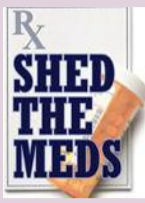


SHEDDING & SHREDDING

Shed the Meds: Medication Collection Day

Sat., April 16, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.



Representatives of the Suffolk County Sheriff's Office will be in the library lobby to collect residents' unused prescription medications and covered hypodermic needles. Proper disposal is essential to protect the environment, and ensure that old prescriptions don't end up in the wrong hands.

Community Shredding Day

Sat., April 16, 2-4 p.m.



Clean out those desks, closets and file cabinets! Quality Shredding will be in the library parking lot to accept up to three bags/boxes of household documents per cardholder from 2-4 p.m. or until the truck is full. There is no need to remove staples, paper clips or file folders.

Meet Local Authors

Saturday, April 9, 1-4 p.m.



Calling all readers, writers and book lovers: Here is your chance to meet published authors and discover new books. It's a unique opportunity to ask authors about their work and the process of writing and publishing. Thirty authors will be featured, including writers of romance, non-fiction, self help and more. Copies of books will be available for sale and signing.

Friends of the Library Meeting

Wed., April 13 at 7 p.m.

New members welcome!

Join us for our Spring Meeting, where we will discuss upcoming projects, including the Art & Craft Fair, scheduled this year for Saturday, June 18 (see below). We will also elect a slate of officers for 2016-18. Hope to see you there!

Calling All Art & Craft Vendors



The Friends of the Library will host their Art & Craft Fair this year on Saturday, June 18, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. They are seeking artisans and those with handcrafted items who want to sell their work at the fair, which will be held rain or shine in the library parking lot. Spaces, which are about 10' x 10', must be reserved in advance; the fee is \$35. Applications are available in the library and online at www.shpl.info.

Musicians Wanted

The library is also looking for local residents with musical talent to perform on the Open Mic Stage on June 18. If you are interested, please call Library Director Joe Latini at 631.549.4411 or e-mail, jlatini@shpl.info

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Don't Forget to Vote!

Tuesday, April 5, 3-9 p.m.

The South Huntington Public Library will hold its annual budget vote and trustee election on Tuesday, April 5 from 3-9 p.m. Copies of the proposed spending plan are available in the library and online at www.shpl.info.

Two trustee positions are on the ballot April 5, one five-year term held by Stuart Horowitz, who is seeking re-election, and one one-year term, held by Kate Rea, who also is seeking re-election (see info below). Your vote is extremely important. Make sure you have a say in the quality of library materials and services that will be available to you and your family.

Visit your library on April 5th and let us know how we are doing.

Voter Information

To vote on April 5, you must be at least 18, a U.S. citizen and a resident of the South Huntington School District (#13) for at least 30 days. If you are not registered to vote, you may do so on April 5. Identification proving residency is required. Applications for absentee ballots are available at the Reference Desk or by calling the library at 631.549.4411 to request a mailed ballot. Completed absentee ballots must be received by Tue., April 5 at 5 p.m.

Meet the Candidates

Stuart Horowitz, 5-year term



Stuart Horowitz has been on the library board since 2000 and has served as president, vice-president and financial chairperson, during which time the library building, collections and services were successfully expanded. Library trustees throughout Huntington Town have recognized Mr. Horowitz's work by twice electing him to the Board of the Suffolk Cooperative Library System where he served as treasurer, vice-president, and president. Prior to becoming a library trustee he was

Kathleen Rea, 1-year term



Kate Rea is currently filling the library board position held by longtime Trustee John Eberhardt and wishes to continue serving the library in this capacity. Mrs. Rea has been an active member of the Friends of the Library since 2005 and enjoys volunteering her time for the betterment of the library. She has been working as a teacher at St. Peter's Nursery Pre-School here in Huntington Station for the past 9 years and resides in the neighborhood with her husband and two sons. Mrs. Rea received her

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VOTE DAY ACTIVITIES:

Once Upon A Time @ Your Library

This year we celebrate the 150th birthday of Beatrix Potter, children's author, illustrator and conservationist. She is the author of more than 30 books, but is best known for her children's stories featuring personified animals, such as Peter Rabbit, Mrs. Tiggy-winkle, Timmy Tiptoes, Jemima Puddleduck, Tom Kitten, Jeremy Fisher and others. To commemorate this special year, a new Beatrix Potter story based on a recently discovered manuscript is due out this September, *The Tale of Kitty-in-Boots*.

From 4-8 p.m., children can vote for their favorite Beatrix Potter character and have their picture taken in a Beatrix Potter world. There will also be a kids raffle, coloring pages, crafts and more. Adults who vote can participate in a free raffle sponsored by the Friends of the South Huntington Library. Prizes are an iPad mini, a FitBit and two Chromecast devices (these allow video streaming from a portable device to a TV with an HDMI port).



Need E-books? Homework Help? There's an app for that.

Always have the library in your pocket or purse. The South Huntington Library's free mobile app is available in the Apple App and Google Play stores. To get started, scan this QR code with your phone or go to www.shpl.info/mobileapp.



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ADULT PROGRAMS

JUNGLE RIVERS OF SOUTH AMERICA

Sun., April 3 at 2:30 p.m.



Irma and Bob Mandel will take you on a tour of the Orinoco and Amazon tributaries in South America, where you will see a kaleidoscope of flora and fauna, including dazzling hued birds and jumping pink dolphins, and meet welcoming native tribes who live simply in this natural world. All welcome.

SENIOR GAME DAY

Wed., April 6-27, 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

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

UPCOMING EXERCISE CLASSES

TAI CHI FOR BEGINNERS

Mon., May 2-23 and June 6-27, 9:30-10:30 a.m. (no session May 30)

Instructor is Gwen Devercelly. Fee \$32. SHPL registers April 4; others April 11.

MONDAY YOGA

May 2-23 and June 6-27, 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m. (no session May 30)

Instructor is Augusta Berner. Fee \$32. SHPL registers April 4; others April 11.

INTERMEDIATE TAI CHI

Tue., May 3-June 21, 10-11:30 a.m. (no session June 28)

Instructor is Gwen Devercelly. Fee \$47, SHPL registers April 5, others April 12.

EVENING YOGA

Tue., May 3-June 21, 6-7 p.m. (no session June 28)

Instructor is Augusta Berner. Fee \$28. SHPL registers April 5, others April 12.

EVENING YOGA II

Tue., May 3-June 21, 7:15-8:15 p.m. (no session June 28)

Instructor is Augusta Berner. Fee \$28. SHPL registers April 5, others April 12.

TAI CHI FOR ENERGY

Thur., May 5-June 30, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Instructor is Gwen Devercelly. Fee \$36. SHPL registers April 7, others April 14.

THURSDAY YOGA

Thur., May 5-June 30, 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Instructor is Augusta Berner. Fee \$36. SHPL registers April 7, others April 14.

HATHA YOGA WITH PROPS

Sat., May 7-28, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Instructor is Cathy Daniels. Please bring two blocks and a yoga strap to class. Fee is \$12 payable at registration, beginning April 2 for SHPL; all others April 9.

LEARN TO SPEAK ENGLISH

Weds., April 6-20, 7-8 p.m.

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

NORTH SHORE CIVIL WAR ROUNDTABLE

Thur., April 7 at 7 p.m.

The film, "Field of Lost Shoes," will be presented. It is a drama based on the Battle of New Market fought in Virginia. All welcome.

COLOR YOUR WORLD ADULT COLORING

Fri., April 8 & Wed., April 20, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.



Try out the latest trend: Coloring for adults. It's so popular, in fact, that many of the best-selling soft cover books are adult coloring books! Come and find out why people enjoy it so much while you meet others and socialize. The library will provide coloring sheets and art supplies, but feel free to bring your own. Adults only, please.

LOCAL AUTHOR FAIR

Sat., April 9, 1-4 p.m.

See Page 1 for details.

FOLK MUSIC JAM

Sun., April 10 at 1 p.m.

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



TOWNSHIP THEATRE GROUP: GOING PLACES

Sun., April 10, 2 p.m.
Township Theatre

RECITAL SERIES

Violinist Jennifer Choi and pianist Stephen Gosling

Sunday, April 17 at 2:30 p.m.

These renowned musicians will present an all-American program. Jennifer has performed worldwide since giving her debut recital at Carnegie Hall's Weill Hall as Winner of the Artists International Competition in 2000. Stephen, a Juilliard graduate, is a member of the New York Philharmonic. All welcome.



Group will present a collection of short plays about interrupted journeys and the ways in which the people involved are affected. They include "Traffic Jam" by Bonnie Corso and "Stations in Life" by Linda Prussen. Open to all.

2nd PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING

Wed., April 13 at 7 p.m.

Officers from the Suffolk County Police Department's 2nd Precinct will be here to discuss a topic related to community policing. Residents are encouraged to bring up matters of concern in their neighborhoods.

COMMUNITY SHREDDING DAY

Sat., April 16, 2-4 p.m.

See Page 1 for details.

PHOTOSHOP ESSENTIALS: ALL ABOUT LAYERS & SELECTIONS

Sat., April 16, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. OR

Thur., April 21 at 7 p.m.

Instructor Alan Perlman will help you understand layers and selections, which is essential for meaningful use of the world's best known image editing software. This is a practical, easy-to-understand demonstration that will lift the veil of confusion and enable you to use these critical features ef-



fectively. Appropriate for all versions of Photoshop, including Elements. Free; open to all.

EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., April 20 at 7 p.m.

Join us as we discuss *Those Who Save Us* by Jenna Blum. Multiple copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. New participants and listeners welcome.

THE CLOUD DEMYSTIFIED

Thur., April 21, 2-4 p.m.

Dropbox. Apple iCloud. Google Drive. Microsoft OneDrive. Until recently, most programs and files existed on your home computer. Cloud computing is changing that, with people using the Internet to access files and programs from PCs and mobile devices. Join the experts from SeniorNet to learn in plain terms what the cloud is, what it might mean to you, and which companies are offering cloud services. All welcome.

A TASTE OF AARP WITH A TWIST OF FINANCIAL WELLNESS

Wed., April 27, 2-4 p.m.

OR 7-9 p.m.

See Page 4 for details.

ALL ABOUT MEDICARE

Thur., April 28 at 7 p.m.

If you will soon be enrolling in Medicare or want to review your coverage, Steve Semryck will be here with updated information so you can make educated decisions.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Sat., April 30, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Learn to be a better driver with this Empire Safety Council class, and you could save money on your auto insurance. There is a \$28 fee payable at registration beginning April 2 for South Huntington cardholders; others April 9.

AARP SMART DRIVING

Sat., May 7 OR Wed. May 18, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

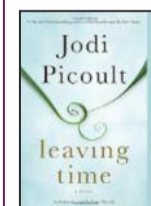
Bring a ball point pen, bag lunch, driver's license and a check or money order per person made out to AARP. NO CASH. The fee is \$20 for AARP members who bring their card; \$25 non-members. South Huntington cardholders register beginning April 12; others April 19.

LONG ISLAND READS

'LEAVING TIME' ELEPHANT BRACELET

Thur., April 14 at 7 p.m.

Katherine Haas will teach you how to make a bracelet using crystals and Amazonite beads with an elephant charm. Bronze and silver charms will be available as well as a variety of colored crystals. There is a \$10 materials fee payable at registration beginning April 1 for South Huntington cardholders; others April 8.



BOOK TALK READING CLUB

Tue., April 19 at 11:30 a.m.

Moderator Helen Harris will lead a discussion of *Leaving Time* by Jodi Picoult, this year's Long Island Reads selection. Multiple copies of the book are available to group participants at the Circulation Desk. Join us!

'LEAVING TIME': A DRAMATIC READING

Wed., April 20 at 7 p.m.

A two-actor dramatic reading of Jodi Picoult's "Leaving Time," in the style of old-time radio drama. All welcome.



ADULT PROGRAMS

FILM AND DISCUSSION

Celebrate the careers of Ingrid Bergman and Gregory Peck as film historian Irene Eckert presents these classic films, followed by a brief discussion.

Fri., April 22 at 7 p.m.: *Spellbound*

A psychologist falls for a suspect in a murder, which she tries to solve by unlocking the clues hidden in his mind. Ingrid Bergman, Gregory Peck. NR, 111 mins.

Fri., April 29 at 7 p.m.: *Notorious*

A beautiful woman with a tainted past is enlisted by American agent Devlin to spy on a ring of Nazis in post-war Rio. Her espionage work becomes life-threatening after she marries the most debonair of the Nazi ring. Ingrid Bergman, Cary Grant. NR, 102 mins.

MONDAY MOVIES @ 2:30 P.M.

April 4: *Creed* Adonis Johnson never knew his famous father, world heavyweight champion Apollo Creed, who died before he was born. Still, there's no denying that boxing is in his blood, so Adonis heads to Philadelphia, the site of Apollo Creed's legendary match with a tough upstart named Rocky Balboa. Sylvester Stallone, Michael B. Jordan. PG-13, 133 mins.

April 11: *Truth* Based on a riveting true story of one of network news' biggest scandals. As a renowned producer and close associate of Dan Rather (Robert Redford), Mary Mapes (Cate Blanchett) believes she's broken the biggest story of the 2004 election: revelations of a sitting U.S. President's military service. But then sources change their stories, document authenticity is questioned and the casualties begin to mount. R, 125 mins.

April 18: *99 Homes* When single father Dennis Nash is evicted from his home, his only chance to win it back is to go to work for Rick Carver, the charismatic and ruthless businessman who evicted him in the first place. Andrew Garfield, Michael Shannon. R, 112 mins.

April 25: *In the Heart of the Sea* A recounting of a New England whaling ship's sinking by a giant whale in 1820, an experience that later inspired the great novel *Moby-Dick*. Based on the best-selling book by Nathaniel Philbrick. Chris Hemsworth, Benjamin Walker. PG-13, 122 mins.

FRIDAY FLICKS @ 7 P.M.

April 1: *The 33* In 2010, the eyes of the world turned to Chile, where 33 miners were buried alive by the catastrophic explosion and collapse of a 100-year-old gold and copper mine. Over the next 69 days, an international team worked night and day in a desperate attempt to rescue the trapped men. Antonio Banderas, James Brolin. PG-13, 127 mins.

April 8: *Concussion* Based on the true story of the doctor who discovered chronic traumatic encephalopathy, known as CTE in football players, and the uphill battle he faced in bringing the information to the public. Will Smith. PG-13, 123 mins.

April 15: *Steve Jobs* A look behind the scenes of the digital revolution to paint a portrait of the man at its epicenter. The story unfolds backstage at three iconic product launches, ending in 1998 with the unveiling of the iMac. Michael Fassbender, Kate Winslet (both Oscar-nominated). R, 123 mins.

Young Adults

All programs are for SHPL cardholders. Please see program for grade limits.

APRIL SHOWERS BRING MAY (FLOWERS) RAINBOWS

Try to figure out the number of fun-size Skittles bags that are in the jar. The closest guess wins them all! See the YA librarian for your chance to win. One guess per person. South Huntington Library card holders in 6-12 grade only. Contest ends April 20.

CHESS AND GAMES

Fri., Apr. 1, 6:30-8:30 p.m., 6-12.gr.



Meet up with your friends at the library for a night of games galore. We will provide the boards for chess and various other games as well as light refreshments. You bring the skill.

No registration required!

YA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Thur., Apr. 7, 7-8 p.m., gr. 7-12

Thur., Apr. 14, 7-8 p.m., gr. 7-12

Thur., Apr. 21, 7-8 p.m., gr. 7-12



A variety of volunteer opportunities will be offered at the Library throughout the year. Teens in grades 7-12 will receive community service credit for each program. Register **April 1** for the April 7 program; **April 8** for the April 14 program; and **April 15** for the April 21 program.

GEEK MYSTIQUE

Fri., Apr. 8, 7-8 p.m., 6-12 gr.

Register today for our monthly fanboy/fangirl program night! Join the console gaming tournament, catch a tech or table top demonstration, hear movie and comic news, and get your fill of all things geeky. Join our celebration of pop culture where you can meet other passionate people just like you and learn that "geek" doesn't have to be a four letter word! Registration for patrons in 6th-12th grade and begins on **April 1**. South Huntington Public Library card holders only.

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS: LEVEL 1

Sun., Apr. 10, 2-4 p.m., 6-12 gr.

Join the tabletop heroics of our YA D&D [5th edition] game. Come build a character, choose your weapon, meet your colorful adventuring crew, and lay waste to nasty critters for loot and glory with the stroke of a pencil and a roll of the dice. Registration begins **April 2**.

QUICK SNACKS & KITCHEN HACKS

Fri., Apr. 15, 7-8 p.m., 6-12 gr.

Learn to make some easy eats that are as ridiculously delicious as they are simple to cook up. Small samples of (turkey) chili con queso, (turkey) pepperoni pizza sandwiches, and chocolate chip mug cake provided! Register **April 1**.

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Tue., Apr. 19, 7-8 p.m., 6-12 gr.



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

TEEN TENZI TOURNAMENT

Fri., Apr. 22, 7-8:30 p.m., 6-12 gr.



Join us for this fast paced dice rolling game played tournament style where speed is the name of the game and the rules change with each round! Be a part of the frenzied fun and maybe win some prizes! Register **Apr. 8**.

ADVENTURE JOURNALING

Sat., Apr. 23, 2-3:30 p.m., 6-12 gr.

Come create an autobiographical scrap book full of activities and ideas to help you create art, collect your keepsakes, record your experiences, and find adventure in everyday life. Will you be brave enough to complete the book's final challenge? Bring some pictures and cut-outs to decorate your journal. Register **Apr. 9**.

GREEN SCREEN VIDEO EDITING

Wed., Apr 27, 5-8 p.m., 6-12 gr.

Come check out our giant green screen and shoot some footage that can put you just about anywhere. Youtuber Justin Cannon shows you how to capture images, alter backdrops, and compile layers to make some truly impressive effects. Bring a flash-drive to save your project! Sign up begins **Apr. 13**.

HUNGER (FUN AND) GAMES

Fri., Apr. 29, 5-6 p.m., 6-12 gr.

Before we watch the film, come pit yourself against the other tributes with some fun Hunger Games inspired competitions. Form (or betray) alliances, raid the card cornucopia, and try to be the last tribute standing in the final battle. Light refreshments provided by capitol sponsors. May the odds be ever in your favor! Register **Apr. 15**.

YA MOVIE NIGHT: *The Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 2*

Fri., Apr. 29, 6 p.m., 6-12 gr.



(PG-13, 137 minutes) Katniss realizes the stakes are no longer just for survival; they are for the future. With the nation of Panem in a full-scale war, Katniss confronts President Snow in the final showdown. Teamed with a group of her closest friends, including Gale, Finnick, and Peeta, Katniss goes off on a mission with the unit from District 13 as they risk their lives to liberate the citizens of Panem, and stage an assassination attempt on President Snow, who has become increasingly obsessed with destroying her. Register **Apr. 15**.

YA MOTHER'S DAY CANDY BOUQUET

Thur., May 5, 7-8 p.m., 6-12 gr.

Make an edible Mother's day candy rose bouquet! Registration begins **Apr. 28**.

RECOMMENDED WEBSITES:

-Mathigon

<http://mathigon.org/>

The focus of Mathigon is to showcase the power, beauty, and applications of mathematics, and to explain its most fundamental concepts and ideas. Here you can dive into math puzzles, learn how to create 3D origami math models, be reminded of how important math is in our everyday lives and more. Explore a little, and you'll find yourself impressed by the wonder of math.

-Draw a Stickman

<http://www.drawastickman.com/>

Draw a custom stickman and watch him come to life in this interactive stickman adventure! This website is seriously addicting- give it a try!

@ Your Library

Library Changes Community, Patrons' Lives

"Libraries Transform" is the theme of National Library Week 2016, which will be celebrated this month on April 10-16. When you think about it, the theme has multiple meanings. After all, libraries transform patrons' lives every day through education and access to information. But libraries also transform themselves to meet patrons' needs: Witness the expansion of our library collection to include e-books, audiobooks and digital music, as well as our new mobile app and growing social media presence.

The staff of the South Huntington Public Library works hard to transform lives every day. In the Children's Department, our youngest patrons are exposed to books and reading through early literacy programs, and as they get older, a love of reading is reinforced with initiatives such as "1,000 Books Before Kindergarten" and the annual Summer Reading Club, not to mention a myriad of programs and activities for kids of all ages.

Teens can continue their relationship with books and the library in a space designed just for them, which features technology and programs designed to support their intellectual development.

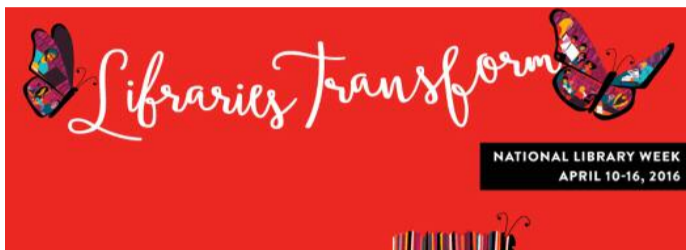
Students of all ages also can take advantage of our reference services and electronic databases, along with Homework Help and other online services.

Adults can transform their lives by taking classes in everything from defensive driving to yoga. They can also receive services including one-on-one tech help and AARP Tax Assistance. Patrons who are new to the country can learn to speak English in free classes. The library also helps to transform and improve the community, hosting events such as

2nd Precinct, Huntington Matters and NAACP meetings that are open to all residents, and offering high quality entertainment through our recital series, outdoor summer concerts and winter Saturday show series.

In addition to keeping up with emerging technology and collections, library staff has worked to transform to best serve the community, conducting a survey, working on a long-range plan and receiving training in community engagement.

As we celebrate National Library Week, we'd also like to salute you, our loyal patrons, for partnering with us to create a library that meets your needs and telling us how we can transform to meet your goals. Please let us know how we are doing. Come out and vote on April 5 (see Page 1). You can also call us at 631.549.4411 or e-mail the library at contactus@shpl.info. We look forward to working with you.



FEATURED DATABASES Home Improvement Reference Center

It's spring — prime time for remodeling, home improvements and repairs. So whether you're planning to paint your walls, build a new deck or give your kitchen a facelift, the Home Improvement Reference Center can be a valuable resource.

It is fully searchable and features high-quality PDF articles on topics from above cabinet lighting and joists to plumbing and zen gardens. For example, search "tiling" and you will see articles on all aspects, from tiling a kitchen backsplash to tiling a patio slab.


There are also many how-to videos as well as a printable "Homeowner's Journal" that you can use to keep track of your home's history as well as dates and details of projects and improvements. You'll also find a glossary of terms and tips for working with contractors.

Home Improvement Collection

This searchable database provides access to more than 200 titles covering topics including architectural techniques, tool and material selection, zoning requirements, and others. The content is appropriate for hobbyists and professionals alike.

To access: Go to www.shpl.info and click on the red "Research" tab > Articles & Databases > Lifestyles/Home. You will need a South Huntington Library card.

A Taste of AARP with a Twist of Financial Wellness Wed., April 27, 2-4 p.m. OR 7-9 p.m.

 Join us to learn about volunteer opportunities on Long Island and exciting activities/events for members and their families. Find out how AARP is creating positive change via local community service and advocacy and has hundreds of volunteers making a difference in your community. Then, learn how money works and how to make your money work for you. Topics will include financial planning, IRAs: traditional vs. Roth; long term care and more. Refreshments will be served. Guest speakers will be Nicoletta Oukacine, AARP Long Island Huntington Coordinator; Bernard Macias, AARP Long Island Associate State Director; Nelida Flynn, Primerica Financial Services Regional Vice President, and Robert Dennis, Long Term Care Resources Principal. AARP is also collecting non-perishable foods to help the needy in the community. Space is limited so please call 1-877-926-8300 to register.

Summer Vacation Planning: Start @ Your Library

It's spring — time to start thinking about summer vacation. Whether you're planning the trip of your dreams or a relaxing "staycation," the library is a good place to start your travels.

We have an extensive collection of travel guidebooks from the experts at Fodor's, Frommer's, Lonely Planet and others, detailing where to stay and what to do in specific cities, countries and regions all over the world. There is also a collection of travel guides on DVD, which are as good for vacation planning as they are for "arm-chair traveling."

If you're not sure where you'd like to go, check out titles like *1,000 Places to See Before You Die*, *The 100 Best Affordable Vacations*, or *101*

Places You Gotta See Before You're 12.

For those traveling to far-flung places, a nifty resource is the Global Road Warrior online database. You can search for the country of interest and find out everything a traveler needs to know, from climate, communications and health care to currency, points of interest and transportation. You can also find information about security, travel advisories and locals. (Note to parents: This is also a great site for students doing country reports).

To access: Go to www.shpl.info and click on the red "Research" tab > Articles & Databases > History & Geography. You will need a South Huntington Library card.



Stuart Horowitz

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president of the Friends of the South Huntington Public Library and is still an active member. He works as a librarian in the Harborfields School District. Mr. Horowitz and his family have lived in Huntington Station for 39 years, and his children are graduates of Walt Whitman High School. No other local institution means more to Mr. Horowitz and his family than our public library. His service on the library board allows him to give back some of what he has received and he asks that he be allowed to continue that service.

Kathleen Rea

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bachelor's degree in elementary education from SUNY Oneonta and a Master of Arts in family therapy from Northeast Louisiana State University. She says she has always had a love for libraries and a strong sense of community responsibility. In her off time, she enjoys reading, traveling and hiking with her family.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>* Please see program descriptions for details and registration information.</p>	<p>ADULTS TEENS CHILDREN ALL AGES</p>				<p>1 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. Chess & Games 7 p.m. Movie: The 33</p>	<p>2 9:30 a.m. Dance Fitness* 2 p.m. International Children's Book Day*</p>
<p>3 2:30 p.m. Jungle Rivers of South America</p>	<p>4 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. Block Play 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Creed 6:45 p.m. SAT Prep* 7 p.m. Writing Your Memoirs*</p>	<p>5 9 a.m. AARP Tax Aide* 3-9 p.m. LIBRARY VOTE & TRUSTEE ELECTION Don't Forget to Vote!</p>	<p>6 10:30 a.m. JumpBunch* 11 a.m. Senior Game Day 1:30 p.m. Knitting Group 7 p.m. ESL Class</p>	<p>7 11 a.m. Mother Goose 7 p.m. Lego Club* 7 p.m. North Shore Civil War Roundtable 7 p.m. Teen Volunteer Opportunity*</p>	<p>8 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 6:30 p.m. Puzzles & Games* 7 p.m. Movie: Concussion 7 p.m. Geek Mystique*</p>	<p>9 9:30 a.m. Dance Fitness* 9:30 a.m. Wiggling on the Weekend* 1-4 p.m. Local Author Fair 1 p.m. Spring Crafts Galore</p>
<p>10 1 p.m. Folk Music Jam 2 p.m. Township Theatre Group: Going Places 2 p.m. Dungeons & Dragons*</p>	<p>11 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Stories & Things* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Truth 6:45 p.m. SAT Prep* 7 p.m. Writing Your Memoirs*</p>	<p>12 9 a.m. AARP Tax Aide* 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. So Big* 4:30 p.m. Zumba Kids* 6 p.m. Evening Yoga* 6 p.m. Learn to be Tobacco Free* 7 p.m. Every Child Matters 7:15 p.m. Evening Yoga II*</p>	<p>13 10 a.m. AARP Smart Driving* 10:30 a.m. JumpBunch* 11 a.m. Non-Fiction Book Discussion* 11 a.m. Senior Game Day 7 p.m. Friends of the Library Meeting 7 p.m. 2nd Precinct Community Meeting 7 p.m. ESL Class</p>	<p>14 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Energy* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Mother Goose 11 a.m. Yoga* 7 p.m. Leaving Time Elephant Bracelet* 7 p.m. Teen Volunteer Opportunity*</p>	<p>15 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 7 p.m. Movie: Steve Jobs 7 p.m. Quick Snacks & Kitchen Hacks*</p>	<p>16 9:30 a.m. Dance Fitness* 9:30 a.m. Wiggling on the Weekend* 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Shed the Meds 11 a.m. Photoshop Essentials: Layers & Selections 2-4 p.m. Community Shredding Day 2 p.m. Kids Movie</p>
<p>17 2:30 p.m. Recital Series: Violinist Jennifer Choi and Pianist Stephen Gosling</p>	<p>18 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Stories & Things* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: 99 Homes 6:45 p.m. SAT Prep* 7 p.m. Library Board of Trustees Meeting</p>	<p>19 6 a.m.-9 p.m. Presidential Primary Voting Day 10 a.m. So Big* 11:30 a.m. Book Talk Reading Club 4:30 p.m. Zumba Kids* 6 p.m. Learn to be Tobacco Free* 7 p.m. Teen Advisory Board</p>	<p>20 10 a.m. Adult Coloring 10:30 a.m. JumpBunch* 11 a.m. Senior Game Day 7 p.m. 'Leaving Time' Dramatic Reading 7 p.m. Evening Book Club 7 p.m. ESL Class</p>	<p>21 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Energy* 10 a.m. Picture Book Time* 11 a.m. Mother Goose 11 a.m. Yoga* 2 p.m. The Cloud Demystified 7 p.m. Photoshop Essentials Layers & Selections 7 p.m. Teen Volunteer Opportunity*</p>	<p>22 10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 7 p.m. Create It Together* 7 p.m. Tenzi Tournament* 7 p.m. Film & Discussion: Spellbound</p>	<p>23 9:30 a.m. Dance Fitness* 10 a.m. PlayHooray Babies* 11 a.m. PlayHooray Kids* 2 p.m. Adventure Journaling* 2 p.m. Lego Club*</p>
<p>24</p>	<p>25 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: In the Heart of the Sea 3 p.m. Eggs Away!* 7 p.m. Writing Your Memoirs*</p>	<p>26 10 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* 4:30 a.m. Zumba Kids* 6 p.m. Evening Yoga* 6 p.m. Learn to be Tobacco Free* 7:15 p.m. Evening Yoga II*</p>	<p>27 10:30 a.m. JumpBunch* 11 a.m. Senior Game Day 2 p.m. A Taste of AARP 3 p.m. Bunny Cupcakes* 7 p.m. A Taste of AARP</p>	<p>28 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Energy* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Kids Movie 7 p.m. All About Medicare 7 p.m. Kids & Teens: Game Night*</p>	<p>29 10 a.m. Drop-In Play 5 p.m. Hunger (Fun & Games* 6 p.m. Teen Movie Night 7 p.m. Film & Discussion: Notorious</p>	<p>30 9 a.m. Defensive Driving* 9:30 a.m. Dance Fitness* 2 p.m. El Dia de los Niños/ El Dia de los Libros</p>

Children's Department

"A Family Place Library"

To register online: Parent and child must have valid South Huntington library cards. Go to shpl.info and click "Full Program Calendar." Click on the desired program to read details and availability. **Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. (Wednesdays at 10 a.m.)**

family programs

DROP IN AND PLAY

**Fri., Apr. 1-22, 12-3 p.m. and
Fri., Apr. 29, 10-3 p.m., all ages**
Get out of the house, meet other parents and kids and have fun playing and talking together. Stay for as long as you like.

INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S BOOK DAY



Sat., Apr. 2, 2-4 p.m., 2-12 yrs.
Bring the family and join us for a celebration of reading and children's books. We will have crafts

and snacks inspired by some of the most notable characters in children's literature, and a sampling of stories from around the world to give you a taste of international children's books. Dressing up and outfits inspired by your favorite characters is strongly encouraged but not required. Registration is **ongoing**.

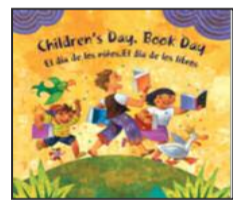
SPRING CRAFTS GALORE

Sat., Apr. 9, 1-4 p.m., all ages
Stop by the library and let your creativity out as you dive into our pool of spring-themed crafts. All welcome!

KIDS & TEENS TOGETHER: GAME NIGHT

Thur., Apr. 28, 7-7:45 p.m., 3-8 yrs.
Join members of the Teen Advisory Board for an evening of games! Register **Apr. 14**.

El Día de los Niños/El Día de los Libros



Sat., Apr. 30, 2-4 p.m., all ages
Join in the fun! El Día de los Niños / El Día de los Libros (Day of Children / Day of Books)

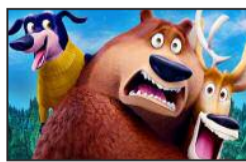
is an international holiday celebrating "many children, many cultures, many books!" Check out our selection of books that tell stories from around the world and make a kite, a toy that is played with by children all over the world. All welcome.

KIDS FLICKS

(Children under age 11 must be accompanied by an adult.)

OPEN SEASON: SCARED SILLY

Sat., Apr. 16, 2:30 p.m.



After hearing a story by the campfire, domesticated Boog is terrified by the story and decides to 'chicken out' of their annual summer camping trip. Determined to help Boog overcome his fears, Elliot and their woodland friends band together to uncover the mystery of the Wailing Wampus Werewolf. PG, 85 mins.

THE GOOD DINOSAUR

Thur., Apr. 28, 2:30 p.m.



What if the dinosaurs never became extinct? In this epic journey into the world of dinosaurs, an Apatosaurus named Arlo makes an unlikely human friend. While traveling through a harsh and mysterious landscape, Arlo learns the power of confronting his fears and discovers what he is truly capable of. PG, 94 mins.

come.

MOTHER GOOSE RHYMETIME

**Thur., Apr. 7 - 21,
11-11:30 a.m., 0-35 mos.**



Mother Goose Nursery Rhymes and fingerplays for children ages birth to 35 months with parent/caregiver. Siblings welcome. Drop-in.

PLAYHOORAY BABIES

Sat., Apr. 23, 10-10:45 a.m., 3-23 mos.
Come sing, dance and PlayHooray with your baby in this lively introduction to nursery rhymes, books, music,

preschool programs

and finger plays. Register **Apr. 9**.

PICTURE BOOK TIME



Thur. Apr. 14- Jun. 16, 10-11 a.m., 3-5 yrs.
Listening to stories is one of the first steps to learning to read. This story time allows children and their caregivers to gradually separate at their own pace. Registration is **ongoing**.

WIGGLING ON THE WEEKEND



**Sat., Apr. 9 & 16,
9:30-10:30 a.m., 2-5 yrs.**
Children and their parents will have fun with early childhood education, Lisa Havekotte. Together you will enjoy playing, dancing, singing, listening to stories and making a cool craft. No siblings, please. Register **Apr. 2**.

STORIES AND THINGS

Mon., Apr. 11 - May 23, 10:30-11:15 a.m., 2-3 yrs.

Children and their accompanying grown-up participate in a program of music and movement, stories, and a simple craft led by one of our children's librarians. Siblings are welcome. (There will be no program on

BUDGET VOTE DAY: Once Upon a Time @ Your Library

Tue., April 5, 4-8 p.m.



Join us as we celebrate the 150th birthday of author Beatrix Potter. From 4-8 p.m., children are invited to vote for their favorite Beatrix Potter character and get their picture taken. There will also be craft projects, games, a kid's raffle, and more.

April 25.) Register **Apr. 1**.

SO BIG!

Tue., Apr. 12 - May 24, 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. (There will be no program on April 26.) Register **Apr. 4**.

PLAYHOORAY KIDS

Sat., Apr. 23, 11-11:45 a.m., 2-5 yrs.



Come sing, dance and PlayHooray with your toddler or preschooler. This interactive, themed program will get you up and moving with nursery rhymes, books, dancing, musical instruments, parades and more! Register **Apr. 9**.

A TIME FOR KIDS: "HELLO SPRING"

Fri., May 6-27, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos. - 5 yrs.

Enjoy a series of fun, educational classes for preschoolers not yet in Kindergarten and an adult caregiver. This is a skill building, interactive class that will help prepare your child for independent learning experiences. Register **Apr. 22**.

school age programs

LEGO CLUB

**Thur., Apr. 7, 7-8 p.m. and
Sat., Apr. 23, 2-3 p.m., K-5 gr.**



Come in to the library 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 two weeks. Register **Apr. 1**. Please register for only one session.

PUZZLES & GAMES FOR KIDS

Fri., Apr. 8, 6:30-7:30 p.m., K-5 gr.
Join your friends for a fun evening of solving puzzles and playing board games. You'll learn how to create your own puzzles and games, too! Registration is **ongoing**.

ZUMBA KIDS

Tue., Apr. 12-26, 4:30-5:15 p.m., K-5 gr.



Zumba Kids classes are rockin', high-energy fitness parties packed with specially choreographed kid-friendly routines. Participants should wear sneakers, comfortable fitness clothing and bring a bottle of water. Registration is **ongoing**.

CREATE IT TOGETHER: BUILD A BOARD GAME

Fri., Apr. 22, 7-8 p.m., K-5 gr.

You and your grown-up will examine the "science" behind successful board games, then design and build your own game using recyclable materials based on what you've learned. Register **Apr. 8**.

EGGS AWAY

Mon., Apr. 25, 3-4 p.m., 1-4 gr.



You'll design and create a contraption to keep an egg from cracking when it falls. Then, we'll test your contraption by having it dropped from the library's roof! Register **Apr. 11**.

KIDS BAKING: BUNNY CUPCAKES

Wed., Apr. 27, 3-4 p.m., K-5 gr.
Join the chefs from "Fanny Cakes" and create bunny in a carrot patch cupcakes. Register **Apr. 12**.

PETRAPUPPETS PRESENT THE BIG MOUTH TALENT SHOW

Sun., May 1, 2:30 p.m.



Join us for a hysterical ventriloquist puppet show featuring Steve Petra and his cast of outrageous characters. This program features hilarious comedy, illusions, props, music, and lots of audience participation where the children will show off their talent!

CREATE IT TOGETHER: WINDOWSILL GARDEN FOR MOTHER'S DAY

Fri., May 6, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-4 gr.
You and your grown-up can create a small planter, perfect for a windowsill garden. Build it, paint it, and take it home with some soil and seeds for a special lady in your life. Register **Apr. 22**.

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