



# OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES



Graves Library Summer Reading Program 2022

Sign-up begins Tuesday, June 21. Come in or call us at 967-2778 to register!  
**(All Programs are held outside and will be canceled in inclement weather)**

\*Pre-registration required for most programs

## FAMILY STORYTIMES

**Fridays 10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**

Join us every Friday for books, songs, & movement! Program will be held outside on the lawn, weather permitting. Blankets for seating encouraged. Babies to pre-school.

## OCEAN WONDERS WATERCOLOR CLASS\*

**Tuesday July 12, 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.**

Local artist Piper Castle will lead an ocean themed watercolor class outside the library. All supplies will be provided. Please bring a towel and sunscreen. Ages: 6 and up. Limit: 12 kids.

## MERMAID & PIRATE ADVENTURE\*

**Tuesday July 19, 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

Stories, songs, mermaid games and pirate antics! Pirate or mermaid costumes are encouraged! A local mermaid & author will read her mermaid story and Pete the Pirate will share a pirate tale. Bring a box that will be your ship to sit in on the lawn. Decorations for your boat and sailor spyglasses will be provided. Ages: 4 to 10. Limit: 15 kids.



**Louis T. Graves Memorial Public Library**

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## NEW BOOK SHOWCASE

Throughout the summer, check out our amazing new books highlighting sea creatures and more! Choose from toddler all the way to high school level books.

## SUMMER CRAFTS TO GO

Be ready for those rainy days or when quiet time is needed! Pre-packaged ocean-themed craft kits. Come in or call to order. Limited supplies. Ages: 4 to 10.

## OCEAN TALES STORYTIME

**Wednesday July 20, 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.**

Featuring the books *Mr. Gull Meets Lady Lobster* and *The Shenanigans of Slim Pickins* by the late beloved author Tony Viehmann, read aloud by his granddaughters Kiera and Madison. Make a whale crown too! All ages.

## STUFFIE SLEEPOVER\*

**Wednesday August 10, 10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**

Is your stuffed animal looking for an adventure? Come to our outside stuffie story time, then leave your stuffie for a sleepover adventure! Pick up your stuffie the next day and hear about their experience. Ages: 4 to 10. Limit: 12 kids.

## MIDDLE GRADE BOOK GROUP\* The Pageturners

A Graves Library & Kennebunk Free Library program. Books are available at both libraries. Please call either library for more information and to pre-register.

Wednesday, July 27th  
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. at Kennebunk Free Library  
Discuss *Treasure Hunters* by James Patterson

Friday, August 19th  
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. at Graves Library  
Discuss *Song for a Whale* by Lynne Kelly



### TERRI TALES

Some of our old favorites are back for a second viewing! Check out these virtual storytimes complete with stories and songs performed by the ocean-loving friends of the library. Stories will run on Facebook and YouTube throughout the summer.

Meet...

**PETE THE PIRATE**

**FRANK THE FISHERMAN**

**MELLY THE MERMAID**

**LARRY THE LOBSTERMAN**

## ONGOING ACTIVITY STATIONS IN THE LIBRARY

Fun for all ages! Check out all the stations while you are visiting the library. If you play, be sure to enter into the summer drawings for prizes!

### #1 Shell Guessing Game

How many shells are in the jar? Enter your best guess to win an Oceans of Possibilities tote bag!

### #2 Origami and Coloring Sheets

New sheets at desk every week. See what you can create by just folding paper – aquatic fun for everyone, from easy to more difficult.

### #3 Go Fishing!

Test your fishing ability and win some crafts to do at home, or play the fishing game with a friend!

### #4 Bookmark Station

Make amazing ocean themed bookmarks all summer long. Stamps, stickers, ribbons and more!

### #5 Photo Booth

Have your picture taken with the dolphins. Mermaid, pirate, sea captain, and squid props available. Share your picture and be entered into a drawing for an Oceans of Possibilities tote bag.

### #6 Summer Eye Spy Terrarium

Can you locate all of the items in the terrarium? From the mermaid on the rocks to the sailing ship – lots to find.