

# JANUARY 2025



## IditaRead Winter Reading Challenge Continues!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	] Happy New Year! Library closed	2 Youth Subscription Bag Pick-up+ 4:00 PM - Tween Time	3	<b>4</b> 10:30 am - Page to Stage: Boards & Buckets
5	6	7 Youth Subscription Bag Pick-up+ 3:30 PM - LEGO Club	8	9 4:00 PM - The Heroes' Quest: Library Edition	10 10:30 AM - Family Flix: Harold and the Purple Crayon (Rated-PG)	11
12	<b>13</b> 10:15 AM - Baby Lapsit	14 10:30 AM - Toddler Time 1:00 PM - Preschool Storytime 4:00 PM - Build a Boat Challenge	15 10:30 AM - Preschool Storytime	16 10:30 AM - Toddler Time	17	<b>18</b> 11:00 AM - Saturday Storytime
19	20 10:30 AM - Parachute Play	21 10:30 AM - Toddler Time 1:00 PM - Preschool Storytime 4:00 PM- Lights, Camera, Craft!	22 10:30 AM - Preschool Storytime 5:30 PM- Spineless Literature+	23 10:30 AM - Toddler Time 4:00 PM - The Heroes' Quest: Library Edition	<b>24</b> 10:30 AM - Family Flix: Abominable (Rated-PG)	25
26	<b>27</b> 10:15 AM - Baby Lapsit	28 10:30 AM - Toddler Time 1:00 PM - Preschool Storytime 5:00 PM - Teen Art Club	29 10:30 PM - Preschool Storytime	30 10:30 AM - Toddler Time	31	1



Join the IditaRead Winter Reading Challenge!

Go to hartfordlibrary.beanstack.org or use the Beanstack Tracker app!

Start reading & logging your minutes now until Saturday, February 22, 2025!

Reading for school counts too!

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+ Advance sign-up required Learn more about Youth programs at hartfordlibrary.org

You'll win prizes for reading & can enter to win Grand Prize Drawings!

#### JANUARY STORYTIMES

#### Baby Lapsit -

Monday, January 13 at 10:15 am Monday, January 27 at 10:15 am Best suited for ages birth to 17 months

Parachute Play – Monday, January 20 at 10:30 am Best suited for ages 18 months to 3 years

#### Toddler Time -

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 am\* Best suited for ages 18 months to 3 years \*same program both days

Preschool Storytime – Tuesdays at 1:00 pm\* Wednesdays at 10:30 am\* Best suited for ages 3 to 5 years \*same program both days

#### Saturday Storytime – Saturday, January 18 at 11 am Stories and fun for the whole family!



# PROGRAMS FOR KIDS LEGO Club First Tuesday of the month

Hosted by the HUHS Robotics Team

January Theme: Mystery Challenge Card (Pick a card & build what's on the card)

Tuesday, January 7 at 3:30pm Build and display your own LEGO creation. Best suited for ages 5 and up.

### **NEW TEEN EVENT!**

Teen Art Club

Are you a teen who likes to create? Join us any time between 5–8 PM on the last Tuesday of the month for Teen Art Club!

Participate in the monthly art prompt and/or work on your own project, all while enjoying access to a wide variety of supplies.

We hope to see you there!





January Youth Programs



## Page to Stage Saturday, January 4 10:30-11:30 am

Head to the Library for a morning of crafts and activities inspired by music & comedy!



Each family will receive a free book and a coupon for a free child's ticket.



Then, go see *Buckets N Boards*, a hilarious & high-energy show chockfull of amazing percussion, ridiculous songs, spectacular tap dancing, inventive instrumentation, & an incredible variety of musical talents at The Schauer Arts Center on Friday, January 10 at 7:00pm!



We're going the read Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan and then watch the TV show of the same name!



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#### Thursdays at 4 PM

January 9 - Chapters 1-8, Showing episodes 1 & 2 January 23 - Chapters 9-13, Showing episodes 3 & 4 February 13 - Chapters 14-16, Showing episodes 5 & 6 February 27 - Chapters 17-22, Showing episodes 7 & 8

> Reading the chapters before you come to the library is recommended but not required to watch the show! Program time is about 1 hour and 30 minutes.

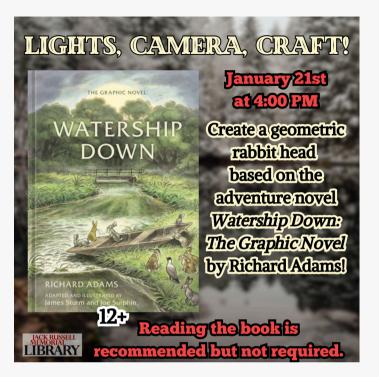
All ages are welcome. Kids under 9 years old should be accompanied by an adult.

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## Build a Boat Challenge Tuesday, January 14 at 4 PM

Create a boat. You can work as a team or by yourself. Will it float? Will it hold weight? Will it win the race? Let's find out!

# Teen Events for ages 12 to 18.



# Spineless Literature

Watership Down Watership Down Episode One

January 22nd at 5:30 PM

Signupthroughthe calendarontheJRML websitelThelinktothe watchpartywillbe sentviaemail 5minutesbeforethe showstarts.

TV=PG

You must have a Netflix acccount and the Teleparty extension downloaded to participate Follow the QR code to install Teleparty.

