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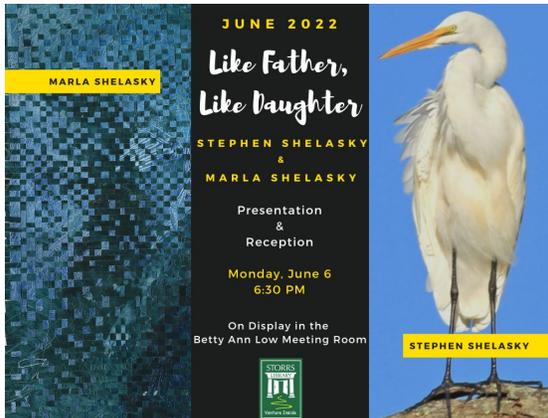
### Library Hours

Monday–Thursday 9–8  
 Friday 9–5  
 Saturday 9–4

## What's Happening in Adult Next Week at Storrs Library

Dates: June 5–June 11, 2022

### Art Exhibit



Storrs Library welcomes artists Steve Shelasky and Marla Shelasky and their exhibit titled, Like Father, Like Daughter. View the beautifully detailed nature photography of Steve Shelasky and the wonderfully textured and colorful woven paintings of Marla Shelasky. There will be a presentation by the artists on Monday, June 6 at 6:30 sponsored by the Longmeadow Arts Community.

The exhibit is available for viewing during the month of June anytime the room is not in use.

### Community Donation Drive



Storrs Library will be hosting a food donation drive to support the Longmeadow Food Pantry who is in urgent need of non-perishable food items. We will be collecting items until June 11th.

Some suggested items to donate: tuna, rice, canned soup, cereal, hot cereal, baking needs, and canned foods. All items must be non-expired, non-perishable and unopened.

### Adult Programs

#### Fiber Arts Group

Tuesday, June 7, 6:00–7:30

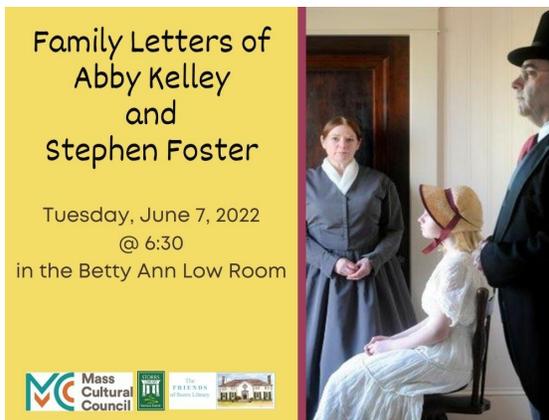
The Storrs Library Fiber Arts Group is a generous and talented group who use recycled textiles to make beautiful and artistic products. This season, we will work on "Plot Holders" (pot holders) and "Storage Baskets" (cloth baskets). Items are donated to Friends of Storrs Library for fundraising. If you know how to



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## Family Letters of Abby KELLEY and Stephen S. FOSTER

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sew (while you help the FOSL), we would love for you to join us.

Please register in advance.

As radical abolitionist lecturers for the American Anti-slavery Society, Abby KELLEY and Stephen FOSTER experienced long periods of separation. Original letters provide a unique look into their personal lives - from Abby and Stephen's courtship through the years of their daughter's childhood.

Join Lynne McKENNEY LYDICK and Thomas R. LYDICK as they share the private letters of this very public Worcester couple.

Register in Advance.

This program is supported in part by a grant from the Longmeadow Cultural Council, a local agency which is supported by the Mass Cultural Council, a state agency.

## Bocce on the Lawn

Wednesday, June 8, 11:00-1:00



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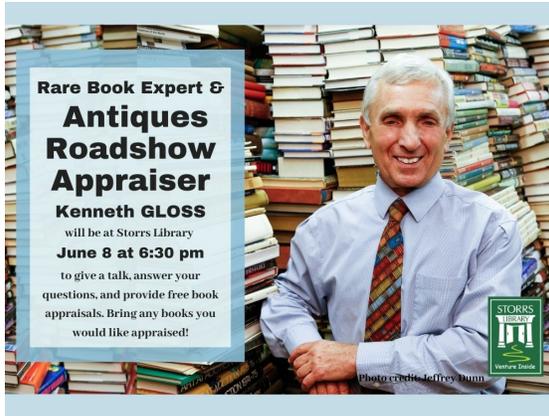
Join us for Bocce on the Lawn this summer! Every Wednesday morning at 11:00. No Experience Necessary.

Register in Advance!

Program will be cancelled if it rains.

## Rare Book Expert/Antiques Road Show Appraiser Kenneth GLOSS

Wednesday, June 8, 6:30–7:30



A guest appraiser on PBS' Antiques Roadshow will be giving free appraisals of old and rare books. Kenneth Gloss, proprietor of the Brattle Book Shop in Boston, will discuss the value of old and rare books, talk about some of his favorite finds and explain what makes a book increase in value. He will then answer questions from the audience before giving some free verbal appraisals of books that attendees have brought with them.

Please Register in Advance!

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## Organic Container Gardening with Paul SPLIT

Thursday, June 9, 5:30–7:30



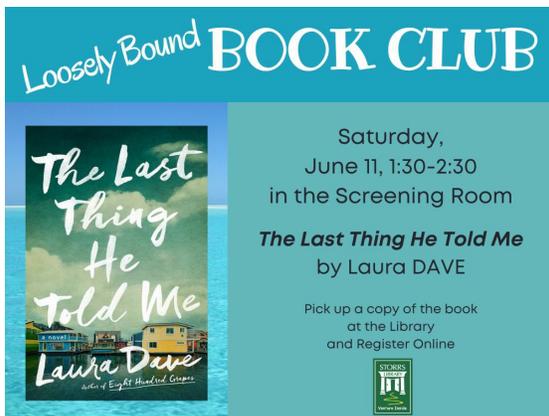
Paul Split of Horticultural Connection will present a talk on organic container gardening. Paul will explain how to plant and maintain your containers using the latest sustainable techniques so they can continue to bloom throughout the season. He will review growing mediums, fertilizing, irrigation, IPM and plant selection. He has been a nationally recognized designer & presenter of green workshops and lectures since 1971. He has been a judge at the Boston Flower Show and lectured at the CT, Philadelphia & NY flower shows this year. Free herbs will be given out.

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This program is open to everyone and is free of charge. Please register in advance.

## Loosely Bound Book Club

Saturday, June 11, 1:30–2:30



May's book selection is *The Last Thing He Told Me* by Laura DAVE. "Before Owen Michaels disappears, he smuggles a note to his beloved wife of one year: Protect her. Despite her confusion and fear, Hannah Hall knows exactly to whom the note refers - Owen's sixteen-year-old daughter, Bailey. Bailey, who lost her mother tragically as a child. Bailey, who wants absolutely nothing to do with her new stepmother. As Hannah's increasingly desperate calls to Owen go unanswered, as the FBI arrests Owen's boss, as a US marshal and federal

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agents arrive at her Sausalito home unannounced, Hannah quickly realizes her husband isn't who he said he was. And that Bailey just may hold the key to figuring out Owen's true identity and why he really disappeared." -Simon & Schuster

Copies of this month's book selection are available at Storrs Library, as well as [online](#) in our OverDrive catalog. Advance Registration is required.

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