**STORYTIMES @ THE FERGUSON Fall 2019**

We provide an array of developmentally-appropriate, literature-based programs for infants, toddlers and preschoolers. In an effort to accommodate as many families as possible, many of our storytimes are drop-in. However, in order to provide the best experience for our youngest participants, some programs do require registration.

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<td><strong>MAIN LIBRARY, DIMATTIA BUILDING [ML]</strong></td>
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<td>One Public Library Plaza</td>
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<td>Call 203 351-8242</td>
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<td>• Session I</td>
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<td>• In-person September 3 at 10 a.m.</td>
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<td><strong>SOUTH END BRANCH [SE]</strong></td>
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<td>34 Woodland Avenue</td>
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**NOTE:**
- Stamford residents get first priority. No storytime programs are held when Stamford schools are closed or delayed.

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### STORYTIMES FOR BABIES TO KIDS AGE 5

#### PRE-WALKING BABIES
- Baby Time at ML, HB, WMH
- Family Storytime at HB, WMH
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML

#### WALKING TODDLERS, UNDER AGE 2
- Family Storytime at HB, WMH
- Mother Goose at ML
- Sing & Stomp and ML, HB
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML
- Toddler Time at ML, HB, WMH

#### WALKING TODDLERS, AGE 18 MONTHS TO 2 YEARS
- Budding Bookworms at SE
- Family Storytime at HB, WMH
- Mother Goose at ML
- Sing & Stomp at ML, HB
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML
- Toddler Time at ML, HB, WMH

#### KIDS, AGE 2
- Budding Bookworms at SE
- Family Storytime at HB, WMH
- Mother Goose at ML
- Sing & Stomp at ML, HB
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML
- Toddler Time at ML, HB, WMH
- Two's Company, ML

#### KIDS, AGE 3 continued
- Sing & Stomp at ML, HB
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML
- Step Ahead at ML
- Toddler Time at ML, HB, WMH

#### KIDS, AGE 4
- Budding Bookworms at SE
- Every Child Ready to Read at ML
- Family Storytime at HB, WMH
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML
- Step Ahead at ML

#### KIDS, AGE 5
- Every Child Ready to Read at ML
- Family Storytime at HB, WMH
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML
- Step Ahead at ML

#### ALL AGES
- Family Storytime at HB, WMH
- Sing-A-Long with Dr. Ev at ML

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BABY TIME
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For pre-walking babies with an adult. Give your baby a great start at this program featuring traditional verses, bouncing rhymes, board books and more.

Main Library, DiMattia Building
Fridays at 10:15 a.m.
September 20, 27, October 4, 11, 18, 25,
November 1, 8, 15, 22, December 6, 13

Saturdays at 10:30 a.m.
September 7, November 2
Harry Bennett Branch
Fridays at 11:15 a.m.
September 6, 13, 20, 27, October 4, 11, 18, 25,
November 1, 8, 15, 22, December 6, 13, 20

Weed Memorial and Hollander Branch
Mondays at 11:15 a.m.
September 16, October 21, November 18, December 9

Saturdays at 10:30 a.m.
September 21, October 19, November 16, December 14

BUDDING BOOKWORMS
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For ages 18 months to 4 years with adult. Books, songs and movement at this participatory storytime.

South End Branch
Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.
September 10, 17, 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29,
November 5, 12, 19, 26, December 3, 10, 17

EVERY CHILD READY TO READ
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For ages 3 to 5 with an adult. Before children can learn how to read, they must develop a range of skills. In this research-based early literacy initiative, kids and parents will have fun practicing the five skills necessary to become readers.

Main Library, DiMattia Building
Thursdays at 10:15 a.m.
Session I: September 12, 19, 26, October 3*, 10
Session II: October 31, November 7, 14, 21, December 5
*meets in the Lower Level Program Room

FAMILY STORYTIME
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For families with children ages 5 and under. The whole family can drop in to this weekend storytime.

Weed Memorial & Hollander Branch
Saturdays at noon
September 7, 21, October 5, 19, November 2, 16,
December 14

Harry Bennett Branch
Saturdays at 11 a.m.
September 14, October 26, November 23, December 21

MOTHER GOOSE
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
 Independently walking babies under two years with an adult. Rhymes, picture books, flannel boards, music and movement for walking babies up to two years with an adult.

Main Library, DiMattia Building
Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m.
Session I: September 10, 17, 24, October 8, 15
Session II: October 29, November 12, 19, 26, December 3

SING-A-LONG WITH DR. EV
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For ages 5 and under with adult. Music-making and movement with Dr. Ev.

Main Library, DiMattia Building
Mondays at 1 p.m.
September 9, October 7, November 4, December 2

SING & STOMP
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For walking toddlers up to 3 years with adult. A song and dance party!

Main Library, DiMattia Building
Wednesdays at 10:15 a.m.
September 4, 11, 18, 25, October 2, 16, 23, 30,
November 6, 13, 20, 27, December 4, 11, 18

Harry Bennett Branch
Wednesdays at 10:15 a.m.
September 4, 11, 18, 25, October 2, 16, 23, 30,
November 6, 13, 20, 27, December 4, 11, 18

STEP AHEAD
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For ages 3 to 5. No registration required for individuals. Groups must call ahead to reserve a space. A preschool program with stories, music and movement using puppets, flannel boards and videos.

Main Library, DiMattia Building
Wednesdays at 11:15 a.m.
September 18, 25, October 2, 16, 23, 30,
November 6, 13, 20, December 4, 11, 18

TODDLER TIME
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
For walking babies up to age 3 with an adult. A participatory storytime for a wider age-range of toddlers that includes songs, fingerplays, stories and movement activities.

Weed Memorial Hollander Branch
Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m.
September 3, 10, 17, 24, October 1, 15, 22, 29,
November 5, 12, 19, December 3, 10, 17

Harry Bennett Branch
Mondays at 10:15 a.m.
September 9, 16, 23, October 7, 21, 28, November 4,
18, 25, December 2, 9, 16

Main Library, DiMattia Building
Saturdays at 10:30 a.m.
October 5, December 7

TWO’S COMPANY
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Two year olds with an adult. A special toddler program that features picture books, rhymes, fingerplays, music and movement.

Mondays at 10:15 a.m.
Session I: September 9, 16, 23**, October 7, 21
Session II: October 28, November 4, 18, 25, December 2
**meets on the First Floor in the Children’s Library