

July 2025

Adult Programs

Featured Adult Programs

Cartoonist Club Monthly Meeting

Tuesday, July 1, 6-8 pm | IVES

We are excited to launch our new partnership with the Cartoonist Club! They are a group of individuals from across Connecticut interested in making comics and graphic novels. They are open to any adult, no matter your experience level.

Ives Book Club

Wednesday, July 2, 6-7 pm | IVES

This month join us to share what you've been reading! For more info visit:

bookclubs.com/clubs/6085518/join/894cd0

ARISE Center Office Hours

Thursdays, 2-4 pm | WILSON

Join Marisol of Christian Community Actions ARISE Center for office hours focusing on employment resources for things such as job search assistance, resume and cover letter writing, interview prep, job training, financial literacy, and more!

Rent Rebate Assistance

Mondays, 10 am-2 pm | WILSON

Do you need assistance applying for Rent Rebate? Join representatives from the New Haven Elderly Services Department on Mondays through August 25th for help! For more info visit:

nhfpl.libcal.com/event/14755975

American Job Center Tabling

Monday, July 7, 12-2 pm | IVES

Wednesday, July 23, 1-3 pm | IVES

American Job Center offers help with resume writing, job searching, and offers a great selection of workshops to help boost your skills. Learn more today!

Movie Matinee: *Rear Window* (Rated: PG)

Wednesday, July 9, 2-4 pm | WILSON

Rear Window is a 1954 American mystery thriller film.

Free Community Yoga

Saturday, July 12, 10-11:30 am | MITCHELL

Saturday, July 19, 10-11:30 am | WILSON

Free and open to all! We will come together and practice the eight limbs of the yogic path. Classes may include guided movement, mantra, mudra, meditation, breath work and more.

Yale Undergraduate Prison Project (YUPP)

Resume and Tech Support

Saturday, July 19, 2-4 pm | IVES

We hope to support formerly incarcerated individuals and all other community members.

Absolute Pardon Workshop

Saturday, July 12 and 19, 2:30-3:30 pm | WILSON

Saturday, July 26, 2:30-3:30 pm | IVES

Are you formerly incarcerated and interested in applying for an absolute pardon in Connecticut?

NHV Health Department Overdose Prevention Navigator Tabling

Monday, July 14, 11 am-1 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Thursday, July 24, 1-3 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Meet with an Overdose Prevention Navigator from the New Haven Public Health Department!

Fair Haven Book Club

Monday, July 14, 3:30-4:30 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Join the club for a discussion of *The Ministry of Time* by Kalliane Bradley. A young newly hired civil service employee of a time-traveling agency works with a historical figure to get them ready to live in the modern world.

Free CPR/AED Class

Thursday, July 17, 5-7 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Yale-New Haven Health is providing free training for members of the community to learn how to perform CPR and use an AED. Registration is required. Please visit nhfpl.org to sign up.

Humanist Association of Connecticut Book Discussion: *Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus

Saturday, July 19, 2:30-4:30 pm | WILSON

This month we discuss *Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus. All are welcome!

NCAT E-Bike Safety Class

Saturday, July 19, 3-5 pm | WILSON

Urban Life Experience Book Discussion: *Nat Turner, Black Prophet* by Anthony Kaye

Saturday, July 26, 12-1:30 pm | WILSON

This month we discuss *Nat Turner, Black Prophet* by Anthony Kaye.

Classic Cinema: *Blade Runner* (1982 / Rated: R)

Saturday, July 26, 1-3 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Join us for a classic film. Popcorn and soda are on us! A "blade runner" is called out of retirement to terminate four "replicants" (engineered humans) of a powerful corporation that have started to rebel and have arrived on Earth.

Barbara Shepard Art Reception

Saturday, July 26, 2-4 pm | MITCHELL

Join us for a reception celebrating the art of Barbara Shepard, on display in the program room.

The Morbidly Curious Book Club

Monday, July 28, 6-7 pm | IVES

Join this 18+ non-fiction book club exploring the macabre. We will be reading *The Butchering Art: Joseph Listers Quest to Transform the World of Victorian Medicine* by Lindsey Fitzharris.

Ongoing Programs

Fair Haven Community Management Team Meeting

Tuesday, July 3, 6-8 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Discuss your community concerns.

Out of the Abyss Suicide Support Group

Wednesday, July 9 and 23, 6:30-7:30 pm | IVES

This peer led support group allows participants to talk about suicidal thoughts, feelings, or experiences without judgement or hospitalization. For questions, email ofasoundmind@yahoo.com

Ask a Lawyer

Thursday, July 10, 5:30-7:30 pm | IVES

Legal questions? Drop in for a free 15-minute consultation with a lawyer. Presented in partnership with the New Haven County Bar Association.

Adult Writer's Group

Mondays, July 14 and 28, 2:30-4 pm | WILSON

Aspiring and experienced writers are welcome! Prose writers and poets are also welcome.

Mindfulness Matters

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

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

Technology Assistance

Mondays, 11 am-12 pm, Tuesdays, 2-3 pm, and Thursdays, 2-3 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Need technology help? Help is offered in English or Spanish. Obtenga ayuda en inglés o Español.

Spanish Language Conversation Club

Wednesdays, 4-5 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Interested in learning Spanish? Improve your skills in this casual and informal club.

English Conversation Club

Wednesdays, 4-6 pm | FAIR HAVEN

Practice speaking English and learn to improve for free in a casual group setting! Families welcome.

Ask A Gardener

Thursdays, 2-4 pm | WILSON

Stop by for answers and advice from Master Gardeners Faith and Giulia. Learn about community garden plots and check out some free seeds.

The Unhoused Activists Community Team

Fridays, 1-3 pm | IVES

U-ACT is made up of people fighting for the rights and dignity of unhoused people in New Haven. Call or text Billy Bomage at 203-804-0207 for more info.

Meditation with Elm Community Insight

Saturdays, 10:30 am-12 pm | IVES

Join us for morning meditation led by Elm Community Insight in collaboration with the NHFPL.

New Haven Go Club

Saturdays, 1-4:30 pm | IVES

Come learn and play this exciting strategy game that was invented almost 2,500 years ago!

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