

March 2024

ADULT PROGRAMS

Featured Adult Programs

Free Friday Films

Fridays, 2-4 pm | IVES

Celebrate female directors!

March 1 - *Alma's Rainbow* (Not Rated)

The life of a teenager as she enters womanhood and navigates beauty standards and women's rights.

March 8 - *Rosa Luxemburg* (Not Rated)

The story of a Polish socialist and Marxist who worked tirelessly in the service of revolution in the early 20th century Poland and Germany.

March 15 - *Everybody Loves Somebody* (PG-13)

Young and beautiful Clara Barron seems to have it all. The only thing she hasn't figured out is her love life.

March 22 - *Mikey and Nicky* (R)

This restless drama finds Nicky holed up in a hotel after the boss he stole money from puts a hit out on him. Terrified, he calls on Mikey, the one person he thinks can save him.

New Haven Go Club

Saturdays, March 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2-4:45 pm | IVES

Go is an abstract two-player strategy board game in which the aim is to surround more territory than the opponent. Come learn and play this exciting game!

New Haven Puerto Rican Oral History Project

Saturday, March 2, 2-5 pm | WILSON

Tuesday, March 12, 4-7 pm | WILSON

Monday, March 25, 10 am-1 pm | WILSON

Share your story of growing up Puerto Rican in New Haven! Boricuas of all ages are invited to sit down and share their stories about their lives in the Elm City.

Pardoning Workshop with Y.U.P.P

Saturday, March 2, 2:30-3:30 pm | IVES

Saturday, March 23, 2:30-3:30 pm | WILSON

Are you formerly incarcerated and interested in applying for an absolute pardon in the state of Connecticut? This is a free service offered by Yale Undergraduate Prison Project.

Escaped Alone: Yale Rep Play Discussion

Monday, March 4, 6-7:30 pm | MITCHELL

Join Yale Repertory Theatre and creative team members for tea and conversation about their upcoming production *Escaped Alone* and its playwright Caryl Churchill.

Computer Basics Classes

Getting Started

Tuesday, March 5, 12:30-2 pm | WILSON

Learn the basics of using a computer and practice using a mouse. Registration is required.

Mouse and Keyboard

Thursday, March 7, 5:30-6:30 pm | IVES

Learn the basics of operating a mouse and keyboard.

Keyboard and Mouse

Thursday, March 21, 4-5:30 pm | WILSON

Learn the basics of using a keyboard and mouse. Registration is required.

Windows Operating System

Thursday, March 28, 5:30-6:30 pm | IVES

Learn the basics of the Windows desktop and get an introduction to starting programs and finding files.

SMART Recovery Coffee & Conversation

Tuesdays, 4:30-6 pm | WILSON

SMART Recovery stands for Self-Management and Recovery Training, a science-based addiction recovery support group.

Let's Get Growing! Seed Library Launch and Seed Starting Workshop

Tuesday, March 5, 5:30-7 pm | WILSON

Spring is around the corner and now is a great time to start seeds, connect to gardening resources, and plan your garden.

BookLovers' Circle

Thursday, March 7, 10-11 am | MITCHELL

Share with other booklovers in an informal setting about the book you're reading or one you've just finished.

Escaped Alone: Yale Rep Nature Poetry Writing Workshop

Saturday, March 9, 3-4:30 pm | WILSON

Join the Yale Repertory Theatre for a nature poetry writing workshop led by teaching artist Emily Sorenson, using seedlings and seeds from the Wilson Branch Seed Library.

Fair Haven Book Club

Monday, March 11, 2-3 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Join for a discussion of *Small Mercies* by Dennis Lehane. The novel concerns Irish organized crime conflicts, a white girl's disappearance, and a black man's murder during a tense period in 1974.

ACES Information Session

Monday, March 11, 5:30-7 pm | MITCHELL

Learn about education choices for your child!

Alternatives to Suicide

Tuesdays, March 12 and 26, 6:30-7:30 pm | IVES

Join this peer led-support group that allows participants to talk about suicidal thoughts, feelings, or experiences without fear of judgement or hospitalization. Share your struggles, successes, and provide support for one another.

Pamper Me Series

Wednesday, March 13, 6-7:30 pm | STETSON

Join licensed esthetician Sarah Prieto for free facials and learn how to care for your skin. Free samples! RSVP: 203-946-8119

How Connecticut Thumbed its Nose at Prohibition

Friday, March 15, 2-3 pm | IVES

Learn about how some enterprising citizens defied the alcohol ban.

Urban Life Experience Book Discussion: *Ella Baker and the Black Freedom Movement* by Barbara Ransby

Saturday, March 16, 12-1:30 pm | WILSON

This month we'll discuss *Ella Baker and the Black Freedom Movement* by Barbara Ransby.

Humanist Association of Connecticut Book Discussion: *Humanly Possible...* by Sarah Bakewell

Saturday, March 16, 2:30-4:30 pm | WILSON

Join a monthly book club hosted by the [Humanist Association of Connecticut](#) and discuss *Humanly Possible...* by Sarah Bakewell. All are welcome!

From Danger to Dignity (And Back)

Monday, March 18, 6-7:30 pm | MITCHELL

A talk and discussion led by Rhea Hirshman, adjunct professor of Women's Gender and Sexualities Studies at UConn Stamford.

The Disquieting Death of Emma Gill

Wednesday, March 20, 6-7 pm | IVES

Marcia Biederman reads from her new nonfiction book describing New Haven in the 1980's.

Photography of Bob Silverstein Reception

Saturday, March 23, 3-4:45 pm | MITCHELL

Silverstein has learned about many of the challenges faced by the guests of the Sunrise Cafe. Their stories and portraits shine a light on the issues facing our community.

Classic Cinema: *All The President's Men* (PG)

Saturday, March 23, 1-3:30 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Join us for a classic film. Popcorn and soda are on us!

Charcoal Drawing with Artist Mark Buku

Monday, March 25, 6-7:30 pm | MITCHELL

Join the Mitchell Branch and Arts in CT for a charcoal drawing class! Please call 203-946-8117 to register.

Resume and Tech Support Session with Yale Undergraduate Prison Project (YUPP)

Tuesday, March 26, 6-8 pm | IVES

Ongoing Programs

Meet Your Alder

Saturday, March 2, 10-11 am | FAIR HAVEN

Ward 14 Alder Sarah Miller will be here to answer questions and address concerns about City affairs.

Thursday, March 7, 4:30-6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Ward 15 Alder Frank Redente and Ward 9 Alder Caroline Smith will be in to answer questions and address concerns about City affairs.

Fair Haven Community Management Team Meeting

Thursday, March 7, 6-8 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Ask a Lawyer

Thursday, March 14, 5:30-7:30 pm | IVES

Presented in partnership with the [New Haven County Bar Association](#).

Mindfulness Matters

Mondays, 10:30-11:30 am | WILSON

Together with peers, practice dropping labels and tuning into yourself. Led by Prabha Makayee.

Bilingual Tech Assistance Hour

Mondays, 10-11 am, Tuesdays, 2-3 pm, and

Thursdays, 5-6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

English Conversation Club

Wednesdays, 4-6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Music Room Open Hours

Wednesdays, 5-6 pm | WILSON

Liberty Community Services Assistance

Thursdays, 12-4:30 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Meditation with Elm Community Insight

Saturdays, 10:30 am-12 pm | IVES