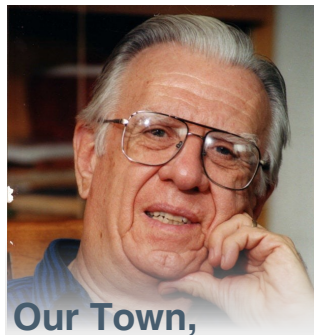


# Milford Public Library

57 New Haven Ave      Monday 10-5  
Milford, CT 06460      Tuesday-Thursday 10-8:30  
203-783-3290      Friday 1-5  
[www.milfordlibrary.org](http://www.milfordlibrary.org)      Saturday 10-5



## Our Town, Our Story August 6 at 7pm

A community-wide celebration of our town of Milford and Thornton Wilder's play *Our Town*. Former Milford Historian, Dick Platt, will present a history of Milford modeled after the play, giving the audience a taste of Eastbound Theater's one-day only, outdoor staged reading of the play, at three different city locations on August 24.



## Celebrating Woodstock 50 August 11 at 2pm

Get out your tie-dye and your bell bottoms and come to Milford Library to celebrate the 50th anniversary of Woodstock. Trumbull based band, the C-Sides, will be performing a number of hits from the original Woodstock repertoire. Sunny weather will have us enjoying the music in the pavilion outside the library, and in case of rain we'll be inside.



## Faces of Homelessness August 21 at 6:30pm

The Faces of Homelessness Speakers' Bureau travels throughout the state of CT to share their own experiences of homelessness and to encourage others to make positive changes in the community. This event is hosted by the Milford Homeless Outreach Workgroup and will include an opportunity to discuss ways to get involved locally.



## Our Library is a Universe of Stories... And You Are Our Star!

Through 8/23 tell us about an amazing book, art print, museum pass or library program to win fabulous prizes! How? Fill out a form and exchange it for a ticket at the Circulation Desk. Write your contact info on the ticket, and hand to staff for a chance to win a bag of goodies in a weekly drawing! There's more. On 8/26, all participants get a chance to win our grand prize: an iPad!

### Tuesday Movies 2pm

8/6—*Ocean's 8*

8/13—*The Upside*

8/20—*The Mustang*

8/27—*Captain Marvel*

Join us for these fresh flicks!  
Popcorn will be served.

### Book Discussion Groups

Romance: August 8 at 10am  
*The Luckiest Lady in London*  
by Sherry Thomas

Barnes & Noble: August 13 at 7pm  
*The Nickel Boys* by Colson Whitehead

Popular Fiction: August 20 at 7pm  
*Less* by Andrew Sean Greer

Classic: August 29 at 10am  
*The Epic of Gilgamesh*

# August 2019

## Adult Programs

8/2, 9, 16, 23 & 30: Knitters/Quilters 1pm  
8/6: Woodstock 50th Crafts 10:30am \*  
8/6, 13, 20 & 27: Tuesday Movies 2pm  
8/6: Our Town, Our Story—Dick Platt 7pm  
8/7: Needlepoint Guild 10am  
8/8: Romance Book Group 10am  
8/8: Cut the Cord 7pm  
8/11: Woodstock 50—The C-Sides 2pm  
8/13: Barnes & Noble Book Group 7pm  
8/17, 24 & 31: Library Closed  
8/20: Popular Fiction Book Group 7pm  
8/21: Faces of Homelessness 6:30pm  
8/22: Smart Home Presentation (IoT) 7pm  
8/29: Classic Book Group 10am

\* = **Register at 203-783-3312.**

## City Perks!

City Perks with a little help from our Friends. The café is open and will be run by the Friends for the rest of the summer. Monday-Thursday 10am-1pm.



## RBdigital

Thousands of downloadable audiobooks, e-books and magazines ready to check out with your library card.



## MPL Passport Office

By appointment only.  
Call 203-783-3309.

Tuesday: 4pm-8pm  
Saturday: 10am-2pm



Gallery: Andy Bishop

Cases: Milford Prevention Council  
Walnut Beach Farmer's Market



## Summer Reading

Visit the Children's Department page at [milfordlibrary.org](http://milfordlibrary.org) to keep track of your reading and participate in our ONLINE MISSIONS to earn prizes!

Log your books through September 6.

## Programs

### Toddler Time

**Every Thursday at 10am and 11am**

Ages 2 & under. Let's all share fingerplays, songs and stories together. Come and meet new friends at the library!

### Galaxy Bingo

**Friday, August 2 at 2:30pm**

Grades K-5. Out-of-this-world, glow-in-the-dark BINGO fun and prizes. Limited to the first 75 participants.

### Woodstock 50th Crafts \*

**Tuesday, August 6 at 10:30am**

All ages. Bring your own white t-shirt to decorate and make some bead necklaces to wear to our outdoor concert under the pavilion on Sunday, August 11. Space is limited.

### LEGO®-Build-a-thon

**Tuesday, August 6 from 6-7pm**

Ages 5 & up. The library will provide the LEGO® bricks, you provide the imagination! Creations cannot be taken home, but may be displayed in the library. LEGO® Build-a-thons will be held the first Tuesday of every month.

### The Write Stuff \*

**Wednesday, August 7 at 2:30pm**

Ages 8-12. Writing activities and prompts to get those creative juices flowing! All writing abilities welcome.

### Silly Sing-a-long w Edward Leonard

**Thursday, August 8 at 6:30pm**

Ages 5 & under. Enjoy some interactive family time with popular children's musician Edward Leonard. Sing, dance and act silly with guitars, drums and a grab bag full of musical surprises.

### Read to a Dog \*

**Saturday, August 10 from 11am-12pm**

Grades K-5. Kids are invited to read out loud to some special library friends—the four-legged kind! All dogs are certified through Pet Partners®.

### Woodstock 50th Family Concert

**Sunday, August 11 at 2pm**

All ages. Join us under the pavilion behind the library for music of the '60s with CT band, The C-Sides. *In the event of rain, the concert will be in the library program room and space will be limited.*

### Readers to Eaters Storytime

**Tuesday, August 13 at 10:30am**

Ages 3 & up. Courtesy of the Walnut Beach Farmer's Market. This session's theme: Read! Create! Play!

### Chess Club \*

**Tuesday, August 13 at 6:30pm**

Grades K-12. Sponsored by Milford's Promise and The Milford Police Union. Sets will be provided or you may bring your own. The Chess Club meets the second Tuesday of every month.



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## Young Adult

### Summer Reading

Sign up online on the Young Adult page at [milfordlibrary.org](http://milfordlibrary.org). Log your books through September 6.

Track the minutes you read and log them online. This year's challenge will support Boothe Memorial Astronomical Society in Stratford.

### Programs

#### Interactive Movie Party:

##### Galaxy Quest \*

**Monday, August 12 from 2-4pm**

Grades 6-12. "Never give up-never surrender!" Enjoy the comedy classic Galaxy Quest in a whole new way. Moviegoers will receive props and cues to participate in the fun.

#### Onigiri Anime Club \*

**Thursday, August 15 at 6pm**

Ages 13 & up. An opportunity for fans to watch anime and discuss their favorite manga! Meets on the 3rd Thursday of every month.

\* = Register at 203-783-3292.

## Brain Station

### Summer Hours

Monday: 10-2  
Tuesday: 10-4:30;  
5:30-7:30  
Wednesday: 10-8:30  
Thursday: 10-7:30  
Friday: 1-5  
Saturdays: 2:30-4:30

\* Hours are subject to change.



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Thank you to the Friends of the Milford Library for generously funding our programs.