

AUGUST 2018



**MERRILL
MEMORIAL
LIBRARY**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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26	27 Monday Matinee, <i>Isle of Dogs</i> , 1 pm	28 Techspresso, 2 pm	29 Maker Cart, 2 pm	30 Tales and Tunes, 10:30 am	31 Drums Around the World, 11am Last Day of Summer Reading!	

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Aug 1, 2 pm, Maker Cart.
- Aug 2, 3 pm, STEAM Makers. Registration Required
- Aug 6, 11 am, Making Musical Instruments
- Aug 8, 7 pm, Merrill Film Society, *Almost Famous*.
- Aug 22, 7 pm, Merrill Film Society, *Sound City*.
- Aug 27, 1 pm, Monday Matinee, *Isle of Dogs*.
- Aug 31, 11 am, Drums Around the World.



**Drums Around the World
With Nicole Bailey
Friday Aug 31st, 11 am
Come celebrate the end of
Summer Reading!**

Ongoing Programs

- Artist Exhibit, Yarmouth Historical Society: Photographs of Yarmouth.
- Techspresso: Free coffee and tech help, drop in. Tuesdays, 2 pm.
- Tales and Tunes: story hour for 3 to 5 year olds. Drop in, all welcome. Thursdays, 10:30 am.
- Baby Bounces and Books: story hour for birth through 24 months. Drop in, all are welcome. Fridays, 10:15 am.
- Tales for Twos: story hour for two year olds. Drop in, all are welcome. Fridays, 11 am.
- Table Top Role Playing Games for Kids: Fridays, 2:45 pm
- Tail Waggin Tales: Therapy dog reading assistance. Registration required. Fridays, 3:45 pm.

MOVIES AT MERRILL

All Movies are Free and Open to the Public!

Merrill Film Society

In conjunction with the theme of this year's summer reading program, Libraries Rock, Merrill Film Society is screening some of the greatest rock and roll movies ever made.

August 8, 7 pm: *Almost Famous* (2000), 122 minutes

Almost Famous is the only fictional film this summer, but it is semi-autobiographical. Writer/director Cameron Crowe based it on his own experience as a writer for Rolling Stone magazine when he was only 15. On assignment to write his first article for the magazine, the main character (Patrick Fugit) follows the fictional band Stillwater on the road, cavorts with groupies, and adopts the (real) writer Lester Bangs as his mentor. The cast includes Kate Hudson, Frances McDormand, Philip Seymour Hoffman, and Billy Crudup. Winner of the Academy Award for Best Screenplay.

August 22, 7 pm: *Sound City* (2013), 107 minutes

Sound City recounts the last few decades of rock and roll through single recording studio in suburban California and, more specifically, the mixing board that inhabited the studio. Musician Dave Grohl, who had recorded there in 1991 with Nirvana, considered the 2011 closing of the studio and sale of the board to be the end of an era, so he set out to tell their story.

The film opened at Sundance and was received well by everyone who saw it. Grohl's cheer and enthusiasm when talking about music is infectious, and the interviews with Tom Petty, John Fogerty, Neil Young, Paul McCartney, Trent Reznor, Rick Rubin, members of Fleetwood Mac, Metallica, Weezer, Queens of the Stone Age, and the Pixies are a lot of fun.

Monday Matinee

August 27, 1pm: *Isle of Dogs* (2017), 105 minutes

When, by executive decree, all the canine pets of Megasaki City are exiled to a vast garbage-dump called Trash Island, 12-year-old Atari sets off alone in a miniature Junior-Turbo Prop and flies across the river in search of his bodyguard-dog, Spots. There, with the assistance of a pack of newly-found mongrel friends, he begins an epic journey that will decide the fate and future of the entire Prefecture. Directed by Wes Anderson, Animated, PG-13