

COOLIDGE CORNER LIBRARY GRAND RE-OPENING

Brookline, MA, November 9, 2018—The Public Library of Brookline is pleased to announce the re-opening of the Coolidge Corner Library following a six-month renovation project. On Sunday, December 2 from 3–5 PM, the Coolidge Corner Library, at 31 Pleasant Street, will hold a grand re-opening celebration, complete with a ribbon cutting and refreshments. The celebration is free and open to the public. The Library will open for regular service beginning Monday, December 3.

The renovated Library will feature many improvements, including two elevators, noise mediation, and improved access to outlets and Wi-Fi, as well as Chromebooks available for in-library use. There will be new furniture, carpets, signs, paint, and audiovisual equipment. The Coolidge Corner Library will now feature a World Language Center, which will house the Public Library of Brookline’s materials in world languages. Chinese and Russian materials which had temporarily been housed at the Brookline Village Library will return to Coolidge Corner as part of this collection.

The Coolidge Corner Renovation Project ran smoothly, taking exactly six months to complete. The total cost of the project was under \$3 million, funded by the Town of Brookline as well as private funding from the Brookline Library Foundation, Library Trustees, and Friends of the Brookline Public Library.

The Public Library of Brookline promotes discovery, connection, and opportunity for all residents. Through diverse resources and innovative programs, the Library aims to enrich the lives of citizens through free access to information in many different media and formats.

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