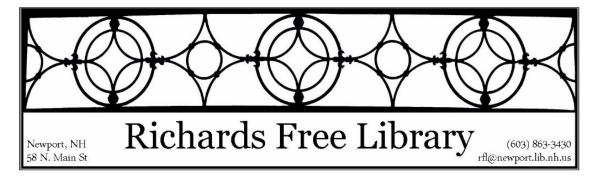
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Simon Brooks
Storytelling and
Summer Reading
Program Ice
Cream Finale

Thursday, August 3, 3:00

Join us at the library to celebrate all the wonderful reading you've done with stories, fun, ice cream and prizes for everyone.



Sara Josepha Hale Award August 19 - 8:00 PM Library Arts Center

Richards Free Library and the Judges of the Sarah Josepha Hale award are pleased to announce that Julia Alvarez is the 2017 Sarah Josepha Hale Award Medalist.

61st Annual Library Festival 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM, Saturday, August 26

Join us for this eagerly awaited annual event! The Book Sale opens at 9:00 AM with admission at 8:00 AM for Friends of the Library (you can join that morning!). The



2017 Solar Eclipse

Learn about the upcoming Solar Eclipse - Drop-in crafts on Thursday, August 17 - create a pinhole projection viewer and make 3D models of a Solar Eclipse.

Watch it with us on Monday, August 21, 1:00 PM: Use your pinhole box to watch the eclipse or get a FREE pair of our COOL eclipse glasses; create sun cookies; play eclipse trivia.

We have a limited number of glasses available to the public. Stop in the week of August 14 to get your pair!

Welcome Back to Janice Brehio!

Janice Brehio, our former Children's Librarian, will be rejoining our library staff as Outreach is offered by Library Trustees; and our ever-popular Children's Tent has new activities each year! Also offered for sale are Friends of the Library items such as note cards and postcards.



HarperCollins Contest

Recently, the Richards Free Library participated in the HarperCollins 200th Anniversary Poster Sweepstakes, and the entry, arranged and photographed by Molly DiPadova and Moriah Churchill, won second place! The contest called for libraries and bookstores to tweet out a photo displaying books off of the HarperCollins 200 book list under the hashtag #HC200Poster. The library staff photographed 50 of HarperCollins' most highly acclaimed publications arranged on the steps of the library staircase. As a second place winner, the library received 25 books from the HarperCollins list and cupcakes for the staff to enjoy. The prize also included HarperCollins tote bags and bookmarks.

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services to our community including the home-bound and people in care facilities. If you are unable to come to the library, you can make an appointment to have her deliver books to you on Fridays. Stop in and say hello!



New Movies!

Beauty and the
Beast
Fate of the Furious
Life
My Life as a
Zucchini
The Shack

Next Trustees

Meeting
7:00 PM

Monday, August 28

Would you like to get the library



The library now has a 3D printer thanks to the Newport Rotary and the Friends of the Richards Free Library. Come to the library on **August 31 at 6:30** to learn the basics, including how you can submit projects to be printed here at the library, and how to start designing your own projects at home. Our 3D printing policy can be viewed here.



International Community Night

Join the workcampers from Volunteers for Peace for an evening of sharing of our many cultures. Thursday, July 27, 7:00 PM in the ballroom





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Sign up on the library's website at: www.newport.lib.nh.us

Carolina, were married here in the library 20 years ago. They stopped in recently day to re-create their wedding photo!

Library Hours:

Monday 1 - 6 Tuesday & Thursday 10 -8 Wednesday & Friday 10-6 Saturday 10-2

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