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HIGHLIGHTS

NOVEMBER 2025

Available Year-Round

-  Notary Public
-  Passport Acceptance Facility
-  Home Delivery
-  Passes to Local Attractions
-  Library of Things
-  Toy Library
-  Literacy Volunteers (English language classes)
-  Transparent Language Online
-  One-on-One Technology Classes
-  Laminating, Printing, Faxing, & More
-  Local History & Genealogy
-  Free digital materials with *Libby*, *hoopla*, and *The Palace Project*

Visit our website to learn more!
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O'tis a Festival

Sat: Nov. 22, 9 AM - 3 PM

Enjoy handmade creations from local artisans, all-day entertainment, and children's activities. Santa and the Grinch will also make an appearance!

Visit our website for a full list of vendors and a schedule of entertainment.

Free admission. Celebrity Parking Attendants will direct you to free parking.



For History & Genealogy Lovers

Introduction to Online Genealogy Resources

Mon: Nov. 3, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Learn how to navigate Otis Library's genealogy and ancestry databases, including Ancestry Library Edition and FamilySearch.

Norwich in the American Revolution

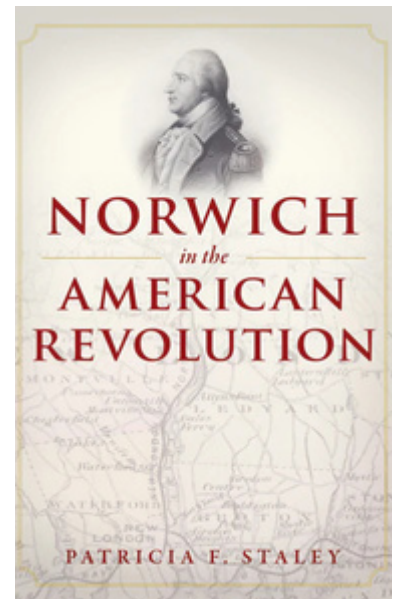
Wed: Nov. 5, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Author Tricia Staley tells the little-known story of Eastern Connecticut's role in the American fight for independence and the Norwich residents who were at the forefront of the revolution.

A Presentation on the Fall of the Berlin Wall

Mon: Nov. 10, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Learn about the Berlin Wall, its ugly history, and its celebrated demise at the hands of jubilant East and West Berliners.



Community Art with D Derek

Sat: Nov. 8, 11 AM - 12:15 PM

Registration Required | Ages 7-11

Join artist and art educator D Derek to create art inspired by the new downtown Norwich sculpture "Promised Day." Learn about Ellis Ruley, an African American folk artist from Norwich whose work inspired Derek's sculpture design. Parents accompany children on a group walk to see the sculpture.



M & W: 9 AM - 7 PM | T & F: 9 AM - 5 PM | Th & Sa: 9 AM - 2 PM
CLOSING AT 5 PM ON NOVEMBER 26
CLOSED ON SUNDAYS AND NOVEMBER 11, 27, & 28

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EVENTS

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ADULTS

Drop-In Games for Adults Sat: Nov. 1 & 15, 10 AM - 1 PM
Greenwich Village and the Folk Revival Sat: Nov. 1, 11 AM - 12 PM
Mental Health Mondays
 Mon: Nov. 3, & 17, 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM
***Job Support Appointments** (45 Minute Appointments)
 Mon: Nov. 3 & 17, 9 AM - 2 PM | Wed: Nov. 12, 4 PM - 7 PM
***Citizenship Class** Mon: Nov. 3 - Dec. 8, 5 PM - 7 PM
Introduction to Online Genealogy Resources
 Mon: Nov. 3, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
SCADD: Office Hours & Support
 Wed: Nov. 5, 12, & 19, 1 PM - 2:30 PM
Norwich in the American Revolution With Author Tricia Staley
 Wed: Nov. 5, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
***One-on-One Technology Classes in English and Spanish**
 Wed: 2 PM - 7 PM | Th: Nov. 6 & 20, 9 AM - 2 PM
 Fri: 12 PM - 4 PM (30 or 60 min appointments)
Drop-In Knitting Group Fri: Nov. 7, 14, & 21, 10 AM - 11:15 AM
Ukulele Strum & Learn Jam (Teen & Adult)
 Sat: Nov. 8, 10 AM - 12 PM
Tech Instruction at the Rose City Senior Center in English and Spanish
 Mon: Nov. 10 & 24, 11 AM - 1 PM | 8 Mahan Dr, Norwich
A Presentation on The Fall of the Berlin Wall
 Mon: Nov. 10, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
***Changing Minds Book Club**
(The Round House by Louise Erdrich)
 Wed: Nov. 12, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM | Live in person & Zoom
Know Your Rights with Connecticut Legal Services
 Fri: Nov. 14, 11 AM - 12 PM
***Knitting Without Needles** Sat: Nov. 15, 11 AM - 12 PM
Tips for Managing These Challenging Times
 Mon: Nov. 17, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
UCFS Healthcare at Otis Library Fri: Nov. 21, 10 AM - 1 PM
O'tis a Festival Sat: Nov. 22, 9 AM - 3 PM
***Dungeons & Dragons (Teen & Adult)**
 Mon: Nov. 24, 5 PM - 6:30 PM

TWEENS & TEENS

Fiber Arts Club Mon: Nov. 3 & 17, 5 PM - 5:30 PM
Game Night Wed: Nov. 5, 12, & 19, 4 PM - 6 PM
Craft Corner Fri: Nov. 7 & 21, 3 PM - 4:30 PM
Ukulele Strum & Learn Jam (Teen & Adult) Sat: Nov. 8, 10 AM - 12 PM
***Knitting Without Needles** Sat: Nov. 15, 11 AM - 12 PM
***Dungeons & Dragons (Teen & Adult)**
 Mon: Nov. 24, 5 PM - 6:30 PM

CHILDREN

Gracie Therapy Dog Extraordinaire
 Mon: Nov. 3, 4 PM - 5 PM
Take & Make Craft Wed: Nov. 5
Holiday Cards Drop-In Craft
 Sat: Nov. 29, 11 AM - 12 PM

Little Ones

Baby & Me (Birth-23 Months)
 Mon: Nov. 3, 10, 17, & 24, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
Toddler Storytime (Age 2)
 Tue: Nov. 4 & 18, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
Tumbling Toddlers (Age 2)
 Tue: Nov. 25, 10:30 AM - 11 AM

Younger Kids

Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-5)
 Thu: Nov. 6, 13 & 20, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
Storytime @ Slater Memorial Museum
 (Ages 3-6 & Families)
 Fri: Nov. 7, 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
 108 Crescent St, Norwich, CT
Sesame Street Storytime (Ages 3-6)
 Sat: Nov. 15, 11 AM - 11:30 AM
***Sensory Storytime** (Ages 3-11)
 Mon: Nov. 17, 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Older Kids

Dino Fossils (Ages 7-10)
 Sat: Nov. 1, 11 AM - 12 PM
***Bookworms** (Ages 5-8)
(Doggo and Pupper by Katherine Applegate)
 Mon: Nov. 3, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***Pokémon Club** (Ages 6-11)
 Wed: Nov. 5, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***Community Art with D Derek** (Ages 7-11)
 Sat: Nov. 8, 11 AM - 12:15 PM
STEAM Take & Make (Ages 6-11)
 Wed: Nov. 12
Lego® Build-o-Rama (Ages 6-11)
 Fri: Nov. 14, 3 PM - 4:30 PM
***Page Turners** (Ages 9-13)
(Impossible Creatures by Katherine Rundell)
 Wed: Nov. 19, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***LEGO® Robotics** (Ages 6-8)
 Mon: Nov. 24, 4:30 PM - 5:15 PM
***LEGO® Robotics** (Ages 9-11)
 Mon: Nov. 24, 5:30 PM - 6:15 PM

* To register, visit us at OtisLibraryNorwich.org or call (860) 889-2365
 Programs are free to attend unless stated otherwise