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Adult Winter Reading Challenge

Calling all bookworms! "Smitten with Reading" will open for registration on Sat., Jan. 4, and the first 30 people to sign up will receive a special prize. In addition to reading or listening to books, participants can donate new, unused hats, gloves, scarves, etc. for those who need a little extra warmth this season. "Let's Talk About Books" will conclude the program on Sat., March 7 featuring book discussions, refreshments and prizes. Visit the Adult Reference Desk or call 631.549.4411.

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.



Saturday Nights Are Back!

The library will once again extend its hours on Saturday nights in January, February and March. Full library services will be offered until 7 p.m., when a show will begin in the theater. Check out this line-up:

Jan. 4: Sympatico Jazz

This talented group, fronted by powerhouse vocalist Toni Washington-Bolt, will entertain us with popular jazz and blues, from Nina Simone and Etta James to Diana Krall.

January 25: The Precisions

Renowned as one of the classic East Coast groups from the golden era of rock and roll, The Precisions will entertain with their rich harmony, skilled musicianship and foot-tapping rhythms.

Jan. 11: The Karpenteers

This versatile quartet masterfully recreates the rich music and harmonies of The Carpenters while remaining faithful to the original arrangements.



Feb. 1 at 3 p.m.*: Children's Theater - Rainbow Fish Musical

Plaza Theatrical brings this children's classic to life. (*Please note early start.)

Jan. 18: The HollyWoulds: A Buddy Holly Tribute

This talented group pays tribute to one of Texas' favorite sons, faithfully recreating the songs that Buddy Holly wrote, recorded and covered throughout his short, yet influential, career. You'll hear all the hits, as well as deep cuts in all their sock hoppin' glory.

Feb. 8: Hourglass: A James Taylor Tribute

Hear all your favorites by this prolific singer-songwriter.

TICKET INFO: Registration for the Jan. 4 & 11 shows is under way. South Huntington cardholders can sign up for the remaining shows on Jan. 4. If signing up online at www.shpl.info, print your registration confirmation and bring it to the show. Tickets are valid until 6:50 p.m., when non-ticket holders will be seated, if there is space.

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Art Exhibit

The Colorful World of Stanko

Jan. 4-29. Opening reception: Sat., Jan. 4, 2-4 p.m.



A solo exhibit of paintings from artist Mike Stanko, a self-taught artist and lifelong Long Islander, will be on display this month in the Alfred Van Loen Gallery. Mike has been exhibiting his art for more than 25 years. Each of his paintings elevate the imagination by transforming his subjects into patterns of vibrant, expressive color along with his signature eye-catching style.

Get Creative

THURSDAY KNITTING

Thurs., Jan. 2, 1:30-4 p.m.

Meet others in the community who enjoy knitting. Bring your latest project and socialize while you knit.

COLOR YOUR WORLD ADULT COLORING

Fri., Jan. 3 and Wed., Jan. 15,
10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Who says coloring is just for kids? Meet others in the community and socialize while you create something beautiful. The library will provide coloring sheets and pencils, but feel free to bring your own.

FOLK MUSIC JAM

Sun., Jan. 12, 1-4 p.m.

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

CROCHET A WINTER HAT

Tues., Jan. 14 & 28 at 7 p.m.

Keep warm this winter with a cute hat! This is an advanced beginner to intermediate class. (Students must know chain and double crochet stitches.) Intermediate students may opt to learn the Foundation Double Crochet stitch. In the first session, students will learn how to measure for correct sizing and begin their hat. Second session includes finishing and sewing along with creating a pompom. Materials list: Approximately, 260 yards of bulky weight yarn (Craft Yarn Council symbol 5), Size L hook and yarn needle. Fee \$5. SHPL registers Jan. 2, others Jan. 9.



Food & Cooking

COOKING CLASS: CREATIVE BREADSTICKS

Thurs., Jan. 16 at 1 p.m.

Chef Rob will help you make several different flavors of breadsticks, perfect to go with soups, stews and chili. Flavors include Asiago cheese, garlic parsley and more, and you will take some home to bake. Please bring to class a large bowl, large spoon and sheet pan. Fee \$10. SHPL registers Jan. 3, others Jan. 10.



COOKING CLASS: SPICE UP YOUR DIET

Thurs., Jan. 30 at 7 p.m.

Indian food has a special flair, with its heart & soul revealed in its unique spice combinations. It's fun discovering and learning the distinctive spices of India. A number of India's favorite flavorings are also notable for their health promoting properties. Join us and learn to make a traditional Red Lentil Dahl. Fee \$10. SHPL registers Jan. 9, others Jan. 16.



History & Genealogy

NORTH SHORE CIVIL WAR ROUNDTABLE

Thurs., Jan. 2 at 7 p.m.

It's Movie Night, featuring *The Tall Target*, starring Dick Powell and Adolpe Manjou, which is about the Baltimore plot to assassinate President Abraham Lincoln.

Classical Sundays

Pianist Ko-Eun Yi

Sun., Jan. 12 at 2:30 p.m.

Join us for this solo piano performance by pianist Ko-Eun Yi, whose playing has been praised as with "elan and fire and a surplus of bravura technique." Born in Seoul, Korea, Ko-Eun began her piano studies at age 3. She earned her Bachelor and Master of Music degrees at The Juilliard School and completed her Professional Studies degree at Manhattan School of Music. She has also earned a Doctor of Musical Arts degree at Stony Brook University. All welcome.



GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

Sat., Jan. 4 at 11 a.m.

Presenter Susan Jaycox Murphy will speak about "The Basics of Your DNA." Co-sponsored with the Huntington Historical Society. All are welcome.



Community Meetings

AARP VOLUNTEERS MEETING

Thurs., Jan. 9, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Meet your neighbors and learn about volunteer opportunities in the community. There will also be a presentation by the League of Women Voters on the topic of "fake news."

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY Mon., Jan. 27 at 7 p.m.

The Friends of the Library is an active group of volunteers who sponsor events and raise funds to support library programs and services, such as Summer Reading Clubs. If you are looking for volunteer opportunities and want to meet others in the community, join the Friends! At this organizational meeting, we discuss events and fund raisers for the coming year. Bring a friend!



Lecture & Discussion

FIDDLER ON THE ROOF: FROM STAGE TO SCREEN

Thurs., Jan. 9 at 1 p.m.

Presenter Jack Schnur will show clips from the original stage production and from the current production in Yiddish, as well as from the 1971 film version. There will be interviews with the composers, Jerry Bock & Sheldon Harnick, the director/choreographer Jerome Robbins and the producer Harold Prince. From the film, see interviews with the star, Topol, and director Norman Jewison. Musical excerpts will include: "Tradition," "If I Were a Rich Man," "Matchmaker, Matchmaker" and others. Join us.



COASTLINES UNDER SIEGE Wed., Jan. 29 at 7 p.m.

From more frequent storms and warming oceans to acidification and sea level rise, our seashores are taking a beating. Speaker Dr. John Tanacredi analyzes solutions to water quality and conservation issues along the Long Island coast. He has a Ph.D. in Environmental Engineering from Polytechnic Institute and is a world renowned expert on horseshoe crabs. Co-sponsored with the Sierra Club of Long Island. All welcome.

VERY TRULY YOURS, GILBERT & SULLIVAN

Sun., Jan. 5 at 2:30 p.m.

Presented by five of the company's most gifted singers, *Very Truly Yours, Gilbert & Sullivan* includes some of the Savoy opera's most popular songs, as well as some rarities sure to delight. It's Gilbert & Sullivan at their best, a treat for fans and newcomers alike. All welcome. Join us!



ADULT PROGRAMS

Books & Reading

NON-FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., Jan. 8, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

With moderator Helen Harris, we will continue our discussion of *The Power Broker: Robert Moses and the Fall of New York* by Robert Caro. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk.

EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., Jan. 15 at 7 p.m.

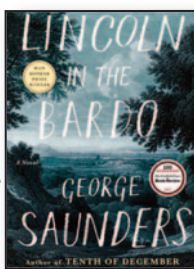
Join us for a discussion of *The Masterpiece* by Fiona Davis. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. New participants, listeners welcome.



BOOK TALK READING CLUB

Tues., Jan. 21 at 11:30 a.m.

Moderator Helen Harris will lead a discussion of *Lincoln in the Bardo* by George Saunders. You can pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk.



NEXT CHAPTER BOOK CLUB

Tuesdays, Jan. 7-28, 10:30-12:30 p.m.

For adults (19 and older) with intellectual and developmental disabilities who form lasting friendships through reading aloud and talking about books. For all reading levels. Facilitated by trained volunteers.

AARP TAX ASSISTANCE

Tuesdays, Feb. 4-April 14, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Volunteer tax preparers from AARP will be here to provide assistance to low- and middle-income taxpayers, with special attention to those aged 60 and older. AARP volunteers cannot prepare returns that include rental income, military income, alternative minimum tax or those with numerous stock transactions.

The program is free, but due to high demand, you must make an appointment. South Huntington cardholders may sign up beginning **Jan. 6**. To

make an appointment, visit the Circulation Desk or call the library at 631.549.4411. (If filing jointly, both people must attend.) If appointments are still available, out-of-district residents may sign up beginning Jan. 20. Please bring to your appointment pertinent tax documents along with last year's tax returns, photo ID and Social Security card.



GENEALOGY DROP-IN

Thurs., Jan. 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.

CUTTING THE CORD: ALTERNATIVES TO CABLE



Mon., Jan. 13 at 7 p.m. Tired of paying so much for cable TV? Join us for a lecture-style class during which we will go over cheaper alternatives to cable, such as Sling TV, Hulu + Live TV, Netflix, Disney+ and more. SHPL registers **Jan. 2**, out-of-district Jan. 9.

BEGINNER EXCEL: CHARTS & PRINTING TIPS

Wed., Jan. 15 at 7 p.m.

This class will cover charts, sorting, filtering and print formatting functions, allowing the user to

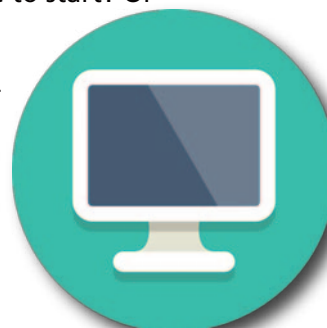
create professional-looking documents suitable for home and business situations. (Students should have basic computer and file management skills and working knowledge of Excel.) SHPL registers **Jan. 2**, others Jan. 9.



GOOGLE FOR BUSINESS

Thurs., Jan. 23 at 7 p.m.

Learn how to create a free Google My Business account to promote your business on Google Maps and the world's most powerful search engine. SHPL registers **Jan. 9**, others Jan. 16.



Tech Center

(AVOIDING) DEATH BY POWER POINT

Thurs., Jan. 30 at 7 p.m.

We've all experienced it: "Presentation Whiplash". That's when your head suddenly snaps back as you wake up during someone's presentation. This participatory seminar will teach you how to make effective and enjoyable PowerPoint presentations. We will uncover what TO do and as importantly what NOT TO do. Join us as we learn to stamp out all pointless presentations. SHPL registers **Jan. 9**, others Jan. 16.



Health & Wellness

THE BENEFITS OF A PLANT-BASED DIET

Mon., Jan. 13 at 7 p.m.

Join us for this panel discussion. Hear inspirational stories of healing from successful practitioners, and learn what has and has not worked and made for an enjoyable, rewarding and at times challenging adventure. Learn about what makes up a health-enhancing, plant-based diet, how to make the transition without giving up the pleasure of food, resources for simple and tasty recipes and maintaining the diet when eating out. Bring your questions!



needs they serve, and how to replace them with healthy, productive behavior so you can live a better life. We will explore why it is important to measure progress as days turn to months and years. When goals seem elusive, learn how to get back on track and be compassionate and kind to yourself. Open to all.



BARIATRIC SURGERY: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Wed., Jan. 22 at 7 p.m.



If you or a loved one is considering bariatric surgery, don't miss this informative workshop. Kyle Lukaszewicz, who has undergone the procedure, will lay out a firsthand account of the risks and rewards of this life-changing

surgery. He will discuss the realities of having the procedure, such as dealing with doctors and insurance companies, and learning how to eat again. He will be joined by dietician Stu Yellin who will discuss meal plan prep and food choices. All welcome.

HEALTH INSURANCE COUNSELING

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

Do you have a question 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.

WALK 15 FITNESS

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

This is a low-impact but effective fitness workout with instructor Tina Campbell. Please wear sneakers and bring a bottle of water. Fee \$12. South Huntington cardholders register **Jan. 11**, others Jan. 18.

POSITIVE HABIT IMPROVEMENT

Thurs., Jan. 16 at 7 p.m.

While more than half of Americans make New Year's resolutions to change or improve their lives, more than 90 percent of these efforts fail. Presenter Sanford Hinden will discuss how addictive and unhealthy habits form, the

ADULT PROGRAMS

Monday Movies @ 2:30 p.m.

Jan. 6: *The Chaperone*

Society matron Norma Carlisle volunteers to accompany future Jazz Age star and free spirit Louise Brooks for a summer in New York. But why does she want to go? It's a story full of surprises, about who these women really are, and who they eventually become. Written by Julian Fellowes and based on the beloved novel by Laura Moriarty. Haley Lu Richardson, Elizabeth McGovern. TV14, 110 mins.



Jan. 20: *The Last Black Man in San Francisco*

Jimmie Fails dreams of reclaiming the Victorian home his grandfather built in the heart of San Francisco. Joined on his quest by his best friend Mont, Jimmie searches for belonging in a rapidly changing city that seems to have left them behind, and he struggles to reconnect with his family and reconstruct the community he longs for. Jimmie Fails, Jonathan Majors. R, 121 mins.



Jan. 13: *Judy*

It's the winter of 1968 and showbiz legend Judy Garland arrives in London to perform a five-week, sold-out run at The Talk of the Town. It has been 30 years since she shot to stardom in *The Wizard of Oz*, but though her voice has weakened, its dramatic intensity has grown. As she prepares for the show, fights with management, and reminisces with friends and fans, her wit and warmth shine through. Renee Zellweger. PG-13, 118 mins.



Jan. 27: *Downton Abbey*

The worldwide phenomenon *Downton Abbey* becomes a grand motion picture event, as the beloved Crawleys and their intrepid staff prepare for the most important moment of their lives. A royal visit from the King and Queen of England will unleash scandal, romance, and intrigue that will leave the future of *Downton* hanging in the balance. Starring the original cast. PG, 122 mins.



Friday Flicks @ 7 p.m.

Jan. 3: *Angel Has Fallen*

When there is an assassination attempt on US President Allan Trumbull, his trusted confidant, Secret Service Agent Mike Banning, is wrongfully accused and taken into custody. After escaping from capture, he becomes a man on the run and must evade his own agency and outsmart the FBI in order to find the real threat to the president. Gerard Butler, Morgan Freeman. R, 121 mins.



killer, Detective Shaft's got to track down the only eyewitness that can put the perpetrator behind bars. Samuel L. Jackson, Vanessa Williams. R, 99 mins.



Jan. 24: *Where'd You Go, Bernadette?*

Bernadette Fox, a loving mom, becomes compelled to reconnect with her creative passions after years of sacrificing herself for her family. Her leap of faith takes her on an epic adventure that leads to her triumphant rediscovery. Based on the book by Maria Semple. Cate Blanchett, Kristen Wiig. PG-13, 109 mins.



Jan. 10: *10 Minutes Gone*

Crime boss Rex hires Frank and his crew to steal a priceless jewel stash, but the job goes wrong when someone tips off the cops. After Frank suffers a blow to the head, he wakes up to find the jewels are gone and no memory of his attacker. Now, Frank must confront his team members one by one to find the traitor. Bruce Willis, Michael Chiklis. R, 88 mins.



Jan. 31: *Bottom of the 9th*

A tragic mistake lands 19-year-old baseball phenom Sonny Stano in jail before his burgeoning professional baseball career gets off the ground. Now, 20 years later and fresh out of prison, he works to win back his respect, his family, his lost love and his dream of being a professional baseball player. Joe Manganiello, Sofia Vergara. R, 111 mins.



Jan. 17: *Shaft*

With his uncle John Shaft as his mentor, it's no surprise that today's Shaft is the coolest dude and the hottest action around. To stop a racist

Adult Learning

PARENT STUDY GROUP: Tues., Jan. 7 & 21, Feb. 4 & 25, 6:30-8 p.m.

Led by counselors from the Town of Huntington Youth Bureau's Sanctuary Program. Each participant will receive a copy of the *Parenting Teenagers* handbook, an easy-to-read guide with practical ideas that will help parents raise a confident and responsible child. Interactive discussions centered on the evidence-based Systemic Training for Effective Parenting (STEP) will help parents develop rewarding relationships with their teens. Registration is under way.

LEARN TO SPEAK ENGLISH Weds., Jan. 8-29, 7-8 p.m.

Taught by a native English speaker, these free classes are designed to help new English speakers practice and improve basic reading, writing, speaking and listening skills in English, in a casual environment.

Lecture & Discussion

Lectures co-sponsored by *The Men's Group of The Greens*. Open to all.

AIR TRAVEL IN 2020: AN ASSESSMENT

Jan. 15 at 10:15 a.m.

George Jehn, an airline pilot for more than 30 years, will discuss airline safety, passenger stress points, and the strain faced by pilots and flight attendants in coping with the difficulties of today's flying experience.

WEST SIDE STORY: FROM STAGE TO SCREEN

Jan. 29 at 10:15 a.m.

Presenter Jack Schnur returns with highlights from the original Broadway production of *West Side Story*, as well as the screen version. All welcome.

Be A Better Driver

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

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

Learn to be a better driver and save money on your auto insurance course. Fee \$28. SHPL registers Jan. 4, others Jan. 11.

AARP SMART DRIVING

Sat., Feb. 8, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Please bring a ball point, driver's license, bag lunch and check or money order PER PERSON made out to AARP. NO CASH. Fee \$20 for AARP members with their card; \$25 non-members. SHPL registers beginning Jan. 14, out-of-district Jan. 21.

Fun & Games

GAME DAY

Weds., Jan. 8-29, 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Bring your game supplies and friends and enjoying socializing while playing your favorite game. The library will set up tables and chairs in the Young Adult Library.

Teen Services

Programs are for SHPL cardholders entering grades 6-12 unless otherwise indicated.
Some registrations begin at 9:30 a.m. (Wednesdays at 10 a.m.), others at 7 p.m.



Teen Anime Manga Society

Fri., Jan. 3
6:30-8:45 p.m.

Join us for a viewing of *Alita: Battle Angel* (PG-13, 123 mins.) A deactivated cyborg is revived, but cannot remember anything of her past life and goes on a quest to find out who she is. For those in grades 6-12. No registration required.

Yoga For Teens

Wed., Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29 and Feb. 5 & 12
5:30-6:15 p.m.



Learn yoga basics to help you achieve balance and stress relief and increase strength and flexibility. Bring a mat or towel and a bottle of water. For those in grades 6-12. Registration is ongoing till class is filled.

Sphero Olympics

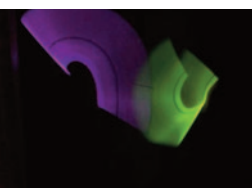
Thurs., Jan. 9 6:30-8 p.m.



The time has come! The first EVER winter sphero olympics are here! Participate in a variety of events representing a country to see who comes in 1st place. Registration begins **Jan. 2**.

Glow Stick Photography

Fri., Jan. 10 7-8 p.m.



Make art by painting with light! We will experiment with camera exposure and white balance to capture light and make one of a kind art that you can take home and frame. Cameras and iPads will be provided. Registration begins **Jan. 2**.



DIY Marble Ceramic Coasters

Thurs., Jan. 16 7-8 p.m.

Get your art on creating one-of-a-kind ceramic coasters using Sharpies. Materials will be provided. Please dress for a mess! Registration begins **Jan. 2**.



DIY Mason Jar: The Fruits of Organization

Fri., Jan. 17 7-8 p.m.
Celebrate the New Year with a new organizer, made by you. Materials will be provided. Dress for a mess. Registration begins **Jan. 3**.

Study Hours in the YA Library

Sun., Jan. 19: 1-5 p.m.
Mon., Jan. 20: 3-7 p.m.
Wed., Jan. 22: 5-9 p.m.

The YA Library will provide extra tables and chairs for group study in support of our local students preparing for midterm and Regents exams. During these hours, gaming is suspended.



Teen Advisory Board

Tues., Jan. 21 7-8 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 Tues. night of the month at 7 p.m.. Community service hours are provided. New members are always welcome!



Teen STEAM Challenge

Fri., Jan. 24 7-8 p.m.

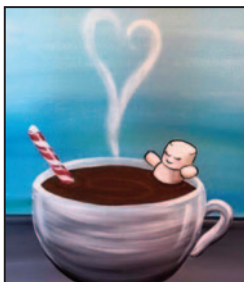


Exercise your STEAM problem solving skills in this friendly team competition. A fun challenge will be unveiled on the night of the program to be sure you use your noodle, not your Google! Registration begins **Jan. 10**.

"Soup"er Bowl Cooking

Thurs., Jan. 30 7-8 p.m.

Learn to make a few appetizers that are sure to score a touchdown with any party crowd before the big game. From loaded potato soup to hot pretzel bites, you will learn to make and sample a few delicious snacks. Please let us know about any food allergies when registering for this program. Registration begins **Jan. 16**.



Hot Cocoa Paint Nite

Fri., Jan. 31

7-8:30 p.m.
Come and celebrate National Hot Chocolate day with a cup of Hot Cocoa while painting a chocolate masterpiece. Materials will be provided. Please dress for a mess. Registration begins **Jan. 17**.

Chill Picks

Recommended reads from the YA Library

Looking for that special book when the cold weather has chased you indoors? Look no further as our staff helps you find that special book to warm up your winter days!

Miss Kath's Pick

Spin the Dawn by Elizabeth Lim

This tells the story of Maia Tamarin, a gifted seamstress who poses as her brother to take her sick father's place when he is ordered to serve as the imperial tailor. At the palace she must compete with 11 other tailors by sewing magical garments and completing an almost impossible journey to secure the job and save her family's reputation all the while keeping her secret. This exciting story is woven with enchantment and embroidered with romance and suspense.



Miss Liz's Pick

The Lady's Guide to Petticoats and Piracy by Mackenzi Lee

This is a truly brilliant book and is the sequel to *A Gentleman's Guide to Vice and Virtue*. It's a novel full of adventure, suspense, and some danger, but at the same time, it's a powerful commentary on equality, feminism, gender roles, self-belief, and friendship. Readers will be hooked from the first page of Felicity's story to see what she won't do to achieve her dreams in 18th century London.



Miss Georgina's Pick

The Fountains of Silence by Ruta Sepetys

The Fountains of Silence is a historical fiction story about family, love, and sacrifice that takes place in Spain during the Franco dictatorship. I fell in love with the story of Ana and Daniel who, even though they were from two different societies, were brought together through photography. This story brought to life the hardships of the resistance and the privilege of the elite during that time. Sepetys weaves a beautiful love story and brings light to a dark time period in Spain's history.



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.*

PRESCHOOL FAIR

Sat., Jan. 11, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.



Parents of toddlers and preschoolers are invited to meet representatives from local preschools and

gather information about their programs. All welcome! No registration necessary.

THE WIZARDING WINTER READING CARNIVAL

Sat., Jan. 18, 1-4 p.m., 3-10 yrs.



Step right up for our 10th annual Winter Reading Carnival! Report to our ticket booth and get your "ticket" to a variety of games

to play with volunteers from our Teen Advisory Board. Complete your ticket and turn it in for a prize! No registration required.

family programs

DROP IN AND PLAY

Fri., Jan. 3, 10-3 p.m., and

Fri., Jan. 10-31, 12-3 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

Sat., Jan. 4, 1-4 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

MUSICAL MUNCHKINS

Mon., Jan. 6, 13 & 27 and Feb. 3 & 10, 10-10:45 a.m., birth-36 mos.

Start the week off having some fun with your little one! Join us for bubbles, stories, music and more. Siblings welcome. Register *Jan. 2*.

WINTERTIME TODDLER ARTS AND CRAFTS

Tues., Jan. 7, 10-10:45 a.m., 18-42 mos.

Join us as we brave the cold together with a wintertime themed story and craft. Dress for a mess. Register *Jan. 2*.



JUMPBUNCH

Wed., Jan. 8 - Feb. 12, 10:15-11 a.m., and

Wed., Jan. 8 - Feb. 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 *Jan. 2*.

PICTURE BOOK TIME

Thurs., Jan. 9 - Feb. 13, 10-10:30 a.m., OR Wed., Jan. 15 - Feb. 12, 2-2:30 p.m., 3-5 yrs.

Listening to stories is a first step in learning to read. This story time allows children and their caregivers to gradually separate at their own pace. Register *Jan. 2* for the Thurs. program or *Jan. 8* for the Wed. session.

DANCING JELLY BEANS

Thurs., Jan. 9-30, 11-11:30 a.m., birth-36 mos.

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.

A TIME FOR KIDS

Fri., Jan. 10-24, 10-11 a.m., and Fri., Jan 31-Feb. 14, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos.- 5 yrs.

This skill-building, interactive class will help prepare your child for independent learning experiences. Register *Jan. 3* for the program on Jan. 10 and *Jan. 24* for the program on Jan. 31.

PLAYHOORAY BABIES & KIDS

Sat., Jan. 11, 10-10:45 a.m., and

Sat. Feb. 1, 10-10:45 a.m., 3 mos. - 5 yrs.

Music and fun for your little one! Incorporates fine and gross motor skill activities, nursery rhymes, books, rhythm sticks, hula hoops, dancing, hobby horses, parades and more. Register *Jan. 4* for the program on Jan. 11 and *Jan. 18* for Feb. 1.

SO BIG!

Tues., Jan. 14-28, 10-11 a.m., 18-36 mos.

Look, listen, and have fun with songs, stories, and movement activities. After storytime enjoy 20 minutes of playtime with age-appropriate toys. Siblings welcome. Register *Jan. 7*.

MY GROWN-UP & ME YOGA

Sat., Jan. 18, 10-10:45 a.m., 18 mos.-4 yrs.

This class provides key bonding opportunities between adult and child while strengthening growing muscles. Partner with your young one for simple animated poses and breathing exercises that help strengthen coordination and build body awareness. Register *Jan. 4*.

WIGGLING ON THE WEEKEND

Sat., Jan. 25, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs. Preschoolers and their parents will have fun playing, dancing, singing, bubbles, listening to stories and making a cool craft. Register *Jan. 11*.

school age programs

HOMEWORK HELP AT THE SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Mon., Jan. 6, 13 & 27, 4:30-6 p.m., K-6 gr.

High school students will assist chil-

dren in the community with their homework assignments in the YA Library. Parents/Caregivers must remain in the building during the program. Help is offered on a first come, first served basis.

LEGO CLUB

Sun., Jan. 5, 2:30-3:30 p.m., OR Mon., Jan. 20, 10:30-11:30 a.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. Register *Jan. 2* for the program on Jan. 5 and register *Jan. 6* for the program on Jan. 20.

YOGA KIDS

Wed., Jan. 8 - Feb. 12, 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 *Jan. 2 at 7 p.m.*

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Thurs., Jan. 9-30, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-2 gr.

Hang out with your friends and enjoy stories, crafts, games and snacks that center on a fun theme. Register *Jan. 2 at 7 p.m.*

CROCHET FOR KIDS

Fri., Jan. 10 - Feb. 14, 4:30-5:15 p.m., 2-5 gr.

Miss Gail will teach you basic stitches. After you have perfected your skill, you will be given instructions to make a crocheted scarf or bag. Please bring to class a J crochet hook and a 4 ply skein of yarn. Register *Jan. 3*.

BAKING COACH: SNOWMAN CUPCAKES

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

Decorate two cupcakes to look like snowmen or snow ladies using marshmallows, fondant and pretzels. Take them home in a decorated bakery box. Register *Jan. 4*.



LEARN TO PLAY THE UKULELE

Tues., Jan. 14 - Feb. 4, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Learn the fundamentals of the ukulele, which is a musical instrument with four strings that looks like a small guitar. Instruments will be provided. Register *Jan. 7*.



CHESS NUTS

Sun., Jan. 19, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Have you always wanted to learn how to play chess or just want someone to play chess with? The Long Island Chess Nuts will provide 1/2 hour of chess in-

struction followed by 1/2 hour of playing time. Register *Jan. 6*.

WINTER WILDLIFE

Mon., Jan. 20, 2:30-3:30 p.m., K-5 gr.

Learn about winter wildlife and discover that nature is not entirely asleep during winter. Learn about migration, hibernation, and adaptation through interactive games and activities. Includes a visit with animals from Cornell Cooperative Extension. Register *Jan. 6*.



LEARN TO DRAW WITH ART TEACHER AMY

Sat., Jan. 25, 2-3 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Art Teacher Amy will take you step-by-step through a drawing of red cardinals on a fence using watercolors and oil pastels. No experience necessary! Register *Jan. 11*.



3-D PRINTING FOR KIDS

Tues., Jan. 28, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 3-6 gr.

Learn to use Tinkercad, an online designing program, to create simple 3D designs. Register *Jan. 14 at 7 p.m.*

TWEENS NIGHT OUT: SHRINKY DINKS PARTY

Fri., Jan. 31, 7-8 p.m., 4-6 gr.

Now's your chance to create suncatchers, backpack decorations, keychains, and more with Shrinky Dinks--plastic you can color and shrink in an oven! Gather your friends for an evening of coloring fun, snacks, and games. Register *Jan. 17*.



save the date

TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY DAY

Sat., Feb. 1, all day

Introduce your children to the wonders of the library! Join us for PlayHooray Babies & Kids, Make-A-Valentine Crafts Galore, The Rainbow Fish Musical, and more.



Kids Flicks

(under 11 must be accompanied by an adult)

ABOMINABLE

Sun., Jan. 26, 2:30 p.m.

Yi and her friends embark on an epic quest to reunite a magical Yeti with his family at the highest point on Earth. PG, 97 mins.



January

SATURDAY

FRIDAY

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ADULTS TEENS CHILDREN ALL AGES	* Please see program descriptions for registration information.		1 HAPPY NEW YEAR! LIBRARY CLOSED	2 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Genealogy Drop-in 11 a.m. Yoga* 1:30 p.m. Thursday Knitting 7 p.m. NS Civil War Rndtble	3 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10 a.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. Teen Anime Manga Society 7 p.m. Movie: Angel Has Fallen	4 9:30 a.m. Strength & Fitness* 10 a.m. AARP Smart Driving* 11 a.m. Genealogy Workshop 1 p.m. Crafts Galore 2 p.m. Art Exhibit Opening: 7 p.m. Sympatico Jazz*
5 2:30 p.m. Lego Club* 2:30 p.m. Very Truly Yours, Gilbert & Sullivan	6 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: The Chaperone 4:30 p.m. Homework Help	7 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. Toddler Arts & Crafts* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 6:30 p.m. Parent Study Group* 7 p.m. Executive Teen Advisory Board	8 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. JumpBunch* 11 a.m. Non-Fiction Book Discussion 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 5:30 p.m. Yoga for Teens* 7 p.m. ESL Class	9 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. Yoga* 1 p.m. Fiddler on the Roof: From Stage to Screen 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Sphero Olympics*	10 10 a.m. Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Crochet for Kids* 6:30 p.m. Glow Stick Photography* 7 p.m. Movie: 10 Minutes Gone	11 9:30 a.m. Strength & Fitness* 10 a.m. PlayHooray Babies & Kids* 10:30 a.m. Pre-School Fair 2:30 p.m. Baking Coach: Snowman Cupcakes* 7 p.m. The Karpenteers*
12 1 p.m. Folk Music Jam 2:30 p.m. Classical Sundays: Pianist Ko-Eun Yi	13 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Judy 4:30 p.m. Homework Help 7 p.m. Benefits of a Plant-based Diet 7 p.m. Cutting the Cord: Alternatives to Cable*	14 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. So Big!* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 4:30 p.m. Learn to Play the Ukelele* 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 7 p.m. Crochet A Winter Hat*	15 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. Jump Bunch* 10:15 a.m. The Greens 11 a.m. Game Day 2 p.m. Picture Book Time* 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 5:30 p.m. Yoga for Teens* 7 p.m. Evening Book Discussion 7 p.m. Beginner Excel* 7 p.m. ESL Class	16 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 11 a.m. Yoga* 1 p.m. Cooking Class: Creative Breadsticks* 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 7 p.m. DIY Marble Ceramic Coasters* 7 p.m. Positive Habit Improvement	17 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Crochet for Kids* 7 p.m. DIY Mason Jar* 7 p.m. Movie: Shaft	18 9 a.m. Defensive Driving* 9:30 a.m. Strength & Fitness* 10 a.m. My Grownup & Me Yoga* 1-4 p.m. Wizarding Winter Reading Carnival 7 p.m. The Hollywouds*
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@ Your Library



This micro-market is similar to what will be installed at the library.

Good Eats @ Your Library

Whether you and your little one have worked up an appetite playing in the Children's Room or you need a pick-me-up while studying, the new year will bring better food choices to the South Huntington Library. A new self-checkout micro-market is scheduled to debut in January-early February, replacing the vending machines on the lower level. Offerings will include nutritious snacks, meals and hot and cold beverages. There will be a kiosk that accepts credit and debit cards, or you can use the Canteen Connect & Pay app on your smart phone. And now for the "fine print": Please be aware that the micro-market is monitored by cameras for security purposes. Also, the library maintains its policy of prohibiting food and/or drink in the Adult and Children's libraries, Theater and Meeting Room. However, feel free to enjoy your meal or snack in the gallery or, once the weather permits, outside in the garden. We hope that the micro-market will better serve your needs and result in a positive library experience.



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Become A Member!

The Friends of the Library hold fundraising events and collect dues, which help them support library programs and services, such as the annual Summer Reading Clubs annual Veterans Big Band Tribute, Fall Fair and Book Sale. Applications are available at the library or online at www.shpl.info.

Join us for a planning meeting on
Monday, Jan. 27 at 7 p.m.

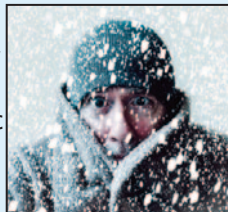
Free Business Counseling

Do you own a small business or are you thinking of starting one? Free help is available at the library. Long Island SCORE mentors are accepting one-on-one appointments on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month, 4:30-7:30 p.m. As highly successful and experienced business professionals, SCORE mentors can deliver valuable, timely and practical advice. Learn how to tap new markets, reach new customers and achieve new goals. Make an appointment by going to the SCORE website at www.longisland.score.org and click on "Find A Mentor." Or call Catherine Schmoller at the library, 631.549.4411.



When the weather outside is frightful ...

If the library closes or delays opening because of winter weather, it will be announced on the library website at www.shpl.info, on the library phone (631.549.4411) and on the South Huntington Public Library's Facebook page. If you have a class or are planning to visit us during a weather event, please check our status before you head out.



Homebound Service Available

If you are unable to get to the library because of illness, injury or disability, you can arrange for materials to be delivered to your home. You can request specific items, or you can let us know of your preferences and a librarian will choose materials for you. To arrange for this service, please call Martha Kahn at 631.549.4411.



The 2020 Census is Coming

Every 10 years, the Census Bureau counts everyone who lives in the United States. The results determine federal funding levels and how many seats each state gets in Congress. In March, you will receive an invitation from the U. S. Census Bureau asking you to go online and complete the questionnaire. The library has scheduled two informational sessions, Feb. 27 at 7 p.m. and March 13 at 10 a.m., where you can learn more about the census and ask questions. The 2020 census also is hiring. Representatives will be recruiting in the library lobby on Jan. 14, 12-2 p.m. For more, go to census.gov.

Ongoing Services

- Museum passes
- Passport acceptance
- Notary public
- Fax machine
- Scanner
- Public computers
- WiFi access
- Homebound delivery
- Reference services
- One-on-one tech help
- Online access 24/7 to register for programs, reserve items, access digital collection and services.

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