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The Newsletter of the
Douglas Library of Hebron



Event Spotlight:

Remembering G. Fox

Tuesday, May 10th at 6 p.m.

In the 1950s, just about every major city had a landmark department store. In Connecticut, it was G. Fox & Co., located on Main Street in Hartford. This CT Historical Society presentation by Natalie Belanger on will bring you back in time to G. Fox's heyday, as she goes floor by floor through the various departments. You'll also learn about Beatrice Fox Auerbach, the remarkable woman who made every visit to G. Fox's special.

Teen Events

A busy month of May for our teens! Join us at any of these programs. No registration necessary. All events run from 2:30-3:30 in the Community Room on the first floor of the library.

May 3rd - Flower Pot Decorating...just in time for Mother's Day!

May 10th and May 24th - Teen Advisory Group (TAG) meetings. The group meets to discuss event planning, eat some snacks, and do some crafts. New members are welcome! Participating in TAG counts as one hour of community service.

May 17th - Trivia Contest. The theme of the questions is 'Logos,' so bring your brand awareness and see if you can take home the **PRIZE**.

May 31st - SMASH Brothers Tournament. The last player standing will go home with a **PRIZE**!

Hebron Lions Make Donation

The Lions Club of Hebron donated \$2,000 to the Douglas Library as a part of their annual Night of Giving on April 20th. The award was presented by Cathy Gerke, a past employee of the library, to Library Director Kevin Sullivan and Board of Trustees member Althea Carr.

"The Hebron Lions have been very good to the Douglas Library and we greatly appreciate their continued support of library services in town," said Sullivan. "The Lions give to so many great causes in the area. It's an honor to be included among them."

The Lions Club is a long time donor to the Douglas Library of Hebron. Recently, their funds have been used to purchase a new 3D printer, which will be available for public use in the next few months.



Adult/Teen Take & Make Craft: Macrame plant hanger

Macrame Plant Hanger kits are available to pick up from the Adult Circulation Desk while supplies last.

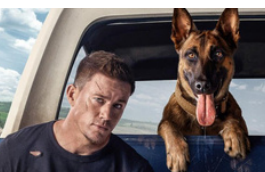


Friday Movies Line-up

Lots of great movies this month! Join us at 1PM each week to watch a flick and have some snacks in our Community Room. Reservations are not required.

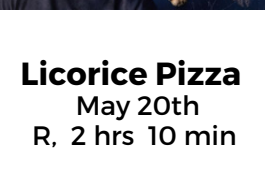
Death on the Nile

May 6th
PG-13, 2 hrs



Dog

May 13th
PG-13, 1 hr 40 min



Licorice Pizza

May 20th
R, 2 hrs 10 min



A Day to Die

May 27th
R, 1hrs 45 min

Spirited Book Club

"The Spirited Book Club" discussion is Wednesday, May 18th from 7:00 to 8:30PM at the American legion, located next door. This month we will discuss "The Midnight Library" by Matt Haig.

Copies of the book are available for checkout at the Adult Circulation Desk. Must be over 21 years of age to participate.



Children's Department News

Storytime is back in full swing! Join in every Tuesday and Thursday morning at 10AM for stories and crafts with your children aged 0-5. No registration is required.

Additionally, the Children's Department is hard at work preparing for "Oceans of Possibilities" - this year's summer reading program. There will be exciting programs, crafts, and activities to keep kids busy all summer long!

Event Spotlight:

Equity, Power Structures, and Color Blindness

Tuesday, May 17 6:30-8PM

Equity, Power Structures, and Color Blindness is the follow-up to March's Foundations of Equity program. Join facilitators from The Alliance for Collaborative Equity as they continue to explore how our society consciously and unconsciously rewards and punishes citizens based on the color of their skin. Attending this course's predecessor is not required. This is a virtual event. Register at douglaslibrary.org to receive the Zoom link. This program has been made possible by a grant from the Hebron Greater Together Community Fund.

Friends of the Douglas Library

Stop by the Friends and check out new and recent releases books as well as gift quality children's books.



Chess Nights Continue

On the first Thursday of each month, the library hosts an open Chess Night for players of all skill levels. Games start at 4:30PM in the Community Room. Additionally, players often meet informally for pick-up games on other Thursday afternoons on the main floor of the library as well. No registration is necessary to attend.

Library Information

HOURS

Monday - 12PM-8PM

Tuesday - 10AM-8PM

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Thursday - 10AM-8PM

Friday - 12PM-6PM

Saturday - 10AM-3PM

The library is closed on Sunday

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