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Juggler Bryson Lang

Join us on **Tuesday, February 22nd from 3:00 pm to 3:45 pm in Logan Auditorium** for a high-energy juggling performance with Bryson Lang!

For 25 years, Bryson Lang has been performing his creative, high-energy, family-friendly comedy-juggling act in venues around the world. Bryson has performed Internationally and all across the U.S. His show combines technical juggling skills with original comedy into a unique and unforgettable act. You will see him perform captivating routines that mix comedy, audi-ence participation, ball spinning, fire-juggling, ball bouncing, spinning rings, giant Beach Balls, improv, glow-in-the-dark objects and always a few surprises. Discover why Bryson Lang is called "The Cure for the Common Show!"



Limited to sixty people. No registration needed. The first sixty people to arrive will be admitted to the show.

This performance is made possible through the State Aid for Public Libraries fund.

New York Times Cooking and Games



Now you can enjoy even more features from the *New York Times*, free with your library card!

In addition to the *New York Times* digital edition of the daily paper we now offer *New York Times Cooking* and *New York Times*

Games (including that famous crossword puzzle!).

Cooking Games

The *New York Times Cooking* is a digital cookbook and cooking guide alike, available on all platforms, that helps home cooks of every level discover, save and organize the world's best recipes, while also helping them become better, more competent cooks.

New York Times games have captivated solvers since the launch of the Crossword in 1942. Their experts create engaging word and visual games — in 2014 they introduced the Mini Crossword, followed by Spelling Bee, Letter Boxed, Tiles and Vertex. They continue to make new games players will be passionate about.

To get started, go to the Library Catalog and click on the new York Times link on the left side of the page. Sign in with your library card number and PIN and choose the New York Times product you want to use first. You can log in with Google, Facebook or Apple or create a *New York Times* account. Once you have logged in, you will have access for 72 hours, when you can sign in again.

The Library is located directly across from Town Hall.

Winter Hours

The Library will be closed Monday, February 21st for Presidents' Day



Charles C. Kokoros Mayor

Museum Passes

Looking for something to do during February vacation? Check out the library museum passes for ideas and get discounted admission to local museums. Many of the museums now offer E-passes, so you don't even have to stop by the library to pick up a pass. Also, be sure to check vaccine and mask requirements for museums before you go.

You can reserve museum passes at home with your library card number and PIN. Having trouble? Give us a call at 781-848-0405, ext. 4417 and we can book it for you. Check the "Pass Info" link to see each museum's discount and how the pass works. Museum hours and requirements change frequently, so check with the museum before heading out.

Raising Chickens in Braintree



On **Saturday, February 12th at 2:00 pm in Logan Auditorium** you can find out what it is like to own chickens in Braintree.

This program is for kids, families, adults, teens -- anyone who wants to learn the ins and outs of raising chickens in Braintree. Presented by a Braintree family that owns "PeeWee" and four other chickens, you will learn what the chickens eat, how many eggs they lay, the cool thing they do that helps your

yard, how to register to have chickens in Braintree, and much more.

No registration needed. Call the Children's Room at 781 -848-0405 x 4425 with any questions.

Movie Matinee for Kids: Tom & Jerry



On **Thursday, February 24th at 2:00 pm** join us for a matinee showing of Tom & Jerry: the Movie on the big screen **in Logan Auditorium**.

"One of the most beloved rivalries in history is reignited when Jerry moves into New York City's finest hotel on the eve of "the wedding of the century," forcing the event's desperate planner to hire Tom to get rid of him, in director Tim Story's "Tom & Jerry." The ensuing cat and mouse battle threatens to destroy her career, the wedding and possibly

the hotel itself. But soon, an even bigger problem arises: a diabolically ambitious staffer conspiring against all three of them.

An eye-popping blend of classic animation and live action, Tom and Jerry's new big-screen adventure stakes new ground for the iconic characters and forces them to do the unthinkable... work together to save the day."

Warner Brothers ~ 1h 41m ~ PG

Hibernation Nite



Families and children are invited to join us on **Tuesday, February 22nd from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm in the Children's Room** for some winter fun!

We will have a chipmunk paper bag craft, a hedgehog paper plate craft, a bear cave coloring activity, three winter stories, and lots more snowy fun! You are welcome to come in your coziest pajamas (but not required).

A special thanks to Teen Advisory Group for sponsoring this program!

