

Available Year-Round

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 -  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
 -  Passport Photos
 -  Local History & Genealogy
 -  Free digital materials with Libby, hoopla, and The Palace Project
 -  Otis Library App through Libraires Online
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Closed for Indigenous Peoples' Day

Otis Library will be closed on Monday, October 12, and will use the day for staff professional development.

What Is Bigfoot?

Mon: October 19, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Community Room | Registration Required

Join author, researcher, and television personality Ronny LeBlanc, from Discovery Channel's Expedition Bigfoot and Travel Channel's Paranormal Caught on Camera, for a fascinating exploration of the history, legends, evidence, and modern-day encounters surrounding Sasquatch.

Drawing from Native American traditions, eyewitness accounts, decades of research, his own investigations throughout New England, and four seasons in the field filming Expedition Bigfoot, Ronny shares some of his most compelling experiences and explores the unusual phenomena sometimes reported alongside Bigfoot encounters—including mysterious lights, orbs, UFOs, and other unexplained activity.

Whether you're a lifelong believer, a skeptic, or simply curious, "What Is Bigfoot?" invites audiences to examine the evidence, question what we think we know, and decide for themselves what may be lurking beyond the edge of the known.



Friends of the Otis Library Book Sale

Fri: Oct 23, 9 AM - 10 AM - \$10 Early Bird Preview
Fri: Oct 23, 10 AM - 3 PM
Sat: Oct 24, 9 AM - 2 PM
Sun: Oct 25, 12 PM - 3PM - Fill a bag for \$5!

Cash, checks, debit, and credit cards are accepted. An ATM is available nearby.

Family Craft Day: Monster Plushies

Sat: Oct 24, 11 AM - 12:30 PM
Storytime Room

Kids 5 and up, teens, parents, and grandparents are all invited to Otis Library to make a cute monster plushie! Participants will use colorful pre-cut felt pieces, felt scraps, and stuffing to bring their own friendly monster to life. A monster coloring activity will be provided for younger children.





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EVENTS

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ADULTS

Crafts-to-Go Pumpkin Hanger Thu: Oct 1, All Day
Drop-In Knitting
 Fri: Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30, 10 AM - 11:30 AM
***One-on-One Technology Classes in English and Spanish**
 Mon: Oct 5 & 19, 2 PM - 6 PM
 Tue: Oct 6 & 13, 12 PM - 4 PM
 Wed: Oct 7 & 14, 2 PM - 6 PM
 Thu: Oct 8, 9 AM - 1 PM
 Fri: Oct 2, 9, & 16, 12 PM - 3 PM
 Sat: Oct 3 & 17, 9 AM - 12 PM
 (30 or 60 min appointments)
***High Stakes Bingo Fundraiser at Foxwoods**
 Fri: Oct 2, 6:30 PM - 9 PM | 350 Trolley Line Blvd, Mashantucket, CT 06338
***Climate Future Film Festival** Sat: Oct 3, 10 AM - 12:30 PM
***Workforce Development & Job Support Classes**
 Mon: Oct 5, 19, & 26, 12 PM - 1 PM
 Wed: Oct 7, 14, 21, & 28, 12 PM - 1 PM
***A Vote of Her Own** Mon: Oct 5, 5 PM - 6 PM
SCADD: Office Hours & Support
 Wed: Oct 7, 14, 21, & 28, 1 PM - 2:30 PM
Senior Health & Retirement Services Wed: Oct 7 & 21, 4 PM - 7 PM
***Ending the Silence for Families (Virtual)** Wed: Oct 7, 6 PM - 7 PM
League of Women Voters Thu: Oct 8, 11 AM - 2 PM
Read Through the Classics: *Frankenstein Fri: Oct 9, 4 PM - 4:45 PM
***Preserving Family Recipes (Virtual Program)** Tue: Oct 13, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
***Starting Your Family Tree** Wed: Oct 14, 5 PM - 6 PM
***Genealogy Game Show (Virtual Program)** Thu: Oct 15, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
UCFS Healthcare Fri: Oct 16, 10 AM - 1 PM
Mental Health Mondays Mon: Oct 19 & 26, 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM
***What is Bigfoot?** Mon: Oct 19, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Changing Minds Book Club: *Radium Girls Wed: Oct 21, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Tech Instruction at the Rose City Senior Center in English and Spanish
 Mon: Oct 26, 11 AM - 1 PM | 8 Mahan Dr., Norwich, CT
***Dungeons & Dragons** Mon: Oct 26, 5 PM - 6:30 PM
***Lawyers in Libraries** Wed: Oct 28, 5 PM - 7 PM
***Bats: Winged Wonders** Wed: Oct 28, 5PM - 6 PM

TWEENS & TEENS

LoFi Fridays Fri: Oct 2, 16, & 30, 3 PM - 4:30 PM
***A Vote of Her Own** Mon: Oct 5, 5 PM - 6 PM
YA Writing Group Wed: Oct 7 & 21, 5 PM - 6:30 PM
Van Ghost Sat: Oct 10, 11 AM - 12 PM
***What is Bigfoot?** Mon: Oct 19, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
***Family Craft Day: Monster Plush** (Ages 5+)
 Sat: Oct 24, 11 AM - 12:30 PM
***Dungeons & Dragons** Mon: Oct 26, 5 PM - 6:30 PM
***Cereal Killers** Wed: Oct 28, 5 PM - 6 PM



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 details on upcoming programs and events.

CHILDREN

Children's Take & Make Craft (Ages 3+)
 Available starting Wed: Oct 7
***Family Craft Day: Monster Plush** (Ages 5+)
 Sat: Oct 24, 11 AM - 12:30 PM
Gracie & Frankie Therapy Dogs (All Ages)
 Thu: Oct 29, 11 AM - 12 PM

Little Ones

Baby & Me w/Infant Massage Workshop
 (Birth-23 Months)
 Mon: Oct 5, 19, & 26, 10 AM - 11 AM
***Saturday Baby & Me** (Birth-23 Months)
 Sat: Oct 17, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
Toddler Storytime (Age 2)
 Tue: Oct 6, 13, & 20, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
Tumbling Toddlers Free Play (Age 2)
 Tue: Oct 27, 10:30 AM - 11 AM

Younger Kids

Preschool Open Art Studio (Ages 3-6)
 Thu: Oct 1, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
Storytime @ Slater Memorial Museum
 (Ages 3-6 & Families)
 Fri: Oct 2, 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
 108 Crescent St, Norwich, CT 06360
Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-5)
 Thu: Oct 8 & 22, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
Storywalk at Mohegan Park (Ages 3-6)
 Thu: Oct 15, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
 189 Mohegan Park Road
***Sensory Storytime** (Ages 3-11)
 Mon: Oct 19, 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM
Little Monster Mash (Ages 3-5)
 Thu: Oct 29, 10:30 AM - 11 AM

Older Kids

Lego Build-o-Rama (Ages 6-11)
 Sat: Oct 3, 11 AM - 12:30 PM
Bookworms: *Troubling Tonsils (Ages 5-8)
 Mon: Oct 5, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***Pokemon Club** (Ages 6-11)
 Wed: Oct 7, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
STEAM Take & Make: Balancing Robot (Ages 6-11)
 Available starting Wed: Oct 14
Page Turners: *Garlic and the Vampire (Ages 9-13)
 Wed: Oct 21, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***Lego Robotics**
 Mon: Oct 26, 4:30 PM - 5:15 PM (Ages 6-8)
 Mon: Oct 26, 5:30 PM - 6:15 PM (Ages 9-11)
***Witchy Wednesday** (Ages 6-11)
 Wed: Oct 28, 5 PM - 5:45 PM

* To register, visit us at OtisLibraryNorwich.org or call (860) 889-2365

All programs and events are FREE and open to the public unless otherwise stated.