



PortsmouthPublicLibrary.org



# September 2010

## Main Library

601 Court St  
393-8501  
Mon-Thurs 10am-6pm  
Fri & Sat 10am-5pm

## Children's @ Main

**Friday - Closed**  
**Pre-School StoryTime**  
**Tuesday @ 10:30am**  
**Ages 3-5.**

Join us for **Babygarten**, a fun and exciting program for infants and their caregivers. Classes focus on nursery rhymes, songs, and books that enrich your children's lives and provide them with a foundation for learning success. Held Aug. 14th - Sept 11th. Saturdays @ 11am

**Free parking in garage behind Main library on Saturdays.**



**Read with Andalo!** Andalo will be visiting the library for reading time @ Main on Sat. **Sept. 11th** and **Oct. 9th** from 12:30 to 1:30. Presented by the Children's Museum.

## Law Library

Located at the Main Library. A staff member is available Monday - Thursday from 11am to 4pm

## The Esther Murdaugh Wilson Memorial Room

is open for **local history** and **genealogy research**. Please call for hours.

## Churchland Branch

4934 High Street West  
**686-2538**  
Mon - Wed 10am - 8pm  
Thurs 10am - 6pm  
Fri & Sat 10am - 5pm

**Pre-School StoryTime**  
Thursdays @ 10:30am  
Ages 3-5. Registration required for large groups.



**Need Computer Help?**  
Churchland Branch Library now has a scheduled **Information Technology Assistance Program (iTap)**. No registration required, First come - First served.  
**Mon. 10am-12noon,**  
**Tue. 5:30pm -7:30pm,**  
**Wed. 6:30pm-7:30pm.**  
(Dates Subject To Change)



## **Attention Writers!**

Join our **Writer's Group** @ Churchland Branch at 6pm Tuesdays, September 14th & 28th. You may be the next Pulitzer Prize winner! **Call Mary Hodges (393-8759) @ the Cradock Branch for more details.**



## Cradock Branch

28 Prospect Parkway  
**393-8759**  
Mon - Thurs 10am - 5:30pm  
Sat 10am - 3pm

**Friday - Closed**  
**Preschool StoryTime**  
**Thurs. @ 11am**



**Read with Andalo!**

Andalo will be visiting the library for reading time @ Cradock on Saturdays **Sept. 25th** and **Oct. 23rd** from 12:30 to 1:30. Presented by the Children's Museum.

## Manor Branch

1401 Elmhurst Lane  
**465-2916**  
Mon - Thurs 10am - 6pm  
Sat 10am - 5pm

**Friday - Closed**  
Preschool StoryTime Starts Sept 9th Thurs. @ 10:30am.  
Craft 23rd @ storytime.

## Teen Bookclub

Sept 28th @ 2:45pm Attend the meeting and mingle with teens who love reading books. Anyone who joins receives a copy of the featured book of the month

## **Friends of the Portsmouth Public Library**

**Monthly Book Sale "Books by the Inch"**  
Saturday, Sept. 11th 10am-4pm (open to the public)  
Friday, Sept. 10th -6 pm. Preview for members only.  
Membership available onsite.  
Held in the basement @ the Main Library



## **Portsmouth Book Group**

(@ Churchland 1st Monday of each month) Have you always meant to read the classics, but never got around to it? Dying to discuss the latest mystery or best seller? Join **The Portsmouth Book Group** Monday Sept. 13th @ 6pm. Bring your ideas and the titles of books you've always wanted to read.

## **TwoTime @Churchland**

**A weekly event for children between the ages of 18 and 36 months.** The program includes story time and fun activities that will help your child learn some of the pre-literacy skills that are important for later school success. Parents who register and attend at least 4 programs will receive a library tote bag and a board book. held on Sat. Sept 18th - Oct 23rd. To register Call 686-2538, stop by @ Churchland or log on to [PortsmouthPublicLibrary.org](http://PortsmouthPublicLibrary.org)  
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