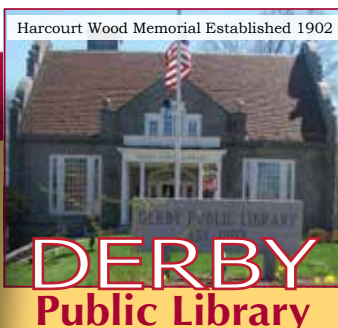




Calling all aficionados of refrigerator ornamentation! March is **Youth Art Month** & for the sixth year running the **Teen Zone** will double as "Art Gallery" adorned with the exceptional creativity of Derby's middle & high school students. Their unique works will be on display for the entire month. Stroll through the exhibition as your library joins the national celebration of visual arts emphasizing the talent of our emerging artists as well as the importance & value of art education.



March 2018



**HOURS:**  
MON.-WED. 9 AM-8 PM  
THURS. 9 AM-6 PM  
FRI. 9 AM-5 PM  
SAT. 9 AM-2 PM

April 16th - 20th  
**WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD**  
Special Events All Week!

March 30 & 31  
Closed  
in Observance  
of Good Friday  
& Easter Holiday

SATURDAY, MARCH 17th

## Reoccurring Programs in March

Registration is requested for all programs. **Resume "Right-ing"** & **Tech Time** are on a drop-in basis

### MONDAYS:

3/5, 3/12, 3/19 10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Siblings welcome. Each week features puzzles, books, blocks, a craft, dramatic play & more followed by a story & rhymes.

### WEDNESDAYS:

3/7 6:30 pm **Resume "Right-ing"** session. Participants can either start from scratch or bring copies of their existing resumes and cover letters for review and optimizing.

3/7, 3/14 9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 mo.) Come play, learn & grow. Interactive program fosters developmental & social skills.

10:30 am **Time for Twos** (24-36 mo.) Stories, songs, finger plays and a simple craft for toddler and parent(s). Caregivers welcome.

3/7, 3/14, 3/21, 3/28 1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+). Newly released DVDs will be shown and light snacks offered.

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays** (ages 12-17). Nintendo Wii, board games, and Legos. Light refreshments will be provided.

3/21 6:30 pm **Tech Time: Bring All Your Tech-Related Questions!**

3/28 12:30 pm **Lunchtime Book Discussion, Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis** by J.D. Vance. Multiple copies of the book are available at the circulation desk. Bring a bag lunch. Dessert & beverage provided.

### THURSDAYS:

3/1, 3/8, 3/15 10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13-24 mo.) Interactive class featuring stories, songs, rhymes and musical instruments.

3/22 10:00 am **Tech Time: Bring All Your Tech-Related Questions!**

### FRIDAYS:

3/2, 3/9, 3/16 10:00 am **STEAM Ahead!** (ages 3-5) Preschool program is a blend of story time and hands-on activities exploring the world of science, technology, engineering, art and math. Interactive experiments.



Happy to be home! After working in various CT libraries, I was appointed Library Director beginning January 2nd! I am excited to work with a wonderful staff and we look forward to expanding and evolving to better serve you. Drop by and say hello!

-Nicole B. Cignoli  
Library Director



Daylight  
Saving  
Time  
3/11

## Special Events

(Registration is requested for all Special Events.)

**3-SATURDAY:** 10:30 am **Tunes-n-Tales with Mother Goose** (ages 2-5). Rhymes, music, story and a craft. Siblings welcomed.

**12-MONDAY:** 10:00 am **Musical Monday, Turn It Up!** (ages 2-6) w/Sandi Schuchmann. Interactive music and movement program.

**13 TUESDAY:** 4:00 pm **After School Crafty Kids Program** (ages 4-11). Explore creativity with spring-themed creations.

**16-FRIDAY:** 10:00 am - Noon **American Job Center Career Coach** presents *Social Networking for Job Search*. The workshop is free & open to the public. Learn how to use the resources and tools of social networking sites.

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

**20-TUESDAY:** 4:00 pm **S.T.E.M. Program/Construction Zone** (ages 4-11). Build with Lego bricks, Keva planks & other blocks.

**29-THURSDAY:** 3:00 pm **Teen Maker Space, Build a Better World** (ages 12-17). 3D doodle pens, Legos & more!



## Reoccurring Programs in April

Registration is requested for all programs. **Resume "Right-ing"** & **Tech Time** are on a drop-in basis.

### MONDAYS:

4/2, 4/9 10:00 am **Family Place - 1,2,3 Grow With Me!** (ages 1-3). Siblings welcome. Each week features puzzles, books, blocks, a craft, dramatic play & more followed by a story & rhymes.

### WEDNESDAYS:

4/4 6:30 pm **Resume "Right-ing"** session. Participants can either start from scratch or bring copies of their existing resumes and cover letters for review and optimizing.

4/4, 4/11, 4/18, 4/25 9:30 am **Baby Steps** (birth - 12 mo.) Come play, learn & grow. Interactive program fosters developmental & social skills

10:30 am **Time for Twos** (24-36 mo.) Stories, songs, finger plays and a simple craft for toddler and parent(s). Caregivers welcome.

1:00 pm **Wednesday Movie Matinees** (18+). Newly released DVDs will be shown and light snacks offered.

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays** (ages 12-17). Nintendo Wii, board games, and Legos. Light refreshments will be provided.

4/18 6:30 pm **Tech Time: Bring All Your Tech-Related Questions!**

4/25 12:30 pm **Lunchtime Book Discussion, *The Little Paris Bookshop*** by Nina George. Multiple copies of the book are available at the circulation desk. Bring a bag lunch. Dessert & beverage provided.

### THURSDAYS:

4/5, 4/12, 4/19, 4/26 10:00 am **Sports Talk Series** (all ages) with Rich Marazzi. Trivia contests, videos, lively conversation & more.

10:00 am **Wonderful Ones** (13-24 mo.) Interactive class featuring stories, songs, rhymes and musical instruments.

4/19 10:00 am **Tech Time: Bring All Your Tech-Related Questions!**

### FRIDAYS:

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 10:00 am **STEAM Ahead!** (ages 3-5) Preschool program is a blend of story time and hands-on activities exploring the world of science, technology, engineering, art and math. Interactive experiments.



## Passport to Connecticut Libraries

From April 2-30, 2018, Derby Public Library and the Passport to Connecticut Libraries Program invite you to visit all of the participating Connecticut public libraries. 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.

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.

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.



## Maximize Your Social Security Benefits



On Monday, April 23, 6:30 p.m., Derby Public Library's Meeting Room. David Cowan, endorsed AAA retiree advisor, will discuss how to navigate retirement savings challenges, ways to safeguard retirement savings, and a simple way to increase your social security income by 32 %. Learn when the right time is to start taking your Social Security, how the new claiming rules will affect you, hidden benefits you may have from a former or deceased spouse, and the benefits of "switches." While the program is targeted for pre-retirees, ages 60-66, the general public is welcome to attend. Maximum attendance is 35 so registration is requested beginning March 26 online or by calling the Reference Desk at 203-736-1482.



## Special Events

(Registration is requested for all Special Events.)

**7-SATURDAY:** 10:00 am **Saturday Family Story Time** (ages 2-5). Spring-themed stories, songs and art project. Siblings welcomed.  
11:30 am **Kid's Magic Workshop** (ages 7-10). Learn the science behind magic tricks & techniques.

**THE WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD/Spring Vacation for Derby School System**

**16-MONDAY:** 10:00 am **Musical Monday, Turn It Up!** (ages 2-6) w/Sandi Schuchmann. Interactive music and movement program.

**18-WEDNESDAY:** 10:30 am - 12:30 am **Mystic Aquarium/Touch Tank program** (ages 3-11). Get up close with live creatures. Ocean-themed story & craft.

**19-THURSDAY:** 10:00 am - Noon **Crafty Kids** (ages 4-11). A variety of art and craft projects.

**20-FRIDAY:** 10:00 am **The SHAPELS are coming!** (preschoolers) Local author Evie North shares her latest SHAPELS adventure story.  
10:00 am - Noon **American Job Center Career Coach** presents *Job Search Assistance*. The workshop is free and open to the public. Learn where to look for jobs and how to search for jobs on the internet.  
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm **Maximize Your Social Security Benefits** presented by David Gowan, endorsed AAA retiree advisor.

**23-MONDAY:** 6:30 pm **After School/Construction Zone** (ages 4-11). Build with Lego bricks, Keva planks and other blocks.

**24-TUESDAY:** 4:00 pm **Teen Maker Space, Build a Better World** (ages 12-17). 3D doodle pens, Legos & more!

**26-THURSDAY:** 3:00 pm