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## **Dear Marlborough Community,**

Happy February, everyone! February is Library Lovers month, and to celebrate I encourage you to share what you love about your library with anyone who will listen. In this spirit, we're offering a fun activity this month where you'll be invited to fill out a Valentine and share what you love most about our library. We'll be displaying these Valentines throughout the month for all to see, and then (most importantly!) sharing them with our state legislators and city officials to make sure they know how much you love your library in order to ensure continued funding.

Not able to share this love in person? You can participate online by going to <u>lovemasslibraries.com</u>. I hope by the end of the month to see testaments to our community's love for the Marlborough Public Library filling the page!

We have some great programs planned this month, including the start of movie showings at the library! Our premier Saturday matinee will be *Black Panther:* Wakanda Forever. Want to improve your public speaking skills? We have a workshop for that for Teens and Adults! Looking for some activities during school vacation week? We have plenty to do for all ages!

I'm also excited to share that in mid-February we'll be unveiling our Local History room for folks interested in doing research on genealogy or Marlborough history. Stay tuned for an official announcement about the opening!

Warm Regards,

Sara Belisle

Director of the Marlborough Public Library

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