Milford **Public** Library **57 New Haven Ave**

Milford, CT 06460

203-783-3290

Monday 10-5

Tuesday-Thursday 10-8:30

Friday 1-5

www.milfordlibrary.org Saturday 10-5



Ornaments * December 5 at 2pm

Looking for an easy craft for those little gifts for the holidays? Here's a cute, easy holiday ornament that everyone can make! Spend a relaxed hour or so with other craftersperfect downtime during the holiday rush! We'll have yarn, mini pompoms and everything else needed to make this craft. Please register by calling 203-783-3292.



December 8 at 2pm

Colin Lane and Rebecca Zaretzky will perform Dylan Thomas' masterpiece, A Child's Christmas in Wales. This heartwarming tale takes us back to Wales at the start of the 20th century and views the holiday scenes through a child's eyes. It is funny, warm and nostalgic. You'll leave with the spirit of Christmas in your heart.



Chordsmen

December 10 at 7pm

The Coastal Chordsmen is a men's barbershop chorus from Trumbull, CT and surrounding towns. They entertain audiences all over New England with their unique style of high-energy barbershop harmony. They will be performing a holiday program, with songs ranging from hymns to Jingle Bells. Join us on our main level this year!





Book Discussion Groups

Romance: December 12 at 10am A Christmas Promise by Mary Balogh

Pop-Fiction: December 17 at 7pm Asymmetry by Lisa Halliday

Classic: December 26 at 10am

One Hundred Years of Solitude by Gabriel Garcia Marquez

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Adult Programs

12/4: Needlepoint Guild 10am

12/4: The Affordable Care Act 6:30pm

12/4: MPL Board Meeting 7:30pm

12/5: Craft—Yarn Hat Ornaments 2pm *

12/6, 13, 20 & 27: Knitters Guild 1pm

12/7: Apple iOS Q&A 10:30am *

12/8: A Child's Christmas in Wales 2pm

12/10: The Coastal Chordsmen 7pm

12/12: Romance Book Group 10am

12/12: Learn How to Solder 7pm *

12/14: FOML Jewelry Sale 10am-4pm

12/17: Popular Fiction Book Group 7pm

12/21: LED Greeting Cards 10:30am *

12/24: Library Closes at 1pm

12/25: Library Closed for Christmas Day

12/26: Classic Book Group 10am

12/26: Android OS Q&A 7:30pm *

12/31: Library Closes at 5pm

* = Register at 203-783-3292.

FOML Book Sale

Come checkout the Friends of the Milford Library's ongoing book sale located in our downstairs lobby. During the month of December a variety of

holiday-themed books will be available!

Passport Office

By appointment only-Call 203-783-3309. Tuesday: 4-8pm | Saturday: 10am-2pm

Gallery: Rick Senft

Cases: Friends of Milford Library

Children's Department



Library Renovation News

The Children's Department is open in our main program room. This is our temporary space during the renovation. While the collection is limited, we have a whole bunch of great books to choose from.

Come and visit!

We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. We look forward to sharing all of our improvements with you! Renovation updates can be found on our Facebook page and milfordlibrary.org. Call us at 203-783-3312 with any questions.

Mini-Programs

Storytime Junior!

Thursdays, December 5, 12 and 19 at 10:30am

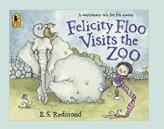
We're back, just a little smaller. Join us on Thursdays for a mini-program of cozy stories and songs in our temporary Children's space as we wait for our new Children's Department to be ready! For children 5 and under with a caregiver.



Felicity Floo Visits the Zoo!

Tuesday, December 3 at 10:30am

CT WiZ Public Health Educator and our friend from the West Haven Health Department, Christine, will be reading the story of Felicity Floo who visits the zoo while feeling under the weather. Ignoring the "do not pet the animals" signs she spreads her cold and makes all the animals sick! Oh no! Learn about how germs are spread and what you and your kiddos can do to stay healthy this cold season.



Winter Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, December 11 at 1:30pm

Milford Public Schools have an early dismissal today!

So stop by the library, check out some great books to read and participate in our winter scavenger hunt.



Tiny-Craft Station

Friday, December 27 from 1:30pm-3:30pm

Small & Simple STEM crafts available to do in-house. Create a thaumatrope optical illusion and a pipe cleaner "manikin."



Crafts suitable for ages 6 and up.



Young Adult

Onigiri Anime Club *
Thursday, December 19 at 6pm
Ages 13 & up. The YA librarian will
show various anime,
and offer an

opportunity for fans to discuss anime, manga and Japan!
The club meets the third Thursday of every month. Snacks will be served.

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Brain Station

Winter Hours

Monday: 12:30-3 Tuesday: 5:30-7:30 Wednesday: 5:30-8:30

Thursday: 4:30-7:30 Friday: 1-5 Saturday: 10-4:30

* Hours are subject to change.

Learn How to Solder *
Thursday, December 12 at 7pm
Ages 15 & up. Participants will be
provided with soldering irons and
solder, as well as electronic
components to solder.

Light Up LED Greeting Cards * Saturday, December 21 at 10:30am



Ages 10 & up. Learn how to use copper tape and light emitting diodes (LED) to design greeting cards. Par-

ticipants will learn how to create an electrical circuit and integrate it into their card design.

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