



## **JANUARY 2026 PROGRAMS**

### **Snowman Paint and Sip**

**Thursday, Jan. 15, 5:30 pm**

Come paint a Winter Snowman with fun mocktails and music.

Adults 18 years and older. Limit: 10 max.

Note: Registration is now full. Please check back later.

### **Observing the Night Sky**

**Saturday, Jan. 17, 11:00 am**

Join the Astronomical Society of New Haven for an introduction to the winter night sky. Learn what you can see with the naked eye, binoculars, and a telescope: how to read a star chart; and how to use simple star hops to find objects. The program also highlights the upcoming (March 2026) total lunar eclipse and meteor shower, with solar observing offered if conditions allow. Limit 30.

### **Book Club: The Frozen River by Ariel Lawhon**

**Wednesday, Jan. 21, 1:00pm**

Join us on the third Wednesday of each month for a lively discussion on a variety of fiction and non-fiction! This month's title is The Frozen River by Ariel Lawhon. For ages 18 and up; to receive a book come into the library, or call us at (860) 886-1010.

### **New!! Sci-Fi Book Club: Jurassic Park by Michael Crichton**

**Thursday, Jan. 22, 6:00-7:00PM**

New at the Library! Interested? To receive a book come into the library, or call us at (860) 886-1010. For ages 18 and up.

### **Mindfulness Workshop**

**Saturday, Jan. 24, 11:00 am-12:00 pm**

Are you looking for ways to reduce stress and gain better health? Instructor Jessica Williamson will host a workshop on Mindfulness. This workshop will introduce participants to mindfulness practices in a caring and supportive environment. Please wear loose, comfortable clothing and bring an open heart and mind.

For ages 18 and up; limit: 12. Registration required.

For more information or to register: Click on the individual program heading links above, visit <https://prestonpubliclibrary.org>, or call the Library at 860-886-1010



## **JANUARY 2026 PROGRAMS**

### **DIY Pinecone-Suet Birdfeeder**

**Thursday, Jan. 29, 11:00 am**

In winter, especially when snow covers the ground, food can be scarce for birds. Join us to make cold-weather ready suit-ball pinecone to help feed our feathered friends. Participants should be prepared to get a little messy.

Allergen warning: We will be using products that contain nuts.

For children 3 and up with guardian.

12 Participants Max. Registration Required.

### **Dave Marchetti's Animal Experience**

**Saturday, Jan. 31, 11:00 am**

Dave Marchetti's Animal Experience is a lively, hands-on traveling animal show that introduces audiences of all ages to reptiles and small animals. Based in Riverside, RI,

Dave brings his passion and A+ rated program throughout RI, Eastern CT, and Southeastern MA. The show features turtles, lizards, snakes, and small mammals, and encourages learning, curiosity, and appreciation for animals.

Participants will have the chance to see, touch, and even hold the animals!

30 max participants, for ages 3 and up.

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