

Message from the CEO



I am so proud to announce that the Friends of the Ferguson Library has been honored with a 2022 Friends of Connecticut Library award for their project, Ferguson Friends Against Racism (FFAR).

The Friends began this work after the 2020 murder of George Floyd, when community organizations in Stamford launched Stamford Stands Against Racism. You can learn more about this initiative at stamfordstands.org.

The Friends took this work to heart. FFAR developed a reading list, held a board training and challenged the Friends board to become more inclusive. They are also now scheduling diverse authors for their Author Series. The FFAR approach has been truly courageous—not just about checking a box and moving onto the next task. Please join me in congratulating our Friends on this well-deserved award.

—Alice Knapp, CEO

Summer Learning for Kids and Teens



Keep the kids engaged and learning this summer. Our Kids Summer Learning Club, *Read Beyond the Beaten Path*, begins June 25. We're making it easy to read with lots of incentives and fun activities. Kids can participate by earning points for reading, completing BINGO missions, or by creating and finishing their own Summer Goal. Register online at fergusonlibrary.org or on the ReadSquared app from the Apple Store or Google Play and get a special water bottle for joining! Teens can register for their own Summer Learning Club, too.

Civility in America



Join us for two compelling Civility lectures this month. On June 2, John Bolton, former National Security Advisor and U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations, will speak about *Keeping the Dialogue Civil*.

Then, on June 6, former Commissioner of Major League Baseball, Fay Vincent, will deliver a talk titled, *When Nothing Matters, What Do We Tell Our Kids?*

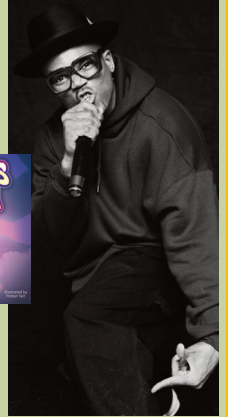
Both programs begin at 6 p.m. and will be presented in-person and via Zoom. Register at fergusonlibrary.org/events.



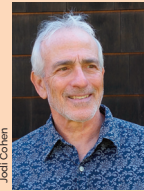
Hip Hop Pioneer DMC to Visit Ferguson Library

Darryl "DMC" McDaniels, a founding member of the hip hop group RUN DMC, will visit the library Wednesday, June 8 at 6 p.m. to talk about his children's picture book, *Darryl's Dream*, a story about finding confidence, facing bullies and celebrating yourself.

The program will include remarks and Q&A by DMC, a poetry slam, a kids dance performance and a book giveaway, one per family. Also on Zoom. Register at fergusonlibrary.org.



Joe R. Sexton Lecture June 9



We're delighted to welcome author Marc Wortman as the featured speaker for our annual Joe R. Sexton Lecture at the Main Library, DiMattia Building, June 9 at 6 p.m. His latest book is *Admiral Hyman Rickover: Engineer of Power*, published by Yale University Press for the Jewish Lives series.

Marc Wortman is an award-winning popular historian and journalist, and author of several books and countless articles on American military and political history. He has written for *Vanity Fair*, *Smithsonian* and *Time*, and is a frequent contributor to *The Daily Beast* on American military and political history and other subjects.

The Joe R. Sexton Lecture Series is presented in memory of Joseph (Joe) R. Sexton. Generously sponsored by Mel Klugman and the Friends of the Ferguson Library.

Save the Date: David Baldacci July 13

The Friends Author Series is back in person with *New York Times* bestselling author David Baldacci on July 13. Tickets are \$15 and include a wine and appetizer reception. Discount with Friends membership. Registration required. Register at fergusonlibrary.org/events.

DIGITAL LIBRARY: SPECIAL REPORTS VIA NEWSBANK

For those interested in researching topics of current interest, the public now has access to NewsBank's Special Reports, a resource that groups content by subject matter that is sourced from media from around the world. This service, which provides a global perspective to current and background information—including statistics, maps, images, websites and suggested search terms—is updated daily.

Special Reports is a curated service provided by NewsBank. You can find this resource under Research & Learn/A to Z Resources on our website.

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SE South End, 203 351-8280
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RR Registration Required

at fergusonlibrary.org/events

For virtual programs, Zoom login details will be included in registration confirmations.

For Zoom programs that don't require registration, visit our online calendar for login details.



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Book Discussions

If the discussion is presented via Zoom, login details are on our online calendar. Registration is not required. Book discussions are open to all.

Weed Memorial & Hollander Branch Monday, June 6 From 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. via Zoom

Hell and Other Destinations: A 21st Century Memoir by Madeline Albright

Spanish Book Discussion

Thursday, June 9 from 5 to 6 p.m.

ML, Third Floor Ann M. Sexton Board Room
La búsqueda de un sueño por Reyna Grande

Harry Bennett Branch

Monday, June 13 from 7 to 8 p.m.
via Zoom

The Last Thing He Told Me by Laura Dave

South End Branch African & African American Authors Book Discussion

Monday, June 27 from 7 to 9 p.m. at SE
and via Zoom

Magic City by Jewell Parker Rhodes

2022 READING CHALLENGE

Grab a copy of our challenge list and join us in exploring new book genres, subjects and themes to be entered into a drawing for a literary prize. The challenge ends mid-December. For the challenge list, visit fergusonlibrary.readsquared.com.

CrimeCONN Mystery Lovers' Conference

Saturday, June 4 from 8:30 a.m.
to 4 p.m.

ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium

The Friends of the Ferguson Library and the Mystery Writers of America/ NY chapter present CrimeCONN 2022, a one-day writers' and mystery lovers' conference. This year, given the theme *The End of the World as We Knew It*, authors and crime experts will take stock of the literary life in the midst of COVID and all the other upheavals of our time. **RR.**

A writing workshop led by Desmond Hall, screenwriter and author of *Your Corner Dark*, will be held during the lunch break. Bestselling author Tess Gerritsen, who wrote the novels featuring homicide detective Jane Rizzoli and medical examiner Maura Isles that inspired the hit TNT TV series *Rizzoli & Isles*, is the keynote speaker.

Tickets: \$50 per person; \$45 per person for MWA and Friends members, seniors and students. Light breakfast and lunch included. Also available via Zoom at \$25 per person.

Civility in America Series

ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium

RR to attend in-person; also available via Zoom

Sponsored by The Dilenschneider Group, the Ferguson Library and Hearst Media Group in Connecticut.

Keeping the Dialogue Civil: John Bolton, Former National Security Advisor and U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations

Thursday, June 2 at 6 p.m.

John Bolton, author of *The Room Where It Happened: A White House Memoir*, will discuss his longtime career in public service and offer insight into civility in politics and diplomacy. Book sale and signing.

When Nothing Matters, What Do We Tell the Kids? With Fay Vincent, Former Commissioner of Major League Baseball

Monday, June 6 at 6 p.m.

Fay Vincent will discuss his storied career with Major League Baseball and everything that followed.

English Language Learners

Let's Talk: Conversation Groups for English Language Learners Spring Sessions via Zoom

Registration not required. New students welcome. For meeting information, visit fergusonlibrary.org/lets-talk-events.

Tuesdays, June 7 & 14

New students: noon

Basic: 12:30 p.m.

Low intermediate: 3 p.m.

Advanced: 5:30 p.m.

Wednesdays, June 1, 8, & 15

High intermediate: 10 a.m.

Beginner: 3 p.m.

Virtual Screening:

The Revolution Generation

Wednesday, June 1 to

Thursday, June 23

Over the course of three weeks, a chance to view *The Revolution Generation*, in which the filmmakers interview members of the Millennial generation: creators of social tech, native digital users and politically independent, anti-corporate crusaders, whom they characterize as more empathetic than anyone from any previous generation. With these qualities, can they now secure voting rights, equality and the safety of the planet? Visit our calendar for login details.

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Juneteenth Commemoration & Performance: *I Just Want to Tell Somebody*

Saturday, June 11 from 1 to 5 p.m.

ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium

A one-man play, adapted from the autobiography of the same name by Ronald "Smokey" Stevens, where Stevens dramatizes his longtime career in theater as well as his battle with drugs. Reception at 1 p.m. followed by the 2 p.m. performance and a 3:30 p.m. talk with the artist. In partnership with Stamford NAACP and Stamford Public Schools.

Funding provided by The Bowser Family, the Friends of the Ferguson Library, Stamford NAACP, Well Built Construction and community friends and partners.

Technology

**Main Library, DiMattia Building
Third Floor Technology Center**

RR for all classes.

Face masks required.

▲ *Familiarity with Windows and use of a mouse and keyboard necessary*

■ *Basic experience with MS Excel necessary*

● *Experience with MS Word necessary*

◆ *Experience with MS Word, Excel and PowerPoint necessary*

Microsoft Excel

Basic Excel ▲

Thursday, June 2 from 2 to 3:30 p.m.

Learn how to create and save a spreadsheet, enter data, and write formulas. No experience with Excel necessary.

Intermediate Excel ▲■

Thursday, June 9 from 2 to 4 p.m.

Learn how to work with entered data, sort and filter data, use conditional formatting for data analysis, and apply keyboard shortcuts and templates.

Advanced Microsoft Word ▲●

Saturday, June 11 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Learn how to use outlining, manage long documents, and work collaboratively with others in Word.

Microsoft Suite Integrated ▲◆

Thursday, June 16 from 2 to 4 p.m.

Learn how to add Excel charts and tables to Word documents and PowerPoint presentations, and how to use mail merge to create letters and labels.

Introduction to Web Building: WordPress ▲

Saturday, June 18 from 1 to 4 p.m.

Learn how to create and organize content in WordPress using the built-in editor, and how to modify the way your site looks with themes. No experience with WordPress necessary.

Tech Tuesdays: Smartphone Tips for Older Adults

**Tuesdays, June 7, 14, 21 & 28
from 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.**

SE, Second Floor Program Room

Free weekly classes with our experienced bilingual (English and Spanish) team. No registration required.

Business & Career

Stamford 1 Million Cups

Wednesday, June 1 from 7:30

to 9 a.m.

ML, First Floor Lobby

Presenters: Noreen Sadruddin, founder, Integrated Learning Modules; and Charlie Silvestro, CEO and founder, PNI Therapeutics. **RR.**

Maximizing LinkedIn

Wednesday, June 15 from 2 to 3:30 p.m.

ML, Third Floor Technology Center

Learn how to build a profile, curate and expand your networks, search for jobs, join groups and share updates.

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Remote Work Productivity

Saturday, June 25 from 2 to 3:30 p.m.

ML, Third Floor Technology Center

Explore ways to increase self-discipline, lessen procrastination and increase productivity and motivation while working remotely. **RR**

An Evening with Erin Kate Ryan, Author of Quantum Girl Theory

Wednesday, June 22 from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium

Author Erin Kate Ryan will discuss her debut novel, *Quantum Girl Theory*, which draws from the real-life 1946 disappearance of Paula Jean Weldon, a young white student from Bennington College. Book sale and signing. *In partnership with Stamford Pride.*

Person-to-Person Mobile Food Pantry

Tuesdays, June 7, 14, 21 & 28

from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at SE

For more information, call 203 724-9111.

Community Mindfulness Project: Meditation

Tuesdays, June 7, 14, 21 & 28 at noon

ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium

A brief discussion about meditation practice, a guided meditation, and a chance to share and reflect. Appropriate for all levels of practice.

Notary Services

Wednesdays, June 8, 15, 22 & 29

from 2 to 4 p.m. at HB

Our notary public will be available to notarize your official documents for free. By appointment only. Call 203 351-8292.

Death Cafe Stamford

**Thursdays, June 9 & 23 from
2 to 3 p.m. via Zoom**

A discussion about increasing awareness of death to help people make the most of their finite lives. With Sahara Farrugio, a licensed funeral director specializing in advanced planning. Note: Death Cafe is not grief support or counseling.

Lawyers in Libraries: Looking for Legal Advice

Thursday, June 30 from 6 to 8 p.m.

ML, Second Floor Study Room

Meet with a volunteer attorney for 20 minutes regarding your case. Please bring relevant materials and documents. Appointment and face masks required; to book a time, call 203 351-8221.

Supported by the Connecticut Bar Association.

Remarks and Q&A by Remarks and Q&A by DMC

Family Programs

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FRIENDS OF THE FERGUSON LIBRARY



Book Shop News

Due to construction at the Harry Bennett Branch, the Book Shop there will be closed through at least the end of June. All donations should be brought to the Main Library. Please visit the Main Library Book Shop and shop online at StamfordFriendsBookshop.org.

The Friends Book Shop is holding its signature Bag Sale June 11 as part of Arts & Crafts on Bedford. Ten dollars gets you a bright yellow Friends bag that you can fill with all the sale books you can carry. And watch for a sale of maritime memorabilia this month—sailboats, plates, lighthouses and framed artwork.

Art Opening: The Art of the Community

Thursday, June 16 at 6 p.m., ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium

Opening of a juried art show featuring works by local and regional artists. The exhibit will examine how art can lift all voices in the community through engagement, awareness and support. On view through August 25.

Co-sponsored by the Stamford Art Association, in partnership with the Ferguson Library and Stamford Pride.

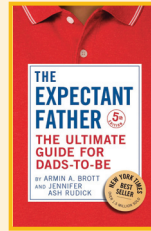
Make Music Day is June 21

Come on out to the Main Library Plaza Tuesday, June 21 for a day of music. Stamford is participating in Make Music Day, joining hundreds of cities around the world for a free celebration of music. Launched in 1982 in France, it is now held on the same day in more than 1,000 cities in 120 countries. Every kind of musician—young and old, amateur and professional, of every musical persuasion—will perform in parks and sidewalk cafes to share their music with friends, neighbors and strangers.

We're looking forward to some great performances at the library from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Stop by and enjoy the concert!

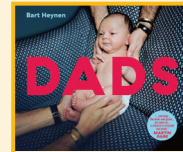
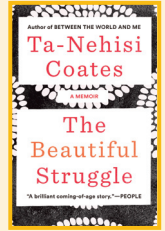
STAFF RECOMMENDS:

Reflecting on Fatherhood



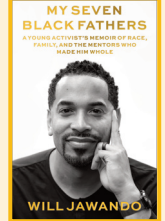
The Expectant Father: The Ultimate Guide for Dads-to-Be
by Armin A. Brott and Jennifer Ash Rudick

The Beautiful Struggle
by Ta-Nehisi Coates



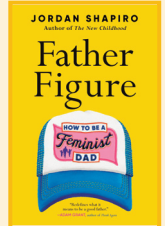
Dads
by Bart Heynen

My Seven Black Fathers: A Young Activist's Memoir of Race, Family, and the Mentors Who Made Him Whole
by Will Jawando



From Staircase to Stage: The Story of Raekwon and the Wu-Tang Clan
by Raekwon with Anthony Bozza

Father Figure: How to Be a Feminist Dad
by Jordan Shapiro



Missed one of our programs? Not to worry – catch up whenever you have a chance. We are recording most of our virtual programs. You can find them on our YouTube channel.

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South End Branch
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Monday through Thursday 10 to 5:30
Saturday 10 to 2

Weed Memorial & Hollander Branch
1143 Hope Street 06907
203 351-8285
Monday & Thursday 10 to 6
Tuesday 12 to 7
Saturday 10 to 5

Bookmobile
Check our online calendar at
<https://www.fergusonlibrary.org/locations-hours/bookmobile>

The Friends Book Shops at the Ferguson Library
Main Library
Monday through Thursday 11 to 6
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Sunday 1 to 5
Harry Bennett Branch
Monday through Saturday 10 to 5

Passport Services
Appointments take precedence and are recommended. For more information or to make an appointment, call 203 351-8298.

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F Check out our **Youth Services page** at fergusonlibrary.org/services/kids for information for kids, teens, parents and educators. You'll find information about our digital books, movies and music, Linked Libraries, digital resources, Wi-Fi service for students in need, and more.

F Visit our **online calendar** at fergusonlibrary.org/events for updates and pop-up programs and subscribe to our newsletter/weekly emails at fergusonlibrary.org/newsletters.

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Library card. For access, enter 2111800+student ID number (no spaces). If you encounter any issues accessing our e-materials or databases, fill out the form at fergusonlibrary.org/linked-libraries-contact-us-form

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Curbside pickup is still available by appointment.

Summer Learning Clubs

The Kids and Teen Summer Learning Clubs begin Saturday, June 25, and run through Wednesday, August 31. Register online at fergusonlibrary.org, or on the Readsquared app from the Apple App Store or Google Play store. Be sure to visit the library this summer to pick up your free water bottle!

Teen Artwork (bottom, right) by Elizabeth Duan, winner of the Ferguson Library 2022 Teen Art Contest



FAMILY PROGRAMS

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A Conversation with Bestselling Author R.L. Stine

Thursday, June 16 from 4 to 5 p.m.

ML, Lower Level Teen Area



Tune in with us to watch a livestreamed conversation with bestselling author R.L. Stine, creator of the beloved *Goosebumps* and *Fear Street* series. The author will also give a special reading and answer audience questions. Book giveaway. For ages 8 and older.



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Kids Summer Learning Club



Follow us on Instagram
@ferglibraryyouth for storytimes,
songs, fingerplays and more.

Bilingual Storytime

Wednesdays, June 1 & 15 from 10:30 to 11 a.m. at SE

A fun-filled Spanish and English storytime featuring songs and stories. Drop-ins welcome. For families with children ages 18 months to 4 years.

Family Storytime

Wednesdays, June 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 from 10:30 to 11 a.m.

ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium
A participatory storytime that includes songs, fingerplays, stories and movement activities. For families with children ages 18 months to 4 years. No walk-ins. **RR.** Registration opens 6 days before each storytime date.

Outdoor Family Storytimes

Thursdays, June 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m. at WMH

Fridays, June 3, 10 & 24 at 10:30 at HB
Tuesdays, June 7, 14, 21 & 28

from 10:30 to 11 a.m. at Latham Park
Bring a blanket and/or lawn chair to these drop-in programs. For ages up to 4 years, with caregiver, weather permitting.

Babytime

Fridays, June 3, 10, 17 & 24 from 10:30 to 11 a.m.

ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium
A program geared for babies featuring traditional verses, bouncing rhymes, board books and more. For ages up to 18 months with an accompanying adult. No walk-ins. **RR.** Registration opens 6 days before each storytime date.

Budding Bookworms

Tuesdays, June 7, 14, 21 & 28 at 10:30 a.m. via South End Branch Instagram

Storytime for ages 18 months to 4 years. New content every week.



Kickoff Events: Sign Up for the Summer Learning Club

FunikiJam Concert

Saturday, June 25 from 11 a.m. to noon ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium

Start off the summer with a high-energy performance by Captain Jam and the Agents of Jam. Their globe-trotting musical adventures will get you singing, dancing and ready for fun.

Opening Celebration

Saturday, June 25 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at SE

Get started on your summer reading and share some s'mores and campsite stories with us.

Fun with Chalk

Saturday, June 25 from 3 to 4 p.m. at HB

Check out what's in store while we get creative with chalk art. Get a free ice cream treat, while supplies last.

Teen Summer Learning Club

Summer Volunteer Training

Tuesday, June 14 from 4 to 6 p.m.
Saturday, June 18 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 29 from 4 to 6 p.m. ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium
Earn volunteer credit by helping children and teens join the Summer Learning Clubs, report their reading progress and receive incentives. One training session required to volunteer. Stop by the library to fill out a required application. All volunteers must be 12 or older by June 25 and show proof of vaccination.

Kickoff Event: Working with Clay

Thursday, June 23 from 2 to 3:30 p.m. ML, Dudley N. Williams, Jr. Auditorium
Get your hands dirty while shaping clay. Class led by a teacher from Port Chester's Clay Art Center. All materials included. **RR.**

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

Outdoor Arts & Crafts

Tuesday, June 28 from 3 to 5 p.m. at WMH

A drop-in arts & crafts program on the lawn. For children ages 6 and older, with a caregiver, weather permitting. Art supplies will be provided.

TEEN PROGRAMS

Review Books for Volunteer Credit

The Ferguson Library is offering volunteer hours to teens in grades 6 to 12 to write book reviews, which will be featured on the library's Youth Instagram page and displayed at the library.

Teens may submit up to two reviews per week at tinyurl.com/m523vnb7. For each review approved by a librarian, teens will earn one hour of volunteer credit. Posted reviews will be edited for clarity and will include the reviewer's first name, last name initial, and grade, unless the reviewer prefers anonymity. For information, call 203-351-8242 or email ferglibraryyouth@gmail.com.

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T-MAD Meeting

Thursday, June 9 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. via Zoom

Library's teen advisory program, where you can learn about upcoming events, share reading suggestions and make a difference in the community. Participation in T-MAD counts as volunteer work. **RR.**

Creative Writing Club

Wednesday, June 15 from 5 to 6 p.m. via Zoom

Bring your imagination, paper and writing tools. We'll work on different writing prompts, and then share our work. Grades 5 to 9. **RR.**

Tiny Art Show Is Back

All ages are invited to pick up a Tiny Art bag at the Harry Bennett Branch that contains everything you'll need to create a 4x4 painting. Bags are available starting Wednesday, June 1, while supplies last. Art work due by Monday, June 13. Show opens Wednesday, June 15 at 4:30 p.m. and will be on display until the end of the month.

