Caribou Public Library Upcoming Events

October

- 1st BREATHE Writers' Group 5:30-6:30pm Do you enjoy writing stories, poems or prose? Want to learn to be better? Join writer Wendy Koenig and others. All ages welcome!
- 2nd Pre-School Program (2-5 yrs.) 1-1:30pm Story time, crafts and activities with Miss Erin.
- **3rd Book Time w/Hope @ Rose Acres 12:30-1:15pm** An elder outreach program for the residents of Rose Acres. We bring a selection of books to be checked out and pick up any ready to be returned. All residents welcome! Requests are happily accepted!
- **3**rd **Essential Oils for Pets 5:30-6:30pm** Join our guest speaker, Jamie Kasarda, as she teaches you the ins and outs of using essential oils on your pets. Hear stories of healing and support.
- 4th Cookies & Coloring 4:30-5:30pm Color yourself relaxed with us! Join us for cookies & coloring in our stress-free zone. Coloring pages, colored pencils, pens & cookies provided. Ages 8 & up (1st & 3rd Fridays)
- **7**th **Storytime for all ages 3-3:30pm** Come enjoy stories read by the Loring Job Corp volunteers.
- 8th Mother Goose Story Time (0-2 yrs.) 1-1:30pm Stories, Songs & Fingerplays w/Miss Erin.
- **8**th **Teen Coding Class 4-6pm** Teens will learn the basics of web development & app creation. Explore Python programming language and JavaScript. Hands on activities & unplugged challenges. 6-week course \$30. Class limited to 12. Registration required. Class 1 of 6.
- **8**th **BREATHE Writers' Group 5:30-6:30pm** Do you enjoy writing stories, poems or prose? Want to learn to be better? Join writer Wendy Koenig and others. All ages welcome!
- 9th Pre-School Program (2-5 yrs.) 1-1:30pm Story time, crafts and activities with Miss Erin.
- **10**th **Handcrafters Club @ the Library 5-7pm** Join this group of lovely ladies for some uninterrupted knitting, crochet, tatting, etc. handcrafting time. Every other Thursday. Free for all ages and experience! Lessons and supplies provided if needed!
- 12th 2nd Saturday Craft Club 10:30-11:30am Come enjoy some child-led crafting at your library! The 2nd Saturday of every month, 10:30-11:30am. Tables will be set up for coloring, painting, crafting, play dough, etc. Children can do one or all projects. Fun and free for all ages! Parental supervision required for crafters.

14th – CLOSED for Columbus Day

- 15th Mother Goose Story Time (0-2 yrs.) 1-1:30pm Stories, Songs & Fingerplays w/Miss Erin.
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- **16**th **Pre-School Playdate (2-5 yrs.) 1-2pm** Let's set aside time for your children to practice playing together! We will feature toys not normally available such as puppets & stage, plastic food, playfoam, dinosaurs and the san & water tables.
- **16th Night Sky Viewing @ the Library 6-6:45pm** Use our telescope to get a closer look at the beautiful autumn sky! Free event open to all ages.
- 17th Author Ed Rice presents Louis Sockalexis 5-6:30pm Join Mr. Rice as he tells the story of Louis Sockalexis, the man who inspired the nickname for the Cleveland professional baseball team in 1897. The story is a perfect blending of Maine history and baseball!
- **18th Cookies & Coloring 4:30-5:30pm** Color yourself relaxed with us! Join us for cookies & coloring in our stress-free zone. Coloring pages, colored pencils, pens & cookies provided. Ages 8 & up (1st & 3rd Fridays)
- **19**th- **Mad Hatter's Tea Party 11-12:30pm** Join the Mad Hatter & White Rabbit for games, crafts, cookie decorating and nonsensical fun! This is a FREE event registration required.
- 21st Storytime for all ages 3-3:30pm Come enjoy stories read by the Loring Job Corp volunteers.
- **21**st **Coffee with Seniors 9-10am** Senate President Jackson is back in Caribou! Join him for coffee, donuts and a chance to discuss issues unique to seniors. Come voice your opinion and share your ideas!
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- 23rd Pre-School Program (2-5 yrs.) 1-1:30pm Story time, crafts and activities with Miss Erin.
- 23rd Middle/High School Book Club (4th-12th grade) 4-5pm This book club is open to all middle and high schoolers. There are two October selections, "Ranger's Apprentice" by John Flanagan and "Felix Yz" by Lisa Bunker. Copies are available at the library for checkout.
- 23rd Stonewall 50: The Birth of a Movement Exhibit 2-6pm This exhibit features panels from the Stonewall Museum & Archives in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. It showcases historical images and text highlighting the Stonewall Riots of 1969. Location: Caribou Room. Audience: Discretion is the responsibility of the parent.
- **24**th **Handcrafters Club @ the Library 5-7pm** Join this group of lovely ladies for some uninterrupted knitting, crochet, tatting, etc. handcrafting time. Every other Thursday. Free for all ages and experience! Lessons and supplies provided if needed!
- **24**th **Stonewall 50: The Birth of a Movement Exhibit 2-6pm** This exhibit features panels from the Stonewall Museum & Archives in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. It showcases historical images and text highlighting the Stonewall Riots of 1969. **Location: Caribou Room. Audience: Discretion is the responsibility of the parent.**
- **25**th Classics Book Club 4:30-5:30pm In this club we read a different classic book each month. There are two selections for October: Northanger Abbey by Jane Austen and Tales of Mystery & Imagination by Edgar Allen Poe. The library has copies of both available for checkout.
- 25th Stonewall 50: The Birth of a Movement Exhibit 2-6pm This exhibit features panels from the Stonewall Museum & Archives in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. It showcases historical images and text highlighting the Stonewall Riots of 1969. Location: Caribou Room. Audience: Discretion is the responsibility of the parent.
- 26th Stonewall 50: The Birth of a Movement Exhibit 11am-1pm This exhibit features panels from the Stonewall Museum & Archives in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. It showcases historical images and text highlighting the Stonewall Riots of 1969. Location: Caribou Room. Audience: Discretion is the responsibility of the parent.
- **28th Galaxy Storytime & Slime Making 3-4pm** Join us in the Caribou Room for outer space stories and make your own "Galaxy Slime" to take home! Limited to 20 children. Registration is required.

29th – **NASA Space Station Talk-Back 9-11am** – The library will be a satellite location to view the live talk-back between Jessica Meir on the Space Station and the children of Caribou at CPAC! <u>The library open 1 hour early to facilitate this event.</u>

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