

## From the Director

On November 30, the Library experienced an attack on its network that resulted in the encryption of several computers. To prevent further damage and preserve evidence for law enforcement, we powered down our IT infrastructure, including our website, Internet, wireless service and staff and public computers. The incident was reported to law enforcement, which is currently investigating.

Within about 10 days, WiFi was restored and our website was back online. As I write this, staff and public computers are being brought back up, one by one. I am proud that we were able to keep the library open and continue to provide service. Our dedicated staff came up with work-arounds and ways to accomplish tasks, such as program registration, while maintaining the highest level of customer service possible. Special thanks to our IT staff who did the heavy lifting as far as getting our systems back up and running as quickly and safely as possible. We found no evidence of a breach of the public's or staff's personal data.

This has been a learning experience for us, and as a result, we will have a stronger, and even more secure IT infrastructure. I want to thank everyone for their patience as we dealt with this situation. It was challenging, but having supportive patrons made it a little easier. On behalf of our board of trustees and staff, I thank you.

*Janet Scherer, Director*

## Friends of the Library: A New Vision

Sun., Jan. 27 at 2 p.m.

The Friends of the Library are a group of volunteers who work to promote the library and raise funds to support programs, such as the annual Summer Reading Clubs. Please join us as we develop a long-range plan for the organization. Bring a friend!



### Librarian Receives Honor

The ALA's Association for Library Service to Children (ALSC) has named our own Georgina Rivas-Martinez to the 2019 Emerging Leader program. Georgina is a librarian in our Youth Services department, where she designs and facilitates programs and is responsible for Spanish language collection development. She received her Master of Library Science (MLS) from LIU Post. During her time at LIU she interned at the Port Washington Public Library, assisting with their ESOL program and collection development. In 2016, she was awarded the REFORMA Northeast Lillian Marrero Scholarship for her commitment to serving the Latinx community (Latinx is a gender-neutral term sometimes used in lieu of Latino or Latina).



**AARP Tax Aide Program**  
Register January 8  
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# South Huntington Public Library

## newsletter

### Adult Reading Challenge: Book Your Winter Getaway

Registration begins Jan. 5 for our annual adult Winter Reading Club. The first 30 patrons to sign up will receive a gift. The program will wrap up with a special book discussion on Sun., Feb. 24. Sign up at Adult Reference. For info, call 631.549.4411.



### Saturday Night Hours, Shows Are Back

The library will offer extended hours on Saturday evenings in January, February and March. Full library services will be available until 7 p.m., when a show will start in the theater.

Here are some upcoming shows:

#### Jan. 5: Paige Patterson

A female crooner for the new age, Paige and her band perform classic standards, Broadway tunes, classic R&B and more.



#### January 12: The Generators Band

Join us for a concert featuring high energy classic, pop and Southern rock and more.



#### January 19: Something Special Big Band

This talented group will play all your swing, jazz and big band



favorites. Something Special with its Basie style is considered to be one of the finest swing/jazz bands on Long Island.

#### January 26: Jimmy Buffett Tribute with the Ed Travers Band

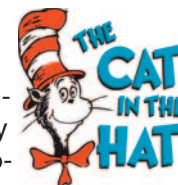
Warm up your weekend with this awesome tribute to Jimmy Buffett, the



mayor of Margaritaville. Ed and his band will transport you to the Florida Keys, serving up a menu of Buffett's best known songs and other Trop Rock favorites.

#### Feb. 2: The Cat in the Hat

It's Take Your Child to the Library Day! The whole family will enjoy this theatrical production of a Dr. Seuss classic.



#### Feb. 9: Just Sixties

Relive the music, fads and culture of the 1960s. Rediscover the bubblegum classics, psychedelic hits, protest songs, folk-rock and more.



South Huntington cardholders can get free tickets. Registration for the Jan. 5 and 12 shows is under way. Tickets for the remaining shows list are available beginning Jan. 5. Print them online at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) or get them at the Circulation Desk. Tickets are valid until 6:50 p.m., when non-ticket holders will be seated, if there is space.

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The Library will be closed on Jan. 1.

**Happy New Year!**

# ADULT PROGRAMS



## Recital Series

**Pianist Oxana Mikhailoff**  
**Sun., Jan. 13 at 2:30 p.m.**

This talented pianist, a native of Russia, will perform works by Beethoven, Schumann and Rachmaninoff. Ms. Mikhailoff graduated from the Manhattan School of Music in 2003 with a Masters of Music degree and was awarded the prestigious Harold Bauer Prize, an honor bestowed upon the most promising talent of that institution. She also holds a B.A. from the Moscow Conservatory of Music. She maintains an active teaching studio in Westchester County and is Artistic Director of the Midland Music Series in Bronxville, NY. All welcome!

## Get Creative

### THURSDAY KNITTING

**Thurs., Jan. 3 at 1:30 p.m.**

Meet other knitters in the community. Bring your latest project and knit with others. Experienced knitters can help you learn something new or work with you to fix a mistake. The group gathers in the Meeting Room, lower level.

### COLOR YOUR WORLD ADULT COLORING

**Fri., Jan. 4 and Wed., Jan. 16,  
10 a.m.-12 p.m.**

Coloring is not 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.

### ADVANCED SHORT STORY WRITING

**Thurs., Jan. 17-Feb. 7, 21 &  
28 at 6:30 p.m.**



This 6-week workshop is for authors with previous writing workshop experience who want to work on short

story projects. Through group discussions and constructive critique, we will cover development and consistency of character, setting, plot, and most importantly, how to build out the written work. How does the writer get from point A to point B, from beginning to end, from conflict to resolution? Self-editing will be a main theme throughout. This course will not cover memoir. The workshop is taught by New York Times

bestselling author and award-winning journalist Robbie Woliver who also teaches writing and journalism at Farmingdale State College. There is a \$25 fee, payable at registration beginning **Jan. 3** for South Huntington cardholders.

### FOLK MUSIC JAM

**Sun., Jan. 20 at 1 p.m.**

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

### TABLE KNITTING

**Tues., Jan. 22 at 7 p.m.**



Want to learn how to make those super trendy bulky yarn throw blankets that are all the rage on Pinterest?! All that is needed is

bulky yarn and your hands. (And about 30 clip style clothes pins to hold stitches for transporting an unfinished blanket.) Yarn shown is Bernat Blanket Big recommended but not necessary. You can bring your own favorite mega or super bulky yarn. For a bulky scarf 1 to 2 skeins is recommended. A throw blanket will take 4 to 7. There is a \$5 fee. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Jan. 3**, others Jan. 10.

## Food & Cooking

### COOKING CLASS: SALT AND PEPPER BISCUITS

**Thurs., Jan. 10 at 1 p.m.**

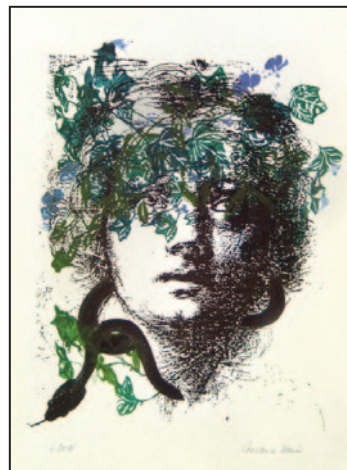
Everyone will make 8 of these yummy biscuits to take home, while Chef Rob makes a delicious potato-cheddar-scallion soup for

## Art Exhibit

### 'Fine Art Printmaking: Creative Process'

**Jan. 5-30. Opening reception: Sat., Jan. 5, 2-4 p.m.**

Work by printmakers Denise Kasof, Fran Roberts and Constance Wain will be on display. The exhibit showcases different techniques of printmaking, silk screen printing, mono painting, dry lithography, color viscosity, serigraphs and etching. With such a wide range of techniques to work from, the artists explore their chosen printmaking process, enabling them to create their own unique artistic language. All welcome.



everyone to enjoy. Please bring to class a sheet pan, medium bowl, mixing spoon and round cookie/biscuit cutter. There is a \$10 fee, payable at registration beginning **Jan. 2** at 10 a.m., others Jan. 9.



**COOKING CLASS:  
ONE-POT COOKERS**  
**Mon., Jan. 28 at 7 p.m.**

Join Healthy Chef Kathryn to learn the benefits of a slow cooker and the new instant pot. Both help save time while preparing nutritious meals. The instant pot, featuring pressure cooking, holds in nutrition-rich juices, and vitamins are not leached out or dissolved by water. It also kills almost all harmful living micro-organisms such as bacteria and viruses. Benefits of both can be enjoyed all year round, as an easy clean-up time-saver. There is a \$10 fee, payable at registration beginning **Jan. 7** for South Huntington cardholders, others Jan. 14

## Lecture & Discussion

All welcome!

**HISTORY OF ROCK 'N' ROLL**  
**January 2 at 10:15 a.m.**

Keith Crocker, a member of the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, will present a history of the rock and roll genre from the evolution of its early days to the present, and will recall some of the classic songs, the iconic performers and the composers that played a significant role over the years. Co-sponsored with The Greens.

### NORTH SHORE CIVIL WAR ROUNDTABLE

**Thurs., Jan. 3 at 7 p.m.**

It's movie night, featuring *The Great Locomotive Chase* (1956), Disney's version of the stealing of the General during the Civil War, starring Fess Parker as Union spy James J. Andrews, who with his men volunteer to steal a Confederate train and drive it to Union territory while destroying the Confederate railway system along the way. Discussion to follow.

**BELOW THE BOTTOM LINE**  
**January 16 at 10:15 a.m.**

Author Eric J. Engelhardt will discuss his debut novel, *Below the Bottom Line*, which introduces us to Bob Stone, a small business tax accountant from Long Island with suspicious clients. After a forced recruitment by HPAT 21, a secret governmental agency linking the IRS and Homeland Security, Stone finds himself part of a small team tasked with following the flow of dark money through a global network that finances criminal conspiracies through banks from New York City to Toronto, Istanbul, and beyond. Co-sponsored with The Greens.

**PROSTATE CANCER UPDATE**  
**January 23 at 10:15 a.m.**

Dr. Lloyd Trotman, Ph.D. with Cold Spring Harbor Lab, has developed the first genetic mouse model for therapy and analysis of metastatic prostate cancer. Co-sponsored with The Greens.

# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Books & Reading

### NEXT CHAPTER BOOK CLUB

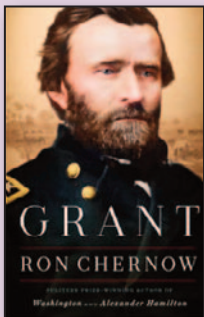
Tues., Jan. 8-29

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

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

### NON-FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., Jan. 9, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.



Moderator Helen Harris will lead the first in a series of discussions of the biography *Grant* by Ron Chernow, which presents a portrait of the Civil War general and 18th president, challenging the views of his critics while sharing insights into his prowess as a military leader, the honor with which he conducted his administration, and the rise and fall of his fortunes. The discussion will continue on Feb. 13. New participants, listeners welcome. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk.

### BOOK TALK READING CLUB

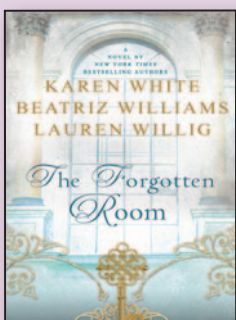
Tues., Jan. 15 at 11:30 a.m.



Moderator Helen Harris will lead a discussion of *A Horse Walks Into a Bar* by David Grossman, winner of the 2017 Man Booker Prize. First published in Hebrew, a stand-up comedian recalls some of his darkest moments and traumatic memories from childhood on stage in front of a live audience. New participants, listeners welcome. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk.

### EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

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



Join us for a discussion of *The Forgotten Room* by best-selling authors Karen White, Beatriz Williams and Lauren Willig, a rich, multi-generational novel of love and loss that spans half a century. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. New participants, listeners welcome.

### GENEALOGY DROP-IN

Thurs., Jan. 3

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.

### 3D PRINTING DEMO

Thurs., Jan. 10 at 7 p.m.

Find out what the buzz surrounding 3D printers is all about. Scott Kalogris from our Technology Department will show you how the printer works and you will actually see it in action. South Huntington cardholders can reserve their seat beginning Jan. 3.

### eBAY 101

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

Whether you're looking to clean out your garage or find that rare item, this class is for you. Designed for participants who want to learn to buy and sell better on eBay. You'll learn how to set up an eBay and PayPal account, search and browse for items, place your bid or buy it now, make your own listings, and more! South Huntington cardholders can reserve a seat beginning Jan. 2, others Jan. 9.

### MICROSOFT WORD 2016

#### FUNDAMENTALS

Thurs., Jan. 17 at 7 p.m.

Join us for this hands-on tutorial offering a basic overview of this universal word processing application. You will learn how to create, save and share a document, see examples of basic text layouts and formatting, and gain insight

into the ribbon and quick access toolbar. (Basic computer skills required.) Seating is limited. South Huntington cardholders can register beginning Jan. 3, others Jan. 10.

### BEGINNER EXCEL: FORMATTING & NAVIGATING

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

This Excel class for beginners will give an overview of Excel's capabilities, how to organize and enter data, simple functions and how to format cells. (Basic computer skills along with mouse and file management skills are prerequisite.) Seating is limited. South Huntington cardholders register beginning Jan. 2, others Jan. 9.



## Tech Center

### CREATIVE BUG

Thurs., Jan. 17 at 10:30 a.m.

Calling all crafters! Winter is the perfect time to plan new projects. Join librarian Martha Kahn for a demonstration of Creative Bug, our newest online learning resource that features online tutorials and instructions for knitting, crocheting, paper crafts, painting and more. South Huntington cardholders can reserve their seat beginning Jan. 3, others Jan. 10.

### FACEBOOK: SETTINGS & SECURITY

Wed., Feb. 6 at 7 p.m.

Facebook settings can be confusing and if not closely monitored, your account may be at risk. In this hands-on class, learn how to configure your Facebook account for maximum privacy. Please make sure you know your login and password for your Facebook account before coming to class. Seating is limited. South Huntington cardholders register beginning Jan. 16, others Jan. 23.

## Small-Business Workshops

### STARTING A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS

Thurs., Jan. 24 at 7 p.m.

This is a must-see presentation and discussion for anyone who really wants to succeed in business! SCORE presenters guide you through the various steps required to start your own business, including legal, financial and insurance basics. They'll share real life experiences from starting to running their own business. You will leave with increased confidence and enthusiasm!



### SOCIAL MEDIA: GROW YOUR SMALL BUSINESS

Thurs., Jan. 31 at 7:15 p.m.

Utilizing social media is a must in today's business world. It gives you the most bang for the buck, especially with limited budgets. Whether you're selling to businesses or directly to consumers, social media is an effective marketing tool to reach your buying audience. SCORE eliminates the mystery and provides a valuable and easy to understand overview, including how to choose a social media platform, what to post and more.

## Tax Assistance

### AARP Tax Aide Program

Register January 8

Volunteer tax preparers from AARP will be here to provide free tax preparation for low- and middle-income taxpayers, with special attention to those 60 and older. *The program is free, but due to high demand registration is required.*

South Huntington cardholders may sign up beginning Jan. 8. To make an appointment, visit the Circulation Desk or call the library at 631.549.4411. (If filing jointly, both people must attend.) If space remains, non-residents may register beginning Jan. 22. Bring pertinent tax documents along with last year's tax returns, photo ID & Social Security card.



# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Health & Wellness

### HEALTH INSURANCE COUNSELING

**Mon., Jan. 21, 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 (HI-ICAP), will work with you one-on-one. Free, but please call the library to make an appointment: 631.549.4411.

### MEDITATION

**Wed., Jan. 23 at 11 a.m. OR Wed., Jan. 30 at 7 p.m.**

Join Cynthia Taylor Scott, LMHC, a Licensed Mental Health Holistic Intuitive Counselor, for a free Meditation Group. Learn how to calm your nerves and soothe your soul in a relaxed atmosphere. Together we practice quick and easy

techniques to continue a simple meditation practice at home. The program is free, but seating is limited. South Huntington cardholders can register beginning **Jan. 9**, others, Jan. 16.

### FIVE ANIMALS QIGONG

**Sat., Feb. 2-23, 9:30-10:30 a.m.**

Five Animals QiGong is an internal energy practice that serves to harmonize the body, mind and spirit through movement and meditation. A powerful practice that is also easy to learn, this set is based on the characteristics of the Snake, Turtle, Dragon, Crane, and Tiger. Perfect for all ages and abilities, no special equipment is needed, just dress comfortably to move. There is a \$15 fee, payable at registration beginning **Jan. 5** for South Huntington cardholders; others Jan. 12.

## Be A Better Driver

### DEFENSIVE DRIVING

**Sat., Jan. 26, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.**

Learn to be a better driver and save money on your auto insurance with this Empire Safety Council course. Fee \$28. SHPL registers beginning **Jan. 5**; others Jan. 12.

### AARP SMART DRIVING

**Sat., Feb. 16, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.**

Bring a ball point pen, bag lunch, driver's license 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 **Jan. 8** at 9 a.m.; others Jan. 15.

## Adult Learning

### LEARN TO SPEAK ENGLISH

**Weds., Jan. 9-30, 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. Open to all.

## Fun & Games

### GAME DAY

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

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

## Community Meeting

### AARP VOLUNTEERS

**Thurs., Jan. 10 at 10 a.m.**

A representative from the Victims Information Bureau will discuss volunteer opportunities. All welcome.

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

### Jan. 7: *Colette*

After marrying Willy, a successful Parisian writer, Colette is transplanted to the intellectual and artistic splendor of Paris. Willy convinces Colette to ghost-write a semi-autobiographical novel, sparking a bestseller and a cultural sensation, inspiring additional novels. Colette's fight over creative ownership and gender roles drives her to overcome societal constraints, revolutionizing literature, fashion and sexual expression. Keira Knightley, Dominic West. R, 112 mins.



### Jan. 14: *Crazy Rich Asians*

Native New Yorker Rachel Chu accompanies her longtime boyfriend, Nick Young, to his best friend's wedding in Singapore. Excited about visiting Asia for the first time but nervous about meeting Nick's family, Rachel is unprepared to learn that Nick is not only the scion of one of the country's wealthiest families but also one of its most sought-after bachelors. Constance Wu, Gemma Chan. PG13, 120 mins.



### Jan. 21: *Dog Days*

A group of people in Los Angeles who have absolutely no connection to one another are seemingly brought together by their lovable pet dogs in surprising ways that teach them valuable lessons about life. Nina Dobrev, Vanessa Hudgens, Eva Longoria. PG, 112 mins.



### Jan. 28: *A Simple Favor*

A mommy vlogger seeks to uncover the truth behind her best friend Emily's sudden disappearance from their small town. Anna Kendrick, Blake Lively. R, 117 mins.



## Friday Flicks @ 7 p.m.\*

### Jan. 4: *Searching*

After his 16-year-old daughter goes missing, a man breaks into her laptop to find clues about her disappearance. John Cho, Debra Messing. PG13, 102 mins.



### Jan. 11: *Skate Kitchen*

Camille, an introverted 18-year-old skateboarder who lives on Long Island with her single mother, discovers "The Skate Kitchen," a subculture of girls whose lives revolve around skating, and bravely seeks them out. However, she soon learns the complexity of friendship when she befriends a boy (Smith) from a rival group of skaters. Rachelle Vinberg, Jayden Smith. R, 105 mins.



### Jan. 18 at 6:30 p.m.\*: *Papillon* (2018)

The epic story of Henri Charriere, a safecracker from the Parisian underworld who is framed for murder and condemned to life in the notorious penal colony on Devil's Island. Charlie Hunnam, Rami Malek. R, 134 mins.



### Jan. 25: *Little Women* (2018)

Follow the sisters Meg, Jo, Beth, and Amy, on their journey from childhood to adulthood. Under the guidance of their mother Marmee, they navigate what it means to be a young woman: from gender roles to sibling rivalry, first love, loss, and marriage. Based on the novel by Louisa May Alcott, this story is as relevant and engaging today as it was on its original publication in 1868. Emily Watson, Angela Lansbury. PG, 112 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.)

## Teen Musicfest

**Saturday, March 2 at 7 p.m.**

Calling all local teen music groups! Whether you have a rock band, a string quartet, or sing: We want you! Stop by the YA Library by February 9th to find out about having your teen music group perform live on the library stage. For information, visit the YA reference desk, call 631-549-4411 and ask for Miss Jen, or email us at [youthservices@shpl.info](mailto:youthservices@shpl.info).

## Study Hours in the YA Library

**Thurs., Jan. 17 and 24, 3-6 p.m.**

**Fri., Jan. 18, 3-6 p.m.**

**Sun., Jan. 20, 1-5 p.m.**

**Mon., Jan. 21, 5-9 p.m.**

**Tue., Jan. 22, 5-9 p.m.**

**Wed., Jan. 23, 3-6 p.m.**

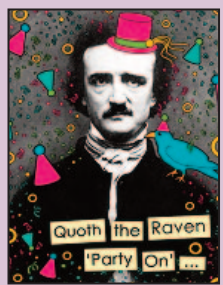
The YA Library will provide extra tables and chairs for group study in support of our local school students preparing for midterm examinations. During these hours, gaming will be suspended, cell phones should be muted and only quiet conversation will be permitted.

## Drop in and Craft: Tote Bag Edition



**Fri., Jan. 4, 6:30-8 p.m.**

Stop by the Young Adult room and make a one of a kind tote bag for your books! Supplies may be limited. No registration.



## Poe Party

**Thur., Jan. 10 7-8 p.m.**

Quoth the Raven, "Party On." Celebrate the 210th birthday of one of the most influential writers of all time, Edgar Allan Poe, with a killer birthday party. Wear your blackest clothes to get

into the theme. Snacks and treats will be served! Registration begins **Jan. 2**.

## Positive Be-ing Cultivation Café

**Fri., Jan. 11, 4:30-6:30 p.m.**

**Fri., Feb. 8, 4:30-6:30 p.m.**

Calling all teen artists, musicians, poets, dancers, authors, photographers and more! Whatever you do to express yourself creatively we welcome you to our open mic with open arms! If you would like to support others who are sharing, please do. Now is the time to share your gifts with us, even if it is just to applaud the others, your presence is important. Please contact Adam's Hope House 631-923-2314 for more information.

## Teen Advisory Board

**Tues., Jan. 15 at 7 p.m.**

The Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is an 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. Community service hours are provided. New members are always welcome!

## Cookies and Milk with Our COPE Officer

**Thur., Jan. 17, 7-8 p.m.**

Earn community service while sharing cookies and milk with our local COPE Police Officer and learn about the job they do for our community. We will also assemble bags for residents in local homeless shelters. To receive an extra hour of community service, please bring 3 small toiletries to be included in the bag. Registration begins **Jan. 10**.



## Online Research for Students

**Tue., Jan. 22, 6:30-7:30 p.m.**

Learn the basics of using the library's online databases at the library and stress from school projects will become a thing of the past! A parent is welcome to attend with each student. Registration begins **Jan. 8**.

## Om'work Club

**Weds., Jan. 23 – Feb. 6, 4:30-5:30 p.m.**

Improve your organizational skills and learn to de-stress in our brand new homework club! A counselor from Project Excel and volunteers will be on hand for assistance in this weekly program. For those in grades 7, 8 and 9. No registration required.

## SAT Prep Review Class

**Weds., Jan. 23 – April 17 6-7 p.m.**

Join a counselor from Project Excel for this

free SAT prep class on Wednesdays from January 23 - April 17. Registration recommended, but walk ins are welcome if space permits. Registration begins **Jan. 9 for SHPL cardholders; all others register Jan. 16.** \*\*PLEASE NOTE: There will not be class on Feb. 13th and 20th\*\*



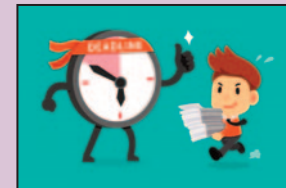
## Teen STEAM Challenge

**Fri., Jan. 25 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., 11**.

## Tick Tock. The Clock Doesn't Stop

**Thur., Jan. 31, 7:30-8:30 p.m.**



Paper due in History Wednesday. Exam in Science on Tuesday. Project in English also due Tuesday. Game on Thursday. School

can get overwhelming very quickly. Join HEY! (Healthy Excited Youth!) as we share the skills you need for time management. There are 24 hours in a day and that's more than enough time to get your homework done, talk with friends and sleep. This one-hour lesson will be well worth adding to your schedule! Registration begins **Jan., 17**.

## Mini Masterpieces

**Fri., Feb., 8 7-8 p.m.**

Get out the tiny paintbrushes and let's make some mini art! Everyone will get to create two masterpieces to display on a mini easel. Registration begins **Jan., 25**.

## Sweets 'n Stuff

begins **Jan. 4**.

### Hot Chocolate Spoons

**Friday, Jan. 11, 7-8 p.m.**



Make a set of mouthwatering hot chocolate spoons to stir into hot cocoa, coffee or any hot beverage. Registration begins **Jan. 2**.

### Chocolate Covered Fruit

**Fri., Jan. 18, 7-8 p.m.**



Love chocolate? Join us and make some delicious chocolate covered fruits! Please

let us know about any food allergies when signing up for the program. Registration

### Oreo Cookie Taste Test

**Tue., Jan. 29, 7-8 p.m.**



Is every Oreo created equal? Find out with our ultimate taste test experience! Sample a wide variety of flavors while ranking them from best to worst to see if your favorite comes out on top! Registration begins **Jan., 15**.

### Coloring, Cocoa and Tunes

**Fri., Feb. 1, 6:30-8:30 p.m.**

Join us and meet your friends in the YA Library for a night of relaxing coloring, hot cocoa and your music from our librarian-disc jockeys! No registration required.

# 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. (Weds. at 10 a.m.)**. 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.*

### THE DATABASE GAMES

Fri., Jan. 11, 7-8 p.m., 4-6 gr.



Move over *Hunger Games*, it's time for the *Database Games*!

Tween contestants and their adults will learn to use a few of the library's online databases to complete a timed, online scavenger hunt against other tween/adult teams. Register **Jan. 4**.

learners benefit from! Have fun while focusing on spatial awareness, muscle development, and coordination. Register **Jan. 2**, one session only, please.

### PICTURE BOOK TIME

Thur., Jan. 10 - Feb. 14, 10-10:30 a.m., 3-5 yrs.

Enjoy stories, songs, fingerplays, action rhymes, and other activities aimed at building a love of reading. Register **Jan. 3**.

### DANCING JELLY BEANS

Thur., Jan. 10-31, 11-11:30 a.m., birth-35 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.

### A TIME FOR KIDS

Fri., Jan. 11-25, 10-11 a.m., AND Fri., Feb. 1-15, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs.

This skill-building, interactive class will help prepare your child for independent learning experiences. Register on **Jan. 4** for the program on Jan. 11 and **Jan. 26** for the program on Feb. 1.

### KICK & PLAY

Sat., Jan., 12, 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 **January 5**.

### TUNEY TOTS

Sun., Jan. 13, 1:30-2:15 p.m., 4 mos. - 5 yrs.



Tuney Tots offers children a unique blend of musical exploration along with the excitement of parachute and bubble fun! Register **Jan. 5**.

### MUSICAL MUNCHKINS

Mon., Jan. 14 & 28 and Feb. 4 & 11, 10-10:30 a.m. and 11-11:30 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. 7**.

### SO BIG!

Tue., Jan. 15-Feb. 5, 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 **Jan. 8**.

### PLAYHOORAY BABIES & KIDS

Sat., Jan. 19, 10-10:45 a.m., and Sat., Feb. 2, 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. 5** for the program on Jan. 19 and **Jan. 19** for the program on **Feb. 2**.

### WIGGLING ON THE WEEKEND

Sat., Jan. 26, 10-11 a.m., 2-5 yrs.

Enjoy playing, dancing, singing, bubbles, listening to stories and making a cool craft with early childhood educator, Lisa Havekotte. Register **Jan. 12**.

## school age programs

### HOMEWORK HELP @ THE SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Mons., Jan. 7, 14 & 28, 4:30-6 p.m., K-6 gr.

High school students will assist community children with homework assignments in the Young Adult 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. 6, 2:30-3:30 p.m., OR Mon., Jan. 21, 10:30-11:30 a.m., K-5 gr.

Come and spend some time building with our Legos. Participants will have their creations displayed in the library for 2 weeks. Register **Jan. 2**.

### YOGA KIDS

Wed., Jan. 9 - Feb. 13, 4:30-5:15 p.m., K-4 gr.

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**.

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Thur., Jan. 10-31, 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. 3**.

### CROCHET FOR KIDS

Fri., Jan. 11-25 and Feb. 1-15, 4:30-5:15 p.m., 2-5 gr.

Miss Gail will teach you basic stitches to make a crocheted scarf or bag. Please bring to class a J crochet hook and a 4-ply skein of yarn Register **Jan. 4**.

**BAKING COACH: MELTED SNOWMEN**  
Sat., Jan. 12, 2:30-3:30 p.m., K-5 gr.



Create two melting snowmen out of buttercream and fondant using assorted candy decorations. Take them home in a decorated bakery box. Register **Jan. 5**.

### TWEENS NIGHT OUT: BUILD THE BEST BOOKENDS EVER

Fri., Jan. 18, 7-8 p.m., 4-6 gr.

Using old toys, small stuffed animals, craft supplies, paint, duct tape, and glitter, you'll customize a pair of bookends worthy of displaying the best volumes in your home library. Register **Jan. 4**.



### CHESS NUTS

Sun., Jan. 20, 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 hr. of chess instruction followed by 1/2 hr. of playing time. Register **Jan. 7**.

### SNOWMAN AT NIGHT

Mon., Jan. 21, 2:30-3:30 p.m., K-5 gr.



Create a wintry, mosaic snowman set against a painted picture frame. Textured pebbles, paint and glitter add up to winter fun! Register **Jan. 7**.

### LEARN TO DRAW WITH ART TEACHER AMY

Sat., Jan. 26, 2-3 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Art Teacher Amy will take you step-by-step through a drawing of a snow leopard using colored pencils. No experience necessary! Register **Jan. 12**.



### KIDS & TEENS TOGETHER: MULAN'S CHINESE NEW YEAR PARTY

Tue., Feb. 5, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-5 gr.



Learn about Chinese New Year with Mulan!! Join members of our Teen Advisory Board for a fun afternoon of stories, crafts and a Rice Krispie dragon snack. Register **Jan. 22**.

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### Save the Date

**TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY DAY: Sat., Feb. 2, all day**

Introduce your children to the wonders of the library! Join us for PlayHooray Babies & Kids, Crafts Galore, a Luau Party, Plaza Theatrical performing "The Cat in the Hat" and more.



**TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY LUAU**

Sat., Feb. 2, 2-3 p.m., K-4 gr. Celebrate libraries--and luaus!--with an afternoon of beach-themed fun! Register **Jan. 19**.

## family programs

**ALOHA WINTER READING CARNIVAL**  
Sat., Jan. 19, 1-4 p.m., 3-10 yrs.



Step right up for our annual Winter Reading Carnival! Report to our ticket booth and get your "ticket" to play a variety of games with volunteers from our Teen Advisory Board. Complete your ticket and turn it in for a prize! No registration required.

### PRESCHOOL FAIR

Sat., Jan. 19, 11 a.m.-1 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 required.

### DROP IN AND PLAY

Fri., Jan. 4, 10-3 p.m., and Fri., Jan. 11, 18 & 25, 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. 5, 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

### JUMPBUNCH

Wed., Jan. 9 - Feb. 13, 10:15-11 a.m., AND Wed., Jan. 9 - Feb. 13, 11:15-12 p.m., 15-42 mos.

A fun introduction to a wide variety of sports & activities that even young

## Kids Flicks

(under 11 must be accompanied by an adult)

### SMALL FOOT

Sun., Jan. 27, 2:30 p.m.



A bright young yeti finds something he thought didn't exist: a human. News of this throws the simple yeti community into an uproar over what else might be out there in the big world beyond their snowy village. PG, 96 mins.

# January

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 10:15 a.m. History of Rock 'n Roll 11 a.m. Game Day 5:30 p.m. Life is Your Journey: Middle School*	3 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Health* 10 a.m. Genealogy Drop-In 11 a.m. Yoga* 1:30 p.m. Thursday Knitting 7 p.m. NS Civil War Rdtble	4 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10 a.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. Drop In & Craft 7 p.m. Movie: Searching	5 9:30 a.m. Zumba* 10 a.m. AARP Smart Driving* 10 a.m. Life is Your Journey High School* 1 p.m. Crafts Galore! 2 p.m. Art Exhibit Opening 7 p.m. Winter Concert: Paige Patterson*
6 2:30 p.m. Lego Club*	7 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Colette 4:30 p.m. Homework Help	8 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga 7 p.m. Executive Teen Advisory Board	9 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. Jump Bunch* 11 a.m. Non-Fiction Book Discussion 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 5:30 p.m. Life is Your Journey: Middle School* 7 p.m. ESL Class	10 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Health* 10 a.m. Pic. Book Time* 11 a.m. Yoga* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 1 p.m. Cooking Class* 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 7 p.m. Poe Party* 7 p.m. 3D Printing Demo*	11 10 a.m. Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Crochet for Kids* 4:30 p.m. Positive BE-ING Cultivation Cafe* 7 p.m. Movie: Skate Kitchen 7 p.m. Hot Chocolate Spoons* 7 p.m. The Database Games*	12 9:30 a.m. Zumba* 10 a.m. Kick & Play* 10 a.m. Life is Your Journey: High School* 2:30 p.m. Baking Coach: Melted Snowmen* 7 p.m. Winter Concert: The Generators*
13 1:30 p.m. Toney Tots* 2:30 p.m. Recital Series: Pianist Oxana Mikhailoff	14 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 & 11 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Crazy Rich Asians 4:30 p.m. Homework Help	15 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. eBay 101* 7 p.m. Teen Advisory Board	16 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10:15 a.m. Author Visit: Below the Bottom Line 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. Jump Bunch* 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 7 p.m. ESL Class 7 p.m. Evening Book Discussion	17 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 10:30 a.m. Creative Bug Demo* 11 a.m. Yoga* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Writing Class* 7 p.m. Cookies & Milk with Our COPE Officer* 7 p.m. Intro to Word*	18 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Crochet for Kids* 7 p.m. Movie: Papillon (2018) 7 p.m. Chocolate Covered Fruit* 7 p.m. Tweens Night Out: Best Bookends Ever*	19 9:30 a.m. Zumba* 10 a.m. PlayHooray Babies & Kids* 11 a.m. Pre-School Fair 1 p.m. Aloha Winter Reading Carnival 7 p.m. Winter Concert: Something Special Big Band*
20 1 p.m. Folk Music Jam 2:30 p.m. Chess Nuts*	21 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Health Insurance Counseling* 10:30 a.m. Lego Club* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Dog Days 2:30 p.m. Snowman at Night* 7 p.m. Library Board of Trustees Meeting	22 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. So Big!* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 6:30 p.m. Online research for Students* 7 p.m. Table Knitting*	23 10:15 a.m. Impeachment Basics 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. Jump Bunch* 11 a.m. Game Day 11 a.m. Meditation 101* 4:30 p.m. Omwork Club 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 6 p.m. SAT Prep Class* 7 p.m. ESL Class 7 p.m. Beginner Excel*	24 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Health* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Yoga* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Writing Class* 7 p.m. Starting A Successful Business	25 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Crochet for Kids* 7 p.m. Movie: Little Women (2018) 7 p.m. Teen STEAM Challenge*	26 9 a.m. Defensive Driving* 9:30 a.m. Zumba* 10 a.m. Wiggling on the Weekend* 2 p.m. Learn to Draw* 7 p.m. Winter Concert: Jimmy Buffett Tribute with the Ed Travers Band*
27 2 p.m. Friends of the Library: A New Vision 2:30 p.m. Kids Movie: Smallfoot	28 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 & 11 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: A Simple Favor 4:30 p.m. Homework Help 7 p.m. Cooking Class: One Pot Cookers*	29 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. So Big!* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 7 p.m. Oreo Cookie Taste Test*	30 10 a.m. AARP Smart Driving* 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. Jump Bunch* 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 4:30 p.m. Omwork Club* 6 p.m. SAT Prep Class* 7 p.m. ESL Class 7 p.m. Meditation 101*	31 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Health* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Yoga* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Writing Class* 7:15 p.m. Social Media: Grow Your Small Business 7:30 p.m. Tick Tock: The Clock Doesn't Stop*		

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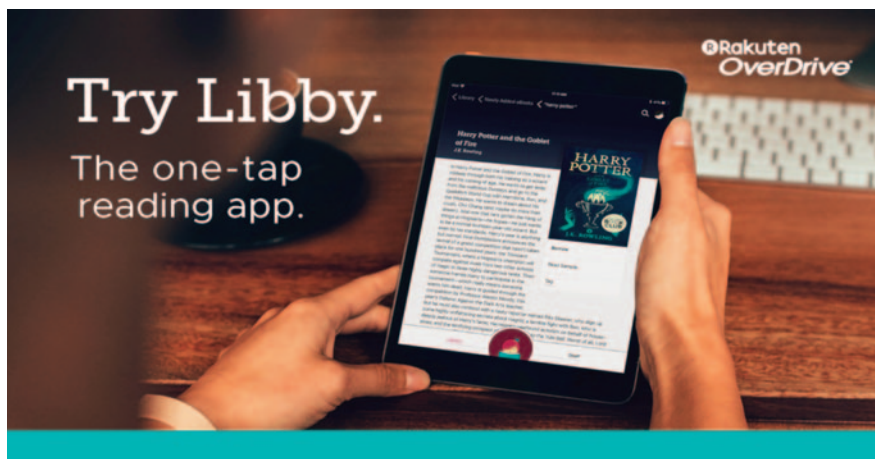
## Free Business Counseling

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, 4-8 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](http://www.longisland.score.org) and click on "Find A Mentor." Or call Catherine Schmoller at the library, 631.549.4411.

Don't miss our small-business workshops this month:

**Starting A Successful Business:  
Thurs., Jan. 24 at 7 p.m.**

**Social Media: Grow Your Small Business:  
Thurs., Jan. 31 at 7:15 p.m.**  
See Page 3 for details.



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## 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.

Call the library at 631.549.4411 for information.

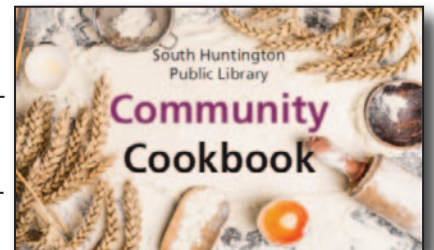
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If the library closes or has a delayed opening due to inclement weather conditions, it will be announced on the library website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info), the library phone (631.549.4411) and on the South Huntington Public Library's Facebook page. If you have a class or are planning to visit the library during a weather event, please check our status before you head out.



## What's Cooking in South Huntington?

Do you have favorite family recipe? Take a photo or video of it and share the recipe on our new online community cookbook, created by you! Recipes can be uploaded, as can accompanying photos or videos. To submit your items, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) and click on the link. For more information, call the library at 631.549.4411.

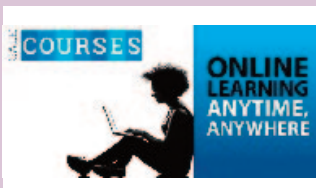


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