

# Library Lines

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## **Recycled art today**

Teens entering grades 7-12 get to try their creative hands today from 3 5 p.m. in the Art of Recycling program. Kids will be making sculptures from recycled materials such as egg crates, bottle caps, cans, and other inventive materials. There is no charge for the program which is made possible by the John and Patricia Curran Teen Fund. This is one of the remaining teen programs for the summer before the kids head back to school. To register: [www.wiltonlibrary.org/events](http://www.wiltonlibrary.org/events) or call 762-3950.

## **Movie time**

The last of the Reel Fridays for the Travel the 50 States summer reading program takes place tomorrow with free movies at 10:30 a.m. for little kids and 2 p.m. for older kids. The morning's fun is with an animated brother and sister cartoon and the afternoon film takes kids to a galaxy far, far away. Children 8 and under must be accompanied by adults; kids 9 to 12 must have caregivers remain in the building during the movie. The movies are free and there is no registration. For more details about the movies, call the Children's Library at 762-3950, ext. 217.

## **Classic rock**

Classic guitar licks by Led Zeppelin may be emanating from the Brubeck Room when X-Box Rock Band for Teens gets underway on Tuesday, Aug. 19, from 4 6 p.m. Teens can have their last summer hurrah by wailing away on guitar, singing their hearts out or pounding the drums to countless rock tunes during this two-hour mock rockfest. The X-Box system projected on the large screen in the Brubeck Room rivals in-home systems. There is no charge and no registration required. Kids are encouraged to come with friends or meet new ones at the library. Snacks will be provided to keep the requisite energy levels up. The program is made possible by the John and Patricia Curran Teen Fund. For information: 762-3950.

## **Music for little ones**

Robert the Guitar Guy returns to the library on Wednesday, Aug. 20, from 11-11:45 a.m. to entertain kids from babies to age 6 with his musical merriment. Robert has developed a method of musical play with kindergarten and pre-school children incorporating music, rhythm, movement, humor, role-playing, and props which makes his performances fun for children and adults alike. There is no charge for the program and no registration. For information: 762-3950, ext. 217.

## Reference helper

The library can help with life's little frustrations, such as having a phone number but not knowing what city or state it's in; or having a phone number and wanting the person's name and address along with it. The library's ReferenceUSA database allows searches by name, address, city, state, or phone number. ReferenceUSA is divided into three sections: Residential, Business, and Health Care. Searches can also be conducted for businesses by name, address, city, state, phone number, business type, number of employees, sales volume, executive title and many other criteria. Finally, searches in the Health Care section can be by physician or dentist name, gender, age, type of practice, year graduated, primary specialty, medical school attended, state of license, and board certification, in addition to address, city, state, and phone. This chock-full-of-information database is available in the library to everyone and to registered cardholders remotely from anywhere in the world (with their Wilton Library Card barcode). Visit the library's Web site at [www.wiltonlibrary.org](http://www.wiltonlibrary.org). Click on "Research" in the blue bar on the homepage, click on Research Databases, then click on Phone Numbers. You must access ReferenceUSA via the library's Web site for validation. If you have questions or live outside of Wilton and have registered your card with Wilton Library, please contact Mary Anne Mendola Franco, head of Network Services for access instructions at 762-3950, ext. 210 or at [mamfranco@wiltonlibrary.org](mailto:mamfranco@wiltonlibrary.org).