

Milford Public Library

Monday: 10-5
Tuesday-Thursday: 10-8:30
Friday: 1-5
Saturday: 10-5

APRIL 2022



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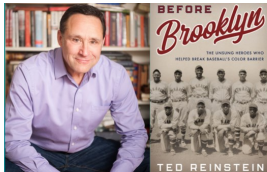
Experience Your Nature

As Healer

EXPERIENCE NATURE AS HEALER *

Wednesday, April 6 at 7pm via Zoom

Marlow Shami will explore the healing connection between humans and the natural world. She will discuss how to tap into nature's powers and lead a meditation.



TED REINSTEIN'S BEFORE BROOKLYN *

Wednesday, April 13 at 7pm via Zoom

Reinstein's book tells the story of little-known heroes who fought segregation in baseball, and how they helped newspapers that supported integration in sports.



POET LAUREATE JOAN KWON GLASS *

Wednesday, April 20 at 6:30pm

Milford's Poet Laureate, Joan Kwon Glass, will be reading and discussing her award winning poetry collection, *Night Swim*, a testimony of grief and healing.



ARTSCAPADES PRESENTS POINTILLISM *

Thursday, April 21 at 7pm via Zoom

Pointillism was a revolutionary painting technique developed in Paris in the 1800s. Explore the works of Camille Pissarro, Georges Seurat, and Paul Signac.



JAZZ NIGHT AT THE MILFORD LIBRARY

Wednesday, April 27 at 7pm

Rich Meyers and Eumir Abela will perform standards written by some of America's most famous composers, along with Latin Jazz, rhythm and blues, and pop tunes.

* Register at milfordlibrary.org | Questions? Email nabbey@milfordct.gov

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

ROMANCE: * Thursday, April 14 at 10am

Pride and Prejudice by Jane Austen

* Email cratzenberger@milfordct.gov to register

POPULAR FICTION: * Tuesday, April 19 at 7pm

Simon the Fiddler by Paulette Jiles

* Email cangeli@milfordct.gov to register

CLASSIC: * Thursday, April 28 at 10am

The Day of the Locust by Nathanael West

* Email nabbey@milfordct.gov to register

TAKE & MAKE: CAT TOYS

Make a stuffed goldfish with streamers. We'll provide felt, ribbon, and a template. View instructions on our [YouTube channel](#).

GENEALOGY CLASS

Monday, April 4 at 11am

Greg Thompson will start with an introductory session to help you on your genealogical journey.

Questions? Email nabbey@milfordct.gov

CONSEQUENCES OF LIGHT POLLUTION

Thursday, April 14 at 7pm

Leo Smith will discuss how light pollution affects our environment, the creatures that live in it, and how it can be mitigated.

CRYPTOCURRENCY 101 *

Thursday, April 28 at 7pm via Zoom

Dr. Paramita Dhar will explore cryptocurrency, why it's so popular, and what form you should invest in.

Questions? Email fdanowski@milfordct.gov

MEDICARE AND BEYOND *

Tuesday, April 26 at 6:30pm

Learn the difference between Medicare Parts A-D and review the pros and cons of Medicare Supplement and Advantage Plans. Income Related Monthly Adjusted Amounts, Medicare Savings Programs, Medical Power of Attorney, and how to protect your assets will also be covered.

JOB HUNT & RESUME TIPS

Thursday, April 28 from 10-12 and 1-3

Swing by the library to pick up some info or spend a few minutes getting fresh ideas and making sure you're on the right track. You are welcome to bring your resume, or get tips on how to start a new one.

Questions? Email dpreece@milfordct.gov

* Register at milfordlibrary.org

CHILDREN'S

203-783-3312

Email mplchildren@milfordct.gov



FAMILY MOVIE: ENCANTO

Friday, April 22 at 1:30pm

The Madrigals are an extraordinary family who live hidden in a charmed place called the Encanto. Magic has blessed every child in the family with a unique gift—except Mirabel. However, she soon may be the Madrigals last hope when she discovers that the magic surrounding them is in danger.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MASH-UP *

April 6 for grades K-2 from 6-7pm

April 27 for grades 3-5 from 6-7pm

Take a little bit book club, a dash of arts & crafts, a pinch of creativity, smooch it all together and you get our Wednesday Night Mash-Up!

EARTH DAY-TO-STAY *

Wednesday, April 20 at 2:30pm

Grades K-5. Decorate a reusable tote bag with fabric paints! Registration starts **Monday, April 4.**

EARTH DAY-TO-GO

Turtle Planter Take & Make kits will be available beginning **Monday, April 18.**

SPRING INTO STORYTIME *

Tuesdays and Thursdays

May 10—June 16

10:15am—Toddlers and crawlers

11:15am—Ages 3 and up

Registration starts **Monday, April 25.**

Please register for one session only.

Your registration reserves your spot for the entire 6-week session.

ANIMAL PERSONA POEMS *

Saturday, April 23 at 11am

Grades K-5. Celebrate poetry month with Milford's Poet Laureate, Joan Kwon Glass. She will guide kids in writing original animal shaped poems!

* Register on the [Children's page](https://www.milfordlibrary.org/childrens) at [milfordlibrary.org](https://www.milfordlibrary.org)



YOUNG ADULT

203-701-4554

Email dvalenzano@milfordct.gov

TEEN ADVISORY GROUP MEETING *

Thursdays, April 7 and 21 at 6pm

Grades 9-12. Are you interested in being a positive influence on your library while earning volunteer hours for school? Join our Teen Advisory Group! Help with programs, planning, displays, and more.

SPILL SOME INK: WRITING GROUP *

Tuesdays, April 12 and 26 at 3pm

Ages 13-18. We will share writing prompts, activities, and exercises to get your creative energy surging! On April 26, Milford's Poet Laureate Joan Kwon Glass will be joining us to discuss the craft of writing and lead us in some exercises in honor of National Poetry Month.



FOOD EXPLORERS SNACK SERIES: STUFFED BAGEL BITES *

Tuesday, April 19 at 6:30pm via Zoom

Grades 6-12. This no yeast recipe is made from Greek yogurt, and stuffed with cream cheese. You'll need the following ingredients: flour, baking powder, PLAIN Greek yogurt, 1 egg, 8oz cream cheese, and optional toppings like everything bagel seasoning, sesame seeds or sea salt.

EARTH DAY CRAFTS *

Monday, April 25 at 4pm

Grades 6-12. Celebrate Earth Day with some fun crafts. We'll be making wildflower seed bombs and homemade birdfeeders with oranges to take home!

* Register on the [YA page](https://www.milfordlibrary.org/youngadult) at [milfordlibrary.org](https://www.milfordlibrary.org)

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PASSPORT OFFICE

Tuesday: 4-8pm

Saturday: 10am-2pm

Please call 203-783-3309 to schedule an appointment.

ARTISTS

Gallery: Andy Bishop

Cases: MPL/FOML

Window Mural: Crystal Beetham