

HALL MEMORIAL LIBRARY

February 2021 Newsletter

The Library is open!!! We are happy to welcome you back into the building for browsing, research and whatever else you need. Computer access is available, for one hour sessions, with no appointments needed. Curbside services will continue for those who prefer.



February is “Love Your Library” month in Ellington.

Send a note, drop a line, shoot a text, or post a post—however you choose to communicate, let us know what you love about your Library!

Reader’s Advisory Service

Let us help you find your next great read! This service asks you a few simple questions, and a Librarian will personally select 3 book options just for you. Look for the Reader’s Advisory form on the Hall Memorial Library website or call and we can do a phone interview.

Temporary Adjusted Hours

Monday: 10:00 AM—8:00 PM

Tuesday: 10:00 AM—6:00 PM

Wednesday: 10:00 AM—8:00 PM

Thursday: 10:00 AM—6:00 PM

Friday: 10:00 AM—5:00 PM

Saturday: 10:00 AM—5:00 PM

Sunday closed



Tax Filing Materials

Federal income tax filing materials are here!

The State will not be providing booklets to the Library this year. Copies of the form will be available. We will help you with accessing the tax tables and other information.

hoopla BONUS Borrowers are Back!



Over a 1,000 select titles to discover without using your monthly borrows!

Available for mobile or online access with your library card.

COVID Vaccine Registration

If you would like to register for a COVID vaccination using the VAMS online system, we can help you.

February Programming

Register for programs at www.library.ellington-ct.gov or by calling 860-870-3160

Adults

Color & Chat (Monthly program)

Wednesday, Feb. 3 at 7pm via Zoom

Join Ashley for our monthly Color and Chat program. Coloring pages can be picked or emailed to registered participants.



HML Book Discussion (Monthly program)

Wednesday, Feb. 17 at 7pm via Zoom

Join us to discuss "The Testaments" by Margaret Atwood. Copies of the book are available. Ebook and eaudio versions are available on OverDrive.



StoryFaces Movie

Friday, February 5-Wednesday, February 10 via Vimeo

Sign up to receive a link to this amazingly creative online storytelling and face art program for all to enjoy.

Teens & Tweens

Crafting Together

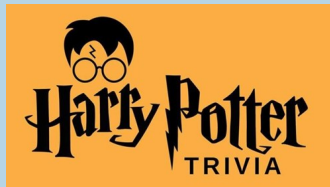
Sunday, Feb. 21 at 2pm via Zoom

If you love crafts and are searching for some fun on Sunday afternoons, pick up a craft kit and join us as we make it together. Kits may also be mailed; call to request.

Harry Potter Trivia Night

Wednesday, Feb. 24 at 7pm via Zoom

Join us for some fun as we test our Potter knowledge with some online Trivia on Kahoot.



All Ages

Grab & Go Crafts

Grab the makings of a colorful Valentine suncatcher or an adorable Sock Penguin.



Pets Caught Reading All month

Each week Hall Memorial Library Facebook and Instagram will feature your pets caught reading. Submit a photo and information about your pet to Hall Memorial Library, Facebook Messenger, or email Adabbondanza@biblio.org.

Cooking Together: Winter Food Festival II Saturday, Feb. 20 at 3pm via FB Live

Chef Rob Scott will be Live again on our Facebook page to guide you and your family in preparing a delicious winter meal of Panko Chicken Milanese with Blistered Tomatoes and Basil, Mozzarella, Tomato and Basil Quesadilla with Parmesan Crust, and the Ultimate Chocolate Oatmeal Cookie. Recipes are available to pickup, by email or on the library Facebook page www.facebook.com/hallmemoriallibrary



Children

Story Time with Ms. Pat (Ages 3-8)

Weekly

Join Ms. Pat for stories and songs weekly on Facebook and the webpage.



Food Explorers Kids Cooking Adventure

Wednesday, Mar. 2 at 5pm via Zoom

Join Katie at Food Explorers and make "the quickest homemade pizza of your life".