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HOURS:
MON.-WED. 9 AM-8 PM
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SAT. 9 AM-2 PM

Hop Into Spring!

DIY Days presents
Saturday, April 4th
11:00 am - Noon
OR
Monday, April 6th
10:00 am - Noon



Drop-in
All ages welcome

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THE great Give®
MAY 5-6, 2020
A 36-hour, online-giving event to support local nonprofits

March 2020

MARCH

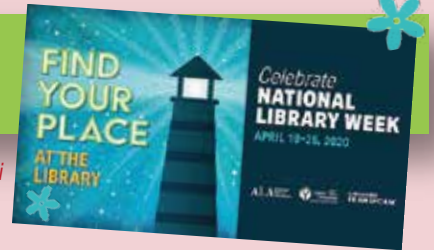
- 2 MONDAY**
10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 . . . Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Reg. required.
- 3 TUESDAY**
4:00 pm **B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Ollie** (ages 4-11)
- 4 WEDNESDAY**
9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13 - 24 months old w/caregiver)
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)
6:00 pm **Resume "Right-ing"** session. Drop-in.
- 5 THURSDAY**
10:00 am **Time for Twos** (24 - 36 months old w/caregiver)
- 6 FRIDAY**
10:00 am **STEAM Ahead, Preschool** (ages 3-5)
- 7 SATURDAY**
10:00 am **B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Molly** (ages 4-11)
- 9 MONDAY**
10:00 am **Musical Mondays w/Turn It Up!** (age 3-6)
- 11 WEDNESDAY**
9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13 - 24 months old w/caregiver)
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)
- 12 THURSDAY**
10:00 am **Time for Twos** (24 - 36 months old w/caregiver)
- 13 FRIDAY**
10:00 am **STEAM Ahead, Preschool** (ages 3-5)
- 14 SATURDAY**
11:30 am **BAMM! Balance and Musical Movement Programs.** (18+) Registration required.
- 16 MONDAY**
10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 . . . Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Reg. required.
- 17 TUESDAY**
4:00 pm **B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Ollie** (ages 4-11)
- 18 WEDNESDAY**
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)
6:30 pm **Tech Time.** Drop-in.
- 19 THURSDAY**
10:00 am **Hot Stoves** with Rich Marazzi. Drop-in.
10:00 am **Tech Time.** Drop-in.
- 20 FRIDAY**
10:00 am - Noon **The American Job Search Career Coach** presents *How to Use Social Networking in Your Job Search.* Reg. req.
- 23 MONDAY**
10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 . . . Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Reg. required.

MARCH

- 25 WEDNESDAY**
12:30 pm **Lunchtime Book Discussion:** *Lost Roses* by Martha Hall Kelly
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)
- 26 THURSDAY**
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm **Teen Maker Space, Green Screen, 3D Plus** (ages 12-17)
- 28 SATURDAY**
11:00 am **Meditation Circle** with Autumn Blackwood. Registration required.
- 30 MONDAY**
10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 . . . Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Reg. required.

From the Desk of the Director:

Nicole B. Cignoli



Happy Spring!

Starting March 12, watch your mail for an invitation to respond to the **2020 Census**. Hold on to that invitation as it provides your PIN# which you will need to fill out the census either online, by phone or by mail. You can complete the census before or after April 1. It takes about 10 minutes to complete and Title 13 of the U.S. Code protects the confidentiality of personal information provided in census responses. If you have any concerns, visit U.S. Census Bureau at <https://bit.ly/2HsjB88>.

Here at Derby Public Library we can't wait for spring to arrive. Families keep looking around for Derby Library Children and Teen materials because you have until June 30 to have late fees waived! There are some exceptions so stop in and get the details. April will be a busy month as **Passport to CT Libraries** returns! Visit the Derby Public Library during the month of April to obtain your Library Passport and begin your journey to multiple participating CT Libraries. Each Library will stamp their visitors' passport and give each visitor a small gift! At the end of the program, the Connecticut Library Association will be raffling off a total of four \$150 gift cards. Quick on its heels begins **Money Smart Week**, April 4-11. Money Smart Week is a national public education program coordinated by the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago that empowers people with the knowledge and skills to make better-informed personal financial decisions around the key financial pillars of saving, spending, borrowing and planning.

Lastly, the Derby Public Library will be participating in **The Great Give®**, a 36-hour online giving event on May 5-6 to raise money for nonprofits in the New Haven area. We hope you can help us be successful again this year to support our mission to be a free source of education, technology, entertainment, and socialization for all, no matter one's age, educational background or financial status. Learn more at

<https://www.thegreatgive.org/organizations/derby-public-library>

Programming note: Registration is required for all programs unless noted as a drop-in.



MONEY SMART WEEK
APRIL 4-11, 2020



April 2020

Celebrate Earth Day
DIY: One Bag, One Planet

Wednesday April 22nd - 1:00 am- Noon
Design a canvas tote bag



APRIL

1 WEDNESDAY - PASSPORT TO CT LIBRARIES!
Scholarship Applications Due.
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)
6:00 pm **Resume "Right-ing"** session. Drop-in.



4 SATURDAY
10:00 am **B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Molly** (ages 4-11)
11:00 am - Noon **DIY Days** (all ages welcome). Theme: *Hop Into Spring!*
Children under 5 must have an adult caregiver over 18 to assist. Drop-in.

6 MONDAY - MONEY SMART WEEK
10:00 am - Noon **DIY Days** (all ages welcome). Theme: *Hop Into Spring!*
Children under 5 must have an adult caregiver over 18 to assist. Drop-in.
6:00 pm **Personal Finance Seminar**, a Money Smart Week event. (18+) Registration required.

7 TUESDAY
4:00 pm **B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Ollie** (ages 4-11)

8 WEDNESDAY
9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13 - 24 months old w/caregiver)
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)



9 THURSDAY
10:00 am **Time for Twos** (24 - 36 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Sports Talk Resumes** (all ages) with Rich Marazzi. Drop-in.

10 FRIDAY - SATURDAY
11 Closed in Observance of Good Friday & Easter Holiday.

13 MONDAY
10:00 am **Musical Mondays w/Turn It Up!** (age 3-6).

14 TUESDAY
1:00 pm **B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Ollie** (ages 4-11)

15 WEDNESDAY
9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13 - 24 months old w/caregiver)
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)
6:30 pm **Tech Time.** Drop-in.

16 THURSDAY
10:00 am **Time for Twos** (24 - 36 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Tech Time.** Drop-in.
10:00 am **Sports Talk** (all ages) with Rich Marazzi. Drop-in.



17 FRIDAY
10:00 am **STEAM Ahead, Preschool** (ages 3-5)
10:00 am - Noon **The American Job Search Career Coach** presents
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm **Job Search Assistance.**

20 MONDAY - NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK: 4/20-4/25
10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 . . . Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Reg. required.
6:30 pm **Yesterday's Headlines** presented by Rob Novak. Reg. required.

21 TUESDAY
Library Closed All Day for Staff Meeting.



22 WEDNESDAY
9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13 - 24 months old w/caregiver)
11:00 am - NOON **Celebrate Earth Day with One Bag, One Planet DIY.**
All ages welcome! Design a canvas tote bag. All materials supplied. Drop-in.
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)

23 THURSDAY
10:00 am **Time for Twos** (24 - 36 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Sports Talk** (all ages) with Rich Marazzi. Drop-in.

24 FRIDAY
10:00 am **STEAM Ahead, Preschool** (ages 3-5)



25 SATURDAY
11:00 am **Author Visit w/ Ariel Sloan.** (ages 4-8) Featuring her new addition to *Kurrency Kids* picture book series.

APRIL

27 MONDAY
10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 . . . Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Reg. required.

29 WEDNESDAY
9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13 - 24 months old w/caregiver)
12:30 pm **Lunchtime Book Discussion: The Library Book** by Susan Orlean
1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+) Drop-in.
6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays.** Drop-in. Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)



30 THURSDAY
10:00 am **Time for Twos** (24 - 36 months old w/caregiver)
10:00 am **Sports Talk** (all ages) with Rich Marazzi. Drop-in.
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm **Teen Maker Space, Green Screen, 3D Plus** (ages 12-17)

Author Visit, Ariel Sloan - Saturday, April 25th @ 11:00 am

Kurrency Kids



Derby Public Library Annual Scholarship Prize

The Derby Public Library is now accepting submissions for its **Annual Scholarship Prize** of \$500. It is open to all high school seniors living in Derby who are planning to further their education, regardless of where they go to school. The Library Board of Directors will choose the winner based on an essay explaining the role of libraries in their life. The award will be presented by the Library Board of Directors at their April meeting. In addition to the monetary prize, the winner's name will be added to the Scholarship Prize Plaque located in the Young Adult Department.

High School Seniors may submit their entry directly to the Library Director now through Monday April 1. For more information, stop by the Library at 313 Elizabeth St. or call 203 736-1482.



Passport to Connecticut Libraries at Derby Public Library



From April 1-30, 2020, Derby Public Library and the Passport to Connecticut Libraries Program invite you to visit all of the participating Connecticut public libraries. Each library has its own architecture, vibe and collection to explore and browse! The program is open to adults and children, and the hope is that it encourages residents to explore the amazing diversity of our public libraries.

To participate, make sure you have your valid library card from your hometown library. While you're there, pick up your Passport. They will stamp it and give you a token gift to get you started. Then, take your Passport along as you visit other participating libraries. At each visit, you must show your library card, and then the library will stamp your passport and give you another small gift.

If you visit at least five (5) participating libraries and return your passport to a participating library by May 7th, then you will be entered into one state-wide drawing for a chance to win a \$150 Visa gift card for adults (18 and up) and a \$100 Visa gift card for children (under 18). This is a state-wide contest where four winners will be selected: one adult and one child from a random drawing from all who visited at least five libraries, and one adult and one child from a random drawing from all who visited the most libraries.

Over one hundred Connecticut libraries are proud to participate in the Connecticut Library Association's Passport to Connecticut Libraries Program. For more details and a full list of participating libraries, visit <https://www.facebook.com/passporttoctlibraries> or call the Reference Desk at 203-736-1482.