



Huntington Public Library

Founded in 1875

NEWS
PROGRAMS
EVENTS
SERVICES

March/April 2023

From the Director's Desk



Dear Patrons,

The beginning of this year saw a nice increase in patrons coming into the library and attending many in-person programs. Our buildings are getting ample use again and we are happy to see so many of you here!

We're also very excited to learn that New York State awarded Huntington Station \$10 million towards its downtown revitalization! With our library being in the hub of this area, we are thrilled to see this project move forward! We're working to increase programs and services at our Station library as well as continuing to provide them at our Main location.

Our annual Budget Vote and Trustee Election is being held on April 11, 2023. I hope you will come out to vote at our Main Street location between the hours of 10:00 am and 9:00 pm. Please see the election information under Library News on page 2. If there is anything that we can do to help anyone, please don't hesitate to reach out to me at 631-427-5165, ext. 206 or email me at joanne_adam@huntlib.org.

Wishing you all good health in the days ahead.

– Joanne Adam, Library Director

Non-Profit Org.
US Postage
PAID
Huntington, NY
Permit #492



Library Budget Vote Tuesday April 11 • 10:00 am - 9:00 pm • Main Library

Budget Day Celebration with Lyle, Lyle Crocodile

Tuesday, April 11
10:00 - 10:30 am & 1:00 - 1:30 pm
Family • Youth Program Room
Meet Lyle, Lyle Crocodile! Listen to stories, have your picture taken, and vote for your favorite Lyle book.



Budget Day Movie with Lyle, Lyle Crocodile

Tuesday, April 11 • 6:00 pm
Family • Main Meeting Room
Meet Lyle, Lyle Crocodile and watch the movie. Rated PG, 106 mins.

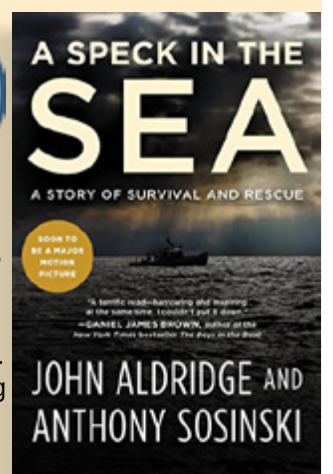


Long Island Reads One Island, One Book Save the Date!

Sunday, April 23 • 2:00 pm • Hybrid Event

In-Person at the Half Hollow Hills Community Library • Livestreamed

The 2023 Long Island Reads title is *A Speck in the Sea: A Story of Survival and Rescue* by Long Island residents John Aldridge and Anthony Sosinski. Authors John Aldridge and Anthony Sosinski will appear at the Long Island Reads Selection Award hybrid event at 2PM on Sunday, April 23 at Half Hollow Hills Community Library. The event will also be live streamed. Books will be available for purchase and signing that day. FREE tickets will be available starting Sunday, April 1st. For more details, visit <https://longislandreads.wordpress.com/> or <https://www.facebook.com/LongIslandReads>



Why A Speck in the Sea?

A Speck in the Sea chronicles the true, chilling, unexpected adventure of two men on very different journeys between endurance and salvation. Set in the waters off the East End of Long Island, this story reminds everyone what it means to be part of a community and to stay positive under the most extreme duress.

"... the book takes readers into the water with Aldridge as he shares first-person accounts of shark encounters and the mind games he played while clinging to his rubber boots to stay afloat. Sections written in the third person recount the immense battle the U.S. Coast Guard, search-and-rescue aircraft, and a slew of volunteers (including singer Jimmy Buffet) waged against time to find Aldridge before the ocean claimed him. A rich backstory—including complicated personal lives and deep family histories—adds depth to this page turner." – PW Annex Reviews

From Plankton to Whales: Why Our Local Waters are Worth Protecting

Wednesday, March 29 • 7:00 pm
Main Auditorium

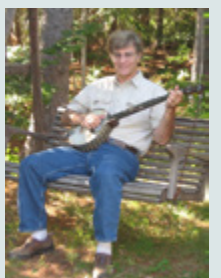
With endless stories and photos of fish kills, harmful algae blooms, oil spills, and beach closures filling our daily news feeds, it appears that our environment is in a horrific state of "doom and gloom." Although we do face many ecological challenges, this constant bombardment of negativity creates a lack of enthusiasm among local communities when it comes to protecting our environment. Regain your enthusiasm for safeguarding our marine ecosystems by learning about the fascinating marine life that inhabit the waters of Long Island. *Suitable for families.*



Fisherfolk, Fishersongs: Fishermen's Work, Life & Hardships

Wednesday, April 19 • 2:00 pm
Main Auditorium

Using a concert and lecture format, Dr. Sanfilippo presents songs of Long Island eel spearmen and clambers, Chesapeake oystermen, Maine lobstermen, fishermen of the British Isles, Sicily, and Maritime Canada, fishmongers, Long Island's whale fishery, and the dangers and economic hardships facing fishermen in the 21st century. Each song is put into the context of the work it describes and the people who created it. Those in attendance are encouraged to sing and to engage the presenter in discussion. *Suitable for all ages.*



The Tragedy of the Pelican (Zoom)

Tuesday, April 11 • 7:00 pm

On Labor Day weekend in 1951, the day dawned bright and filled with promise in Montauk, as hundreds of sportsmen and women arrived there on the Fishermen's Express train from New York. Sixty-two of them found their way onto the Pelican, an "open" fishing boat, helmed by popular captain Eddie Carroll and his first mate. After a few hours on the water, a violent, freak squall capsized the Pelican about a mile away from the lighthouse, trapping some passengers in a below-decks cabin and tossing everyone else into the roiling sea. Learn more about this local tragedy, the effects on the community and the safety regulation changes that were made with this presentation from the Montauk Historical Society. *Presented by the Huntington area libraries.*



Nightfall Book Club – Special Discussion

Thursday, April 20 • 6:30pm
Main Meeting Room

Join the library's newest book club exploring the different genres of fiction. Join us in discussing the Long Island Reads selection, *A Speck in the Sea: A Story of Survival and Rescue* by John Aldridge and Anthony Sosinski. When John Aldridge falls from his lobster boat into the Atlantic Ocean, the local Montauk Point fisherman community and the U.S. Coast Guard race against time to find this Speck in the Sea. Books are available at the Customer Service Desk and in eBook and audiobook formats using Libby. Any questions? Please email catherine_ferguson@huntlib.org.



REGISTRATION

Adults

Wednesday, March 1 at 9:00 am

Children & Teens

Monday, March 6 at 10:00 am

Monday, April 3 at 10:00 am

Adults	2-5	Calendar of Events . .	9-10
Library News	2	Art Gallery	11
Teens	6	Friends	11
Children & Parents . .	7&8	Board of Trustees	12

Registration required. Open to all.

Budget Vote Information

The Huntington Public Library's annual budget vote and trustee election will take place on **Tuesday, April 11, 2023, from 10:00 am – 9:00 pm** at the **Huntington Public Library, 338 Main Street, Huntington, NY 11743**. To view the budget information, visit the library's website at www.myhpl.org beginning in early March. There is also an election to fill a five-year term on the Board of Trustees. To become a candidate for this office, please see the requirements on our website at www.myhpl.org. For more information, contact Joanne Adam, Library Director at 631-427-5165, ext. 206, or by email at joanne_adam@huntlib.org.

Información sobre la votación del presupuesto

La votación anual del presupuesto de la Biblioteca Pública de Huntington y la elección de fideicomisarios tendrá lugar el martes 11 de abril de 2023, de 10:00 am - 9:00 pm en la Biblioteca Pública de Huntington, 338 Main Street, Huntington, NY 11743. Para ver la información sobre el presupuesto, visite el sitio web de la biblioteca en www.myhpl.org a partir de principios de marzo. También hay una elección para cubrir un mandato de cinco años en la Junta de Fideicomisarios. Para ser candidato a este cargo, consulte los requisitos en nuestro sitio web www.myhpl.org. Para

obtener más información, póngase en contacto con Joanne Adam, Directora de la Biblioteca en 631-427-5165, ext. 206, o por correo electrónico a joanne_adam@huntlib.org.

Voter Registration Day – Tuesday, March 28, 2023

Residents of the Huntington Union Free School District who are not registered to vote and wish to register for the library election may do so by presenting themselves personally at the **Huntington Public Library, 338 Main Street, Huntington, NY 11743 on Tuesday, March 28, 2023** between the hours of **10:00am and 4:00pm**.

Día de Registro de Votantes - Martes, 28 de Marzo de 2023

Los residentes del Huntington Union Free School District que no estén registrados para votar y deseen registrarse para la elección de la Biblioteca pueden hacerlo presentándose personalmente en la **Biblioteca Pública de Huntington, 338 Main Street, Huntington, NY 11743** el martes 28 de marzo de 2023 entre las 10:00am y las 4:00pm.

Absentee Ballots

Voters who wish to vote by absentee ballot must apply for an absentee ballot to the Huntington Public Library. Applications are available at either building. **If the absentee ballot is to be mailed, the application should be received by Tuesday,**

April 4, 2023. If the ballot is to be picked up in person, the application must be received by Monday, April 10, 2023, at 5:00 pm.

Voto por correo

Los votantes que deseen votar en ausencia deben solicitar un voto en ausencia a la Biblioteca Pública de Huntington. Las solicitudes están disponibles en cualquiera de los dos edificios. Si el voto en ausencia se va a enviar por correo, la solicitud debe recibirse antes del martes, 4 de abril de 2023. Si el voto es para ser recogido en persona, la solicitud debe ser recibida antes del lunes, 10 de abril 2023, a las 5:00 pm.

Budget Presentation and Meet the Candidate(s) Night

Please join us for our Budget Presentation and Meet the Candidate(s) Night on **Tuesday, March 28, 2023, at 6:00 pm at the Huntington Public Library Station Branch at 1335 New York Avenue, Huntington Station, NY 11746.**

Presentación del presupuesto y conocer al candidato (s) Noche

Por favor, únase a nosotros para nuestra presentación del presupuesto y conocer al candidato (s) Noche el martes, 28 de marzo 2023, a las 6:00 pm en la Biblioteca Pública de Huntington Sucursal de la Estación en 1335 New York Avenue, Huntington Station, NY 11746.

Adults & Seniors

Registration begins **Wednesday, March 1 at 9:00 am.**

Please check our Facebook page, website or email blasts for online programs that may be offered but have not yet been confirmed at the time of this printing. Questions? Please contact us at info@huntlib.org or 631-427-5165, ext. 242.

ARTS & CRAFTS

Improvisational Theater & Playwriting

Wednesdays, March 8, 22; April 5, 26 • 2:30 pm
Main Auditorium

Sharpen your wit and improve your memory. Imagine problems, consider creative solutions, and perform them on stage with director, Dr. Milton Bloch. **Registration required. Open to all.**



Coloring & Creativity

Thursdays, March 9, 23; April 6, 20 • 1:00 – 3:00 pm
Main Meeting Room

Bring your own coloring supplies and enjoy two hours of socializing, relaxing, and being creative. Led by Annina. **Registration suggested. Open to all.**



Sea Glass Pendants with Donna Irvine

Saturday, March 25 • 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Station Branch Community Room

Learn how to make a beautiful sea glass pendant in this fun jewelry workshop. **Registration required. Open to all.**



Recycled Book Flowers

Thursday, March 30 • 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
Main Meeting Room

Learn how to create beautiful flowers out of recycled books just in time for spring with instructor Donna Coane. Great as gifts or as decorative bouquets, attendees will make old books blossom with this project. **Registration is required. HPL cardholders only.**



Intro to Acrylic Pour Painting

Wednesday, April 12 • 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Station Branch Community Room

You've seen it on Pinterest and TikTok, now try it for yourself! Acrylic pour painting is painting without brushes. Paint is poured directly onto the canvas using various methods. Jennifer will demonstrate two techniques, and everyone will choose one to try. Bring a straw and a box to take home an 8"x8" canvas that will be wet and drippy. Dress for mess! **Registration required. HPL cardholders only.**

COMPUTERS & TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

Registration required. Open to all.

Libby Orientation: All About the Libby App

Wednesday, March 8 • 3:00 pm

Station Classroom

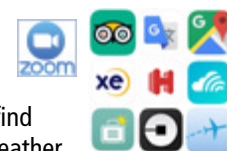
Are you ready to unlock the world of eBooks and eAudiobooks? Join Branch Manager Jose Hernandez for Libby Orientation and learn how to set up your tablet, smartphone, or computer to get access to our Library's ebook and eAudiobook app. Don't miss out on this opportunity to get the most out of your reading experience!



Top Travel Apps for Your Next Trip (Zoom)

Thursday, March 9 • 7:00 pm

Learn how to book hotels, restaurants, find local events, transportation methods, weather, and more with free apps. We'll go over popular travel site apps, such as TripAdvisor, Open Table, Expedia, Uber, and others. Have your device available or just follow along.



Walk-in Tech Help!

Sunday, March 12 • 1:00 – 4:00 pm

Station Branch

Bring your devices and your questions for free tech help. No appointment necessary. Call ext. 350 for more information. *Hablamos español!*



Introduction to HPL's Electronic Resources (Zoom)

Wednesday, March 29 • 3:00 pm

Are you looking for a new way to explore the world of books and movies? With Flipster, Libby, Kanopy, and Hoopla you can watch thousands of classic and contemporary films, movies, and magazines available to library members for free! So don't wait any longer - explore the library's electronic resources with Jose today!



Smartphones for Seniors

Thursday, March 30 • 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Main Meeting Room

Learn the basics of Apple and Android smartphones, including built-in features, making calls and texting, and finding and downloading the apps you need. Librarian Andrew will answer all your questions!



Virtual Reality!

Fun for Adults & Teens 13-years and up

Drop-in Every Friday, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Station Branch Teen Territory

Come travel and play with us virtually.



BUSINESS & CAREERS

Career Coach

Tuesdays, March 7 & April 4 • 6:00-9:00 pm

Main Small Meeting Room

MaryAnn Verdolino, a certified Career Counselor with a PhD in Psychology, will provide free career counseling services that can help you with your job search, interviewing skills, and questions regarding your resumé. If you are a new college graduate, someone who needs help with job searching or just looking to re-enter the job market, schedule a free, one hour appointment today. For more information or to register please visit www.myhpl.org or call (631) 427-5165, ext. 173.



Marketing Strategies that Lead to Greater Sales

Tuesday, April 18 • 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Station Community Room

Whether you have an established business or are starting a new one, join us for this SCORE workshop which will discuss marketing strategies aimed at increasing sales. Topics include developing a marketing plan, performing market research, advertising and promotions, and how to track your results. **Registration is required. Open to all.**



Adult Winter Reading Club Thank You
Many thanks to all who participated in the 2023 Winter Reading Challenge. Check out the Reading Challenge Blog for some great reader reviews. We hope you are enjoying your HPL soup mugs, and congratulations to the gift basket winner. The Summer Reading Challenge will be here before you know it!

Starting a Business on a Small Budget

Tuesday, April 11 • 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Station Community Room

Thinking of starting a new business? Join us for this SCORE workshop where you'll learn the basics of setting up a business. Topics include legal entity structures, paying taxes, insurance, keeping financial records and more. Creating a business plan, marketing basics and financing a business will also be covered. **Registration is required. Open to all.**



Proctoring Services

Do you need to take an exam that requires proctoring services? Schedule an appointment or call Librarian Eve Gonzalez at 631-427-5165 ext. 259 for more information.

... Kiss Me, Kill Me ...

Mystery Book Discussion Group hosted by Donna
Tuesday, March 21 & Tuesday, April 18 • 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm



Main Auditorium & Zoom

Books are available at the Customer Services Desk and are available in eBook and audiobook formats using Libby and Hoopla. Any questions? Please email info@huntlib.org

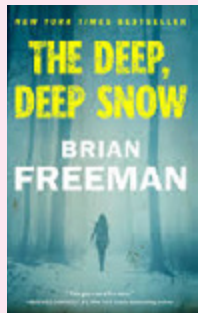
We will be more than happy to give you step-by-step instructions.

Both programs are open to all. Registration required.

You will receive a Zoom link via email the day before the meeting if you choose the virtual option.

Her Last Affair by John Searles with Special Guest author John Searles

Tuesday, March 21 • 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
In this tense and atmospheric thriller of love found and lost again, three individuals find their lives intertwined as they reconnect with their past, to deadly effect.



The Deep, Deep Snow by Brian Freeman with Special Guest Author Brian Freeman

Tuesday, April 18 • 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Deputy Shelby Lake was abandoned as a baby, saved by a stranger who found her in the freezing cold. Now, years later, a young boy is missing—and Shelby is the one who must rescue a child.

Meet the Author with Christine Pendergast

Saturday, April 1 • 2:00 pm

Main Auditorium

Local author Christine Pendergast will reflect on, read selections from, and discuss *Blink Spoken Here*, the book she and her husband Christopher Pendergast coauthored. Their powerful book tells the true story of the family's 27-year journey with ALS and was written with Christopher's eye-controlled computer.



Great Books Reading and Discussion Group with Tom (In-Person and Zoom)



Mondays, March 27 & April 17 • 7:00 pm • **Main Auditorium**

For the past 18 years, the library's Great Books Group has each month read from a "tasting menu" of great literature and philosophy, using the Shared Inquiry approach popularized by the Chicago-based Great Books Foundation as a discussion tool. In March and April, the program will hold its final two meetings with selections on the themes of death and literature from the anthology *Counterparts*, available gratis upon registration thanks to a generous donation from friends and family of a former group member. Thank you for embarking on this literary journey with us for so long. For more information, contact Tom Cohn at 631-427-5165, x 270 or e-mail Tom Cohn at tom_cohn@huntlib.org. Check out our blog at hplgreatbooks.blogspot.com. **Registration is required to receive Zoom sign-in via email. Open to all.**

"To the Memory of My Beloved, the Author Mr. William Shakespeare," by Ben Jonson (1573-1637) and "What is an Author" by Michel Foucault (1926-1984).

Monday, March 27 • 7:00 pm

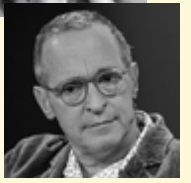
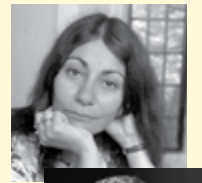
Our theme this month is "Literature," in particular the role of the author in the creation of a work. For Ben Jonson, a contemporary of Shakespeare's, the writer and his work are inseparable. "Thou art a monument without a tomb, and art alive still while thy book doth live," Jonson writes in his poem. Michel Foucault's essay offers a contrasting view on the author's role: a work should be interpreted as received by the reader without thought as to the author's life.



"The Immoderation of Ifat" by Sara Suleri (1953-2022) and "Now We are Five" by David Sedaris (1956-)

Monday, April 17 • 7:00 pm

We finish *Counterparts* with the final theme of all: death. In the "Immoderation of Ifat," an excerpt from her memoir *Meatless Days*, Pakistani-American author Sara Suleri remembers her sister Ifat, tragically caught up in her country's civil war of the 1970s. American humorist David Sedaris in "Now We are Five" tells the story of a family beach vacation in which he and his siblings reminisce about their sister Tiffany who had long kept herself apart from the family.



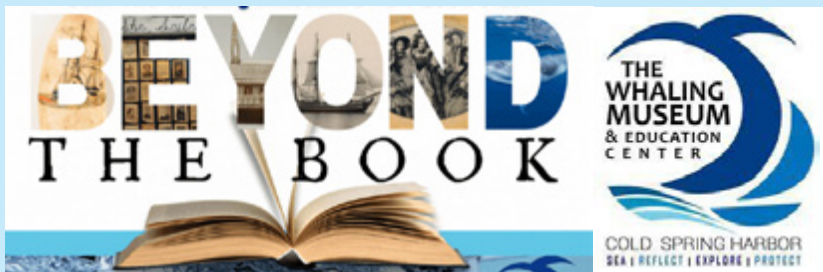
Next Chapter Book Club (Zoom)

Mondays, March 6, 13, 20, 27; April 3, 17, 24

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm • **Zoom**



Adults 18-years and older with developmental disabilities meet once a week to form friendships through reading and talking about books. All are welcome, regardless of reading level. We are currently reading *The Truth About Forever* by Sarah Dessen. For more information, contact Maureen Comerford at 631-427-5165, ext. 237 or email maureen_comerford@huntlib.org. The Next Chapter Book Club's international website is <http://nextchapterbookclub.org>. **Open to all.**



Beyond the Book with The CSH Whaling Museum

Thursdays, March 23, and April 27 • 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Offsite at Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum

Read at home and go on new adventures through history - then meet at the museum to dive deeper into stories through connections with the museum's artifacts. Book club registrants receive a short video at the start of the month that explores an item from the museum's collection relating to the text. A discussion question will be included to get readers excited for what's to come. Enjoy coffee and cookies while you chat! Beyond the Book will meet at The Whaling Museum & Education Center of Cold Spring Harbor, located at 301 Main Street, Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724. **Registration required**

In the Heart of the Sea by Nathaniel Philbrick

Thursday, March 23 • 6:30pm – 7:30 pm

In the Heart of the Sea by Nathaniel Philbrick details the loss of the whaleship Essex in 1820, the event which inspired the quintessential book *Moby Dick*. Get up close with the heart of this story as we explore the museum's historic whaleboat - the only fully equipped whaling vessel with its original gear on display in New York - which truly brings the book's theme to light. Our educator-led talk will leave readers with a clear understanding of what it means to live on a whaleboat for weeks, even months at time.



Under the Black Flag: The Romance and the Reality of Life Among the Pirates by David Cordingly

Thursday, April 27 • 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Under the Black Flag: The Romance and the Reality of Life Among the Pirates explores the golden age of piracy and the truth behind many pirate legends. Did you know the museum houses archival material of a true pirate? In this session, learn about the life of Huntingtonian Enoch Conklin (1763-ca.1815) a privateer during the War of 1812 as well as a ship builder, sailor, and captain.



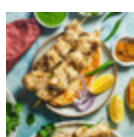
COOKING & FOOD Registration is required. HPL cardholders only.

Indian Style Malai Chicken Kebabs with Geetu Makin

Monday, March 6 • 3:00 pm

Main Meeting Room

Tender, creamy, and succulent *Malai Kebab* is one of the most popular dishes in Indian Cuisine. It is so juicy and soft that you will love it from the very first bite. Learn how to make healthy kebabs with fresh ingredients and delicious herb infused white sauce. It's tangy and garlicky with a luscious creaminess.



Irish Soda Bread Muffins with Chef Rob Scott

Wednesday, March 24

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Station Branch Community Room

Join Chef Rob Scott for an in-person cooking demonstration of a St. Patrick's Day treat. Menu: Irish soda bread muffins with caraway and raisins. Patrons will need to bring a muffin tin, medium bowl, rubber spatula, box grater, and a pen. Everyone will make at least 8-10 muffins.



Mediterranean Cooking with Naela's Organics

Monday, April 3 • 6:30 pm

Main Meeting Room

Home chef Naela Zeidan will demonstrate how to make some of her delicious Mediterranean recipes including zatar savory biscuits, spinach pies, hummus dip, and finally the most popular dessert - baklava. Tasting will follow.



Shrimp and Remoulade Lettuce Wraps with Chef Rob Scott

Friday, April 21

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Station Branch Community Room

Chef Rob will demonstrate a shrimp and remoulade lettuce wrap and a delicious Asian turkey lettuce wrap. Perfect for a light spring meal!



DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Drivers may reduce up to 4 points on their driving record or receive a 10% discount on vehicle liability, personal injury protection, and collision insurance for three years.



Empire Defensive Driving

Tuesday, March 21 & Wednesday, March 22 • 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Station Branch Community Room

Patrons must attend both sessions to complete the course and receive their certificate. In-person registration required with non-refundable fee of **\$28.00**. Payment required upon registration by check or money order only made payable to: Empire Safety Council.

Empire Defensive Driving

Saturday, April 15 • 9:30 am – 3:30 pm

Main Meeting Room

In-person registration required with non-refundable fee of **\$28.00**. Payment required upon registration by check or money order only made payable to: Empire Safety Council.

HEALTH & FITNESS

Medicare Made Easy

Tuesday, March 7 • 6:30 pm

Station Community Room

Get the answers to all your Medicare questions in this educational presentation with licensed insurance agent Craig Marcott. Topics covered will include Medicare basics and enrollment, and will answer the following questions: why is Medicare so complicated? How can it be simplified? And what are the best Medicare options for individuals?



One-on-One Medicare Counseling and Assistance (HIICAP)

Tuesday, March 21 • 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Station Meeting Room 1

Tuesday, April 18, • 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Main Small Meeting Room

Register for an appointment to speak one-on-one with a Suffolk County RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) volunteer from HIICAP (Health Insurance Information, Counseling, & Assistance Program) to answer questions and provide information specific to your own needs regarding Medicare health insurance and benefits, Medicare Savings Programs, Extra Help for prescription drugs, and EPIC (Elderly Pharmaceutical Insurance Coverage).



Tai Chi with Joe Panico

Saturdays, March 4, 11, 25; April 1, 8, 22

6 sessions • **\$30** • 10:00 – 11:00 am • **Main Auditorium**

Tai Chi is a Chinese form of exercise that incorporates breathing with slow and fluid movements, emphasizing correct posture and body mechanics to reduce tension, improve balance, and increase vitality. **Registration required. Open to all.**

Gentle Yoga with Ann McDermott (Zoom)

Saturdays, March 4, 11, 18, 25; April 1, 15, 22, 29

8 sessions, **\$40** • 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
Instructor Ann McDermott teaches Iyengar Yoga for all levels. Please have a mat, foam block, belt, blanket, or towel. **Registration required. HPL cardholders only.**



Hatha Yoga with Danielle Tarantola

Wednesdays March 8, 15, 22, 29; April 12, 19, 26

7 sessions • **\$35** • **Main Auditorium** • 9:30 am

Join India-trained Yoga Therapist and Teacher Trainer, Danielle Tarantola, for this Indian approach to physical and mental wellness that highlights and guides you through postures, breathing practices and meditation techniques. Participants should be able to get up and down off the floor and be in general good health for this movement-based class. **Please bring a Yoga mat. Registration is required. Open to all.**

Chair Yoga

Thursdays, March 9, 16, 23, 30; April 6, 13, 20, 27

8 sessions, **\$40** • 10:00 am – 11:00 am • **Main Auditorium**
Bonnie Millen will guide you through gentle movements from the comfort of a chair that increase strength and mobility. **Registration is required. HPL cardholders only.**

DISCUSSION GROUPS

Op Ed Fridays (In-Person & Zoom)

Fridays, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31; April 7, 14, 21, 28 • 2:00 pm

Main Meeting Room

Share your thoughts on a changing world as we discuss articles on health systems, U.S. foreign policy, the current financial crisis, socialism, democracy and more. Led by Dr. Milton Bloch. Registration required. Open to all. Participants will receive a Zoom link after registering.



GAMES

Bridge for Advanced Beginners / Intermediates

Fridays, March 10, 17, 24, 31

April 7, 14, 21, 28 • 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Main Meeting Room

Are you ready to take your bridge game to the next level? Join Dr. Susan Fishbein in this eight-week course to learn and practice successful strategies for declarer play! Patrons must obtain the ACBL Bridge Series textbook, *Play of the Hand in the 21st Century* [ISBN 978-0-939460-94-6], and bring the textbook to class. **Registration is required. Open to all.**



5 Strategies to Help You Save On Your Medicare Costs

Tuesday, April 25 • 6:30 pm

Main Meeting Room

Craig Marcott licensed independent insurance agent will explain why New York is different from other states and how you can use that difference as an advantage, how to employ different strategies to minimize your Medicare costs, and much more!



LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

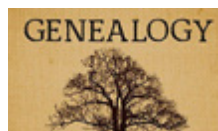
Registration is required. Open to all.

Genealogy 101

Saturday, March 11 • 11:00 am

Main Meeting Room

Learn how to correctly start your genealogical research. Guest speaker, April Earle, will share her best tips for staying organized and searching databases like Ancestry.com and FamilySearch.org. In addition to dismissing the most common myths about genealogy research, we will look at the significance of census records, the importance of seeing the actual document, and uncover the secrets in plain sight on passenger lists. **Registration is required. HPL cardholders only until March 5. Open to all after March 5.**



The Life and Art Collection of Peggy Guggenheim (Zoom)

Tuesday, March 14 • 2:00 PM

"I was a liberated woman long before there was a name for it." In many ways, Guggenheim was pivotal in getting so-called "degenerate" art safely out of Europe on the eve of WWII as well as encouraging European artists to wait the war out in the United States. Learn more about her life and impact on the art world with lecturer Mary Vahey.



The Quiet Man Film Lecture & Discussion

Thursday, March 16 • 3:00 pm

Main Auditorium

Film Historian Larry Wolff presents the behind-the-scenes stories of the making of this classic Irish and American love story. You'll learn how the ending almost wasn't included in the final cut! After the presentation, film highlights will be shown. A book and memorabilia collection will also be on display for attendees to view.



LANGUAGE & LEARNING

Spanish Conversation Group

Thursdays, March 2; April 6 • 6:30 pm

Station Classroom

Know how to speak Spanish but lack the opportunity? Meet with us to speak Spanish in an informal group setting. Entrants are asked to have at least intermediate knowledge of Spanish.

Beginner English Classes / Clases de inglés para principiantes

Tuesdays, March 7, 14, 21; April 4, 18, 25 • 6:00 - 8:00 pm Martes, 7, 14, 21, de marzo; 4, 11, 18, 25 de abril - 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Station Community Room

Sala comunitaria de Station Branch

These classes, taught by a native English speaker, teach basic skills in a casual and fun environment. Estas clases, impartidas por un hablante nativo de inglés, enseñan habilidades básicas en un ambiente informal y divertido.

Beginner/Intermediate English Classes / Clases de inglés para principiantes e intermedios

Thursdays, March 9, 16, 23; April 6, 27 • 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Jueves, 9, 16, 23, de marzo; 4, 27 de abril - 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Station Community Room

Sala comunitaria de Station Branch

These classes, taught by a native English speaker, teach basic skills in a casual and fun environment. Estas clases, impartidas por un hablante nativo de inglés, enseñan habilidades básicas en un ambiente informal y divertido. Los participantes sólo pueden asistir a un horario debido a las limitaciones de distancia en persona.

English Conversation Group

Thursdays, March 9; April 13 • 6:30 pm

Station Classroom

Meet with us to speak English in an informal group.

The Usual Suspects: True Crime Club

Attention true crime lovers - join us for a new monthly **True Crime Club**. Each month will focus on a different true crime case with theories, suspects and coverage being discussed. Interviews and videos will also be used to analyze the details of the different cases.

The Delphi Murders

Monday, March 13
7:00 pm

Main Meeting Room

The murder of Abigail Williams and Liberty German shocked the community of Delphi, Indiana. Their bodies were discovered in an area popular with the hiking and outdoor community, as well as local teenagers and kids just looking to get outside and explore nature. In this meeting, we'll discuss the theories, suspects and more related to the Delphi Murders.



The DeFeo Family Murders

Wednesday, April 26
7:00 pm

Main Meeting Room

The DeFeo murders rocked the sleepy Long Island town of Amityville, sparking a nationwide obsession that would culminate with the legendary *Amityville Horror* novel and film series. Join author Robert P. Ottone as he discusses aspects of the case that might just change your mind about the DeFeos and the "haunting" that followed.



LECTURES & WORKSHOPS Registration is required. Open to all.

Starting Your Organic Vegetable Garden

Saturday, March 18
2:00 pm
Main Auditorium

Now is the perfect time to begin your vegetable garden! Renato Stafford will discuss designing and laying out your growing locations, building raised beds, irrigation systems, selecting and starting seeds, growing techniques, garden maintenance, and will share seeds of heirloom tomato varieties he has been growing for years.



How to Maximize Your Social Security Benefits in Retirement

Monday, March 27 • 6:30 pm Main Meeting Room

Wes H. Triani, LUTCF, FSS, will educate you on the various choices that are given when considering taking Social Security benefits. Spousal and divorce aspects of Social Security will also be discussed.



The RMS Titanic: Voyage and Legacy

Thursday, April 13
7:00 - 8:30 pm
Main Auditorium

Learn the history of the ill-fated ship from its construction through its maiden voyage and discovery at the bottom of the Atlantic in 1985. Its legacy and continued interest will also be explored in this lecture.



Virtual Pedestrian Safety (Zoom)

Tuesday, March 21 • 7:00 pm

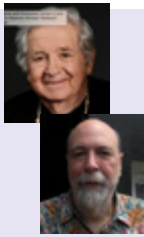
Did you know that Long Island is home to some of the most dangerous roads in the US? Join our expert pedestrian and bike safety panel from the New York Coalition for Transportation Safety (NYCTS) for an eye-opening, virtual workshop about New York State laws and technologies meant to protect you on our local Long Island roadways. Brought to you by NYCTS in partnership with the Long Island Health Collaborative (LIHC) and Walk Safe Long Island (WSLI) education campaign.



Impresarios & Visionaries Documentary Screening & Discussion

Friday, March 24 • 7:00 pm • Main Auditorium
Huntington is the primary focus of this inspirational documentary that explores the positive influence that the arts have on community. The film celebrates respective co-founders Vic Skolnick of Cinema Arts Centre and

Michael Rothbard of Inter-Media Arts Center, both in Huntington, New York. These two pioneers were pivotal in establishing a cutting-edge arts scene in suburbia. *Impresarios & Visionaries* shines a light onto the magical synergy and warm energy that occurs when presenter, performer and audience are in sync. A Q&A session with the filmmaker will follow the screening.



FRIDAY AFTERNOON MOVIES Recent Hits You May Have Missed • Main Branch • Auditorium • Open to All

Power of the Dog

March 3 • 3:00 pm • 2021, R, 126 mins.
Charismatic rancher Phil Burbank inspires fear and awe in those around him. When his brother brings home a new wife and her son, Phil torments them until he finds himself exposed to the possibility of love.



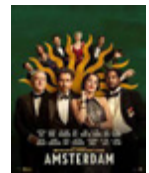
Banshees of Inisherin

March 31 • 3:00 pm • 2022, R, 114 mins.
Two lifelong friends find themselves at an impasse when one abruptly ends their relationship, with alarming consequences for both.



Amsterdam

March 17 • 3:00 pm • 2022, R, 134 mins.
In the 1930s, three friends witness a murder, are framed for it, and uncover one of the most outrageous plots in American history.



Till

April 14 • 3:00 pm • 2022, PG-13, 130 mins.
In 1955, after Emmett Till is murdered in a brutal lynching, his mother vows to expose the racism behind the attack while working to have those involved brought to justice.



Tár

April 28 • 3:00 pm • 2022, R, 158 mins
Set in the international world of Western classical music, the film centers on Lydia Tár, widely considered one of the greatest living composer-conductors and the very first female director of a major German orchestra.

SATURDAY MID-DAY MOVIES Inspiring Movies • Station Branch • Classroom • Open to All

Gumbo

March 4 • 2:30 pm • 2000, Unrated, 86 mins.
This PBS documentary tells how jazz is born from the unique musical scene of New Orleans at the turn of the 20th century. **Station Classroom**



Life, Animated

April 1 • 2:30 pm • 2016, G, 92 mins.
A boy and his family overcome challenges by turning Disney animated movies into a language to express love and loss. **Station Classroom**



The Tentmakers of Cairo

March 25 • 2:30 pm • 2015, 98 mins.
Learn about the craftsmen who practice the uniquely Egyptian art of Khayamiya, or hand stitched appliqué in this Documentary Education Resources film. **Station Classroom**



The Girls in the Band: Female Jazz Musicians

April 29 • 2:30 pm • 2013, Unrated, 86 mins.
An award-winning documentary that tells the poignant, untold stories of female jazz and big band instrumentalists and their fascinating history. Many of the first-hand accounts discuss the challenges of racism and sexism faced by these talented women. **Station Classroom**



LOCAL HISTORY

Joseph Lloyd Manor Tour

Friday, April 21 • 10:00 am

Offsite at the Joseph Lloyd Manor House

Join Preservation Long Island for a special extended access guided tour of Joseph Lloyd Manor (ca. 1767) focusing on the on-going work with the Jupiter Hammon Project. Attendees will view a new panel exhibition and audiovisual installation centered on Jupiter Hammon's life and poetry and step into spaces previously closed to the public.



The Sinking of the Steamboat Lexington on the Long Island Sound

Monday, April 24 • 7:00 pm

Main Auditorium

Join journalist, historian, and author Bill Bleyer for a book talk and PowerPoint lecture about the 1840 fire and sinking in Long Island Sound that claimed the lives of 139 of the 143 people on board. The disaster marked an important milestone in journalism history because young lithographer Nathaniel Currier rushed to make an image of the fire for the New York Sun, which put out extra editions using the illustration. A book signing will follow the presentation.



LIVE PERFORMANCES

Irish Songs and Stories with Gil McLean

Saturday, March 11 • 2:00 pm

Main Auditorium

Guitarist and vocalist Gil McLean performs Irish songs ranging from the 1800's to more modern times and tells the stories behind them.



Red Hot Mamas

Sunday, March 26 • 2:00 pm

Main Auditorium

The Red Hot Mamas, ages from 55-85 years old, have been kicking up their heels in the New York area for over 25 years. These senior tap dancers have a repertoire of over 30 dances, including selections from Broadway shows, old time favorites and modern popular music. Their performances are sophisticated, professional and fun and their costumes are spectacular!



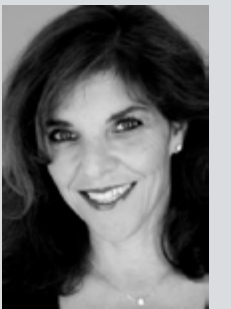
Rhonda Kaye & the Backstage Trio

Saturday, Saturday, April 22

2:00 pm - 3:15 pm

Main Auditorium

Accompanied by a trio of veteran musicians, pianist Rob Fishman, drummer Brad Sporkin and bassist Edgar Mills, vocalist Rhonda performs the best of Broadway, and jazz tunes. Her vocal dexterity in range, tone and timbre are the essential ingredients to sing these more challenging musical numbers known by many.



Family

Post-it Note Art Contest

Do you see in pixels? Can you reduce an image down to its base qualities? Or do you just like art and fun? Well, this is the contest for you! Design a Post-it Note Art piece that celebrates Mario Mania! Winning piece will be placed on our showplace office window facing Prospect St. for the entire month of April! See below for full rules, and good luck!

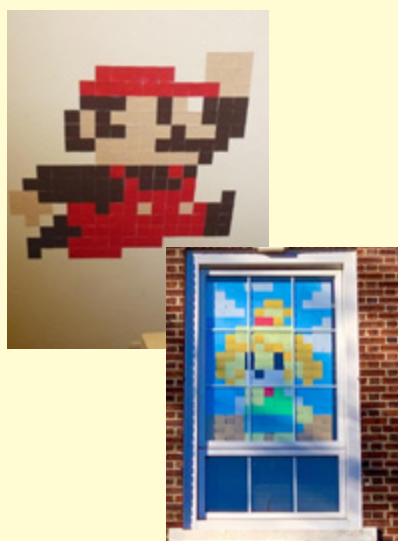
Mario Mania! Koopas, Boos, and plumbers - dress up our windows with scenes and characters from the Mario video game universe! Stars, mushrooms, flowers and more! Sonic fans join the fun - we're looking at ALL family friendly video game worlds to make passersby smile.

Accepting entries Monday, March 6. All submissions due Friday, March 31 by 9:00 pm.

• Family, Grades 3 - 12

All Entries:

- Must be 13 squares wide, by 18 squares high. We're using standard 3x3 Post-it Notes. Please use our templates.
- May only use the following colors: Black, White, Electric Yellow, Electric Blue, Mediterranean Blue, Limeade Green, Sunnyside Yellow, Neon Orange, Saffron, Neon Pink, Gray, Purple Iris, Lite Brown, Lite Pink - we may substitute shades of color when necessary. No purchase necessary we supply materials for selected entry.
- Multiple entries allowed - and encouraged!
- Return entries to Main or Station by 9:00 pm on March 31st!





Unless otherwise noted, **registration is required** and programs are for **HPL cardholders only**. Programs may be offered online or In-Person as noted. For the most current information, please visit www.myhpl.org or our **Facebook** page. Teens will need their own library card to register.

Registration begins Monday, March 6 at 10:00 am.

IMPORTANT: Kits must be picked up within three days of registration or they will be given to the waitlist. Please arrive 10 minutes before the program to be checked in. Late arrivals are not guaranteed a spot. Programs/kits with food may not be suitable for individuals with allergies.

**Available Monday, March 6 • 10:00 am
Grades 6 & up • Huntington Main/Station**

Programs to Go

White Day Celebration: Marshmallow Skewers

Take your learning with you! Sign up using your Teen Card and then check out a resource about this month's program. Pick up your kit at the YPS Reference Desk. It's yours to keep. Learn on the go with Programs to Go!

Snack Around the World

March – Japan

Featuring CultureGrams! All food has a story to tell! Pick up some snacks from around the globe and learn about their story. Write your reviews to be featured on our Instagram.



Snack Around the States

March – Iowa

Featuring CultureGrams! Join us as we skip around America, enjoying state snacks, culture, and activities as we go!



Write your reviews to be featured on our Instagram. Join us on Zoom to chat with a Librarian from this month's state to learn more about it - Date and time TBA.

Pokémon Club

Tuesday, March 14 • 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Make a Pokémon-related craft and help come up with new Pokémon Club ideas! Snacks included.



D&D 1-Hour Adventures

Wednesdays, March 15, 22, & 29
7:00 - 8:30 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Join us for a short quest each week that will incorporate D&D mechanics, storytelling, character development, and snacks!



Creative Zone

Thursday, March 16 • 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Station Teen Territory

Get creative with different art supplies.



Art Lab

Thursday, March 23 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Join Project Excel to explore exciting art media and unleash your creativity.



International Cooking

Monday, March 27 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Learn how to make fun and easy dishes from around the world! Join Project Excel's monthly cooking club and enjoy seasonal, global, and holiday-themed culinary delights.



Conversation Club

Tuesday, April 4 • 6:00 - 8:00 pm • Grades 9 – 12

Youth Program Room

Are you a student who speaks Spanish and needs community service hours? Speak casual Spanish with staff members to receive up to two hours of community service. Help us improve our multilingual communication, to better serve our community!

Registration begins Monday, April 3 at 10:00 am.

IMPORTANT: Kits must be picked up within three days of registration or they will be given to the waitlist. Please arrive 10 minutes before the program to be checked in. Late arrivals are not guaranteed a spot. Programs/kits with food may not be suitable for individuals with allergies.

**Available Monday, April 3 • 10:00 am
Grades 6 & up Huntington Main/Station**

Programs to Go

Rainy Day Hobbies

Take your learning with you! Sign up using your Teen Card and then check out a resource about this month's program. Pick up your kit at the YPS Reference Desk. It's yours to keep. Learn on the go with Programs to Go!

Snack Around the World

April – Great Britain

Featuring CultureGrams! All food has a story to tell! Pick up some snacks from around the globe and learn about their story. Write your reviews to be featured on our Instagram.



Snack Around the States

April – Kansas

Featuring CultureGrams! Join us as we skip around America, enjoying state snacks, culture, and activities as we go! Write your reviews to be featured on our Instagram.



Join us on Zoom to chat with a Librarian from this month's state to learn more about it - Date and time TBA.

Squishmallows SUPERFIGHT!

Thursday, April 6 • 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Main Youth Program Room

Choose a Squishmallow, do some quick research on the type of animal it is, assign it some powers and weaknesses, then battle other Squishmallows to be the winner! This hilarious debate game will have you coming up with some pretty wild scenarios based on some real attributes of the animal you choose. You get to keep your Squishmallow Superfighter after the program!



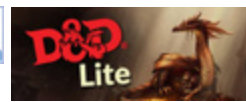
D&D Lite (Zoom)

Tuesday, April 11, 18, 25

7:00 - 8:30 pm

Grades 6 & up

Did you see the new movie *Dungeons & Dragons: Honor Among Thieves* and would like to know more about D&D? Learn more at this program that incorporates D&D mechanics with storytelling.



Olympians:

Dionysos: The New God book discussion (Zoom)

Wednesday, April 12 • 7:00 - 7:30 pm

Grades 6 & up

Learn all about "the last Olympian" as we discuss 2023's Authors Unlimited author George O'Connor's *Dionysos: The New God*. Pick up your copy at Main or Station. Supplies limited! *Sign up and attend Authors Unlimited on April 15th at St. Joseph's University and receive three hours community service; Bring your copy from the book discussion to get signed by the author!



Dungeons and Dragons: Beginnings

Saturday, April 15 • 3:00 - 4:30 pm

Grades 6 & up • Station Teen Territory

Never played D&D before and you'd like to give it a try? Well, this program is for you! Learn the very basics of D&D in this easy to jump into session. You'll choose from a few pre-made character sheets, and a very basic game to familiarize yourself with game mechanics and story flow. Go home with your own D&D Welcome kit, which includes everything you need to get started.



Fun with Fondant

Tuesday, April 18 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Station J Program Room

Transform cupcakes into masterpieces with fondant.



Art Lab

Thursday, April 20 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Join Project Excel to explore exciting art media and unleash your creativity.



International Cooking

Monday, April 24 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Learn how to make fun and easy dishes from around the world! Join Project Excel's monthly cooking club and enjoy seasonal, global, and holiday-themed delights.



Let's Code

Mondays, May 1, 8, 15, 22

4:30 - 5:30 pm • Grades 6 & up

Station Community Room

Learn how to write your own code with staff from Project Excel.



Conversation Club

Tuesday, May 2 • 6:00 - 8:00 pm • Grades 9 – 12

Station Teen Territory

Are you a student who speaks Spanish and needs community service hours? Speak casual Spanish with staff members to receive up to two hours of community service. Help us improve our multilingual communication, to better serve our community!

Paint Night

Thursday, May 4 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Station Community Room

Join staff from Project Excel for a fun evening of painting with friends!



Mario Mania!

Week 1: Super Smash Bros. Ultimate

Wednesday, April 5 • 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Station Teen Territory

Kick off our unofficial "Mario Month" with two hours of casual tournaments of Super Smash Bros. Ultimate and Mario Kart 8 Deluxe. Mario might even make an appearance. Enjoy some Japanese junk food while we compete!



Week 3: Mario Craft

Wednesday, April 19 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Get your craft on with mystery Mario crafts you get to keep. Something for every type of crafter!



Week 2: Super Mario:

Manga Mania Book Chat (Zoom)

Wednesday, April 12 • 6:00 - 6:30 pm

Grades 6 & up

Log on for an hilarious book chat as we cover *Super Mario: Manga*, written and illustrated by the great Mania Yukio Sawada! "From crazy to classic, Mario and his friends star in one of the biggest video game series ever!" Pick up your copy at Main or Station. Supplies limited!



Week 4: Edible Pixel Art

Wednesday, April 26 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 6 & up

Youth Program Room

Help us wrap-up "Mario Month" by recreating some of your favorite characters, landscapes, and scenes from the Mario video game universe using icing and candy.



Unless otherwise noted, **registration is required** and programs are for **HPL cardholders only**. Programs may be offered online or In-Person as noted. For the most current information, please visit www.myhpl.org or our [Facebook](#) page. **Each child will need their own library card to register. If a child is not a district resident, there is a limit of one program registration per person, per program, with an adult HPL card. Patrons may call the day before, or the day of, a program to see if there are more spots available.**

Registration begins Monday, March 6 at 10:00 am.

IMPORTANT: Kits must be picked up within three days of registration or they will be given to the waitlist. Please arrive 10 minutes before the program to be checked in. Late arrivals are not guaranteed a spot. Programs/kits with food may not be suitable for individuals with allergies.

Family

Pajama Time!

Thursday, March 23
6:30 - 7:30 pm

Family
Main Auditorium

Wind down the day with your little ones and enjoy simple stories and songs. Wear your PJ's and bring a favorite stuffed animal!



Animal Interviews

Friday, March 24
6:00 - 7:00 pm • Family
Station Community Room

Meet and interact with a few of Sweetbriar's resident animals including a scaly snake, an ancient turtle, a curious bird, a furry mammal, and some surprise visitors.



Decorate a Birdhouse

Saturday, March 25
11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Family, Ages 4 & up
Station J Program Room

Paint and decorate a wooden birdhouse to hang in your garden.



Babies, Toddlers & Preschoolers with parent/caregiver

Together Time

Tuesdays, March 7, 14, 21, 28
9:15 - 10:30 am • Ages 12-35 months

Main Auditorium

Continue the interactive play and sharing of the Parent/Child workshop. Community resource people offer a look at cultural and recreational resources for children. We may have visits from a local fire department, dentists, musicians, etc., as well as a variety of physical activities. Concludes with circle time.

You & Me Storytime & Craft

Thursdays, March 9, 16, 23
10:30 - 11:00 am

Ages 2-4 years
Youth Program Room

Listen to stories and make a craft.

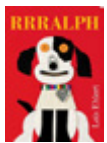


RRRALPH

Wednesday, March 15
1:30 - 2:15 pm • Ages 3-5

Youth Program Room

Would you like to meet a talking dog? Hear Ralph's story and then enjoy songs and a craft.



Bilingual Storytime

Wednesdays,
March 15, 29 &
April 5
10:00 - 10:45 am
Ages 2 & up

Station J Program Room

Join us for stories in Spanish and English, have fun singing, learning new songs, and creating crafts.



Sing, Laugh, Play

Saturday, March 18
10:00 - 10:45 am

Ages 1-3 years
Main Auditorium

Join Long Island Music Therapy for a developmental music class that allows children to explore their musical selves through songs, instrument play, and movement.



Rise & Shine Babies

Mondays, March 20,
April 3
10:00 - 10:30 am
Ages 6-23 months

Station Community Room

Rise & Shine Toddlers

Mondays, March 20,
April 3

11:00 - 11:30 am
Ages 2-4 years • Station Community Room
Enjoy activities that encourage manipulation and hand exercise, stimulating the sense of touch and the creative imagination.



Old McDonald Had a Storytime

Wednesday, March 22
10:30 - 11:00 am

Ages 6-24 months
Main Youth Program Room

Join us for simple animal stories, a basic finger-painting craft, and, of course, an Old McDonald sing-along.



Gregarious Goats

Wednesday, March 22
11:00 - 11:45 am

Family

Station J Program Room and
Station Parking Lot

Meet live goats from Suffolk County Farm and make a small craft.



Playdough Playtime

Thursday, March 30
10:30 - 11:00 am

Ages 2-4 years
Youth Program Room

Cut, roll, and shape playdough into mini masterpieces with your child.



Hop to It

Wednesday, April 5
11:00 - 12:00 pm

Family

Station Community Room

Pet and learn all about bunnies, brought to you by Cornell Cooperative Extension Suffolk Farm.



School Age & Tweens

Let's Cook It!

Thursday, March 9
6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 3-6
Station Community Room

Come to the library and cook up some easy recipes.



Girl Power at Sea

Friday, March 10
5:00 - 5:45 pm

Grades 1-5
Station J Program Room

Discover the awesome adventures of 19th century American women who sailed around the world on whaling ships and learn about their incredible experiences and accomplishments with the CSH Whaling and Education Center. Make and decorate an inspirational collage to hang up at home.



Just For Tweens

Friday, March 10 • 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Grades 4-7
Youth Program Room

Play games, have a snack, create a craft, hangout with friends, or make new ones!

Writer's Workshop

Saturdays, March 11, 18, 25;
April 1, 8, 15, 22

10:30 - 11:30 am
Grades 4 & up

Youth Program Room

Calling all aspiring writers! Published author Terry Tomasino will lead this fun and exciting series that incorporates guided imagery exercises into poetry, short stories, and other written works to encourage young writers to express themselves in written form.



Registration ongoing

Minecraft Mondays

Monday, March 13
6:00 - 8:00 pm

Grades 1-5
Main Auditorium

Drop in for open Minecraft play! If you do not have a Minecraft account, one will be provided.



Over the Rainbow Cupcake Kit

Tuesday, March 14
12:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Grades K-5

Get your rainbow cupcake ready for Saint Patrick's Day. Pick up your kit at the **Station Branch** only between the hours of 12pm and 8pm. **One kit per family.**



Happy Pi Day

Tuesday, March 14
6:30 - 7:30 pm

Grades 4-6
Station Community Room

Celebrate Pi Day by making your own mini pies with yummy fillings to take home to bake.



Storybook Adventures

Wednesday, March 15
4:30 - 5:30 pm

Grades 1-5
Youth Program Room

Hear stories about bears from around the world, then create a "beary" amazing craft.



Pop-Tart Pillow

Thursday, March 16
6:30 - 8:00 pm • Grades 4 & up

Youth Program Room

Learn basic sewing techniques while making this adorable pillow out of felt.



Amazing Wacky Art

Friday, March 17
6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades K-5

Station J Program Room

Let's have fun creating amazing masterpieces with household items. Dress for a mess!



Nachos at the Station

Tuesday, March 21
5:00 - 6:00 pm

Grades 2-6

Station Community Room

Learn how to make yummy nachos for scratch.



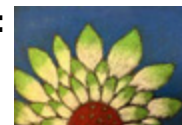
Women's History Month: Georgia O'Keeffe

Thursday, March 28
5:00 - 6:00 pm

Grades 1-5

Station J Program Room

Celebrate Women's History Month by learning about the art and life of Georgia O'Keeffe. We will use pastels to create close-up images of flowers inspired by the art of O'Keeffe.



April Fool's Faux Food

Wednesday, March 29
7:00 - 8:00 pm

Grades K-5

Youth Program Room

Fool your families and friends with these clever and edible food hacks!



Starry Night Painting

Thursday, March 30
6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades K-5

Youth Program Room

Learn about Vincent Willem Van Gogh in honor of his birthday, March 30, 1853.



Unicorn Treat Cups

Friday, March 31
6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 1-5

Youth Program Room

Make a fun, colorful twist to "dirt cups."



School Break Art with Heckscher Museum

Tuesday, April 4
10:30 - 11:30 am

Grades 2-5

Youth Program Room

What is your favorite part of the circus? The animals? The acrobats? Join Heckscher Museum of Art educators and see how the circus has inspired other artists. Then create your own circus tent that opens, closes, and features your own exciting performers!



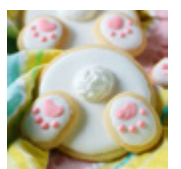
Bunny Butt Cookies Kit

Tuesday, April 4
12:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Grades K-5

Youth Program Room

Celebrate spring by transforming sugar cookies into fun bunnies. Pick up your kit at the **Station Branch** only between the hours of 12pm and 8pm. **One kit per family.**



Pizza and a Book

Wednesday, April 12
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Grades 4-6

Station J Program Room

Join us for a lively book discussion of the graphic novel *When Stars are Scattered* by Victoria Jamieson. A free copy of the book is available at registration.



Unless otherwise noted, **registration is required** and programs are for **HPL cardholders only**. Programs may be offered online or In-Person as noted. For the most current information, please visit www.myhpl.org or our **Facebook** page. **Each child will need their own library card to register. If a child is not a district resident, there is a limit of one program registration per person, per program, with an adult HPL card. Patrons may call the day before, or the day of, a program to see if there are more spots available.**

Registration begins Monday, April 3 at 10:00 am.

IMPORTANT: Kits must be picked up within three days of registration or they will be given to the waitlist. Please arrive 10 minutes before the program to be checked in. Late arrivals are not guaranteed a spot. Programs/kits with food may not be suitable for individuals with allergies.

Family

Pajama Time!

Thursday, April 6 • 6:30 - 7:30 pm • Family • Auditorium

Wind down the day with your little ones and enjoy simple stories and songs. Wear your pajamas and bring a favorite stuffed animal!



Budget Day Celebration with Lyle, Lyle Crocodile

Tuesday, April 11

10:00 - 10:30 am & 1:00 - 1:30 pm

Family • Youth Program Room

Meet Lyle, Lyle Crocodile! Listen to stories, have your picture taken, and vote for your favorite Lyle book.



Budget Day Movie with Lyle, Lyle Crocodile

Tuesday, April 11 • 6:00 pm

Family • Main Meeting Room

Meet Lyle, Lyle Crocodile and watch the movie. Rated PG, 106 mins.



Celebrate El Dia de los Ninos, Dia de los Libros – Day of the Child, Day of the Book

Sunday, April 30 • 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Families, Ages 3 & up

Station Community Room

Celebrate this special day with stories, games, and snacks from Latin America!



Shearly Delightful Sheep

Wednesday, May 3 • 11:00 - 12:00 pm • Family

Station J Program Room and Parking Lot

Meet the sheep visiting from Cornell Cooperative Farm and learn all about them.



Babies, Toddlers & Preschoolers with parent/caregiver

Picture Book Art

Wednesdays, April 12, 19, 26

10:00 - 10:45 am • Ages 2 & up

Station J Program Room

Listen to stories by different authors/illustrators each week and make a craft inspired by the illustrations.

The Mixed-Up Chameleon

Wednesday April 12

1:30 - 2:15 pm

Ages 3-5

Youth Program Room

Hear the story about a chameleon who wanted to change its appearance. Create a fun craft.



You & Me Storytime & Crafts

Thursdays, April 13 & 20

Ages 2-4 years

10:30 - 11:00 am

Youth Program Room

Listen to stories and make a simple craft.



Musical Kids

Fridays, April 14, 21, 28

Ages Birth-1 year

10:00 - 10:30 am

Ages 1-2 years

10:45 - 11:15 am

Ages 2-4 years

11:30 am - 12:00 pm

Youth Program Room

This lively musical program will include a variety of activities using instruments, songs, and dance that help develop listening and verbal skills.



Sing, Laugh, Play

Saturday, April 15

10:00 - 10:45 am

Ages 1-3 years

Main Auditorium

Join Long Island Music Therapy for a developmental music class that allows children to explore their musical selves through songs, instrument play, and movement.



Rise & Shine Babies

Mondays, April 17,

May 1, 15

10:00 - 10:30 am

Ages 6-23 months

Station Community Room

Rise & Shine Toddlers

Mondays, April 17,

May 1, 15 • 11:00 - 11:30 am

Ages 2-4 years • Station Community Room

Enjoy activities that encourage manipulation and hand exercise, stimulating the sense of touch and the creative imagination.



Parent/Child Workshop

Tuesdays, April 18, 25,

May 2, 9 & 16

9:15 - 10:30 am

Ages 12-35 months

Station Community Room

Parent/Child Workshop encourages interactive play, introduces your child to group activities, and provides parents with information on a wide variety of parenting issues and concerns. Each program features developmentally appropriate toys and play activities, a simple craft, and a visit from a community resource expert.

Baby Bugs

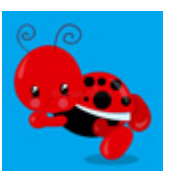
Monday, April 24

10:30 - 11:00 am

Ages 6-24 months

Main Youth Program Room

Calling all the "antsy" babies! Join us for basic stories and songs about bugs, plus a basic finger-painting craft. It will be an "un-bee-lievably" fun morning!



In the Small, Small Pond

Wednesday April 26

1:30 - 2:15 pm • Ages 3-5

Youth Program Room

See a frog's eye view of life in a pond throughout the seasons, then create a fun craft.



Playdough Playtime

Thursday, April 27

10:30 - 11:00 am

Ages 2-4 years

Youth Program Room

Cut, roll, and shape playdough into mini masterpieces with your child.



School Age & Tweens

Let's Cook It!

Thursday, April 6

6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 3-6

Station Community Room

Come to the library and cook up some easy recipes.



Shelter for My Peeps: Station

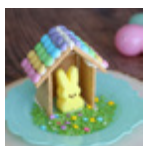
Friday, April 7

3:00 - 4:00 pm

Grades K-5

Station J Program Room

Let us make a coop for our peeps using graham crackers, frosting and PEEPS.



Amazing Wacky Art

Friday, April 7

6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades K-5

Station J Program Room

Let's have fun creating amazing masterpieces with household items. Dress for a mess!



Unicorn Party

Saturday, April 8

2:00 - 3:00 pm

Grades K-5

Station J Program Room

Come have a magical time with a unicorn-themed party! Fancy attire encouraged.



Poetry Slam

Tuesday, April 11

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Grades 4-6

Station J Program Room

Explore different techniques to write your own poem and make a poetry mobile.



Money Matters Financial Literacy

Thursday, April 13

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Grades K-5

Station J Program

Learn about money and finances through games and activities.



Minecraft Mondays

Monday, April 17

6:00 - 8:00 pm

Grades 1-5

Youth Program Room

Drop in for open Minecraft play! If you do not have a Minecraft account, one will be provided.



Storybook Adventures

Wednesday, April 19

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Grades 1-5

Youth Program Room

Listen to stories about rain and make a craft.



Ocean Origami

Friday, April 21

6:30 - 7:15 pm

Grades 3 & up

Youth Program Room

Celebrate America's enduring appreciation of Japanese artistry by creating ocean-inspired origami with The Whaling Museum & Education Center of Cold Spring Harbor.



Earth Scientists

Saturday, April 22

10:00 - 10:45 pm

Grades 1-5

Station J Program Room

Cleaning up Earth has never been more fun! Explore the dangerous effects of oil spills and water run-off through an educator-led watershed model demonstration. Decorate a fabric tote bag to reuse.



Lotus Flower Lantern Craft Workshop

Tuesday, April 25

6:00 - 7:00 pm

Station Community Room

Make a lovely lotus flower lantern using colorful paper and wire frames with help from instructors from the Korean Spirit & Culture Promotion Project (KSCPP).



Custom Pencil Cases

Thursday, April 27

5:30 - 6:30 pm OR

6:45 - 7:45 pm

Grades 4 & up

Youth Program Room

Learn how to use the Cricut cutting machine to customize a pencil case.



Family Pasta Making

Thursday, April 27 • 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Grades 4 and up with a caretaker

Station Community Room

Learn how to make your own homemade pasta. Each family will make a pound of pasta to take home and we will have a sample to taste at the end of the class.



Shelter For My Peeps: Main

Friday, April 28 • 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 1-5

Youth Program Room

Let us make a coop for our peeps using graham crackers, frosting and PEEPS.



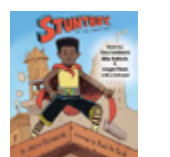
Pizza and a Book (In-person & Zoom)

Wednesday, May 10

5:00 - 6:00pm • Grades 4-6

Station J Program Room

Join us for a lively discussion of *Stuntboy, in the Meanwhile* by Jason Reynolds, while enjoying pizza. A free copy of the book is available at registration.



March 2023

MAIN STATION VIRTUAL J = JUVENILE T = TEEN A = ADULT F = FAMILY

sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
			1 9a Adult Program Registration, A 10a Construction Time, J	2 4:30p Piet Mondrian Art Project, J 6:30p Spanish Conversation, A	3 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 3p Movie, <i>Power of the Dog</i> , A 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T	4 10a Create a Groovy Bear, J 11a Create a Groovy Bear, J 10a Tai Chi, A 11a Gentle Yoga, A 2:30p Movie: <i>Gumbo</i> , A
5 OPEN 1 - 5 PM 2p Opening Artist Reception, A	6 Post-It Note Contest, F 10a Children & Teen Program Registration, J, T 10a Programs to Go kit pick-up, T 10a Snack Around the World kit pick-up, T 10a Snack Around the States kit pick-up, T 1:30p Next Chapter Book Club, A 3p Indian Style Malai Chicken Kebabs, A	7 9:15a Together Time, J 6p Career Coach, A 6p Beginner English, A 6:30p Medicare Made Easy, A	8 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10a Playdough Playtime, J 2:30 Improv Theater, A 3p Libby Orientation, A 5p Pizza & A Book, J	9 10a Chair Yoga, A 10:30a You & Me Storytime, J 1p Coloring & Creativity, A 6p Let's Cook, J 6p Intermediate English, A 6:30p English Conversation, A 7p Top Travel Apps for Your Next Trip, A	10 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 5p Girl Power at Sea, J 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T 6:30p Just for Tweens, J	11 10a Tai Chi, A 10:30a Writer's Workshop, J 11a Gentle Yoga, A 11a Genealogy 101, A 2p Irish Songs & Stories, A
12 OPEN 1 - 5 PM 1p Walk-in Tech Help, A	13 1:30p Next Chapter Book Club, A 6p Minecraft Mondays, J 7p The Delphi Murders, A	14 9:15a Together Time, J 12p Over the Rainbow Cupcake Kit, J 2p The Life & Art Collection of Peggy Guggenheim, A 6p Beginner English, A 6:30p Happy Pi Day, J 7p Pokémon Club, T	15 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10a Bilingual Storytime, J 1:30p <i>RRR</i> Ralph, J 4:30p Storybook Adventures, J 7p D&D 1-Hour Adventures, T	16 10a Chair Yoga, A 10:30a You & Me Storytime, J 3p <i>The Quiet Man</i> Film Lecture, A 4p Creative Zone, T 6p Intermediate English, A 6:30p Pop-Tart Pillow, J	17 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 3p Movie, <i>Amsterdam</i> , A 6p Amazing Wacky Art, J 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T	18 10a Sing, Laugh, Play, J 10:30a Writer's Workshop, J 11a Gentle Yoga, A 2p Starting Your Own Organic Vegetable Garden, A
19 OPEN 1 - 5 PM	20 10a Rise & Shine Babies, J 11a Rise & Shine Toddlers, J 1:30p Next Chapter Book Club, A	21 9:15a Together Time, J 10a HIICAP, A 2p Kiss Me, Kill Me, A 5p Nachos at the Station, J 5:30p Empire Defensive Driving, A 6p Beginner English, A 7p Virtual Pedestrian Safety, A	22 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10:30 Old McDonald Had A Storytime, J 11a Gregarious Goats, J 2:30 Improv Theater, A 7p D&D 1-Hour Adventures, T	23 10a Chair Yoga, A 10:30a You & Me Storytime, J 1p Coloring & Creativity, A 6p Art Lab, T 6p Intermediate English, A 6:30p Beyond the Book Discussion, A (Offsite) 6:30p Pajama Time!, F	24 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 12:30 Irish Soda Bread Muffins, A 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 6p Animal Interviews, F 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T 7p <i>Impresarios & Visionaries</i> Documentary Screening, A	25 10a Tai Chi, A 10:30a Writer's Workshop, J 11a Gentle Yoga, A 11a Decorate a Birdhouse, F 11a Sea Glass Pendants, A 2:30p Movie: <i>The Tentmakers of Cairo</i> , A
26 OPEN 1 - 5 PM 2p Red Hot Mamas, A	27 1:30p Next Chapter Book Club, A 6p International Cooking, T 6:30p How to Maximize Your Social Security Benefits, A 7p Great Books Discussion, A	28 9:15a Together Time, J 5p Women's History Month: Georgia O'Keeffe, J 6p Board of Trustees Meeting & Budget Presentation/Meet the Candidates Night, A	29 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10a Bilingual Storytime, J 2p Intro to HPL's Electronic Resources, A 7p April Fool's Faux Food, J 7p D&D 1-Hour Adventures, T 7p From Plankton to Whales, A	30 10a Chair Yoga, A 10:30a Playdough Playtime, J 2p Smartphones for Seniors, A 6p Starry Night Painting, J 7p Recycled Flowers, A	31 Post-It Note Contest Submissions Due, F 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 3p Movie, <i>Banshees of Inisherin</i> , A 6p Unicorn Treat Cups, J 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T	

Quails are coming soon to Youth and Parent Services

It's quail time! We are again going to be incubating and hatching Northern Bobwhite quail eggs in cooperation with CEED (Center for Environmental Education & Discovery). These ground dwelling birds are important in controlling the tick population, and we aim to increase their number with this endeavor. The eggs should arrive around the end of April and will take 3 weeks to hatch. Then visit the adorable babies until we have to bring them to Caleb Smith State Park for the next step in their journey. They're only with us a short while so come upstairs to see these cuties! Follow us on Facebook for the latest updates!



sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
<div data-bbox="153 242 644 285" data-label="Section-Header"> <h3>Author's Unlimited • Calling all Teens</h3> </div> <div data-bbox="153 282 1005 320" data-label="Text"> <p>Authors Unlimited 2023 • Saturday, April 15th • St. Joseph's College in Patchogue!</p> </div> <div data-bbox="153 314 1402 444" data-label="Text"> <p>A free program that celebrates reading by connecting teens and authors. Hear from three dynamic authors of young adult literature, first at a panel and then in solo sessions. Authors in attendance will include Lygia Day Peñaflor, George O'Connor, and Kayla Cottingham. There will be a chance to purchase books and get them signed! Attendees can earn three hours of community service credit for attending and then filling out a survey at the end of the day. Look for updates on our Twitter @AuthorsUnlim!</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1417 256 1661 383" data-label="Image"> </div>						<div data-bbox="1759 230 2049 438" data-label="Text"> <p>11a Gentle Yoga, A 10a Tai Chi, A 10:30a Writer's Workshop, J 2p Meet the Author, Christine Pendergast, A 2:30p Movie: <i>Life, Animated</i>, A</p> </div>
2 OPEN 1 - 5 PM	3 10a Children & Teen Program Registration, J, T 10a Programs to Go kit pick-up, T 10a Rise & Shine Babies, J 11a Rise & Shine Toddlers, J 10a Snack Around the World kit pick-up, T 10a Snack Around the States, kit pick-up, T 1:30p Next Chapter Book Club, A 6:30p Mediterranean Cooking, A	4 10:30a School Break Art, J 12p Bunny Butt Cookies Kit, J 6p Beginner English, A 6p Conversation Club, T 6p Career Coach, A	5 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10a Bilingual Storytime, J 11a Hop to It, J 2:30p Improv Theater, A 6p Super Smash Bros. Ultimate, T	6 10a Chair Yoga, A 1p Coloring & Creativity, A 2p Squishmallows: SUPERFIGHT!, T 6p Let's Cook It, J 6p Intermediate English, A 6:30p Pajama Time, F 6:30p Spanish Conversation, A 7p The Tragedy of the Pelican, A	7 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 3p Shelter for my Peeps, J 7p Amazing Wacky Art, J 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T	8 10a Tai Chi, A 10:30a Writer's Workshop, J 2p Unicorn Party, J
9 CLOSED EASTER SUNDAY	10	11 10a Annual Budget Vote & Trustee Election, A 10a Budget Day Celebration: Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile, F 1p Budget Day Celebration: Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile, F 4:30p Poetry Slam, J 6p Budget Day Movie: Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile, J 7p D&D Lite, T 7p Starting a Business on a Small Budget, A 7p The Tragedy of the Pelican, A	12 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10a Picture Book Art, J 1:30p The Mixed-Up Chameleon, J 5p Pizza & A Book, J 6p Super Mario: Manga Mania Book Chat, T 6:30p Intro to Acrylic Pour Painting, A 7p Olympians Book Discussion, T	13 10a Chair Yoga, A 10:30a You & Me Storytime, J 3p The RMS Titanic, A 4:30p Money Matters, J 6:30p English Conversation, A	14 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 3p Movie, Till, A 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T	15 9:30a Empire Defensive Driving, A 10a Author's Unlimited, T (Offsite) 10a Sing, Laugh, Play, J 10:30a Writer's Workshop, J 11a Gentle Yoga, A 3p Dungeons & Dragons: Beginnings, T
16 OPEN 1 - 5 PM	17 10a Rise & Shine Babies, J 11a Rise & Shine Toddlers, J 1:30p Next Chapter Book Club, A 6p Minecraft Mondays, J 7p Great Books Discussion, A 7p Where to Go: Local Spring Birding Sites, A	18 9:15a Parent/Child Workshop, J 10a HIICAP, A 2p Kiss Me, Kill Me, A 6p Beginner English, A 6p Fun with Fondant, T 6p Board of Trustees Meeting, A 7p D&D Lite, T 7p Marketing Strategies that Lead to Greater Sales, A	19 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10a Picture Book Art, J 2p Fisherfolk, Fishersongs, A 4:30p Storybook Adventures, J 6p Mario Craft, T	20 10a Chair Yoga, A 10:30a You & Me Storytime, J 1p Coloring & Creativity, A 6p Art Lab, T 6p Intermediate English, A 6:30p Nightfall Book Club, A	21 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 10a Joseph Lloyd Manor Tour, A (Offsite) 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 12:30p Shrimp & Remoulade Lettuce Wraps, A 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T 6:30p Ocean Origami, J	22 10a Earth Scientists, J 10a Tai Chi, A 10:30a Writer's Workshop, J 11a Gentle Yoga, A 2p Rhonda Kaye & the Backstage Trio, A
23 OPEN 1 - 5 PM 2p Long Island Reads, A (Offsite)	24 10:30a Baby Bugs, J 1:30p Next Chapter Book Club, A 6p International Cooking, T 7p The Sinking of the Steamboat Lexington, A	25 9:15a Parent/Child Workshop, J 6p Lotus Flower Lantern Workshop, J 6:30p 5 Strategies to Help Save Medicare Costs, A 7p D&D Lite, T	26 9:30a Hatha Yoga, A 10a Picture Book Art, J 1:30p In the Small, Small Pond, J 2:30 Improv Theater, A 6p Edible Pixel Art, T 7p The DeFeo Family Murders, A	27 10a Chair Yoga, A 10:30a Playdough Playtime, J 5:30p Custom Pencil Cases, J 6p Family Pasta Making, J 6:30p Beyond the Book Discussion, A (Offsite) 6:45p Custom Pencil Cases, J	28 10a Bridge for Advanced Beginners/Intermediates, A 10a Musical Kids, J 10:45a Musical Kids, J 11:30a Musical Kids, J 2p Op Ed Discussion, A 3p Movie, Tár, A 6p A Shelter for My Peeps, J 6:30p Virtual Reality, A, T	29 10a Tai Chi, A 11a Gentle Yoga, A 2:30p Movie: <i>The Girls in the Band</i> , A
30 OPEN 1 - 5 PM 2p El Dia de los Ninos, Dia de los Libros, F	<div data-bbox="682 2448 1442 2488" data-label="Section-Header"> <h3>Olympians: Dionysos: The New God book discussion (Zoom)</h3> </div> <div data-bbox="682 2486 1304 2523" data-label="Text"> <p>Wednesday, April 12 • 7:00 - 7:30 pm • Grades 6 & up/Teens</p> </div> <div data-bbox="682 2520 1501 2679" data-label="Text"> <p>Learn all about "the last Olympian" as we discuss 2023's Authors Unlimited author George O'Connor's <i>Dionysos: The New God</i>. Pick up your copy at Main or Station. Supplies limited! *Sign up and attend Authors Unlimited on April 15th at St. Joseph's University and receive three hours community service; Bring your copy from the book discussion to get signed by the author!</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1455 2460 1530 2523" data-label="Image"> </div> <div data-bbox="1530 2460 1722 2705" data-label="Image"> </div>					

**3D Printing
Design Center
at the Main**



**Frequently
Asked
Questions**

Where do I find objects to print?

If you want to use objects that have already been designed, you can go to www.thingiverse.com and search using keywords. Once you've found what you want, download the files and send them to us at hpl3dp@gmail.com.

Can I design my own objects?

Yes! We encourage you to go to www.tinkercad.com and learn how to design your own parts. There are lessons right there on the website. You can set up a free account in just a few minutes. Once you've designed your part, you can export the file and email it to us.

How much does it cost to print an item?

The only thing you pay for is the PLA filament you use. We charge **\$1.00** per hour of print time. A typical print can take 4 or 5 hours.

How large can my print be?

Our printer can produce objects up to 11 x 11 x 15 inches. However, your print time must be less than 12 hours so that we can accomplish the print during normal library business hours. Therefore, certain objects will not fall into the range of acceptability.

Is there anything we will not print?

We will not print objects that are prohibited by law (i.e. weapons).

How can I learn more about this?

Feel free to call during normal library hours, or send an email with questions to hpl3dp@gmail.com.

Contact

Chris Glaser: (631) 427-5165, ext. 264

Main Art Gallery

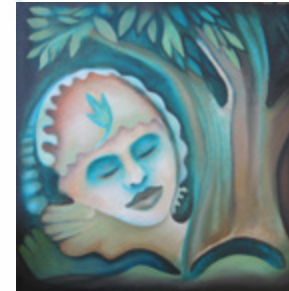
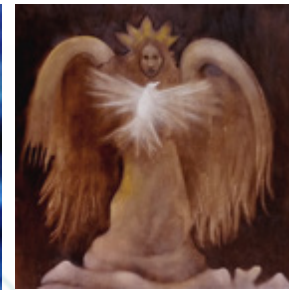
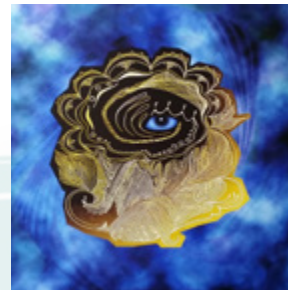
Robyn Bellosporito

Mystic Visions

March 8 – March 30, 2023

Opening Reception: Sunday, March 12 • 2:00 – 4:00 pm

Artist Robyn Bellosporito has been exhibiting her art for over thirty years in galleries and museums in the New York metropolitan area, around the country, and abroad. The artist describes her work by saying, "Art has been a powerful form of self-expression for me since I was young. Images emerge spontaneously without any pre-planning, allowing my subconscious to work its way into material form. Since my recent strokes in 2022, I began painting circles that help me find acceptance in the present moment. There has always been a spiritual component in my work. Through my art I tap into the power of the great mystery and reach out to viewers with a connection of our deeply personal yet shared universal human experience."



Carol Schanker

Existential Art

April 4 - May 1, 2023

Carol Schanker presents her mixed media work on paper: ink, water soluble crayon, acrylics, and watercolors. The artist works in a state of mindful meditation, and hopes to inspire such a state in the viewer as they follow the lines, juxtaposed forms, and colors of each piece.



Main Street Display Cases

Through March 30, 2023

Off the Clock: The Creativity of HPL Staff

Did you know that some of your favorite library workers paint, draw, write poetry, knit, make jewelry, and more? Our hidden talents are revealed in this staff exhibit! Catch a glimpse of what the most creative library staff members are up to when they're "off the clock."



April 1 – 31, 2023

The Tucker 48: Keeping the Dream Alive

Celebrate Tucker's 75th Anniversary! The Tin Goose prototype and fifty cars with a unique center headlight were manufactured before production was forced to cease by the SEC. Dr. Meredith Jaffe will present this special car's history with models and other "automobila."



FRIENDS NEWS

Friends News!

Something new that we are embarking on is having seasonal themed baskets that we will sell raffles as a way to raise money. Our initial basket, *Beat the Winter Doldrums*, was very popular! Watch the weekly emails from the library to see our next basket!

We are also sprucing up our book room at the Main building and look for our new Book Sale Shelf at the Station Library!

We are always looking for new members who want to join us. Our monthly meetings are on the first Tuesday of each month at 9:00 am in the Meeting Room at the Main building.

Please feel free to come join us!

Join the Friends of HPL! Meetings are March 7 & April 4 at 9am.

Friends Membership Form

New _____ Renew _____

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____

Email _____

Senior/Student \$5.00 _____ Individual \$10.00

Family \$15.00 _____ Sponsor \$35.00

Donation \$ _____

_____ I would like to help with Friends' book sales.

You may drop off your membership form and check to the Customer Service Desk

or mail them to: The Friends of HPL
c/o Huntington Public Library
338 Main Street
Huntington, NY 11743



We invite you to join the
**FRIENDS OF THE
HUNTINGTON
PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Assisted Services

Andrew Heiskell Braille and Talking Book Library

Eligible residents of New York City and Long Island, with visual and other impairments, may receive braille and audio materials through the Andrew Heiskell Library, a division of New York Public Library.

Materials By Mail

If you are unable to visit the library due to a temporary or permanent condition, we will bring the library to you. Request items or have a librarian select them for you. Contact Cathy Ferguson at 631-427-5165, ext. 254, or email: catherine_ferguson@huntlib.org for more information.

Curbside Pickup

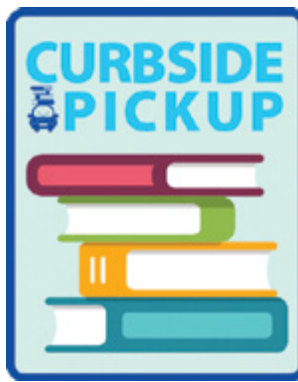
Main Library: Prospect Street by Book Drop & Station Branch: Parking Lot

For hours and availability, please call our Customer Service desk at 631-427-5165, ext. 242.

1. Place a hold. When your hold is ready you will be notified by email or phone.
2. When a hold is ready, call the library for pick up information.

Curbside Pickup Rules and Guidelines

- Pick up times may vary - please call ahead.
- A limit of 20 items may be picked up at a time.
- WiFi Hotspots and Museum Passes are not eligible for Curbside Pickup.



Funding Information Center



The library is part of Candid's (formerly known as the Foundation Center) Funding Information Network, a program of free funding information centers providing collections of materials and services related to grant seeking and fund raising.

The library provides free, onsite access to Candid's Grants to Individuals and Foundation Directory Online Professional databases for individuals and nonprofit organizations. For more information, contact Suzy Bloom, Foundation Collection Supervisor at 631-427-5165, ext. 251, or email: suzy_bloom@huntlib.org.

MUSEUM PASSES *Please check with museums in advance, hours are subject to change.*

There are two types of museum passes available for patrons over 18-years of age who are HPL cardholders in good standing: **Print-On-Demand** or **Pick Up and Return** passes. You can make a reservation in-person, by telephone, or online at www.myhpl.org, under the On-Site Services tab. Reservations may be made up to two months in advance and a household can reserve two passes per month.

Check with the museum prior to your visit for hours of operation and visitation guidelines. For more information, call 631-427-5165, ext. 173.

Print-On-Demand passes can be printed out at the time you reserve them or at any time up to the date of your reservation. They do not need to be returned and are valid *only* on the day of your reservation.



Print On Demand

- American Airpower Museum
- Cold Spring Harbor Fire House Museum
- Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery & Aquarium
- Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum
- Fire Island Lighthouse
- The Frick Collection
- Garvies Point Museum and Preserve
- The Heckscher Museum of Art
- Holocaust Memorial and Tolerance Center of Nassau County
- Intrepid Sea, Air, & Space Museum
- Jewish Museum (NYC)
- The Long Island Maritime Museum
- The Long Island Museum
- Nassau County Firefighters Museum
- Nassau County Museum of Art
- New York Hall of Science
- New York Historical Society
- New York Transit Museum
- Old Westbury Gardens
- Parrish Art Museum



- Raynham Hall Museum
- Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium
- Walt Whitman Birthplace State Historic Site and Interpretive Center

Pick Up and Return passes can be checked out for three days and are obtained at the Reference Desk at our Main Branch and must be returned there.



Pick Up & Return to Library

Please note: a \$10.00 per day late fee is charged if a Pick Up and Return pass is returned past the scheduled due date. After three (3) days past due, the patron will additionally be charged the replacement cost of the museum membership.

- Old Bethpage Village Restoration
- Brooklyn Botanic Garden
- Cooper Hewitt Smithsonian Design Museum
- Cradle of Aviation Museum
- Empire Pass
- Guggenheim Museum
- The Long Island Children's Museum
- Lt. Michael P. Murphy Navy Seal Museum * New Pass
- Museum of Modern Art
- Museum of the City of New York
- New York Hall of Science
- Planting Fields Arboretum
- Sagtikos Manor

Thank you to the Friends of the Huntington Public Library for their support.



Board of Trustees

Email: trustees@huntlib.org
Ann M. Berger, President
Charles Rosner, Vice-President
Ann Scolnick, Finance Officer
Pat McKenna-Bausch, Secretary
Kimberly Hawkins, Trustee

Board of Trustees Meeting

Budget Presentation & Meet the Candidates, 6:00 pm
Tuesday, March 28 - **Station Library**

Annual Budget Vote & Trustee Election, 10:00am - 9:00 pm
Tuesday, April 11 - **Main Library**

Board of Trustees Meeting, 6:00 pm
Tuesday, April 18 - **Main Library**

The Library's Mission Statement

It is the mission of the Huntington Public Library to collect, preserve, promote, and make available materials and technologies to serve the changing informational, educational, professional, cultural, and recreational needs and interests of the community. Approved by the Board of Trustees, February 2010

Administration

Director: Joanne Adam, ext. 206
joanne_adam@huntlib.org
Assistant Director: Kristine Casper, ext. 203
kristine_casper@huntlib.org
Station Branch Manager: José-Rodrigo Hernandez, ext. 126
jose_hernandez@huntlib.org

Friends of the Huntington Public Library

friends@huntlib.org

Huntington Library Foundation

hplfoundation@huntlib.org

Newsletter

Editor: Kristine Casper
Designer: Patrick Aievoli

Main Library

338 Main Street, Huntington, NY 11743
Phone: 631-427-5165

Station Branch

1335 New York Avenue, Huntington Station, NY 11746
Phone: 631-421-5053

Hours:

Monday through Friday: 9:00 am – 9:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Sunday: 1:00 – 5:00 pm

The Library will be:

Closed: Sunday, April 9 - Easter Sunday



Library Closings are reported on our website, phone message, and the NEWS12 website.

The Library is glad to provide reasonable accommodations for patrons with special needs. Please call us at least one week prior to the program to make arrangements.



Staff and press may take photographs and video at Library programs for use in publicity. Please inform us if you do not want you or your child photographed or videotaped.

