



## Check Out An Expert Starts March 1st

Discover our innovative **Check Out an Expert** program—launching March 1, 2025! [Our latest post introduces you to local professionals](#), offering personalized sessions in fine art, real estate, automotive innovation, gardening, communication, and health. Dive in to learn how you can tap into community expertise and boost your skills.

If you are interested in getting involved and becoming an expert, email: [humanresources@plymouthlibrary.org](mailto:humanresources@plymouthlibrary.org).



## March Reading Challenge

**Love reading as much as we do?** Join our all-ages March Reading Challenge for National Reading Month. Kids have been enjoying PDL's March Reading Challenge for years, but starting in 2025, patrons of all ages can join in!

[Beginning March 1st, pick up a challenge sheet from the library](#), then stop by each week to check in and tell us what challenges you've completed. **Adults & teens will earn weekly raffle tickets for exciting raffle prizes, and youth will earn weekly prizes.** Everyone who completes the challenge wins a free book! Sponsored by Friends of PDL.



## Exciting Changes are Coming to Our Library!

Exciting changes are coming to our library! Here's what you need to know:

**Movies/DVDs:** After March 2nd, all movies will be moved near our Teen Zone. **Youth DVDs** will move up to the main level near the Teen Zone in an aisle designated for youth.

**Audiobooks:** On the main level, most audiobooks will shift to the former DVD shelves near the fireplace. **Youth audiobooks** will remain on the lower level.

These updates are part of a larger building refresh, so you can expect even more improvements over the coming months. Thank you for your patience and for being a valued part of our community as we work to make your library experience even better!



## Bridging Generations: Activities That Bring Everyone Together

Learning and fun have no age limit! That's why we're hosting a series of intergenerational events—bringing people of all ages together to connect, create, and celebrate. Whether it's games, crafts, poetry, or film, these programs offer a wonderful opportunity to meet new people, share experiences, and strengthen our community. [Visit our website to learn more about the importance of connecting across generations and to explore upcoming events designed to bring our community together.](#)

**Community Screening of *The Wild Robot* Sunday, March 30 | 1:30-3:45 pm**

Join us for a special screening of *The Wild Robot*, followed by a hands-on activity where we'll explore how we can help shape our climate's future. Registration required.

**Additional events and programs for all ages:**

**Talking Hands ASL Club** Saturdays, March 15, April 19, May 17 | 10:30-11:30 am

**Community LEGO Day** Saturday, March 22 | 1-2 pm

**Board Game Afternoon** Saturday, April 12 | 1-4 pm

**Poetry Jam** Saturday, April 26 | 1-2 pm

**Scrap Art with The Lab – Take & Make** Pick up kits: April 21-27 | Submit artwork: May 11-18

**The Climate Ribbon Project** April 1-30

**Cards for Hospitalized Kids** Sunday, May 18 | 2-4 pm

**Craft & Hobby Swap** Saturday, May 31 | 10 am-2 pm



## Finding a Book Club that is Right for You

There's nothing like starting a new book—getting to know the characters, diving into a storyline, and eagerly sneaking in pages whenever you can: during lunch, before bed, in between errands. But what if there was something that could make this experience even better? That's where book clubs come in. We have created several new book clubs. [Read more about them and about book clubs for different ages and genres.](#)

## Our Community



**FormalSHARE DONATIONS:** Hundreds of beautiful dresses, dapper suits, and formal wear for prom, weddings, and graduation season are ready for new owners! Our first-ever **FormalSHARE** event aims to make dressing up more affordable for all. **Donate:** Donations of gently used formal or semi-formal dresses, suits, dress shirts & sport coats may be dropped off (clean and on hangers please) any time through March 14. Special occasion shoes and accessories are also welcome. **March 15: Register to come select one new-to-you dress, suit or sport coat for upcoming special occasions.** Time-entry will ensure a pleasant browsing experience for all. **Registration required.** Age Group: Teens and Adults.

**Red Cross Blood Drive:** **RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVES Thursdays, Mar. 27 | 10am-4pm.** You are invited to sign up to donate to the Red Cross blood supply. To sign up, visit [redcrossblood.org](https://redcrossblood.org) (use sponsor code: plylibrary) or call 1-800-RED CROSS. For March, the Red Cross will be advising donors of their A1C number, a measurement of the average amount of glucose (sugar) in your blood. A1C is commonly used to screen for pre-diabetes and diabetes, and can serve as an important health indicator you can discuss with your doctor. Age Group: Adults and Teens.

**Library Surplus Items for Sale** Looking for affordable furniture or equipment? We are offering surplus items for sale, including tables, chairs, shelving, and more. *These gently used items are available on a first-come, first-served basis until March 10, 2025.* Check out the list of available items and find out how to make a purchase!



## Book List Highlight: Hello Beautiful

Discover a curated collection inspired by Ann Napolitano's *Hello Beautiful*. This booklist features evocative, character-driven novels that explore life's beauty and complexity in all its forms. If you love thoughtful narratives and richly drawn characters, [visit the list for your next unforgettable read.](#)



## Author Spotlight: Allie Reynolds

Former pro snowboarder Allie Reynolds knows how to bring the adrenaline! Her thrillers *Shiver* and *The Swell* (aka *The Bay*) drop readers into high-stakes, locked-room mysteries set in the world of extreme sports. From icy slopes to remote surf breaks, her stories are packed with suspense, secrets, and danger. [Learn more about Allie Reynolds and her gripping novels in our latest Author Spotlight.](#)

## Sign Up Today

**Thanks for being a part of and supporting Plymouth District Library.** Looking for a variety of events or activities to enjoy? [Visit our online calendar for upcoming events.](#) For your next good read, visit our [Read/Watch/Listen](#) page. [Click here for more library news and events sent directly to you.](#)