Dine to Donate with the Friends!

Join the Friends of the West Milford Township Library at Cibo e Vino Ristorante, for an evening of delicious dining and fellowship.

Twenty percent (20%) of your bill will be donated to the Friends of the Library, in support of the Library. **This event takes place on Thursday, March 21, 2024, from 4:00 pm to 10:00 pm.** Check out their menu at: www.ciboevinonj.com

Bring the family to the library to celebrate NJ Maker's Day! There will be activities set up in our Children’s Craft Room for the kids and an activity for teens and adults on the 1st floor. A take and make sundial craft kit in honor of the upcoming eclipse will be available in the Children’s Room and on the 1st floor. Each take and make kit comes with a pair of eclipse glasses.

**Friday, March 15, 2024**

This is an all day event. Take and make crafts are available while supplies last.

No registration is required.

Total Solar Eclipse

**Monday, April 8, 2024**

- Begins: 2:10 PM
- Maximum: 3:25 PM
- Ends: 4:36 PM
- Duration: 2 hours, 26 minutes

Solar eclipse glasses will be available during all of our eclipse programming where you see this eclipse graphic!
Richard Stillman returns to West Milford with a celebration of the Emerald Isle!

Mr. Stillman’s eclectic performance consists of traditional Irish storytelling, music, and step dancing. The instruments showcased are bagpipes, mandolin, banjo, guitar, concertina, and penny whistle.

**Thursday, March 7**  
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM

Room 6 & 7 on the 2nd floor of the library.

Register at www.wmtl.org/events

Adult Paint Night: Forest Eclipse

Paint your own forest eclipse with Wendy from Artytime!

**Tuesday, March 12**  
6:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Room 6 & 7 on the 2nd floor of the library.

Registration for this event has been reached. To join the waitlist go to www.wmtl.org/events
Gentle Yoga with Michelle
Join us for two Wednesdays this month!

Join a Gentle Yoga class at the West Milford Township Library with Michelle Brook, a 200-Hour Registered Yoga Teacher certified by the American Yoga Academy.

Wednesday, March 6
Wednesday, March 20
6:30 PM - 7:45 PM

Gentle Yoga will meet in Room 6 & 7 on the 2nd floor of the library.

This is now an in-person program only. The Zoom option has been discontinued.

Registration is required for both in-person and virtual. Register and complete the waiver form by visiting www.wmtl.org/events.

Questions? Call the Adult Services desk at 973-728-2822 or email wmtl@wmtl.org.

Movie Matinees:
Saturday, March 9
1:00 PM
Leap Year PG

Tuesday, March 26
2:00 PM
First Man PG-13

Room 6 & 7 on the 2nd floor of the library. No registration required.
Eclipse Event: Are You Prepared?

Join NASA/JPL Solar System Ambassador, Michael Greene, for a presentation about 2024’s astronomical event of the year: a total solar eclipse occurring on April 8. Mr. Greene will discuss the various types of eclipses, the history of solar eclipse observations from past to present, and what to expect from the April 8 event. Participants will also learn how eclipses occur, where, when, and how to safely observe the eclipse.

Free eclipse viewing glasses will be handed out during the presentation.

Thursday, March 21
6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Room 6 & 7 on the 2nd floor of the library.

Register at www.wmtl.org/events
Poetry Circle

Join us for a monthly poetry circle with facilitator Susan Lembo Balik. Prompts are used for these generative writing sessions and participants have the option to share what they’ve written and/or offer feedback. The sessions are designed to encourage, inspire and lead to new work. No previous experience is necessary. All you need is paper, a pen and your imagination!

Saturday, March 23
10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Library Conference Room on the 2nd floor of the library.

Led by Susan Lembo Balik, the Director of Cultural Affairs at Passaic County Community College.

Register at www.wmtl.org/events

The Shire Rats

Join The Shire Rats for an afternoon of music that combines the sounds of the Old World with the New!

Described as “Celtic music with a bluegrass twist”, The Shire Rats is the passion project of Nick Conte and Bobby Baxmeyer. With a deep love for the traditions of American Mountain music and the folk tradition of Ireland, England, and Scotland, The Shire Rats seamlessly blend the two styles into one sound. Both Bobby and Nick are multi-instrumentalists and vocalists, giving each song its own unique character and life.

Saturday, March 30
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Room 6 & 7 on the 2nd floor of the library.

Register at www.wmtl.org/events
Performers & Presenters WANTED

Calling all performers and presenters! WMTL is looking to add to our adult programming. We're particularly interested in anything dealing with crafting, gardening, hiking, fishing, boating, and local history.

If you are interested in contributing to our adult programming, please read our Library Programming Policy and fill out a form. Both of those can be found on our website at www.wmtl.org/programming-policy.

Questions and inquiries can be emailed to wmtl@wmtl.org or phoned to 973-728-2822.

Join the Coloring Crew!

Coloring Crew meets every Monday!
2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Enjoy coloring, conversation, and company with WMTL's coloring club for adults. We'll supply the coloring pages, tools, and space. You supply the conversation, company, and creativity! Just drop by the Library Conference Room on the 2nd floor.

Tech Help!

Need a little help with library apps on your portable devices? Have basic device troubleshooting or general computer questions? Stop by the Adult Services Desk and we'll either help you on the spot or schedule an appointment so we can get you up and running.
Looking for Your Next Read? Try Novelist!

NoveList is a library database that provides book recommendations. All you need is a library card.

Have you ever wanted to learn another language? Try Pronunciator!

Pronunciator is a language-learning app available for free to all library patrons. All you need is a library card.

Free ebooks, audiobooks, and magazines from your local library! Borrow bestsellers and read anytime, anywhere. All you need is a library card.

Borrow and enjoy audiobooks, eBooks, comics, movies, TV, magazines, or music everywhere you have a screen—your computer, your phone, your car, even your TV. All you need is a library card.
We're here for you, even when the doors are closed!

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Hours
Mon  10:00-8:00
Tues 10:00-8:00
Wed 10:00-8:00
Thurs 10:00-8:00
Fri 10:00-6:00
Sat 10:00-5:00
Sun 12:00-4:00

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The Board of Trustees meets at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, March 12 in the Library Conference Room on the 2nd floor.

Board of Trustee meeting minutes and agendas may be viewed online at: https://www.wmtl.org/board-meeting-minutes

Call us at 973-728-2820 for more information or to make an appointment.