

September/October 2018 Programs for Adults



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MITCHELL BRANCH PROGRAMMING

English Class-ESL (ongoing)

Mondays at 6pm sponsored by Literacy Volunteers of Greater New Haven.

Wednesdays: One on One Tech Help

Need help with email, downloading ebooks, or online job applications? Please call for an appointment: 203-946-8117.

Knitting Club (ongoing)

Mondays at 6pm. Bring your own needles & yarn.

Caregiver Road Show for CT Families

Monday, September 17 at 1pm

Learn specific tools for navigating and connecting to services, gain an understanding of care options and costs, and stay informed on the legislative issues. Sponsored by the AARP.

Author Visit: Alice Mattison

Monday, September 17 at 6:30 pm

Local author Alice Mattison will read from her new book *Conscience*, published in August by Pegasus Books.



Getting an Early Start: Combating Hate and Fear of Others

Monday, October 1st at 6:30pm

The values imparted to your child from birth to five years can last a lifetime. Join Allyx Schiavone, Executive Director of Friends Center for Children, in a discussion of how we can create empathy and equity in New Haven's early education system.



Friends Center for Children

“Show Me How”—Learn to Plant a Tree

Wednesday, October 3 at 10:30am

Learn to plant a tree with Urban Resource Initiative. This is an indoor and outdoor hands-on program, please dress for the weather!



Afternoon Book Club

Monday, October 15 at 1pm

Discussion of *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng

Fake News is not New!

Monday, October 15, 6-7:30pm

From the 19th Century “Penny Papers” and Nazi propaganda, to the present day, three historians discuss an enduring phenomenon. Sponsored by Connecticut Humanities—cthumanities.org

Glance at the World Through Film

Saturday, October 20 at 2pm

Featuring: *The Insult* (Lebanon, 2017)

Film screening and discussion led by Debbie Evans.

“Show Me How” - Learn how Conservatorships, Wills, Trusts, Estates and Guardianships work.

Monday, October 22 at 6pm

Presentation by Probate Court Judge Clifton Graves.

Author Visit: Don Johnson

Thursday, October 25 at 4pm

Westville resident Don Johnson presents a talk on his newest book, *Yearning for Liberty*.

“Show Me How”—Control Your Digital Footprint

Saturday, October 29 at 3pm

Learn and practice techniques to control the exposure of your personal data. We encourage you to bring any smart device you might have (e.g., smartphone or tablet) for an interactive afternoon!



Tips & Tools for the 50+ Job Seeker

Monday October 29 at 1pm

Essentials for the 50+ job seeker including digital and social media platforms, personal branding, networking and age-proofing your resume. Sponsored by AARP.

Citywide Open Studios— Westville Weekend

Saturday, October 13

11am—String students from local violin/viola teacher Gretchen Frazier's studio will perform chamber music by American composers.

12pm—Art Opening featuring the work of University of New Haven art students.



Holiday Closings: Labor Day September 1-3 Columbus Day October 6-8

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