#### **Beyond Reading Book Club**

Thursday, June 17 @ 7pm
The Library Book by Susan Orlean
Thursday, July 15 @7pm
American Dirt by Jeanine Cummins
Thursday, August 12 @ 7pm
The Dutch House by Ann Patchett







### Year of Wonders Historical Fiction Book Club

Thursday, June 10 @ 10:30am
The Lions of Fifth Avenue by Fiona Davis
Thursday, July 8 @10:30am
The Yellow Bird Sings by Jennifer Rosner
Thursday, August 12 @ 10:30am
The Book of Lost Friends by Lisa Wingate







#### **Easton Yarnsmiths**

#### Wednesdays from 4-5pm

Join us for an hour of knitting and crocheting! Adults who have some familiarity with yarn crafts or those who are seasoned crafters are welcome to attend. Each meeting will be an opportunity to work on personal and/or group projects, share techniques, ask questions, and socialize.

This program is held outside if weather permits.

#### **Red Cross Blood Drives**

Wednesday, June 16 from 11am-4pm Monday, July 19 from 11am-4pm Wednesday, August 18 from 11am-4pm Give the gift of life! Register at redcrossblood.org.

#### **Art Exhibits**

Art in the Country - Easton Arts Council
through June 25
A Lifetime of Painting: Watercolors by
Joyce Pedersen – through June 30
Peter Landa – A Retrospective & Celebration of His Art – July 15-August 31
Reception – July 23 from 7-9pm
Tomas Koeck – Wildlife Photography
July 1-31 – Reception TBD
Donna Albano – Small Watercolors
August 1-31 – Reception TBD

To register for any of our programs (and receive the Zoom link, if applicable), please visit <a href="https://www.eastonlibrary.org/calendar-list">https://www.eastonlibrary.org/calendar-list</a>.

### **Easton Public Library**



# Programs for Adults Summer 2021



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Library Hours
Monday-Wednesday 10-6
Thursday 10-7
Friday 10-5
Saturday 10-3

#### **Family Movies Under the Stars**

Friday, June 11 – *Matilda* (PG)
Friday, August 13 – *Despicable Me* (PG)
Both movies start at appox. 8:15pm

Join us at Aspetuck Park for these movie screenings. Bring your blankets, lawn chairs, and bug spray and set up camp with your family!

Registration is not required.

These programs are presented in collaboration with Easton Park & Recreation and the Easton Community Center.





## Friends of the Library Wine & Cheese Tasting

#### Wednesday, June 23 from 7-8pm

Swirl and sip an array of wines while enjoying a curated cheese, charcuterie, and accoutrement pairing! The cost is **\$40 per person** and *advanced registration is required*. This event will take place outdoors at Sport Hill Farm and will be limited to the first 40 registrants. Rain date is June 24.

Register at

eastonlibraryfriends.org/wine-cheese



#### **Basic Genealogy**

#### Monday, July 12 @ 7pm

This virtual program, presented by Eric Migdal of It's All Relative Genealogy, LLC, will break down some of the complex genealogical concepts into easy-to-use steps to assist you in starting your journey into your family's history and story. Eric will cover building family trees, DNA testing and analysis, and using tools and techniques to find records of your family's past.

#### **Outdoor Movie –** *Hidden Figures*

#### Friday, July 30 at approx. 8:15pm

Join us on the Library Lawn for an outdoor screening of this inspirational film.
In collaboration with Christ Church of Easton.
Registration is required. Max: 50 people



### Nourishing the Nervous System: Herbs for Stress & Anxiety

#### Tuesday, August 10 @ 7pm

In this virtual program, Nora Toomey, a clinical herbalist from Flower & Frequency, will discuss the basics of stress-reducing herbs. She will also share recipes to make with herbs to help alleviate anxiety.

#### **ADULT SUMMER READING**

Read Around Easton!
With every 100 books read, we will highlight a new destination in Easton.

#### **New this year – Reading Challenges!**

Want to challenge yourself?

See how many of the 20 Reading Challenges you can complete!

For each book you read, fill out a Google form. Weekly raffle prizes will be given, as well as prizes for the person who completes the most challenges and the person who reads the most books!

#### **2021 Reading Challenges**

**Black Lives Matter** 

Set during WWII

Written by an author from a different culture

Main Character is LGBTQ

Main Character is on the ASD Spectrum

Takes place on another continent

Takes place in outer space

**Contemporary Romance** 

Cozy Mystery

Bio/Memoir of someone who is no longer alive

Written by a politician

Contains Magic Realism

Inspired a Movie

Written by an Easton Author

Fiction based on actual people

Spy Novel

Chick Lit

Book on Climate Change

A Book About Books

Takes place in Connecticut