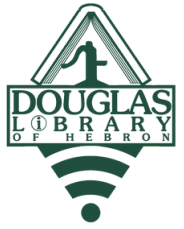


# What's *the* Story?



THE NEWSLETTER OF THE DOUGLAS LIBRARY OF HEBRON



## DOUGLAS LIBRARY

22 Main Street Hebron, CT 06248

### HOURS

- Monday** 12PM-8PM
- Tuesday** 10AM-8PM
- Wednesday** 12PM-8PM
- Thursday** 10AM-8PM
- Friday** 12PM-6PM
- Saturday** 10AM-3PM
- SUNDAY - CLOSED**

MAIN DESK PHONE #  
860-228-9312

WEBSITE  
[douglaslibrary.org](http://douglaslibrary.org)

E-MAIL  
[info@douglaslibrary.org](mailto:info@douglaslibrary.org)

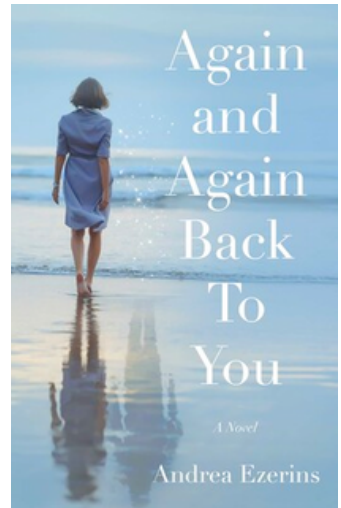
FACEBOOK  
Douglas Library of Hebron

INSTAGRAM  
[douglaslibraryofhebron](https://www.instagram.com/douglaslibraryofhebron)

### Local Author Andrea Ezerins *Book Talk & Signing*

Tuesday, Sept 24th 6:00pm

A chance encounter with a channeler who can transport people back to a juncture in their lives to reveal their road not taken has Marta jumping at the opportunity. But will she be brave enough to channel back to Kevin? Discover what happens as Marta learns that sometimes one must lose something important in order to truly embrace who they are meant to be.



*Andrea Ezerins grew up in the small town where she was raised on a small hobby farm. She earned a bachelor's degree in business administration at University of Connecticut, and went on to spend thirty years working in the insurance industry. Andrea has two daughters and identical twin sons. She resides in Hebron, Connecticut, with her husband.*





# TEENS!

All attendees will earn an hour of **Community Service!**  
Drinks and snacks will be provided.

BRING YOUR FRIENDS ON WEDNESDAY THE 18TH AND HELP PLAN & RUN THE LIBRARY'S

## HAUNTED MINI-GOLF

TO BE HELD DURING HEBRON'S HARVEST MOON FESTIVAL SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26



Join us at the Teen Advisory Board (TAB) meetings to help prep for this spooktacular event.

MEETS EVERY 3RD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH FROM 3:30-4:30 PM

# Adult Programs



## CHAINMAIL BRACELET

Wednesday, Sept. 11 6PM

Join the staff of Castle Nitor for a fun lesson on how to make a chainmail bracelet. Learn one of the most common chainmail weaves used to make armor in the past. Whatever you make, you are free to keep. Ages 16+



**Space is Limited. Registration is Required.**

## STRETCH AWAY STRESS AND ANXIETY WITH CHAIR YOGA!

SATURDAY, SEPT. 7TH 10-11AM  
IN THE COMMUNITY ROOM

### Benefits of Chair Yoga:

- improved Flexibility
- Stress Reduction
- Pain Management
- Weight Loss
- Overall Clarity of Mind



Taught Certified Yoga Teacher



Registration is required as space is limited

## Knit Wits

Every Monday Evening  
6-7:30PM

### Calling All Yarn Addicts!

Bring your project and your questions, and join us downstairs in the Board Room for some friendly creating!

**No experience necessary.**



# SEPTEMBER MOVIES

## Fridays at 1PM

### COME WATCH A NEWLY RELEASED FILM FOR FREE!

These are all shown in the Community Room on our 86" TV with surround sound speakers. Bottled water and fresh-popped popcorn will be provided.



September 13

### The Fall Guy

- Rated PG-13
- Action/Comedy
- 2h 5m



September 20

### Kingdom of the Planet of the Apes

- Rated PG-13
- Action/Sci-fi
- 2h 25m



September 27

### The Fabulous Four

- Rated R
- Comedy
- 1h 38m



# Adult Programs

## THANK YOU!

for helping to make our 2024 Summer Reading Program such a success!

- 803 participants of all ages registered for the library's Summer Reading Program, up from just 45 in 2023
- Children read a total of 2,787 hours
- Circulation increase by more than 50%, from an average of 4900 a month to over 7500 items in July

## Cookbook Club

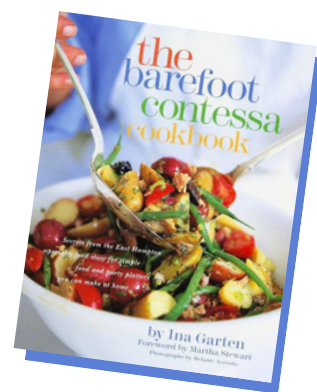
Love to cook? Like to read?

Join us Tues, Sept. 17 6:30PM

September's Book is:

"The Barefoot Contessa" by Ina Garten

Each month we'll read a different cookbook, and each person will choose one recipe from the book to make and share. We even have an oven and stove in case what you make needs warmed up!



Copies will be available at the library beginning one month before the meeting.

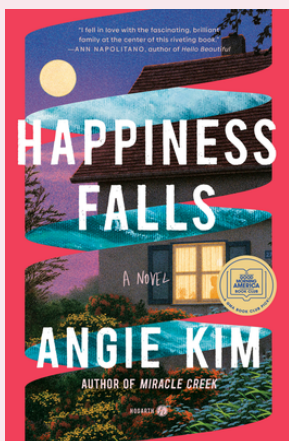
## The Spirited Book Club

September's Book is

**Happiness Falls**

by Angie Kim

The Spirited Book Club discussion meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at the American Legion, located next door to the library. Copies of the book will be available for checkout at the Adult Circulation Desk and are available on the Libby app.



MUST BE OVER 21 YEARS OF AGE

Wednesday, September 18 7-8:30PM

## CHESS CLUB

Meets Thursdays at 3PM

in the Community Room



No Experience Necessary ALL Are Welcome!



We love it when our patrons bring in flowers for all to enjoy!



# Adult Programs

## Events Coming in Early October!



**Pottery Painting**  
with  
**The Firestone Team**

WEDNESDAY **Oct 2** AT 6PM

Join the class lead by a member of the creative team at Firestone from Manchester as we paint a pumpkin design on a 12 oz. mug. All supplies will be provided. Ages 16+ Registration is required.

*See you there!*

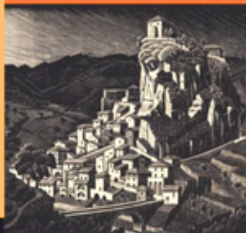
FOR REGISTRATION GO TO  
[www.douglaslibrary.org](http://www.douglaslibrary.org)

the **FIRESTONE**  
art studio + cafe

Saxton B. Little Library, Andover Public Library, Douglas Library of Hebron, & Jonathan Trumbull Library present:

# JULIET GRAMES

## AUTHOR EVENT



*The LOST BOY of SANTA CHIONIA*  
by JULIET GRAMES


Join us to celebrate the release of her second novel, *The Lost Boy of Santa Chionia*.

*Grames' first novel, The Seven or Eight Deaths of Stella Fortuna, was an Indie Next Bestseller. Her essays and short fiction have appeared in Real Simple, Parade, and The Boston Globe, and she is the recipient of an Ellery Queen Award from the Mystery Writers of America. Grames is editorial director at Soho Press in New York.*

**Tuesday, October 1, 6:30pm**  
at Yeomans Hall in Columbia

Copies of Grames' books will be available for purchase & signing at the event.

R.S.V.P. required by calling the Saxton B. Little Library at 860-228-0350 or emailing [staff@columbiactlibrary.org](mailto:staff@columbiactlibrary.org)



## Donate Blood and Save a Life

Weds. October 2 9-2pm



Those who lived in or were stationed in the UK, Ireland or France during the outbreak Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease, commonly referred to as mad cow disease, who have never tried to give blood may now be eligible to give blood with the Red Cross.

Register at [Redcross.org](http://Redcross.org)



# Children's Events

## Storytimes



### Toddler Storytime

Tuesdays at 10:15AM

This is geared for ages 1-3.

There will be stories, songs and crafts!

### Pre-K Storytime

Thursdays at 10:15AM

This is geared for ages 3-5. There will be

stories, letters, numbers, songs and crafts!



### Crafternoon

Monday Sept. 9 3:30PM

Kids crafting! A different craft every session.

Ages 6+

No registration needed.

### Slime Time

Friday Sept. 20 3PM

Come make slime with us, and then take it home!

Ages 3+

No registration needed.



## Kids! Come to LEGO CLUB!

There will be different challenges each meet, and your creations will be on display until the following Lego Club. Club will take place upstairs on the Children's floor, in the story room.  
For Ages 5+

Meets will take place every  
1st and 3rd Wednesday of  
the month, from 4-5pm

# Did You Know?

The Douglas Library has free books! Adult Fiction, Non-Fiction, and Large Print books can be found on the main floor under the large window. Free Fiction and Non-Fiction Children's books can be found upstairs in the Children's Department, on the third.

## September 2024 Calendar of Events

**KEY:** Library Closed | Adults | Children | Young Adult | Town  
 Friends of the Library | General | Nonprofit Group | All Ages

| Sun            | Mon  | Tue   | Wed  | Thu  | Fri   | Sat                      |
|----------------|--|---|--|--|---|--------------------------|
| 1              | 2<br><b>LIBRARY CLOSED</b><br><i>LABOR day</i>   | 3<br>10:15 AM<br>Toddler Storytime<br><br>4 PM Community Room Reserved<br>Town of Hebron                                  | 4<br>4 PM<br>Lego Club   | 5<br>10:15 AM<br>Pre-K Storytime<br><br><b>LIBRARY WILL CLOSE @ 4 PM</b><br><b>Hebron Day at the Fair!</b>         | 6   | 7<br>10 AM<br>Chair Yoga |
| 8<br><b>D</b>  | 9<br>3:30 PM<br>Crafternoon<br><br>6 PM Knit Wits<br><br>7 PM<br>Douglas Library Board of Trustees | 10<br>10:15 AM<br>Toddler Storytime<br><br>4 PM Community Room Reserved<br>Town of Hebron                                 | 11<br>6 PM<br>Chainmail Bracelet   | 12<br>10:15 AM<br>Pre-K Storytime<br><br>3 PM<br>Chess Night<br><br>4 PM Community Room Reserved<br>Town of Hebron | 13<br>1 PM Movie<br>The Fall Guy  | 14                       |
| 15<br><b>E</b> | 16<br>6 PM Knit Wits   | 17<br>10:15 AM<br>Toddler Storytime<br><br>4 PM Community Room Reserved<br>Town of Hebron<br><br>6:30 PM<br>Cookbook Club | 18<br>3:30 PM<br>Teen Advisory Board - Help Plan<br>Haunted Mini Golf!<br><br>4 PM<br>Lego Club<br><br>7 PM<br>Book Discussion | 19<br>10:15 AM<br>Pre-K Storytime<br><br>3 PM<br>Chess Night<br><br>6 PM Town of Hebron All Boards Meeting         | 20<br>1 PM Movie<br>Kingdom of the Planet of the Apes<br><br>3 PM Slime | 21                       |
| 22<br><b>S</b> | 23<br>6 PM Knit Wits<br><br>6 PM<br>Loveland Farms Condo Assoc                                     | 24<br>10:15 AM<br>Toddler Storytime<br><br>6 PM<br>Local Author Andrea Ezerins  | 25<br>8 AM<br>UCONN Succession Planning  | 26<br>10:15 AM<br>Pre-K Storytime<br><br>3 PM<br>Chess Night<br><br>4 PM Community Room Reserved<br>Town of Hebron | 27<br>1 PM Movie<br>The Fabulous Four                                   | 28                       |
| 29<br><b>O</b> | 30<br>5 PM<br>Loveland Farms Condo Assoc<br><br>6 PM Knit Wits                                     | 1   | 2  | 3  | 4   | 5                        |
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