



# SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

## Library Honored by Tri-CYA

The South Huntington Public Library has been named by Tri-Community & Youth Agency (Tri-CYA) of Huntington to its annual Hall of Honor. The library was recognized for its commitment to local youth, families and community at a gala dinner in March. Also honored were the Huntington Public Library, Pastor Dan Rivera of Huntington Assembly of God, Eliot R. Lonardo of Signature Premier Properties and Jack & Jill of America. The South Huntington Library, founded in 1961, works to strengthen our community by fos-



Library Director Janet Scherer (right) accepts the Tri-CYA award (above). She is joined by (from left) Assistant Director Nick Tanzi and librarians Jen Griffing, Catherine Schmoller, Lisa Esposito, Michael Bartolomeo and Georgina Rivas-Martinez.

tering connections, satisfying curiosity and inspiring creativity. We accomplish this by providing equal access to knowledge, literacy, technology and culture for all South Huntington residents. We also bring programs and services into the community by partnering with local organizations, such as the Tri-CYA, South Huntington School District, the Huntington Historical Society, the Huntington Youth Bureau, Long Island Cares and other food pantries, Toys for Tots and more.

## Thanks for Your Support!

South Huntington voters approved the operating budget for 2023-24 last month by a vote of 190-32. Library trustee Pat Dillon, who was running unopposed, was re-elected to a five-year term. The approved spending plan will allow the library to continue to offer programs and services designed to support lifelong learning, inspire creativity and enrich the lives

of patrons and their families, all of which contributes to the strengthening of our community. Adults who voted were eligible to participate in a raffle sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Winners were Fran Milazzo, Kindle Fire; Chris Fusaro, Bluetooth speaker, and Kathy Williams-Ging, Fitbit Versa. Thanks to all who voted!

### Flag Drop Box: May 1-July 5

The Greenlawn American Legion will be collecting worn American flags that will be disposed of in a proper manner. A flag is ready to be retired when it is worn, frayed, torn or soiled. The drop box will be in the library lobby until July 5.



## Join Our Plastic Recycling Challenge!



The library is challenging the South Huntington community to recycle 500 pounds of plastic film and bags by October. Material includes bread bags, bubble wrap, newspaper sleeves, plastic shipping envelopes, dry cleaning bags, cereal box liners, resealable bags, produce bags – items we use and discard almost every day. This is a great opportunity to keep these items out of the waste stream. All plastic must be clean, dry and free of food residue.

If our challenge is successful, Trex will donate a bench made from their trademark composite material to the library. A donation bin is in the library lobby through Sept. 30. Please drop off your items regularly so we can periodically weigh and deliver them to a drop-off site.

## Save the Date: Community E-Waste Collection Day

Sat., June 3, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Clear out your old, unwanted electronics!



## PressReader: Worldwide News at Your Fingertips

PressReader is a digital newsstand that offers access to thousands of the world's most popular newspapers and magazines. With publications from over 120 countries in more than 60 different languages, you have instant access to all of this content, including the digital edition of the New York Daily News and newspapers from around the country and world. All you need is your South Huntington Library card. To access, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Books, Movies & More>Magazines & Newspapers. Find our library, sign in with your library barcode and PIN and start reading. You can also download the app to your smartphone or tablet.



The library will be closed on Sun., May 28 & Mon., May 29 for observance of Memorial Day

# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Community

### Benefits of Volunteering Tues., May 9 at 2 p.m.

Did you know that volunteering can help you live longer, develop new skills and reduce stress levels? Join representatives from the Parker Jewish Institute to learn about how volunteering can change your life and how you can get involved in your community. All welcome.

### Huntington AARP Thurs., May 11 at 10 a.m.

The group will discuss upcoming volunteer opportunities at a recruitment fair. There will be refreshments and entertainment by The Harmonizers. All welcome.

### Folk Music Jam

#### Sun., May 14 at 1 p.m.

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

### Friends of the Library

#### Tues., May 23 at 7 p.m.

The group will discuss upcoming projects and volunteer opportunities. Bring a friend!

## Fun & Games

### Game Day

#### Tues., May 2-30, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Bring your game supplies and friends and enjoy socializing while playing your favorite game. The library will set up tables and chairs in the Meeting Room.

### Mah Jongg for Beginners Weds., May 24 & 31 and June 7 & 14, 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Learn to play mah jongg with instructor Cathy Crocetti. Instruction will include mechanics of the game and strategies. No prior experience necessary. Please bring to class a 2023 National Mah Jongg League card (small or large), which can be purchased from the National Mah Jongg League. SHPL cardholders may register beginning **May 3**.



Library programs are in-person, unless marked with a V=Virtual/Video Program  
 Sustainable Program

## Sunday Stage

### Classical Sundays

#### Trio Divertimento

##### Sun., May 7 at 2:30 p.m.

This talented group, featuring Stani Dimitrova on violin (right) and Adrian Daurov, cello, will perform Beethoven and Mozart String Trios from the classical repertoire. All welcome!



### Gilbert & Sullivan Light Opera: Princess Ida

#### Sun., May 21 at 2:30 p.m.

Gilbert & Sullivan Light Opera Company of Long Island presents Princess Ida, or Castle Adamant. It's father against daughter, son against father, and daughter against mother in the Gilbert & Sullivan classic, a coming of age saga leavened with over-the-top comedy, witty lyrics and beautiful music. All welcome!



Princess Ida—which debuted in 1884 at London's Savoy opera, with book and lyrics by W.S. Gilbert and music by Arthur Sullivan—is a favorite with Gilbert & Sullivan aficionados, with its score in particular regarded as perhaps Sullivan's greatest. The current production is the Light Opera Company's first since 2007.

In the new production of the opera, Kara Vertucci of Lindenhurst plays Princess Ida and Joseph Anthony Smith of Freeport plays Prince Hilarion, with Chris Jurak of Brightwaters as King Gama and Ben Salers of Northport as King Hildebrand.

Lady Psyche is played by Patricia Gallagher of West Hempstead, and Lady Blanche by Terry Hochler of East Meadow; Jordan Breslow of Bellmore plays Florian and Richard Risi of Locust Valley plays Cyril. The director is Gayden Wren, and the music director is Leonard Lehrman.



## Get Creative

### Adult Take & Make: Suncatcher (V)

#### Thurs., May 11 at 7 p.m.

Let the sun shine in with this beautiful suncatcher! Register and pick up a Take & Make kit to create this colorful piece using glass gems, glue, and some recycled materials. The instructional video can be viewed below at the time of the program or any time after. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 4** at 9 a.m.



### Adult Craft: Painted Pinecone Wreath

#### Tues., May 16 at 7 p.m.

Instructor Bonnie will show you how to make a pretty wreath featuring painted pinecones. Materials will be provided. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 5**.



### Creative Club: Collage with Acrylic Gouache

#### Mon., May 22 at 12:30 p.m.

Calling all artists! Come and exercise your creativity

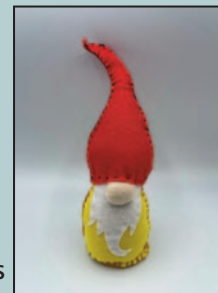
while gathering with fellow artists. We will be expanding our techniques and learning to mix gouache and collage to produce stunning narrative concepts. All materials will be provided, but feel free to bring any of your own materials. For those who attended previous Creative Club meetings, please feel free to bring your finished collages to share with us. If you're part of our Sketchbook Initiative, we encourage you to bring your Sketchbook to work on. Creative Club is open to adult patrons (18+) of all skill levels. New attendees are welcome! South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 8**, others May 15, if there is space.



### Adult Craft: Sew a Gnome

#### Thurs., May 25 at 7 p.m.

Create an adorable gnome decoration while learning and using basic hand stitching techniques and felt with instructor Donna. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 11**, others May 18, if there is space.



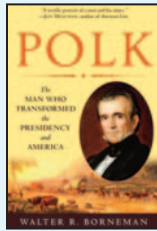
# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Books & Reading

### Non-Fiction Book Discussion

Wed., May 10 at 11 a.m.

The group will continue its discussion of *Polk: The Man Who Transformed the Presidency and America* by Walter R. Borneman. Ask for a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. The title is also in our digital collection. All welcome.



### Evening Book Discussion

Wed., May 17 at 7 p.m.

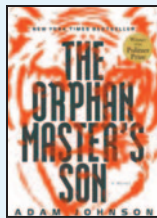
Join librarians Catherine and Janet for a discussion of *Sunflower Sisters* by Martha Hall Kelly. Ask for a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk; the title is also in our digital collection. New participants, listeners welcome.



### Afternoon Book Chat

Wed., May 24 at 3 p.m.

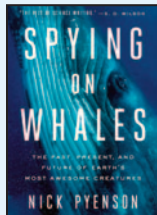
Join librarians Jen and Martha for a discussion of *The Orphan Master's Son* by Adam Johnson, 2013 Pulitzer Prize winner for fiction. An epic novel and a thrilling literary discovery, *The Orphan Master's Son* follows a young man's journey through the icy waters, dark tunnels, and eerie spy chambers of the world's most mysterious dictatorship, North Korea. Multiple copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. The title is also in our digital collection. All welcome.



### Beyond the Book @ The Whaling Museum

Thurs., May 25 at 6:30 p.m.

The library is partnering with The Whaling Museum for its "Beyond the Book" Club! More than a book club, join us as we dive into stories and history through connections with the museum's collection. Meetings are led by museum educators to facilitate talks and share museum artifacts to enhance the discussion. May will feature *Spying on Whales: The Past, Present, and Future of Earth's Most Awesome Creatures* by Nick Pyenson, which unearths the incredible history of whales, from their small four-legged land ancestors to the ocean-dwelling giants we know today. In this session, explore the biology of these creatures first-hand through the museum's collection of bones and fossils. Discover the amazing adaptations that helps whales navigate their marine environment, while learning about modern threats to the future of these animals. To register, go to [cshwhalingmuseum.org/beyondthebook](http://cshwhalingmuseum.org/beyondthebook). Copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. The title is also in our digital collection. *The discussion will be held at The Whaling Museum, 279 Main Street, Cold Spring Harbor.*



## Home & Garden

### 5 Basic Principles for Getting (and Staying) Organized (V)

Wed., May 10 at 7 p.m.

Professional organizers and co-authors of the self-help book *Beyond Tidy*, Marie Limpert & Anmarie Brogan of Organize Me! of NY, LLC will teach you their five basic organizing principles, answer questions and provide solutions to common challenges. They will discuss:

- What it really means to be organized.
- How organized living saves you time, money, space and energy.
- The best ways to organize and declutter your spaces.
- Developing a positive, growth mindset that will keep you motivated and solution-focused.
- How to avoid getting off track.
- Getting your family on board.
- Creating a home and life you'll love!

Register for Zoom link beginning **May 1**



### Plants from Seed Workshop

Thurs., May 11 at 7 p.m.

Instructor Lucille will show you how to create a mini greenhouse flat with seeds to grow in your garden this season. You'll also learn the proper indoor growing environment, maintenance, "hardening off" the seedlings and planting them in your outdoor space, where they will become beautiful, healthy plants. Enrollment is limited. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 3**.



### Big Gardens in Small Places

Thurs., May 18 at 6:30 p.m.

It is amazing what you can grow in a small kitchen garden, deck or patio. This program with organic gardening expert Renato focuses on how to create a productive organic vegetable garden in a compact space. Topics will include: Selecting the correct site, design and layout, container gardening, composting, trellises for vertical growing, plant selection, starting seeds and watering techniques. All welcome!



### Long Island Rose Society

Sat., May 20 at 1 p.m.

The Long Island Rose Society member Nancy Marr will give a short history of the American Rose Society and will show slides of the American Rose Centers' recently redesigned large rose garden located in Shreveport, Louisiana. Many roses that perform well in both Shreveport and Long Island will be highlighted. All welcome!

## Technology

### Genealogy Drop-in

Thurs., May 4, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

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

### Tech Class; All About Apps

Wed., May 10 at 11 a.m.

If you have a smartphone, you are aware of apps. So how do they work? This class with tech librarian Michael will teach participants how to navigate app stores, download and install apps, and use various features and functions of popular apps. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 2**.

### Beginner Excel: Functions & Formulas

Tues., May 16 at 7 p.m.

This class will cover more in-depth functions and the use of formulas so the user can add numbers, look up data or calculate a payment. Basics computer skills and familiarity with Excel required. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 2**, others May 9, if there is space.

### Google: Beyond Searching

Mon., May 22 and Wed., May 24 at 7 p.m.

Did you know that Google has tools you can use for word processing, presentations, storage and all kinds of personal or business projects? In this two-part class, instructor Arooj will cover Google Docs, Sheets, Slides, Drive and Photos (learn how to free up space on your phone!) SHPL cardholders register beginning **May 10**.

# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Monday Movies

@ 2:00 p.m.

### May 1: A Man Called Otto

Based on the comical and moving New York Times bestseller *A Man Called Ove*, it tells the story of Otto Anderson, a grumpy widower whose only joy comes from criticizing and judging his exasperated neighbors. When a lively young family moves in next door, he meets his match in quick-witted and very pregnant Marisol, leading to an unexpected friendship that will turn his world upside-down. Tom Hanks, Mariana Trevino. PG-13, 126 mins.



### May 8: Empire of Light

A drama about the power of human connection during turbulent times, set in an English coastal town in the early 1980s. Olivia Colman (Best Actress Oscar nomination), Micheal Ward (Best Supporting Actor nod). R, 115 mins.



### May 15: 80 for Brady

As the New England Patriots reach the Superbowl in Houston, four female fans become determined to go to the game and meet quarterback Tom Brady, which proves a more memorable experience than they anticipated after the Patriots fall behind by four touchdowns. Rita Moreno, Sally Field, Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin. PG-13, 98 mins.



### May 22: The Rose Maker

Eve is one of France's greatest artisanal horticulturalists, but her rose business is facing imminent bankruptcy or liquidation. When her secretary hires three inexperienced ex-convicts, they must team up to rescue the business in this verdant comedy. In French with English subtitles. Catherine Frot. NR, 95 mins.



## Health & Wellness

### Get Your Body Back After Baby (V) Mon., May 15 at 3 p.m.

Dr. Shaden Ghattas, PT and Dr. Jennifer Helft, PT, pelvic experts, will be live on Zoom to discuss how to bounce back physically after pregnancy. Not all exercise is created equal when it comes to our postpartum bodies! Learn the best exercise you can do to get yourself feeling better, quicker, while avoiding common issues.



You will learn:

- Which exercises to focus on and how many reps/sets to do; if you should use weights.
  - Which exercises you should completely avoid and for how long.
  - How to do pelvic floor exercises the right way.
  - How to lift and handle your baby as he/she grows.
  - How to avoid sciatica, lower back /hip pain, pelvic floor dysfunction, organ prolapse, diastasis recti.
- They will also discuss how to help set your baby up for a strong body as he/she grows and develops. Register for Zoom link beginning **May 9**.

### Operation Medicine Cabinet Tues., May 16, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Do you have unwanted or expired drugs in your medicine cabinet? Please dispose of them properly to keep our community and environment healthy. Suffolk County Police Department representatives will be in the library lobby with collection bins. Medicines being dropped off can only be in pill form and MUST be emptied out of bottles/containers and placed in a resealable bag. No sharps, liquids, gels and creams will be accepted.



### Free Hearing Screening Thurs., May 18, 1-3 p.m.

May is Better Hearing and Speech Month! Audiologists from Island Better Hearing will be here to conduct hearing screenings. First come, first served.



### Sleep Apnea Essentials (V) Tues., May 23 at 6:30 p.m.

Dr. Gary Wohlberg, Director, South Shore University Hospital Sleep Lab, will discuss sleep apnea including its causes, diagnosis, and treatment options. Bring your questions. Register for Zoom link beginning **May 5**.



### Menopause: Definition, Symptoms, Diagnosis & Treatment (V) Wed., May 24 at 11 a.m.

Menopause is a normal, natural event that all women will experience in their lifetime. Join Dr. Frank Bonura, Director of Menopausal Health at St. Catherine of Siena Medical Center, to learn more about what menopause is and how to navigate it. Register for Zoom link beginning **May 10**.



*The baby body, sleep apnea and menopause programs are in partnership with the public libraries in the Town of Huntington.*

### Pilates

#### Sat., June 3-24 at 9:30 a.m.

Join instructor Augusta to learn 18 Pilates exercises for beginners as well as experienced students. Please bring a yoga/Pilates mat to class. There is a \$21 fee for this 4-session class. SHPL cardholders register beginning **May 5**.

## Food & Cooking

### Adult Take & Bake: Strawberry Chocolate Chip Muffins (V) Mon., May 8 at 9 a.m.

These delicious muffins can be enjoyed for breakfast, brunch, snack or dessert. Register, pick up a kit containing the



recipe and dry ingredients you'll need to make them, then watch the instructional video (there is a link in the description of this event on our website calendar). South Huntington cardholders register on **May 8 at 9 a.m.**

### Cooking Class: All About Miso Wed., May 10 at 1 p.m.

Made from fermented soybeans, miso paste is brimming with probiotics. Miso is a great way to add a burst of earthy, savory flavor for a



few calories, plus protein, fiber and bone strengthening vitamins. Chef Kathryn, integrative nutrition health coach will demonstrate how to use it in your kitchen. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 1**, others May 8.

# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Armchair Travel

**Armchair Travel: Mexico**  
Wed., May 17 at 2 p.m.

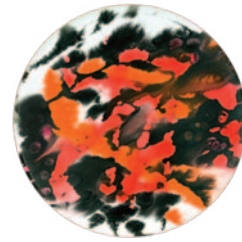
Take a tour through Mexico with Stephen DiSanto, activities and volunteer coordinator from Sunrise Senior Living of Huntington. Live with curiosity while participating in International Armchair Travel, a program designed to help seniors continue learning. The educational program will be paired with a healthy snack and light exercise. All welcome!



## Alfred Van Loen Gallery

**'Permutations,' paintings by Alicia Peterson & Puneeta Mittal**  
May 6-June 29. Meet the artists: May 6, 2-4 p.m.

The exhibit of paintings by contemporary artists Alicia Peterson and Puneeta Mittal are designed to transport you into a meditative state, as the cyclical properties of their paintings generate opportunities for self-reflection and optimism. The natural world has been a source of inspiration since prehistoric cave paintings, but more recently, climate change has affected our world. Art reflects the effects of this climate crisis. Peterson and Mittal use science and philosophy to represent earth, sky and water in an abstract style. These painters are not looking to create a utopian vision but use their media and materials to generate ideas of self-discovery through the action of painting.



Alicia Peterson, a Doctor of Audiology, describes herself as a storyteller. She recognized that she needed to find a more personal voice and discovered she can do that through painting. Without brushes Peterson paints with her hands. She dances while tossing and dripping paint, orchestrating shadow and light on round, oval, rectangle and square canvases. This dance transcends energy in a magical and poetic alchemy -- a kind of abstracted topography, where colors and shapes appear and perhaps represent a scared planet or a collaboration with the atmosphere.

Puneeta Mittal developed her series of watercolor paintings during an artist residency in Nuxalbari, a tea estate in the Eastern Himalayas. Mittal was born and educated in India. After moving to the US, she continued her studies in art at Adelphi and completed her MFA at Long Island University. She teaches ceramics as an assistant adjunct professor at Suffolk County Community College and Queens College.

Mittal finds her inspiration from the world viewed singularly through the lens of an inverted fluorescent microscope. Whether it be clay or paint she incorporates color, calligraphy and sometimes collage, that may read as a lost language. She has a strong belief that all that is born, grows and withers away yet to be born again, through constant change, and the cycles of life.

## Medicare Assistance

**Medicare Counseling One-on-One**  
Mon., May 15, 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 (HIICAP), will meet with you one-on-one in the Young Adult Library on the lower level. An appointment is required. Please call the library at 631-549-4411 beginning **May 1**.

**Medicare Made Easy**  
Wed., May 17 at 11 a.m.

This free educational workshop will cover Medicare basics and answer the following questions:



- Why is Medicare so complicated and can it be simplified?
- When should you enroll?
- What is the best Medicare option for you?

Presented by Craig Marcott, a licensed independent insurance agent who specializes in helping people make smart choices about their Medicare options. All welcome.

## History

**North Shore Civil War Roundtable**

Thurs., May 4 at 6:30 p.m.  
Guest speaker Stephen Gould will give a presentation on Sheridan's Long Island Troopers. All welcome.

changing world of TikTok and the booktok community. Learn how to connect with readers, create engaging videos, and cross post to Instagram Reels for maximum exposure. All welcome!

## Be A Better Driver

**Defensive Driving**  
Sat., May 13, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Learn to be a better driver and you could save money on your auto insurance with the Empire Safety Council class. There is a \$28 fee. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **May 3**, others May 10, if there is space.

## Books

**LI Romance Writers: Booktok & Beyond**

Sat., May 13 at 11 a.m.  
Booktok has revitalized the book buying business. Join bestselling author Mariah Ankenman as she helps you navigate the ever-

## Adult Learning

**ENL Classes/Clases de Ingles**

The library is offering ENL classes. If interested please contact Georgina by email at [grivas@shpl.info](mailto:grivas@shpl.info) or by phone 631-549-4411 ext.276

La biblioteca ofrecerá clases de inglés como segundo idioma. Si está interesado, póngase en contacto con Georgina por correo electrónico a [grivas@shpl.info](mailto:grivas@shpl.info) o por teléfono 631-549-4411 ext.276.

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# Children's Programs

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## family programs

### Pequeños Lectores

**Fri., May 5, 6:30-7:30 p.m., 4-8 yrs.**

Acompaña a Miss Georgina para una hora de cuento en español, con música y unas divertidas manualidades! Regístrese **abril 28**.

### Mother's Day Take & Make

**May 8-13, 3-9 yrs.**  
These easy Mother's Day crafts will make the best Mother's Day gifts—because they are simple for even the littlest ones to put together. Register and pick up a supply kit beginning **May 8**.



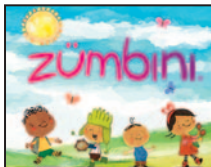
kit beginning **May 3**.

Ahora puede llevar la hora del cuento a casa con este kit diseñado específicamente para bebés. Regístrese **mayo 3**.

### Zumbini

**Thur., May 4-25, 10:30-11:15 a.m., or  
Thur., May 4-25, 11:30-12:15 p.m., Birth-4 yrs.**

Join Miss Lauren for Zumbini! This class provides an amazing bonding experience for caregivers and their little ones, while focusing on fine and gross motor development. Registration is **ongoing**.



works in this unique 3-part preschool art series. Learn about lines with Jackson Pollock, move from lines to shapes with Piet Mondrian, and work with circles with Wassily Kandinsky. Register **May 1**.

### Toddlers Craft! Pretty Painted Pots

**Tue., May 9, 10-10:45 a.m., 18-42 mos.**

Get started on spring planting by decorating a terra cotta flower pot with colorful weather resistant paint. Everyone will take home a packet of seeds to plant in your pot at home. Dress for a mess. Register **May 2**.



### Jack and the Beanstalk: Let's Grow Some Magic Beans

**Tue., May 16, 10-10:45 a.m., 18-42 mos.**

After listening to this classic tale, we will make a craft and then plant a magic bean to take home and watch grow! Register **May 9**.



### PlayHooray Babies & Kids

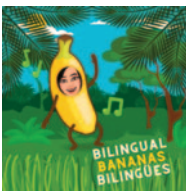
**Sat., May 20, 10-10:45 a.m., 3 mos.-5 yrs.**  
Music and fun for your little one! Incorporates fine and gross motor skill activities, nursery rhymes, books, songs, bubbles, and more. Register **May 13**.

## early childhood programs

### Bilingual BANANAS Bilingües

**Mon., May 1-22, 10:30-11 a.m., 18-48 mos.**

Go BANANAS with Miss Georgina while enjoying bilingual songs, books, and a fun craft! Register **Apr. 24**.



Ponte BANANAS con Miss Georgina mientras disfrutas de canciones bilingües, libros y una divertida manualidad. Regístrese **abril 24**.

### A Time for Kids

**Fri., May 5-26, 10-10:45 a.m.,  
Fri., May 5-26, 11-11:45 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs.  
Fri., June 2-16, 10-10:45 a.m.,  
Fri., June 2-16, 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** for the programs in May and begins **May 26** for the programs in June.



### Picture Book Time

**Tue., May 9-June 13, 3-3:30 p.m., 3-5 yrs.**

Enjoy stories, songs, finger-plays, action rhymes, and other activities aimed at building a love of language, books, and reading. Register **May 2**.



### Baby Time!

**Wed., May 10-31, 10:30-11 a.m., or  
Wed., May 10-31, 11:15-11:45 a.m., Birth-24 mos.**

Babies and their caregivers will have fun sharing songs, rhymes, board books, and sensory activities that will help stimulate your little ones' cognitive, language, and social development. Register **May 3**.



### Please the Bees

**Tue., May 23, 10-10:45 a.m., 18-42 mos.**

Learn some amazing facts about bees with stories and songs. Then make a bee watering station to keep our garden bees hydrated and healthy. Register **May 16**.



### So Big!

**Tue., May 30-June 13, 10-11 a.m., 18-36 mos.**

Join Miss Kath for some songs, stories and movement activities. Register **May 23**.



### Seed Scouts

**Tue., May 2, 10-10:45 a.m., 18-42 mos.**

We will learn all about seeds! Come for a story about seeds and then search for seeds in our favorite fruits and vegetables. Registration is **ongoing**.



### Are You My Mommy?

**Sat., May 6, 2-3 p.m., 3-6 yrs.**

Every animal starts off as a smaller version of their parents. This presentation will reunite baby with mom as children use their observational skills to figure out whose mom belongs to which baby animal. Then children will meet the actual animal mother. Registration is **ongoing**.



### Baby Bundle Take & Make Paquete Para Bebés un Take & Make

**Wed., May 3, Birth-24 mos.**

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

### Adventures in Art: Mini Masters

**Mon., May 8-22, 3-3:45 p.m., 3-5 yrs.**

Have fun exploring famous art-

**My Grown-up & Me Yoga**  
**Sat., May 13, 10-10:45 a.m., 18 mos.-4 yrs.**

Partner with your young one to do simple animated poses and breathing exercises that help to strengthen coordination and build body awareness. Register **May 6**.



### Sprouts & Friends

**Thur., June 1, 10-10:45 a.m.,  
Thur., June 1, 11-11:45 a.m., Birth-5 yrs.**

Sprouts & Friends is a music and movement program for families focused on creating joy while we play, learn, and grow together. Come ready to move and sing with your child. Register **May 25**.



Programs are in person at the library unless noted with a (V) for video program.

Register for programs in 1 of 3 ways: In person at SHPL; call us at 631.549.4411 x201; or online at [shpl.info/Events/Children](http://shpl.info/Events/Children). (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 minutes 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.*

# Children's Programs

A Family Place Library

(V) Video

 Sustainable Program

## Music & Movement

**Sat., June 3, 10-10:45 a.m., 18 mos.-4 yrs.**

Enjoy a fun way to develop early literacy skills in young children with music, dancing, singing, rhymes, and stories. Register **May 27**.

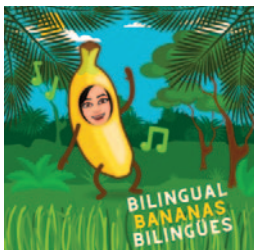


## Bilingual BANANAS

### Bilingües

**Mon., June 5-12, 10:30-11 a.m., 18-48 mos.**

Go BANANAS with Miss Georgina while enjoying bilingual songs, books, and a fun craft! Register **May 22**.



Ponte BANANAS con Miss Georgina mientras disfrutas de canciones bilingües, libros y una divertida manualidad. Regístrese **mayo 22**.

*school age programs*

## Homework Help

**Mon., May 1-22, 4:30-6:30 p.m., K-6 gr.**

High school students will assist community children with homework assignments



in the Young Adult Library. Parents/caregivers must remain in the building during the program. Help is offered on a first come, first served basis.

## Wind in Your Sails

**Tue., May 2, 2:30-3:15 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Explore the science of wind and learn why spring can be one of the windiest times of the year. Discover how people have harnessed wind power throughout history - from sailing ships to wind turbines. Create a floating sail boat using recycled materials and see how well it catches the wind! Registration is **ongoing**.



## Yoga Kids

**Wed., May 3-31, 4:30-5:15 p.m., and**

**Wed., June 7-14, 4:30-5:15 p.m., K-4 gr.**

By using interactive games and animated postures, kids will build body awareness, improve concentration and focus, and learn how to release energy and relax. Registration is **ongoing** for the programs in May and begins **May 31** for the programs in June.



## May the 4th Be with You: Jedi Academy

**Thur., May 4, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-5 gr.**

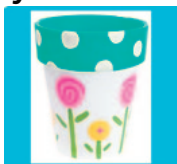
Calling all STAR WARS fans! Grab a friend and join us for an afternoon of JEDI training. Costumes are encouraged, but not required. Registration is **ongoing**.



## Flower Pot Painting Take & Make

**Sat., May 6, 5-10 yrs.**

Decorate a flower pot with painted flowers. Registration and pickup begin **May 6**.



## Lego Club

**Sat., May 6, 10:30-11:30 a.m., or**

**Sun., May 21, 2-3 p.m., K-5 gr.**

Come in to the library and spend some time building with our Legos. Participants will have their creations displayed in the library. Register **May 1** for the program on May 6 and register **May 15** for the program on May 21.



## Garden Club

**Mon., May 8-Aug. 7, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-2 gr.**

Learn about the wonders of gardening! Cultivate a love of nature and a connection to plants with this



hands-on gardening experience. (Garden Club will meet alternating Mondays.) Register **May 1**.

## Minecraft Mania!

**Mon., May 8-22, 4:30-6 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Come play Minecraft with friends! Complete various activities all while learning and having fun. We will mine, build, create and collaborate through different guided challenges and tasks. Register **May 1**.



## After School Club

**Thur., May 11-25, 4:30-5:30 p.m., K-2 gr.**

Hang out with your friends and enjoy stories, crafts, games and snacks based on a fun theme. Register **May 4**.



## Art Club: Jim Dine

**Fri., May 12, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Jim Dine is an American painter, graphic artist, sculptor, and poet who emerged during the Pop art period as an innovative creator of works that combine the painted canvas with ordinary objects of daily life. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by him. Register beginning **May 5**.



## Baking Coach: Sunflower Cupcakes (V)

**Sat., May 13, 2-2:30 p.m., K-5 gr.**

Learn how to use a pastry bag and create this beautiful sunflower on top of a cupcake. Decorate 3 cupcakes! Register **May 6**.



## Tweens Night Out: Tape Games

**Fri., May 19, 7-8 p.m., 3-5 gr.** Join your friends and compete in games made entirely of tape! Mazes, relays, target tosses, and more. Win prizes and enjoy snacks, too. Register **May 12**.

## Learn to Draw with Art Teacher Amy

**Sat., May 20, 2-3 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Art Teacher Amy will take you step-by-step through a drawing of a jungle scene inspired by artist Pierre Maxo using oil pastels. Register **May 13**.



## Art Club: Dale Chihuly

**Fri., May 26, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

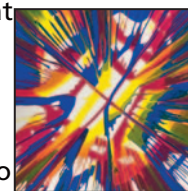
Dale Chihuly is an internationally celebrated artist and designer who is renowned for his intricate hand-blown works and stunning large-scale glass installations. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by him. Register **May 19**.



## Spin Art and More

**Sat., June 3, 2-3 p.m., 3-8 gr.**

Join us in the great outdoors to produce a variety of art projects, including your own spin art creation to take home. We'll be using permanent paint, so dress for a mess! (Rain date is Saturday, June 10.) Register **May 27**.



## Literacy is a Family Affair

Children who are read to in the home have a head start on developing their own reading skills and do better in school, according to the National Education Association. South Huntington families with young children are encouraged to participate in the "1,000 Books Before Kindergarten" program to jump start early literacy. If you read just one book per day, that's 365 books in a year. Visit the Children's Desk to sign up and get a reading log. For information, visit our web page at <https://shpl.info/1000-books-kindergarten>.



# 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. (V)=virtual program.

## May Monthly Community Service: Recycling Challenge

As part of the Sustainable Libraries Initiative, we are challenging teens to consciously recycle and earn community service and money at the same time! This is what you do:



1. Recycle any bottles or cans that have deposits on them.
2. Bring your items to any store that accepts these recycles.
3. For 20 recycled items you will earn one hour of community service! There is a maximum of one hour of community service per person.
4. Email us a picture of the receipt and provide your first and last name, your grade and your SHPL barcode with RECYCLING CHALLENGE in the subject line.
5. We will email you a community service certificate within 2 weeks. The money you receive is yours to keep.
6. Please send emails to youthconnection@shpl.info. This challenge is for SHPL cardholders in grades 6-12 only. Emails must be received no later than May 31 in order to receive community service.

## May the Fourth Be with You: Star Wars Shrinky Dinks

**Thurs., May 4 at 7 p.m.**

Learn how to make Shrinky Dinks featuring Star Wars-themed images. Just trace, color, cut and shrink in our oven! Registration begins April 28.

## Mother's Day Button Bouquet

**Fri., May 5 at 7 p.m.**

Using paint, wire, buttons and a sweet sentiment, we will make a charming gift for Mom or any special person. Registration begins **April 28**.

## Digital Art

**Mon., May 8 and 15 at 7 p.m.**

Learn how to use Paint 3D to revolutionize your comic drawing skills. Registration begins **April 28**.

## Stress ReDUCKtion

**Wed., May 10 at 7 p.m.**

Stress less this month! Make yourself a duck-themed stress relief kit to help survive the rest of the school year. Assemble a second kit to donate and you'll earn one hour of community service! Registration begins **May 5**.



## MOM Pretzel

**Thurs., May 11 at 7 p.m.**

Make this yummy treat for Mom or your favorite mother figure for Mother's Day! Create the pretzel dough and spell out MOM or any name!



Registration begins **May 5**.

## BLINGO

**Fri., May 12 at 7 p.m.**

Calling all BINGO lovers! Join Ms. Georgina for BINGO with a twist! Introducing BLINGO, bilingual bingo, come and learn new words in Spanish!

¡Llamando a todos los amantes del BLINGO! ¡Únanse a Miss Georgina para jugar al bingo con un giro! Les presentamos BLINGO, bingo bilingüe, ¡vengan a aprender nuevas palabras en inglés!

For those in grades 6-12. Registration begins **May 5**.

## Teen Advisory Board

**Tues., May 16 and May 30 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 community service, programs and contests. Ms. Jen & Ms. Elizabeth will kick off this meeting with the programs and community service opportunities that are already being planned.

At the May 16 session, we will be having an election for our 2023-24 Executive Teen Advisory Board. May 30 will be our final meeting until September. Join us to learn about opportunities to volunteer this summer and a make-your-own-sundae party!

Community service hours are provided to attendees. New members are always welcome!



## Themed Trivia Thursday: Superheroes

**Thurs., May 18 at 7 p.m.**

Answer questions about your favorite heroes from comics and movies and prove that you have what it takes to be the best! Registration begins **May 12**.

## Video Game Sampler

**Fri., May 19 at 6:30 p.m.**

Get ready for a thrilling video game sampler that offers a chance to play a diverse selection of popular games on different consoles. Whether you are a pro or a beginner, this event is ideal for everyone. Be sure to join us for an unforgettable evening of gaming fun! Registration begins **May 12**.



## Employment Workshop

**Mon., May 22, 6:30-7:30 p.m.**

Meet with a Youth Advancement Counselor from Project Excel and discover where to find employment, how to apply, and how to prepare for an interview. Current employment opportunities within the Town of Huntington will be available. Registration begins **May 12**.



## Testing Time

### Study Hours in the YA Library

**Sun., April 30 & May 7, 1-5 p.m.**

**Mon., May 1 & 8, 6:30-9 p.m.**

**Tues., May 2 & 9, 3-6 p.m.**

**Wed., May 3 & 10, 3-6 p.m.**

**Thurs., May 4 & 11, 3-6 p.m.**

The YA Library will provide extra tables and chairs for group study in support of our local students preparing for AP exams. During these hours, gaming is suspended to maintain a quieter atmosphere.

### Regents Review Classes

**Algebra I: Tues., June 6, 5:30-6:45 p.m.**

**Algebra II: Tues., June 6, 7-8:15 p.m.**

**Earth Science: Thurs., June 8, 5:30-6:45 p.m.**

**Living Environment: Thurs., June 8, 7-8:15 p.m.**

**Geometry: Tues., June 13 5:30-6:45 p.m.**

Prepare for your math and science Regents exams with our study sessions. Each class is 75 minutes of Regents review taught by NYS certified high school teacher. Registration begins **May 26**.

### Trivia Night

**Fri., May 26 at 7 p.m.**

Test your knowledge and impress your friends at trivia night! Enjoy a fun evening answering general knowledge questions. Registration begins **May 19**.

### Welcome to Middle School:

#### YA Library Open House

**Fri., June 2, 6:30-8:30 p.m.**

If you are going into 6-8 grade this fall, this program is for you! Get a taste of what Young Adult is all about as we show you around, play games and share snacks to welcome you to your YA Library. Parents and students are invited to attend.



### Spin Art and More

**Sat., June 3, 2-3 p.m.**

Join us in the great outdoors to produce a variety of art projects, including your own spin art creation to take home. We'll be using permanent paint, so dress for a mess! (Rain date is Sat., June 10.) For grades 3-8. Register beginning **May 27**.



### Babysitting Workshop

**June 5 & 12, 7-8 p.m.**

In this 2-day workshop, students work hands-on with animated dolls to learn the basics of infant care including, feeding, burping, diaper changing, safety and play. Students learn how to engage toddlers and younger children in play as well as scheduling, discipline and safety. For those entering 7th-12th grade in the fall. Students must attend both classes to earn a certificate. Registration begins **May 26**.



# SHPL News & Info

## Services and Resources for Our Diverse Community

The South Huntington Library offers an extensive selection of books, activities, and resources for our diverse community. We offer bilingual programming for children and teens, such as Bilingual Bananas Bilingües, a program for babies that includes movement and learning new concepts in Spanish. At the beginning of the year, depending on the month, we celebrate the Lunar New Year, when the children learn about countries in Asia, and participate in the dragon dance. Our Día del Niño/ Día del Libro event celebrates multicultural literacy for our children. We offer Pequeños Lectores once a month for school-age children, which is a program of stories and activities entirely in Spanish. For our teens we offer International Cooking, where we bring

in an instructor to cook a dish from another country. BLINGO is bilingual bingo and kids can learn new words and concepts in Spanish. For our adults we offer English classes as well as referrals and connections to other learning organizations. Our adult, teen, and children's departments contain a collection of books in Spanish and other languages, as well as a collection of books for learning English. We hope you will visit us soon to explore our resources.



## Servicios y Recursos para Nuestra Comunidad Diversa

La biblioteca ofrece una extensa selección de libros, actividades, y recursos para nuestra comunidad diversa. Ofrecemos programación para niños y adolescentes bilingües, por ejemplo Bilingual Bananas Bilingües un programa para bebés que ofrece movimiento y el aprendizaje de nuevos conceptos. A principio de año dependiendo que mes sea celebramos el año nuevo lunar, en el cual los niños aprenden sobre países en Asia, y participan en la danza del dragón. Celebramos el Día del Niño/Día del Libro el cual celebra literatura multicultural para nuestros niños. Ofre-

ceмос Pequeños Lectores una vez al mes para niños de edad escolar que es un programa de cuentos y actividades completamente en español. Para nuestros adolescentes ofrecemos cocina internacional donde traemos a un instructor para preparar un platillo de otro país. También ofrecemos BLINGO que es bingo bilingüe y los chicos pueden aprender nuevas palabras y conceptos en español. Para nuestros adultos ofrecemos clases de inglés, y también los referimos y conectamos con otras organizaciones de aprendizaje. Nuestros departamentos de adultos, adolescentes, y niños contienen una colección de libros en español u otros idiomas, al igual que una colección de libros para el aprendizaje de inglés. Esperamos que nos visites pronto para explorar nuestros recursos.

## Planning a Day Trip? Borrow a Museum Pass

The library's newest museum pass is for admission to the Lt. Michael P. Murphy SEAL Museum in West Sayville. The museum and education center allows visitors to learn about the SEAL community through films, videos and exhibits. The museum is named for Michael P. Murphy of Patchogue, a Navy SEAL officer killed in Afghanistan in 2005. He was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor. The battle was the subject of the book and movie, Lone Survivor. For information about the museum, visit the website at [www.murphsealmuseum.org](http://www.murphsealmuseum.org). To borrow the museum pass, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) and click on Museum Passes.



The library also has passes to other museums on Long Island and in New York City. Most admit a family of four. Please check the individual museum's website for operating hours and information. Some passes can be printed at home after checkout; others may need to be picked up at the library. To access: [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Services>Museum Passes.

- American Airpower Museum
- Brooklyn Botanic Garden
- Children's Museum of Manhattan
- Cold Spring Harbor Fire House Museum
- Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery & Aquarium
- Cradle of Aviation
- Empire Pass
- Fire Island Lighthouse
- Frick Collection
- Garvies Point Museum & Preserve
- Guggenheim
- Intrepid Museum
- LI Children's Museum
- LI Explorium
- LI Maritime Museum
- LI Museum of American Art, History & Carriages
- LI Science Center
- Lt. Michael P. Murphy Navy SEAL Museum
- Museum of Modern Art
- Museum of the City of New York
- Nassau County Firefighters Museum
- Nassau County Museum of Art
- New York Hall of Science
- New York Transit Museum
- New-York Historical Society
- Old Westbury Gardens
- Suffolk County Vanderbilt Museum
- Walt Whitman Birthplace State Historic Site
- Whaling Museum and Education Center of Cold Spring Harbor

## What Can You Learn Today?

Whatever topic or skill you want to explore, the library offers a way to learn online for free with your South Huntington library card.

### LinkedIn Learning

This is an online video library of top quality courses in topics such as computer programming, game design, Google Analytics, music production, 3D printing, Quickbooks, network administration, web design, photography, Photoshop, Microsoft Office, Zoom and much more.



### MasterClass

Learn practical skills, ignite new passions, and gain wisdom from experts in their field. Courses can be viewed on the MasterClass website or through their mobile app. Complete the form to request 7-day access. You will receive an email from MasterClass as soon as the next pass is available.



### Pronunciator

Pronunciator is a fun and free way to learn any of 100 languages with personalized courses that include study guides, audio lessons and more.



### Brainfuse

Your kids may use this for homework help, but it offers plenty for adults, including High School Equivalency and Citizenship Test Prep, Microsoft Office Help and Resume Writing. It can also help you brush up on basic skills like reading, writing and math.



To access: Go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) and click the green "Online Learning" button. You will need a South Huntington Library card.

# Services @ Your Library

## Planning to travel?

Apply for a passport at the library. Visit our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Services>Passports for information about documentation and fees. Appointments are available Monday-Friday. When you are ready to set up a passport appointment, call Adult Services at 631.549.4411.

## Homebound Service

If you are unable to get to the li-

brary because of illness, injury or disability, you can arrange for materials to be delivered to your home. You can request specific items, or you can let us know your preferences and a librarian will choose materials for you. To arrange for this service, please call Martha Kahn at 631.549.4411, ext. 255.



## Notary Services

The library has several notaries on staff. Please call before you plan to visit to make sure a notary will be available. The service is free of charge. For information on the types of documents that can or cannot be notarized at the library, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Services>A-Z Services.



## 1 on 1 Tech Help

One on One Tech Appointments are a service for patrons who are in need of personalized assistance with basic tech needs. Need help with your laptop, tablet, Kindle, smartphone or other device? Would you like help navigating the library's e-resources? Do you need a refresher on using our library apps? Go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Services>1 on 1 Tech Appointments to make a reservation.

## All About Tech

How do you know when it's time to upgrade or replace your smartphone?

This is a question we get at the library with some frequency. The simple answer would be when you notice your phone is slowing down or the battery is draining quickly. However, those might not necessarily be signs that it's time to shell out for a new phone. Before looking to upgrade to the newest and 'greatest' thing, you might be able to prolong the life of your current phone with some fixes you can do yourself.

First, try a soft reset. This is the 'turn it off and turn it on again' solution that should always be the first thing you do when trying to solve any problem with an electronic device. While it might sound like a cop out, it has for me worked more times than not. You can typically do this by holding down the power button on your phone and following the prompts to either reset or shut down the device. To turn it back on, just hold down the power button again.

Second, make sure your phone is updated. You might periodically see a notification about a software or security update for your phone. If you are like me, you might be tempted to hit the "remind me later" option but usually it's better to just get it over with and let it do the update. These updates usually include security upgrades so if your phone is running slowly because of a virus or some type of malicious software, an update might help clear it up.

Third, check to see if your battery is to blame. You should generally expect two to three years of battery life before the efficiency of the battery begins to decline. However, there are some ways to prolong the lifespan of your battery. More recent iPhones and Android devices have some form of 'battery health' view accessible through your phone's settings menu. The options available there can help optimize your phone to not use as much power. If your battery is beyond saving, you can potentially get it replaced but that is typically not as simple as swapping out the old battery with a new one like you might with AA or AAA batteries. For some phones, replacing a battery can be costly and at that point it might be more economical to buy a new phone.

Lastly, you can look into freeing up some storage space on your phone. Photos, videos, games, and apps all take up space on your phone and if it gets close to full, your phone might begin to slow down as it has less available resources to run the device. The easiest solution is to delete unused apps and unneeded photos and videos. Before you do so, uploading your photos and videos to a cloud storage service like iCloud or Google Drive/Photos can allow you to keep those memories and make space for new ones.

This is by no means an exhaustive list but if after trying these troubleshooting steps you still notice your phone is acting slow, it might be time for an upgrade or replacement. If you need assistance, you are welcome to schedule a one-on-one tech appointment by submitting a request on our website or by calling (631) 549-4411.



with Michael

## Need Tech Help? There's a Tutorial for That.

Wondering how to download an e-book from Libby? Need help accessing video on Hoopla or Kanopy? Check out the collection of instructional videos on Niche Academy, a collection of how-to video tutorials you can watch as many times as you need to learn the skill.

To access, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Online Learning. You will need a South Huntington Library card.



**seed library**  
at South Huntington Public Library

**HOW IT WORKS:**

- borrow**  
Borrow up to five packets of seeds from the Seed Library.
- grow**  
Plant the seeds in your garden and watch them grow.
- return**  
Save seeds from your harvest and share with your community! Bring them to the library. We will add them to our collection!

**www.shpl.info/seed-library**

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# May

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<b>7</b> 2:30 p.m. Classical Sundays: Trio Divertimento	<b>8</b> May 8-13: Mother's Day Take & Make* 9 a.m. Adult Take & Bake: Strawberry Choc. Chip Muffins* 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Bilingual BANANAS* 11 a.m. Monday Yoga* 2 p.m. Movie: Empire of Light 3 p.m. Adventures in Art* 4:30 p.m. Garden Club* 4:30 p.m. Minecraft Mania* 4:30 p.m. Homework Help 7 p.m. Digital Art*	<b>9</b> 9 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 2* 10 a.m. Toddlers Craft: Pretty Painted Pots* 11 a.m. Game Day 2 p.m. The Benefits of Volunteering 3 p.m. Picture Book Time* 4:45 p.m. Hip Hop Dance*	<b>10</b> 10:30 & 11:15 a.m. Baby Time!* 11 a.m. Non-Fiction Book Discussion 11 a.m. All About Apps* 1 p.m. Cooking Class: Miso Magic* 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 7 p.m. Stress RedUction* 7 p.m. 5 Basic Principles for Getting & Staying Organized* (V)	<b>11</b> 9:30 a.m. Thurs. Yoga* 10 a.m. Huntington AARP 10:30 & 11:30 a.m. Zumbini* 11 a.m. Yoga 2nd Session* 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 7 p.m. MOM Pretzel* 7 p.m. Plants From Seed Workshop* 7 p.m. Adult Take & Make: Suncatcher (V)*	<b>12</b> 10 & 11 a.m. A Time for Kids* 4:30 p.m. Art Club: Jim Dine* 7 p.m. BLINGO*	<b>13</b> 9 a.m. Defensive Driving* 9:30 a.m. Walk2TheBeat Virtual Fitness* (V) 9:30 a.m. Gentle Yoga* 10 a.m. My Grown-up & Me Yoga* 12 p.m. Booktok & Beyond 2 p.m. Baking Coach: Sunflower Cupcakes* (V)
<b>14</b> 1 p.m. Folk Music Jam  <i>Happy Mother's Day!</i>	<b>15</b> 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* 10 a.m. Medicare Counseling* 10:30 a.m. Bilingual BANANAS Bilinguals 11 a.m. Monday Yoga* 2 p.m. Movie: 80 for Brady 3 p.m. Get Your Body Back After Baby* (V) 3 p.m. Adventures in Art* 4:30 p.m. Minecraft Mania* 4:30 p.m. Homework Help 7 p.m. Digital Art*	<b>16</b> 9 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 2* 10 a.m. Jack & the Beanstalk: Let's Grow Magic Beans* 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Operation Medicine Cabinet 11 a.m. Game Day 3 p.m. Picture Book Time* 4:45 p.m. Hip Hop Dance* 7 p.m. Teen Advisory Board 7 p.m. Beginner Excel: Functions & Formulas* 7 p.m. Adult Craft: Painted Pinecone Wreath*	<b>17</b> 10:30 & 11:15 a.m. Baby Time!* 11 a.m. Medicare Made Easy 2 p.m. Armchair Travel: Mexico 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 7 p.m. Evening Book Discussion	<b>18</b> 9:30 a.m. Thursday Yoga* 10:30 & 11:30 a.m. Zumbini* 11 a.m. Yoga 2nd Session* 1-3 p.m. Hearing Screening 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 7 p.m. Big Gardens in Small Places 7 p.m. Themed Trivia Thurs: Superheroes*	<b>19</b> 10 & 11 a.m. A Time for Kids* 6:30 p.m. Video Game Sampler 7 p.m. Tweens Night Out*	<b>20</b> 9:30 a.m. Walk2TheBeat Virtual Fitness* (V) 9:30 a.m. Gentle Yoga* 10 a.m. PlayHooray Babies * Kids* 1 p.m. LI Rose Society 2 p.m. Learn to Draw with Art Teacher Amy*
<b>21</b> 2 p.m. Lego Club* 2:30 p.m. Gilbert & Sullivan Light Opera: Princess Ida	<b>22</b> 9:30 a.m. Beg. Tai Chi* 10:30 a.m. Bilingual BANANAS Bilinguals 11 a.m. Monday Yoga* 12:30 p.m. Creative Club* 2 p.m. Movie: The Rose Maker 3 p.m. Adventures in Art* 4:30 p.m. Garden Club* 4:30 p.m. Minecraft Mania* 4:30 p.m. Homework Help 6:30 p.m. Employment Wkshp* 7 p.m. Beyond Searching: Google Suite*	<b>23</b> 9 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 2* 10 a.m. Please the Bees* 11 a.m. Game Day 3 p.m. Picture Book Time* 4:45 p.m. HipHop Dance* 6:30 p.m. Sleep Apnea Essentials* (V) 7 p.m. Friends of the Library	<b>24</b> 10:30 & 11:15 a.m. Baby Time* 11 a.m. Menopause: Definition, Symptoms, Diagnosis & Treatment* (V) 1:30 p.m. Mah Jongg for Beginners* 3 p.m. Afternoon Book Chat 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids* 7 p.m. Beyond Searching: Google Suite*	<b>25</b> 9:30 a.m. Thursday Yoga* 10:30 & 11:30 a.m. Zumbini* 11 a.m. Yoga 2nd Session* 4:30 p.m. After School Club* 6:30 p.m. Beyond the Book @ the Whaling Museum 7 p.m. Adult Craft: Sew a Gnome*	<b>26</b> 10 & 11 a.m. A Time for Kids* 4:30 p.m. Art Club: Dale Chihuly* 7 p.m. Trivia Night*	<b>27</b> 9:30 a.m. Walk2TheBeat Virtual Fitness* (V) 9:30 a.m. Gentle Yoga*
<b>28</b> Memorial Day: Library closed	<b>29</b> Memorial Day: Library closed	<b>30</b> 9 a.m. Chair Yoga* (V) 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi Level 2* 10 a.m. So Big!* 11 a.m. Game Day 3 p.m. Picture Book Time* 4:45 p.m. HipHop Dance* 7 p.m. Teen Advisory Board*	<b>31</b> 10:30 & 11:15 a.m. Baby Time* 1:30 p.m. Mah Jongg for Beginners* 4:30 p.m. Yoga Kids*	* Registration required. Please see program descriptions for registration information.		<b>ADULTS</b> <b>TEENS</b> <b>CHILDREN</b> <b>ALL AGES</b>  Library programs are in person unless marked with a V=Virtual/Video program



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