

2025

The FRIENDS OF THE
MALDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY



FRIENDS FACTS



Our MISSION is to support the Malden Public Library in its mission to serve our community, by organizing fundraisers and participating in local events.

The FMPL promote books, reading, the Library itself, culture and diversity for all citizens of Malden through our activities.



OUR PRINCIPLES:

1. **GROW & DEVELOP** the Friends to reflect the diversity of our community.
 2. **PARTNER** with Malden businesses/organizations for mutual support.
- By working towards these two principles, we strengthen our organization and ensure a membership that will guarantee the longevity of the Friends.

Meetings: Second Tuesday of the month at 7pm at the Library w/ Zoom option.

DIVERSITY IS ON OUR AGENDA - PARTNERING WITH MALDEN ORGANIZATIONS



Our Diversity plan gets us out into the community to make new Friends by piggy-backing on other organizations events with Pop-up Book Carts

- MLK/Black History event / Emmanuel Baptist Church Jan., Feb. 2024 & 2025
- Lunar New Year / Chinese Culture Connection Feb. 2024, Jan. 2025
- Race Amity Event June 2024, June 2025
- Juneteenth June 2024, June 2025
- Pride Coalition Event June 2024, June 2025
- Hispanic Heritage Festival / NSHA Oct. 2024, Sept. 2025
- Indigenous People's day/Malden Reads Oct. 2023, Oct. 2024
- Halloween Book Treat / Chamber of Commerce ...Oct. 31, 2021 – 2024...
- **Spring Book Sale** / MFD May 2024, Apr/2025
- **Fall Book Sale** / MPD Oct. 2024, Oct. 2025



POP-UP BOOK CART PARTNERS/EVENTS 2024



Spring/Fall Book
Sale partners



POP-UP BOOK CARTS 2025



Lunar New Year and MLK
January 2025



BLACK HISTORY MONTH POP-UP FEB – MAR 2024



SPRING BOOK SALE Partnering with New England Coffee and MFD

May 2024

POP-UPS JUNE 2024

Juneteenth Event 2024

Race Amity Event
JUNE 2024

Friends Annual Wine-tasting Gala JUNE 2024



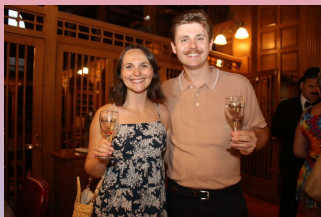
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DON'T MISS our Mocktails Table!



Wine Tasting Gala 2024



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WORCESTER TELEGRAM
MALDEN FRIENDS TO WORCESTER FRIENDS

August 2024



PINE BANKS FAIRY HOUSES BOOK GIVE-AWAY

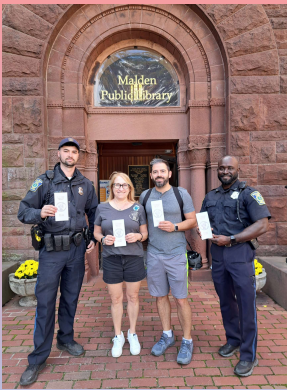
August 2024



POP-UP September 2024



GMAACC Event

FALL BOOK SALE Partnering with
Cornucopia and MPD October 2024

Our newly Re-organized BOOK ROOM!



POP-UPS OCTOBER 2024



Hispanic Heritage Festival



Indigenous People's Event





Halloween Book Treat with the Chamber of Commerce

Happy Halloween!
Book Give-away



EVENTS DECEMBER 2024



Winter Concert with Malden Historical Society

Winter Wonderland Book Give-away
with Malden Reads Winter Festival



FRIENDS OF THE MALDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2025



2025 Calendar

FRIENDS OF THE MPL

Calendar 2025

January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
14 FMPL Meeting 7pm	11 FMPL Meeting 7pm	11 FMPL Meeting 7pm	4 Spring Book Sale	9 * Wine Tasting Gala *	8 Race Amity pop-up	8 FMPL Meeting 7pm	12 FMPL Meeting 7pm	9 FMPL Meeting 7pm	14 FMPL Meeting 7pm	12 FMPL Meeting 7pm	7 * Winter Concert *
18 Lunar New Year /MLK pop-ups	23 Black History pop-up	?? Malden Pride Book Swap	5 Spring Book Sale MFD	13 FMPL Meeting 7pm	10 FMPL Meeting 7pm	26 CCC open house?	?? Pine Banks Fairy festival?	20 Hispanic Festival Pop-up	17 Fall Book Sale	22 CCC Potluck?	9 FMPL Meeting 7pm
31 Members Drive Book Sale			8 FMPL Meeting 7pm		19 JUNE-TEENTH pop-up			?? GMAACC pop-up?	18 Fall Book Sale - MPD		13 Winter Holiday Book Sale
					26 Summer Reading Kickoff				31 Halloween BOOK TREAT w/ Chamber		
					28 Malden Pride pop-up						



Thank you for being a Friend!

