

## Milford Public Library

57 New Haven Ave

Milford, CT 06460

203-783-3290

[www.milfordlibrary.org](http://www.milfordlibrary.org)

Monday 10-5

Tuesday-Thursday 10-8:30

Friday 1-5

Saturday 10-5



### The Bob Kolb Quartet

January 12 at 2pm

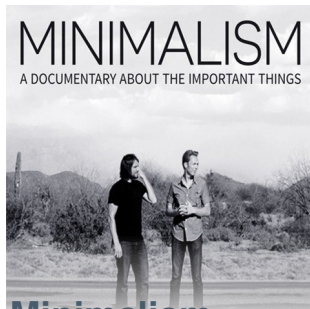
Spend a Sunday afternoon with us! The Bob Kolb Quartet will be performing classic jazz tunes, written by some of the masters of music. These expert musicians offer up cool jazz. Kolb has performed in backup bands for many of the greats, including Frank Sinatra and Ella Fitzgerald. The library is open only for this performance.



### Organizing for a Peaceful Life

January 16 at 6:30pm

This program will be held at the Fowler Building and is called: Functional Organization Made Possible: finding balance while maintaining a positive mindset and healthy lifestyle through organization. Presented by home organizer Emily Possemato, the talk will detail some simple ways to streamline your life, home, and work.



### Minimalism Documentary

January 18 at 2pm

There will be a screening of the documentary *Minimalism* at the Fowler Building. A discussion will follow. This film not only shines a light on the harmful consequences of thoughtless consumerism, it also interviews people who are dedicated to rejecting the American ideal that things bring happiness. Brought to you by the MPL and the ECC.

## American Job Center Career Coach

January 23 from 10am-12pm & 1pm-3pm

This fully-functional career center can help with job searching, résumé writing, interview techniques and much more! You will find helpful career specialists waiting for you. Make 2020 your year to find a great job! Registration suggested.

## Small Business Speed Counseling

January 28 at 1pm

Get advice from the Women's Business Development Council's industry experts in areas such as: Marketing, Business Strategy and Finance. You will have the opportunity to a brief one-on-one session with three of WBDC's expert business advisors! Register with the WBDC online or follow the link at [milfordlibrary.org](http://milfordlibrary.org).

## Book Discussion Groups

Romance: January 9 at 10am  
*Virtue Falls* by Christina Dodd

Pop-Fiction: January 21 at 7pm  
*The Snow Child* by Eowyn Ivey

Classic: January 30 at 10am  
*The Brothers Karamazov* by Fyodor Dostoyevsky

January 2020

## Adult Programs

1/1: Library Closed for New Year's Day

1/2: Craft-Paper Beadmaking 2pm \*

1/3, 10, 17, 24 & 31: Knitters Guild 1pm

1/6: Genealogy-The Winthrop Fleet 1pm

1/8: MPL Board Meeting 7:30pm

1/9: Romance Book Group 10am

1/9: Overdrive eBooks & Libby 7:30pm \*

1/12: The Bob Kolb Quartet 2pm

1/16: Functional Organization 6:30pm

1/18: Learn Astronomy 10:30am \*

1/18: *Minimalism* Documentary 2pm

1/20: Library Closed for MLK Jr. Day

1/21: Popular Fiction Book Group 7pm

1/23: Career Coach 10am-12pm/1-3pm \*

1/23: iOS Troubleshooting 7:30pm \*

1/28: Small Business Counseling 1pm \*

1/30: Classic Book Group 10am

\* = Register at 203-783-3292.

## 24/7 Resources

**JobNow!** provides you with practical tools to help you get a job. Free résumé templates, personal résumé help and live chat for assistance with interview techniques.



## Passport Office

By appointment only-Call 203-783-3309.

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

Gallery: Notre Dame West Haven  
Cases: Fairfield Fiber

# 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](http://milfordlibrary.org). Call us at 203-783-3312 with any questions.

## Mini-Programs

### Storytime Junior!

**Thursdays, January 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 10:30am**

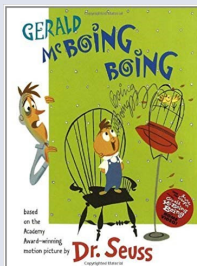
We're back, just a little smaller. Join us on Thursdays for a mini-program of cozy stories and songs in our temporary Children's space as we wait for our new Children's Department to be ready! For children 5 and under with a caregiver.



### Quack, Ding, BOING! It's Storytime

**Tuesday, January 14 at 10:30am**

A special storytime full of onomatopoeia-words that sound like the sounds they make. A FREE copy of *Gerald McBoing Boing* for every family, courtesy of the CT State Library through the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving.



### Winter Scavenger Hunt

**Wednesday, January 29 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.



## Take Your Child to the Library Day

**Saturday, February 1**

What a great day to visit the library! Snap a fun family pic in our "photo booth." Try and *Guess How Many?* and win a jar of goodies. Don't forget, adults need library cards too. *Take Your Grown-up to the Library* and make sure your favorite big person has their own library card. They'll get their own special sticker (just like the kids!) and a silly picture on our Facebook page.



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## Young Adult

**Onigiri Anime Club \***

**Thursday, January 16 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**

THE BRAIN STATION

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.**  
**Please call ahead to confirm!**

**Learn Astronomy with  
The Astronomical Society of  
New Haven \***



**Saturday, January  
18 at 10:30am**

Milford Public Library is hosting a beginners astronomy program.

Come down to learn how to use a

telescope and star charts to spot planets, stars and other objects of interest in the night sky. Members of The Astronomical Society of New Haven will conduct the program.

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