The Friends of the Library: February Updates

Looking for some new Winter activities? We've got you covered! Visit the library website for more information on how to access the resources below.

Crafting with CreativeBug

Creativebug is an easy-to-use online art & craft education resource offering unlimited access to thousands of beginner to advanced classes for:

- Baking
- Crochet
- Drawing

- Jewelry Making
- Knitting
- Painting

- Paper Crafting
- Sewing
- & More!

Classes are taught by renowned artists and designers and offer detailed explanations and step-by-step guidance. A few of our favorites include:

- Sewing a custom tote bag: Learn basic sewing skills to create a personalized bag with unique fabric combinations.
- Crocheting a textured blanket: Explore different crochet stitches to create a visually interesting throw.
- Watercolor portrait painting: Master watercolor techniques to paint a realistic
- Paper quilling art: Learn the art of paper quilling to create intricate designs.
- Embroidered wall hanging: Combine embroidery techniques to create a decorative piece for your home

A Day at the Museum: Historic New England

Historic New England is a historic preservation organization that owns and operates historic house museums and properties. With 36 properties open to the public, 5 are located in New Hampshire with the majority of the others in Massachusetts.

Visit <u>historicnewengland.org/visit</u> for more details on the properties including when each is open during the year.

Support & Learn More About Us

See you at the Friends Table On Election Day (Tuesday, March 11)! We'll have tote bags, a spring quilted wall hanging raffle, and information about upcoming events at the library.

Visit <u>friendsofgriffinfree.org</u> for news, event information, and event photos. We can be reached at <u>secretary@friendsofgriffinfree.org</u> and invite you to attend our next meeting at 6:30 at the library on Monday, February 3rd.