

REGINA LIBRARY

NEWSLETTER

Discover. Connect. Inspire.

“October is the month that teaches us that change can be beautiful.”
- Unknown



Crafting Through the Decades

Tuesday, October 1st - Friday, October 4th

Main Lobby

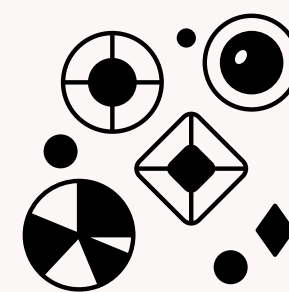
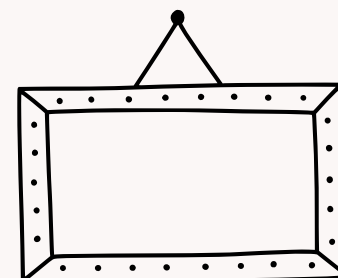
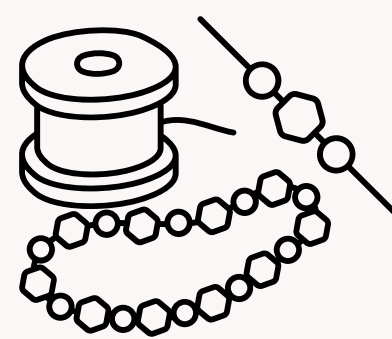
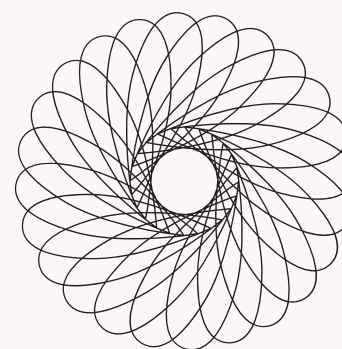
Each day we will feature a fun craft from a different decade. Come get crafty with us (while supplies last).

Tuesday 10/1 - 1980s - **Spirograph art**

Wednesday 10/2 - 1990s - **Beaded animal keychains**

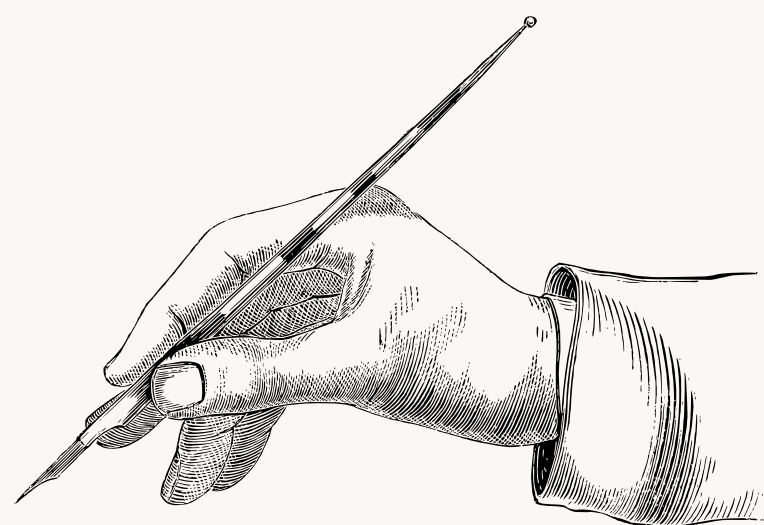
Thursday 10/3 - 2000s - **Picture frame decorating**

Friday 10/4 - 2010s - **Mini diamond art**

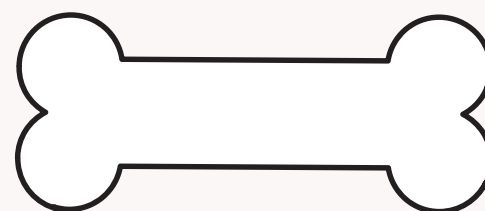


Inktober

Inktober is a monthlong art challenge created by artist Jake Parker. Every day for the month of October, people are encouraged to create an ink drawing and post it online. Supplies, drawing prompts, and a display gallery will be set up in the lobby at Regina Library. This is meant to be a FUN and no-pressure activity, so feel free to take part as often as you'd like. We can't wait to see the artwork the Riv community creates!



Therapy Dog Visits

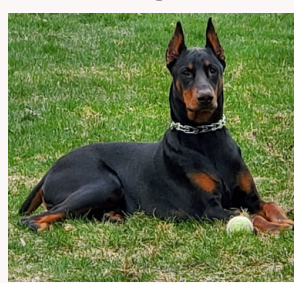


Regina Library first-floor lounge



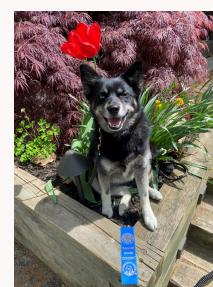
Penny

Tuesday 10/8
11am-12pm



Zeus

Wednesday 10/16
5:30-6:30pm



Talia

Wednesday 10/30
12-1pm

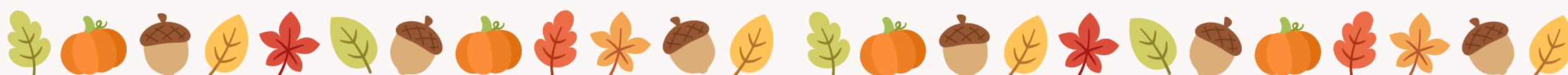
tRIVia Night Taylor Swift Edition

Monday, October 21st, 5:30pm

Raider Grounds Cafe

Calling all Swifties! Test your knowledge of every Taylor Swift era, from country queen to pop icon.

If you're a fearless fan or have a reputation for knowing every lyric, this trivia night is for you! Grab your besties and join us for your chance to win some Swiftie-approved prizes.



Faculty Speaker Series

Dr. Emlee Kohler, Associate Professor of Psychology

Wednesday, October 23rd, 12:30pm

Second-Floor Event Space

Most people are sleep deprived even though we know sleep is critical to our social, emotional, cognitive, and physical health. This presentation will cover some basic science of sleep, things that influence our ability to get sleep, and some actions you can take to improve your ability to get enough ... Zzzz. This event is generously sponsored by the Rivier University Alumni Association.



Ghost Hunt

Tuesday, October 15th - Thursday, October 31st

Paper cutouts of friendly ghosts will be hidden throughout Regina Library. If you find one, bring it back to the Main Desk for a prize (while supplies last). Happy hunting!



RivReads Book Club

Tuesday, October 29th, 5pm

Regina Library upstairs open study area

Looking for a relaxed, no-pressure place to enjoy your current read? Whether you prefer a cozy corner in the library or logging in from your dorm or home, our newly reimagined book club has you covered! Bring whatever you're reading - a book, e-book, audiobook, or graphic novel - and spend the first half-hour reading silently. Then, stick around if you'd like to chat and share your thoughts. Or if you'd prefer, take part in the discussion by enrolling in our [Canvas page](#). For those who join in person, we'll have snacks and drinks to enjoy. Whether you're an avid reader or just getting started, this is a space for you.



Did You Know? Regina Library is on TikTok!



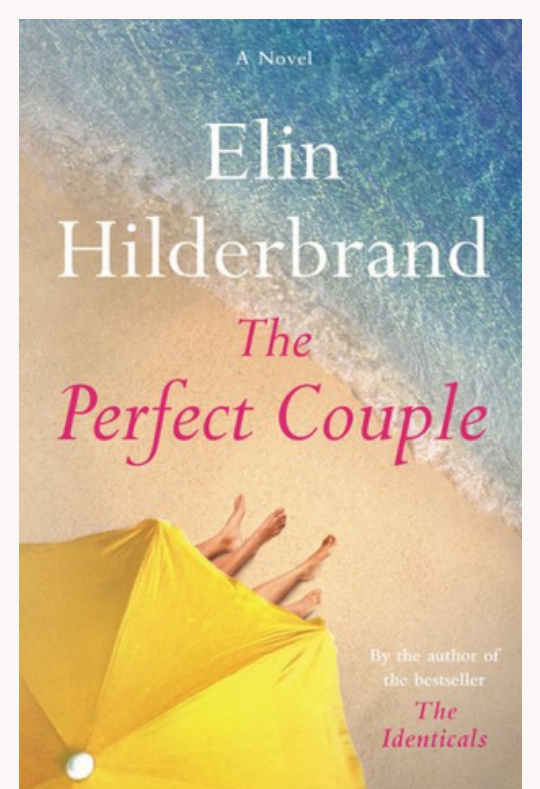
We are thrilled to announce that the library is now on TikTok! Follow us @ReginaLibrary for: book recommendations, study tips & resources, research help, behind-the-scenes views, how-to videos, and a whole lot more! Join our community of learners, researchers, and book lovers to explore the library in a brand-new way. For starters, we invite you to check out our [Welcome to Regina Library video](#).

Staff Pick of the Month

Christine Shearman, Interlibrary Loan
Coordinator/Archives Assistant

The Perfect Couple by Elin Hilderbrand.

Maybe you've seen the Netflix adaptation of this; in any case, know that the book is superior and it's a must-read! The setting for this summer murder mystery is an opulent wedding weekend in Nantucket. Benji Winbury and Celeste Otis are set to be married on the Winbury family's beautiful oceanside estate. It promises to be the event of the summer. However, when the maid of honor is found dead on the morning of the wedding, all the guests on the island become part of the investigation into her death. We explore the characters' lives along alternate timelines, learn shocking truths about them, and are thrown numerous red herrings along the way. This book is part of the Nantucket series, but it can absolutely be enjoyed as a standalone book. Hilderbrand's style drew me in completely. This book is full of distinctive, colorful characters and plot twists. I thoroughly enjoyed trying to figure out "whodunit." Summer may be over, but this "beach read" is still a perfect choice!



Meet a Library Supporter

Kerrie Dahl, Director of Academic Advising

What is one thing you would like people to know about Regina Library?

The Regina Library is one of my favorite buildings on the Rivier campus. There is a reason it is in the center of the campus. Using the library is very different for many students coming to college, as most students did not use their high school libraries much. Regardless of being a resident or a commuter student, the library is the best place to go and study. There is a space for everyone. When I was getting my master's here at Rivier, I quickly learned that my house was not the best place to study and get work done, because there were too many distractions, and that is when I became a big fan of the Regina Library. Not only is there a space for everyone, but the Reference Librarians are amazing! I was unfamiliar with the Regina Library research databases, and a Reference Librarian sat down with me for over an hour and showed me exactly how to use it. If you are not at the Regina Library, but need help, they have lot of options. You can text them, email or watch one of the YouTube help videos they have created! Don't be afraid to ask for help!



What are your favorite book genres to read?

I love to read all types of books, mostly fiction. When I go to the Regina Library, I like to swing by the new book display and see what is new. Sometimes I just browse through the book stacks and see what catches my eye. I love to try books from authors who I have not read before. My current favorite genre is psychological thrillers. I have really been enjoying books by B.A. Paris, Ruth Ware and Freida McFadden!

What's your favorite season?

Having lived in New England my entire life, I really do love all of the seasons. I love the flowers blooming in the spring, I love the colors changing in the fall, I love the warm weather during the summer (although this summer was a little too warm for me), and my family loves to ski in the winter! I am a true beach bum. What I love about New Hampshire is that we have access to all different types of beaches. I love the ocean and the lakes. If I am not at work in the summer, you can most likely find me at the beach!

Library Displays



Mahatma Gandhi (born October 2, 1869), BookTok Favorites, LGBTQ+ History Month, Halloween Movies, Financial Literacy, Comets, Diwali, Cybersecurity Month, Horror Novels Adapted to Screen

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