle**— drop off for basket donations will be November 8-10 (the basket maker's donation packet can be found on our website or at the library). Baskets will be on display November 13-December 10. The final raffle will be held December 11!



The Friends meet the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7pm. All are welcome to join!

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Monday & Tuesday 10am-8pm

Wednesday 1pm-8pm

Thursday & Friday 10am-5pm

Saturday 10am-1pm

