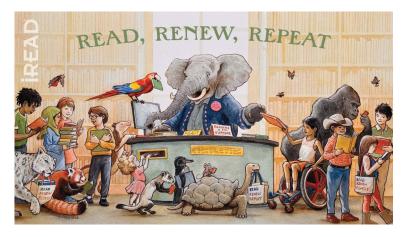


Silas Bronson Library BOOKS AND HAPPENINGS

The Newsletter of Waterbury's Public Library

SUMMER 2024

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SUMMER READING

This year's Summer Reading theme is Read, Renew, Repeat. We have a ton of great programs at the library to keep you engaged all summer long—see the rest of this newsletter for details.

FRIENDS OF THE SILAS BRONSON LIBRARY

The library's programs are made possible by the Friends of the Silas Bronson Library, a separate 501c3 organization that raises money through book sales, donations, and other fundraising events. New members are always welcome to join. The Friends meets at the library on the second Tuesday of the month at 6 p.m. See the next page for details.

ART EXHIBITS

Each month we feature different local artists in our first floor exhibit spaces. Exhibits are open whenever the library is open.

June Franklin Silva is a Brazilian artist whose work explores the relationship of nature, humans, society, and issues that are present in everyday life.

July Danna Gizzie works in collage, pen & ink, 3D, fabric and wood. Each piece tells the story of the artist's many sides: quirky, spiritual, and passionate.

August Catherine Velez creates artworks expressing her sentimental feelings about Puerto Rico.



Franklin Silva



Catherine Velez









Danna Gizzie

FRIENDS OF THE SILAS BRONSON LIBRARY

Annual Meeting of the Friends

Tuesday, June 11, 6 p.m.

Hybrid: Auditorium & Zoom, Silas Bronson Library
All are welcome to attend as we elect a new Board
of Officers. Refreshments will be served.

Monthly Meeting of the Friends

Second Tuesday of the month, 6 p.m.

July 9, August 13

Hybrid: Auditorium & Zoom, Silas Bronson Library Come find out how you can volunteer with the Friends and help support the library.

To join our meetings via Zoom, please register at bronsonlibrary.org/programs

Join the Friends

The Friends of the Silas Bronson Library is a 501 (c)3 nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting the mission and programs of the Silas Bronson
Library. Founded in 1974, the Friends of the Library is run by a small board of volunteers who organize fundraising events to support the library's

Membership Fees

programs and services.

Members of the Friends receive this newsletter in the mail. Membership rates start at \$15/year for students and seniors; \$25/year for individuals; \$50/year for patrons; and \$100/year for corporate memberships. To join, please send a check payable to the Friends of the Silas Bronson Library, P.O. Box 2853, Waterbury, CT 06723 and indicate that it is for a new membership.

Readers Garden Book Store

The Friends of the Library book store is located on the first floor of the library. Purchases can be made using cash, credit card, or check at the library's front desk.

Book Store Pricing

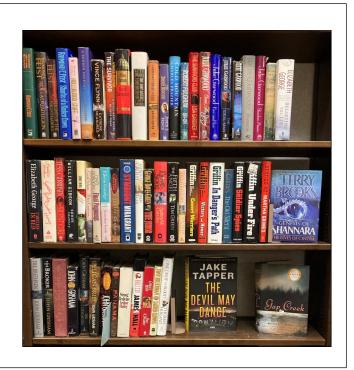
Hardcover: \$1.00 CD: 50¢

Paperback: 50¢ VHS: 25¢

Audiobooks: \$3.00 Children's books:

DVD: \$1.00 25¢ (paperback)

50¢ (hardcover)



ONLINE RESOURCES

Visit our online resources at bronsonlibrary.org/digital

ACORN APP

Access your library account, use the app instead of your library card, and search our catalog, all on your phone. Download the Acorn Catalog, then log in with your library barcode number and password.







AMERICA'S HISTORICAL NEWSPAPERS

Search or browse the *Waterbury*American from 1844 to 1865, one of more than 100 historical newspapers in this database.



ANCESTRY LIBRARY EDITION

Gain free access to billions of historical documents, including census records and immigration records, to help you find out more about your family history.



AUTO REPAIR SOURCE

Accurate, authoritative, and up-todate service and repair information for thousands of domestic and imported vehicles.



BLACK LIFE IN AMERICA

Search or browse the Waterbury American from 1866 to 1877, one of thousands of newspapers in this database.



LIBBY

The Libby app connects you to our OverDrive collection of ebooks, audiobooks, and magazines on your smartphone or tablet.



MANGO

Learn a new language with Mango, which has dozens of languages to choose from.



MUSEUM PASS PROGRAM

Our museum passes give you free or reduced price admission to more than a dozen museums, zoos, and science centers.



NEWSBANK

Use NewsBank to search for news articles from more than 10,000 sources, or browse more than 30 popular magazines.

NORTHSTAR DIGITAL LITERACY

Build your computer skills and confidence in using new technology for work or daily life.



REPUBLICAN-AMERICAN

Search for articles published in the Republican-American from 2004 to the present.



WORLD BOOK

The World Book is more than just an encyclopedia! Discover activities, ebooks, theater, science, social studies, and more.



UNIVERSAL CLASS

Brush up your skills with hundreds of free online courses to help you learn new skills or prepare for tests.



Learn Something NEW

Access Universal Class through the Libby app or on a browser using the link on our website.

AFTERNOON COMPUTER CLASSES

Tuesdays, June 11 & 25, July 9 & 23,

August 13 & 27,1:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Need help using computers? Come to one of our classes and learn something new!

June 11: Computer Basics: Mouse & Keyboard Skills

June 25: Computer Basics: Saving, Moving,

Copying, Deleting, and Organizing Files

July 9: Computer Basics: Saving & Editing Files

July 23: Internet Searching Basics

August 13: PowerPoint

August 27: MS Word

EVENING COMPUTER CLASSES

Wednesdays, June 12, August 21, 6:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Join one of our librarians for computer classes covering different topics each time. In June, we'll learn how to use PowerPoint. In August, we'll learn the basics of Excel.

MAKING SIGNS & FLYERS

Tuesday, June 18, 1:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Learn how to design eye-catching flyers and signs, using Microsoft Publisher, Microsoft Word, and Canva.

CREATE YOUR OWN WEBSITE

Tuesday, August 20, 1:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Learn how to make a website with free services like Wix and WordPress. You will need to have a working email address to sign up for these services, so bring your username and password to the workshop.

SISTERS TO SISTERS BOOK CLUB

Thursday, June 6, 6 p.m.

Auditorium

New members welcome. In June, we'll be discussing *The Reformatory* by Tananarive Due. Copies of the book will be available at the library. We'll take a break from meeting in July and August.





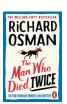
BRASS BOOK CLUB

Thursdays, June 27, July 25, August 22,12:30 p.m. Zoom

Seniors 60+ are invited to join us for a monthly book discussion on Zoom. Copies of the books will be available at the main library and the Bunker Hill branch.

June 27: Remarkably Bright Creatures
by Shelby Van Pelt
July 25: The Man Who Died Twice
by Richard Osman
August 22: French Braid by Anne Tyler







Advance registration is required for this Zoom program. Sign up at bronsonlibrary.org/programs

BUNKER BOOKIES

Thursday, September 12, 1:30 p.m.

Bunker Hill Branch Library

Bunker Bookies will not be meeting in the summer, but will return in September to discuss White Teeth by Zadie Smith.



SUMMER READING PROGRAM FOR ADULTS

Friday, June 7 – Friday, August 9
Explore new books and authors
with our Summer Reading Program.
Pick up your summer reading
bingo card at the Reference

Desk and complete 5 activities in a row. Return your card with com

in a row. Return your card with completed squares to the Reference Desk to be entered into the grand prize raffle.

QUIZCAST

Wednesdays, June 5, July 3 & 17, August 14 & 28, 7 p.m. Zoom

Join our online trivia game from your phone, tablet, or computer. We'll ask 10 multiple-choice questions based on a different theme each time, and the winner will be featured on our Facebook page.

6/5 - Marvel

7/3 - The '90s

7/17 - Snacks & Junk Food

8/14 - Classic Toys & Games

8/28 - One-Hit Wonders

Advance registration is required for each game. Sign up at bronsonlibrary.org/programs

COLORING & CONVERSATIONS

Fridays, June 28, July 26, August 30, 2:30 p.m.

Auditorium

Meet and chat during our Coloring and Conversation Club. Whether you are looking to relax and de-stress, practice your English conversation skills, or meet new people, you are welcome to join us!

Coloring pages and supplies will be provided.

HEALTHCARE RESUME WORKSHOP

Thursday, June 13, 4 p.m.

Main Reading Room

Join us for a resume workshop hosted by

Ability Beyond, a non-profit dedicated to serving adults with disabilities and mental health & recovery needs. Learn essential tips and tricks to stand out in the competitive healthcare industry while supporting a great cause. Don't miss this chance to take your career to new heights!

GENEALOGY TIPS: NEWSPAPERS

Thursday, June 13, 6:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Newspapers can offer valuable clues for your family history.

Learn how to find the stories of your family's past by searching free, online newspapers available through the library.



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GED & HISET TEST PREP RESOURCES

Monday, June 17, 6:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Learn about online resources you can access for free at the library and at home to help you prepare for the GED and HiSET® high school equivalency tests.

Bring your library card with you to create

a free account with the online resources.





CONNECTICUT FREEDOM TRAIL CEREMONY

Tuesday, June 18, 5:30 p.m.

Join us for a ceremony celebrating

Front Lawn

Juneteenth and honoring those buried in FREEDOM TRAIL Waterbury's first cemetery for people of color, located on Grand Street, as it is added to the Connecticut Freedom Trail, which celebrates the resilience and spirit of African American communities and history. The program will begin with musical performances by Kazi Oliver and Quinn Mitchell. The

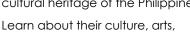
event is sponsored in part by the NAACP Greater Waterbury.

MEDICAL FOSTER HOME FOR VETERANS

Thursday, June 20, 1 p.m. Main Reading Room Learn about the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Foster Home Program which offers veterans more options to support independence in a home-like environment. The presentation will discuss criteria for both the veteran and potential caregivers.

PHILIPPINES

Monday, June 24, 2 p.m. **Auditorium** Come and experience the rich cultural heritage of the Philippines.



beautiful places to visit, food, and sports.

RESILIENCE WITH CAROL GEE

Wednesday, June 26, 1 p.m. Main Reading Room Local author Carol Gee will talk about her book, Resilience. Copies will be available for purchase and signing.



HUSKY HEALTHCARE

Wednesday, June 26, 3 p.m. Hybrid: Auditorium & Zoom Join us for a Zoom presentation



to learn about the benefits and services of HUSKY Healthcare. Join us at the library in person, or from home via Zoom.

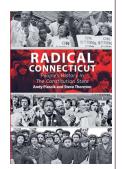
Advance registration is required if viewing from home. Sign up at bronsonlibrary.org/programs

PEOPLE'S HISTORY OF CONNECTICUT

Thursday, June 27, 6 p.m.

Main Reading Room

Steve Thornton, co-author of the new book, Radical Connecticut: People's History in the Constitution State, will share stories of Connecticut history from the perspective of workers, people of color, peacemakers, women, students, artists, and others



who struggled for justice and freedom in the state.

2ND ANNUAL PRIDE FESTIVAL

Saturday, June 29, 1 p.m. - 7 p.m. Front Plaza

The library will once again host Waterbury's Pride Festival as part of a week-long celebration of LGBTQIA+ Pride in Greater



Waterbury. The festival will include drag performances, musicians, artists, food trucks, and a variety of vendors. Sensory tents will be available on the library's patio.

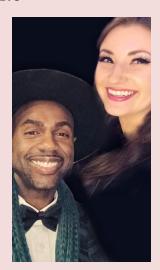
PHILIP V. BENEVENTO CULTURAL PROGRAM FOR ADULTS

MOSES & KARA

Monday, July 8, 6 p.m.

Patio (indoors if it rains)

Celebrate summer with a free performance by Moses & Kara, with songs that include current radio hits and musical theatre favorites. Moses & Kara met through musical theatre and found a shared love for performing together. What began as a mutual appreciation for the stage blossomed into a multifaceted journey across various genres, united by their unwavering love for captivating audiences. The dynamic duo never fails to keep their audiences on the edge of their seats, eagerly awaiting the next delightful surprise or special guest.



The Philip V. Benevento Fund for Cultural Programs for Adults at the Silas Bronson Library was established in 2016 in honor of Waterbury's City Historian and former Silas Bronson Library Board member Philip V. Benevento. The fund continues to grow through individual donations made to the Friends of the Silas Bronson Library.

MEDICARE 101

Wednesday, July 10, 3 p.m.

Auditorium

Medicare

Confused about Medicare? Turning
65 and unsure about the process? Retiring Soon?
Come learn the ins and outs of Medicare and the
differences between Original Medicare and Medicare
Advantage with Mark Macrina, a licensed agent at
Senior Health and Retirement Services.

ACRYLIC PAINTING WITH MARITZA

Thursday, July 11, 2 p.m.

Auditorium

Maritza Chacón is a visual artist, native of Costa Rica and a lover of artistic painting. She uses different mediums such as oil, acrylic, chalk pastel, graphite and experimental watercolor. Come and paint with her using acrylic paint. Supplies will be provided.

MAKE NEW JEWELRY FROM OLD

Tuesday, July 16, 1:30 p.m.

Auditorium

Learn how to turn old jewelry (as well as accessories and other items) into new jewelry that reflects your personal style. All supplies will be provided.

PAPER BEAD BRACELET

Thursday, July 18, 2:30 p.m.

Auditorium

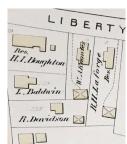
Join us as we repurpose old books and paper into a unique beaded bracelet that you can bring home. All supplies will be provided.

GENEALOGY TIPS: MAPS & ATLASES

Thursday, July 18, 6:30 p.m.

Hybrid: Computer Classroom & Zoom

Visualize the houses and neighborhoods where your ancestors lived through a wide variety of free online maps as well as physical maps and atlases available at the library. Join in person at the library or from home via Zoom.



Genealog

Advance registration is required to join via Zoom. Sign up at bronsonlibrary.org/programs

URBAN FORESTRY

Tuesday, July 23, 2:30 p.m.

Main Reading Room

Urban areas are suffering due to a lack of canopy cover. It is of the



utmost importance that trees be planted and then cared for in our cities. This program talks about why, where, and when it is best to plant a tree. Presented by Bent of the River Audubon Center.

MEDITATION & MINDFULNESS FOR BEGINNERS

Wednesday, August 7, 4:30 p.m.

Auditorium

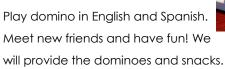
You've probably heard about meditation before, but it's not what you think! Anyone can do it, and even just a few minutes a day can improve your mood, focus, and stress



level. In this class we'll learn about the benefits of meditation and some different techniques, and we'll practice as a group.

BILINGUAL DOMINO

Thursday, August 8, 2:30 p.m. Auditorium





GENEALOGY TIPS: HOUSE HISTORY

Thursday, August 8, 6:30 p.m.

Hybrid: Auditorium & Zoom

Learn how to explore the history
of your home or the homes of your
ancestors. Professional genealogist

Bryna O'Sullivan will provide tips on
navigating land records to identify
prior owners and how to use maps,





architectural surveys, and more to see how a home looked in the past. Join in person at the library, or sign up in advance at bronsonlibrary.org/programs to join on Zoom from home.

OCCUPATIONAL TEST PREP RESOURCES

Wednesday, August 28, 6 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Learn how to access practice tests and skill building tools at the library or at home with your library card. Prepare for assessments and entrance exams in occupations such as nursing, allied health, dental assisting, firefighting, pharmacy technician, plumbing, electrician, EMT, law enforcement, commercial driver, real estate, teacher, and many others.

SILAS BRONSON GEEKDOM

SCRABBLE MEETUP

Main Reading Room

Mondays, June 10, July 15, August 12, 2:30 p.m.



Come play Scrabble at the library. Bring a friend, or meet new friends. We'll have all the supplies you need.

ANIME CLUB

Wednesdays, June 5, July 17 & 31, August 14 & 28, 4:30 p.m. Auditorium

Join us for anime, trivia, and snacks.



GEEKDOM CLASSIC MOVIES

Tuesdays, June 4, July 2, August 27, 6 p.m.

Bring friends and family to watch classic geeky movies at the library and see where the adventures all began.

Suggested age 16+

Auditorium

June 4: Alien (1979)

July 2: Highlander (1986)

August 27: Twister (1996)

DND 101

Wednesdays, June 12 & 26, July 10 & 24, August 7 & 21, 6 p.m.

Auditorium

Come learn the basics of DND 5th Edition through a tutorial campaign.



CHESS ON ZOOM

Thursdays, June 13 & 27, July 11 & 25, August 8 & 22, 4:30 p.m.

Zoom

Learn to play chess with our instructor,

play in groups or paired up, discuss strategy and tactics.

Advance registration is required for this Zoom program. Sign up online at bronsonlibrary.org/geekdom.

CHESS MEETUP

Tuesdays, June 11 & 25, July 9 & 23,

August 6 & 20, 6 p.m.

Auditorium

For all skill levels. Play against our chess master, learn new techniques or just come to have fun.



GEEKDOM SUMMER READING

Whether you like to read manga, graphic novels, science fiction, fantasy, or horror, we have plenty of books for you to read.

Looking for something we don't have? Just ask, and we'll order it for you!





TEEN/YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

SUMMER READING PROGRAM

June 7 - August 9

Read 25+ hours this summer and qualify to win prizes! Teens in grades eight through twelve or ages 13 to 19 can participate. Sign up at the library or on our website bronsonlibrary.org/teenprograms, then start reading.



TEEN ADVISORY GROUP

Mondays, June 3, July 1, August 5, 4:30 p.m.

TeenZone

Meet up with other teens and talk about what you'd like to see at the library. Snacks will be provided.



PAPER MACHE ADVENTURES

Mondays, June 17, July 15, August 19, 4 p.m. *TeenZone*

Let's get messy! We'll be making masks, bowls, and other crafts with paper mache. For ages 13+

REUSE/RECYCLE CRAFTS

Tuesdays, June 18, July 16, August 20, 4:30 p.m. *TeenZone*

Join us for three different types of crafts using recycled materials.

June 18: Book Wreaths

July 16: Face Shield Mask Design

August 20: Bristlebots



TEEN GAME NIGHT

Mondays, 6 p.m.

TeenZone

Come relax with a weekly game night. Bring a friend or meet new ones.



CAREER & COLLEGE EMPOWERMENT

July 8 - August 16, 3 p.m.-6 p.m.

September 9 - October 18, 3 p.m.-6 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Students in 8th Grade will receive vital resources and support to prepare them for college and help



them become future leaders in our community.

Presented by Higher Heights Youth Empowerment

Programs, Inc. Each cohort is limited to 20 participants.

Advance registration is required. Sign up at

bronsonlibrary.org/teenprograms

ESPORTS WORKSHOP

Wednesdays, June 26 - August 14, 5 p.m.

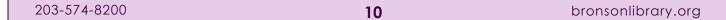
Computer Classroom

Esports is a booming industry, and colleges are now offering classes and degrees in esports. Dive into



competitive gaming and content creation with this free esports course. Gain industry insights and skills for success in gaming and live streaming through engaging lessons and hands-on experiences.

Presented by Brass City Gamers.



CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

SUMMER LEARNING FOR KIDS

June 7 - August 9

All children from birth through 8th grade are invited to join our "Read, Renew, Repeat" Summer Learning Program. Children who are not yet readers can



participate if someone reads to them. Learn more at bronsonlibrary.org/kids or visit the Children's Room.

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY STORIES

Wednesdays, 10 a.m.

Picture Book Room

Come listen to wonderful stories that will transport you to far away places. For ages 2-5.

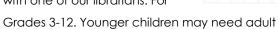


CODING CLUB

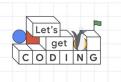
Wednesdays, 3:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Have fun learning how to code with one of our librarians. For



assistance.

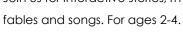


LITTLE MOVERS STORYTIME

Thursdays, 10 a.m.

Picture Book Room

Join us for interactive stories, rhymes,





ROBLOX MEETUP

Fridays, 2:30 p.m.

Computer Classroom

Come play Roblox at the library! Bring friends or make new ones. For ages 5-14.



MANIC MONDAYS

Mondays, June 10, July 8, August 12, 1 p.m.

Children's Room

Join us each month for a different STEAM craft using everyday household items. For ages 7-14.

LEGGO MY LEGO

Mondays, June 24, July 29, August 26, 1 p.m.

Children's Room

Come build a LEGO creation using your imagination or one of our LEGO Plans. Completed projects

will be displayed in the Children's Room.

TIMBER TUESDAYS

Tuesdays, June 11, July 9, August 13, 2 p.m.

Children's Room

Come decorate a wood toy. For ages 4-12.

WHERE IN THE LIBRARY IS SILAS THE CAT?

Wednesdays, June 12, July 24, August 21, all day

KidZone

Use clues provided by our librarians to find where Silas the Cat, our stuffed animal, is hiding. When you find him, take a photo to show the librarian and win a prize! For ages 2+



POKÉMON CLUB

Thursdays, June 13 & 27, July 11 & 25,

August 8 & 22, 1 p.m.

Children's Room

Come meet other kids who share your love of Pokémon. Join us for Pokémon Go, Pokémon cards, Pokémon manga, and Pokémon crafts! Adult supervision required for trading cards. For ages 5+



CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

BOOKS, BABIES, & BUBBLES

Fridays, June 14, July 12, August 9, 10 a.m.

Picture Book Room

UConn Waterbury's CAP Lab will share a story followed by bubbles of fun. Bubbles are visually



engaging and offer infants an opportunity to exercise their fine motor development by grabbing, pinching, and clapping them. For ages 2 and under.

HARRIET TUBMAN: A WOMAN WITH A RAILROAD

Friday, June 14, 4 p.m.

Children's Room

Join us for a Juneteenth celebration, when history comes alive! Acclaimed performer Adwoa Bandele-Asante portrays Harriet Tubman's struggle for freedom from slavery and inclusion as an American citizen. For ages 8+



BILINGUAL STORY TIME

Fridays, June 7, July 12, August 2, 11 a.m.

Picture Book Room

Join us for a story in English and
Spanish.



ANIMAL MENAGERIE WITH SHARON AUDUBON

Friday, June 7, 3:30 p.m.

Main Reading Room

Get started on your "Read,
Renew, Repeat" Summer

Learning with different types of
animals from Sharon Audubon!

Meet animals who are



the environment and learn about how they live.

BUTTERFLY HOUSE DECORATING

Tuesday, June 25, 1 p.m.

Children's Room

Come decorate a butterfly house with paint, markers, stickers, and other art supplies, then take the house home with you. Supplies are limited. Register in advance in the Children's Room to reserve a butterfly house. For ages 7+ (adult assistance may be needed)

FATHER'S DAY CRAFT

depending on us to care for

Thursday & Friday, June 13 & 14, all day

Children's Room

Stop by the Children's Room to make a card for

Father's Day.

WIZARD WAND WORKSHOP

Friday, July 12, 4 p.m.

Children's Room

Join Cyril the Sorcerer in learning to move, dress, and perform magic in a wizardly fashion. Attendees are encouraged to have their own wand, robe and hat when tuning in



so that they can join in the workshop fun!

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

THE LITTLE MERMAID STORY TIME

Friday, July 19, 3:30 p.m.

Children's Room

Join us for a special story time and sing-along with the City



Youth Theater's cast of The Little Mermaid.

For ages 3+

GEO BEE WITH MR. C

Monday, July 22, 5 p.m.

Children's Room

Geography can "bee" fun! Join us for a friendly competition to test your knowledge of climate, culture, countries, cities, and other categories. Hope you will "bee" able to rise to the challenge! For Grades 4 through 8. Register for the bee at 203-574-8212 or bronsonkids@waterburyct.org.

HARRY POTTER DAY

Friday, July 26, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Front Plaza

We'll have book give aways, slime making, and wand making in front of the library as part of Harry Potter Day in downtown Waterbury.



BUG JAR CRAFT

Tuesday, July 30, 1 p.m.

Children's Room

Come decorate a bug jar, then take it home and start collecting! Supplies are limited. Register in advance in the Children's Room to reserve a bug jar. For ages 5+

FAMILY TALENT NIGHT

Monday, August 5, 5 p.m.

Main Reading Room

Show off your talent on stage at this fun event for the whole family, whether it's playing a musical instrument, dancing, singing, sharing your poetry, magic, or acting. All members of the family are

acting. All members of the family are invited to participate.

To reserve a spot, contact us at 203-574-8213, bronsonkids@waterburyct.org, or in person in the Children's Room.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Friday, August 9, 3 p.m. Rain Date: August 16, 3 p.m.

Patio

Celebrate your summer reading with an ice cream social! Children who participated in our "Read, Renew, Repeat" Summer Learning program will be treated to a free ice cream from an ice cream truck. We'll also be handing out summer reading prizes and doing raffle drawings.



Friday, August 9, 3:30 p.m.

Patio

After you eat your ice cream, get ready for a magical show celebrating this year's summer reading theme: Read, Renew, Repeat!









Something for Everyone

LIBRARY HOURS

Main Library

Mon. - Thurs. 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday 9 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. Saturday*

Bunker Hill Branch

Tuesday 12 p.m. - 8 p.m. Thursday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday

*The library is closed on Saturdays from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend.

LOCATIONS

Main Library

267 Grand Street Waterbury, CT 06702

Bunker Hill Branch

192 Bunker Hill Avenue Waterbury, CT 06708

CONTACT INFORMATION

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LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Juneteenth, Wednesday, June 19 Independence Day, Thursday, July 4 Saturdays, May 25 through September 7.

PARKING INFORMATION

Main Library

Kiosk parking is available on Grand Street and in the parking lot between the Library and City Hall.

Handicapped spaces are available in the parking lot. Parking rates apply.

Parking rates: \$2 per hour; free after 6:30 p.m.

Bunker Hill Branch

Free parking is available in our lot on Aurora Street.



