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Dinner... with character(s)

Saturday evening,
February 11, 2012

Save the Date:
Dinner with Character(s)

Tickets are on sale at the Rowayton Library and online for the Library's February 11, 2012 fundraiser "*Dinner with Character(s)*" - a Literary

Masquerade to benefit the Library. The evening begins at 6:30 p.m. in the homes of our *Dinner with Character(s)* hosts, who create settings and food befitting their respective novels. Your "role" as dinner guest is inspired by the book as well -- let its theme, characters and setting be your guide! (Dress in novel or festive attire.) At 8:30 p.m. everyone is transported from their host homes for the Gala - featuring dessert, good friends, and dancing at the Rowayton Library. Limited tickets - \$125 per person. For more information visit DWC.rowayton.org.

SCRATCH



Scratch Programming for Kids—Wednesdays at 5-6pm, 2/1, 8, & 15



Great Decisions Discussion Group
Continues...

The Rowayton Library is pleased to announce that we will be hosting a Great Decisions Discussion Group which meets every other Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

Developed by the Foreign Policy Association, the Great Decisions Discussion Program is the oldest and largest grass-roots world affairs education program of its kind in the country. The Great

Decisions Discussion Program is FPA's public education initiative to create more informed and engaged citizens by bringing people together to discuss U.S. foreign policy and global affairs issues. The session topics include: Promoting democracy, Mexico, Cybersecurity, Exit from Afghanistan & Iraq, State of the oceans, Indonesia, and Energy geopolitics. Materials are provided to participants and are

available at the Rowayton Library. This program is free and open to the public. It will meet for 8 sessions led by Erik Rambusch, IFS Coordinator and Adjunct Professor at Norwalk Community College. Discussion dates are 2/1, 2/15, 2/29, 3/14, 3/28, 4/11 and 4/25.

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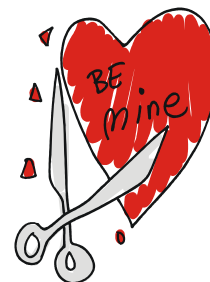
EVENTS @ THE ROWAYTON LIBRARY

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Please donate your Used Printer Cartridges to the Rowayton Library
- Library AnyTime—Free books at the Rowayton Railroad Station



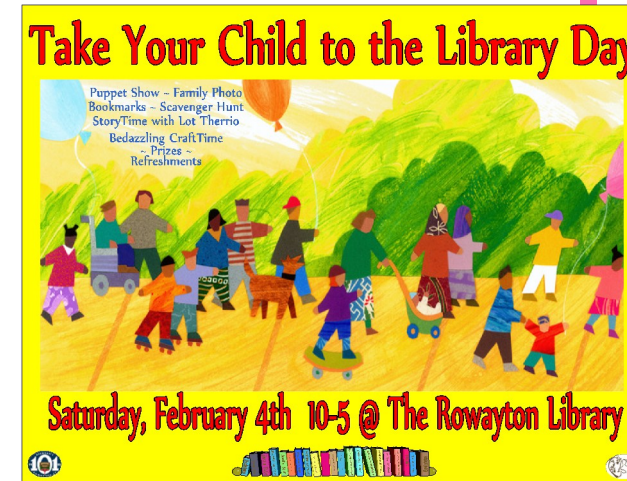
Take Your Child to the Library Day—Saturday, February 4

The Rowayton Library will be participating in Take Your Child To The Library Day on February 4, along with 120 libraries in 12 states... with special activities for families. This Saturday, the Rowayton Library will be open ALL DAY from 10am – 5pm with events planned throughout the day:

- 10:30a Puppet Show (courtesy of Apple Blossom School and Family Center of Wilton) -All Day Library Scavenger Hunt
- 2p StoryTime with Lot Therrio

Valentine's Day CraftTime for Kids

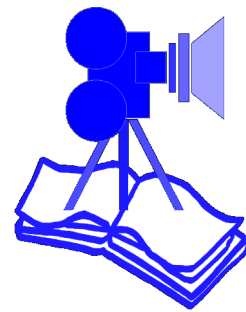
Come to the Rowayton Library on Monday, February 13 @ 3:30pm and make a Valentine's Day card for your parents, friends, or pet. All materials are provided. Snack will be served.



- 3p Bedazzled BookSafes
- All Day Family Photo Bookmarks
- All Day Puzzles
- All Day Free drawing (courtesy of Brendan's 101)
- All Day Homemade cookies
- All Day Technology for Kids
- All Day StoryWalk

and much, much more! Borrow a book, or dvd, playaway... or come in for a new library card. Try out the NEW Playaway View videos for Kids.

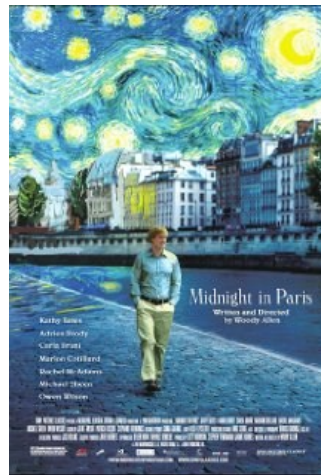
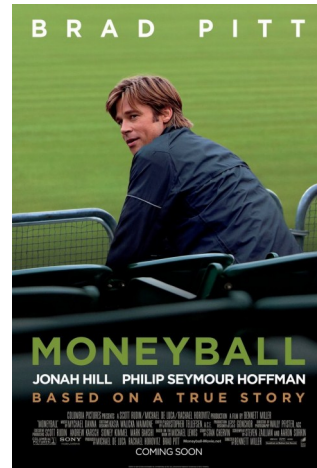




Oscar Movies @ the Library

Wednesday mornings @ 10:30—February 8 & 22:

The Rowayton Library will be showing “Midnight in Paris” – refreshments include French homemade desserts on February 8 and “Moneyball” and Hot Dogs on February 22. These programs are free and open to the public.

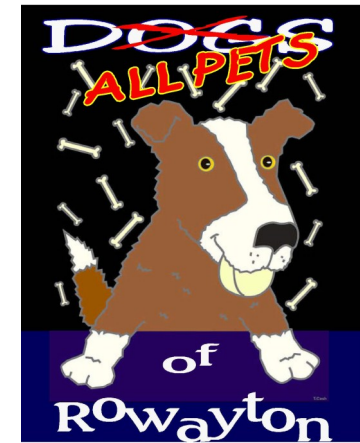


The Humanities of the Civil War “The Art of War” with Brian Kammerer, Friday, February 24 @ 7pm

Please join us on Friday, February 24 @ 7pm at the Rowayton Library for a lecture and reception with Rowayton artist/historian Brian Kammerer in an evening of how it all started... the Civil War, that is. Seen through the incredible intricate and detailed artwork of Brian Kammerer, we'll be off on The Roads to Manassas - Bull Run. This program is made possible – in part –

through a Connecticut Humanities Council Challenge Grant.

The Rowayton Library will pay tribute to the "Pets of Rowayton" for the fifth year – this coming March on the library's website www.Rowayton.org. So, let us honor your Rowayton Pet by making a READ Poster with their picture – to inspire the children of this community to READ! Beginning February 1, please visit the Rowayton Library's website and fill out the form, attach a JPG format picture of your Pet (no people). We will be happy to post your pet's picture on the Library's website. The Library staff will



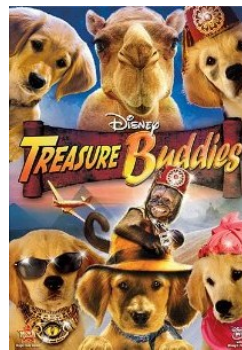
create READ posters with these pictures and post them in Rowayton as well as provide the owners with a copy of the poster of their pet. This is a free program and is open to all pets in Rowayton, CT. Deadline is February 29.

TEATIME
TUESDAYS @ 2PM

MovieTime for Kids

Friday afternoon, February 17 @ 3:30pm.

Treasure Buddies rated G. Popcorn will be served. Free and open to the public. This program is co-sponsored by the Rowayton Parents Exchange.



TAB MovieTime Book-2-Movie

This month... *Puss in Boots*, rated PG will be shown at the Rowayton Library on Wednesday, February 29 @ 5pm. Pizza will be served. This program is for the Rowayton Library Teen Advisory Board – Topic for the month... Technology.



Knitting for Adults

Every Thursday afternoon @1-3pm



Relax and enjoy knitting in the company of others at the Rowayton

Library. These sessions will be an opportunity to share patterns, different techniques and helpful hints from more experienced knitters. Bring your current project or an old unfinished one. If you

haven't knit in years, don't rush out and buy new supplies. Just bring your favorite needles—we also have extra needles and yarn. Refreshments will be served.

COMPUTER TIME
MONDAYS @ 2-3PM

iPhone Photography with Joseph DeRuvo,

Back by popular demand, please join professional photographer Joseph DeRuvo on Tuesday, February 7 at 7pm at the Rowayton Library as he shows you how to take better photos with one of the most popular cameras out there. The iPhone has become

the great democratizer when it comes to photography; we are no longer distracted by which lens, how many megapixels, or what setting for indoors or outdoors. The iPhone has freed us to be singularly focused on what is happening in front of us. We will learn what

the camera is doing. He will also introduce a few Applications that offer the photographer both greater control of the picture taking process and freedom to make adjustments after the photograph has been taken. Hope you will join us in this exploration of seeing. Join us and bring your iPhone.

Knitting for Kids

Thursday afternoon, February 9 @ 3:30pm

The Rowayton Library continues with its KnittingTime once a month with NancyJo Rambusch for kids ages 8 & UP. This program is designed to help kid knitters of all skill levels

work on their projects. As space is limited, please make a reservation. Bring your own needles and projects. First time students to our KnittingTime program will be provided with a pair of knitting needles and yarn to start learning or working on a project.

