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Children's Stories and Crafts to Celebrate Winter

NEWPORT, R.I. – An annual tradition, Winterfest Story Time at The Breakers Stable & Carriage House returns February 19-23 to celebrate the winter season. Families can listen to a winter-themed story, participate in craft projects and view the historic carriages on display.

Each program is from 10:30 a.m. to noon. A different children's book will be read each day:

- Monday, February 19: "Ten Ways to Hear Snow" by Cathy Camper (SOLD OUT)
- Tuesday, February 20: "The Snowy Nap" by Jan Brett
- Wednesday, February 21: "The Tea Party in the Woods" by Akiko Miyakoshi
- Thursday, February 22: "Winter Dance" by Marion Dane Bauer
- Friday, February 23: "Winnie Loves Winter" by Tiffany Obeng

This program by The Preservation Society of Newport County is geared toward participants age 4 and older. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Register at <u>www.newportmansions.org/events</u>. The programs are free, but space is limited so advance registration is necessary. The Breakers Stable & Carriage House is located at 53 Coggeshall Ave., Newport.

The Preservation Society of Newport County, Rhode Island, is a nonprofit organization accredited by the American Alliance of Museums. It is dedicated to preserving and interpreting the area's historic architecture, landscapes, decorative arts and social history. Its 11 historic properties – seven of them National Historic Landmarks – span more than 250 years of American architectural and social development.

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