



Summer 2013



Summer Reading & Events For Children

Summer Reading For Children

This year, Children's Librarian Miss Joy has selected the summer reading theme: *Be a Smart Cookie! Read*. Children may sign up starting June 17 in the Children's room. Log sheets and a cookie to post on the summer reading bulletin board are available for each child in the program. Join Miss Joy for a summer of reading and prizes!

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Featured Online Resource



Award Winning Independent Films, Documentaries and Shorts

[IndieFlix](#) is available 24/7 on any home computer, tablet or device with an Internet connection. Sign up for an IndieFlix account with your Library card by clicking on the IndieFlix logo at www.westonpubliclibrary.org.

Keep Up With Us

**Summer Reading Kickoff Party June
21st
6PM-8PM
Library Lawn
Sign up at the Library!**

Summer Crafts

Miss Joy will also offer a series of Arts and Crafts classes for ages 4-6 and Handicrafts for ages 7-9. Youngsters must be committed to two sessions. Signup in person in the Children's room!

Arts and Crafts (Ages 4-6)

July 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st at 4PM

Handicrafts (Ages 7-9)

August 7th, 14th, 21st at 4PM

Nutmeg Book Group

Miss Joy will host four sessions to discuss various Intermediate Nominees (titles to be listed). Discussions will be held Tuesdays at 4PM on July 9th, July 23rd, August 6th and August 20th. Signup in the Children's room!

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Lunch Bunch

Every other Tuesday, Join Miss Joy for Lunch Bunch from 12 noon to 1 PM in the Community Room. Ages 2 up to 7 are welcome. Bring a bag lunch, drink, and blanket. Enjoy stories, songs, prizes and movies. Dates are July 9th, July 23rd, August 6th and August 20th. No registration required!

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Summer Reading & Events For Adults

Summer Reading For Adults

Don't let the kids have all of the fun! This summer, the Weston Public Library will also offer an informal summer reading program for adults. After reading a book, pick up a Rate Your Read form at the front desk. Let us know what you thought of the book and be entered in a weekly drawing for a gift card to a local business. Adult summer reading will run July 1st through August 9th.

NovelTea Book Group

Would you like to share what you're reading with others in the community? Looking for a good book to read next? Join Library Director Karen Tatarka on Wednesday, July 10th and

about your recent favorite read or just come to hear what others in town recommend. Tea and light refreshments will be provided. Open to readers of novels and non-fiction.

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Upcoming Program Preview

The [Friends of the Weston Public Library](#) generously provide much of the programming for the Library. For an up-to-date listing of events sign up for the Friends email blast by writing to friendsofthewestonlibrary@gmail.com or visit www.westonpubliclibrary.org.

Movie Night

June 26 - Cloud Atlas (R)

July 17 - Quartet (PG-13)

August 21 - 42 (PG-13)

Pajama Pictures

An old fashioned movie series for kids! This program will take place on Mondays in July at 6:30PM starting on July 1 with the Lion King. The Friends will send out more details shortly!

Play With Your Food - July 16th

Save the date! The Friends of the Weston Public Library will once again host Play With Your Food at the Library on July 16th. Don't

year! Play With Your Food is JIB Productions' flagship program. JIB presents thought-provoking, innovative and relevant programs designed to engage theater-goers in a shared meaningful experience. Tickets will go on sale shortly!

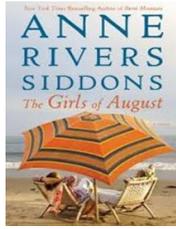
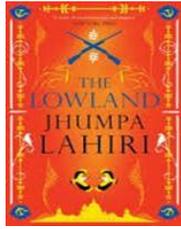
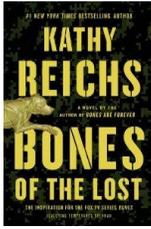
New Yorker Roundtable

Starting in September, the Friends of the Weston Public Library, in coordination with the Friends of the Weston Senior Activities Center and the [Weston Education Foundation](#), will host a weekly discussion group based on the articles from *The New Yorker* magazine. Diana Lovey, author of *The Book Club Companion*, will moderate the discussion and a copy of *The New Yorker* will be provided free to participants.

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New Book Nook

Wondering if your favorite author is coming out with a new book? The list below features new titles from some of Weston residents' best-loved authors.



Unseen by Karin Slaughter

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Light in the Ruins by Chris Bohjalian

July 2013

Light of the World by James Lee Burke

July 2013

White Princess by Philippa Gregory

July 2013

Bones of the Lost by Kathy Reichs

August 2013

Death's Angel by Linda Fairstein

August 2013

Mistress by James Patterson

August 2013

Girls of August by Anne Rivers Siddons

August 2013

Never Go Back by Lee Child

September 2013

Longest Ride by Nicholas Sparks

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Question of Honor by Charles Todd

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MaddAddam by Margaret Atwood

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Killing Jesus by Bill O'Reilly

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Lowland by Jhumpa Lahiri

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All of these titles and more will be available on their release dates. Call or email the Library early to be first on the list! [203-222-2665](tel:203-222-2665) ; westonlibrary@westonct.gov

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Artist Spotlight



The Weston Public Library provides a venue for local artists to display their works in the Community Room. Art shows generally rotate every month.

WOW Photography Show

The Summer show at the Library features the highlights from the 2013 WOW Photography program for 3-5 graders. During the course, students are exposed to basics of photography (composition, working with existing light and using flash) and with various subjects: people, scenery, animals, still life, etc. They also have an opportunity to view and discuss the works of well-known photographers such as Ansel

Donaldson, a retired as a teacher from Hurlbutt Elementary School. For more information on WOW, visit www.westonyouthservices.org.

Upcoming Shows

September

Al Coyote Weiner, [*Crossing Borders*](#)

October

James Garamella, [*Dyslexic Art*](#)

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News From The State Library

New Resources Offered July 1

For many who have come to rely on the State Library's electronic offerings through iCONN.org, the move from the Cengage Gale resources the State has offered for many years to EBSCO resources will require some time to adjust. Here's some additional information on the change and what you can expect.

iCONN.org started in 2000 and is funded by the State of Connecticut with support from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

iCONN.org provides every school, university,

high-quality, essential library and information resources. Whether you are performing advanced research, looking for a biography, or want to view an article from a magazine, iCONN.org is the place to turn for trusted, high-quality information.

The new resources iCONN.org will offer starting in July will have many of the same types of materials Connecticut residents have come to rely upon designed for all age groups. Services include:

- Multidisciplinary databases covering everything from literature to physics
- Biography Reference Center
- Newspaper Source Plus
- Legal Information Reference Center

These resources compliment the electronic databases the Weston Library provides for its patrons. Check out the full list of services at www.westonpubliclibrary.org.



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