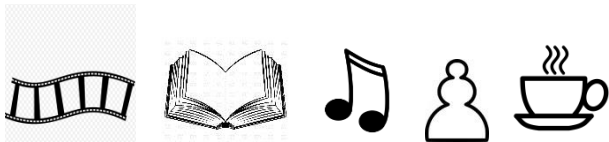


# Stamford Village Library

## September 2017



### News & Thoughts

Thanks to all who participated in our **Book Olympics!** And thanks as well to **everyone who became an annual member** during our membership drive in August – your generosity is helping to make *your* library better and better!

And if you're an association member of the library, the **Annual Library Meeting** will be 7 PM on Tuesday the 26th. The meeting is open to all; if you're an association member, you may also participate in the vote for members of this year's Library Board.

**Welcome Barbara!** She's the newest member of our library staff, so please

say “hello” to her when you see her. Barbara's lived in the Stamford area since 1995, enjoys photography, and is in a local rock band.

On Wednesday, September 6th at 7:30 PM, our new **Toastmasters** group begins regular meetings! Join a gathering of friendly, helpful people who are learning how to **improve their public speaking skills** in a non-threatening atmosphere. The group will meet the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

**Music of the Plants** – While listening to the sound frequencies that a plant makes through cutting-edge electronics, hear about their amazing abilities and research on how plants benefit humans. Join us at 2 PM on Tuesday the 19th to hear Marguerite Uhlmann-Bower R.N., Herbalist & Plant Pioneer Ambassador, who is dedicated to speaking on how our health is in direct relationship to the health of the environment.

This year's **Banned Books Week** is Sept. 25 to Oct. 1, when libraries all over celebrate the freedom to read.

We'll have a display of books that have been banned at some point – what's on the list might surprise you! Exercise your right to read and take one home with you!

**There is more treasure in books  
than in all the pirate's loot  
on Treasure Island.**

*(Walt Disney)*

Would you like to **learn a new language – free, and at your own pace?** You can do it online with Transparent Learning Online, which uses a wide variety of courses and activities to help you quickly and easily learn new languages (over 100 languages available, and growing!). Visit [4cls.org](http://4cls.org), click on the “Research Center” button on the left, and scroll down to “Languages” to set up an account and start learning today!

This month's Kids Craft – **make a fairy house** out of woodland materials at 3:30 on the 13th!

# September Calendar

For more information about any program or event, please call or visit the library.

## Wed Sep 6

4 PM – Computers & Internet 101  
7 PM – Hand Needlework Group  
7:30 PM – Toastmasters

## Fri Sep 8

10 AM – Adult Literature Group  
This month's book: Franz Kafka's  
*A Hunger Artist*

## Wed Sep 13

3:30 PM – Kids' Crafts – Fairy House  
4 PM – Computers & Internet 101  
7 PM – Hand Needlework Group

## Thu Sep 14

7 PM – Games Unplugged

## Mon Sep 18

7 PM – Writers' Evening,  
Roxbury Arts Group

## Tue Sep 19

2 PM – Music of the Plants  
7 PM – Gardening Discussion Group

## Wed Sep 20

1 PM – Local History Series:  
*Stamford Schools, 1849-1936*  
4 PM – Computers & Internet 101  
7 PM – Hand Needlework Group  
7:30 PM – Toastmasters

## Thu Sep 21

7 PM – SMART Recovery

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**If you don't like to read,  
you haven't found the right book.**  
*(J. K. Rowling)*  
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## Mon Sep 25

6:30 – 4WORDS Meet & Greet

## Tue Sep 26

7 PM – Annual Library Meeting –  
open to all; association members  
may participate in the vote for  
members of the Library Board

## Wed Sep 27

12 Noon – Numerology & Cosmic  
Image Connections  
4 PM – Computers & Internet 101  
7 PM – Hand Needlework Group

## Thu Sep 28

7 PM – Games Unplugged

## Fri Sep 29

6:15 PM – cartoons (Bugs and gang!)  
6:30 PM – Movie Discussion Night  
featuring Kirk Jones's "*Waking  
Ned Devine*" (1998)

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Mon – 12 noon to 5 PM  
Tues – 1 to 7 PM  
Wed – 10 AM to 5 PM  
Thu – 1 to 7 PM  
Fri – 10 AM to 5 PM  
Sat – 11 AM to 2 PM  
Closed Sundays



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