

# October 2019

## ADULT PROGRAMS

### Featured Events

**Inklings: Wilson Writers Group Led by Lucy Gellman of the Arts Paper**  
Tuesday, October 1, 6-8 pm  
**WILSON**

Everyone has a story. It is time to tell yours! Join us for our first monthly writing series to learn tools and techniques to take ownership over your story.



### New Haven Debt Map

**Tuesday, October 1, 6-8 pm | WILSON**

Annie Harper, a researcher at the Yale School of Medicine's Program for Recovery and Community Health, will facilitate a conversation about how New Haven residents are burdened by debt and arrears. This is the start of a series of conversations and data collection activities aimed at understanding and improving people's experiences of debt and arrears. Free dinner will be served!

### Show Me How

**New Haven Promise: FREE money for college!**  
**Saturday, October 5, 10:30 am | MITCHELL**

If you are a New Haven Public School student, you can receive free college tuition! The New Haven Promise scholarship is an annual award that covers up to full tuition at a Connecticut public 2 or 4-year college or university. Register as early as 7th grade. \*Parents are HIGHLY encouraged to attend with their students.



**New Haven Promise**  
MAKING THE PROMISE OF COLLEGE A REALITY

### Urban Life Experience Book Discussion Series

**Well-Read Black Girl by Glory Edim**

**Saturday, October 5, 12 pm | WILSON**

Join us for a discussion of *Well-Read Black Girl: Finding Our Stories, Discovering Ourselves*. When did you first see yourself in literature? This book is an inspiring collection of essays by Black women writers, curated by the founder of the popular book club Well-Read Black Girl, on the importance of recognizing ourselves in literature.



### Yale Job Fair

**Monday, October 7, 6 pm | MITCHELL**  
**Wednesday, October 9, 12 pm | STETSON**  
**Thursday, October 17, 4 pm | WILSON**  
**Wednesday, October 30, 6 pm | IVES**  
**Thursday, November 21, 6 pm | FAIR HAVEN**  
Meet representatives from the Yale hiring team, learn about the Stars application process. Bring your resume!

### US Census Job Fair

**Tuesday, October 8, 10:30 am | STETSON**  
**Tuesday, October 15, 4 pm | MITCHELL**  
**Wednesday, October 16, 4 pm | WILSON**  
**Monday, October 21, 10:30 am | IVES**  
**Thursday, October 24, 6 pm | FAIR HAVEN**  
Learn about job openings with the US Census Bureau. Flexible hours, office jobs or work from home and in your own neighborhood. Earn \$17-23 per hour. Experience with computer and smartphone a must, bi-lingual candidates in all languages needed. Paid training provided, no previous experience with Census required.



### NH ChiLD Lunch & Learn

**Tuesday, October 8, 12:30 pm | MITCHELL**  
Imagine if all of New Haven's children had access to high quality early learning experiences. Come and learn about the Ideal Learning Principles and the roll out of NH ChiLD in New Haven. For parents, community leaders, and educators. Please RSVP at (203) 946-8117. Sponsored by Bank Street College of Education.

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

Join us for a second year of this series presented in partnership with Public Humanities at Yale. Monthly discussions will take place at Ives and Wilson Library.

### Inside the Writer's Studio

**Tuesday, October 8, 6 pm | IVES**  
With Renee Gladman and Joshua Beckman

### Democracy and Futurity

**Tuesday, October 22, 6 pm | WILSON**  
With James Berger



### Autumn Neighborhood Party

**Thursday, October 10, 5-7 pm | FAIR HAVEN**  
We had a great time at our Summer Party – now join us for our last community get together of the year!

**Featured Events (Continued)**

**Medicare Information Session**

**Tuesday, October 15, 12 pm | MITCHELL**

Medicare Open Enrollment opens today! Meet a representative from the Agency on Aging of South Central CT who can answer all your questions about benefits and enrollment.



**Cuba's Realities in the 21st Century: A Conversation with Cuban Economist Dr. Jourdy James Heredia**

**Tuesday, October 15, 6-8 pm | IVES**

Join the conversation with award winning economist Dr. Jourdy Victoria James Heredia, subdirector and lead researcher of the Global Economy Research Center in Havana, Cuba and Associate Professor at the University of Havana. *Cosponsored by Witness for Peace Solidarity Collective and City of New Haven Arts, Tourism & Culture Division.*

**Reevaluating Our Approach to Autism**

**Wednesday, October 16, 6 pm | IVES**

Come and converse with Jeremy Farrell, Leader of Community Outreach and Recruitment at Haskins Laboratories. He will discuss his learnings from his own personal autistic journey and how it mirrors the lessons we can glean from current research on visual perception development in children with autism. *Presented in partnership with Haskins Laboratories.*

**Book Signing with Diasha Johnson**

**Wednesday, October 18, 6-8 pm STETSON**

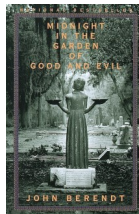
Join local author and motivational speaker Diasha Johnson for a reading and signing of her new book, *When I Left Lust for Love*.



**Fair Haven Book Club**

**Monday, October 21, 2 pm | FAIR HAVEN**

Join the Book Club for an informal discussion of *Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil*. A real-life Southern Gothic tale chronicles John Berendt's experience living in Savannah during a sensational murder trial. Just as gripping as the drama is the author's exploration into Savannah culture and the unusual array of people whom he meets during his eight years living there.



**African Drum Work and Playshops!**

**Wednesday, October 23, 6-8 pm | STETSON**

Join us for healing African drum circles taught and facilitated by Brian Jarawa Gray.

**Ghosthunters of Connecticut**

**Saturday, October 26, 12 pm | FAIR HAVEN**

Get in the Halloween spirit with members of the Ghosthunters team. They will discuss the gear and practices in the pursuit of paranormal activity! Join us for some spooky fun!

**Body and Soul**

**Fullness: Food as Nourishment**

**Tuesday, October 29, 6-8 pm | WILSON**

Body and Soul are monthly programs, facilitated presentations, and conversations with local experts and community members on how to be healthier versions of ourselves. This month's topic is food. Free dinner will be provided at each monthly program!

**Harvest Festival at Stetson!**

**Wednesday, October 30, 6-7:30 pm STETSON**

Join us for treats, music and fun! Costumes optional. Open to all ages, come with the whole family!

**Film Screenings & Discussions**

**Friday Movie Matinees**

October is Scary Movie Month!

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

**October 4 | US**

**October 11 | A Quiet Place**

**October 18 | Happy Death Day**

**October 25 | Annihilation**



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

**Mr. Civil Rights: Thurgood Marshall and the NAACP**

**Saturday, October 19, 2 pm | WILSON**

Learn about civil rights attorney Thurgood Marshall and his triumph in the Brown v. Board of Education decision to desegregate Americas public schools. Which laid the groundwork to end legal segregation. Marshall won more Supreme Court cases than any lawyer in American history, making the work of civil rights pioneers like the Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Rosa Parks possible.



**Glance at the World Through Film**

**Motorcycle Diaries**

**Saturday, October 19, 2 pm MITCHELL**

Join us for *Motorcycle Diaries* an award winning film from Argentina directed by Walter Salles. A road trip through South America from Patagonia to Peru with the young, wandering, medical student Che Guevara and his side kick. (Spanish with English subtitles)

