



**Richard Salter Storrs Library**  
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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: April 30–May 6, 2023

## Community Donation Drive

### Lydia's Closet

Monday, May 1 - Wednesday, May 31



Lydia's Closet at St. Andrew's Church collects donations of new and gently used clothing for infants through teens and baby and toddler gear. Foster Care families and families in need in Western Massachusetts can shop at Lydia's Closet for clothing, shoes, and other supplies for their children at no cost. Lydia's Closet depends on the generous donations of people in the community to help keep the shelves stocked each season.

To continue to support children and families this summer, Lydia's Closet needs donations of the following:

Summer Clothing for Teenage Boys and Girls – Adult Sizes S, M, and L (tee shirts, shorts, jeans, sweatshirts, bathing suits)

Summer Clothing for Boys and Girls - Toddler Sizes 2T through 5T and Youth Sizes 6 through 14/16 (tee shirts, shorts, sweatshirts, bathing suits)

Sneakers for Teens - Women and Men Adult Sizes

Sneakers for Toddlers and Youths

New Socks and Underwear for Toddlers through Teens

Lydia's Closet also welcomes donations of Car Seats (not expired), Pack N' Plays, Cribs, Strollers, High Chairs, and Baby Clothing and Supplies.

You can drop off donations at the Library between May 1st and May 31st or anytime in the donation bin for Lydia's Closet in the parking lot behind St. Andrew's Church; 335 Longmeadow St.

## Art Exhibit

# Joanne Bell

Tuesday, May 1 – Tuesday, May 30



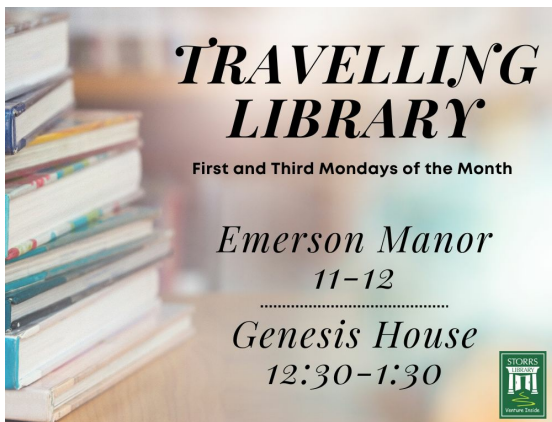
Visit Storrs Library to view an exhibit by Joanne Bell. The theme of this collection of photos is "Foliage and Florals." Many of the landscapes were shot locally, such as roadside scenes in South Hadley and Ludlow, as well as at Quabbin Reservoir and Shelburne Falls and will be on exhibit in the Betty Ann Low Meeting Room.

Please visit anytime the room is not in use.

## Adult Programs

### Traveling Library

Monday, May 1, 11:00–1:30



On the first and third Monday of the month residents of Emerson Manor and Genesis House can swing by the courtyard next to the office and check out books, magazines, books on CD, and DVDs.

**Please call 413-565-4181 x1620 with any material requests the week before the event.**

### Tech Tuesdays

Tuesday, May 2, 9:00–12:00



Tech Tuesdays is Back!

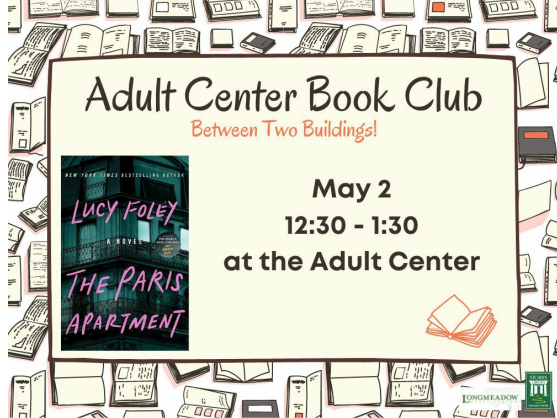
Need help with your device? Bring it to the Library for assistance! Having trouble with email? Come to the Library to get help! Want to learn about the Library's digital offerings? Drop in every Tuesday, 9-12!

Remember to bring your device, your library card and any passwords you may need to access your accounts.

### Adult Center Book Club: Between Two Buildings

Tuesday, May 2, 12:30–1:30

Join Storrs Librarians and members of the Adult Center Book Club on the first Tuesday of every month. Copies of this month's



book will be on hold at Storrs Library.

***The Paris Apartment:*** A new locked room mystery set in a Paris apartment building in which every resident has something to hide. Jess is broke and alone and just left her job under less than ideal circumstances. Her half-brother Ben wasn't thrilled when she asked to crash with him, but didn't say no, and surely everything will look better from Paris. But when she shows up, he's not there and Ben's neighbors, an eclectic bunch, are not particularly friendly. Jess may have come to Paris to escape her past, but it looks like it's Ben's future that's in jeopardy.

**Register by calling the Adult Center at 413-565-4150.**

## Fiber Arts Meeting Tuesday, May 2, 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.

Items are donated to Friends of Storrs Library for fundraising. If you know how to sew (while you help the FOSL), we would love for you to join us.

Please register in advance.

[Read More/Register](#)

## eBay 101: The Basics of Buying & Selling Tuesday, May 2, 6:30–7:30



This program is ideal for those who have rarely or never used eBay but want to learn about Buying & Selling on it. Mike & Sue Ivankovich will explain the basics of using eBay including: Getting Started; How to Buy on eBay; How to Locate Treasures; Using eBay to Determine the Market Interest & Value in Specific Categories; How to Gauge the Reputation of Sellers & Buyers; How to Sell on eBay; What It Costs to Sell; How to List an Item; How You Can Use eBay as a Part-Time Job; and much more. Even intermediate eBay Users will probably learn some valuable tips with this program. NOTE: We recommend that you take this program before taking our eBay 201 - Beyond the Basics program.

[Read More/Register](#)

This program is sponsored by the Friends of Storrs Library.

This program will be on zoom. Please register in advance and the link will be sent to you shortly before the program.

## Bocce on the Lawn

Wednesday, May 3, 11:00–12:00



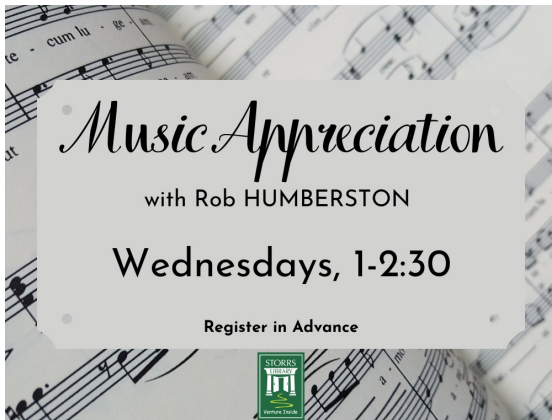
Join us for Bocce on the Lawn this summer! Every Wednesday morning at 11:00. This program is for adults. No Experience Necessary.

Register in advance!  
(Bocce will be cancelled if it rains)

[Read More/Register](#)

## Music Appreciation with Rob HUMBERSTON

Wednesday, May 3, 1:00–2:30



Rob HUMBERSTON will guide us on a tour through the history of music to appreciate works from Baroque to modern. Join us every Wednesday as we listen to beautiful music in performances by artists and ensembles and their conductors renowned for their interpretations of these works.

Registration in advance is preferred, this program is intended for adults.

[Read More/Register](#)

## Developing More Confidence with Chris Rich

Wednesday, May 3, 6:30–7:30

Many of us think if we could just lose the last 10 pounds, run the marathon, or get the job promotion then we would be confident. We have been trained to believe that confidence comes from the things we do or that we were just born with it. Come join Chris Rich, a local resident, and certified life coach, to discover a new way of looking at confidence and how to get more of it.

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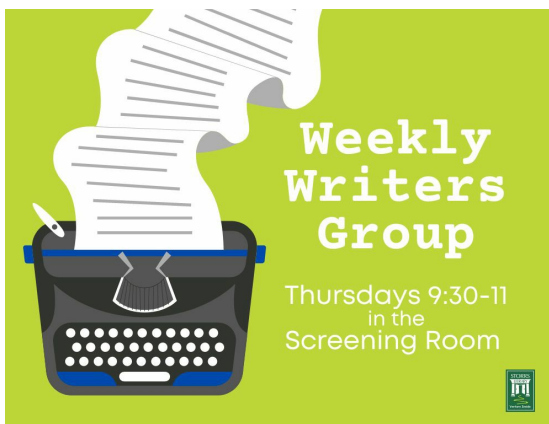


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[Read More/Register](#)

## Weekly Writers Group

Thursday, May 4, 9:30–11:00



You're invited to join the Weekly Writing Group!

The Writers Group is a welcoming place to share and grow as a writer while being listened to and supported. Each week members share a page or two of their writing from that week and then join in a ten minutes writing exercise with sharing and discussion afterwards.

The Writers Group meets every Thursday at 9:30 am on the second floor of the library. This group is intended for adults.

## Great Decisions : CLIMATE MIGRATION

Thursday, May 4, 6:00–7:30



Great Decisions is America's largest discussion program on world affairs, examining and informing on the most critical global issues facing America today. It helps to serve as a catalyst for developing awareness, understanding, and informed opinion on U.S. foreign policy and global issues. Through its balanced, nonpartisan programs and publications, the program encourages citizens to participate in the foreign policy process.

Topic 8 : CLIMATE MIGRATION - As climate change accelerates and drought and rising sea levels become more common, millions of people in affected regions must uproot themselves and seek safety elsewhere. Who are these affected individuals, and how might the United States aid them, and be affected by the migration?

Register [Here](#) (only if you have not already registered - Registering once allows you

access to all Great Decisions classes)

## Dungeons & Dragons Campaign

Saturday, May 6, 10:00–1:00



Bring your characters and your adventuring spirit and join us for our Saturday Dungeons and Dragons Campaigns!

Advanced registration is required. At this time our campaigns are intended for adults.

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