

## Discount Tickets Available



Planning a day trip? This spring, the library will be offering discount tickets to a variety of attractions. They include:

- Family sports and entertainment venue Boomers (\$15);
- Bronx Zoo (\$29)
- Long Island Aquarium (\$20)
- New York Botanical Gardens (\$15).



Please note that quantities are limited, and some tickets have an expiration date. Tickets will be available for purchase this month at the Circulation Desk.

## It's Testing Time



Parents, help your kids with standardized tests by showing them that they have free access to online practice tests and study skills exercises.

Students who are taking the SAT, ACT, Regents and AP exams can study with SkillSurfer on BrainFuse. Younger students can brush up on skills in reading, math and science.

### Live Tutoring

BrainFuse also offers free, online on-on-one tutoring Monday-Sunday, 2-11 p.m. Connect with a live tutor and get help in a variety of subjects. Spanish speaking tutors are available.

To access, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) and click on the blue "Homework Help" button. Log in with your library barcode and start studying.



To support our students, we are offering Study Hours in the Young Adult Library this month. See Page 5 for details.

## Learn A New Language



Pronunciator is a free, online language instruction service you can use to learn any of 80 languages at your own pace. It offers speech recognition, so you can perfect your pronunciation.

This free resource can also be used to learn and practice English. To access, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) and click on the blue "Learn A Language" button on the left. Register with your South Huntington library card and start learning.

# South Huntington Public Library

## newsletter

## Thanks for Your Support!

South Huntington voters approved the 2019-20 library operating budget last month, 294-36, an 89 percent approval rate.

Trustee Eileen Sullivan was re-elected to a five-year term.

The approved spending plan will allow the library to continue to offer programs and services designed to support lifelong learning, inspire creativity and enrich patrons' lives, all of which contribute to strengthening the community.

While voting is serious business, there was a bit of fun to be had on Budget Vote Day. Children voted for their favorite dessert to create at home and, no surprise, the ice cream sundae won by a landslide.

Adults who voted participated in a free raffle sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Winners were Sally Nikolis, Fitbit Charge 3; Linda Husar, Amazon Echo; and Tina Campbell, Chromebook. Many thanks to all who voted!

## Bus Trip: Foxwood Casino & Tanger Outlets Thursday, July 18. Register May 11

Join us for this fun day trip to Foxwood Casino/Tanger Outlets in Connecticut. We will travel comfortably by coach bus to the complex, where you can try your luck in the casino, have lunch in one of the eateries, browse the shops and entertainment venues and more.

Each person will receive a \$15 slot play/buffet voucher.

The cost is \$40 per ticket. South Huntington cardholders can sign up beginning **May 11**, others May 18. *No refunds unless we can fill your seat from the waiting list.*



## E-Books on the Go

Maybe you're traveling this spring or perhaps commuting by train. Or maybe you just like to have something to read at all times. Lighten your load a bit by taking along e-books instead of the real thing. Free e-book content is available through the library, including best-sellers, novels, travel

guidebooks, cookbooks, mysteries, biographies and more. There are also titles for kids and teens.

To access, simply download the free Libby app onto your smartphone or tablet, find the South Huntington Public Library and log in with your library barcode and PIN. You can browse the collection or search for specific titles. Audiobooks are also available. *The Library is hosting an e-books drop-in session on Tuesday, May 14 at 1 p.m. See Page 3.*

## "See For Yourself" Low Vision Fair – Fri., May 3, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

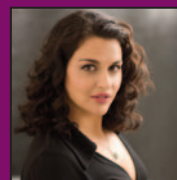
**Suffolk Cooperative Library System, 627 North Sunrise Highway Service Road, Bellport. 631.286-1600.**

Vendors will provide hands-on demonstrations of assistive technology, while representatives from several non-profit organizations, county agencies and service providers will offer information that will enhance the lives of people living with vision loss. Plan for about 1 ½ hours to visit with all of the exhibitors. Free; open to all.

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The Library will be closed on May 26 & 27 – Memorial Day.

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# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Recital Series



**Soprano  
Deborah Lifton  
Sun., May 19  
at 2:30 p.m.**

Soprano Deborah Lifton will perform classical songs and arias. She will be accompanied on piano by Charis Di-paris. All welcome.

## Art Exhibit

**The Human Condition: Works by Alan M. Richards  
May 11-June 6. Opening recep-  
tion: Sat. May 11, 2-4 p.m.**

Alan M. Richards uses multiple digital photographic images or segments of images and/or drawings and fuses them to create a single composite image. The images may be playful, satirical, or of a more serious nature. "I try to tell a story with each image," he says. "My artwork is clearly a representation of my psyche and how it relates to the human condition. It represents how I view events and the interaction between people." He adds that he is inspired by the work of Edward Hopper and Rene Magritte.



## Get Creative

**THURSDAY KNITTING  
Thurs., May 2, 1:30-4 p.m.**

Meet other knitters in the community. Bring your latest project and knit with others. Veteran knitters can share their knowledge with new knitters. The group gathers in the Program Room this month.

**COLOR YOUR WORLD  
ADULT COLORING  
Fri., May 3 & Wed., May 22,  
10 a.m.-12 p.m.**

Who says coloring is just for kids? Let your creative juices flow and color something beautiful while you socialize and meet others in the community. The library will provide coloring pages and pencils, but feel free to bring your own.

**JEWELRY CRAFT:  
BEAD WEAVING  
Wed., May 8 at 6:30 p.m.**

In this fun and exciting class you will make a beautiful bracelet that



uses a bead weaving technique using crystals and pearls. It's a perfect gift for mom, or for yourself! Different color choices will be available, and all materials will be supplied. A magnet clasp is used to make your bracelet easy to get on and off. There is a \$10 materials fee, payable at registration beginning **May 1** for SHPL, others May 8.

**WRITING FICTION  
Thurs., May 9-June 13 at  
6:30 p.m.**

Learn how to write effective fiction with *New York Times* best-selling author and award winning journalist Robbie Woliver, who will challenge you with different genres, from short stories to flash fiction. There is a \$25 fee, payable at registration beginning **May 2** for South Huntington cardholders, others May 9, if there is space.

**FOLK MUSIC JAM  
Sun., May 12 at 1 p.m.**

The Folk Music Society of Huntington will hold its monthly acoustic jam. New participants and listeners welcome.

**CROCHET: MAKE A BASKET  
Tues., May 14 & 21, 7 p.m.**

Make these trendy baskets with Craft Yarn Council Certified Teacher Jo Cohen. Beginners will learn the first two stitches you will need to begin your project. Already know how to crochet? You will learn some basic shaping methods. Materials: Large Basket: Size N hook, 325 yards of bulky weight yarn (Craft Yarn Council symbol 5). Medium Basket: Size N hook, 216 yards of bulky weight yarn (Symbol 5.) Small Basket: Size I hook, 130 yards of worsted weight yarn (Symbol 4). There is a \$5 fee, payable at registration beginning **May 1** for SHPL, others May 8.



**FELTING WORKSHOP  
Fri., May 17,  
9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.**

Instructor Oksana Danziger will teach the needle felting technique and you will make a beautiful felted flower. There is a \$15 materials fee per person, payable at registration beginning **May 3** for SHPL; others May 10.



## Food & Cooking

**COOKING WITH HERBS  
Mon., May 20 at 7 p.m.**

Cooking with herbs has taken on a new importance as we try to reduce salt and fat in the diet. The aromatic leaves are more than garnishes -- they contribute vibrant color, flavor and texture to dishes. Fresh herbs can be used daily in all types of cooking to enrich taste and add much nutrition. Healthy Chef

Kathryn will demonstrate the most popular herbs to plant for summer and prepare a delicious pesto. You'll also learn the history of spices and herbs that distinguish national cuisines. There is a \$10 fee, payable at registration beginning **May 3** for SHPL; others May 10.



**COOKING CLASS: BLUE-  
BERRY BUCKLE  
Tues., May 28 at 7 p.m.**

Chef Rob will help you kick off the summer entertaining season with a delicious dessert that is perfect for any summer party or potluck. Please bring to class and 9-inch square baking pan, large and medium bowls and rubber spatula. Your blueberry buckle will be ready to take home and bake. Fee \$10. SHPL registers beginning **May 7**, others May 14.



## History & Genealogy

**NORTH SHORE CIVIL WAR  
ROUNDTABLE  
Thurs., May 2 at 7 p.m.**

Les Jensen, curator of the Museum of West Point, will discuss the uniforms of the soldiers of the Confederacy. All welcome.

**DATING THE DEAD  
Sat., May 4 at 11 a.m.**

Using fashion and style clues can help you date old photos. Each attendee can bring one photo.

**WEST POINT FLUTE CORPS  
CONCERT  
Sun., May 5 at 2:30 p.m.**

The Flute Corps from the West Point Band will perform. Hear instruments from the bass flute to the piccolo. Co-sponsored with the LI Flute Club. All welcome.



## Community Meetings

**FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY  
Wed., May 1 at 7 p.m.**

Join us as we discuss upcoming events, fund raisers and volunteer opportunities. Bring a friend!

**AARP VOLUNTEERS  
Thurs., May 9 at 10 a.m.**

Meet others and learn about volunteer opportunities in the community.

**SOUTH HUNTINGTON-HUNT-  
INGTON STATION CIVIC  
ASSOCIATION  
Thurs., May 23 at 7 p.m.**

The group will host a forum with representatives from the Suffolk County Police Department and Police Commissioner Geraldine Hart.

## Lecture & Discussion

**COMBATING HATE GROUPS  
ON LONG ISLAND  
Wed., May 8 at 10:15 a.m.**

Det. Sanford Shulder, from the Suffolk County Police Hate Crimes Unit, will discuss types of hate crimes found on Long Island what police are doing to fight them.

**THE WORLD BEFORE  
YOUR FEET  
Wed., May 29 at 10:15 a.m.**

Matt Green will discuss his documentary, *The World Before Your Feet*, which memorializes the mundane city streets, sidewalks, vacant lots, stoops, and storefronts in the city. Both co-sponsored with The Greens Mens Group. All welcome.

# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Learn Something New

### BUYING A CAR: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

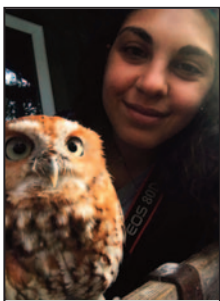
**Mon., May 13 at 7 p.m.**

Huntington Town Councilwoman Joan Cergol is sponsoring this workshop, which will educate you about the process of purchasing a vehicle. Get tips, learn about pitfalls to avoid and more.

### ALL ABOUT WILDLIFE REHABILITATION

**Tues., May 14 at 7 p.m.**

Calling all animal lovers! Writer, artist and scientist Erica Cirino gives us a peek into the life of a wildlife rehabilitator, nursing sick and



injured wildlife back to health for eventual return into the wild. She will elaborate on human-caused threats, particularly those posed by plastic pollution. Erica has worked in the field as a licensed wildlife rehabilitator for 11 years, healing sick and injured hawks, owls, turtles, opossums, rabbits and scores of other animals. Learn how you can best help Long Island's wildlife in need and hear Erica's stories from her work in this exciting field. Join us!

### GRANDPARENTING TODAY

**Wed., May 15,**

**10 a.m.-12 p.m.**

Child rearing practices have changed over time. You have raised your children and are now helping to care for your grandchildren while their parents are



at work. Learn what today's child development research recommends for young children regarding discipline, brain development, sleep needs, safety issues and screen use (smart phones, computers). Positive communication between parents and grandparents is critical, and effective methods will be discussed. Free, but please reserve your seat. South Huntington cardholders register **May 3**, others May 10.

### GENEALOGY DROP-IN

**Thurs., May 2, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.**



Thinking about tracing your roots but don't know where to start? Or maybe your search is under way and you've hit a dead end. Librarian PJ Novak will be on hand to show you how to access

free genealogical resources, including Ancestry.com, through the library and to offer search tips and advice. No registration necessary.

### ALL ABOUT AMAZON ECHO & ALEXA

**Thurs., May 9 at 7 p.m.**

Learn all about this smart home speaker that can play music, answer questions, keep track of appointments and more. SHPL can reserve a seat beginning May 2, others May 9.



## Tech Center

### eBAY FOR SELLERS

**Mon., May 13 at 7 p.m.**

Cleaning out your garage, attic or shed and want to sell excess items on eBay? This class is for you. Learn how to pick a listing format, write item descriptions, add photos, set prices, and pack items for shipment as well as how to use eBay's mobile app to create and edit listings on the go. South Huntington cardholders can reserve their seat beginning May 2, others May 9.

### ALL ABOUT E-BOOKS

**Tues., May 14 at 1 p.m.**

Looking for free e-book content? Drop by and librarian Jo Ann will be on hand to help you download the free app, browse the digital collection and check out titles. Please bring your portable device (smartphone, tablet, etc.) along with your library card and PIN.



### BEGINNER POWERPOINT II

**Wed., May 15 at 7 p.m.**

This class will cover how to arrange presentations for animating and transitioning slides, to make a professional slide show. The topic of sections and summarizing are also discussed. Pre-requisites: basic PowerPoint skills, inserting, formatting.

South Huntington patrons can reserve their seat beginning **May 1**, others May 8.

### iPAD BASICS

**Thurs., May 16 at 11 a.m.**

Librarian PJ Novak will show you the basics of using this popular tablet, as well as how to access free e-book content from the library. Please bring to class your iPad, Apple ID and library card. South Huntington cardholders can reserve their seat

beginning May 2.

### CUTTING THE CORD

**Tues., May 21 at 7 p.m.**

Learn about the many different alternatives to traditional cable, along with their costs, pros, cons and other factors to consider when deciding if and how to cut the cord. Alternatives to be demonstrated include Netflix, Hulu, Amazon and Google streaming, Kodi, and many popular TV streaming systems such as PS Vue. SHPL registers beginning **May 7**, others May 14.



### VIRTUAL REALITY DEMO

**Thurs., May 30, 5-7:30 p.m.**

South Huntington patrons aged 13 and up can take a virtual tour using the library's new virtual reality equipment. Travel under the sea, out into space, through the human body and more. Registration is required. **Please call the library to make an appointment beginning May 9.** Participants should bring a pair of ear buds to their session.

## Books & Reading

### JANE AUSTEN SOCIETY

**Sat., May 4 at 1 p.m.**

One of Jane Austen's favorite novels was *Clarissa* by Samuel Richardson. It is probably the ultimate story of sexual predation, with *Clarissa* dying from the shame of Lovelace's assault. Austen describes lots of predators in her writings, some sexual, others seeking money, marriage, or social standing. Please join us to discuss the villains and victims of Austen's novels; there are enough to create a #MeToo chapter of their own. All welcome.



### NEXT CHAPTER BOOK CLUB

**Tues., May 7-28,**

**10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.**

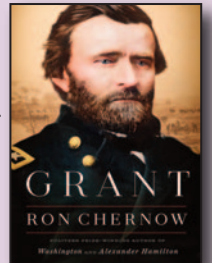
For adults (19 and older) with intellectual and developmental disabilities, who gather in a relaxed setting to form lasting friendships through reading aloud and talking about books. Anyone can participate, regardless of their reading level. Facilitated by trained volunteers. To register, please call Kim Nau at Literacy Nassau at 516-867-3580 (ext. 18) or send an e-mail to her at knau@literacynassau.org.

### NON-FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION

**Wed., May 15**

**at 11 a.m.**

Moderator Helen Harris will conclude the discussion of *Grant* by Ron Chernow.



### EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

**Wed., May 15 at 7 p.m.**

Join us for a discussion of *Baby Teeth* by Zoje Stage. Copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. New participants and listeners welcome.



### BOOK TALK READING CLUB

**Tues., May 21 at 11:30 a.m.**

Moderator Helen Harris will lead a discussion of *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng. Copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. New participants, listeners welcome.



# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Health & Wellness

### MEDICARE BASICS

Tues., May 7 at 11 a.m.

Medicare can be complicated, so join us for this workshop with HIICAP volunteer Lynn Elinson to learn the basics. Topics will include the enrollment process, Parts A, B, C and D; costs, coverage options and more. Bring your questions.

### BRAIN GAMES

Thurs., May 9 at 1 p.m.

Come and stimulate your mind through fun and challenging brain booster exercises and learn the difference between normal memory loss and dementia. You will also learn ways you can stimulate your brain at home so that you can stay healthy and fit! Caregivers and their loved ones welcome.

### HEALTH INSURANCE COUNSELING & ASSISTANCE

Mon., May 20, 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Do you have questions about Medicare or Medicare-related health insurance? Lynn Elinson, volunteer with the Health Information, Counseling & Assistance Program (HIICAP), will work with you one-on-one. Free, but please call the library to make an appointment: 631.549.4411.

### CHAIR YOGA

Sats., June 1-29, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

With instructor Maria McEvoy. Great for everyone, especially those with movement and/or balance issues. There is a \$26 fee for this 5-session class. SHPL registers beginning **May 4**, others May 11.

## May is Better Hearing & Speech Month!

### HEARING AIDS: HOW TO CHOOSE THE RIGHT ONE

Thurs., May 16 at 1:30 p.m.

Join the experts from Island Better Hearing for an in depth guide on how to select a hearing aid. They will review signs of hearing loss and how to diagnosis it. The main focus will be on the selection and verification process of amplification. With so many options and brands to choose from, buying a hearing aid can seem over-



whelming. Learn the facts and be proactive in improving your hearing and quality of life. A free hearing screening will be offered following the lecture. All welcome.

### FREE HEARING SCREENING

Thurs., May 16, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Specialists from Island Better Hearing in Melville will conduct free hearing screenings. First come, first served. All welcome.

## Fun & Games

### GAME DAY

Weds., May 1-29, 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Whether you enjoy bridge, canasta or mah jong, bring your game supplies and some friends and spend time playing and socializing. We will set up tables and chairs in the Young Adult Library on the lower level.

## Adult Learning

### LEARN TO SPEAK ENGLISH

Weds., May 8-22, 7 p.m.

Adults who want to learn English are invited to participate in free ESL classes. Taught by a native English speaker, the classes are designed to help new English speakers practice and improve basic reading, writing, speaking and listening skills in English, in a

casual and fun environment. The classes are free and open to all.

## Be A Better Driver

### DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Sat., May 18, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Learn to be a better driver, and save money on your auto insurance. There is a \$28 fee, payable at registration beginning **May 4** for South Huntington cardholders; others May 11.

### AARP SMART DRIVING

Sat., June 1 OR Wed., June 26, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Bring a ball point pen, bag lunch, driver's license and a check or money order per person made out to AARP. NO CASH. The fee is \$20 for AARP members who bring their card; \$25 non-members. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 14**, others May 21.

## Monday Movies @ 2:30 p.m.

### May 6: *Can You Ever Forgive Me?*

Lee Israel made her living in the '70s and '80s profiling celebrities. When she is no longer able to get published because she has fallen out of step with current tastes, she turns her art form to deception, abetted by her loyal friend Jack. Melissa McCarthy, Richard E. Grant. R, 106 mins.



### May 13: *Vice*

The story of Dick Cheney, a Washington insider and bureaucrat, who George W. Bush picked to run with him in the 2000 election. After winning the election, Cheney acquired substantial power and began to reshape the United States, along with the world, in ways that are still noticeable today. Christian Bale, Amy Adams, Steve Carell. R, 132 mins.



### May 20: *The Mule*

Earl Stone takes a job as a drug courier for a Mexican cartel. His immediate success leads to easy money and a larger shipment that soon draws the attention of hard-charging DEA agent Colin Bates. Clint Eastwood, Bradley Cooper. R, 115 mins.



### May 27: Library Closed – Memorial Day

## Friday 50th Filmfest @ 6:30 p.m.

Celebrate the 50th anniversary of these movies released in 1969.

### May 3: *On Her Majesty's Secret Service*

Agent 007 confronts Blofeld, who's planning a germ warfare assault on the world. George Lazenby, Diana Rigg. PG, 142 mins.



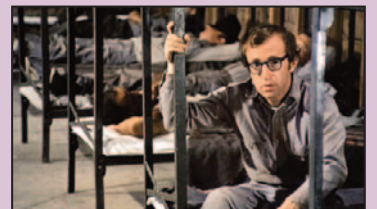
### May 10: *Goodbye, Mr. Chips*

Mr. Chips, a prim and proper classics professor at an English all-boys school, falls in love with a London dance-hall girl and marries her. The couple makes Brookfield Academy for Boys home and brightens the school with their unlikely union. Peter O'Toole, Petula Clark. G, 154 mins.



### May 17: *Take the Money and Run*

Mockumentary-style life story of an unlucky bank robber. Woody Allen, Janet Margolin. PG, 85 mins.



### May 24: *Cactus Flower*

A middle aged bachelor dentist gets involved with a kooky mistress, refusing to admit his real love for his prim and proper receptionist. Goldie Hawn, Ingrid Bergman, Walter Matthau. PG, 104 mins.



### May 31: *Hello, Dolly!*

Musical set in the 1890s about a professional matchmaker who meets her match. Barbra Streisand, Walter Matthau, Louis Armstrong. G, 148 mins.



# Teen Services

Programs are for SHPL cardholders entering grades 6-12 unless otherwise indicated. Registrations begin at 9:30 a.m. (Wednesdays at 10 a.m.) and some programs at 7 p.m.

## Use the Force to Escape the Room Friday, May 3, 6:30 p.m. or 7:30 p.m.



Oh no! While BB-8 was on a secret mission for the Resistance, the First Order found and abducted him. Luckily, he was

able to send a distress signal the moment he was captured. Use the clues and work as a team to help free BB-8! Registration begins **April 26**. Please be on time as we start immediately. Sign up for one session only.

## Study Hours in the Library Sundays, May 5 & 12, 1-5 p.m. Mondays, May 6 & 13, 5-9 p.m. Tuesdays, May 7 & 14, 3-6 p.m. Wednesdays, May 8 & 15, 5-9 p.m. Thursday, May 9, 3-6 p.m.



The YA Library will provide extra tables and chairs for group study in support of our local school students preparing for AP examinations. During these hours, gam-

ing will be suspended, cell phones should be muted and only quiet conversation will be permitted.

## Volunteer Opportunity: Thank a Police Officer Thursday, May 9, 7-8 p.m.



Help celebrate National Police Week by putting together Thank You bags for our local police officers. Show your gratitude and receive an hour of community service. Registration

begins **May 2 at 7 p.m.**

## Marvellous Monograms for Mother's Day Friday, May 10, 7-8:30 p.m.



Make a magnificent monogram for your Mom! Decorate a linen canvas with your loved one's initial and add beautiful embellishments for a gift to treasure. Register **May 1**.

## Tinkercad for Teens Tuesday, May 14, 6:30-7:30 p.m.



Learn the basics of this free, online program to start your design in the 3D world because flat is boring! Registration begins **May 7**.

## Volunteer Opportunity: EMT Goodie Bags Thursday, May 16, 7-8 p.m.

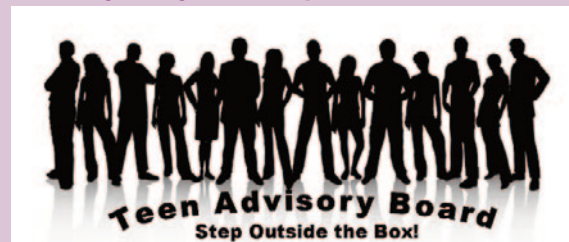


Help put together Thank You bags for our local EMTs. Show your gratitude and receive an hour of community service. Registration begins **May 9 at 7 p.m.**

## Get Your Art On! Friday, May 17, 6:30-8 p.m.

Drop in and decoupage with friends while listening to tunes from our librarian DJ. All materials will be provided. No registration required.

## Teen Advisory Board Tuesday, May 21 at 7 p.m.



The Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is an active organization made up of teens in grades 6-12 who work together to make a difference in our library. They help decide what YA materials should be purchased, plan programs and work on special projects. Meetings are usually held on the third Tuesday night of the month at 7 p.m. Community service hours are provided. New members are always welcome!

## Battle of the Books Interest Meeting Wednesday, May 22, 5-6 p.m.



If you are entering grades 6, 7, 8 or 9 in September and love to read, we have the program for you! We need your skills to read and memorize trivia from eight pre-selected books to compete against other Suffolk libraries for the title of County Champion! Meetings will be on

Thursdays in the YA library, with the actual battle taking place on Saturday, August 10 and Monday, August 12. Come to this meeting to find out what it is all about! Refreshments will be served.

## Teen STEAM Challenge Fri., May 24, 7-8 p.m. Register **May 10** Fri., June 14, 7-8 p.m. Register **May 31**



Exercise your STEAM problem solving skills in this friendly team competition. A fun challenge will be unveiled on the night of the program to be sure you use your noodle, not your Google!

## Youth Employment Skills Wednesday, May 29, 6-7 p.m.



Looking for a job and don't know how to get started? Teens will learn how to look for a job, fill out an application and prepare for an interview. In addition, teens learn important skills for succeeding in a job. Project Excel counselors interview the students, check their references and refer them to local part time and odd jobs. Registration begins **May 15**.

## Beautiful Bracelets Friday, May 31, 7-8:30 p.m.



Choose from a variety of colorful beads and embellishments to create a one of a kind bracelet. Registration

begins **May 17**.

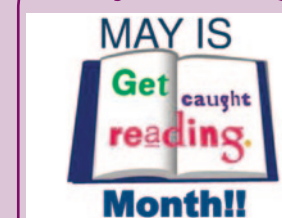
## Escape the Room: The Lost Mummy Friday, June 7, 6:30 p.m. or 7:30 p.m.



You have been trapped in a secret passage, and Cleopatra's mummies have been awakened to find the stolen gem!! Use clues and work as a team to escape the passage before the mummies

get you! Register for one session: 6:30 p.m. or 7:30 p.m. Please be on time as we start immediately. Register beginning **May 24**.

## May is Get Caught Reading Month



Since 1999, this nationwide campaign promotes the fun of reading books for all ages. Stop by the YA Library for tips and tricks to help make

reading a daily activity in your life. If we catch you reading, we may ask to take your picture and offer you a sweet treat!

# Children's Programs

## A Family Place Library

**Register for programs in 1 of 3 ways:** In person at SHPL, call us at 631.549.4411 and ask for the Children's Desk, or online at shpl.info (Click Full Program Calendar and click on the desired program to read details and availability.) **Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. (Wed. at 10 a.m.) and 7 p.m. for some programs.** Caregiver and child **MUST** have a valid South Huntington Library Card to register. *If you are more than 10 mins. late for a program and haven't called to hold your child's spot, we will assume you are not coming and will allow waiting patrons to attend.*

### family programs

#### DROP IN AND PLAY

**Fri., May 3-17, & 31, 12-3 p.m. and Fri., May 24, 10-3 p.m., all ages**

Get out of the house, meet other parents and kids and have fun playing and talking together. Stay and play for as long as you like.

#### CRAFTS GALORE

**Sun., May 5, 2-4 p.m., all ages**



Stop by the library and let your creativity out as you dive into our pool of crafts. No registration required.

### early childhood programs

#### PICTURE BOOK TIME

**Thur., May 2-30, 10-10:30 a.m., 3-5 yrs.**



Listening to stories is one of the first steps in eventually learning to read. Enjoy stories, songs, fin-

gerplays, action rhymes, and other activities aimed at building a love of language, books, and reading. Registration is **ongoing**.

#### DANCING JELLY BEANS

**Thur., May 2-30, 11-11:30 a.m., birth-36 mos.**

Come shake your sillies out with Miss Janeth. We'll have lots of fun listening to groovy music, dancing, and playing with musical instruments. Drop-in.

#### WIGGLING ON THE WEEKEND

**Sat., May 11, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs.**

Have fun with early childhood educator, Lisa Havekotte. Enjoy playing, dancing, singing, bubbles, listening to stories and making a cool craft. Register **May 4**.

#### PLAYHOORAY BABIES & KIDS

**Sat., May 18, 10-10:45 a.m., 3 mos.-5 yrs.**



Music and fun for your little one! Lively musical activities will have everyone up and moving to the beat! Incorporates

fine and gross motor skill activities, nursery rhymes, books, rhythm sticks, hula hoops, dancing, hobby horses, parades and more. Register **May 4**.

#### JUMPBUNCH

**Wed., May 8 - Jun. 12, 10:15-11 a.m., and Wed., May 8 - Jun. 12, 11:15-12 p.m., 15-42 mos.**

JumpBunch is a fun, highly energetic introduction to a wide variety of sports & activities that even young learners benefit from! Have fun while focusing on spatial awareness, muscle development, and coordination. Register **May 1**.

#### A TIME FOR KIDS

**Fri., May 31-Jun. 14, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs.**

Enjoy a series of fun, educational classes for preschoolers (not yet in Kindergarten) and an adult caregiver. This is a skill building, interactive class that will help prepare your child for independent learning experiences. Register **May 17**.

#### KICK & PLAY

**Sat., Jun. 1, 10-10:45 a.m., 12-36 mos.**



Experienced instructors along with puppet friends, Mimi & Pepe, will take you and your little one through

a world of exciting physical activity designed to develop pre-soccer skills that will have your toddler learning to balance, run, kick and play - all while having a blast! Register **May 18**.

#### MUSICAL MUNCHKINS

**Mon., Jun. 3-17, 10-10:45 a.m., 0-36 mos.**

Start the week off having some fun with your little one! Come join us for bubbles, stories, music, and more. Siblings welcome. Register **May 20 at 7 p.m.**

#### SO BIG!

**Tue., Jun. 4-18, 10-11 a.m., 18-35 mos.**

Look, listen, and have fun with songs, stories, and movement activities. When storytime is over, there will be 20 minutes of playtime with age-appropriate toys. Siblings welcome. Register **May 21**.

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#### LEGO CLUB

**Sat., May 4, 10:30-11:30 p.m., OR Sun., May 19, 2-3 p.m., K-5 gr.**



Come and spend some time building with our Legos. Everyone will get the chance to

build something based on the month's theme. Participants will have their creations displayed in the library for 2 weeks. Registration begins **May 1 at 7 p.m.**

#### KENTUCKY DERBY HATS & HORSES

**Sat., May 4, 2:30-3:30 p.m., K-4 gr.**



On your mark, get set, and prepare yourself for the fastest two minutes in sports! In honor of the 145th Kentucky Derby we'll make a fancy hat, sip

mock mint juleps, and watch from the Grandstand as SHPL's Teen Volunteers compete in their own version of the world's biggest horse race. Registration is **ongoing**.

#### FANCY NANCY MOTHER'S DAY TEA PARTY

**Tue., May 7, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 4-8 yrs.**



Ooh la la! Join us for an elegant affair as we make a craft and read stories based on the popular Fancy Nancy series. Light refresh-

ments (that's a fancy word for snacks) and tea will be served. Registration is **ongoing**.

#### YOGA KIDS

**Wed., May 8 - Jun. 19, 4:30-5:15 p.m., K-4 gr.**



Yoga is a fun way for kids to build strength, spirit, and self-esteem. By using interactive

games and animated postures, kids will build body awareness, improve concentration and focus, and learn how to release energy and relax. Register **May 1 at 7 p.m.**

#### AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

**Thur., May 9-23, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-2 gr.**



Hang out with your friends and enjoy stories, crafts, games and

snacks based on a fun theme. Register **May 2**.

#### BAKING COACH: HEART-SHAPED SPRINGTIME COOKIES

**Sat., May 11, 2:30-3:30 p.m., K-5 gr.**



Let's get creative and transform these hearts into works of art. Take home three cookies in a

bakery box. Register **May 4**.

#### LET'S PLANT SOME FLOWERS

**Fri., May 17, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-5 gr.**



Flowers for the garden! Join us to plant flowers in pots for the library's garden. Then watch them grow all summer. Gloves and snacks provided. Register **May 3**.

#### LEARN TO DRAW WITH ART

##### TEACHER AMY

**Sat., May 18,**

**2-3 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Art Teacher Amy will take you step-by-step through a drawing of a peacock using watercolors. No experience necessary! Register **May 4**.



#### TWEENS NIGHT OUT: TECH TOY PLAYGROUND

**Fri., May 24, 7-8 p.m., 4-6 gr.**



Spend an evening playing with the Library's new tech toys: Ozobots, Spheros, and 3Doodlers. Learn some basic programming skills

and have fun in this open-ended workshop! Register **May 10**.

#### BOOK SWAP PARTY

**Thur., May 30, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-5**



Please join us as we celebrate Get Caught Reading month with a Book Swap Party! The premise is

simple: Bring a book, take a book. We will also be crafting bookmarks, enjoying snacks, and making sure everyone leaves with something new for their home library. Each person gets to take home as many new books as they brought. Register **May 16**.

#### Kids Flick

(under 11 must be accompanied by an adult)

#### LEGO MOVIE 2

**Sat., May 25, 2:30 p.m.**



It's been five years since everything was

awesome and the citizens are facing a huge new threat: Lego Duplo invaders from outer space, wrecking everything faster than they can rebuild. PG, 107 mins.

# May

## SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

<p><b>ADULTS</b> <b>TEENS</b> <b>CHILDREN</b> <b>ALL AGES</b></p>	<p>* Please see program descriptions for registration information.</p>		<p><b>1</b> 11 a.m. Game Day 7 p.m. Friends of the Library</p>	<p><b>2</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 10 a.m. Genealogy Dropin 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 1:30 p.m. Thursday Knitting 7 p.m. North Shore Civil War Roundtable</p>	<p><b>3</b> 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 &amp; 7:30 p.m. Use the Force to Escape the Room* 6:30 p.m. 50th Filmfest: On Her Majesty's Secret Service</p>	<p><b>4</b> 9:30 a.m. Balance &amp; Stability Fitness* 10 a.m. AARP Smart Driving Class* 10:30 a.m. Lego Club* 11 a.m. Genealogy Lecture: Dating the Dead 1 p.m. Jane Austen Society 2:30 p.m. Kentucky Derby Hats &amp; Horses*</p>
<p><b>5</b> 2 p.m. Crafts Galore 2:30 p.m. West Point Flute Corps Concert</p>	<p><b>6</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Can You Ever Forgive Me?</p>	<p><b>7</b> 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. So Big!* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 11 a.m. Medicare Basics 2:30 p.m. Fancy Nancy Tea Party* 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga 7 p.m. Exec. TAB</p>	<p><b>8</b> 10:15 a.m. Combating Hate Groups on LI 10:15 &amp; 11:15 a.m. Jump-Bunch* 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 6:30 p.m. Jewelry Craft: Bead Weaving* 7 p.m. ESL Class</p>	<p><b>9</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. AARP Volunteers 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 11 a.m. Thursday Yoga* 1 p.m. Brain Games 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Writing Class* 7 p.m. Teen Volunteers: Thank A Police Officer* 7 p.m. Amazon Echo &amp; Alexa*</p>	<p><b>10</b> 10 a.m. Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. 50th Filmfest: Goodbye, Mr. Chips 7 p.m. Marvelous Monograms for Moms*</p>	<p><b>11</b> 9:30 a.m. Balance &amp; Stability Fitness* 10 a.m. Weekend Wiggling* 2-4 p.m. Art Exhibit Opening 2:30 p.m. Heart Shaped Cookies*</p>
<p><b>12</b> 1 p.m. Folk Music Jam HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!</p>	<p><b>13</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Vice 7 p.m. Buying A Car: What You Need to Know 7 p.m. eBay for Sellers*</p>	<p><b>14</b> 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. So Big!* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 1 p.m. All About E-Books 6:30 p.m. Tinkercad for Teens* 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 7 p.m. Crochet A Basket* 7 p.m. All About Wildlife Rehabilitation</p>	<p><b>15</b> 10 a.m. AARP Smart Driving* 10 a.m. Grandparenting Today* 10:15 &amp; 11:15 a.m. JumpBunch* 11 a.m. Non-Fict. Bk. Discuss. 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 7 p.m. ESL Class 7 p.m. Evening Book Discuss. 7 p.m. Beginner PowerPoint II*</p>	<p><b>16</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Pic. Book Time* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 11 a.m. Yoga* 11 a.m. iPad Basics* 1:30 p.m. Choosing the Right Hearing Aid 2:30 p.m. Free Hearing Screening 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Writing Class* 7 p.m. Teen Volunteers: Thank A Police Officer*</p>	<p><b>17</b> 9:30 a.m. Needle Felting Workshop* 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Let's Plant Flowers* 6:30 p.m. Get Your Art On! 6:30 p.m. 50th Filmfest: Take the Money &amp; Run</p>	<p><b>18</b> 9 a.m. Defensive Driving* 9:30 a.m. Balance &amp; Stability Fitness* 10 a.m. PlayHooray Babies &amp; Kids* 2 p.m. Learn to Draw*</p>
<p><b>19</b> 2 p.m. Lego Club* 2:30 p.m. Recital: Soprano Deborah Lifton</p>	<p><b>20</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Health Insurance Counseling 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: The Mule 7 p.m. Cooking with Herbs* 7 p.m. Library Board of Trustees Meeting</p>	<p><b>21</b> 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. So Big!* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 11:30 a.m. Book Talk Reading Club 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 7 p.m. Crochet A Basket* 7 p.m. Cutting The Cord* 7 p.m. Teen Advisory Board</p>	<p><b>22</b> 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10:15 &amp; 11:15 a.m. Jump-Bunch* 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 5 p.m. Battle of the Books Interest Meeting 7 p.m. ESL Class</p>	<p><b>23</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Yoga* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans Club* 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Writing Class* 7 p.m. SHHS Civic Assn.</p>	<p><b>24</b> 10 a.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. 50th Filmfest: Cactus Flower Challenge* 7 p.m. Teen STEAM Challenge* 7 p.m. Tweens Night Out*</p>	<p><b>25</b> 9:30 a.m. Balance &amp; Stability Fitness* 2:30 p.m. Kids Movie: Lego Movie 2</p>
<p><b>26</b> LIBRARY CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY</p>	<p><b>27</b> LIBRARY CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY</p>	<p><b>28</b> 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 7 p.m. Cooking Class: Blueberry Buckle*</p>	<p><b>29</b> 10:15 &amp; 11:15 a.m. Jump-Bunch* 10:15 a.m. The World Before Your Feet 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 6 p.m. Youth Employment Skills Program*</p>	<p><b>30</b> 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Yoga* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 4:30 p.m. Book Swap Party* 5 p.m. Virtual Reality Demo* 6:30 p.m. Writing Class*</p>	<p><b>31</b> 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. 50th Filmfest: Hello, Dolly! 7 p.m. Beautiful Beaded Bracelets*</p>	

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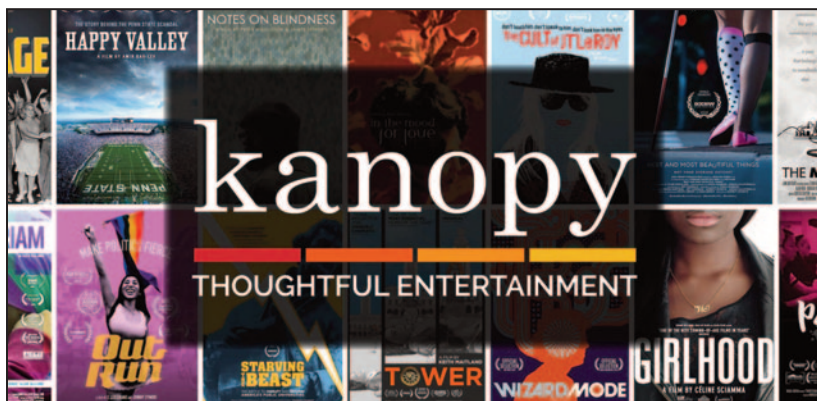
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