

FEBRUARY 2026

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



PART OF OUR
AMERICA
250
SERIES

Wed, Feb 11
6:30 - 7:45 PM

Black History in Connecticut:

Artifacts from the Connecticut Museum of Culture and History

Take a tour of items from the CT Museum of Culture and History collection representing a spectrum of the Black experience in CT. You'll learn about Harlem Renaissance writer Ann Petry, who carefully preserved artifacts chronicling the Black community of Saybrook. Examine daguerreotypes by Augustus Washington, who abandoned a successful Hartford photography business to build a new nation in Africa. Browse through the photo album of a Hollywood actress who became a champion of labor rights for Black entertainers.

Tuesday, Feb 24
at 6:00 PM

Downstairs in the Community Room

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING THE NEW

Friends of Douglas Library?

COME TO THIS INFORMATIONAL MEETING!

Take in a movie at the library!

FREE FRIDAY MOVIES!



2/6

ONE BATTLE AFTER ANOTHER
DRAMA/ACTION THRILLER • 2H 42M



2/20

BUGONIA
COMEDY/SCI-FI • 1H 59M



2/13

WICKED: FOR GOOD
MUSICAL/FANTASY • 2H 17M



2/27

ROOFMAN
COMEDY/DRAMA • 2H 6M

Join us at 1:00 PM each Friday to watch a film
and have some snacks in our Community Room.
Free popcorn and bottled water provided



ADULT/GENERAL PROGRAMS

STRETCH AWAY STRESS AND ANXIETY WITH

CHAIR YOGA!

Saturday Feb 7 10-11:00AM

Join us in the Community Room for a practice that is beneficial to all. In these classes you will use the support of the chair to arrive in yoga poses, move, breathe, and ultimately feel good.

Taught by
Certified
Yoga Teacher



KAREN GOMEZ
WELLNESS CONSULTING
LIVE-HEALTH-LEADERSHIP

Registration is required as space is limited. Please call us to register.



- Retiring Soon?
- Confused about Medicare?
- Turning 65 and unsure about the process?
- Not sure if your current employer plan is better than Medicare?

Come and learn the ins and outs of Medicare and the differences between Original Medicare and Medicare Advantage with Mark Macrina,

a local Insurance Agent. This is strictly an informational seminar, and no individual health will be discussed. For accommodations of persons with special needs please call (860)-338-1466 TTY 711

Wednesday Feb 18 Sessions at 3PM and 6PM

americanjobcenter
NORTH CENTRAL

LOOKING FOR A NEW JOB? WANT TO GET INTO A TRAINING PROGRAM? SEE IF THE A.J.C. CAN HELP!

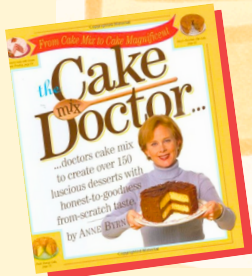
Every 3rd Thursday of the month from 3-5PM, William Newton of American Job Center will be here to help you create your resume and coach you how to obtain a job. Bring your questions to this FREE program!

JOIN A CLUB!

LEARN SOMETHING NEW * MAKE SOME NEW FRIENDS * RE-VISIT AN OLD INTEREST

COOKBOOK CLUB

Each month we read a different cookbook, and each person chooses 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.



FEBRUARY'S COOKBOOK IS
THE CAKE MIX DOCTOR

TUESDAY, FEB 17 6:30PM

(EVERY 3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH)

The Spirited Book Club



The Spirited Book Club discussion meets 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.

Meets on every 3rd
Wednesday of the Month

Feb 18 7-8:30PM

Must be over 21 years of age

February's book is :



Two young lovers.
Sixty long years.
One bookish mystery worth solving.
This is a charming, hilarious, and moving novel about the way books bring lonely souls together.

KNIT WITS

Every Monday 6PM

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

MAHJONG

Every Tuesday 11AM

Are you interested in playing Mahjong?
Would you like to learn how to play?
Fellow patrons have started a Mahjong Club!



QUIET READING CLUB

Every 2nd Saturday 2:45 PM

No registration required - just be sure to arrive before the library doors are locked at 3:00PM!



CHESS CLUB

Every Thursday 4PM

Meets downstairs in the Community Room. No Experience Necessary. ALL Are Welcome!





CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

SIGN UP FOR A FREE TREE!

Register by March 15th
Use the QR Code below
to sign up!

 **Neighborhood Forest**
giving trees to children



STORY TIME



Toddler Storytime

Tuesdays at 10:15AM
3/10, 2/17, 2/24

This is geared for ages 1-3. There will be stories, songs and crafts!



Pre-K Storytime

Thursdays at 10:15AM
2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26

This is designed for ages 3-5. There will be stories, letters, numbers, songs and crafts!



PJ Storytime

The 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month
(2/3 & 2/17) at 6PM

We will have stories, songs, and crafts.
No registration needed! For ages 1-5,
and siblings are always welcome.

LEGO CLUB

Meets
EVERY MONDAY from 4-5PM
No Registration Required



Join us for a cozy afternoon
filled with laughter, snacks,
and a great movie!

FEBRUARY 17 1PM



**SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 7
10:30AM - 2PM**

VISIT THE CHILDREN'S FLOOR AND
EXPLORE WHAT THE LIBRARY HAS
TO OFFER, AND GET YOUR FREE
LIBRARY CARD!



**10:30 AM
SPECIAL LEGO CLUB**



**12 - 2 PM
DROP IN CRAFTS
INCLUDING WEAVING,
MAKING BRACELETS, HAND
KNITTING AND MORE!**



WHAT WE PROVIDE

- STEM Activities
- Social Play
- Crafts

**Home
School
STEM**

**FOR GRADES PRE-K
THRU 4TH
1:00PM FEB 18**

**(3rd Wednesdays
of each month)**

Please Register www.douglaslibrary.org



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

COLOR KEY: Library Closed • Adults • Children
Young Adult • General

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
SUNDAYS CLOSED	2 4 PM Lego Club 6 PM Knit Wits	3 10:15 AM Toddler Storytime 11 AM Mahjong 6 PM PJ Storytime	4	5 10:15 AM Pre-K Storytime 4 PM Chess Club	6 1 PM Movie <i>One Battle After Another</i>	7 10 AM Chair Yoga 10:30 AM Take Your Child to the Library!
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