

Saturday Night @ Your Library

The library will be open late on Saturday nights through the end of March. Full library services will be available until 7 p.m., when the library will close and a show will start in our theater. Check out this line-up:



Mar. 4: The Vendettas

You won't be able to stop your toes from tapping to The Vendettas' renditions of timeless rockabilly tunes.

Mar. 11: The Liverpool Shuffle

This talented group prides itself on performing authentic renditions of the music of The Beatles. (Re-scheduled from Jan. 7 snow storm).



Mar. 18: The Music of Ireland with Fiddler's Green



Fiddler's Green performs traditional Irish music in an authentic acoustic style, featuring unique renditions of Irish airs, lively jigs, reels, hornpipes, and ballads.

Mar. 25: Family Night with Bubblemania

Bubblemania is breaking out all over with bubble

man Seth Bloom. He will perform various feats of bubble magic sure to delight patrons of all ages. There will be music, fun and plenty of audience participation.



TICKET INFO: Tickets for The Vendettas available now. Tickets for remaining shows available March 4. South Huntington cardholders can print free tickets at 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.

COMMUNITY MEETINGS

HEALTH CARE IN THE U.S.: Voices From the Front Wed., March 8 at 7 p.m.

Hosted by the League of Women Voters of Huntington, this panel discussion will highlight the perspectives of patients, medical providers, health insurers, employers and policymakers. All are welcome.

Panelists include:

William R. "Doc" Spencer, MD, Suffolk County Legislator;
Michael B. Grosso, MD, FAAP, Medical Director & Chief Medical Officer, Huntington Hospital;
Jeff Weiner, CEO of HKM Associates Insurance Services;
Carolyn Licata, MSW, Dolan Family Health Center;
Nicole Christensen, MS, CEO of Care Answered Patient Advocate Services;
Lauren Licausi, MA, Director of Human Resources of Cedar Reality Trust.

FRIENDS ALWAYS NEEDED

Wed., March 29 at 7 p.m.

Join us to discuss and volunteer for upcoming events, followed by a presentation on the proposed 2017-18 library budget by Director Joe Latini. Bring a friend!

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LIBRARIES TRANSFORM

Pictured here are members of the Library's Page staff who serve a very important role at the Library. With a deep understanding of how our Library is organized, they work to maintain the availability of library materials by shelving books and other items, reading shelves to keep materials in order, and helping to maintain their good condition. They are always available to help our patrons locate needed materials and if necessary, refer them to other appropriate assistance. It's personal to them, because of you, our community.



CONNECT

Budget Vote, Trustee Election Tuesday, April 4, 3-9 p.m.

The South Huntington Public Library will hold its annual budget vote and trustee election on Tuesday, April 4 from 3-9 p.m. The library board of trustees will hold its annual budget meeting on Monday, March 27 at 7 p.m. Copies of the proposed spending plan are available in the library and online at www.shpl.info.

The proposed budget calls for a .92% increase. For the owner of property assessed at \$3,300, the annual library tax bill would be \$451.57, and increase of \$9.67.

Voter Information

To vote on April 4, 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 4. 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 Tues., April 4 at 5 p.m.

BUDGET SUMMARY

| | 2016-2017 | 2017-2018 |
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| Salaries | 2,723,563 | 2,723,563 |
| Equipment | 52,000 | 58,000 |
| Library Materials | 669,700 | 683,700 |
| Programs/Newsletter | 384,300 | 398,750 |
| Utilities/Building | 355,500 | 345,500 |
| Benefits | 1,074,353 | 1,092,853 |
| Total Expenditures | 5,259,416 | 5,302,366 |
| Building Bond | 703,775 | 700,075 |
| Revenue | 93,000 | 78,500 |
| To be raised by taxes | 5,870,191 | 5,923,941 |
| Estimated Tax Rate (per \$100 of assessed valuation) | 13.39 | 13.68 |

For the owner of property assessed at \$3,300, the library tax bill is estimated to be \$451.57, an increase of \$9.67 over last year.

Trustee Petitions

The filing deadline for petitions to run for library trustee is Monday, March 6 at 5 p.m. There is one five-year term available. Petitions may be picked up at the Adult Reference Desk.

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ADULT PROGRAMS

RECITAL SERIES

Pianist Raffi Besalyan
Sun., March 26 at 2:30 p.m.



Armenian-American pianist Raffi Besalyan enjoys a splendid career as a virtuoso and recording artist. He has impressed audiences throughout the world with his sensitive and brilliant playing. His program will include

Rachmaninoff, Earl Wild and Baghdassarian. All welcome.

LEARN SOMETHING NEW

GENEALOGY LECTURE: THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

Sat., Mar. 4, 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.
Dorothy Dougherty, public programs director for The National Archives in New York City, will provide an overview of the many resources and services available, details about on-site research and how to navigate National Archives records remotely. Co-sponsored with the Huntington Historical Society. All welcome.

SOCIAL MEDIA FOR COMMUNITY LEADERS

Mon., Mar. 13, 7 p.m.
Calling all volunteers involved in PTA, youth sports, religious, civic and fraternal organizations: Whether you are organizing a fund raiser, trying to grow your organization or rallying around a cause, using social media is a great way to get the word out. Social media expert Caitlin Meuser will show you how to use various social media platforms to benefit your organization.



STEWARDS OF CHILDREN

Wed., Mar. 15, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
This class is designed for parents and adults involved with youth serving organizations, such as scout troop leaders, coaches, PTA parents and others. Adults will learn how to prevent, recognize and react responsibly to child sexual abuse. There is a \$15 fee, which includes class materials. South Huntington cardholders sign up **Mar. 1**, others Mar. 8.

7 STEPS TO EMPLOYMENT SUCCESS

Thur., Mar. 23, 7 p.m.
Join career coach Michael Coritsidis to find out how to get your next job. He will cover resumes, cover letters, interview techniques, job search tips, dressing for success and more. Whether you are unemployed, a recent graduate or are looking for a better job, this workshop is for you. All welcome.

YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Thur., Mar. 23-Apr. 6, 20, 27, May 4-18, 7-9 p.m., 6-8 gr., (11-14 yrs.)
Encourage your child to become a better communicator and leader. This program's unique eight-session, workshop-style design enables students to overcome nervousness, or-

ganize and present ideas, listen to others' ideas and constructively participate in group discussions! This program is for 6-8 graders and is sponsored by Toastmasters International. Space is limited. Register **Mar. 9** for SHPL cardholders and Mar. 16 for all others.

TECH TIME

WHAT PHONE SHOULD I BUY?

Thur., Mar. 23, 2 p.m.
There is a lot to consider when deciding which cell phone to buy: Apple or Android is just the tip of the iceberg. Join the experts from SeniorNet and learn about your options so you can choose the phone that is best for your lifestyle and budget. All welcome.

FOOD & COOKING

SPRING CUPCAKE DECORATING

Tue., Mar. 14, 7 p.m.
Jess Kennaugh from Blondie's Bake Shop will teach you how to fill, frost and decorate cupcakes that will be perfect for any spring celebration. Each participant will go home with four cupcakes of their own creation! There is a \$10 materials fee payable at registration beginning **March 2** for South Huntington cardholders; others March 9. Enrollment limited.



COOKING CLASS: TASTE IRELAND

Mon., Mar. 20, 7 p.m.
Learn how to make delicious molasses raisin bread in this hands-on class with Chef Rob Scott. Everyone will go home with a full loaf, ready to bake. Please bring to class a 7x4 baking pan, medium bowl and mixing spoon. There is a \$10 fee, payable at registration beginning **Mar. 3** for South Huntington cardholders; others Mar. 10.



GET CREATIVE

THURSDAY KNITTING

Thur., Mar. 2, 1:30-4 p.m.
Meet other knitters from our community. Bring your latest project and knit with the group. Experienced knitters will help you learn something new or work with you to fix a mistake. The group gathers in the Meeting Room on the Lower Level.

ART EXHIBIT

"Lost and Never Found"

March 4-29. Opening reception, March 4, 2-4 p.m.

This group exhibit features Tom de Gruyl, Myra Kooy and the collaborated works of Peter Josyph and Kevin Larkin. Unwanted and abandoned things considered useless or lost can nourish an artist with thought and passion. Found objects can arouse nostalgia or emotion for an artist that connects him/her to these materials, creating a relationship. Some may tell a story, become philosophical or become beautiful. The works displayed in this exhibit all show how the artist investigates and responds to materials, using them aesthetically and/or juxtaposed to create a new beginning. Join us.



'COLOR YOUR WORLD' ADULT COLORING

Fri., Mar. 10 and Wed., Mar. 22, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Coloring is not just for kids. Come and create something beautiful while you relax and socialize with others in the community. The library will provide coloring sheets and pencils, but feel free to bring your own.

FOLK MUSIC JAM

Sun., March 12 at 1 p.m.

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

BEGINNER CROCHET

Tue., Mar. 21 & 28, 7 p.m.

Instructor Joanne Cohen will teach you basic stitches, which you will then use to create a one skein cowl in this two-session class. Please bring to class a size H crochet hook and one skein (200 yards) of worsted weight yarn "4" in a medium color. There is a \$5 fee. South Huntington cardholders can register beginning **Mar. 7**.



BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

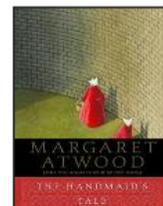
NON-FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., Mar. 8, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
The group will continue its discussion of *Undaunted Courage* by Stephen Ambrose, moderated by Helen Harris.

EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

Wed., Mar. 15, 7 p.m.

Join us for a discussion of *The Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood. Multiple copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. New participants and listeners welcome.



BOOK TALK READING CLUB

Tue., Mar. 21, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Moderator Helen Harris will lead a discussion of *Can't We Talk About Something More Pleasant?*, a memoir in the form of a graphic novel by Roz Chast. Multiple copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. New participants and listeners welcome.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING

Fri., Mar. 3, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Join motivational speaker Vin Ajwani who will help us take a fresh look at ourselves. Learn to forgive yourself and others, to let humbleness overtake anger and to nourish your body, which in turn will nourish your soul. Join us!

WHAT IS A DOULA?

Thur., Mar. 16, 7 p.m.

If you are pregnant or planning to be, you may want to consider working with a doula. Certified doula Samantha Sahadeo will discuss the services and support doulas can provide and how they can benefit mothers during pregnancy, delivery and post partum. All welcome.

LIVING HEALTHY WITH DIABETES

Thur., Mar. 23, 30 & Apr. 6-27, 6-8:30 a.m.

Do you have Diabetes? Are you unsure about how to best handle this ongoing health condition? Sign up for this free six-week workshop offered by Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County. Learn the tools to manage and take control of your health. The program is free but registration is required. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Mar. 2**, others Mar. 9.



BEAUTY IS MORE THAN SKIN DEEP

Mon., Mar. 20, 7 p.m.

Ever wonder what makes your perfume or cologne look and smell so good? Find out in a dynamic presentation, put together by high school student interns at the Huntington Breast Cancer Action Coalition, designed for all audiences. This interactive presentation focuses on potentially harmful chemicals in personal care products. The session will be videotaped for educational purposes.

DANCE FITNESS

Sat., Apr. 1-29, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Get fit while having fun. Instructor Sharon Diodato will teach you simple dance routines set to great music. Fee \$15. SHPL registers **Mar. 11**; others Mar. 18.

ADULT PROGRAMS

BUS TRIP

Culinary Institute of America Monday, June 19 Registration begins March 4

Join us for a trip to the famed Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, New York, training ground for some of the best chefs in the country. We will enjoy a delicious lunch prepared by these up-and-coming chefs in the highly-regarded Caterina de Medici Restaurant (right). The menu features Mixed Baby Greens with Baked Coach Farm Goat Cheese, Roasted Chicken Breast with Sage, Semolina Gnocchi and Glazed Carrots, and Warm Chocolate Lava Cake with Vanilla Gelato. Lunch will be followed by a guided tour of the culinary institute, plus time to browse (and stock up :-)) in the bakery and book store.

The fee is \$104 per person, which includes luxury motor coach transportation, tour, lunch, escort and all gratuities. Tickets go on sale **March 4** for South Huntington cardholders; others March 11. Get them online with a credit card at www.shpl.info or get them in person at the Circulation Desk. Tickets are non-refundable unless we can fill your seat from the waiting list.



YOUR MONEY

AARP TAX HELP

Tuesdays, through Apr. 11, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Volunteer tax preparers from AARP will provide free tax preparation for taxpayers with low and moderate income with special attention to those age 60 and over.

The program is free, but registration is required. To make an appointment, visit the Circulation Desk or call the library at 631.549.4411. (If filing jointly, both people must be present).



STUDENT LOAN FORGIVENESS

Thur., Mar. 9, 7 p.m.

Struggling with student loan debt? Learn about programs that are available to assist you. Student loans can affect your day-to-day spending and long-term ability to afford things like a new car, a home, or even your ability to save. A representative of the National Student Loan Service Center will educate you on potential ways to qualify for Loan Forgiveness options. Free, open to all.

PLANNING YOUR RETIREMENT

Thur., Mar. 9, 7 p.m.

Representatives from Allied Wealth partners will present Retirement Planning Today, a comprehensive workshop that will help you see the "big picture." It will cover various aspects of personal finance and how they can work together to create an integrated retirement plan. Bring your questions.

MEDICARE 101

Thur., Mar. 16, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Find out what you need to know before selecting health care coverage. This workshop by Lauren Granger from Blue Cross Blue Shield is a good primer for people who are new to Medicare, moved recently to Suffolk County, are losing insurance coverage or are retiring in the near future. She will also talk about programs such as EPIC that can help you save money. All welcome.

COMMUNITY SHREDDING DAY Sat., April 1, 2-4 p.m.

Clean out those desks and file cabinets! Quality Shredding is back with the shredding truck to help you dispose of unwanted paper, files, etc. South Huntington cardholders can bring up to three boxes or bags of materials to be shredded from 2-4 p.m. or until the truck is full. There is no need to remove staples, paper clips or file folders.



MUSIC & THEATER

CIVIL WAR SONGS OF IRELAND

Thur., Mar. 2 at 7 p.m.

The North Shore Civil War Roundtable will host David Kinkaid, who will perform a musical program of Irish Civil War songs in celebration of St. Patrick's Day. Kincaid has been the lead singer, lead guitarist, and leading songwriter for the American roots rock band, The Brandos.

TOWNSHIP THEATRE GROUP: HERE'S AN IDEA!

Sun., Mar. 5, 2:30 p.m.

Township Theatre Group will present two short comic plays about ideas and inspiration. Light bulbs are symbols of bright ideas because they can illuminate solutions to problems. But light bulbs also can suddenly pop, leaving us in the dark. The characters in this collection of comic plays are enlightened in unexpected ways. Open to all.



SAVE THE DATE

**The Art of Belly Dance
Sunday, April 2 at 2 p.m.**

FUN & GAMES

ADULT GAME DAY

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

Whether you enjoy bridge, canasta or mah jong, 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.

CHESS FOR ALL: Sun., Mar. 19, 2-4 p.m.

Join other chess enthusiasts to sharpen your skills and maybe learn a new move or two. This is not an instructional class, just a fun environment to play chess. No registration.

BE A BETTER DRIVER

DEFENSIVE DRIVING: Mons., March 20 & 27 at 7 p.m.

This two-part Empire Safety Council class can save you money on auto insurance. Fee \$28; SHPL registers **Mar. 6**; others Mar. 13.

AARP SMART DRIVING

Sat., April 1 or Wed., April 19, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Bring a ballpoint 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 **March 14** at 9 a.m.; others March 21.

ADULT LEARNING

LEARN TO SPEAK ENGLISH

Weds., March 8, 22 & 29, 7-8 p.m.

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

@ Your Library

Meet Author Erik Larson



This year's Long Island Reads selection is *Dead Wake* by Erik Larson, the story of the sinking of the Lusitania. He will be speaking at Hillwood Recital Hall at C.W. Post on Sunday, April 23 at 2 p.m. Free tickets are available at www.longislandreads.org beginning April 1. First come, first served.

Sign Up For Automatic Renewals

Cut down on overdue fines by signing up for a new Auto Renew Service. Once you opt in, the service will automatically renew eligible items three days before they are due and send you a confirmation e-mail. If an item has been renewed too many times or if another patron has a hold on the item, the renewal will not go through and you will receive a courtesy notice that the item must be returned by the due date. To access this service, go to our website at www.shpl.info and click "View My Account" in the upper right. Log in using your library card barcode and password. Click "Sign up for Auto Renew" and follow

the instructions. Items checked out on your card before signing up for this service may not be eligible for renewal.

Looking for E-Books, Audiobooks?

There are several ways to access free e-book content through the library. *Axis 360* is an exclusive collection for South Huntington cardholders. Users can find fiction and non-fiction titles for all ages and interests. Simply download the free *Axis360* app.

Alternatively, *Overdrive*, through *LiveLibrary.com*, is a countywide digital collection that features fiction and non-fiction for adults, children and teens. *Hoopla* is a free digital media service with unlimited titles that can be checked out instantly.

To access: Go to our website at www.shpl.info. click on the blue "Downloads: eBooks & eAudio" icon. Choose a service. You will need a South Huntington Library card.

What's App?

Access South Huntington Library services 24/7 with our free mobile app. Scan this code or go to Apple or Google Play store.



MONDAY MOVIES

@ 2:30 P.M.

Mar. 6: *Deepwater Horizon* For the 126 people aboard the Deepwater Horizon offshore oil rig, April 20, 2010, began normally. Before day's end, the world would bear witness to one of the greatest man-made disasters in U.S. history. Mark Wahlberg, Kate Hudson. PG-13, 107 mins.



Mar. 13: *Denial* When Deborah Lipstadt speaks out against Holocaust denier David Irving over his falsification of history, she discovers that the stakes are higher than ever in the battle for historical truth. Rachel Weisz, Tom Wilkinson. PG-13, 111 mins.



Mar. 20: *The Girl on the Train* Rachel fills her time with drinking, riding the commuter train, and fantasizing about a seemingly perfect couple the train passes by every day. Then one morning, Rachel sees something shocking that unravels her and entangles her in an unfolding mystery. Emily Blunt, Justin Theroux. R, 112 mins.



Mar. 27: *Allied* The story of intelligence officer Max Vatan, who in 1942 North Africa encounters French Resistance fighter Marianne Beausejour on a deadly mission behind enemy lines. Brad Pitt, Marion Cotillard. R, 124 mins.



FRIDAY FLICKS @ 7 P.M.

Mar. 3: *Arrival* When mysterious spacecraft touch down around the world, a team, including linguist Louise Banks, is brought together to investigate. Amy Adams, Jeremy Renner. PG-13, 116 mins.



Mar. 10: *Doctor Strange* A former neurosurgeon embarks on a journey of healing only to be drawn into the world of the mystic arts. Benedict Cumberbatch, Rachel McAdams. PG-13, 115 mins.



Mar. 17: *Mr. Church* A little girl and her dying mother obtain the services of a talented cook. What begins as a 6-month arrangement spans 15 years and creates a family bond that lasts forever. Eddie Murphy, Natascha McElhone. PG-13, 105 mins.



Mar. 24: *The Accountant* A math savant works as a freelance accountant for some of the world's most dangerous criminal organizations. With the law starting to close in, he takes on a legitimate client, where an accounting clerk has discovered a discrepancy involving millions of dollars. Anna Kendrick, Ben Affleck. R, 128 mins.



Mar. 31: *Little Men* A new pair of best friends have their bond tested by their parents' battle over a dress shop lease. Greg Kinnear, Alfred Molina. PG, 85 mins.



Young Adults

All programs for SHPL cardholders entering grades 6-12 unless otherwise indicated. Registrations begin at 9:30 a.m. (Wednesdays at 10 a.m.)

AUTHORS UNLIMITED.

Sat., Apr. 22, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. @ St. Joseph's College Campus



Authors Unlimited provides an opportunity for teens to connect with young adult authors and celebrate reading. Eight authors are scheduled to attend and present dynamic workshops for teens. Applications for volunteer opportunities are currently being accepted. Visit www.authorsunlimited.org for more information or visit the YA Library today!

YA VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITY: CREATE A CARD



Cards for Hospitalized Kids is a national organization dedicated to spreading cheer, hope and positivity to children undergoing medical treatment. For the whole month of March, the YA room will have card kits available for teens to come in and create a card for community service. Every 4 cards will equal 1 hr. of community service. Teens may earn up to, but no more than, 2 hrs. of service for the whole month. Please see a librarian if you have any questions.

CHESS & GAMES

Fri., Mar. 3, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Meet up with your friends at the library for a night of games. We will provide the boards for chess and various other games as well as light refreshments, you bring the skill. No registration required!

GEEK MYSTIQUE

Fri., Mar. 10 & Fri., April 7, 7-8:30 p.m.



Bring out your inner geek & share your fandom! Each meeting we will view trailers, discuss the latest news on recent TV, movies, & books based on a different theme (such as Dr. Who & Supernatural!) as well as enjoy fun activities & snacks! Geek on! Register *is ongoing* for March session & *Mar. 24* for April session.

TEEN DISNEY KARAOKE NIGHT

Thur., Mar. 16, 7-8 p.m.

Let's get down to business to defeat some tunes. Grab some magical friends and be a part of our world at Teen Disney Karaoke Night. There will be light snacks served for all of those who will be our guests for the evening. No registration required.

ST. PATRICK'S/LEPRECHAUN SCAVENGER HUNT

Fri., Mar. 17, 7-8 p.m.

Are you good at figuring out clues? The mischievous leprechaun hid the pot of gold in the Young Adult library. Come help us figure out the clues to find the pot of gold. Register *Mar. 3*.

SAT PREP CLASS

Sats, Mar. 18, 25, Apr. 1, 2-4 p.m. & Weds., Mar. 22, 29, and Apr. 5, 6:45-8:45 p.m., grades 10-12



In these classes, students will be instructed on special test taking skills and tactics specific to the SAT exam itself. All course instructors are NY State certified math or English teachers with experience teaching and tutoring for the SAT exam. There is an \$85 fee due at registration. Checks should be made out to South Huntington Public Library. Each student is responsible for buying a copy of McGraw-

Hill's SAT, 2017 edition and bringing a calculator. Registration begins *Mar. 1* for SHPL card holders; all others beginning March 8. No make-up classes will be available.

CHESS FOR ALL

Sun., Mar. 19, 2-4 p.m.

Due to popular demand - a chess club for ALL! Join other chess enthusiasts to sharpen your skills and maybe learn a new move or two. This is not an instructional class, just a fun environment to play chess. No registration required.

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Tue., Mar. 21, 7-8 p.m.

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

VOLUNTEERING AT THE LIBRARY

Thur., Mar. 23, 7-8 p.m.

Looking to volunteer at the library and earn community service? Sign up for this workshop/ training session to learn about volunteering for various programs at the library and then have an opportunity to sign up for them at our monthly Teen Advisory Board meetings! Space is limited. For those SHPL cardholders in 7-12 grade who attend monthly Teen Advisory Board meetings. Register *Mar. 8*.

TEEN TENZI TOURNAMENT

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



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! No registration required.

PAINT AFTERNOON

Sat., Mar. 25, 3-4 p.m.

Bring out the artist in you. We will have a nice afternoon, where you can let your artistic imagination fly while creating a work of art. All materials will be provided. Please dress for a mess. Register *Mar. 11*.

ALL REQUEST MUSIC CAFE

Sun., Mar. 26, 2:30-4 p.m.

Request your favorite songs from our librarian D.J. as we play a wide selection of songs for your listening pleasure as you dance, hang out or study.

YA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: HELP A PET

Thur., Mar. 30, 7-8 p.m.

Help make dog and cat toys to be donated to our local animal shelter. Register *Mar. 16*.

ZOMBIE MAKE-UP WORKSHOP

Fri., Mar. 31, 6-8 p.m.

This hands-on workshop will focus on expression and creativity as each student will go over the procedure of turning themselves into a zombie! There will be discussion on the history of zombies from the origins in Haiti to the current AMC show, *The Walking Dead*. If you have a latex allergy, please let us know at registration. Register *Mar. 17*.

YA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: AUTISM AWARENESS

Thur., Apr. 6, 7-8 p.m.

Create sensory toys and tools to be used by children with Autism. Register *Mar 30*.

YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM
Become a better communicator
and leader (see page 2)

SAVE THE DATE
YA Library Mini Comic-Con
Sat., Apr. 8, 1-4 p.m.

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| <p>ADULTS TEENS CHILDREN ALL AGES</p> | <p>* Please see program descriptions for registration information.</p> | <p>10:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 1* 10:30 a.m. Stories & Things* 11 a.m. Yoga* 2:30 p.m. Movie: Deepwater Horizon 6:30 p.m. Homework Help 7 p.m. Creative Writing*</p> | <p>10:30 a.m. JumpBunch* 11 a.m. Game Day</p> | <p>9:30 a.m. Tai Chi for Health* 10 a.m. Pic. Book Time* 11 a.m. Mother Goose 11 a.m. Yoga* 1:30 p.m. Thursday Knitting 7 p.m. North Shore Civil War Roundtable</p> | <p>10 a.m. A Time for Kids* 10 a.m. The Power of Positive Thinking 12 p.m. Drop-In Play 4:30 p.m. Kids Crochet* 6:30 p.m. Chess & Games 7 p.m. Movie: Arrival</p> | <p>9:30 a.m. Chair Yoga* 10 a.m. PlayHooray Babies & Kids* 10:30 a.m. Genealogy Lecture 1 p.m. Crafts Galore 1 p.m. Calligraffiti* 2 p.m. Art Exhibit Opening 7 p.m. The Vendettas*</p> |
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Children's Programs

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Register for programs in one of three 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. (Wednesdays at 10 a.m.)**. Parent and child MUST have a valid South Huntington Library Card to register for programs.

A SEUSSICAL CELEBRATION!



March 2 is **Read Across America Day**, which honors the birthday of Theodor Seuss Geisel, better known as Dr. Seuss. We will be celebrating reading and Dr. Seuss all month with special activities. Kids can search through the Children's Room for "hidden" Cat in the Hat hats and play a Seuss-inspired I Spy game in order to win a small prize. Then take a guess on how many "fish" are in the jar for a chance to win a bag of books.

DESIGN-A-BOOKMARK CONTEST!



Calling all artists! Design a bookmark using the theme "Libraries Transform." Kindergarteners through 5th graders are welcome to submit an original design. Winning designs will be distributed as bookmarks in April. Winners will also receive a special little prize. Entry forms will be available online at shpl.info/departments_childrens.asp or at the Children's Desk beginning Mar 1. All entries must be received by March 24.

HOMECOMING HELP AT THE SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Mon., Mar. 6-27, 6:30-7:30 p.m. & Tue., Mar. 7-28, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr. High school students will assist children in the community with their homework assignments in the YA Library. Parent/ Caregiver must remain in the building during the program. Help is offered on a first come, first served basis.

family programs

DROP IN AND PLAY

Fri., Mar. 3-31, 12-3 p.m., all ages
Get out of the house, meet other parents and kids and have fun playing and talking together. Stay for as long as you like.

CRAFTS GALORE

Sat., Mar. 4, 1-4 p.m., all ages
Stop by the library and let your creativity out as you dive into our pool of crafts. No registration required.

BUNNIES, BUNNIES, BUNNIES!!!

Sun., Mar. 12, 2-2:45 p.m., and Sun., Mar. 12, 3-3:45 p.m., 3-10 yrs.



Hold, cuddle and learn about all aspects of a rabbit's life. Listen to a story about bunnies, and best of all, hold and pet real live bunnies. Accompanying adults welcome. Register **Mar. 3**. Please register for only one session.

early childhood programs

JUMP BUNCH

Wed., Mar. 1-Apr. 5, 10:30-11:15 a.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. Registration is ongoing.

MOTHER GOOSE RHYMETIME

Thur., Mar. 2-16 and 30, 11-11:30 a.m., birth-35 mos.



Mother Goose Nursery Rhymes and fingerplays for children with an adult. Siblings are welcome. Drop-in.

A TIME FOR KIDS

Fri., Mar. 3-17, 10-11 a.m., and Fri., Mar. 24-Apr. 7, 10-11 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs.



Enjoy a series of fun, educational classes for preschoolers and an adult caregiver. This is a skill building, interactive class that will help prepare your child for independent learning experiences. Registration is ongoing for the program on Mar. 3 and begins **Mar. 17** for the program on Mar. 24.

PLAYHOORAY BABIES & KIDS

Sat., Mar. 4, 10-10:45 a.m., and Sat., Apr. 1, 10-10:45 a.m., 3 mos.-5 yrs.



Music and fun for your little one! Lively musical activities will have everyone up and moving to the beat! Incorporates fine and gross motor skill activities, nursery rhymes, books, rhythm sticks, hula hoops, dancing, hobby horses, parades and more. Registration is ongoing for the program.

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

MOANA

Sun., Mar. 19, 2 p.m.



In Ancient Polynesia, when a terrible curse incurred by the Demigod Maui reaches an impetuous Chieftain's daughter's island, she answers the Ocean's call to seek out the Demigod to set things right. PG, 90 mins.



BUBBLEMANIA: Sat., Mar. 25, 7 p.m.

A unique program combining high energy entertainment with artistic achievement, BubbleMania is loaded with visual comedy, quick wit, music and the untamed, often unbelievable qualities and beauty of spherical liquids. Seth Bloom's creations grow from intricate and imaginative bubble artforms to "trapping" people inside bubbles! Registration begins **Mar. 4**.

South Huntington cardholders can get free tickets at www.shpl.info or at the library. Tickets are valid until 6:50 p.m., when non-ticket holders will be seated, if there is space.

gram on Mar. 4 and begins **Mar. 25** for the program on Apr. 1.

STORIES AND THINGS

Mon., Mar. 6-Apr. 3, 10:30-11:15 a.m., 2-3 yrs.



Children and their 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. Register **Mar. 1**.

SO BIG!

Tue., Mar. 7- Apr. 4, 10-11 a.m., 18-35 mos.



Look, listen, and have fun with songs, stories, and movement activities. When story-time is over there will be 20 minutes of playtime with age-appropriate toys. Siblings welcome. Register **Mar. 1**.

WIGGLING ON THE WEEKEND

Sat., Mar. 11, 10:30-11:30 a.m., 2-5 yrs.



Preschoolers and their parents will have fun with early childhood educator, Lisa Havekotte. Together you will enjoy playing, dancing, singing, bubbles, listening to stories and making a cool craft. Register **Mar. 4**.

school age programs

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Thur., Mar. 9-30, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-2 gr.



Hang out with your friends and enjoy stories, crafts, games and snacks that center on a fun theme. Register **Mar. 2**.

BE OUR GUEST

Sat., Mar. 11, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 3-10 yrs.



Be our guest for an enchanted afternoon filled with all things Beauty and the Beast. We will have crafts, games and snacks centered on our favorite tale as old as time. Princes and Princesses can dress to impress, all regal attire is strongly encouraged but not required. Register **Mar. 4**.

LEGO CLUB

Mon., Mar. 13, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-5 gr. Sun., Mar. 26, 2:30-3:30 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 **Mar. 1**.

BAKING COACH: LEPRECHAUN CUPCAKES

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



Use buttercream icing pastry bags and fondant-candy to make two leprechaun treats to take home in a bakery box. Register **Mar. 3**.

CREATE IT TOGETHER: KITE-MAKING WORKSHOP

Sat., Mar. 18, 2-3 p.m., K-4 gr.



You and your grown-up will explore various types of kites, and then make a flyable specimen of your own to enjoy in the spring and summer. Register **Mar. 4**.

LEARN TO DRAW WITH ART TEACHER AMY

Sat., Mar. 25, 3-4 p.m., 1-5 gr.



Step-by-step Art Teacher Amy will take you through a drawing of a fishbowl based on Henri Matisse's painting of The Goldfish. Learn to paint with watercolors! No experience necessary. Register **Mar. 11**.

TWEENS NIGHT OUT: ARCHERY!

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



You'll work in pairs to create your own bows and soft-tipped arrows. Then you'll have time to practice shooting at a variety of challenging targets. Register **Mar. 17**.

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