



Summer Fun and Fundraising

Don't forget: RENEW your **MEMBERSHIP** for 2023
or BECOME A NEW MEMBER for 2023

05/19/2023kh

<http://www.rocklandmemoriallibraryfoundation.org/>

Facebook: Friends of the Rockland Memorial Library

Rockland Memorial Library Foundation is a 501(c)(3) Charitable Organization,
Tax ID# 04-331

The Library is open! For more info,
call the Library at 781-878-1236.

Tomato Day – Sat, May 20, 10 AM to NOON



PLANTS ARE READY!

HOW TOMATO DAY WORKS:

- *Come to the Library on Tomato Day
Location change – outside along building
- *Make a donation in any amount
- *Take a tomato plant/some tomato plants home!

THERE ARE 9 DIFFERENT VARIETIES:

*Red Currant - smaller than cherry,
fun and beautiful to watch grow

*2 Cherry types – Super Sweet 100
Cherry Baby

*Sun Gold - A little bigger than cherry,
bright orange

*2 Medium size types – Bloody Butcher, very tomatoey
Mountain Magic, sweeter

*3 Big types– Big Daddy
Steak Sandwich
Sandwich Slicer

Art in the Rotunda
Aidan Mulledy
Exhibit through May 31
Reception Wed, May 24



THE FRIENDS OF THE ROCKLAND MEMORIAL LIBRARY PRESENT



ART IN THE ROTUNDA

ARTIST PHOTOGRAPHER
RECEPTION **AIDAN**

MULLEDY

In his work, Aidan utilizes perspective and lighting to capture the abstract. His goal is to transform the mundane and provide a new perspective on how we see things in the world. He believes that there are many ways to look at something and that everything in this world has inherent beauty, new or old. Aidan wants people to feel nostalgic, curious, and as if they just discovered something through his photography.

Aidan tends to use up-close angles, extreme depths of field, and dramatic lighting. Each type of technique can add obscurity to what he is trying to capture. When viewing his work, Aidan's goal is to give a sense of discovery, confusion, and curiosity. He wants the audience to question what they are looking at, not just take it at face value. His hope is that, from doing this, the audience can be curious and want to examine their own world further, discover more of what is around them, and see the beauty all around us; more than just what is on the surface.

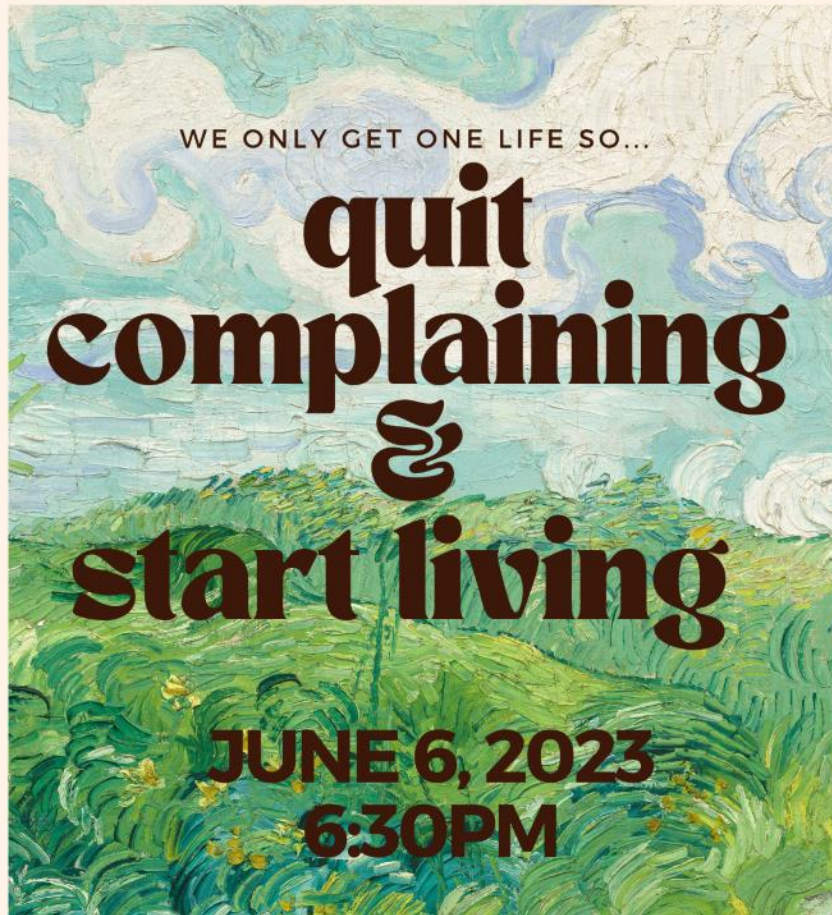
AIDAN MULLEDY IS A PHOTOGRAPHER AND ARTIST WITH A STUDIO SPACE IN THE WRIGHT BUILDING. HIS ART WILL BE ON DISPLAY IN THE LIBRARY ROTUNDA FOR THE MONTH OF MAY.

**MAY
24
6:00 PM
IN THE
ROTUNDA**

Speaker Program: Tuesday, June 6; 6:30 PM

“Quit Complaining and Start Living!”

****FREE, BUT...**Please let the speakers know you are coming** ****See poster for details****



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MEMORIAL LIBRARY
20 BELMONT ST, ROCKLAND MA**

Are you ready to get out of the rut you're in and into your groove?

Join Professional Life Coaches Karen Potischman and Laura Ward for an interactive discussion on how to tap into the essence of who you are; YOU'RE OWN ENERGY, and start Living, leading and loving your life.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED.

**TO LET US KNOW YOU'RE COMING AND FOR MORE INFORMATION
CONTACT KAREN OR LAURA AT:
KJ@kjplifeandleadershipcoaching.com / Laura@pathofgrace.info
Recommended for attendees 18+**



Red Sox Ticket Raffle



RAFFLE TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE SOON!

- *Raffle Tickets will be available at the circulation desk
- *Red Sox vs The Braves, Tuesday, July 25, 7:10 PM
- *Winner to be drawn Tues, July 11, 6 PM at the Library
- *Raffle winner will receive ELECTRONIC TICKETS
(MLB app-paper game tickets are no longer available)
- *Thanks to Kathy Looney for donating these great tix!

SAVE THE DATES:

Look for us at Rockland Day – Sat June 17

We'll be sharing a spot with the Library

- *FREE books for kids
- *\$1.00 "Summer Reads" for adults
- *Info about The Friends

Satuit Band Concert – Fri June 30

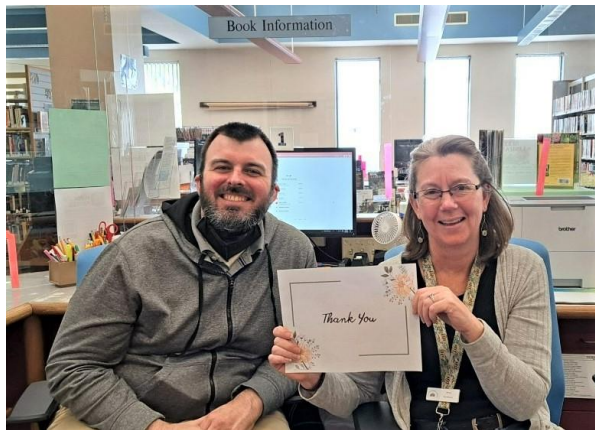
- *A Rockland Tradition!
- *Details in the next newsletter

Poetry, 5 Minute Prose, Storytelling – TBA

- "I'm working on it! Details in the next newsletter!"
- Karen Haffner, Organizer

Recent Successes

Thank You! Luncheon for Our Wonderful Staff



Book and Bake Success!

Our BIG Spring Book and Bake Sale was held on Saturday, May 13th. Thanks to ALL who organized, helped with set up, donated books and bakes, shopped our Sale and helped with clean up! Chairs: Marilyn Brennan, Nancy Davis, Cyndee Ward; Volunteers: Rachael Scanlon, Inez & Dave Wormald, Maureen Schnider, Janet LaCombe, Mary Jacobvitz, Mary Ellen Connor, Michelle Littlefield, Ken Zbyszewski, Jack Ward, Steve Tose, Jean, Nancy L., Karen Haffner.

We made \$1137.50!





2023 Members Thank you!

Benefactor

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Jack & Cyndee Ward
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In Memory

John W. Rogers
Janet Condon
Louise McCarthy



Renew/Join for 2023

The Friends of the Library and Rockland Memorial Library Foundation

If you love books, libraries and all they contain, there's no better way to express that interest than by joining the Rockland Memorial Library Foundation.

Here you will find a group of kindred spirits who promote reading and family literacy.

Foundation funds are used to enhance, not replace, funding by the town.

New Members are always welcome

Please indicate **ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP** type (*membership year: Jan 1 through Dec 31*)

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|---|---|
| ☐ \$10 Regular Member | ☐ \$100 Benefactor |
| ☐ \$5 Student Member (grades 7-12) | ☐ Other \$ _____ |
| ☐ \$25 Patron | |

Date: _____ Member Name: _____

Address: _____

Town/State Zip: _____ Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

NOTE: We will not share your email address.

- I'd like to help with: ☐ Sorting books for Book Sale ☐ Bake for Bake Sale
☐ Secretarial tasks ☐ Website ☐ Flickr photo account
☐ Setting up for events ☐ Planning events ☐ Helping at events
☐ Marketing ☐ Publicity ☐ Sell Raffle Tickets ☐ Other fundraising

100% of all donations are used to support Library activities and programs.

Please make check payable to: **Rockland Memorial Library Foundation, Inc.**

Mail to: Rockland Memorial Library Foundation, Inc.
20 Belmont Street, Rockland, MA 02370

Rockland Memorial Library Foundation is a 501(c)(3) Charitable Organization Tax ID# 04-3318428

Thanks for supporting your Library!

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