

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Library Open 1 - 5 pm Dr. Seuss Birthday Party 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	2 Zumba for Kids & Parents 5 pm	3 Tunes & Tales 10 am Lapsit 11:30 am	4 Preschool Storytime 2:30 pm	5 Tunes & Tales 10 am Legos 4 pm Little Legos 4:15 pm	6 Family Concert with Deirdre 10 am Story & Crafts 4 pm	7 Music & Movement 10 am or 10:40 am Chess for Kids 10:30 am - noon Pokemon League 3 pm
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DOORS WILL CLOSE 10 MINUTES AFTER THE START OF EACH PROGRAM AND NO ONE WILL BE ADMITTED INTO THE PROGRAM AFTER THAT TIME. LIMITED SPACE IN ALL PROGRAMS.

Bilingual Storytime (Spanish/English): Saturday 3/21 at 11:30 am. We will read books, sing songs and do rhymes in both Spanish and English.

Children's Chess for Kids: Saturdays, 10:30 am to noon. Free chess for school age children during school year. Contact Chris Potts: 203-847-5824.

Dr. Seuss Birthday Party - Hats Off to Reading!: Sunday, March 1, 1:30 pm - 4 pm. In honor of the 25th anniversary of his book, *Oh, the Places You'll Go!*, we will read the book together at 1:30 pm in the Children's Activity Room followed by drop-in activities in the Children's Library from 2 pm to 4 pm. Create your own hot air balloon mobile, enjoy a *Cat in the Hat* pop, guess how many fish are in the bowl, and vote for your favorite Dr. Seuss book. All ages are welcome to come to the Library to celebrate Dr. Seuss's Birthday!

Family Concert with Deirdre: Friday, 3/6 at 10 am. Clap, sing and dance along with Miss Deirdre and her lively and interactive music program. Open to kids of all ages and their caregivers.

Family Yoga with Mark: Friday, 3/13 at 10 am. Parents and children of all ages will enjoy fun yoga moves and games.

Junior Nutmeg Book Club: Monthly - 4th Wednesday at 4 pm January 28 - May 27. For children in grades 2 & 3 who are reading independently.

Books are selected from the Elementary Nominees for Connecticut's "2015 Nutmeg Book Award". Join us for a book sharing discussion, fun activities and a snack. We meet in the Children's Activity Room. March selection: *The Trouble With Chickens* by Doreen Cronin.



Lego Club: Thursdays at 4 pm. School-age children (Kindergarten through 5th grade) may come in to build exciting Lego creations.

LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF 20 CHILDREN. No registration but tickets will be handed out starting at 3:30pm.

Little Legos: Thursdays at 4:15 pm - Children ages 2 to 5 AND their caregivers can play with Lego Duplos at the library.

Pick up your name tags starting at 3:45 pm. **Limited to 15 children. No registration but tickets will be handed out starting at 3:45pm.**

Music & Movement: Saturdays - Families with children birth to age 4 can come for a fun interactive music class at the 10 am or 10:40 am class.

Nutmeg Book Club: Friday, 3/20. at 4 pm - 5 pm. Nutmeg Book Club for kids in grades 4 - 6 in the Teen Room (ETC!)

March selection: *Liar & Spy* by Rebecca Stead. Books are available for checkout in the Children's Room. Refreshments served.



Pokemon League: Every other Saturday at 3 pm in the Auditorium. 3/7 and 3/21. Open to kids in grades 3 - 8. Bring your card deck and get ready to play! The library will have a few decks available to borrow in case you don't have one. A PokeTrainer will be on hand to help if you are still learning how to play.

Preschool Storytime: Wednesdays at 2:30 pm. For children ages 3 to 5. Children will enjoy 40 minutes of books, songs, rhymes and fun! Parents may wait in the Children's Department. **No registration required but there will be a limit of 20 children.**

Reading Adventurers: Monthly - 2nd Wednesday at 4 pm January 14 through May 13. For beginning readers in grades K & 1st who would like to explore stories and bring them to life through hands on activities such as puppets, "Readers' Theater," and craft activities. A snack will be included. We meet in the Children's Activity Room.



Signs of Spring Crafts: Friday, March 27. Spring is in the air, school's out, the place to be is the Library from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm. All age children are welcome to celebrate the signs of spring in the Children's Department! Drop-in activities will include projects to take home and projects to decorate our library.

Story & Crafts: Fridays at 4 pm. Children of all ages and their caregivers may come for a story and craft.

Storytimes: Lapsit - Tuesdays at 11:30 am Stories, tunes & rhymes for infants not yet walking and their caregivers.

There will be free play following the short storytime so parents and caregivers can meet others with children of a similar age.

Tunes & Tales - Tuesdays, Thursdays at 10 am. Friday 3/20 and 3/27 at 10 am.

For children ages 3 and under to enjoy interactive stories, songs and games that encourage their emerging language skills followed by playtime! A caregiver must be present.

Limited to the first 20 children who arrive; stop by the front desk to pick up your nametag before 10 am.

Special Tunes & Tales with Author Leslie Woods : Join author Leslie Woods for an interactive music and story program as she reads her bilingual book, *Open the Gates of San Jeronimo!* Children will have a chance to admire the original artwork by illustrator Robin T. Nelson and enjoy their own art activity.

Super Science: Monthly, Tuesday, 3/17 at 4 pm. For curious children in grades 1 - 5. Join in the hands-on fun with lots of experiments to learn about different scientific principles. **MAXIMUM OF 20 CHILDREN! No registration but tickets will be handed out beginning at 3:30 pm on Tuesday. Starts promptly at 4 pm.**

Writers Club: Wednesday, 3/18 at 4 pm. A monthly writing club for children grades 3 - 7. Students will learn a variety of writing formats, write their own stories, poems, essays, and articles. Join us for fun lessons on characterization and meet real authors. **This is a drop in program limited to the first 25 to arrive.**

Zumba - Children & Parents: Mondays at 5 pm. Move and groove to some fun and upbeat music in this Zumba class run by Karen for children ages 3 to 12 and their parents! No registration necessary but the program is limited to the first 80 people who arrive. Be sure to bring some water to stay hydrated.