



nhfpl

New Haven Free Public Library

OCTOBER 2018

ADULT PROGRAMS

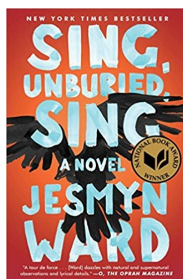
URBAN LIFE EXPERIENCE

BOOK DISCUSSION SERIES:

SING, UNBURIED, SING BY JESMYN WARD

Saturday, October 13th 12 PM | Wilson

Winner of the 2017 National Book Award for fiction. An intimate portrait of a family and an epic tale of hope and struggle, *Sing, Unburied, Sing* journeys through Mississippi's past and present, examining the ugly truths at the heart of the American story and the power—and limitations—of family bonds. Even if you haven't read it, don't miss what is always a deep invigorating discussion!



FILM SCREENING:

ZERO PERCENT

Saturday, October 13th 2 PM | Wilson

Witness the rarest of prison films, one with hope. *Zero Percent* is the story of the men of Hudson Link, an organization created by the inmates themselves that provides a full college degree through local universities. The results are so stunning, they have to be seen to be believed. As famed author Victor Hugo once said, "He who opens a school door, closes a prison." Presented by Project Longevity



COMPUTER BASICS

Thursday, October 11th 5 PM

Thursday, October 25th 5 PM



Never used a computer before? Need help getting up to speed on your basic computer skills? Need to apply for jobs online? Learn everything from how to handle a mouse and log on to Microsoft Office. Start today!

NEED TECHNOLOGY HELP OUTSIDE OF OUR CLASS SCHEDULE?

Or have a topic we're not covering? We can help you too! One-on-one help is available. Call (203) 946-2228 or stop for more information!

POETRY AND MOTIVATIONAL SEMINAR WITH CW JOHNSON

Saturday, October 27th 10 AM | Wilson

Poet and motivational speaker CW Johnson reads from her latest work *Splintered*. In addition to her poetry, Johnson facilitates women's encouragement meetings, teaches spiritual enrichment classes, is a spoken word artist and welcomes the opportunity to speak at women's services as opportunities arise. Join us for a fascinating reading and discussion!



NEW HAVEN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY WILSON LIBRARY

303 Washington Avenue New Haven, CT 06519 203-946-2228 www.nhfpl.org

WILSON PROGRAMMING

OCTOBER 2018

CHILD AND TEEN PROGRAMS

FEATURED EVENTS

STEAM CLUB

Tuesday, October 2nd 4 PM

Tuesday, October 16th 4 PM

Join us for our STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Mathematics) club. Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month, we tackle a new fun project where we figure out how things work and build them! Ages 5 and up



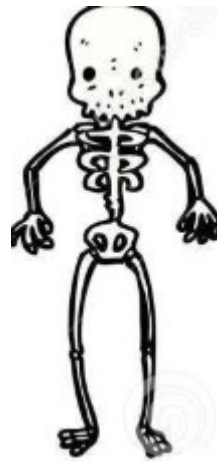
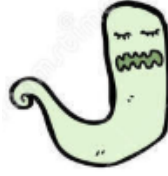
October 2nd: Camouflage Art: Learn about camouflage in the animal world and then create your own.

October 16th: Marshmallow Engineering: Come and see what structures you can build using toothpicks and marshmallows.

SPOOOOKTACULAR ANIMALS

Tuesday, October 23rd 4:30 PM | Wilson

Animal Embassy will be at Wilson with their Spooooktacular Animal show! Meet some animals that will make your skin crawl and the hair at the back of your neck stand up—including a tarantula and a scorpion!



ONGOING PROGRAMS

STAY AND PLAY

Wednesdays 10:30 AM

Join our Children's Librarian in shaking your sillies out! Story time, music, dancing you name it. Bring your little one(s) in to take part in the fun!



SPOOKY STORYTIME AND CRAFT

Saturday, October 27th, 2 PM

Join us for a special Halloween story time and craft project!



CHESS CLUB

Wednesdays 4 PM | Wilson

Learn the game or show off your skills against our in-house Chess Master. All levels welcome!



LEGO CLUB

Thursdays 4 PM | Wilson

Use your noggin and our Legos to build to your heart's content.