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Library Hours

Monday-Thursday 9-8 Friday 9-5 Saturday 9-4

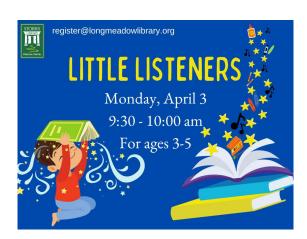
What's Happening in Youth Next Week at Storrs Library

Dates: April 9-April 15, 2023

Youth Programs

<u>Little Listeners (ages 3–5yrs)</u>

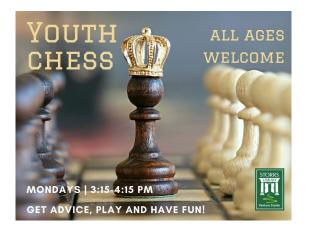
Monday, April 9, 9:30-10:00



Read More/Register

A storytime for children ages 3-5 years with their caregiver. Children will enjoy stories, move and groove to music, and enjoy arts and crafts.

Youth Chess (gr K+) Monday, April 10, 3:15-4:15



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All skill levels are welcome for chess and a challenge! Chess instructors will provide help for beginners and more advanced players will get tips to sharpen their game. Registration is required and space is limited.

College Application Primal Scream

Monday, April 10, 6:30-7:30

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Teens in grades 9-12 are you looking to volunteer at the library? Then join BOLT! The Board of Library Teens is the spot to make a difference for our community. The



group will meet monthly to help plan events, programs, and displays. These gatherings are also a great chance for everyone to hangout, have fun, and get to know each other!

Tot Time (ages 2-3yrs) Tuesday, April 11, 9:30-10:00



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A circle storytime for children ages 2-3 years with their caregiver. Children will listen to stories, sing songs, dance, and enjoy hands-on fun with art or manipulatives.

Newbies (birth-15mo) Tuesday, April 11, 10:45-11:15



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Pathways for Parents CFCE presents Newbies at Storrs Library. Participants in this group will receive developmental milestone information, ways to engage in floor time play, resources, and opportunities to connect to other caregivers of children this age. Newbies is targeted for ages birth-15 months old.

This program is sponsored by Pathways for Parents. Pathways for Parents is funded by the Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Grant through the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care.

Book Tasting (gr. 3-5) Tuesday, April 11, 3:30-4:15

Read More/Register

Are you hungry for a good book but don't



know what to read next? Children grades 3-5 are invited to come enjoy snacks and sample a menu of books!

Grow Play Learn (birth-5yrs)

Wednesday, April 12, 9:30-10:30



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Join Pathways for Parents CFCE for Grow Play Learn at Storrs Library. This group will include a storytime curriculum, fun play activities and the Ages and Stages Questionnaire. This program is geared for children up through age five with a caregiver.

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Exercise and Emotions (ages 2-5)

Wednesday, April 12, 3:30-4:00



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This virtual group will meet on Zoom. We will work on supporting the expression of big and small emotions, while moving through different forms of exercise.

This program is sponsored by Pathways for Parents. Pathways for Parents is administered by Ludlow Public Schools and is funded by the Coordinated Family Community Engagement Grant through the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care.

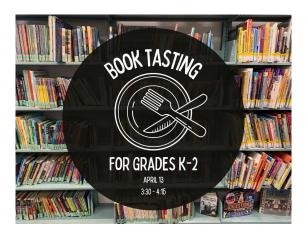
Tiny Tales (ages 1-2yrs) Thursday, April 13, 9:30-10:00

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A lapsit storytime for children ages 12 to 24 months with their caregiver. Children will enjoy stories, songs, rhymes, fingerplays and free play, with an emphasis on repetition and social interaction.

Book Tasting (gr. K-2) Thursday, April 13, 3:30-4:15



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Are you hungry for a good book but don't know what to read next? Children grades K-2 are invited to come enjoy snacks and sample a menu of books!

Write On Youth Writing Club (gr 5-9) Saturday, April 15, 10:00-11:00



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Writers in grades 5-9 are welcome to join our monthly writing club. Each session will have writing prompts to get your creative juices flowing, and then we'll practice sharing our stories and giving each other positive feedback. The sessions are led by a real, live children's book author. All words welcome here!

<u>Learn to Play MAGIC THE GATHERING (ages 12+)</u> Saturday, April 15, 1:30-3:00

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Teens are invited to learn a legendary trading card game: Magic the Gathering! Every participant receives a free starter deck courtesy of MagiKids by Weirdcards. Volunteer Magic experts will launch players right into their first battle, teaching them how to use their unique decks to cast spells



and unleash creatures.

Friends will be made. Fun will be had. Join the gathering.

In Case You Missed...

Discovery Room Guessing Jar



Pop into the Discovery Room to test your estimating skills and enter a chance to win a prize. The participant who guesses correctly, or has the closest guess, wins the jar, the contents and a plush.

Discovery Room Scavenger Hunt



Go on a quest in the Discovery Room and locate the list of items hidden around the room. Each month a new Scavenger Hunt will be displayed. One lucky participant will win a prize at the end of the month. Join us in the fun!

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