

March 2019

ADULT PROGRAMS

Featured Events

Connecticut Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) @ NHFPL

Ives Main Library

Mondays-Thursdays: 4-7:30 pm*

Fridays, 11 am-4:30 pm*

Saturdays, 10:30 am-2:30 pm*

Wilson Library

Tuesdays, 5-7:30 pm*

Saturdays, 1-4 pm*

You can have your taxes prepared for FREE at an IRS-certified Connecticut Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) site. VITA is the safe, simple way to file your taxes. Learn more.

**Please note the last appointment is taken 45 minutes before the session ends.*

Fair Haven Neighborhood Community Management Team Meeting

Thursday, March 7, 6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Each neighborhood in New Haven has a management team made up of your neighbors that meets monthly to identify and examine neighborhood news and issues. Hear reports and get information from first responders, elected officials representing Fair Haven, and concerned citizens. Have a voice in your community - join us on the first Thursday evening of each month.

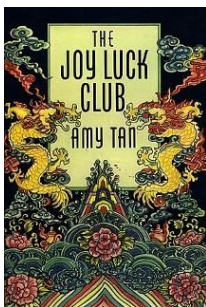
Afternoon Book Club

The Joy Luck Club by Amy Tan

Monday, March 11, 1 pm

MITCHELL

Read and join us for a book discussion of *The Joy Luck Club* by Amy Tan.



Fair Haven Book Club

Biographies

Monday, March 11, 2 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Join the Fair Haven Book Club as we discuss the various biographies we have individually selected to read. Need an idea or suggestion for a book on a famous or infamous person? Just ask! Copies available to borrow!

Re-Entry Job Fair with Connecticut Department of Labor

Wednesday, March 13, 11 am-2 pm | IVES

Dress to impress to meet with employers! Bring copies of your resume (if you have one) and identification. Veterans encouraged to join the event.



Local History Room Tours: Ives Main Library

Wednesday, March 20, 12-1 pm

Saturday, March 30, 3-4 pm

Learn about our print and digital collections, including books, documents, clippings files, maps, and photographs. Learn how to use the Library's online history and genealogy resources: Ancestry, News-bank, and America's Historical Newspapers. Come with questions! Learn how to find what you are looking for. Hour introduction includes tour, hands-on practice, and Q&A.

Freddy Fixer Parade

Committee: Community Meeting

Wednesday, March 20, 6-8 pm STETSON

Community meetings are open to the public. Feel free to come out and get involved



Job Fair

Thursday, March 21, 6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Find out about opportunities with new and growing local small businesses, employment, entrepreneurship, education, and vocational training. We'll be joined by American Job Center, Caregiver Homes, Collab, Holberton School, Tinaliah Cooperative, and Yale Community Hiring Initiative.

Africa Is Me

Saturday, March 23, 1-4 pm | STETSON

Join the Village in African dance, drumming, arts and crafts, and education. Led by Hanan Hameen of the Artsucation Academy. Kids, teens, and families are welcome.

Yale Science in the News @ NHFPL!

From Micro to Macro:

Small Molecules with Big Effects

Monday, March 25, 6:30 pm | MITCHELL

Every day we encounter objects whose shapes are critical for their function, which is why you've probably never tried to eat soup with a fork! In this talk, we will describe how shape is just as critical to function at the molecular level where changes in shape can have dramatic consequences ranging from disease to agricultural productivity.

Featured Events Continued

**Democracy in Crisis:
Conversations with New Haven Scholars**

Join us for this year-long series in partnership with Yale University's Public Humanities department.

**Heritage, Memory, and the Future City
Tuesday, March 26, 6 pm | IVES**

Elihu Rubin, Associate Professor of Architecture, Urbanism, and American Studies, Yale University



NOplays at NHFPL

**Thursday, March 28, 6 pm | IVES
Saturday, March 30, 3 | IVES**

NOplays is proud to present: HERSTORY, a series of new plays celebrating the strength and bravery of unsung heroines. The goal of this project is to continue shedding a light on the untold stories of women in our country, both in our history, and on our stages. The plays featured in HERSTORY are part of 365 Women a Year, an international playwriting coalition involving over 200 women across the world who have signed on to write one or more one-acts about extraordinary women in history.

Caregiver Homes Presentation

Thursday, March 28, 6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Please join Caregiver Homes for a presentation on the Adult Family Living Program and the Connecticut Home Care Program for Elders.

Film Screenings & Discussions

Friday Movie Matinees: 90s March Madness!

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

March 1 | *The Matrix*

March 8 | *The Shawshank Redemption*

March 15 | *Groundhog Day*

March 22 | *The Big Lebowski*

March 29 | *Men In Black*

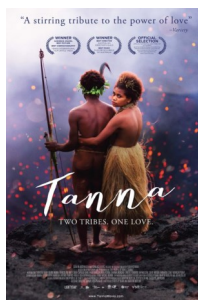


**A Glance at the World
Through Film**

Tanna (2017)

**Saturday, March 16, 2 pm
MITCHELL**

Film screening and discussion of *Tanna* (2017) a film from the island of Tanna in the South Pacific. Led by Debby Evans.



**World Cinema Film Screening
Women on the Verge of a Nervous Breakdown (Rated R)**

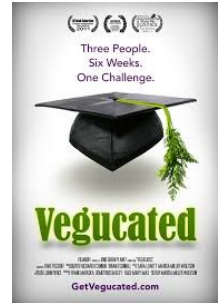
Saturday, March 23, 1 pm | FAIR HAVEN

When Pepa Marcos' lover Ivan suddenly leaves her without any explanation, she embarks on a wild 'journey to discover why. It's famed Spanish director Pedro Almodovar's wacky take on romantic comedy. Join us to see this Best Foreign Film Academy Award-nominated nominee. Free popcorn!

Vegucated (2011)

**Saturday, March 23, 2 pm
MITCHELL**

Does What You Eat Matter? Film screening and discussion of the documentary *Vegucated* (2011). Hosted by Clara Tolbert, a Westville resident and food educator.

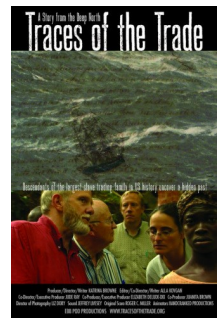


**Film Screenings with Showing
Up for Racial Justice (SURJ)**

Traces of the Trade: A Story from the Deep North

**Saturday, March 23, 2 pm
WILSON**

Katrina Browne makes a troubling discovery-- her New England ancestors were the largest slave-trading family in U.S. history. She and nine fellow descendants set off to retrace the Triangle Trade: from their old hometown in Rhode Island to slave forts in Ghana to sugar plantation ruins in Cuba. Step by step, they uncover the vast extent of Northern complicity in slavery while also navigating their way through the minefield of contemporary race relations. (86 minutes)



NHFPL Gallery

Creative Minds: The Art of New Haven Youth Works by New Haven Public School Students

March 23 – May 10, 2019 | IVES

Opening Reception: Monday, March 25, 5:30-7 pm

New Haven Public School Students display their current work at the New Haven Free Public Library Ives Gallery.

