

MARCH 2017

Monday-Wednesday 10-8:30

(Children's 10-8)

Thursday & Saturday 10-5

Friday 1-5

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Tuesday 4-8 & Saturday 10-2

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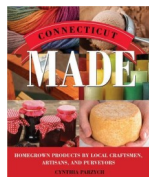
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CT Made Author Cynthia Parzych



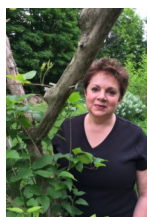
Wednesday, March 8 at 7pm

Born and educated in CT, Cynthia Parzych is a writer, publisher, editor and professional chef. She will visit the library to discuss her book *Connecticut Made*, a wealth of knowledge about local businesses, craftspeople and artisans. Parzych will talk about the spiritual "road trip" she found herself on to produce this book, and recount some of the things she learned about CT's creative entrepreneurs and their loyal supporters. This program may inspire you to take your own road trip to visit and support local businesses.

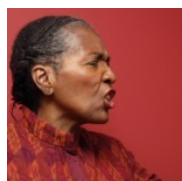
The Not-So-Good Life of a Goodwife

Wednesday, March 15 at 6:30pm

March is Women's History Month, celebrating strong women. This program reminds us all how far we've come. Discover what life was really like for New England's colonial women in regards to menstruation, sex, birth control, childbirth, sickness and medicine. Milford Library and the Milford Historical Society welcome Velya Jancz-Urban, who will delight us with her knowledge of everyday living in the Colonial Era. *The Not-So-Good-Life of the Colonial Goodwife* not only makes audience members laugh and grimace, but also honors our foremothers. It's not about quilting bees and spinning wheels—it's an interactive presentation about the little-known issues faced by New England's colonial women!



Harriet Tubman: I Can't Die But Once



Sunday, March 26 at 2pm

Harriet Tubman was a woman with unique qualities and abilities even though she was illiterate. *I Can't Die But Once* weaves a tale of truth, pain, courage and determination that takes the audience into her life. The story begins with her first enslaved, to her eventual escape, to being solicited by the US Government for her talents, to evading capture behind enemy lines. This inspirational presentation is presented by the talented Gwendolyn Quezaire-Presutti. Her performances are infused with her unique fingerprint giving an integral portrait of a historical event or person.

Programs

- Wed. 3/1 Needlepoint Guild 10am
- Thu. 3/2 Adult Craft—Coffee Filter Flowers 2pm *
- Fri. 3/3, 10, 17, 24 & 31—Knitters & Quilters 1pm
- Sun. 3/5 FOML *Love Letters* Play—Frank and Diane Smith 2pm
- Mon. 3/6 Genealogy—New Haven Historical Society 1pm
- Tue. 3/7 Cookies & Coloring for Grown-Ups 6:30pm
- Wed. 3/8 *CT Made*—Author Cynthia Parzych 7pm
- Sat. 3/11 Smart Home Buyers Seminar 10am
- Mon. 3/13 Western Novels—Author James Griffin 2pm
- Mon. 3/13 Yale Science Diplomats—Living Beyond Earth 6:30pm
- Tue. 3/14 Technology—OverDrive 11am
- Tue. 3/14 Breaking Bread—Is Gluten-Free for You? 7pm
- Wed. 3/15 The Not-So-Good Life of a Colonial Goodwife 6:30pm
- Mon. 3/20 *Brass Valley*—Author Emery Roth 7pm
- Wed. 3/22 Technology—Evernote 6pm
- Sun. 3/26 Harriet Tubman—Gwendolyn Quezaire-Presutti 2pm
- Mon. 3/27 Macro Photography in the Garden 6:30pm
- Wed. 3/29 NH Mineral Club—Minerals and Fossils in CT 7pm

* **REGISTRATION REQUIRED—Call 203-783-3292**

Dates and times are subject to change.

Check www.milfordlibrary.org for an updated list of events.

Technology (See program list above for dates and times.)

OverDrive—Bring your mobile device and learn how to use our eBook provider. Access thousands of titles right from your phone or tablet!



Evernote—A note-taking app for all of your ideas! Capture webpages, photos and texts for easy access later on.



MOVIE TUESDAYS | 2PM

3/7: *Fried Green Tomatoes*3/14: *Norma Rae*3/21: *Legally Blonde*3/28: *Loving*

Join us at the library for these features highlighting Women's History Month.

Free popcorn for all who attend!

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

ROMANCE: Thursday, March 9 at 10am
Born in Ice by Nora Roberts

EVENING: Tuesday, March 21 at 7pm
The Dig by John Preston

CLASSIC: Thursday, March 30 at 10am
The Prince by Niccolo Machiavelli

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

* Register at 203-783-3312

TODDLER TIME

Wednesdays at 10am & 11am

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

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Mondays and Tuesdays at 10am

Ages 3 and up with a caregiver. Come to the library and enjoy stories, a craft and new friends!

STORIES WITH MILFORD'S FINEST

Monday, March 6 at 10am

Join us for a special preschool storytime with the Milford Police Department!

LEGO® BUILD-A-THON

Tuesday, March 7 from 5:30pm-7pm

Ages 5 and up. The library will provide the LEGO® bricks, you provide the imagination! Creations cannot be taken home, but may be displayed in the library!

STAY & PLAY THURSDAY

Thursdays, March 9 & 23 from 10am-12pm

Stop by the library and play games, build with LEGOs® and do a simple art activity. You can even share a book!

CHESS CLUB *

Tuesday, March 14 from 6:30pm-7:30pm

Grades K-12 of all skill levels. Sponsored by Milford's Promise and Milford Police Union. Sets will be provided or you may bring your own. A presentation on the fundamentals of chess will be shown.

NO-COOK KIDS' COOKING CLASS *

Wednesday, March 15 at 6:30pm

No Stove? No problem! Make some yummy food with ShopRite's retail dietician. Healthy food can be fun to make!

MUSIC TOGETHER *

Tuesday, March 28 at 6:15pm

Ages 0-5. Experience the joy of family music with a free demonstration of the *Music Together* program. This is an opportunity for caregivers and children to share music, instruments and movement together. Children of all abilities are welcome!

CREATIVE WRITING CLUB FOR 'TWEENS *

Wednesday, March 29 from 6pm-7:30pm

'Tweens ages 9-13. Each meeting will consist of writing prompts, peer workshoping and fun activities to spark your creative genius! All skill levels welcome. We will provide the pens, refreshments and a comfy environment.

Irish Dance Family Program



Saturday, March 18 at 2pm

Ever wonder where *Riverdance* came from and why Irish dancers don't move their arms? Well, the teachers at Brennan-Lucey Irish Dance Academy are here to tell all. See the dresses, learn the history and even try a step for yourself! Come join in the fun with the dancers from *Riverdance*!

NEW MUSEUM PASS! EverWonder

A children's museum that offers hands-on exhibits and programming to spark imagination in the STEM fields.

YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

Crunchyroll Anime Club *



Monday, March 6 at 6pm-7:30pm

Grades 6-8. New members are invited to join the Milford Public Library's Crunchyroll Anime Club. The YA Librarian will be showing episodes from Crunchyroll, an anime streaming site, and will be offering an opportunity for fans to discuss anime, manga and Japan! Milford Library has been granted a premium account through Crunchyroll's outreach program, which allows the library to show episodes commercial free! Light refreshments will be served. Register by calling the Reference Desk at 203-783-3292.

THE BRAIN STATION

3D PRINTING CLASSES *

Wednesdays, March 8, 15 & 22 from 6pm-7pm

Ages 8-Adult. (12 and under with an adult). Learn about 3D printing and receive small group instruction on how to use the Ultimaker 2.



3D PRINTER DEMONSTRATION *

Saturday, March 11 from 1:30pm-2:30pm

Ages 8-Adult. (12 and under with an adult). An introductory program to the exciting world of 3D printing technology.

PRINTMAKING *

Saturday, March 18th from 10am-12pm

Grades 6-12. Local artist Lynne Knobel will introduce an easy printmaking technique using foam and watercolors. Take home prints!

* Register at 203-783-3292

GALLERY

Maria Hamilton

EXHIBIT CASES

Deborah Guerrucci

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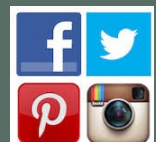


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