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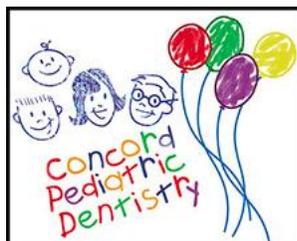
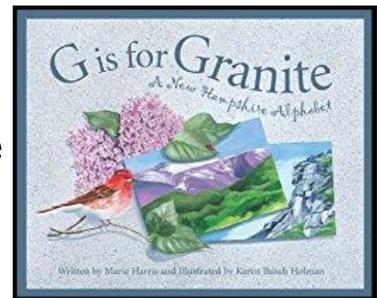
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Tales of New Hampshire Family Story Time Series Offered

CONCORD, NH--Families can learn more about the state we all love at this new story time series offered this summer by the New Hampshire Historical Society.

"Sharing stories about the Granite State is a great way to bring families together," said **Elizabeth Dubrulle**, the Society's director of education and public programs. "And with schools spending less time on state history and culture, it's more important than ever that parents and grandparents introduce kids to all the wonderful things about the Granite State."

Each week, the story time will focus on iconic images of New Hampshire like the Old Man of the Mountain, the Cog railroad, Concord stagecoaches, the White Mountains, and symbols of New Hampshire, like ladybugs and pumpkins. After one of the Society's storytellers reads aloud a collection of stories, the group will go see a related museum object or two on display in one of the Society's exhibitions. Participants also get an activity sheet to take with them containing fun facts, a coloring image, and tie-ins to the Society's website, which contains thousands of digitized images of New Hampshire artifacts and the Timeline of New Hampshire History highlighting some of the most important events in the Granite State's past.



This fun program is sure to bring a smile to kids and adults alike, so it's only fitting that it is being sponsored by **Concord Pediatric Dentistry** where the pediatric dental specialists love taking care of kids. With offices in both Concord and New London, Concord Pediatric Dentistry has all board certified dentists and a caring staff, all of whom are dedicated to providing children with the

personalized, gentle care they deserve. Concord Pediatric Dentistry offers complete dental care for children of all ages.

The Tales of New Hampshire Family Story Time starts Tuesday, July 11, at 10 a.m., at the New Hampshire Historical Society, located at 30 Park Street in downtown Concord. It runs for eight consecutive Tuesdays, through August 29, always at 10 a.m. Due to Concord Pediatric Dentistry's generosity, the story time is free for all. Although geared toward children ages three to eight, it's fun for audiences of all ages. It's a perfect introduction for young children to all the things that make the Granite State a great place to live.

Founded in 1823 the New Hampshire Historical Society is an independent, nonprofit organization dedicated to saving, preserving, and sharing New Hampshire history. Nowhere will you find a more extensive collection of objects and archives related to New Hampshire's history. The Society shares these vast collections through its research library, museum, website, publications, exhibitions, and youth and adult educational programs. The Society is not a state-funded agency. All of its programs and services are made possible by membership dues and contributions. For more information about the Society and the benefits of membership, visit www.nhhistory.org or call 603-228-6688.