

November 2017

ADULT PROGRAMS

Featured Events

Elmseed Enterprise Fund @ New Haven Free Public Library! Open Office Hours
Saturdays, 10 am-12 pm | **IVES**

Learn more at www.elmseed.org.
For questions, mail info@elmseed.org or call (203) 903-1737.



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Community Garden
Thursdays, November 2, 9, 16, & 30,
4 pm | **FAIR HAVEN**

Come help us care for our community garden! Watering, planting, building, and weeding. What you do depends on what the garden needs!

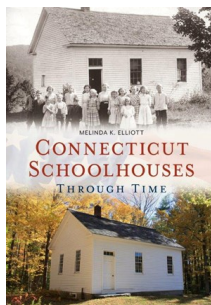


Vegan Cooking Workshop with Easy to Follow Recipes!

Saturday November 4, 2 pm | MITCHELL
Learn how what we eat effects the climate, and learn the benefits of eating seasonally and locally grown foods. Presented by Clara Tolbert: a retired caseworker from New York City who grew up on a family owned farm in Alabama. Now a New Haven resident, she spent 2 years with CitySeed teaching classes to seniors and families on how to shop and cook healthier on a budget.

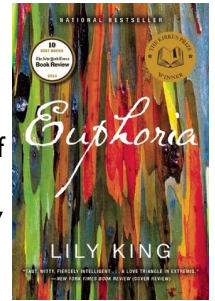
Author Talk and Book Signing! Connecticut Schoolhouses through Time by Melinda Elliott
Monday, November 6, 6 pm
MITCHELL

In 1852, there was a count of over 1600 schoolhouses. Now in the 21st century, you can still see old Connecticut schoolhouses and imagine what they would have been like in the old times. Join us for a fascinating presentation on the history of one-room schoolhouses in Connecticut!



Afternoon Book Club
Monday, November 13, 1 pm |
MITCHELL

Join fellow readers for a discussion of the book, *Euphoria* by Lily King. The Afternoon Book Club meets monthly – join anytime



Stealing Home: Race, Ethnicity, and the Struggle for National Belonging

Wednesday, November 15, 5 pm | IVES
Presented by Long Wharf Theatre, Yale Center for the Study of Race, Indigeneity, and Transnational Migration (RITM), and the New Haven Free Public Library.

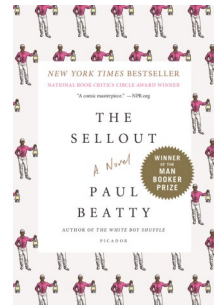
What do professional sports have to do with being or feeling American? Join us for a screening of the powerful documentary *A Long Way from Home* in conjunction with Long Wharf Theatre's upcoming production of *The Chosen*.



Urban Life Experience Book Discussion Series:

The Sellout By Paul Beatty
Saturday, November 18, 12 pm
WILSON

Join the Urban Life Experience Book Discussion Series at Wilson Library for their next read.



Support Stetson Library: The Next Chapter!
November 18, 1-3 pm **STETSON**

Join us at Stetson Library for a LuLaRoe shopping event with Annette Devecchi. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the campaign for the new Stetson Library.

Playwright Nambi E. Kelley Discusses Native Son

November 25, 10 am-1 pm | STETSON
Presented by Stetson Book Club, Stetson Library and Yale Repertory Theatre. Join playwright Nambi E. Kelley to talk about *Native Son* adapted from the novel by Richard Wright and on state at Yale Rep from November 24 – December 16.

Film Screenings & Discussions

Friday Movie Matinees

**Fridays in November, 2-4 pm
IVES**

November 3 | *Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them*

November 10 | *Passengers*

November 17 | *The Fate of the Furious*

November 24 | *Inception*

November is Blu-ray month at the NHFPL! Featured movies are all from our new Blu-ray collection.



Special Updates

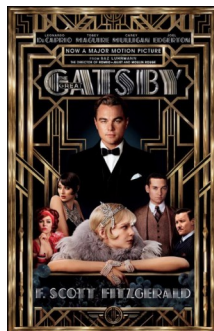
SAVE THE DATE!

November 3 • 24 hours
Online Giving Day to Benefit Stetson Library Campaign
bit.ly/nextstetson



November 4 • 10:45am
Q House Groundbreaking Ceremony
Reception to follow at Stetson Library

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The Great Gatsby

**Thursday, November 16
5:30 pm | FAIR HAVEN**

PG-13. Midwest native Nick Carraway, a would-be writer, moves to 1920s Long Island. He is drawn to the allure and glitz of the wealthy set. Nick becomes a witness and confidante to their illusions and deceptions.

A Glance at the World Through Film

Coming Home (2015) China

**Saturday, November 18, 2 pm
MITCHELL**

A historical drama set during the Cultural Revolution. Prison detainee finally returns home to discover his wife no longer recognizes him.



Ives Gallery

Exhibit Your Art in 2018!

Submission Deadline: November 3

The New Haven Free Public Library invites artists, curators, nonprofit organizations and students to apply to exhibit their (2D) work at the Ives Gallery during 2018. Visit: nhfpl.org/ives-gallery-open-call.

Illustrations from

A Field Guide to Long Island Sound

Works by Patrick Lynch

October 14 - December 2

Ives Gallery

The exhibition consists of artwork completed

to illustrate Lynch's book, *A Field Guide to Long Island Sound*, published by Yale University Press in March 2017. A few works are from his forthcoming book, *Cape Cod: A Field Guide to the Outer Lands of Cape Cod, Nantucket, Martha's Vineyard, Block Island, & Eastern Long Island Sound*, to be published by Yale University Press in 2018.



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