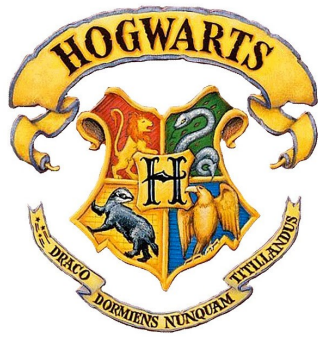


Happy New Year from Baxter Memorial Library



**Baxter Memorial Library
Hogwarts House Party**
Thursday, February 1st,
6-7:30pm

Attention Gryffindors,
Ravenclaws, Hufflepuffs, and
Slytherins:

Join us as we celebrate Harry Potter Book Night with a Hogwarts House Party. Dress up in your best witch and wizarding robes to show your house pride! Unsorted? Take the official sorting quiz and then make a house bracelet in Diagon Alley. Other magical activities will include a key necklace craft, wand making, a photo op with Dumbledore, searching for a niffler's dropped coins, and refreshments in the great hall under floating candlelight. Finally, test your knowledge of the Wizarding World in our Harry Potter trivia contest!

This program is intended for all ages, Hogwart's and other wizarding schools' alums, Muggles, and No-Majs.

MANY THANKS!!

The staff at Baxter Library has a lot to be grateful for this time of the year!

We'd like to thank the following people for their holiday cheer: our dedicated corps of volunteers, who help us with everything from decorating to shelving; the community-minded crew who donated gifts for needy Gorham families to our Giving Tree and the Pet-A-Tree in Youth Services; the creative bakers who shared their holiday goodies with us; and the generous folks who remembered the library collection in their year-end giving. We are grateful for the time, energy and resources that you have given to this library in 2017!

Book Tasting
Wednesday,
January 24th,
1-2pm (Early
Release Day)



Take a seat at "Café Baxter" for a fun and informative look at book genres. Servers will bring plates of amazing books and edibles to your table. Maybe you are a mystery fan, and now is your chance to "taste" a science-fiction story. Maybe Biography is your jam; why not sample a horror. Join us as we feed our brains and our bellies.
Geared toward diners ages 8-14.
No reservations are necessary.



Saving Money with Apps

Tuesday, January 23rd,
2-3pm

Join Lori Perez-Morse to learn how to use phone-based apps such as Ibotta, Checkout 51, Fetch, and Ebates, as well as the new Hannaford and Shaws apps to save money. Bring your phone and something to take notes on and let the money saving begin!



Book Club!

Thursday, January 11th
Persuasion by Jane Austen

Thursday, January 25th
Being Mortal by Atul Gawande

All discussions are held at 10am.
 No registration is required.
 All are welcome!



Don't forget...

Family Game Night

Wednesday, January 10th, 4pm

Do you love board games, card games, trivia games, etc? Do you just need to make time to play for yourself or to connect with your children? Every month through winter we will be offering Game Night at the library. We will have all kinds of games available and highlight a theme each month. Drop in or hang out.





Adult Fans of Lego Meetup

Wednesday, January 17th, 5pm

Perhaps you've heard of our Lego Club on Saturday mornings, but thought it was just for kids? Maybe you had a box of bricks when you were younger and they are calling to you? Maybe you never put them away? Maybe you are an AFOL (Adult Fan Of Lego)? Join us for an AFOL meet-up and bring something you've



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MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 CLOSED FOR NEW YEARS	2 9:30am Preschool Story Time	3 10am Toddler Time	4 9:30am Baby & Me 10am Toddler Time 2:30pm Sewing Club 6:30pm Board of Trustees Meeting	5 10am Sensory Friendly Story Time	6
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15 CLOSED FOR MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY	16 9:30am Preschool Story Time	17 10am Toddler Time 5pm Adult Fans of Lego Meetup	18 9:30am Baby & Me 10am Toddler Time 2:30pm Sewing Club	19	20
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For an update of our events, please visit our online calendar at www.baxterlibrary.org or call 222-1190 for more information.