

Guilford Smith Memorial Library
Summer 2018 Programs
17 Main St. South Windham, CT
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June 2018 Programs

- **Tuesday, June 26th at 4:00pm - Summer Reading Kick-off with Animal Embassy!** This program, titled “Nature Rocks,” will introduce animals such as South American Chinchillas, North American Spring Peepers, a Cuban Tree Frog, an African Sulcata Tortoise, an African Lovebird, or Australian Eclectus parrots, an African Savannah Monitor, and Dumeril’s Boa from Madagascar!
- **Thursday, June 28th at 6:30pm** – The sound of rain falling is musical and relaxing. Come join us to **make a rain stick** to enjoy the sound of a rainstorm on a sunny day!

July 2018 Programs

During the month of July we will have a musical instrument scavenger hunt in the library! Find every instrument hidden and pick a prize!

- **Friday, July 6th at 4:00pm** – *Peter Rabbit* movie. Popcorn provided!
- **Tuesday, July 10th at 10:30am** – **Percussion Instrument Story Time**
- **Thursday, July 12th at 6:30pm** – **Felt Rocks**. Make rocks into works of art using wool.
- **Friday, July 13th at 6:00pm** – Author **Jo Gillespie** will talk about her book *The Devil Wears Red, Book III of the Tewkesbury Chronicles* as part of the **Connecticut Author Trail!** ***
- **Saturday, July 14 from 10am-2pm** – **Second Saturday Structures**
- **Tuesday, July 17 at 4:00pm** – Join us as we welcome Mark Zarrillo, as he leads a **participatory group drumming program** at the library. Learn more about Mark at www.drummingspirit.com.
- **Friday, July 20th from 6-7pm** – **Nighttime Story Time**. Come dressed in your jammies and bring a special stuffed animal to listen to some favorite bedtime stories. This is an extra special program because it will start when the library closes!
- **Tuesday, July 24th at 10:30am** – **String Story Time**
- **Thursday, July 26th at 6:30pm** – Local resident, Michele Maclure, will teach us about **herbs and how to use them**. ***
- **Friday, July 27th at 4:30pm** – **Slime Making** Come and make some ooey goeey slime!
- **Friday, July 27th at 6:00pm** – The **Northeast Connecticut Community Orchestra** will be playing a concert in our backyard. The program is **From Bach to Blue Tango**.

August 2018 Programs

- **Thursday, August 2nd at 6:30pm** – **Chocolate Castles**. This program was a blast last year so come and enjoy it again! Make a delicious castle fit for a king or queen out of all things chocolatey!

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- Friday, August 3 at 4:00pm – Join us for a special version of our **Movie Night** as we make popcorn sundaes (popcorn with a variety of toppings) and enjoy the movie *Ferdinand!*
- Thursday, August 9 at 6:30pm – **Rock Painting**. Come and paint a rock or two to hide in the area or take home.
- Saturday, August 11 from 10am-2pm- **Second Saturday Structures**
- Tuesday, August 14 at 10:30am – **Woodwind Story Time**
- Tuesday, August 14 at 4:00pm – **Dancin' With Hoops**. Judi Jones is a professional hoop dance entertainer, teacher, and custom hula hoop maker. She will be at the library for a “musically fueled interactive hoop dancing program designed to inspire and ignite creative movement, dance, play, and laughter.”
- Friday, August 17 at 4:30pm – **Board Game Night**. We will have some games here to play and welcome people to bring their favorite board games in for a night of gaming! Snacks provided.
- Friday, August 24th at 3:00pm – Join us for our **Annual Summer Reading Carnival!** We will have tons of fun outdoor games, face painting, and a carnival snack! After the Carnival we will do the **raffle drawing for both children and adult summer reading prizes!**
- Tuesday, August 28 at 10:30am – **Puppet Story Time**- Join us for another fun Story Time with puppets!

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