 Patten Free Library, Children's Room, 33 Summer St, Bath, ME 04530, 443-5141 x1016

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**Melody: The American Girl Doll** you can take home and return. Optimistic Melody Ellison has lifelike deep-brown eyes that open and close smoothly, and realistic thick black hair. She comes in an authentic 1964-style outfit. Melody opens up a whole world of imaginative play and comes with authentic styles from 1964.

**The kit includes:**

* 1 doll named Melody \*($100)
* 1 paperback book, *No Ordinary Sound* by Denise Lewis Patrick \*($10)
* [Journal to record the doll’s ongoing adventures](http://www.flickr.com/photos/arlib/sets/72157633394972342/) \*($10)
* Carrying case with Library barcode \*($20)
* A bright blue-and-green hounds-tooth A-line dress with a blue cowl collar, a blue bow on the chest, and blue bows on the side pleats \*($25)
* A blue-ribbon headband with a bow for her hair \*($10)
* White socks \*($10)
* Underwear \*($10)
* Shiny blue patent shoes with bows on the toes \*($10)
* A felt hat with ribbon trim \*($10)
* A patent purse with a bow on the front \*($10)
* Cat-eye sunglasses that were popular in the 1960s \*($10)
* A Civil Rights campaign button that Melody wears proudly \*($10)
* A record and record sleeve featuring The Three Ravens, Melody’s brother’s group! \*($10)
* Hairbrush \*($10)

**Melody’s Dog, Bo**



Bo (short for Bojangles) is a cute, scruffy black-and-white dog with one bent ear. He has a warm embroidered mouth and nose, soulful eyes, and a blue collar with a bow that unfolds to become a leash. His set includes:

* A plush black-and-white dog \*($24)
* A Blue collar \*(10)
* Leash \*($10)

**Placing Holds and Borrowing**

**How Do I Borrow this American Girl Doll?**
Patrons of the Patten Free Library may borrow and place this kit on hold by calling the Children’s Room, 443-5141 x16. **The doll must go to a smoke-free home.**

**What is the Borrowing Period?**
You may have the doll kit for **1 week (7 days)**. Please return her on time, so other children will have a chance to take her home.

**Where Do I Return My Doll?**
Dolls must be returned to the Children’s Room only. Please do not return dolls in the Book Returns. **Doll should be returned in the same condition in which it was received.**

**How Do I Care for a Doll?** **Please do:** Brush and style your doll’s hair using the provided doll brush only. **Please do not:** Cut or shampoo hair.

**Parents are responsible for damages or lost items and must assume all costs. Please see itemized list.**