

Saturday, March 9, 10:30AM - 12:00PM

**Hodge's Birthday Bash!**

We had so much fun last year so we just had to do it again! Stop by the library meeting room anytime between 10:30 and noon to celebrate police comfort dog Hodge's birthday! We will have pup themed crafts, photo ops, activities, and of course some special treats. All ages are welcome and no registration required.



Saturday, March 23, 10:00AM- 11:30AM

**Owls!**


Join us for a talk about owls with two guest owls Minnie Mae and Clyde. We welcome back Freedom First Wildlife Rehab of Waterford. Freedom First Wildlife Rehab Inc as a 501(c)(3) non profit charity organization. They are federally and state permitted to care for birds of prey with a focus on owls. They depend upon community donations to do this important work! All ages, no registration required.

Tuesday, March 19, 5:30PM - 6:30PM

**Bilingual Pajama Storytime**

Join us for a cozy bilingual pajama storytime! Ms. Emy will read books and sing songs in English and Spanish. No registration required, this program is aimed towards ages birth to five but all families are welcome to join. Thank you to the Community Foundation of Eastern Connecticut for providing funding for this program.

**BILINGUAL  
PAJAMA  
STORYTIME**

Monday, March 25, 5:00PM – 6:00PM

**Junior Thrills and Chills Book Club**

Join us as we delve into the exciting action, adventure, and mystery of your favorite book together! Bring any book from the thriller genre to share with the group then we will do a fun activity. Recommended for ages 6 to 8 years old, no registration is required.

Wednesday, March 27 5:30PM - 6:30PM

**Chess Club**

Join us for our monthly Chess Club! Students from Waterford High School will be teaching basic chess skills as well as offering a space for more advanced students to practice against one another. Ages 6 and up, no registration required.



Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21 &amp; 28, 4:00PM - 6:00PM


**Study Buddies**

Need some extra assistance completing your school work? Stop by the library between 4:00 and 6:00 pm for our weekly Study Buddies Club, run by tutors from the Waterford High School Honor Society. Students in elementary and middle school are welcome, no registration required.

Saturday, March 30, 2:30PM- 3:30PM

**Learn About the Eclipse!**

Join Dr. Leslie Brown, a professor from Connecticut College, to learn about the upcoming total solar eclipse which will take place on April 8! Find out how you can safely view the eclipse and the exciting science behind the event. This program is open to all ages, no registration required. Attendees at this program will receive a pair of solar eclipse glasses, limited to four per family.

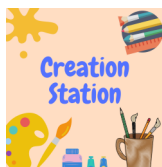


## DROP IN CRAFTS

Tuesday, March 5, 4:00PM - 6:00PM

### Drop In Creation Station

Stop by the Children's Room anytime between 4:00 and 6:00 pm for a fun craft and to get your creativity flowing! Recommended for ages 5 and up. No registration required.



Monday, March 11, 4:00PM - 6:30PM

### Drop in Craft: Pot of Gold

Join us in the Children's Room between 4:00 and 6:30 pm to make a St. Patrick's Day Pot of Gold craft! Recommended for ages 5 and up, no registration required.



Monday, March 18, 4:00PM - 6:30PM

### Drop In STEM Adventure: Straws & Connectors Kit

Join us in the Children's Room between 4:00 and 6:30 pm to build with the Straws & Connectors Kit! Recommended for ages 5 and up, no registration required.



Tuesday, March 26, 4:00PM - 6:00PM

### Build Club



Stop by the Children's Room anytime between 4:00 and 6:00 pm to build with a variety of STEM sets that we

have! Recommended for ages 4 and older, no registration required.

Mondays, March 4, 11, 18 & 25, 10:30AM - 11:00AM

### Family Storytime

Get ready to read and get your wiggles out! Join Ms. Jenna at the library for some fun stories, songs, and dancing. Recommended for ages birth to five years old with a caregiver. No registration is required.

### Youth Art Month

Waterford Public School students from PreK-12 will have artwork displayed throughout the library in support of Youth Art Month.

## GRAB & GO CRAFTS



Ice Skate Craft  
Mar 3 to Mar 15



Owl  
Mar 16 to Mar 28

Pick up supplies in the Children's Room to make Grab & Go crafts at home, while supplies last.

Either call the library to register or go to our Calendar of Events page on our website.  
[www.waterfordpubliclibrary.org](http://www.waterfordpubliclibrary.org) 860-444-5805, Adult Ext 2, Youth Services Ext. 3

## TEEN CORNER

Thursday, March 14, 5:30PM - 7:00PM

### Teen Craft Night

At this craft night teens will create a unique plant silhouette on a hanging canvas. All materials will be provided. Registration required. Ages 11-18.

Thursday, March 14, 4:00PM ONLINE

### Virtual Author Talk with YA Author Christopher Paolini

Registration is required.

Thursday, March 28, 5:30PM - 7:00PM

### Teen Drop In Craft

Stop into the Teen Area of the library between 5:30 and 7:00 pm to learn the calming technique of automatic drawing! Ages 12 -18. No registration required.

### READ TO A DOG

Monday, March 4, 4:30PM - 5:30PM

### Read to Hodges



Monday, March 23, 3:00PM- 4:00PM

### Read to Scout

No registration required, all ages welcome.

Monday, March 15, 11:00AM - 12:00PM

### Toddler Craft: Pot Of Gold Name Activity

Join us for a storytime and crafting session where the little ones will make a St. Patrick's Day craft and practicing spelling their names. For ages 3 to 5 years old, no registration is required.



Friday, March 8, 11:00AM - 11:45AM

### Story and Sensory Play

Join Miss Ashlee for a story and then explore multiple sensory stations. Recommended for ages 2 to 5 years old with a caregiver. No registration required.



Wednesday, March 20, 11:00AM - 11:45AM

### Toddler Art

This hands on art session is for young ones to explore through process art with the help of their adult. For ages 3 to 5 years old, registration is required.



To keep up with all our activities follow us  
on Facebook and Instagram



@waterfordpubliclibrary



@waterfordlibraryct