

April 2016 Children's Events at Camden Public Library

BookTime for Babies... Developing Great Minds!

Join Miss Amy every
Wednesday morning at 10:00am in the
Jean Picker Room. For children birth to
age 2 years; for songs, finger plays,
read- alouds and more!





Babbling Books: In celebration of Poetry Month we'll read poetry this month!

An informal read-aloud program. Join me in the children's room every Monday morning at 10:00 for pre-school and toddler poems! From Shel Silverstein to Jack Prelutsky and more!

Join us for a special Story hour w/ Montessori Kindergarteners! April 28th at 10:00. They will perform two short puppet shows connected to their recent study of France: Harlequin and the Gift of Many Colors and The Tooth Mouse. The kids will then share some of their favorite classroom activities.

Creative Art Afternoon! April 20th, 3:30-4:30. No Mess Tie-Dye.

Bring your white item of clothing, (i.e. t-shirt, kerchief, sweatshirt, tank top, etc.) We'll provide all the rest. This is a free program and not just for kids! If you want to participate bring one for yourself too! Artists of all ages welcome...bring some SPRING color to your wardrobe!

Saturday Stories Hour! 10:00

Join Miss Katie at 10:00 for a themed story time. Discover the magic of read-alouds and enjoy a related craft or activity immediately following. April 2nd Exploring Water

> April 9th Little Green Frogs April 16th Give a Mouse a Cookie! April 23rd Swishy Swish April A Whale of a Tale

Lego Club: Bring a friend and come with your LEGOS to build and create! Come catch the creative chaos...it's contagious!!! Lots of new LEGOS to share, thanks to new donations. Hope to see you all on April 6th from 3-4:30.

Celebrate National Library Week and National Poetry Month April 10th—16th The library and staff will transform with daily book themes. Look for new books displays throughout the library.

Join Miss Amy Thursdays at 10:00 for four and five year olds, and on Fridays at 10:00 for two and three year olds. Come join the magic and wonder of reading, through books, rhymes, songs, flannel board stories, finger plays, puppets, dramatic play and thematic crafts.

April 1st Fishy Fun

April 7th NO STORY TIME...Miss Amy& Miss Katie are at a Reading Conferences

April 8th Grabby Crab!
April 14th & 15th Peep, Ribbet, Croak!
April 21st & 22nd Earth Day!
April 28th Montessori Kindergarten Play
April 29th Will it Float??



Up Up and Away Vacation Camp Come join Miss Amy and Miss Katie for 3 days packed with airborn fun! Stories, crafts, games & activities! School age children, sign up ... Geared

Kindergarten and up! Younger siblings always welcome.

Wed. Day 1 Paper Airplanes
Thurs, Day 2 Balloons
Friday Day 3 Mini- Kites
SIGN UP NOW!!! 236-3440
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Maine Student Book Award Club!

Tuesday, April 26th from 5:30-7pm Come see which book won the 2015 Award. Be prepared to book talk and if you haven't added your name to the new book chart, come in and do it. All students who will be in 4th grade next year are welcome to come check out book club this month. Learn to book talk your favorites and hear what other 4th-8th graders have to say about the books they are reading from the MSBA list and off the list! It's a great opportunity to hear about great books from other kids! Call to let us know you're coming! 236-3440

Moving Explorations—1-3 Family Friendly Free Earth Day Activities in the amphitheater.

1-3p ~ Afternoon Outdoors in the Amphitheater & Harbor Park (Watershed School if it's raining, warm-up and bathrooms in Library)
Arches & Boats (launch in the harbor)

Nature games

Free-style Fiddle Jam

For more information, go to <u>joyfulbodies.org</u> or contact Chelsea (207) 504-0813