

# The Auburn Public Library *welcomes* The Biomes Marine Biology Center

## How Animals Protect Themselves

- ❖ Knowledgeable educators from the Biomes Marine Biology Center will visit the Auburn Public Library, bringing some of the most recognizable animals found in Narragansett Bay.
- ❖ Live animals will be used to illustrate various methods of protection used by the animals, such as camouflage, exoskeletons, spines, and fascinating behaviors.
- ❖ Children are encouraged to experience lots of touching and holding of the animals as the creatures are introduced and Biomes staff show how they keep themselves safe.

*This program has been customized for children in grades 2 - grade 8.*

**Some sample live animals may include:** Sea horse, toadfish, pufferfish, oyster, periwinkle, flounder, butterflyfish, oyster drill, sea cucumber, or pipefish.

Seahorse



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### When

Friday March 16<sup>th</sup>  
4:00 pm – 4:45 pm

- Register online at [www.auburnlibrary.org](http://www.auburnlibrary.org)
- Call the Library at (508) 832-7790
- Visit the Library

**Ask for Program Registration**

### Where

Auburn Public Library  
Merriam Room