

happenings

At Hagan Memorial Library | Spring, 2019

All programs are Free. Due to seating limitations, please register by visiting the library, or by calling 203.468.3890. For more detailed information on library events, please visit our website at: www.hagamanlibrary.org

MARCH:

Sat: 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30: Casual & Fun Yoga at the Library. \$5.00 donation 11:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m.



Sat: 2 The Village: Life in New Haven's

Little Italy:

A Documentary

See a free screening of *The Village: Life in New Haven's Little Italy*, a delightful documentary by New Haven freelance writer and film maker Steve Hamm, who dwells in Wooster Square. *The Village* captures the memories of long-time and former Wooster Square residents, including Frank Carrano, Theresa Argento, Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro, and restaurateur Claire Criscuolo, among others. Hamm pays homage to some of the neighborhood's most beloved, traditional characteristics--food, work, family, religion, and politics--using interviews, photos from family albums, and historic films and photographs. **2:00 p.m.**

Mon: 4, 11, 18 & 25: Casual & Fun Yoga at the Library. \$5.00 donation. 1:15 p.m.



Tues: 5: Toddler Tunes with Robert Messoré. Join us on

the first Tuesday of most months for Toddler Tunes. Robert Messoré plays guitar, sings, and leads the group in silly songs and movement. A monthly music party for the little ones. No reservations required – just drop in! **10:30 a.m.**



Tues: 12, 19 & 26: Mother Goose On The Loose-An award-winning interactive music and movement program for babies and toddlers. **10:30 a.m.**

Tues: 5: Financial Help for Seniors: Benefits Quick-link Need help paying for groceries and other bills? If you are 60 or older, and/or disabled, call the library at 203.468.3890 to schedule your half hour appointment. **Appointments begin at 11:30 a.m.**

Tues: 5, 12, 19 & 26: Citizenship Class Sponsored by the East Haven Adult Learning Center-no need to register! **6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.**

Tues: 5: Economic Development Meeting (EH Chamber of Commerce/ Town of East Haven) Learn from our speaker, Sal Brancati what is happening in the East Haven business sector and in the Town itself. This presentation is open to the public. **Please RSVP to: easthavenchamber01@gmail.com. Thank-you! 6:00 p.m.– 8:00 p.m.**



Wed: 6, 13, 20 & 27: Spectrum Spirit Advocacy & Support Group Families coming together in the spirit of success with Autism. Please contact Cheryl D'Argento at cheryldarg@hotmail.com **10:00 a.m.– 12:00 p.m.**



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Whether you are a novice or an experienced family history researcher, or somewhere in between, this is the group for you. **6:30 p.m.– 8:00 p.m.**

Wed: 20: Ask A Lawyer Legal Consultation Clinic: Free 15 minute consultations with an attorney- sponsored by the New Haven County Bar Association. **5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.**

Thurs: 21: Pencil It In: A Teen Creative Writing Club- Calling all... aspiring novelists • brooding poets • word worms! If you're a middle, high school, or college-aged teen who loves to write, this creative writing club is the perfect place to explore your talent! For more information, contact Miss Sarah at 203-468-3890. **5:30 p.m.– 7:30 p.m.**



Mon: 25: Classics Book Discussion Group: The Picture of Dorian Gray by Oscar Wilde- **3:00 p.m.**

Wed: 27: Military and Veterans History Group-Topic TBA 2:00 p.m.

Wed: 27: Dungeons & Dragons & Libraries A Teen-Only Club for Dungeons & Dragons...and Libraries 5:00 p.m.– 8:30 p.m.

Wed: 27: Maximize Your Social Security Benefits: A Free Workshop Presented by David Cowan of Legacy Retirement Group 6:00 p.m.– 8:00 p.m.



Thurs: 28: Film Night: Green Book (2018) starring Viggo Mortensen & Mahershala Ali. **5:00 p.m. (Pizza) 5:30 p.m. (Film)**



Sat:30: The History of the Harmonica: A Historical and Musical Event Performed by Musician Bob

Hennessy-From the battlefields of the Civil War to the blues and jazz clubs of Chicago, the harmonica is a small instrument with a big history. Cromwell resident Bob Hennessy will present his lifetime of harmonica knowledge, weaving classic Americana music with historical anecdotes. This event is free and open to all! **2:00 p.m.**

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Sat: 6: Lionheart Puppets Presents...The Little Red Hen- So much to do and little time to do it in!! How is Ms. Hen ever going to get her famous cookies made in time for the bake sale? Maybe if she could get her friends to help.... Based on the classic story, The Little Red Hen is a lesson in learning to help others. **10:30 a.m.**

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Fri: 12: April Showers Teen Coffee House and Open Mic: 5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.



Sat: 13: Friends of Fort Wooster To Host Educational & Music Program: It Happened in Connecticut with Musician and CT State Troubadour Mike Kachuba -Mike Kachuba, CT State Troubadour, 1996, will present musical program of people, places and events of CT history from 1600's to present. Mike is a multi-instrumentalist and singer with a storyteller's outlook! **No need to register, just drop in! Seating is limited, however, so please arrive early to secure your seat!** **2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.**

Mon: 15: Book Discussion Group: Bellewether by Susanna Kearsley- "A magical novel that blends history, forbidden romance and the paranormal."(From *New York Times & USA Today*) **3PM**

Wed: 17: A Special Book Voyagers Cartooning Workshop Sponsored by CT Humanities- Enjoy looking at telling a story through illustration! Chris Brown shares his passion for graphic novels and helps you improve your drawing skills. Inspiring and fun! **Recommended for ages 7 to teen. 2:00 p.m.**

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Fri: 19: The Library will be closed in observance of Good Friday.

Wed: 24: Military and Veterans History Group- Topic TBA. 2:00 p.m.

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Wed: 24: Poetry Lounge & Open Mic in Celebration of National Poetry Month! Come and share your poetry! Enjoy a poetry reading performance by poet Deborah Elmore and a poetry open mic! **Free and open to all ages! 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**

Thurs: 25: Film Night: First Man (2018) starring Ryan Gosling & Claire Foy. 5:00 p.m. (Pizza) 5:30 p.m. (Film)

Sat: 27: A Century of Titanic: An Illustrated Lecture by Bestselling Author Stephen Spignesi. 2:00 p.m.

MAY:



The Library will participate in The great Give on May 1-2, 2019. More details coming soon!

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Tues: 21: American Red Cross Blood Drive- Registration/Sign-in is being done at the Library. The Blood Drive Bus will be stationed in the parking lot of the Old Stone Church. **More details TBA! 9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

Wed: 22: Dungeons & Dragons & Libraries-A Teen-Only Club 5:00 p.m.

Wed: 22: Medicare Made Clear: A Free Workshop Presented by Christie Bondos, Independent AHIP Certified Insurance Agent- **6:30 p.m.**

Sat: 25: Book Talk and Author Signing: Connecticut 169 Club: Your Passport and Guide to Exploring Connecticut- Please go to: www.hagamanlibrary.org/calendar/ for more details on this event! **2PM**

Mon: 27: The Library will be closed in observance of Memorial Day.

Wed: 29: Military and Veterans History Group- Topic TBA. 2:00 p.m.

Thurs: 30: Film Night: Mary, Queen of Scots (2019) Rated R starring Saoirse Ronan & Margot Robbie. **5:00 p.m. (Pizza) 5:30 p.m. (Film)**

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