

# OCTOBER 2017 FEATURED EVENTS

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## FAKE NEWS AND PGS

Wednesday 10/4 @ 7 PM  
Daily Hampshire Gazette columnist and author Bruce Watson speaks on Post-modern Gullibility Syndrome.

## TEENS! RAINBOW MAKERS

Thursdays 10/5 and 19 @ 3 PM  
LGBTQ+ group for ages 13-17



## GRATITUDE JOURNALING

Fridays 10/6, 13, 20 and 27 @ 10:30 AM  
Practice mindful and creative journaling for better sleep and much more!

## KIDS! LOCAL AUTHOR SERIES: MIKE CURATO

Saturday 10/7 @ 11 AM  
Join us as Mike presents a reading, a live interactive drawing demonstration, and a brief slideshow on his process!

## INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY!

Monday, October 9  
The library is closed for the holiday.

## SOLO GUITAR CONCERT: PETER BIEDERMANN

Wednesday 10/11 @ 5 PM  
Performance focusing on pieces from his latest recording, Tales from the Desert, and unrecorded new works.

## ZINE CLUB

Wednesdays 10/11 and 25 @ 6:30 PM  
A club for all ages to support and inspire the creation and appreciation of zines.

## MODERN REAL AND SURREAL

Wednesday 10/11 @ 7 PM  
Comics and Graphic Novels reading and discussion with Holly Black, Denis Kitchen, and Christopher Couch.

## PLANT SWAP

Thursday 10/12 @ 6 PM  
Bring your plants, seeds, and other garden items to the monthly plant swap by the Edible Plants Garden.

## KIDS AND TEENS! COMICS CLUB

Friday 10/13 @ 3:30 PM  
A monthly meeting to discuss, share, and create comics and graphic novels.

## LIBRARY TOUR

Saturday 10/14 @ 2 PM  
A guided tour presenting an introduction to the library's history and overview of what awaits you on each floor.

## TRUE ISLAM VS. EXTREMISM

Wednesday 10/18 @ 6:30 PM  
Dr. Mohammed Qureshi, MD, will highlight teachings of Islam using the original source of Quran, and the conduct of the prophet Muhammed, the founder of Islam.

## FILM SCREENING: CONTEMPORARY COLOR

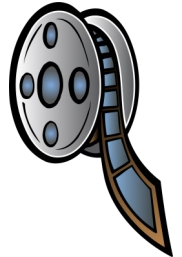
Wednesday 10/18 @ 6:30 PM  
Free showing of the performance event and now major motion picture inspired by the phenomenon of color guard.

## COOKIES WITH A CURATOR

Thursday 10/19 @ 2 PM  
Join us for a genealogy discussion for Family History Month!

## HOME MOVIE DAY

Saturday 10/21, time TBA  
We will be projecting 8mm, Super 8 and 16mm films brought in by community members as part of this 15th annual celebration!



## WRITING YOUR LIFE

Mondays 10/23 & 30, 11/6 & 13 @ 7 PM  
Debra Jo Immergut leads this four week workshop on creating a written record for yourself, your loved ones, or publication.

## NORTHAMPTON ARTS COUNCIL BIENNIAL POETRY READING

Monday 10/23 @ 7 PM  
A companion evening to October's juried exhibition in the Hosmer Gallery.

## CLIMATE CHANGE IN YOUR BACKYARD

Wednesday 10/25 @ 7 PM  
Dr. Toni Lyn Morelli speaks at the Meadow City Conservation Coalition Fall Meeting.

## FAR OUT FILM DISCUSSION: HOUSE

Monday 10/30 @ 7 PM  
Check out the film, watch it at home, and attend the meeting to discuss it!



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# ONGOING EVENTS

## Mondays

[Kids! Storytime](#) 10:30 AM  
[Kids! Baby Storytime](#) 11 AM  
[Kids! Reading Buddies](#) 4 PM  
Poetry Discussion Group 7 PM

## Tuesdays

[Drop-in Computer Help](#) 2-4 PM  
[Ancient Greek Study Group](#) 2 PM  
[Kids! LEGO Club](#) 3:30 PM

## Wednesdays

[Writing Room](#) 9:30 AM  
[Dharma Gentle Yoga](#) 9:30 AM  
[Kids! Toddler Time](#) 11 AM  
[Drop-in Chess](#) 1-3 PM  
[Drop-in Computer Help](#) 2-4 PM

## Thursdays

[Job Readiness Workshops](#) 1 PM

## Fridays

[Kids! Toddler Time](#) 11 AM  
[Italian Conversation Circle](#) 3 PM

## Saturdays

[Writing Room](#) 9:30 AM  
[AEIOUkes](#) 10 AM  
[Spanish Conversation Group](#) 3 PM

# HOSMER GALLERY

October 3-30, 2017

2017 Visual Arts and Poetry Biennial  
A Juried Exhibition Presented By  
The Northampton Arts Council

Reception:

Friday, October 13, 5-8 PM  
Arts Night Out Northampton



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# BOOK CLUBS

## SECOND MONDAY BOOK DISCUSSION

Second Monday: 10/2 @ 6:30 PM  
*Claire of the Sea Light*  
by Edwidge Danticat

## PARADISE CITY READERS

First Monday: 10/2 @ 7 PM  
*Purple Hibiscus*  
by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

## SCI-FI AND FANTASY DISCUSSION

First Wednesday: 10/4 @ 7 PM  
*The Stars My Destination*  
by Alfred Bester

## NATURE AND ENVIRONMENT

Second Wednesday: 10/11 @ 7 PM  
*Encounters with the Archdruid*  
by John McPhee

## THE GREAT BOOKS

Third Monday: 10/16 @ 7 PM  
*Demian* by Hermann Hesse

## MYSTERY BOOK DISCUSSION

Third Monday: 10/16 @ 7 PM  
*The Sound of Things Falling*  
by Juan Gabriel Vasquez

## AFTERNOON BOOK DISCUSSION

Third Friday: 10/20 @ 1 PM  
*My Real Children* by Jo Walton

## TWEENS AND TEENS! BOOK CLUB

Fourth Thursday: 10/26 @ 3:30 PM  
*Warcross* by Marie Lu



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