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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: December 17-December 23, 2023



The Library will be closed on Saturday, December 23rd.

All Ages

Winter Crafternoon (all ages)

Thursday, December 21, 3:30-4:15



Read More/Register

Calling all crafters! Join the Storrs Library for a fun DIY craft session. Let your creativity run wild with all of our craft supplies. All ages welcome!

Youth Programs

Process Art (ages 3-6yrs) Monday, December 18, 10:00-10:45

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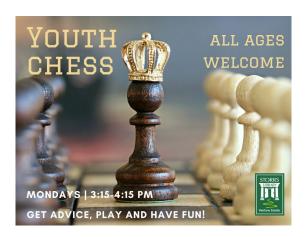
Children ages 3-6 are invited to participate in this group with their caregiver. Process



art is art that focuses on the experience and process involved in creating. It is free, open-ended art, meaning children are able to freely choose what materials to use, how to use them and what to create. This group is sensory friendly!

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Youth Chess (gr K+) Monday, December 18, 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 tips to sharpen your game for more advanced students.

Registration is required and limited.

Teen Cookie Decorating (ages 13+) Monday, December 18, 5:00-6:00



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Create some delicious winter creations during Teen Cookie Decorating! Using frosting, sprinkles, candies and more, we will create the most appetizing art. All materials will be provided.

Tot Time (ages 2-3yrs) Tuesday, December 19, 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, December 19, 10:45-11:30



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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.

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No Bake Cookie Class (ages 6+)

Tuesday, December 19, 3:30-4:15



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Make your own no bake Oreo Balls this holiday season and have the most delicious holiday cookie!

Grow Play Learn (birth-5yrs) Wednesday, December 20, 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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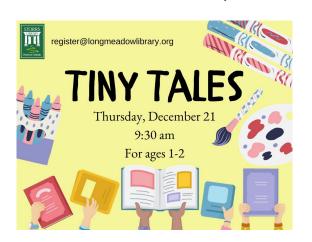
<u>Doggie Storytime: Read to Therapy Dog Frigo</u> Wednesday, December 20, 3:30-4:15



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Frigo the Therapy Dog is coming back to Storrs library! Frigo, a gentle and patient pup loves to listen to books and will follow along while you read. You can bring a book or two from home, or borrow one of Storrs Library's picture books to read aloud. Register for a ten-minute time slot. Frigo is attended by his trainer Cathy. All ages welcome.

Tiny Tales (ages 1-2yrs) Thursday, December 21, 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

Me, You and We (ages 3-5yrs) Friday, December 22, 9:30-10:30

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"Me, You and We" is a playgroup that will support 3-5 year olds and their caregivers in developing and practicing socialemotional skills. Curriculum includes learning about others, understanding and managing feelings, following directions, taking turns, and solving



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Cookie Decorating (gr. K+) Friday, December 22, 3:30-4:15



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Celebrate the start of winter break with cookie decorating! Using frosting, sprinkles, candies and more, we will create the most appetizing art. All materials will be provided.

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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