

May 2018

ADULT PROGRAMS

Featured Events

Spring 2018 Entrepreneur Series

Wednesdays, April & May 5:30-8 pm | IVES

Presented by SCORE New Haven

Online Marketing with Vishu Rao—May 2

Legal Issues with Marcia P. Blake—May 9

These FREE workshops support entrepreneurs who are in the planning stages or ready to launch! Register at: spring2018entrepreneurseries.eventbrite.com.



2018 Big Read New Haven

Big Read Kick-off!

May 2, 6-8 pm | STETSON

Kick off the Big Read New Haven with our partners and Mayor Toni Harp! Listen to spoken word performances by J-Sun and Midnight, make your own hoodie art with Katro Storm and sample Sandra's Soul Food as we gear up to read *Citizen: An American Lyric* by Claudia Rankine during May and June 2018.

Citywide Youth Coalition Dinner & Dialogue:

Domestic Terrorism

May 10, 5:30-7:30 pm | IVES

A community talk on domestic terrorism in regard to whiteness. Co-hosted by Showing Up for Racial Justice (SURJ).

Organizing/ Mobilizing for Racial Justice

May 24, 5:30-7:30 pm | IVES

How to come together to dismantle the systems of oppression in our communities with CT CORE.

Talk with the Docs!

Thursday, May 3, 6:30 pm

FAIR HAVEN

Join us for the first bilingual health talk with our partners Junta and Fair Haven Community Health Care. First topic: depression. Bring questions! Activities for kids will take place during the session.



Accent and Communication: Making Sure your Message is Understood!

Thursday, May 10, 6-7 pm | IVES

Speech Therapist Naomi Shiloh will present on how a foreign accent can impact communication including accent, pronunciation, intonation, consonants, and vowels. Followed by Q+A and practical advice. Recommended for new English speakers of all abilities.

The Probate Court and You with Probate Court Judge Clifton Graves, Jr.

Thursday, May 10, 6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Join Probate Court Judge Clifton Graves, Jr. at each library in the coming months to discuss the basic role and responsibilities of the Probate Court, as well as the court services and expectations.

Health & Wellness Community Health Fair

Saturday, May 12, 10 am-2 pm | STETSON

Access blood pressure checks, blood sugar testing, HIV testing, legal services, food, live DJ, raffles, health and insurance counseling, and more... all for free! Brought to you by NHFPL/Stetson Branch Library in partnership with Yale Medical School and the Freddy Fixer Parade Committee. All ages welcome! Bring the whole family!

Yale Science Diplomats

presents Science in the News!

From Molecules to Minds: How We Study Disease

Tuesday, May 15, 6:30 pm | IVES

Presented by Sam Dundon, Rachel Niederer, and Maxwell Shinn.



Junta Immigration Workshop

Thursday, May 17, 5 pm FAIR HAVEN

This month's topic is community policing in immigrant communities. Bilingual presentation and discussion.



Elmseed @ New Haven Free Public Library! Open Office Hours

Saturdays, 10 am-12 pm | IVES

Understand business fundamentals, connect with mentors, and learn more at www.elmseed.org. For questions, email info@elmseed.org or call (203) 903-1737.



What's On Your Plate?

Saturday, May 19, 2pm | MITCHELL

Vegan cooking workshop and discussion with Clara Tolbert on plant based nutrition, reversing and preventing diseases. To register call (203) 946-8117.

Featured Events (Continued)
International Festival of Arts & Ideas
Neighborhood Festivals!

Lively one-day neighborhood Festivals usher in the International Festival of Arts & Ideas. Community Steering Committees, local arts and business partners, and Festival staff and volunteers host local talent, family activities, and vendors in New Haven's historic and culturally rich neighborhoods. *Learn more, visit artidea.org/neighborhood.*



Hillfest | #CommunityFirst
Saturday, May 19, 1-5 pm
Cornell Scott Hill Health Center
428 Columbus Avenue

Dixwell Freddy Fixer Neighborhood Festival
Sunday, May 20, 4 pm—7 pm
Dixwell Plaza | 200 Dixwell Avenue (behind Stetson Library)

Fair Haven Neighborhood Festival
Celebrating Family
Saturday, May 26, 12 pm—4 pm
Criscuolo Park | Chapel and James Streets

Constitutional Convention: Creating A Constitution

Issues & Ideas | May 23, 6pm | IVES
Review & Ratify | July 25, 6pm | IVES
Final Draft | Sept. 26, 6pm | IVES

Over this three-part series, Professor Howard Blau will discuss equal rights, the balance of power, term limits, health care, the penal system, immigration, electoral college vs. popular vote, the tax system, the death penalty, and the second amendment.

SCSU's Buley Library Presents Makerspace @ Stetson!

Thursday, May 24, 4-5 pm | STETSON

Unleash your inner engineer as you create with Keva planks! Hosted by Lauren Johnson of SCSU's Buley Library Makerspace. Families and children/teens of all ages welcome! Children under the age of 9 need adult supervision.



Immigrants & Entrepreneurship
Thursday, May 24, 6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

How does being an immigrant make building a business in America different? How is this sometimes a barrier? An asset? Join us for the first program in a series of entrepreneurial talks planned



with our partners from Collab. Panelists include: Natalia Xiomara (Principal & Human Capital Strategist of Employment Resource Team, LLC), Domingo Medina (Founder of Peels & Wheels Composting), and Reinaldo Cruz (Permaculture Designer).

Film Screenings & Discussions

Friday Movie Matinees

Fridays in May, 2-4 pm | IVES
May 4 | *The Social Network*
May 11 | *Catch Me If You Can*
May 18 | *Pawn Sacrifice*
May 25 | *Trumbo*



3rd Annual Beckerman Jewish Film Series

Rabbi Wolff: A Gentleman Before God
Wednesday, May 2, 6:30 pm | IVES



William Wolff is nearly 90 and perhaps the most unconventional rabbi in the world. As the State Rabbi of northeast Germany but still living in England, he commutes from Heathrow to Germany each week. A Holocaust survivor, former London-based politician, and respected rabbi, Wolff is a fascinating character blessed with a tremendous "joie de vivre", who defies all conventions.

3rd Saturday Cinema

La Grande Illusion (1937)

Saturday, May 19, 2 pm | IVES
 Film and discussion series to mark 100 years since the end of WWI. Discussion to follow led by New Haven resident and European art, history and politics connoisseur Jacinto Lirola.



Ives Gallery

WALLS

Works by Liz Antle-O'Donnell

May 12— July 6, 2018 | IVES GALLERY

Opening: Monday, May 14, 5:30 – 7 pm

In this exhibit, Liz Antle-O'Donnell explores gated communities. Examining why people are drawn to them, and the social impact they have. Encouraging people to ask questions about why so many of us feel we need to use walls to isolate ourselves from the larger community.

