



## May 2022 Newsletter

Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m., Friday - Saturday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
The library will be closed on Monday, May 30 for Memorial Day.

### Reference News

#### Introducing hoopla



Leach Library expanded all cardholders' digital borrowing power in March by adding the hoopla digital streaming service. With hoopla digital, patrons can now instantly read, watch, and listen to their choice of more than 1,000,000 titles for free with their Leach Library card. All cardholders will start with four instant borrows per month.

Audiobooks, eBooks, comics, music, movies, and TV episodes can be streamed from any computer by visiting [www.hoopladigital.com](http://www.hoopladigital.com). Content can also be downloaded on the hoopla digital app for iOS and Android devices.

This project was made possible in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services and the New Hampshire State Library. Please contact the Leach Library Reference Staff with any questions at (603) 432-1132 or [reference@londonderrynh.org](mailto:reference@londonderrynh.org).

#### Philosophy

Leach Library is exploring philosophy this month with a diverse selection of materials.

Have you always wanted to learn more about Stoicism? Does mindfulness meditation pique your interest? Have you always wanted to read Plato's *Republic*? Now is the perfect time!

Check out some of our newly acquired philosophy materials such as [Courage is Calling: Fortune Favors the Brave](#) by Ryan Holiday, [Patterns of Connection: Essential Essays from Five Decades](#) by Fritjof Capra, and [The Celestial Hunter](#) by Robert Calasso.

For additional philosophy recommendations, contact the Reference Staff at (603) 432-1132 or [reference@londonderrynh.org](mailto:reference@londonderrynh.org).

## Adult Programs

### Theodore Roosevelt and the Last Frontier

On Tuesday, May 17 at 7:00 p.m., Dr. Kurk Dorsey, Professor of History and Liberal Studies at the University of New Hampshire, will present a talk on Theodore Roosevelt. The presentation will explore several international disputes that were shaped by Roosevelt's presidency, as well as their implications for the conservation movement.

Dr. Dorsey holds a PhD in History from Yale University and is currently the History Department Chair at the University of New Hampshire.

Registration is required. To register, please visit the main desk or call the library at (603) 432-1132.

### Library After Dark Movie Night

On Friday, May 27 from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m., Leach Library will host a special after-hours movie night in the adult room! Join the library staff for a showing of the 1993 film *Jurassic Park* (PG-13) along with refreshments and raffle prizes. PJs and costumes are welcome.

Registration is required and opens on Friday, May 20 at 9:00 a.m. To register, please visit the main desk or call the library at (603) 432-1132.



## Young Adult Program



### Fun and Games

On Friday, May 20 from 3:30 – 4:30 p.m., Leach Library will offer a fun afternoon of games and activities for young adults. Assorted board games, activities, and craft supplies will be available for use during the program. Space is limited to the first 25 participants in grades 6-12. For further information, please call the library at (603) 432-1132.

## Children's Program

### Kids' Corner Story Time

Join Miss Jennifer and friends for 30-minute story time sessions on Tuesday, May 10 and Tuesday, May 24 at 10:30 a.m., or Thursday, May 12 and Thursday, May 26 at 4:00 p.m. in the Leach Library Children's Room! Participants will receive a small stuffed animal and a take-home activity.



Space is limited to 10 children per session. Registration opens one week before each program. To register, please visit the children's desk or call the library at (603) 432-1127.

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