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Visit a Museum. It's On Us!

Looking for something fun to do during vacation week? Visit a museum!

South Huntington Library cardholders have access to passes for free admission to more than 25 museums on Long Island and in New York City.

They include the LI Children's Museum, Guggenheim Museum, Nassau County Museum of Art, Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum, Frick Collection, Suffolk County Vanderbilt Museum and more. If you've used the passes before, you may notice the webpage has a new look, but you will find the same great inventory of passes.

To access, go to our website at www.shpl.info and click on the Museum Passes link. Some passes can be printed from home, others have to be picked up at the library. You will need a South Huntington Library card.



Staff Member Retiring

Jeanne Condon is taking a well-deserved retirement after 38 years of service to the library, where she has worked in the Circulation Department. If you ever received an item through inter-library loan, chances are it passed through Jeanne's hands. She is also a familiar, friendly face at check-out. At left, Jeanne (center) is congratulated by Library Director Janet Scherer and Assistant Director Nick Tanzi. Best wishes for a happy retirement!

Fun With Fiction

Our librarians have been enjoying creating photographs for what are known as Bookfaces, in which a book is lined up with a person to "finish" the face or body depicted on the cover. Look for them on the South Huntington Public Library Facebook page. Send us your Bookfaces and we might post them, too! Email to joconnor@shpl.info.



Coming Soon!

Winter Reading Challenge

For all ages!
Read books, earn prizes

Details coming in January.

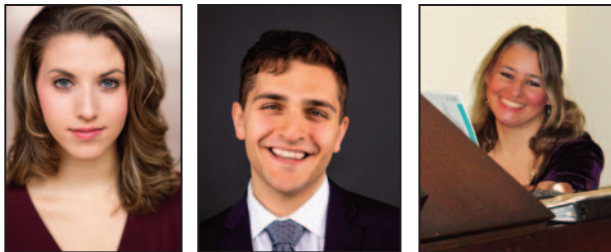
The library will be closed on Dec. 24, Dec. 25 & Jan 1.

The library will close at 1 p.m. on Dec. 31.

Happy Holidays!

ADULT PROGRAMS

Classical Sundays



Art Songs (L)

Sun., Dec. 19 at 2:30 p.m.

Ariana Warren, soprano, and Jake Goz, tenor, will be accompanied by pianist Isabella Eredita. This program will feature music by Robert Schumann, Britten, Reynaldo Hahn and more. All welcome!



Alfred Van Loen Gallery

"Psychedelic Biomorphism," paintings by Michael Krasowitz. (L)
Dec. 3-Feb. 1

Michael began his art career working as a printmaker and primarily in black and white and pen and ink. In the late '90s, color and oil paint became his new exploration. He studied historical painting techniques, using encaustic, egg tempera, and fresco as well as glazing techniques. Now using brilliant and vivid colors, he creates his own visual language, with the intent to engage his audience in the creative process. His work is an exploration of his subconsciousness pushing formal training to create a psychedelic experience. He creates personal psychological characters that seem to be ancient at the same time as present, allowing others to create the narrative in the paintings. He continues to work with alternative media, including ceramics, printmaking and hand painted clothing. The exhibit may be viewed during regular library hours. Look for a virtual tour on our website: www.shpl.info>Using the Library>Van Loen Gallery.



L = In-Library Program
V = Virtual Program

Get Creative

Color Your World Coloring (V)

Fri., Dec. 3 at 9 a.m.

Print out the holiday-themed coloring pages attached to this event on our website calendar, relax and create something beautiful.

Adult Take & Make: Winter Luminary (V)

Thurs., Dec. 9 at 7 p.m.

These little handmade jars with an LED light will warm your heart up on a cold, winter night! Register and pick up a craft kit with everything you need to create these pretty winter lanterns. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Dec. 2**. Then watch the instructional video attached to this event on our website calendar at the time of the



program, or any time after.

Folk Music Jam (L)

Sun., Dec. 12 at 1 p.m.

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



Food & Cooking

Adult Take & Bake: Chocolate Snowstorm Cookies (V)

Mon., Dec. 6 at 11 a.m.

Kick off holiday baking season with these delicious cookies. Register and pick up at kit containing the recipe and dry ingredients (You will need to supply butter, etc.). Then watch the instructional video on our Facebook page at the time of the program, or any time after. (You do not need an account to watch. Click "Not Now" when the Create Account box appears.) South Huntington cardholders may register beginning **Dec. 6**.



Simply Creative with Chef Rob (V)

Mon., Dec. 13, 20 & 27 at 11 a.m.

See what Chef Rob is cooking up for us each week. View the video on the library's Facebook Page. (You do not need an account to watch. Click "not now" when the Create Account box appears.)

Health & Wellness

How to Make Elderberry Syrup (L)

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

Elderberries are one of the world's most healing plants. Many people use elderberry syrup for immune support or cold and flu relief. Elderberries have anti-inflammatory and antioxidant properties, along with many other health benefits. Join us to learn about this amazing natural remedy. Instructor Janice Imbrogno will demonstrate how to make elderberry syrup using dried elderberries, honey, cinnamon and essential oils. She will also discuss other winter wellness tips. Anyone can attend, but the first 16 who register will receive a sample of elderberry syrup to take home. Those 16 pay a \$5 materials fee; others are free to attend. South Huntington cardholders register **Dec. 3**, others Dec. 10.



how to read food labels, identify recommended amounts of fat and sodium per serving, how to consume more whole foods and choose less processed foods by incorporating healthier cooking methods to prepare foods at home and ordering out less. Register for Zoom link **Dec. 2**.

Virtual Travel

European Holiday Markets With Treats! (V)

Fri., Dec. 10 at 11 a.m.

Walk into a European holiday market and your nose instantly perks up as you breathe in the mingled scents of warm spices. Traditional holiday treats draw shoppers to busy chalets serving up all types of delicious comfort food. Take an armchair tour of markets such as Valkenburg in The Netherlands; Germany's Aachen Market, set up near a 9th-century cathedral; Lieges Village de Noel in Belgium and England's Kings Cross Real Food Christmas Market. Learn about holiday treats such as Kerstkransjes sugar cookies, German Printen and Belgian Rocher Coco. Recipes are attached to this event on our website calendar. Watch the video, also on our website calendar, at the time of the program, or any time after.



Be A Better Driver

Defensive Driving (L)

Thurs., Dec. 9, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Learn to be a better driver with this Empire Safety Council course, and you could save money on your auto insurance. Fee \$28. SHPL registers beginning **Dec. 1** at 10 a.m., others Dec. 8, if there is space.

Craftsy

Fine tune your craft—
or start a new one!

Now available on
hoopla



ADULT PROGRAMS

Holiday Fun

The Making of *It's A Wonderful Life* (V)
Wed., Dec. 15 at 11 a.m.

Join Sal St. George of St. George Living History Productions for this virtual lecture. *It's a Wonderful Life* is one of the most popular motion pictures ever made, and it will mark its 75th anniversary next year. James Stewart and Frank Capra proclaimed this classic to be their personal favorite. The charming, and at times harrowing, story of George Bailey and his life-altering



tribulations in Bedford Falls are well known. This presentation will explore: Is it true the original story began as a Christmas card? Who were the original stars considered for the roles? Why was James Stewart initially reluctant to portray George Bailey? What were the circumstances that turned an obscure lost film into a national treasure? We will examine the complex backstory of how *It's a Wonderful Life* came to fruition. Please join us! Register for Zoom link beginning Dec. 1.

Animals & Pets

Decoding the Mysteries of Cats, or Why Cats Do What They Do (V)
Wed., Dec. 8 at 7 p.m.

December is National Cat Lover's Month! Do you sometimes wonder what drives your cat? Join feline behaviorist Stephen Quandt live on Zoom as he explains cat behavior from the perspective of the evolutionary and adaptive forces that help shape cats' lives. Topics include cats' relationship to hunting and resting, "drive-by" ankle biting, early morning wake up, hunger, exercise and more. He will also discuss their relationship to us as influenced by



the mother/kitten dynamic. Q & A to follow. Register for Zoom link beginning Dec. 1. Bring your pet and show us your kitty on Zoom!

Technology

Genealogy Drop-In (L)
Thurs, Dec. 2, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Thinking about tracing your roots but don't know where to start? Or maybe your search is under way and you've hit a dead end. Librarian PJ will be on hand to show you how you can access free genealogical resources, including Ancestry, through the library and to offer search tips and advice. No registration necessary.



cess for free with your library card. From air fryers to washing machines, find the best products and deals. Register beginning Dec. 2.



FAFSA Workshop for Parents & Teens (L)
Tues., Dec. 14 at 6 p.m.

A Youth Advancement Counselor from Project Excel will demonstrate how to fill out the digital form, line by line, for a stress-free process. Please set up your FSA ID at least 2 days before this program so you can complete your form. You will also need the following: W2 forms for 2020, tax



returns from 2020, and Social Security numbers of student and parents. Registration begins on Dec. 3.

All About Selling Online (L)
Wed., Dec. 15 at 7 p.m.

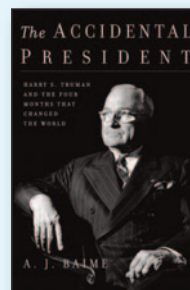
Back by popular demand, this lecture and demonstration class will show you how to sell your "stuff" locally by using online sites such as Facebook Marketplace, FB Groups, Letgo etc. You'll learn how to use their websites, create an account, price your items, and use safe practices for selling locally. Additional online websites covered will be Amazon, Etsy and Poshmark. Bring your questions! South Huntington cardholders register beginning Dec. 1, others Dec. 8, if there is space.



Books & Reading

Non-Fiction Book Discussion
Wed., Dec. 8 at 11 a.m.

Join us in person for a discussion of the first half of *The Accidental President: Harry S. Truman and the Four Months That Changed the World* by A. J. Baime. Copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. The title is also in our digital collection. New participants, listeners welcome.



Book Match

Wondering what to read next? Try our Book Match service. It's like having a personal librarian! Get started at www.shpl.info > Books, Movies & More > Book Match.



History & Genealogy

North Shore Civil War Roundtable (L)

Thurs., Dec. 2 at 7 p.m.
Professor Michael K. Shaffer will discuss "Sherman's March to the Sea." He is a Civil War historian and instructor at the College of Graduate and Professional Education at Kennesaw State University and Emory University. All welcome.

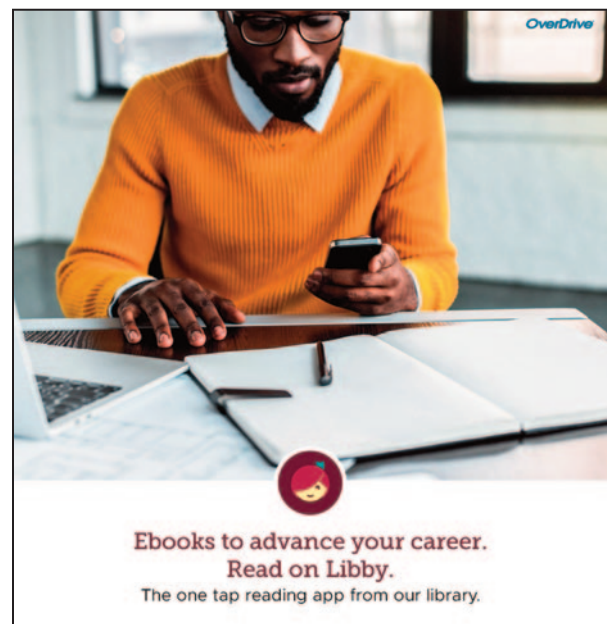
Huntington Historical Society Genealogy Workshop (L)
Sat., Dec. 4 at 11 a.m.
South Huntington Librarian PJ

Novak will demonstrate the genealogical resources available for free with your library card. All welcome.

Community Meeting

2nd Precinct Community Meeting (L)

Tues., Dec. 7 at 7 p.m.
Representatives from the Suffolk County Police Department's Second Precinct will discuss topics related to community policing. Residents are invited to bring up issues of concern in their neighborhoods.



ADULT PROGRAMS

Fitness Classes

Beginner Tai Chi (L)
Mon., Jan. 3, 10, 23, 31 &
Feb. 7, 14, 28, 9:30-10:30
a.m. (no class Jan. 17, MLK
Day; Feb. 21, Pres. Day)

Join instructor Regina in person to learn this ancient Chinese form of movement that can improve your strength, flexibility, balance, and even become a moving meditation. Class will begin with a short warm-up, known as Qi Gong. Then you will learn and practice the individual steps in the Yang 24 Form. There is a \$28 fee for this 7-session class. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Dec. 6**, others Dec. 13, if there is space.



Intermediate Tai Chi (L)
Tues., Jan. 4-Feb. 22, 9:30-

10:30 a.m.
Instructor Regina will help you take your Tai Chi (Yang 24 form) practice to the next level using the concepts and philosophy behind each move. There is a \$32 fee for this 8-session class. South Huntington cardholders register **Dec. 7**, others Dec. 14, if there is space.

Virtual Chair Yoga (V)
Tues., Jan. 4-Feb. 22, 10-11
a.m.

Join instructor Nav live on Zoom for meditation followed by a yoga routine you can do using a chair for support. There is a \$32 fee for this 8-session class. Registration begins on **Dec. 7**. The Zoom link will be emailed a day before the first class.



Thursday Yoga (L)
Jan. 6-Feb. 24, 9:30-10:30
a.m.

Instructor Augusta Berner will lead a yoga routine that will strengthen your body and relax your mind. There is a \$42 fee for this 8-session class. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Dec. 9**, others Dec. 16, if there is space. Enrollment is limited.

Walk2TheBeat Virtual Fitness (V)
Sats., Jan. 8-29, 9:30-10:30
a.m.

Shed those holiday pounds and get in shape for the new year without leaving the house! Join these low-impact cardio-sculpt sessions live on Zoom with instructor Tina. There is a \$13 fee for four classes. Registration opens on **Dec. 11**.

Monday Movies

@ 2:00 p.m.

(Please note earlier time.)

Dec. 6: Stillwater

A father travels from Oklahoma to France to help his estranged daughter, who is in prison for a murder she claims she didn't commit. Matt Damon, Abigail Breslin. R, 140 mins.



Dec. 13: My Salinger Year

While working for literary agent Phyllis Westberg, aspiring writer Joanna Rakoff receives personal advice from reclusive author J.D. Salinger. Margaret Qualley, Sigourney Weaver, Douglas Booth. PG, 101 mins.



Dec. 20: Holly & Ivy

When Melody's neighbor, Nina, learns that her illness has returned, Melody promises to keep Nina's kids, Holly & Ivy, together. To adopt the children, she must renovate her new fixer-upper, which she does with the help of contractor, Adam. Janel Parrish, Jeremy Jordan, Marisol Nichols. NR, 85 mins.



Dec. 27: Jungle Cruise

A rollicking thrill-ride down the Amazon with wisecracking skipper Frank Wolff and intrepid researcher Dr. Lily Houghton. Lily travels from London to the Amazon jungle and enlists Frank's questionable services to guide her downriver on La Quila, his ramshackle-but-charming boat. Lily is determined to uncover an ancient tree with unparalleled healing abilities, possessing the power to change the future of medicine. But as the secrets of the lost tree unfold, the stakes reach even higher for Lily and Frank, and their fate and mankind's hangs in the balance. Dwayne Johnson, Emily Blunt. PG-13, 130 mins.



Medicare Assistance

New to Medicare in 2022? (V)
Mon., Dec. 6 at 7 p.m.

Will you be retiring or turning 65 in 2022? Get all the information you need to smoothly transition from individual or employer health coverage to Medicare. We will also be discussing the fundamentals of Original Medicare, the difference between Medicare Advantage plans vs. Medicare Supplements, and discuss drug coverage. Register for Zoom link, which will be emailed.



Medicare Counseling one-on-One by Telephone

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

Do you have questions about Medicare and Medicare related health insurance? Volunteer Lynn Elinson with the Health Insurance Information, Counseling and Assistance Program (HI-ICAP), will call you for a 30-minute one-on-one session. Please have pertinent paperwork handy. An appointment is required. Please call the library at 631-549-4411 beginning **Dec. 1**.

Adult Learning

Home Study Orientation (L)
Wed., Dec. 1
at 5 p.m.

A representative from BOCES will explain how this home study program can help you obtain your TASC (formerly GED). Simply sign up and pick up assignments from the library. When you complete your work, drop off the package to receive feedback and more study material tailored to your needs. Must be 21 years or older to attend. To register for an upcoming orientation please call 631-667-6000 ext. 470.



**ENL Classes/
Clases de Ingles**

The library will be offering ENL classes this winter. If interested please contact

Georgina by email at grivas@shpl.info or by phone 631-549-4411 ext. 276.

La biblioteca ofrecerá clases de inglés como segunda idioma este otoño. Si está interesado, póngase en contacto con Georgina por correo electrónico a grivas@shpl.info o por teléfono 631-549-4411 ext. 276.

Home Viewing for the Holidays

Stream holiday movies for free with your library card.



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. (L)=in-library program (V)=virtual program.

Monthly Community Service: December Donations

Get ready for the new year by cleaning out those closets and donating old/unused items to those who may need them more. Between Dec. 1-31, submit a photo of your donations and fill out our community service form here:



https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf_LpZ9ww9Dcx2hTxOqGCR66ULMP0BbWgvL2FG4aN5X5sxmOQ/viewform to show us what you're donating and tell us about where they are being donated. Please note: Donations will not be accepted at the library. It is up to you to find a location accepting donations and drop them off yourself. Also, please be aware that your photo(s) may be posted on the library's social media accounts. A maximum of 2 hours of community service will be awarded for the month. Community certificates will be emailed out on/before Thurs., Jan. 6.

The Gift of Reading

Come down to the YA Library and select a wrapped book for yourself and a friend. What is the book?



That's the surprise, as our wrapped "gifts" have a general brief description on the outside, which you can use as a guide for choosing your book. Supplies are limited. Maximum two per patron in grades 6-12.

Mystery Art Program with Project Excel (L) – Thurs., Dec. 2 at 5 p.m.

Sign up for this fun art program and find out what project you will be working on the day of the event! Registration begins **Nov. 26**.

Community Service with Project Excel (L) – Thurs., Dec. 2 at 6:30 p.m.

Join us to decorate tote bags for children in need that will be donated to the Tri-CYA. Two hours of community service will be awarded. Please bring a small unwrapped toy under \$15 to donate. Registration begins **Nov. 26 at 7 p.m.**

YA Movie: Spirited Away (L) Fri., Dec. 3, 6:30-8:45 p.m.

(PG, 2 hr 5 min) During her family's move to the suburbs, a sullen 10-year-old girl wanders into a world ruled by gods, witches, and spirits, and where humans are changed into beasts. Originally released in Japan in July 2001, it is considered one of the greatest animated films ever made. No registration required. Seating limited.



Teen BINGO (L)

Fri., Dec. 10 at 7 p.m.

Test your luck and join us for multiple types of BINGO games and see how many you can win! Registration begins **Dec. 3**.

FAFSA Workshop (L) Tues., Dec. 14, 6-7 p.m.

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Excel will be in our Technology Lab to demonstrate how to fill out the digital form, line by line, for a stress-free process. Please set up your FSA ID at least 2 days before this program so you can complete your form. You will also need the following: W2 forms for 2020, tax returns from 2020, and Social Security numbers of student and parents. Registration begins **Dec. 3**.

Decorate the YA Library: In-Person Community Service (L) Thurs., Dec. 16 at 7 p.m.

Help turn the YA Library into a winter wonderland as the cold months approach. You may be asked to make a variety of crafts which will be used as decorations. Registration begins **Dec. 10**.



Teen Game Night (L) Fri., Dec. 17, 7-8 p.m.

Show off your skills playing Trivia Murder Party and Fakin' It from our Jackbox Game Collection. You can either bring your own phone or borrow one of our iPads to use as a game controller. Registration begins **Dec. 10**.

YA Employment Workshop on Zoom (V) Mon., Dec. 20 at 6 p.m.

Meet virtually with a Youth Advancement Counselor from Project Excel and discover how teens can find employment, apply for jobs, prepare for an interview and how to conduct oneself on the job. Whether you have a résumé or are just starting to think about working, join us and learn the skills you need in today's economy. Registration begins **Dec. 10**.

Teen Advisory Board: An In Person Program (L) – Tues., Dec. 21 at 7 p.m.

The Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is an active organization made up of South Huntington teens in grades 6-12 who work together to make a difference in our library. Tell us your ideas for virtual community service, programs and contests. Ms. Jen & Ms. Liz will lead this meeting with what the YA library is already planning for you. Meetings are usually held on the third Tues. night of the month at 7 p.m., sometimes on Zoom, sometimes in person. Community service hours are provided. New members are always welcome!

YA Movie: The Nightmare Before Christmas (L)

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

Jack Skellington, the king of Halloween Town, discovers Christmas Town, but his attempts to bring Christmas to his home causes confusion. (PG, 1 hr. 16 min). For those in grades 6-12. No registration required.

Ugly Sweater Party (L)

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

Show off your terrible decorating skills in our ugly sweater decorating contest! We will have a whole slew of supplies for you to make a terrible creation. Please bring a shirt from home to use as your base. Creations will be judged and one winner will be named the ugliest of them all! Registration begins **Dec. 23**.

New Year, New Me 2022 (L)

Thurs., Jan. 6, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Join us for an hour as we explore our new year goals in a fun creative way! You will be provided with the tools to create a 2022 goal/vision board to take home. Registration begins **Dec. 30**.

Grab & Go Crafts

Cinnamon Rolls: Dec. 7-10

Sign up for these kits to make rolls from scratch using simple ingredients. One registration per household. Registration begins **Dec. 3**. Kits are available for pickup Dec. 7-10. Instructional video will be available on the website calendar.

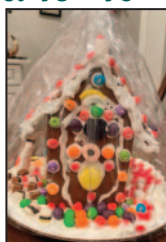


The Never Melting Snow: Dec. 7-10

Stay cozy inside and create your own everlasting winter wonderland with this DIY of never melting snow. Registration begins **Dec. 3**. Kits are available for pickup Dec. 7-10.

YA Gingerbread Houses: Dec. 13 - 16

Sign up today to receive all you will need to assemble and decorate your own gingerbread house. One registration per household. Participants must register under their own SHPL library card. Kits will be available for pickup for those registered from



Dec. 13 at 3 p.m. to Dec. 16 at 9 p.m. Register beginning **Tues., Dec. 7 at 7 p.m.**

Winter Scenery in a Jar: Dec. 21-28

Make a beautiful waterless snow globe of winter scenery in celebration of the Winter Solstice. Registration begins **Dec. 17**. Kits are available for pickup Dec. 21-28.

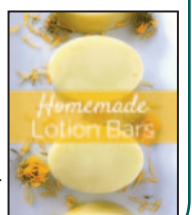


Dessert Pretzel Bombs: Dec. 28-31

Make a batch of 12 pretzel bombs. Learn how to make the pretzel dough and fillings from scratch and how to form each pretzel bomb. One registration per household. Registration begins **Dec. 23**. Kits available for pickup Dec. 28-31.

DIY Lotion Bars: Jan. 4 - 7

Create your own lotion bars with only 3 ingredients! You will need to supply olive oil, but everything else will be in your kit. Registration begins **Dec. 30**. Kits are available for pickup from Jan. 4 - 7.



Children's Programs

A Family Place Library (L) Live (V) Video

Register for programs in 1 of 3 ways: In person at SHPL; call us at 631.549.4411 and ask for Youth Services; or online at shpl.info (Click Full Program Calendar and click on the desired program to see 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 5 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.*

Everyone over the age of 2 must wear a mask while attending in-person programs.

LOOK UP! EXPLORE OUR UNIVERSE: THE JAMES WEBB SPACE TELESCOPE BEANSTACK CHALLENGE

Dec. 1-31, Pre-K – 5th gr.

Explore our universe with the James Webb Space Telescope Challenge on Beanstack. Learn about NASA's newest robotic telescope, how it works and the far-away worlds it will explore. Complete all 5 Activity Badges and earn an "Out of This World" prize pack! Prize packs can be picked up at the Children's Reference Desk.

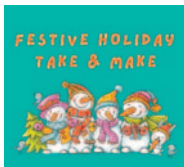


family programs

FESTIVE HOLIDAY TAKE & MAKE

Dec. 20-23, 3-9 yrs.

Celebrate the holidays with a bag of crafts and games you can take home and make and play. Register and pick up a kit beginning Dec. 20.



WINTER NAP SCAVENGER HUNT

Dec. 26-31, all ages

It's time for many animals to begin their long winter naps, and a few of them have decided to sleep in the Children's Department. Pick up a scavenger hunt worksheet and see how many you can find!



HATS OFF TO NEW YEAR'S (L)

Thur., Dec. 30, 2-4 p.m., all ages

Drop by the library to make your own special New Year's Eve hat. No registration required.



early childhood programs

BABY BUNDLE TAKE & MAKE/ PAQUETE PARA BEBÉS UN TAKE & MAKE

Wed., Dec. 1, Birth-24 mos.

Bring story time home with this themed kit designed specifically for babies. Register and pick up a kit beginning Dec. 1.

Ahora puede llevar la hora del cuento a casa con este kit diseñado específicamente para bebés. Regístrese **diciembre 1.**



FAMILY GINGERBREAD HOUSE (V)

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

Holiday fun! Build your own Gingerbread House using cookie cut-outs, royal icing, and lots of candy. Every family takes home a kit for a complete Gingerbread House. Register beginning Dec. 4 at 9:30 a.m. Please register once per family. Kits containing everything you need will be available for pickup beginning Dec. 8.



DANCING JELLY BEANS (L)

Thur., Dec. 2-23, 10-10:30 a.m., or
Thur., Dec. 2-23, 10:30-11 a.m.,
birth-48 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. Registration is ongoing.

A TIME FOR KIDS (L)

Fri., Dec. 3-17, 10-10:45 a.m., or
Fri., Dec. 3-17, 11-11:45 a.m.,
18 mos.-5 yrs.

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



TODDLER TALES (L)

Mon., Dec. 6-20, 10-10:30 a.m., or
Mon., Dec. 6-20, 10:30-11 a.m.,
2-3 yrs.

Start your week off right by having fun with your toddler! Join us for stories, songs, and activities perfect for kids ages 2-3. Registration is ongoing.



BABY TIME! (L)

Wed., Dec. 8-22, 10:30-11 a.m.,
Birth-24 mos.

Learning to read starts at birth! Babies and their caregiver will have fun sharing songs, rhymes, board books, and sensory activities that will help stimulate your little ones' cognitive, language, and social development. Register Dec. 1.



PLAYHOORAY BABIES & KIDS (L)

Sat., Dec 18, 10-10:45 a.m., or
Sat., Dec. 18, 11-11:45 a.m.,
3 mos. – 5 yrs.

Music and fun for your little one! Incorporates fine and gross motor skill activities, nursery rhymes, books, songs, bubbles, and more. Register Dec. 11.

school age programs

PAINT-A-PRESENT TAKE & MAKE

Wed., Dec. 1, 9:30 a.m., K-5 gr.

Make a gift for someone special! Pick up a kit containing everything you need to make two ceramic gifts. Includes paint, brushes, ceramic items, and giftwrap. Register Dec. 1.

ART CLUB: PIET MONDRIAN (L)

Fri., Dec. 3, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Piet Mondrian was a Dutch painter and art theorist who is known for being one of the pioneers of 20th century abstract art. Learn about Mondrian's life and art techniques, and create your own work of art inspired by him. Registration is ongoing.



SKOBLICKI'S SCIENTISTS: DEER FRIENDS (V)

Sat., Dec. 4, 2-2:30 p.m., K-5 gr.

Learn amazing facts about the white-tailed deer that we see throughout Long Island. Then, create an adorable deer craft using simple materials. Register beginning Dec. 4.



LEGO CLUB (L)

Sun., Dec. 5, 2-3 p.m., or
Tue., Dec. 28, 10-11 a.m., or
Tue., Dec. 28, 11-12 p.m., K-5 gr.

Come and spend some time building with our Legos. Participants will have their creations displayed in the library for 2 weeks. Register Dec. 1 for the program on Dec. 5 and register Dec. 21 for the program on Dec. 28.



ZUMBA KIDS! (L)

Tue., Dec. 7-21, 4:30-5:15 p.m.,
K-5 gr.

Join Miss Carla for Zumba Kids! Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers --and don't forget the water! Register beginning Dec. 1.



TWEENS NIGHT OUT: AMAZING MAZES (L)

Fri., Dec. 10, 7-8 p.m., 3-5 gr.

Laser mazes! Lego mazes! String mazes and more! Create and play with a variety of mazes and make one you can take home. Register Dec. 3.

ART CLUB: ALEXANDER CALDER (L)

Fri., Dec. 17, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Alexander Calder was an American

sculptor known for both his innovative mobiles and public sculptures. He also created paintings, jewelry, theater sets, and costumes. Learn about Calder's life and art techniques, and create your own work of art inspired by him. Register Dec. 10.



CHOCOLICIOUS: POP ITS TAKE & MAKE

Mon., Dec. 27, 2 p.m., K-5 gr.

What's more fun than using a Pop It as a chocolate mold? You get to make chocolate to eat and you get a fun toy to keep! Comes with M&Ms to decorate. Register and pick up a supply kit beginning Dec. 27.



LIBRARY ARTS PRESENTS: BEAD & BUTTON TREE (V)

Tue., Dec. 28, 2-2:30 p.m., K-5 gr.

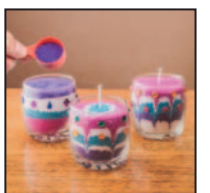
Create a beautiful textured tree on canvas using beads, buttons, gems, and paint. Register Dec. 21.



MAKE-A-CANDLE! (L)

Wed., Dec. 29, 2-2:45 p.m., or
Wed., Dec. 29, 3-3:45 p.m., K-5 gr.

Make your own candle! Learn how to make designs such as a rainbow, tie-dye, or quilted patterns by spooning in different layers of dry scented and colorful wax granules into a pre-wicked candle glass. It's a lot of fun and no two candles come out the same! Register Dec. 22.



GOODBYE 2021 PARTY (L)

Thur., Dec. 30, 2:30-3:30 p.m.,
K-4 gr.

Come say goodbye to 2021 and celebrate the New Year at the library! We'll dance, play games, make a craft, and take pictures with friends. Register Dec. 23.

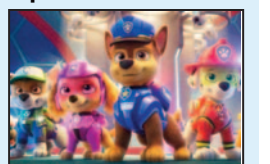


KIDSFLICK

PAW PATROL: THE MOVIE

Sun., Dec. 26, 2 p.m.

Ryder and the pups are called to Adventure City to stop Mayor Humdinger from turning the bustling metropolis into a state of chaos. PG, 85 mins.



December

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<p>ADULTS TEENS CHILDREN ALL AGES</p> <p>L=Live in-library program V=Virtual/Video program</p>	<p>* Registration required. Please see program descriptions for registration information.</p>		<p>1 9:30 a.m. Paint A Present Take & Make* 10 a.m. Baby Bundle Take & Make* 10 a.m. Paquete Para Bebés Take & Make* 5 p.m. Home Study Orientation* (L) 6 p.m. SAT Review Class* (V)</p>	<p>2 9:30 a.m. Thursday Yoga* (L) 10 a.m. Genealogy Drop-in(L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans* (L) 5 p.m. Mystery Art* (L) 6:30 p.m. Proj. Excel Comm. Svc.* (L) 7 p.m. North Shore Civil War Roundtable (L)</p>	<p>3 9 a.m. Color Your World Coloring (V) 10 & 11 a.m. A Time for Kids* (L) 4:30 p.m. Art Club: Piet Mondrian* (L) 6:30 p.m. YA Movie: Spirited Away (L)</p>	<p>4 9:30 a.m. Gentle Yoga* (L) 11 a.m. Huntington Historical Society Genealogy Workshop (L) 2 p.m. Skoblicki's Scientists: Deer Friends* (V)</p>
<p>5 2 p.m. Lego Club* (L)</p>	<p>6 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. Toddler Tales* (L) 11 a.m. Adult Take & Bake: Chocolate Snowstorm Cookies* (V) 2:30 p.m. Movie: Stillwater(L) 7 p.m. New to Medicare in 2022?* (V)</p>	<p>7 Dec. 7-10 Cinnamon Rolls Grab & Go* Dec. 7-10 Never Melting Sow Grab & Go* 9:30 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. So Bigi* (L) 10:30 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 4:30 p.m. Zumba Kids* (L) 7 p.m. 2nd Precinct Community Meeting(L)</p>	<p>8 10:30 a.m. Baby Time* (L) 11 a.m. Non-Fiction Book Discussion (L) 6 p.m. SAT Review* (V) 7 p.m. Decoding the Mysteries of Cats* (V)</p>	<p>9 9:30 a.m. Thursday Yoga* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans* (L) 11 a.m. Defensive Driving* (L) 7 p.m. Adult Take & Make: Winter Luminary* (V)</p>	<p>10 10 & 11 a.m. A Time for Kids* (L) 11 a.m. European Holiday Markets with Treats! (V) 7 p.m. Tweens Night Out: Amazing Mazes* (L) 7 p.m. Teen BINGO* (L)</p>	<p>11 9:30 a.m. Gentle Yoga* (L) 2 p.m. Baking Coach: Family Gingerbread House* (V)</p>
<p>12 1 p.m. Folk Music Jam (L)</p>	<p>13 Dec. 13-16 YA Gingerbread Houses Grab & Go* 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. Toddler Tales* (L) 11 a.m. Coping with Vaccine Anxiety* (V) 2 p.m. Movie: My Salinger Year (L)</p>	<p>14 9:30 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. So Bigi* (L) 10:30 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 4:30 p.m. Zumba Kids* (L) 6 p.m. FAFSA Workshop* (L)</p>	<p>15 10:30 a.m. Baby Time* (L) 11 a.m. The Making of <i>It's A Wonderful Life</i>* (V) 1:30 p.m. Preventing & Managing High Blood Pressure* (V) 6 p.m. SAT Review * (V) 7 p.m. All About Selling Online* (L) 7 p.m. How to Make Elderberry Syrup* (L)</p>	<p>16 9:30 a.m. Thurs. Yoga* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans* (L) 7 p.m. Decorate in the YA Library Community Service Program* (L)</p>	<p>17 10 & 11 a.m. A Time for Kids* (L) 4:30 p.m. Art Club: Alexander Calder*(L) 7 p.m. Teen Game Night* (L)</p>	<p>18 9:30 a.m. Gentle Yoga* (L) 10 & 11 a.m. PlayHooray Babies & Kids* (L)</p>
<p>19 2:30 p.m. Classical Sundays: Art Songs (L)</p>	<p>20 Dec. 20-23: Festive Holiday Take & Make* 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* (L) 10 a.m. Medicare Counseling 1-on-1 by Phone* 10 & 10:30 a.m. Toddler Tales* (L) 2 p.m. Movie: Holly & Ivy (L) 6 p.m. YA Employment Workshop* (V)</p>	<p>21 Dec. 21-28: Winter Scenery in a Jar Grab & Go* (V) 9:30 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. So Bigi* (L) 10 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 4:30 p.m. Zumba Kids* (L) 7 p.m. Teen Advisory Board (L)</p>	<p>22 10:30 a.m. Baby Time* (L)</p>	<p>23 9:30 a.m. Thursday Yoga* (L) 10 & 10:30 a.m. Dancing Jelly Beans* (L) 7 p.m. Teen Movie: The Nightmare Before Christmas (L)</p>	<p>24 Christmas Eve Library Closed</p>	<p>25 Christmas Day Library Closed</p>
<p>26 Dec. 26-31 Winter Nap Scavenger Hunt* 2 p.m. Kids Movie: Paw Patrol-The Movie (L)</p>	<p>27 9:30 a.m. Beginner Tai Chi* (L) 2 p.m. Movie: Jungle Cruise (L) 2 p.m. Choccolicious: Pop-its Take & Make * (V)</p>	<p>28 Dec. 28-31 Dessert Pretzel Bombs Grab & Go* 9:30 a.m. Int. Tai Chi* (L) 10 & 11 a.m. Lego Club* (L) 10 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 2 p.m. Library Arts: Bead & Button Tree* (V)</p>	<p>29 2 & 3 p.m. Make A Candle* (L)</p>	<p>30 9:30 a.m. Thursday Yoga* (L) 2 p.m. Hat's Off to New Year's (L) 2:30 p.m. Goodbye 2021 Party* (L) 7 p.m. Ugly Sweater Party* (L)</p>	<p>31 New Year's Eve Library Closes at 1 p.m.</p>	



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