

HAGAMAN HAPPENINGS

August 2025

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POP-UP SERVICES

Pop-Up Satellite Library!

Tuesdays | 9:30am – 2:30pm

Thursdays | 9:30am – 8pm*

91 Taylor Ave (Located Inside Senior Center)

Join us at our Satellite Location! While our building is under construction, all ages are invited to a PopUp Library! Select free books from our donations (yours to keep!), get a library card, ask reference questions, get tech help & more! Now adding extended hours on Thursdays to accommodate working families! *Note that we will close at 6pm on the third Thursday of the month to accommodate town meetings. This program is brought to you by Haganman Library staff, in partnership with the East Haven Senior Center. Special thanks to Read to Grow for donating children's books! Have questions about our Satellite Location & the reopening of our building? Email the Library Director at: smallory@biblio.org

Level Up at Your Library:

Summer Adventure Challenge!

June 16 – Aug 15

We're leveling up our spirit of adventure this summer with an adventure challenge for all ages! To join the game, pick up a Summer Adventure Journal from our PopUp Library (above) or print one from our website. Keep track of the programs you attend & books you read, then turn in your journal to be entered in our Summer Raffle! Prizes for all ages! For more info, email: cgwiazda@hagamanlibrary.org

Pop-Up Tech Help & Notary Services

Tuesdays & Thursdays | By Appointment

91 Taylor Ave (Located Inside Senior Center)

Make an appointment to have a document notarized or to receive one-on-one training with your smartphone, tablet, or laptop computer! To schedule an appointment, call the Senior Center at (203) 468-3277 or email: chemingway@hagamanlibrary.org

Pop-Up Ask-A-Lawyer Free Consultations

Wednesday, Aug 20 | 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Law Office of Patricia A. Cofrancesco,

89 Kimberly Ave

Our popular Ask A Lawyer program is back! Have a legal question? Get a free 15-minute consultation with an attorney from the New Haven County Bar Association & receive a referral for more help, as needed! Appointments are first come, first served. For more information, contact: cgwiazda@hagamanlibrary.org. Program made possible thanks to a generous donation of space by Attorney Patricia A. Cofrancesco

ADULT PROGRAMS

Cookbook Club

Friday, August 1 | 3 – 5 pm

East Haven Senior Center, 91 Taylor Ave

Cook a dish to share with the group! August Theme: Recipes from Hawaii. Program made possible by the East Haven Senior Center

Comic Book Club

Friday, August 1 | 10:30am-11:30am

Virtual Meeting (Held on Zoom)

August Book: *New Kid* by Jerry Craft. To sign up, email: chemingway@hagamanlibrary.org

Mystery Book Club

Monday, August 4 | 3 – 4:00pm

Virtual Meeting (Held on Zoom)

August Book: *The Morning Show Murder* by Al Roker. To sign up, email: chemingway@hagamanlibrary.org

Tories, Spies, and Traitors

Tuesday, August 5 | 6 – 7:30pm

The Village at Mariner's Point, 111 S Shore Dr
Jen Busa, Public Programs Coordinator at the Connecticut Museum of Culture & History, will present on the American Revolution in CT. Drop ins welcome! Please sign in at the reception desk. Program made possible by The Village at Mariner's Point

Summer Silent Film Series

Wednesday, August 6 | 5 – 8 pm

ETV Media Studio, 230 Main Street

Join film scholar Fred Guida for a silent film screening of Alfred Hitchcock's *The Lodger* (1927, NR). Professor Guida will introduce the film and open the floor for Q & A. Program made possible by ETV. Free pizza sponsored by the East Haven Lion's Club. Registration required. To sign up, email: cgwiazda@hagamanlibrary.org

Stamp Club : 310 Main St, Suite 1a

Thursday, August 7 | 6 – 8 pm

Luv Custom Creations Creative Studio,

Learn about the hobby of stamp collecting! Program made possible by Luv Custom Creations.

Philosophy Club

Monday, August 11 | 3 – 4:00pm

Virtual Meeting (Held on Zoom)

Bring an open mind! August Topic: *Discourse on the Method* by Rene Descartes. To sign up, email: chemingway@hagamanlibrary.org

History Book Club

Tuesday, August 12 | 6 – 7:00pm

Virtual Meeting (Held on Zoom)

Historical fiction & nonfiction. August Book: *Sergeant Stubby* by Ann Bausum. To receive sign up, contact: chemingway@hagamanlibrary.org

Friends of the Library Meeting

Tuesday, August 12 | 5:30 – 8 pm

Old Stone Church Parlor, 251 Main Street

Help make the library a better place! Program made possible by Old Stone Church

Genealogy Club

Wednesday, August 13 | 6:30 – 8 pm

Virtual Meetings (Held on Zoom)

Drop in & learn to trace your family tree! No experience required! To sign up, email: cgwiazda@hagamanlibrary.org

Contemporary Book Club

Monday, August 18 | 3 – 4:30 pm

Shoreline Trolley Museum, 17 River St

August book: *James* by Percival Everett, which reimagines *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* from Jim's perspective. To sign up, email: cgwiazda@hagamanlibrary.org

Game Night

Tuesday, August 19 | 5:30 – 7:30pm

Twin Pines Diner, 34 Main Street

Do you love games? We do, too! Bring your favorite games to play or try some of ours! Soda provided by Haganman Library. Order food at your own expense. Program made possible by Twin Pines Diner

Michigan Rummy Card Party

Thursday, August 21 | 6 – 8pm

Luv Custom Creations

310 Main St, Suite 1a.

Learn to play the classic game of Michigan Rummy! Program made possible by Luv Custom Creations

End of Summer Cannoli Card Party

Tuesday, August 26 | 5:30 – 8pm

The Annex Y.M.A. Club, 554 Woodward Ave

Learn to play the classic game of Canasta & enjoy a free cannoli! Program made possible by the Annex Club

Prism Book Club

Wednesday, August 27 | 6:30pm-8pm

Virtual Meeting (Held on Zoom)

A book discussion for the LGBTQIA+ community & allies. August book: *Broken People* by Sam Lansky. Facilitated by author and LGBTQ advocate, Clare McCarthy. To sign up, email: cgwiazda@hagamanlibrary.org

Pizza & A Movie Night: UP (PG, 2009)

Thursday, August 28 | 5 – 8 pm

ETV Media Studio, 230 Main Street

A free night out! Join us for free pizza at 5 pm, & film at 5:30 pm. Refreshments sponsored by Tweed/New Haven Airport. Program made possible by ETV. Registration required. To sign up, email: cgwiazda@hagamanlibrary.org

BABY & TODDLER PROGRAMS

Toddler Tuesdays

Tuesdays in August | 10:30 – 11:30am
Bradford Manor Fire House,
85 George St, East Haven



Join us for singing, dancing & fingerplays, followed by a half hour of play using scarves, instruments & more! Drop-ins welcome! Event made possible by the EH Bradford Manor Hose Co # 4

Friday Crafty Tales Storytime

Fridays in August | 10:30 – 11:30am
Memorial Field Park, Dodge Ave

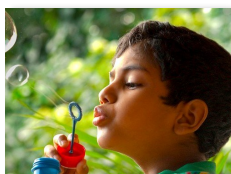


A special series of stories & crafts, designed with babies, toddlers, preschoolers & their families in mind! Help your child strengthen their fine motor skills by crafting with a variety of different mediums & art supplies, and develop the early literacy skills they need to start reading! Drop-ins welcome! Canceled in case of inclement weather. For weather updates, check our Facebook page or email Miss Caitlin: criccitelli@biblio.org

Toddlers & Tots Bubble Ball

Thursday, August 14 | 10:30 – 11:30am
Outside on the Library Lawn,
227 Main Street

Get ready to pop, dance, and play at our Toddlers & Tots Bubble Ball! Enjoy a bubble-filled dance party, stomp on bubble wrap, and make giant bubbles. Canceled in case of inclement weather. For weather updates, check our Facebook page or email Miss Caitlin: criccitelli@biblio.org



PRE-K & ELEMENTARY

LEGO Club

Monday, August 4 | 2:00–3:00pm
Monday, August 18 | 1:30–2:30pm
EH High School, 35 Wheelbarrow Ln

Build your own unique construction with our amazing LEGO collection! No need to sign up; drop-ins welcome! Program made possible by EH Public Schools



Tasty Crafternoon: Ice Cream Day!
Thursday, August 7 | 3 – 4 pm
91 Taylor Ave (Located Inside Senior Center)



Miss Sue & Miss Angela, two talented cooks, will show you how to create a delicious seasonal snack—homemade ice cream! Making the snack is half the fun, and eating it is the other half! Recommended for ages 4-12. No need to sign up, drop-ins are always welcome! Program made possible thanks to the East Haven Senior Center

Crafty Kids Arts & Crafts Club

Thursdays August 14 & 21 | 3 – 4 pm
East Haven Senior Center, 91 Taylor Ave
Join us Thursday afternoons this summer for fun arts and crafts like paper fans, sand art, origami, and more! Designed for kids ages 6–12 and their families—no registration needed, just drop in! Hosted at the East Haven Senior Center. Program made possible thanks to the East Haven Senior Center

STEM Club

Wednesday, August 20 | 3 – 4 pm
On the Library Lawn, 227 Main Street
Every third Wednesday of the month, join our Youth Services Librarian on the library lawn for an adventure through the worlds of science, technology, engineering & math with a hands-on experiment! Recommended for ages 5-12. No need to sign-up, drop-ins are always welcome! Canceled in case of inclement weather. For weather updates, check our Facebook page or email Miss Caitlin: criccitelli@biblio.org

FAMILY FUN FOR EVERYONE

Ed Pop Magic Show!

Friday, August 15 | 2:30 – 3:30pm
Foxon Fire House Co. 3,
1420 N High St

We're celebrating the end of our summer of adventure in style! Join us for a special presentation by comedic magician, Ed Pop, for an afternoon of mind-blowing tricks & side-splitting laughter! A great afternoon of family entertainment, perfect for children of all ages. Drop-ins are welcome! Come for some laughs... And some magic! Program made possible by the Foxon Volunteer Fire Department Company 3

PROGRAMS & SPECIAL EVENTS FOR TEENS

Level Up Gaming Club

Tuesdays Aug 5, 12, 19 | 2 – 3:30 pm
Foxon Fire House Co. 3,
1420 N High St

Dive deep into the world of tabletop gaming! Learn to play popular board games like *Ticket to Ride* and *Planet* or classic card games like *Uno* and *Exploding Kittens*, and at the end of the summer, you'll have the chance to design and create your very own board game! Open to Children and Teens age 10 to 18; drop-ins welcome! Program made possible thanks to a generous donation of space by the Foxon Volunteer Fire Department Company 3

Teen Lounge

Fridays Aug 1, 8, 15 | 2:30 – 4:30 pm
East Haven High School Media Center, 35 Wheelbarrow Ln

Join us for a variety of different programs on Friday Afternoons throughout the summer! Open to teens age 12 to 18. Drop-ins welcome. Program made possible thanks to a generous donation of space by East Haven Public Schools. Each week will be something new:
August 1 – Book & Manga Chat
August 8 - Trading Card Game Night
August 15 – Button & Sticker Making

Tabletop Club

Thursday, Aug 21 | 6:15 – 8:30 pm
Teen Rec Room, Hays School,
1 Maple St, East Haven, CT 06512

Have you always wanted to learn to play *Dungeons & Dragons*? Now is your chance! Drop in & join us for our monthly Tabletop Club!

D&D is a game where the adventure takes place partly in your own mind, and partly on the table. The only limitations to what your character can do are your own imagination! All materials are provided, no experience is necessary. Library Character Sheets will be available, or players may bring their own character for *Dungeons & Dragons* 5th edition. Open to all teens age 12 to 18. Drop-ins welcome. Program made possible thanks to the East Haven Rec & Youth Services Departments



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