



SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

February is National Library Lovers Month So much to love . . .

Teen Volunteers
JumpBunch

Ebooks &
Audiobooks

Movies
Reading

Fitness Classes
Kids Crafts

Storytime
Kids & Teens



AARP Driving
& Tax Help

Saturday Nights in Full Swing

Full library services will be available on Saturdays until 7 p.m., when a show will begin in our theater (unless otherwise noted):

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

Feb. 8: Hourglass James Taylor Tribute

Feb. 15: Harmonica Bill & Marked Deck

Feb. 22: Everything Everly with The Guthrie Brothers

Feb. 29: Sugar & Spice Soul Band

March 7: Neal Stuart & the Empire State

TICKET INFO: Registration for the Feb. 1 and 8 shows is under way. SHPL cardholders can register for the remaining shows beginning **Feb. 1**. If signing up online, please print your registration confirmation and bring it to the show.

BUS TRIP: Brooklyn Navy Yard/ Lunch at Giandos/Wegmans Thurs., April 23

Join us as we travel by luxury coach to the Brooklyn Navy Yard, an active shipyard from 1801-1966 that is now home to a thriving manufacturing trade. A step-on guide will give us a comprehensive tour (*mostly by bus*) of the site, which features many historical landmarks. Afterwards, we'll enjoy a delicious lunch and views of the skyline at Giando on the Water. Before we head home, we'll stop at the new Wegmans in Brooklyn, which redefines the concept of a supermarket. Tickets are \$153 per person and include luxury coach transportation, tour, lunch and gratuities. South Huntington cardholders can register beginning **Feb. 8**, out-of-district Feb. 15. *No refunds unless we can fill your seat from the waiting list.* The day will be approx. 6:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.



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ADULT PROGRAMS

Classical Sundays



The Fredonia Piano Quartet Sun., Feb. 16 at 2:30 p.m.

This talented group, featuring violin, viola, cello and piano, will perform a fabulous program, including the magnificent Quartet in C Minor by Gabriel Faure and more. All welcome.

Get Creative

THURSDAY KNITTING Thurs., Feb. 6, 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., Feb. 7 & Wed., Feb. 19, 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., Feb. 9, 1-4 p.m.

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

WRITING WORKSHOP Thurs., Feb. 13, 20 and March 5-26 at 6:30 p.m.

Whether you are working on an existing project (fiction or memoir) or just getting started, this class will help you develop as a writer as you share your work in a supportive environment. Fee \$20. SHPL registers **Feb. 6**.

HEART-SHAPED FELTED COASTERS Fri., Feb. 14, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Instructor Oksana Danziger will show you how to make these adorable heart-shaped coasters using the felting technique. There is a \$15 fee, all materials provided. SHPL registers **Feb. 5**, others Feb. 12.

THE ART OF WRITING SHORT STORIES

Sat., Feb. 15, 1-3 p.m.

Join author Meara Platt as she reveals why readers love anthologies, boxsets, and themed connected series, and why these are important marketing tools for authors. Meara is an award-winning, *USA Today* bestselling author in historical romance and fantasy romance, and an Amazon UK All-star. She has published over 20 books and is a long-time member of Romance Writers of America and its local chapter, LI Romance Writers.

CROCHET-ALONG

Tues., Feb. 18 at 7 p.m.

Join Jo Cohen, Craft Yarn Council certified crochet teacher, for a crochet-along, an intermediate level event that will run from Feb. to Sept., meeting one Tues. a month. Participants need to know all basic crochet stitches, and they will learn specialty stitches and stitch patterns each lesson. Squares will be joined into a blanket in the fall. Materials to bring: size H crochet hook and about 200 yards worsted weight yarn, Craft Yarn Council category 4 yarn, and a ruler or tape measure. Fee \$5. SHPL registers **Feb. 7**, others Feb. 14.



Food & Cooking

COOKING CLASS: CINNAMON BUN GLAZED SCONES Wed., Feb. 26 at 7 p.m.

Chef Rob Scott knows that everyone loves cinnamon buns, and he will show you how to make them in the form of delicious scones with a sweet sugar glaze. Everyone will go home with 6 scones, ready to bake. Please bring to

Art Exhibit

'Breaking the Square' Feb. 1-Mar. 4 Opening reception: Sat. Feb. 1, 2-4 p.m.

This group exhibit features collaborative work by Kevin Larkin and Peter Josyph, and works by William Hawkins and Andrea Manning featuring flat and three-dimensional art that erases boundaries. These artists challenge the restrictions of working inside a frame. Without interruption of a rigid structure, their compositions continue further extending the concept of a shape canvas.



class a baking sheet, 2 small bowls, large bowl, fork, small spoon and ¼ cup chopped pecans. There is a \$10 fee. SHPL registers **Feb. 12**, others Feb. 19.



History & Genealogy

GENEALOGY WORKSHOP Sat. Feb. 1 at 11 a.m.

Huntington Historian Robert Hughes will be the guest speaker, discussing "Tracing the History of a House." Co-sponsored with the Huntington Historical Society.

NORTH SHORE CIVIL WAR ROUNDTABLE

Thurs., Feb. 6 at 7 p.m.
Valerie Protopapas will discuss "The Sinking of the Sultana." All welcome.

Community Meetings

2ND PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING

Tues., Feb. 4 at 7 p.m.
Officers with the Suffolk County Police Department's 2nd Precinct will be here to discuss community policing. Residents are encouraged to bring up matters of concern in their neighborhoods. All welcome.

AARP VOLUNTEERS Thurs., Feb. 13 at 10 a.m.

TWO FOR BROADWAY Sun., Feb. 23 at 2:30 p.m.

The magic of Broadway will shine with "Two for Broadway," a musical revue that will take you on a romantic journey through the highs and lows of romance, love and marriage. Enjoy your favorites from *Funny Girl*, *Carousel*, *Ragtime* and more performed by talented theatrical artists with live accompaniment. All welcome!



Meet others in the community and find out about volunteer opportunities. At 11 a.m., Brittany Kickel of the Stony Brook Heart Institute will discuss heart compression techniques and demonstrate the use of an automatic external defibrillator (AED). All welcome.

Lecture & Discussion

These lectures are co-sponsored with The Men's Group of The Greens. All welcome.

AIR TRAVEL IN 2020: AN ASSESSMENT Wed., Feb. 12 at 10:15 a.m.

(Program re-scheduled from Jan.)
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.

GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE Wed., Feb. 26 at 10:15 a.m.

Colder winters, hotter summers, recurring flooding, raging forest fires, tropical diseases, and endless droughts persist. Many have called these plagues an existential threat to the USA and to the entire world. What kind of world will we bequeath to our children and grandchildren? Guest speaker Ronald Brown will give us much food for thought.

ADULT PROGRAMS

CENSUS EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Wed., Feb. 12, 3-5 p.m.

The Census Bureau is hiring! Find out how you can get a job working on the 2020 census. Representatives will be at a table in our lobby.

CENSUS INFORMATION WORKSHOP

Thurs., Feb. 27 at 7 p.m.

Next month, you will be receiving in the mail an invitation to respond online to the 2020 census. Representatives from the U.S. Census Bureau will be here with information about why it's important to get an accurate count, the safe and easy way you can complete the census and how to avoid fraud. They will also answer any questions you may have. *Come a little early and tour the SLED, a mobile library service vehicle!*

AARP TAX ASSISTANCE

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

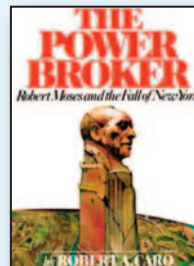
Volunteer tax preparers from AARP will be here to provide assistance to low- and middle-income taxpayers, with special attention to those aged 60 and older. AARP volunteers cannot prepare returns that include rental income, military income, alternative minimum tax or those with numerous stock transactions. *The program is free, but due to high demand, you must make an appointment.* Visit the Circulation Desk or call the library at 631.549.4411. (If filing jointly, both people must attend.) Please bring to your appointment pertinent tax documents along with last year's tax returns, photo ID and Social Security card.

Books & Reading

NON-FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., Feb. 12 at 11 a.m.

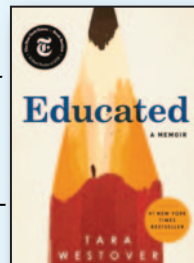
Moderator Helen Harris will continue the discussion of *The Power Broker: Robert Moses and the Fall of New York* by Robert Caro. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk.



BOOK TALK READING CLUB

Tues., Feb. 18 at 11:30 a.m.

Moderator Helen Harris will lead a discussion of *Educated* by Tara Westover. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. New participants, listeners welcome.



EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., Feb. 19 at 7 p.m.

Join us as we discuss *Glory Over Everything: Beyond The Kitchen House* by Kathleen Grissom. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. New participants, listeners welcome.



NEXT CHAPTER BOOK CLUB

Tues., Feb. 4-25, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

This group is 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. This group is facilitated by trained volunteers. To register, call Kim Nau at Literacy Nassau at 516-867-3580 (ext. 18).



Need help with e-books, audiobooks?

Make a one-on-one appointment with a librarian. Call Adult Services at 631.549.4411.

GENEALOGY DROP-IN

Thurs., Feb. 6, 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.

NAVIGATING LIBRARY TECHNOLOGY DROP-IN

Thurs., Feb. 6, 5-7:30 p.m.

If you have questions about our new website, program registration process, e-book apps or other digital services, please drop into our Technology Center. We will answer your questions, guide you through the website, show you how to download apps and more. No registration needed.



Tech Center

ALL ABOUT APPLE APPS

Mon., Feb. 10 at 7 p.m.

Get the most out of your Apple device with the latest apps. Please bring your device (iPhone, iPad, etc.) and your Apple ID to class. SHPL registers **Feb. 1**, others Feb. 8.

EXCEL TIPS & TRICKS

Wed., Feb. 12 at 7 p.m.

This class is geared toward everyone from the beginner to the experienced Excel user. We will cover some of the hidden tricks and share tips to save keystrokes. Bring a notebook and learn along with the class as you jot down keyboard shortcuts, right mouse key secrets and gems you may not know

where to find. Feel free to share tips you know already with the class! SHPL registers **Feb. 3**, others Feb. 10.

A TO Z DATABASES

Thurs., Feb. 20 at 7 p.m.

Librarian Howard Spiegelglass will show you how to use A to Z Databases, available for free with your South Huntington Library card. This versatile database can be used for business research, mailing lists, employment opportunities, finding friends and relatives, and much more! SHPL registers **Feb. 6**, others Feb. 13.

3D PRINTING WORKSHOP

Sats., Feb. 29-March 21, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

In this four-session class, instructor Barry Dutchen will help you design a



phone case that will be printed on the library's 3D printers. Participants must have working knowledge of 3D design software. There is a \$25 materials fee. SHPL registers **Feb. 8**, others Feb. 16.

EXCEL DEEP DIVE 1

Wed., March 4 at 7 p.m.

This class is for the experienced Excel user looking to take a "deeper dive" into the capabilities and newer features of this popular spreadsheet software. This course delves into advanced formatting and using tables and small charts on the Home, Insert and Review tabs. SHPL registers **Feb. 12**, out-of-district Feb. 19.



Be A Better Driver

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Wed., Feb. 19 & 26 at 7 p.m.

Be a better driver and save money on your auto insurance. There is a \$28 fee for this two-session class. South Huntington cardholders registers **Feb. 5**, others Feb. 12.

AARP SMART DRIVING

Sat., March 7 or Wed., March 18, 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. The fee is \$20 for AARP members with their card; \$25 non-members. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Feb. 11**, out-of-district Feb. 18.

Fun & Games

GAME DAY

Weds., Feb. 5-26, 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Bring your game supplies and friends and have fun playing and

socializing. The Library will set up tables and chairs in the Young Adult Library.

Adult Learning

LEARN TO SPEAK ENGLISH

Wed., Feb. 5 and 26, 7-8 p.m.

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. Open to all.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Health & Wellness

HEALTH INSURANCE COUNSELING

Mon., Feb. 10, 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 call the library to make an appointment: 631.549.4411.

BREATHE, MOVE, MEDITATE – Mon., Feb. 10 at 7 p.m.

Instructor Nav Bal will teach you easy ways to incorporate meditation into your life and yoga practice. Experience mindful breathing along with movement, which creates awareness of one's own center, soothes emotions, relaxes the body and calms the nervous system. Please bring to class a yoga mat, blanket and blocks, if you have them. SHPL registers **Feb. 1**, others Feb. 8.

HEART HEALTH: AND THE BEAT GOES ON

Wed., Feb. 12 at 7 p.m.

February is American Heart Month. Join healthy chef and educator Kathryn Petritis to learn about women and heart disease. Topics will include understanding good fat/bad fat, holistic health in prevention of heart disease; and enlightened practices for a healthy heart in the Far Eastern tradition. She will show you how to put your diet into action with healthy eating principles. Free, but please reserve your seat. SHPL registers **Feb. 5**.

BETTER RELATIONSHIPS THROUGH ASSERTIVE AND COMPASSIONATE COMMUNICATION – Thurs., Feb. 13 at 7 p.m.

Communication skills can make or break relationships -- at home, in the workplace and in the community. When you make an effort to improve communication, things can go from falling apart when conflict arises to conscious, compassionate and fulfilling conversations. Presenter Sanford Hinden will discuss assertive, authentic and compassionate communication skills to help you have better relationships with family, co-workers, friends and neighbors. All welcome.

ZEN EXPRESSION MEDITATION WORKSHOP

Mon., Feb. 24 at 7 p.m.

Enjoy this collaboration of The Zen Den and artist Carol Ricciuti-Gomes to enhance your focus. You will be guided through a clarity meditation at the start of the workshop, then continue into a guided mindful meditation while Carol helps you draw with pastels, India Ink and twigs. The main theme of the painting will be a symbol expressing your inner self. No artistic or meditation experience is necessary. Materials fee \$5. SHPL registers **Feb. 10**, others Feb. 17.

Upcoming Exercise Classes

If registering online at www.shpl.info, click on the day of the first class to register.

TAI CHI LEVEL ONE: Mon., Mar. 2-Apr. 27, 9:30 a.m.

Instructor Rosanne Pawluk. Fee \$47. SHPL registers **Feb. 3**, others Feb. 10

MONDAY YOGA: Mar. 2-Apr. 27, 11 a.m.

Instructor Augusta Berner. Fee \$36. SHPL registers **Feb. 3**, others Feb. 10.

INTERMEDIATE TAI CHI: Tues., Mar. 3-31 & Apr. 14 & 21, 10-11:30 a.m.

Instructor Rosanne Pawluk. Fee \$55. SHPL registers **Feb. 4**, others Feb. 11.

EVENING YOGA: Tues., Mar. 3-31 & Apr. 14 & 21, 6:30 p.m.

Instructor Augusta Berner. Fee \$24. SHPL registers **Feb. 4**, others Feb. 11.

TAI CHI FOR HEALTH: Thurs., Mar. 5-Apr. 30, 9:30 a.m.

Instructor Rosanne Pawluk. Fee \$47. SHPL registers **Feb. 6**, others Feb. 13.

THURSDAY YOGA: Mar. 5-Apr. 30, 11 a.m.

Instructor Augusta Berner. Fee \$36. SHPL registers **Feb. 6**, others Feb. 13.

GENTLE YOGA: Sat., Mar. 7-28, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Instructor Cathy Daniels. Fee \$15. SHPL registers **Feb. 8**, others Feb. 15.

Monday Movies @ 2:30 p.m.

Feb. 3: The Goldfinch

Theodore 'Theo' Decker was 13 years old when his mother was killed in a bombing at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The tragedy changes the course of his life, sending him on a stirring odyssey of grief and guilt, reinvention and redemption, and even love. Through it all, he holds on to one tangible piece of hope from that terrible day, a painting of a tiny bird chained to its perch. Based on the best-selling book by Donna Tartt. Nicole Kidman, Finn Wolfhard, Ansel Elgort. R, 149 mins.



Feb. 10: Harriet

Based on the thrilling and inspirational life of an iconic American freedom fighter, the movie tells the extraordinary tale of Harriet Tubman's escape from slavery and transformation into one of America's greatest heroes. Her courage, ingenuity, and tenacity freed hundreds of slaves and changed the course of history. Cynthia Erivo, Leslie Odom Jr. PG-13, 125 mins.



Feb. 17: Presidents Day – Library closed

Feb. 24: Edie

Following the death of her husband, Edie breaks free from years of his control and rebels against her daughter's wish for her to move into assisted living by embarking on an adventure she and her father had always longed for: a trip to the Scottish Highlands to climb the world-famous Suilven mountain. Sheila Hancock, Kevin Guthrie. NR, 102 mins.



Black History Month Filmfest @ 6:30 p.m.

Feb. 7: To Kill A Mockingbird

During the Depression, a white woman accuses a black man of rape. Though he is obviously innocent, the outcome of his trial is such a foregone conclusion that no lawyer will step forward to defend him -- except the town's most distinguished citizen. His compassionate defense costs him friendships but earns him the respect and admiration of his two motherless children. Gregory Peck, Mary Badham. NR, 130 mins.



Feb. 14: Waiting to Exhale

Four African-American women are all waiting for the time when they can relax and stop worrying about finding the perfect man. Whitney Houston, Angela Bassett. R, 124 mins.



Feb. 21: Devil in a Blue Dress

Ezekiel "Easy" Rawlins is a decorated war hero who returns home to work as a private eye. His job of finding a missing socialite puts him between the white power elite and the vibrant black community of Central Avenue. As soon as Easy and his trigger-happy friend Mouse find Daphne Monet, trouble follows. Denzel Washington, Don Cheadle, Jennifer Beals. R, 101 mins.



Feb. 28: Hidden Figures

As the US raced against Russia to put a man in space, NASA found untapped talent in a group of African-American female mathematicians that served as the brains behind one of the greatest operations in U.S. history. Taraji P. Henson, Octavia Spencer. PG, 127 mins.



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.

Candy Kiss Guess in a Jar!

Guess the number of candy kisses in the jar and the one with the closest guess wins the whole jar of chocolate! See the YA librarian to have your chance to win. One guess per person. For those in 6-12 grade only. Contest ends Feb. 28.

Coloring and Cocoa

Fri., Feb. 7, 6 p.m.-8 p.m.

Get your coloring on while enjoying a nice cup of cocoa and listening to some music. Let your inner artist color inside the lines and enjoy some creative time with your friends!! Materials will be provided. For those in 6-12 grade. No registration required.

Love Stinks!

Thurs., Feb. 13, 7-8 p.m.

Celebrate all things black and red at our Anti-Valentine's Day celebration. Enjoy music, red and black themed games, crafts and light refreshments. Don't forget to wear your red and black colors! Registration is ongoing till program is full.



Heart Racing Valentine's BINGO

Fri., Feb. 14, 7-8 p.m.

Join us for a heart-racing game of bingo, and celebrate Valentine's Day with your friends! Registration begins **Feb. 3.**



SAT Review Class

Weds., Feb. 26-April 22, 6:30-8 p.m.



Join a counselor from Project Excel for this free SAT prep class on Wed.s Feb. 26-April 22 (Class does not meet April 15). Registration begins for SHPL card-

holders on **Feb. 12**; other Huntington Township library card holders may register beginning Feb. 19, space permitting.

Chihuly Inspired Glass Sculpture

Thurs., Feb. 27, 7-8:30 p.m.

Calling all artists!! Come and learn the art of blown glass created by Dale Chihuly, and create your own masterpiece! Materials will be provided and please dress for a mess. Registration begins **Feb. 13.**



Open Mic Night!

Fri., Feb. 28, 7-8 p.m.

Step up to the mic and show your stuff. Music, singing, dancing, poetry reading, comedy, magic and other talents are welcome at our open mic night hosted by the Teen Advisory Board. Refreshments will be served. Fill out and hand in a Teen Open Mic Night Act Form (available in the YA Library) to secure your spot. Walk-ins welcome, space permitting. For those in 6-12 grade only.



Leather Earrings

Fri., March 6, 7-8:30 p.m.

Make a beautiful pair of trendy lightweight leather earrings. You will choose a color, shape and embellishments for a personalized fashion accessory. Registration begins **Feb. 28.**



YA Volunteering: Pop Up Cards for Hospitalized Kids

Sat., March 7 2-3 p.m.

Create pop up cards that will be sent to Cards for Hospitalized Kids, a not-for-profit organization that distributes them nationwide. Registration begins **Feb. 29** at 9:30 a.m.



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 Jen's Pick

Solo by Kwame Alexander



Written beautifully in prose, this story reflects the life of Blade who wishes that his drug addicted rock star father would just disappear. The story moves fast through the rhythms as Blade tries to discover who

he really is while dealing with issues such as notoriety, loss of a parent, and loss of a child. Despite the size of the book this is a quick, rewarding read.

Miss Janeth's Pick

Brief Chronicle of Another Stupid Heartbreak by Adi Alsaid



What is love? What comes after you have loved someone but they do not love you back? Meet Lucinda, a love and dating columnist for the hot online teen magazine the "Misnomer." Freshly dumped by her

boyfriend Leo, Lu has a deadline to meet for her new dating column and not to mention her scholarship to NYU is also on the line. How could she write about love when she is experiencing a heartbreak? How can she focus on her love of writing, if she is hurting inside? Find out what adventures await for Lu as she tries to find the meaning of love.

Vacay Week Activities

Teen Advisory Board

Tues., Feb. 18, 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!

Babysitting Workshop

Wed. & Thurs., Feb. 19 & 20, 3-4:30 p.m.



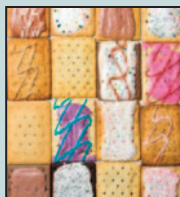
Project Excel will offer a two-day babysitting preparation course for middle and high school students. Participants will work with animated dolls to learn the basics of infant

care including feeding, burping, diaper changing, safety and play. Students learn how to engage toddlers and younger children in play as well as scheduling, discipline and safety. Students will leave with a toolkit of games and strategies to become top rated caregivers. Registration begins **Feb. 5.**

Taste Test Challenge: Pop Tarts

Thurs., Feb. 20, 7-8 p.m.

Since 1964, Pop Tarts have been one of the most recognized brands of toaster pastries. There are many different flavors, but only you can determine which is the best! Registration begins **Feb. 6.**



Teen STEAM Challenge

Fri., Feb. 21 7-8:30 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 **Feb. 7.**

Ultimate Chocolate Chip Cookie

Sat., Feb. 22, 1-2 p.m.

Join Chef Rob as each participant will make and take home 18 cookies to bake. Yummy! Registration begins **Feb. 8.**



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.) 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.*

TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY DAY

Sat., Feb. 1, all day
Introduce your children to the wonders of the library! Join us for these exciting programs:

- PlayHooray Babies & Kids,
- Make-A-Valentine Crafts Galore
- Children's Theater: The Rainbow Fish Musical



family programs

DROP IN AND PLAY

Fri., Feb. 7, 14 & 28, 12-3 p.m. and Fri., Feb. 21, 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.

MAKE-A-VALENTINE CRAFTS GALORE

Sat., Feb. 1, 12-3 p.m., all ages

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

CHILDREN'S THEATER: THE RAINBOW FISH MUSICAL

Sat., Feb. 1, 3-4:30 p.m.

It's Take Your Child to the Library Day! Celebrate with this Plaza Theatrical production based on the beloved children's book. Registration is going on now. If you sign up online at www.shpl.info, please print your registration confirmation and bring it to the show. Tickets are valid until 2:50 p.m., when non-ticket holders will be seated, if there is space.



early childhood programs

PLAYHOORAY BABIES & KIDS

Sat. Feb. 1, 10-10:45 a.m., and Sat. Mar. 7, 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. Registration is ongoing for the program on Feb. 1 and begins **Feb. 22** for the program on Mar. 7.

DANCING JELLY BEANS

Thur., Feb. 6, 13 & 27, 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., Feb. 8, 10-11:00 a.m., 18 mos.- 5 yrs.

Enjoy playing, dancing, singing, bubbles, listening to stories and making a cool craft with early childhood educator, Lisa Havekotte. Register **Feb. 1**.

VALENTINE TODDLER PAINT

Tue., Feb. 11, 10-10:45 a.m., 18-42 mos.

In this Valentine's Day inspired paint program, toddlers will explore color, foster creativity, improve fine motor skills and have a blast! Dress for a mess. Register **Feb. 4**.

PAJAMA STORYTIME!

Tue., Feb. 11, 6:30-7:30 p.m., birth -6 yrs.

Wear your pajamas, bring a stuffed animal, and join Miss Janeth for bedtime stories, rhymes, songs, and a snack. Recommended for children ages birth to six years. Drop-in.



KICK & PLAY

Sat., Feb. 15, 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! Register **Feb. 1**.

SING, SIGN & PLAY

Sat., Feb. 22 & 29, 10-10:45 a.m., 3-36 mos.

Learn baby sign language through singing, rhyming, and play in this inclusive program. Siblings welcome. Register **Feb. 8**.

MUSICAL MUNCHKINS

Mon., Feb. 24 - Mar. 9, 10-10:45 a.m., birth-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 **Feb. 10**.

SO BIG!

Tue., Feb. 25, 10-11 a.m., 18-36 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 **Feb. 11**.

JUMPBUNCH

Wed., Feb. 26-Apr. 8, 10:15-11 a.m., and Wed., Feb. 26-Apr. 8, 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 **Feb. 12**.

A TIME FOR KIDS

Fri., Feb. 28-Mar. 13, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs.

This skill-building, interactive class will help prepare your child for independent learning experiences. Registration is ongoing.

PICTURE BOOK TIME

Wed., Mar 4 - Apr. 1, 2-2:30 p.m., or Thur., Mar. 5 - Apr. 2, 10-10:30 a.m., 3-5 yrs.

Enjoy stories, songs, action rhymes, and other activities aimed at building a love of language, books, and reading. Register **Feb. 12** for the program on Mar. 4 and register **Feb. 13** for the program on Mar. 5.

school age programs

HOMEWORK HELP AT THE SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Mon., Feb. 3, 10 & 24, 4:30-6 p.m., K-6 gr. High school students will assist children 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

Thur., Feb. 6, 4:30-5:30 p.m., OR Wed., Feb. 19, 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. Register **Feb. 1**.

HUG MACHINE PILLOW

Sat., Feb. 8, 2-3 p.m., K-5 gr.

Listen to the story *Hug Machine* by Scott Campbell before creating an adorable and huggable no-sew pillow. The completed pillow will include a little pocket for holding small treasures like the included felt heart. Register **Feb. 1**.



LEARN TO DRAW WITH ART TEACHER

AMY - Sat., Feb. 15, 2-3 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Art Teacher Amy will take you step-by-step through a drawing of a polar bear wearing a scarf using oil pastels and watercolors. No experience necessary! Register **Feb. 1**.



CHESS NUTS

Sun., Feb. 16, 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 instruction followed by 1/2 hour of playtime. Register **Feb. 3**.

IT'S A SNAILABRATION!

Tue., Feb. 18, 2:30-3:15 p.m., K-3 gr.

Learn about the amazing creatures that carry their homes on their backs and may even live in your yard! There will be snail stories, snail facts, a snail craft and even snail races! Register **Feb. 4**.



KIDS & TEENS TOGETHER:

PRINCESS SPA DAY

Wed., Feb. 19, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 4-8 yrs.

Get treated like a princess and come to our pretend "spa day."

Have your nails and hair done by members of our library's Teen Advisory Board



and then we'll read some stories about being a princess. Please bring your own hairbrush and feel free to come dressed as a princess. Register **Feb. 5 at 7 p.m.**

BAKING COACH: CHOCOLATE COVERED EVERYTHING

Thur., Feb. 20, 2-3 p.m., K-5 gr.

This is a finger licking good time for all. Make a box full of treats to take home and share if you want to!!! Register **Feb. 6**.

ESCAPE FROM ELSA'S CASTLE

Fri., Feb. 21, 6:30-7:15 p.m., or Fri., Feb. 21, 7:30-8:15 p.m., 7-10 yrs.

See if you have what it takes to help Elsa escape from her castle and find her sister Anna in our escape room. Teams will have 30 minutes to complete their challenge. Please sign up for one time slot only. Register **Feb. 7 at 7 p.m.**



TURTLE TRACKERS

Sat., Feb. 22, 2:30-3:30 p.m., K-4 gr.

Learn all about the turtles that are native to Long Island and how you can protect them. Meet a live turtle friend and create a terrific turtle craft too! Register **Feb. 8**.



YOGA KIDS

Wed., Feb. 26 - Apr. 8, 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 **Feb. 12**.

TWEENS NIGHT OUT: CLAW GRABBER CHALLENGE

Fri., Feb. 28, 7-8 p.m., 4-6 gr.

Design your own arcade-style claw grabber, then use it to retrieve snacks and surprises from a giant box. The most creative claw wins a prize! Register **Feb. 14**.

HARRY POTTER SCIENCE

Sat., Feb. 29, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Learn about chemistry with Harry Potter! Make exploding Polyjuice, worms that change color, and more. Register **Feb. 15**.

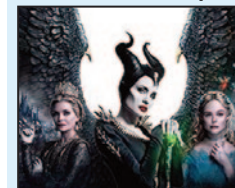


Kids Flicks

(under 11 must be accompanied by an adult)

MALEFICENT: MISTRESS OF EVIL

Sun., Feb. 9, 2:30 p.m.



Maleficent and Aurora form new alliances and face new adversaries in their struggle to protect the moors and the magical creatures that reside within. PG, 118 mins.

ADDAMS FAMILY: Fri., Feb. 21, 2:30 p.m.



The eccentrically macabre family moves to a bland suburb where Wednesday Addams' friendship with the daughter of a hostile and conformist local reality show host exacerbates conflict between the families. PG, 87 mins.

February

SUNDAY

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SATURDAY

<p>ADULTS TEENS CHILDREN ALL AGES</p>	<p>* Please see program descriptions for registration information.</p>					<p>1 9:30 a.m. Walk 15 Fitness* 10 a.m. PlayHooray Babies & Kids* 11 a.m. Genealogy Workshop 1 p.m. Valentine Crafts Galore 2 p.m. Art Exhibit Opening 3 p.m. Rainbow Fish Musical*</p>
<p>2</p>	<p>3 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: The Goldfinch 4:30 p.m. Homework Help</p>	<p>4 9 a.m. AARP Tax Help* 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 4:30 p.m. Learn the Ukelele* 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 7 p.m. Executive Teen Advisory Board 7 p.m. 2nd Prec. Comm. Mtg.</p>	<p>5 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. JumpBunch* 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. ESL Class</p>	<p>6 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 10 a.m. Genealogy Drop-in 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 11 a.m. Yoga* 1 p.m. Thursday Knitting 4:30 p.m. Lego Club* 5 p.m. Navigating Library Technology 7 p.m. North Shore Civil War Roundtable</p>	<p>7 10 a.m. Time for Kids* 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Crochet for Kids* 6 p.m. Coloring & Cocoa 6:30 p.m. Movie: To Kill A Mockingbird</p>	<p>8 9:30 a.m. Walk 15 Fitness* 10 a.m. AARP Smart Driving* 10 a.m. Wiggling on the Weekend* 2 p.m. Hug Machine Pillow* 7 p.m. Hourglass: A James Taylor Tribute*</p>
<p>9 1 p.m. Folk Music Jam 2:30 p.m. Kids Movie: Malificent - Mistress of Evil</p>	<p>10 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 10 a.m. Health Insurance Counseling* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Harriet 4:30 p.m. Homework Help 7 p.m. Breathe, Move & Meditate* 7 p.m. All About Apple Apps*</p>	<p>11 9 a.m. AARP Tax Help* 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. Valentine Toddler Paint* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 6:30 p.m. Pajama Storytime</p>	<p>12 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. Jump Bunch* 10:15 a.m. 2020 Air Travel 11 a.m. Non-Fict Book Disc. 11 a.m. Game Day 3 p.m. Census Employment 2 p.m. Picture Book Time* 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 5:30 p.m. Yoga for Teens* 7 p.m. Excel Tips & Tricks* 7 p.m. Heart Health: And the Beat Goes On</p>	<p>13 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* 6:30 p.m. Writing Workshop* 7 p.m. Love Stinks* 7 p.m. Better Relationships Through Assertive & Com-passionate Communication</p>	<p>14 9:30 a.m. Art Class: Felted Heart-Shape Coasters* 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Crochet for Kids* 6:30 p.m. Movie: Waiting to Exhale 7 p.m. Valentine's BINGO*</p>	<p>15 9:30 a.m. Walk 15 Fitness* 10 a.m. Kick & Play* 1 p.m. The Art of Writing Short Stories 2 p.m. Learn to Draw* 7 p.m. Harmonica Bill & Marked Deck*</p>
<p>16 2:30 p.m. Chess Nuts* 2:30 p.m. Classical Sundays: The Fredonia Piano Quartet</p>	<p>17 PRESIDENTS DAY LIBRARY CLOSED</p>	<p>18 9 a.m. AARP Tax Help* 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Next Chapter Book Club 11:30 a.m. Book Talk Reading Club 2:30 p.m. It's a Snailabration* 6:30 p.m. Evening Yoga* 7 p.m. Crochet Along* 7 p.m. Library Board of Trustees Meeting 7 p.m. Teen Advisory Board</p>	<p>19 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10:30 a.m. Lego Club* 11 a.m. Game Day 2:30 p.m. Kids & Teens Spa Day* 3 p.m. Babysitting Wkshp.* 7 p.m. Defensive Driving 7 p.m. Evening Book Discussion</p>	<p>20 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2 p.m. Baking Coach* 3 p.m. Babysitting Wkshp.* 7 p.m. AtoZ Database: See What You Can Find* 7 p.m. Writing Workshop* 7 p.m. Taste Test Challenge: Pop Tarts</p>	<p>21 10 a.m. Drop-In Play 2:30 p.m. Kids Movie: Addams Family 6:30 & 7:30 p.m. Escape From Elsa's Castle* 6:30 p.m. Movie: Devil in a Blue Dress 7 p.m. Teen STEAM Challenge*</p>	<p>22 9:30 a.m. Walk 15 Fitness* 10 a.m. Sing, Sign & Play* 1 p.m. Ultimate Chocolate Chip Cookie* 2:30 p.m. Turtle Trackers* 7 p.m. Everything Everly with The Guthrie Brothers*</p>
<p>23 2:30 p.m. Two for Broadway</p>	<p>24 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10 a.m. Musical Munchkins* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Edie 4:30 p.m. Homework Help 7 p.m. Zen Expression Meditation Workshop*</p>	<p>25 9 a.m. AARP Tax Help* 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*</p>	<p>26 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. Jump-Bunch* 10:15 a.m. Global Climate Change 11 a.m. Game Day 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 6:30 p.m. SAT Review* 7 p.m. Defensive Driving* 7 p.m. ESL Class 7 p.m. Cinnamon Bun Glazed Scones*</p>	<p>27 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Health* 11 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans 11 a.m. Yoga* 7 p.m. Chihuly Inspired Glass Sculpture* 7 p.m. Census Information Workshop</p>	<p>28 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. Movie: Hidden Figures 7 p.m. Open Mic Night* 7 p.m. Tweens Night Out*</p>	<p>29 9:30 a.m. Walk 15 Fitness* 9:30 a.m. 3D Printing Workshop* 10 a.m. Sing, Sign & Play* 11 a.m. Teen Volunteers 2:30 p.m. Harry Potter Science* 7 p.m. Sugar & Spice Band*</p>



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Next Meeting: Tues., Feb. 18 at 7 p.m.

The Library will be closed Mon., Feb. 17
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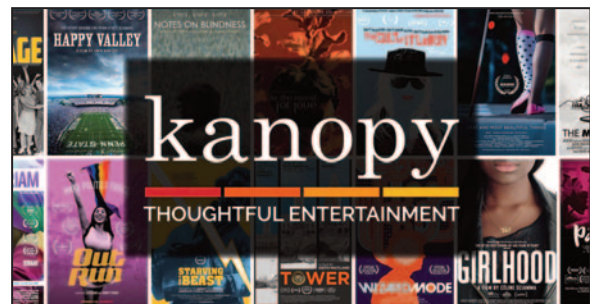


Oakwood Tops With Readers

Beth Pereira (standing, back right), head of Youth Services at the South Huntington Public Library, congratulates students from Oakwood Primary School, which had the most children who signed up for the library's annual Summer Reading Club.

Smitten With Reading

There's still time to participate in the library's annual Adult Winter Reading Challenge. Read or listen to books and earn the chance to win prizes. "Let's Talk About Books" will conclude the program on Sat., March 7. Sign up for the reading club at the Adult Reference Desk. Participants can also donate new, unused hats, gloves, scarves, etc. to those in need. Get more information at the Adult Services Desk or call 631.549.4411.

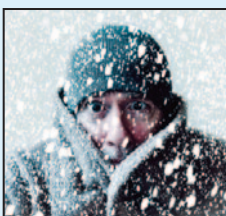


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Trustee Petitions & Budget Vote

The deadline to submit petitions to run for library trustee is Monday, March 9 at 5 p.m. Petitions may be picked up at the Adult Reference Desk beginning Tues., Feb. 11. The annual budget meeting will be held Monday, March 30 at 7 p.m. and the budget vote and trustee election will be Tuesday, April 7 from 10 a.m.-9 p.m.

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.

Ongoing Services

- Museum passes
- Passport acceptance
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- Fax machine
- Scanner
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