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New Team Members at the Library

It is with great pleasure that we welcome new members to the Bentley Memorial Library team. We look forward to having our patrons get to know each of our new staff members: Patricia Brudz, Library Assistant II; Daniel Bokshan and Taylor Michaud, Library Pages; and Tina Prior and Amber Mosley, Substitutes. Congratulations!

We're **OPEN** by Appointment, or Pick up Your Requests Outside

• Hours: Mon., Tues. & Thurs. 10:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. (*Note change*) Wed., 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

• Late Fees: We resumed charging late fees on October 1. All items must be returned to the outside book drop, after which they are taken off-site to quarantine for one week before being removed from your account. WE DO NOT CHARGE LATE FEES FOR THE QUARANTINE PERIOD. If a fine appears on your account during the off-site time, it should disappear once we scan the item into our system. Please give us at least two weeks before alerting us to anything that still appears on your account.

• Homebound Delivery Service: Contact the Bolton Senior/Social Services (860-647-9196) if you need help picking up or returning your items to the library.

• **Please** do not come into the library if you have cold or influenza symptoms. We can place items outside for you to pick up.

Donations: *PLEASE* do not put donations in the book drop or leave them anonymously out front. Call us at 860-646-7349 and speak to a staff person to arrange a donation.

Acorn App



With Acorn Catalog, you can search for items in Bentley Memorial Library and other Bibliomation libraries; place holds; see what you have checked out; and renew items! It will also store a copy of your library card barcode that can be scanned here at checkout – great for those times you can't find your card. It's FREE on Google Play and the App Store. Brought to you by Bibliomation, Inc.

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Memorial Library provides you with six instant borrows per card, per month.

Go to <u>www.hoopladigital.com</u> and set up your account. Then choose 'Bentley Memorial Library,' enter your library card number (no spaces) and get started! (If you encounter problems, return to hoopladigital.com after setting up your account.) You can search by title, author, etc., or browse genres. There's even a KIDS filter you can choose.

<u>Movies of the Month</u> has something for everyone! From romantic comedies to intriguing mysteries, there is a curated collection for patrons of all ages! <u>Experience MARVEL</u>, this collection has superhero content in all formats, including audiobooks, comics, music, film, and eBooks.

Preschool ZOOM Storytime – Mondays in November

Join us for three fall storytimes on Mondays at 11:30 a.m. Storytime will be held via ZOOM on November 2, 9, and 16. All are welcome to join the online sessions. Please contact the library to obtain the ZOOM link.