

Children's February 2018 Book Clubs

Wednesday, February 21, 4:00 pm

Bookmarkers Book Club: *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate

For Grades 4 and 5 - Registration Required. Multiple copies are available in the children's room.

Ivan is an easygoing gorilla. Living at the Exit 8 Big Top Mall and Video Arcade, he has grown accustomed to humans watching him through the glass walls of his domain. He rarely misses his life in the jungle. In fact, he hardly ever thinks about it at all.



Thursday, February 22, 4:00 pm

Page Turners Book Club: *Because of Winn Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo

For Grades 2 and 3 - Registration Required. Multiple copies are available in the children's room.



She misses her friends, her home, and her mother who left her when she was a little girl. Life is pretty rotten. Enter Winn-Dixie, a mangy stray dog that Opal befriends as he ransacks a Winn-Dixie grocery store. The lovable mutt falls in love with Opal and the preacher, they fall in love with him, and voila!

Children's Storytimes

February 5 - 15

no Storytimes the week of February 19th

February 26 - March 29



Little Listeners Storytime welcomes all babies through 3 year olds and their caregivers to participate in songs, fingerplays, bounces and more! Registration not required.

- Mondays @ 10:00 & 11:00 am
- Tuesdays @ 9:30 & 10:30 am - **NEW TIMES!**



Fantastic Friends Storytime welcomes all 3 to 5 year olds to participate in an interactive storytime with a craft! Registration is not required, however space is limited.

- Thursdays @ 10:00 am

Tips for parents and caregivers:

- Continue the storytime experience by checking out books to take home.
- For 'Fantastic Friends,' please stay in the Children's Room while your child is attending the storytime.

Waterford Public Library

February 2018 is Children's Olympic Winter Reading Month

Participate in our Winter Olympic Reading Program during the month of February! Pick up an Olympic Reading Bingo card, and earn prizes as you read!!!



Thursday, February 1, 3:45-4:30 pm

Winter Reading Opening Ceremony: Join us to kick off the program by creating your own Olympic torch. For all ages with an adult.



Friday, February 2, 10-1:00 pm

Happy Groundhog Day: Will Chuckles, the CT State Groundhog, see his shadow? Stop in to find out and create a groundhog craft! For all ages with an adult.



Saturday, February 3, 10-1:00 pm

Superhero Training: Join us to celebrate **Take Your Child to the Library Day** by making your way through a superhero obstacle course, creating superhero crafts and more! Free for all ages with an adult.



Thursday, February 8, 3:45-4:45 pm

Toga Party: Calling all Olympians! Make your own toga and laurel wreath in honor of the 2018 Winter Olympics. Open to grades 3-6 with an adult. Participants are welcome to bring a pillowcase or sheet.



Saturday, February 10, 10-2:00 pm

Game Day: Games, games, games; play ours or bring your own. Play against your family or friends and enjoy the competition! For all ages with an adult.



Wednesday, February 14, 10:30-4:30pm

Be Mine: Create a Valentine craft for someone you love. For all ages with an adult.



Thursday, February 15, 3:45-4:30 pm

STEAM Ahead: Making Snow - Learn how to mix up your own snow recipe. Open to those in grades 2-5 with an adult.



Saturday, February 17, 10-2:00 pm

Crafty Kids: Make and take craft program for all ages with an adult. All materials provided free.



Saturday, February 24, 10-2:00 pm

Lotta LEGO®s: Dive into plastic containers filled with colorful building bricks and create a work of art. For children of all ages with an adult.



Wednesday, February 28, all day

End of Winter Olympic Reading Program: This is the last day to pick up your Winter Olympic Reading prizes. Thank you for participating!

