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**The Worcester Public Library will hold a Special Screening of
Disney's Live-Action *Beauty and the Beast***

Worcester, MA – The Worcester Public Library will host a special screening of Disney's new live-action *Beauty and the Beast* on **Tuesday, June 6 at 4:30 p.m.** in the Saxe Room of the Main Library. The screening will coincide with the release of the movie on Blu-Ray and Digital HD.

From the studio: Disney's *Beauty and the Beast* is a live-action re-telling of the studio's animated classic which refashions the classic characters from the tale as old as time for a contemporary audience, staying true to the original music while updating the score with several new songs. *Beauty and the Beast* is the fantastic journey of Belle, a bright, beautiful and independent young woman who is taken prisoner by a beast in his castle. Despite her fears, she befriends the castle's enchanted staff and learns to look beyond the Beast's hideous exterior and realize the kind heart and soul of the true Prince within. The film stars: Emma Watson as Belle and Dan Stevens as the Beast.

The movie is rated PG (for some action violence, peril and frightening images). In addition to the movie screening there will be a *Beauty and the Beast* display and fun *Beauty and the Beast* themed handouts.

The screening is courtesy of REFORMA.org.

For more information on the Worcester Public Library and a complete list of events and programs visit www.mywpl.org. For more information on the *Beauty and the Beast* screening at the Worcester Public Library contact Linnea Sheldon,

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