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# JANUARY 2015 GREETINGS FROM BAXTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!!



UPCOMING BOOK DISCUSSIONS  
Thursdays @ 10am

January 8th ~ *The Light in the Ruins*  
by Chris Bohjalian

January 22nd ~ *11/22/63*  
by Stephen King

No registration required.

### Happy New Year From All of Us at Baxter Memorial Library

At the start of what we think will be a great year at the library, it is our pleasure to share our new logo with you. We hope you like it as much as we do!



We will be re-registering all our patrons and issuing new library cards (with our new logo) starting in mid-January. Much of the application process will be available online to make it as easy as possible for you. In keeping with the rules of the Minerva consortium, we will be verifying addresses and ensuring our database is up-to-date. This process will take 6 months and we will issue the cards on a rolling basis to limit long lines to get new cards. Your current library card will work until your new one is issued.

We have some exciting programs already in the planning process for 2015. Maine Author Paul Doiron is scheduled to speak at our library on the evening of March 25, 2015 as part of the Friends' March Merriment Series. We are also collaborating with the schools to bring you a new and exciting Summer Reading Program for all ages in 2015.

Our calendar of events can be viewed on our website at [www.baxterlibrary.org](http://www.baxterlibrary.org) and on our Facebook page. We update both sites frequently so please check them often for the latest library news!

Baxter Memorial Library is proud to be a donation site for the Gorham Food Pantry. Just inside our lobby is a grocery cart where you can drop off non-perishable food items and personal products for families in need.

Each month we like to highlight an item for donation. This month's item is: **Juice**.

To learn more about The Gorham Food Pantry visit our Facebook page and click on their link.



### Super Saturday: January 31<sup>st</sup> at 11:00 a.m.



A representative from My-FIT-24 gym in Gorham will lead a Fit Kids session to promote physical activity, health, and wellness during the cold winter months.

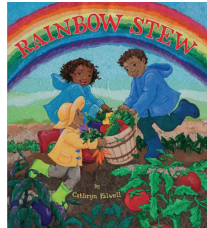
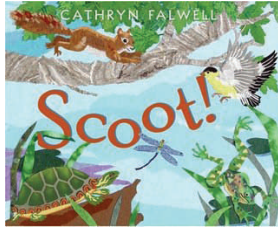
### Cents For Our Second Century Coin Tally

From 1/1/2009 thru 12/31/2014

69,219 Pennies	10,309 Dimes
7,249 Nickels	10,403 Quarters
Grand Total \$3,686.29	



Local author and illustrator **Cathryn Falwell** will be our Special Guest Reader at Pre-School Story Time on **Tuesday, Jan 20<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.** This interactive story time will feature Cathryn's beautifully illustrated picture books and related props.



### Book Donations

We have a book drop located just inside our lobby to the left of the doors. Any books donated that do not get put into our collection will go to our biannual book sales, held in April and October. Items we cannot accept are: condensed books, textbooks, encyclopedias, and any books with mold or mildew. As always, thank you for your donations.



# January 2015

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Closed for New Year	2	3
5	6 9:30am Pre-School Story Time	7	8 9:30am Baby & Me 10am Toddler Time 10am Book Discussion 6:30pm Friends of BML	9	10 10am Lego Club
12	13 9:30am Pre-School Story Time	14	15 9:30am Baby & Me 10am Toddler Time	16	
19 Closed for Martin Luther King Jr Day	20 9:30am Pre-School Story Time: Author Visit	21	22 9:30am Baby & Me 10am Toddler Time 10am Book Discussion	23	24
26	27 9:30am Pre-School Story Time	28	29 9:30am Baby & Me 10am Toddler Time	30	31 11am Super Saturday: Fit Kids



For an update on our events, please visit our online calendar at [www.baxterlibrary.org](http://www.baxterlibrary.org) or call 222-1190 for more information.