MONDAY-FRIDAY
9 AM-5 PM

CURBSIDE PICK-UP

The Needham Free Public Library will be offering curbside pickup beginning Monday, June 1st. Borrowers will be able to call the library and request materials from the library's many collections. In addition to Adult, Young

Adult, and Children's books, the library's collections include DVDs, blu-rays, audio books, CDs, and magazines.

To obtain items:

- 1. Check the library's catalog to make sure that wanted items are <u>AVAILABLE IN NEEDHAM</u>. No items may be ordered from other libraries. **There is a five item limit**.
- 2. With your library card in hand, call the library (781-455-7559, x502) between the hours of 9:00 AM. and 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.
- 3. Tell the library staff person your <u>library card number</u>, which item(s) you want, and your telephone number.
- 4. A staff person will check the library shelves and call you back with pick-up instructions. **Curbside pick-up** will be available on Monday through Friday, ftom 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM at the Rosemary Street parking lot building entrance. Items will be placed in grocery bags that will be labeled and filed alphabetically by borrower's name.

2nd Annual Summer Reading Program for ADULTS (ages 18+)!

Challenge yourself this summer with Book Bingo! Read books to win gift cards that help support local businesses!

Program Runs VIRTUALLY: June 1st - August 31st
Sign Up, Get Your Bingo Board, and Track Reading ONLINE at:
https://needhamma.beanstack.org/
Start submitting your Bingo sheets June 5th

Questions? Ask a Reference Librarian at neemail1@minlib.net or call 781-455-7559 x502 (leave a message with the Reference Desk and we will get back to you as soon as we are able)

Prizes to local businesses drawn throughout the summer!

Details on actual prizes and information on prize pick-up will be given later

Common Questions and Resource Information

Online resources are available 24/7.

Book Drops are now open for your returns.

Updated issues of **Library Notes – COVID-19 Edition** are available. Please use the **Library Notes** for more specific instructions regarding some of our more popular services such as **Libby by Overdrive**, **RBdigital**, and **Tumblebooks**, among others. Back issues are available for access on the website, by clicking **View Other Items in this Archive** on the Newsletter webpage.

Due dates automatically changed/extended.

Fines are waived during this time.

eCards are available if you've never had a library card to access our e-resources! Please sign up using a valid email address. Your temporary barcode and username will be emailed to you.

Check out our Activities at Home webpage, with free resources for children and adults specifically during this time.

Check our Facebook page https://www.facebook. com/NeedhamFreePublicLibrary/ for updates involving videos, poetry and other activities we are providing during this challenging time.

3rd Annual Summer Reading Program for Tweens & Teens!

or ages 12 - 18!

Similar to last year, but with a virtual twist: Read Books = Win Prizes!

Come to virtual programs throughout the summer: get another chance to win prizes! (list of Virtual programs coming soon!)

Program Runs VIRTUALLY: June 1st - August 31st
Sign Up and Track Reading ONLINE at:
https://needhamma.beanstack.org/
(Track books beginning now - logging is now open!)

Questions? Ask the Young Adult Librarian Erin at neeya@minlib.net or call 781-455-7559 x502 and leave a message for Erin (at the Reference Desk - She will get back to you as quickly as possible)

Prizes to local businesses given throughout the summer,
Grand Prize Drawing: September 2020!
Details on actual prizes and information on prize pick-up will be given later





Imagine Your Story: Summer Virtual Programs for Children

Family Fairy Tale Trivia Challenge! With the Outchcunis Brothers

Wed., June 17th

4:30 PM - Zoom



What kind of musical instrument did the Giant have in the story of Jack and the Beanstalk?

What was growing in the witch's garden in the story of Rapunzel?

Test out your knowledge of fairy

tales in a Trivia Challenge with the Trivia Brothers, Brett and Nick Outchcunis, live on Zoom. This is a fun game for the whole family with lots of laughs, music and excitement.

Virtual Visit with Elsa from Frozen

Tues., June 23rd

4:00 PM - Zoom



Queen Elsa from *Frozen* will share a story or two and sing your favorite Frozen songs. A great way to cool off on a hot summer day!

ScienceTellers - Dragons!

Mon., June 29th

4:30 PM - Zoom



A long time ago in a faraway world, two brave villagers go on a daring journey to release the dragons and save the kingdom from the Evil Ice Sorceress. When things don't go as planned, however, they might need

to look to themselves (and to science!) for the answer. Don't miss this fun fantasy adventure featuring awesome dry ice effects!

Didgeridoo Down Under Show

Video Access Week of July 6 to July 12



Didgeridoo Down Under is a highenergy, Australia-themed show that combines music, culture, comedy, character-building, storytelling and audience participation. But DDU is

more than music. It's interactive, educational, motivational and super fun. You'll learn about Aussie culture, animals and more, all while moving & grooving to the pulsing rhythms of the didge!

All of this Summer's
Programs are being
sponsored by the Friends
of the Needham Public
Library – Thank You!



Storyteller Diane Edgecomb – Once Upon a Fairy Tale!

Mon., July 13 – Streaming Video



Diane Edgecomb entertains young and old with this delightful performance of unusual fairytales. From enchanted bears, to determined princesses, to Jack's hilarious adventure when he gets

dancing bugs instead of beans - Once Upon a Time has never been this fun!

Ed the Wizard - Alchemy Laboratory

Thurs., July 23rd

4:30 PM - Zoom



Watch as a wizard shares his secrets with you. Join Ed the Wizard in his Alchemy lab. Find out how to perform vanishings, transfigurations and other acts

of mystery and magic using items from around your home. The wizard will show you how to defy gravity, look through solid objects and change the properties of water.

Papa Joe's Traveling Storytelling Show

Mon., July 27

4:00 PM - Zoom



Spanning four decades, Papa Joe's Traveling Storytelling Show has engaged over 6,000 audiences. This New England storyteller performs at concerts, libraries, museums, fairs, schools, clubs, and anywhere there is a need for the ancient art of

storytelling. Papa Joe has captured family audiences from Cow Head, Newfoundland to Austin, Texas with interactive Folk Tales.

Storyteller Diane Edgecomb – Folktale Superheroes!

Mon., August 3rd – Streaming Video



What do cultures around the world have in common? Folktale Superheroes!!! Long before the Superheroes of today, people used their SUPER IMAGINATIONS to create folktales about beings with extraordinary powers. From Anansi the entertaining Spider God from Africa, to Jabuti

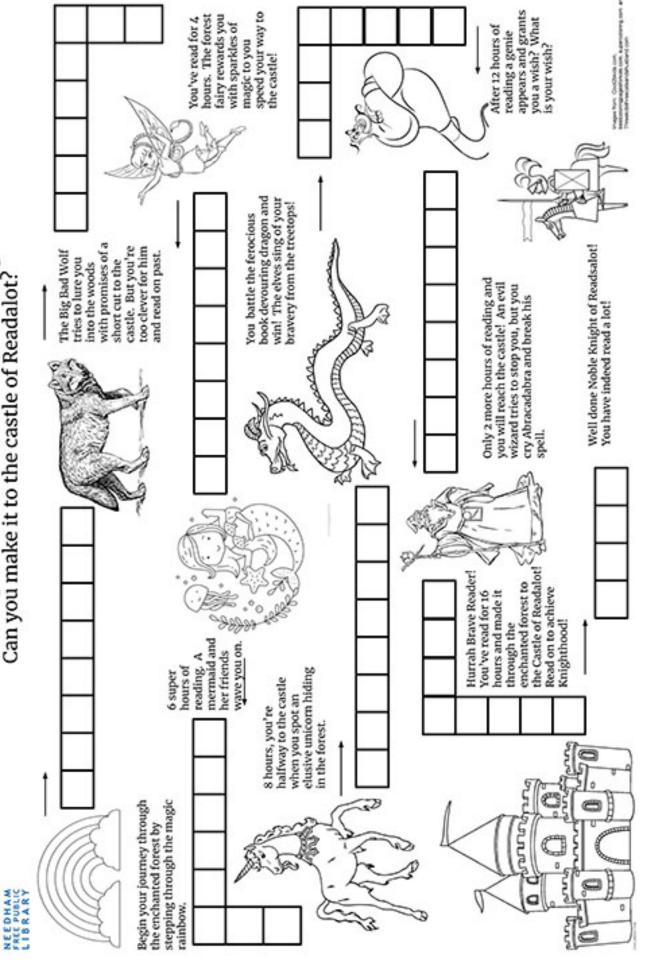
the flute-playing tortoise from the Amazon rainforest, to Tian the Lord of the Cranes in China, celebrate the common love of story with these exciting and engaging multicultural tales.

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Children's Virtual Byents Fead to Tucker the popular Therapy Dog 15 minute sessions on Tuesdays 15 minute sessions on Tuesdays on Fairy Tales June 17 for the whole Family Stories and Sing-a-Longs with Queen Elsa June 23 A Fantasy A Fantasy A Fantasy Adventure with Science Experiments					



Imagine Your Story Summer Reading Log

Color a square for each 15 minutes of reading. Can you make it to the castle of Readalot?







Summer Reading Virtual Bingo

Open to ages 12 +

The heroine saves herself

Reread a book you loved

Set in a dark forest

Retelling or Fractured Fairytale

A Ghost Story

In a different format (audio/graphic) Where the main character is an animal

I'm going on an Adventure!

With a loner anti-hero

Alohamora! A book with magic

An Award Winner The hero fulfills an ancient prophecy

Free Space!
Read
Rapunzel,
Read

A book that was turned into a film A book
with two or
more
narrators

Vampires, werewolves and elves, oh my!

A book that's over 400 pages long

Librarian's Choice A story featuring a cursed item Oldies but goodies, read a classic

A book involving a dragon

Read some short stories

Discover a new series Seeing
Double!
A book
with twins

A coming of age story