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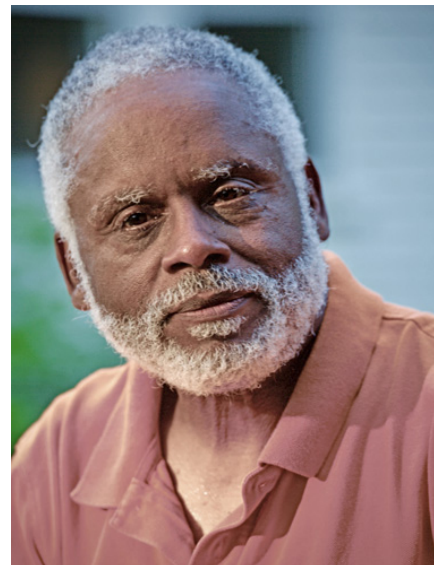
Creating opportunities for a good life.™

REMINDER: Free books are available!

To celebrate Black History Month we've pre-purchased copies of "A Colored Man in Exeter," a book by New Hampshire author, Michael Ward.

To request a free copy, email dave.bastien@moorecenter.org and you'll receive a link to download a pre-purchased Kindle version. You don't need to have a Kindle book reader. You can use the Kindle app on any device.

To add a local perspective to Black History Month, we're featuring a local Black author who's written stories of his family's life in New Hampshire. His first book is "A Colored Man in Exeter" and is about his father, Harold Ward, a Black man who became a respected member of his community after relocating to Lee, NH from Brooklyn, NY to escape gang violence.



From an Amazon review: *"This memoir by author Michael Ward is a gem of a*

book. Mr. Ward tells his father's story, the story of a black man living in rural New Hampshire, with insight, warmth, irony and charm."

[Read more Amazon reviews here.](#)

Free books are available to the first 50 respondents!

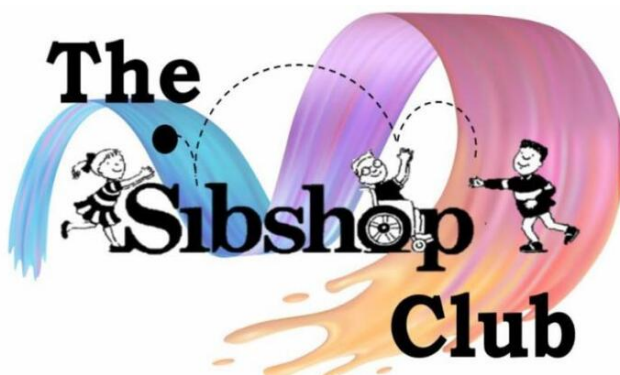
We'll also be hosting a **Q & A session** with him on **Wednesday, February 23rd from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.** Participants can ask questions about his stories and hear firsthand about his family's experiences.

Black History Month reading List

For those who are interested in learning more, one of our employees has compiled a reading list for Black History Month. There are some classics that you may already be familiar with, and there are also some contemporary books as well as books about racism. Check out this well-curated reading list!



[Books for Black History Month](#)



The Sibshop Club seeks to provide brothers and sisters who have a sibling with a disability or a special health care need with opportunities for peer support

The Sibshop Club provides brothers and sisters of siblings with a disability or special health care need with an opportunity to engage in peer support.

Meetings: Bi-monthly for Drop-In or Active Members

Ages: 8-13: (Age flexibility - please let us know if you have a child older or younger who may be interested in attending!)

Self-determination after all, is for everyone - including brothers and sisters!
Please be sure your child is able navigate Zoom independently.

During the Sibshop Club meetings we will provide brothers and sisters of siblings with a disability or special health care need an opportunity to:

- Meet other siblings in a relaxed, recreational setting
- Discuss common joys and concerns with other siblings
- Learn how others handle situations commonly experienced by siblings
- Learn more about their involvements in their sibling's life
- Will also provide parents and professionals with opportunities to learn more about the concerns and opportunities frequently experienced by brothers and sister of people with disabilities and special health care needs.

For more information please contact Wendy Curnow, the Sibshop Club Facilitator, at 603-402-1922, or wcurnow@communitybridgesnh.org.

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