# OTIS LIBRARY HIGHLIGHTS

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261 Main St., Norwich CT 06360

November 2026

## Available Year-Round

- Notary Public
- Home Delivery
- Passes to Local Attractions
- Library of Things
- Toy Library
- Literacy Volunteers (English language classes)
- CT Library For Accessible Books Center
- 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

*Visit our website to learn more!*
*OtisLibraryNorwich.org*




## November Closures

Otis Library will be closed on the following days:
Wednesday, November 11
Thursday, November 26
Friday, November 27

We will be closing early at 5:00 PM on Wednesday, November 25.

## O'Tis a Festival

Sat: Nov 21, 9 AM - 3 PM
Entire Library!

Join us as we celebrate O'tis a Festival on Saturday, November 21, from 9 am – 3 pm. Enjoy handmade creations from local artisans, all-day entertainment, children's activities & Santa! We can't wait to see you!

Free admission. Celebrity Parking Attendants will direct you to free parking. It's a day full of fun for all ages! Check back for more information on our website for a list of vendors, schedule, and more.




## Breaking Bread Fundraiser

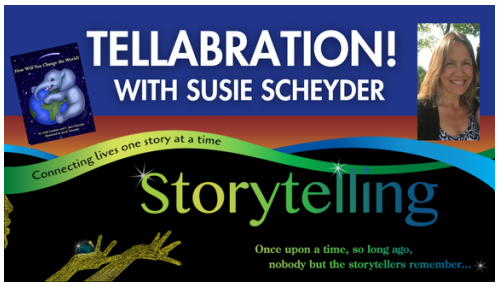
Sun: Nov 8, 11 AM - 9:30 PM
Illiano's Grill
257 W Town Street
Yantic, CT 06389

Dine in and support The Friends of Otis Library! A percentage of all dine-in orders placed between 11 AM and 9:30 PM will benefit Otis Library!

## Tellabration!

Sat: Nov 14, 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Storytime Room | Drop-In

Travel the seven continents with storyteller Susie Scheyder and her story props to learn how animals take care of the world! Presented by The Connecticut Storytelling Center. Drop-in; no registration required. For ages 5-11 and families.






## Costume Drop-Off

All Month Long!

Bring your gently used children's Halloween costumes to the Children's Department for a costume swap next Fall!

M & W: 9 AM - 7 PM | T & F: 9 AM - 5 PM | Th & Sa: 9 AM - 2 PM
CLOSED ON SUNDAYS
CLOSED NOVEMBER 11, 26, & 27
CLOSING AT 5 PM ON NOVEMBER 25

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# EVENTS

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## ADULTS

**Crafts-to-Go Harvest 3D Pumpkin** Mon: Nov 2, All Day
**Mental Health Mondays** Mon: Nov 2, 9, 16, & 30, 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM
***Workforce Development & Job Support Classes**
Mon: Nov 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30, 12 PM - 1 PM
Wed: Nov 4 & 18, 12 PM - 1 PM
**Goodwill of Southeastern CT** Mon: Nov 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30, 1 PM - 3:30 PM
***One-on-One Technology Classes in English and Spanish**
Mon: Nov 2, 9, & 16, 2 PM - 6 PM
Tue: Nov 3, 10, & 17, 12 PM - 4 PM
Wed: Nov 4, & 18, 2 PM - 6 PM
Thu: Nov 5, 9 AM - 1 PM
Fri: Nov 6, 13, & 20, 12 PM - 3 PM
Sat: Nov 14, 9 AM - 12 PM
(30 or 60 min appointments)
***Kingdom of Devils: Author Talk** Mon: Nov 2, 5 PM - 6 PM
**SCADD: Office Hours & Support**
Wed: Nov 4, 18, & 25, 1 PM - 2:30 PM
**Senior Health & Retirement Services** Wed: Nov 4 & 18, 4 PM - 7 PM
***Tips & Tools for Advocating for Your Child with Special Education Needs**
Thu: Nov 5, 6 PM - 7:30 PM (Live on Zoom)
**Drop-In Knitting**
Fri: Nov 6, 13, & 20, 10 AM - 11:30 AM
***Mother Jones: The Most Dangerous Woman in America**
Mon: Nov 9, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
***Understanding Your Credit** Thu: Nov 12, 6 PM - 7 PM (Live on Zoom)
***Read Through the Classics: *The Murder of Roger Ackroyd***
Fri: Nov 13, 4 PM - 4:45 PM
***Fatal Marriages: Mary, Queen of Scots and the Cost of Choosing Wrong**
Mon: Nov 16, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
***Changing Minds Book Club: *Lula Dean*** Wed: Nov 18, 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
***Hidden History: World Wars I & II Propaganda Posters**
Thu: Nov 19, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM (Live on Zoom)
**UCFS Healthcare** Fri: Nov 20, 10 AM - 1 PM
**O'Tis a Festival** Sat: Nov 21, 9 AM - 3 PM
**Tech Instruction at the Rose City Senior Center in English and Spanish**
Mon: Nov 23, 11 AM - 1 PM | 8 Mahan Dr., Norwich, CT
***Native Seed Saving for Propagation** Mon: Nov 23, 5 PM - 6:30 PM
***Dungeons & Dragons** Mon: Nov 30, 5 PM - 6:30 PM

## TWEENS & TEENS

**YA Writing Group** Wed: Nov 4 & 18, 5 PM - 6 PM
**LoFi Fridays** Fri: Nov 6, 13, & 20, 3 PM - 4:30 PM
**Cereal Killers** Mon: Nov 9, 5 PM - 6 PM
**Tiny Tins: Zen Garden** Mon: Nov 23, 5 PM - 6PM
***Dungeons & Dragons** Mon: Nov 30, 5 PM - 6:30 PM

## CHILDREN

**Children's Take & Make Craft** (Ages 3+)
Available starting Wed: Nov 4
**Gracie & Frankie Therapy Dogs** (All Ages)
Wed: Nov 18, 4 PM - 5 PM
**O'Tis a Festival: Sing-Along with Santa** (All Ages)
Sat: Nov 21, 10:40 AM

### Little Ones

**Baby & Me w/Infant Massage Workshop**
(Birth-23 Months)
Mon: Nov 2 & 9, 10 AM - 11 AM
**Baby & Me** (Birth-23 Months)
Mon: Nov 16, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
**Toddler Storytime** (Age 2)
Tue: Nov 3 & 10, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
**Mini Makers** (Age 2)
Tue: Nov 17, 10:30 AM - 11 AM

### Younger Kids

**Preschool Storytime** (Ages 3-5)
Thu: Nov 5 & 12, 10:30 AM - 11 AM
**Storytime @ Slater Memorial Museum**
(Ages 3-6 & Families)
Fri: Nov 6, 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
108 Crescent St, Norwich, CT 06360
**Tellabration: Animals Around the World**
(Ages 5-11)
Sat: Nov 14, 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
***Sensory Storytime** (Ages 3-11)
Mon: Nov 16, 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM
**Preschool Playtime** (Ages 3-5)
Thu: Nov 19, 10:30 AM - 11 AM

### Older Kids

***Pollution Busters** (Ages 6-11)
Mon: Nov 2, 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM
***Pokemon Club** (Ages 6-11)
Wed: Nov 4, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***Creative Kids: Rice Krispies Critter** (Ages 6-11)
Sat: Nov 7, 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM
***Bookworms: *The T-Rex Attack*** (Ages 5-8)
Mon: Nov 9, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***Page Turners: *The Undead Fox of Deadwood Forest*** (Ages 9-13)
Wed: Nov 18, 5 PM - 5:45 PM
***STEAM Robot Parade** (Ages 6-11)
Mon: Nov 23, 5 PM - 5:45 PM

*Sign up for our e-newsletter at otislibrarynorwich.org/newsletter-sign-up/ for more details on upcoming programs and events.*

* 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.