APRIL 2018



Monday 10-5 Tuesday-Thursday 10-8:30 Friday 1-5 Saturday 10-5 Passport Office 203-783-3309 Tuesday 4-8 & Saturday 10-2 By appointment only 57 New Haven Ave Milford, CT 06460 203-783-3290 www.milfordlibrary.org

MILFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY



Elder Care Panel

Tuesday, April 3 at 6pm Jay Kiley, owner of Synergy HomeCare, George Dewey, Community Relations from Altria in Stratford, Melissa Ladden, Director of Admissions and Marketing from

Milford Health and Rehab, and Attorney Steven L. Rubin from Drazen Law discuss elder care issues.

Seed: The Untold Story

Tuesday, April 10 at 7pm

Follow the story of the world's passionate seedkeepers, protectors of our 12,000 year-old food legacy. This cautionary "good-vs-evil" tale is presented by the Library and Milford Garden Club. A beautiful film about seeds and their importance to human existence.





Refugee Resettlement Thursday, April 12 at 7pm

Chris George, Director of IRIS (Integrated Refugee & Immigration Services) and Reverend Patricia Leonard-Pasley will discuss the ongoing necessity for aiding refugees and the refugees in our community.

The Voice Behind 600 Books

Wednesday, April 18 at 2pm

Davina Porter is the narrator of hundreds of bestselling books for Recorded Books. These include many of the classics, as well as books by Ruth Rendell, Anne Perry, and many more. Porter will be sharing her experiences with us.





Poetry Workshop

Wednesday, April 18 at 7pm

April is National Poetry Month, and we're celebrating! Publishers of Local Gems Press will be here to give advice and share a few poems. Bring your favorite poems.

MOVIE TUESDAYS | 2PM

4/3: Airplane 4/10: Ghostbusters 4/17: Anchorman 4/24: Zoolander April is Humor Month

Join us at the library for some comedies.

ree popcorn for all who attend.

Programs

Mon	- 1/2	Canadamy 1nm
Mon.	4/2	Genealogy 1pm
Tue.	4/3	Movie— <i>Airplane</i> 2pm
Tue.	4/3	Elder Care Panel 6pm
Wed.	4/4	Needlepoint Guild 10am
Wed.	4/4	MPL Board Meeting 7:30pm
Thur.	4/5	Crunchyroll Anime 6pm *
Fri.	4/6	13, 20 & 27—Knitters & Quilters 1pm
Sat.	4/7	Edible Books Contest 2pm*
Tue.	4/10	Movie-Ghostbusters 2pm
Tue.	4/10	Seed: The Untold Story 7pm
Wed.	4/11	Learning CPR 2pm
Thur.	4/12	Romance Book Discussion 10am
Thur.	4/12	Milford's Refugee Resettlement 7pm
Sat.	4/14	Polluting Plastics 2pm
Tue.	4/17	Consumer Reports Database 11am
Tue.	4/17	Movie—Anchorman 2pm
Tue.	4/17	Evening Book Discussion 7pm
Wed.	4/18	The Voice Behind 600 Books 2pm
Wed.	4/18	Poetry Workshop 7pm
Thurs.	4/19	Onigiri Anime 6pm *
Sat.	4/21	The Culture of Pakistan 2pm
Tues.	4/24	Movie-Zoolander 2pm
Tues.	4/24	AAA Workshop: Maximizing Your Social Security 6pm
Thurs.	4/26	Classic Book Discussion 10am
Thur.	4/26	Career Coach 10am-12pm; 1pm-3pm *
Thurs.	4/26	Gardening: Easy Garden Trellises 6:30pm
Sat.	4/28	E-books for iOS 2:30pm
* REGISTRATION REQUIRED—Call 203-783-3292.		

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

ROMANCE: Thursday, April 12 at 10am

All That Makes Life Bright by Josi S. Kilpack

EVENING: Tuesday, April 17 at 7pm Escape Clause by John Sandford

CLASSIC: Thursday, April 26 at 10am *Washington Square* by Henry James

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 10:30am

Ages 3 & up with a caregiver. Stories, a craft and new friends!

TODDLER TIME

Thursdays at 10am & 11am

Ages 2 & under with caregiver. Share fingerplays, songs and stories.

LEGO© BUILD-A-THON

Tuesday, April 3 from 6pm-7pm

Ages 5 & up. The library will provide the LEGO[®] bricks. Build-a-thons are held the first Tuesday of every month.

MUSIC TOGETHER *

Thursday, April 5 at 6:15pm

Ages 0-5. Experience the joy of family music. Children of all abilities are welcome.

CHESS CLUB *

Tuesday, April 10 from 6:30pm-7:30pm

Grades K-12 of all skill levels. Sponsored by Milford's Promise & The Milford Police Union. Meets the second Tuesday of every month.

TURTLE TALK with wildlife rehabilitator Pam Meier Monday, April 16 at 2:30pm

Meet live turtles, learn how to identify different species, what to do (and not do) if you should find one, and what rehabbing these ancient reptiles is all about.

SINGING IN THE RAIN MUSIC AND MOVEMENT Wednesday, April 18 at 10:30am

Ages 3 & up. Put a song in your child's heart with this engaging and active music program with musician Jill Kubeck. Ignite the power of the imagination with dancing, clapping and rhythm activities.

STARRY NIGHT STORIES

Wednesday, April 18 at 6:30pm

Ages 3 & up. Starry Night Storytimes will be held the third Wednesday of the month from April-June.

NO-COOK KIDS' COOKING CLASS *

Thursday, April 19 at 6:30pm

Ages 5 & up. Hands-on class with Shop Rite of Milford's dietician.

DOG SAFETY WITH MOLLY THE THERAPY DOG

Friday, April 20 at 2pm

Children in grades K and up can get to know Molly, a Pet Partners certified therapy dog, along with her owner, Chris Cook, and learn the safe way to meet new dogs.

* REGISTRATION REQUIRED—Call 203-783-3312.

GALLERY

Rosalba Saenz de Lugo

DISPLAY CASES

Ronda Zalenski **Milford Marine Institute** Thank you to the Friends of the Milford Library for generously funding our programs.



Pirate Island Pirate Island Book Party



Tuesday April 17 from 2pm-4pm

Join children's author Katie L. Carroll in celebration of her middle grade adventure novel *Pirate Island*. Learn about the local pirate lore that inspired the story, win a prize at the fishing game, and snap a picture at the photo booth. Signed books for sale and refreshments.

Earth Day Program*

Thursday April 19 at 2pm

Storytime and yoga activities, courtesy of WalkAbout Yoga. Visit our Tinkergarten Craft Station and plant seeds, courtesy of River Crest Farm. Weather permitting, Steve Johnson, Milford's open space agent, will



lead a hike through Wilcox Park behind the Library. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Ages 4 and up. Registration required.

YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS



Crunchyroll Anime Club

Thursday, April 5 from 6pm-7:30pm

Grades 6-8. The Young Adult Librarian will be showing episodes from Crunchyroll, an anime streaming site, and offer an opportunity for fans to discuss

anime, manga and Japan! MPL has been granted a premium account which allows commercial-free viewing. Register by calling 203-783-3292. Meetings are held the first Thursday of every month.

Onigiri Anime Club

Thursday, April 19 from 6pm-7:30pm

Grades 9-12. The Young Adult Department is hosting an anime club just for high schoolers! Come show us your love of anime and hang out with

other fans. Call the Reference Desk at 203-783-3292 to register. Meetings held the third Thursday of every month.

THE BRAIN STATION

Passes to Cultural

Attractions

The museum passes have

been donated as gifts to the

community by the FOML.

Visit milfordlibrary.org for a

full list of passes.



Monday 12:30-5 Tuesday 4:30-8:30 Wednesday 4-8:30 Thursday CLOSED Friday 1-5 Saturday 10-5

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