

MARCH 2017 FEATURED EVENTS

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MODERN REAL AND SURREAL

Wednesday 3/1 @ 7 PM

Identity, Nature, and the Environment with Mistinguette Smith, Lauret Edith Savoy, and Naila Moreira.

KIDS! READ ACROSS AMERICA DAY

Thursday 3/2

Celebrate with a Dr. Seuss-themed drop in craft from 1-5 pm and a free film screening of *The Lorax* at 3 pm!

CAN WE TALK?

Monday 3/6 @ 1:30 PM

Join Martha Johnson for a facilitated conversation about navigating the post-60 years.

LOVE THE LAND BOOK SHARE

Wednesday 3/8 @ 6 PM

Warm up with the Kestrel Land Trust and bring your favorite or current nature-related read to share.

FILM SCREENING: WHICH WAY HOME

Wednesday 3/8 @ 6:30 PM

Free showing and discussion of Academy Award nominated documentary about migrant children.

ZINE CLUB

Wednesdays 3/8 and 22 @ 6:30 PM

A club for people in their teens and twenties to share, support, and inspire the creation and appreciation of zines.

STATES OF INCARCERATION

Exhibit: March 13-30

Opening Reception: Monday 3/13 @ 5 PM
National traveling exhibit appearing in coordination with Hamptons + Holyoke Read of *Orange is the New Black*.

SCBWI WRITING CRITIQUE GROUP

Wednesday 3/15 @ 6 PM

Bring your work in progress for critique and feedback following Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators guidelines.

FILM SCREENING: HAROLD AND MAUDE

Wednesday 3/15 @ 6:30 PM

When self-destructive Harold meets anarchic Maude at a funeral, they become unlikely friends as she shares other perspectives on life with him.

PUNISHMENT IN PARADISE

Wednesday 3/15 @ 7 PM

Mike Ryan lectures on *The Peneology in Northampton, 1654-Present* in coordination with Hamptons + Holyoke Read.

COOKIES WITH A CURATOR

Thursday 3/16 @ 2 PM

"Digging up the Dirt" with Elise Bernier-Feeley and Brian Tabor.

SUBMISSIONS AND REVISIONS

Friday 3/17 @ 3 PM

A free, drop-in group gathering to polish and send out submissions of work to literary magazines, agents and editors, led by Writer in Residence Naila Moreira.

BOOK DISCUSSION:

ORANGE IS THE NEW BLACK

Wednesday 3/22 @ 2 PM

Hamptons + Holyoke Read.

FILM SCREENING: GIDEON'S ARMY

Wednesday 3/22 @ 6:30 PM

Free showing and discussion of the documentary about three young, dedicated public defenders.

THE WRITER'S LIFE

Saturday 3/25 @ 11 AM

Panel discussion of the nuts and bolts of a writing career followed by meet and greet session.

COLLATERAL CONSEQUENCES

Monday 3/27 @ 7 PM

Panel discussion with four Massachusetts residents who have direct experience with incarceration. Hamptons + Holyoke Read.

REAL MADNESS

Wednesday 3/29 @ 1-4 PM

Bob Fleischner gives a presentation on warehousing people with mental illness in prisons. Hamptons + Holyoke Read.



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ONGOING EVENTS

Mondays

Dharma Gentle Yoga 9:30 AM
Kids! Storytime 10:30 AM
Kids! Baby Storytime 11 AM
Pet and Pencil 2 PM
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! Craft Club 3 PM

Wednesdays

Writing Room 9:30 AM
Kids! Toddler Time 11 AM
Tong Ren Energy Healing 12 PM
Drop-in Chess 1-3 PM
Drop-in Computer Help 2-4 PM

Thursdays

Meditation & Journaling 1:15 PM
Kids! LEGO Club 3:30 PM

Fridays

Kids! Toddler Time 11 AM
Italian Conversation Circle 3 PM

Saturdays

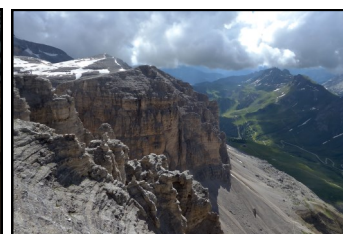
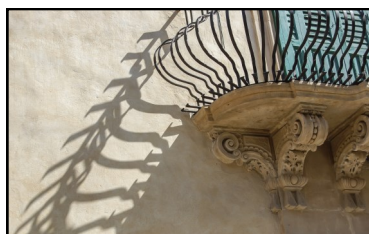
Writing Room 9:30 AM
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Spanish Conversation Group 3 PM

HOSMER GALLERY

March 2-30, 2016

Three Photographers and the Natural World:
Robert Salthouse, Janine Norton,
and Bruce Hawkins

Reception: Saturday, March 4, 2-4 PM



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BOOK CLUBS

SCI-FI AND FANTASY DISCUSSION

First Wednesday: 3/1 @ 7 PM
The Girl With All The Gifts
by M. R. Carey

PARADISE CITY READERS

First Monday: 3/6 @ 7 PM
Pigeon English by Stephen Kelman

ITALIAN CRIME FICTION

Second Wednesday: 3/8 @ 3 PM
Così Fan Tutti by Michael Dibdin

NATURE AND ENVIRONMENT

Second Wednesday: 3/8 @ 7 PM
1491 by Charles Mann

SECOND MONDAY BOOK DISCUSSION

Second Monday: 3/13 @ 6:30 PM
Pompeii by Robert Harris

AFTERNOON BOOK DISCUSSION

Third Friday: 3/17 @ 1 PM
Just Mercy by Bryan Stevenson

THE GREAT BOOKS

Third Monday: 3/20 @ 7 PM
I, Claudius by Robert Graves

MYSTERY BOOK DISCUSSION

Third Monday: 3/20 @ 7 PM
The Sympathizer by Viet Thanh Nguyen

TWEENS AND TEENS BOOK CLUB

Wednesday: 3/29 @ 3:30 PM
Holes by Louis Sachar



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