



# SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

## Are you registered to vote on Nov. 5?

This is a presidential election year, and all eligible voters should make their voices heard. Voter registration forms are available at the Adult Services Desk, or you can pick one up from our National Voter Registration Day display in the lobby on Sept. 17. Applications can also be printed from the Suffolk County Board of Elections website. The BOE must receive your application by Oct. 26.

## September is Library Card Sign-up Month

A South Huntington Library card is the most important school supply of all. It offers students access to print and digital materials, research databases and online homework help. Kids, show us your library card this month and you could win a prize (see Page 6). Adults can use their library card to check out e-books and audiobooks, read New York Times Digital, access online learning sites, reserve items, register for programs and more. Everyone in the family should have a library card! To get started, stop by our Circulation Desk and show proof of residency in the South Huntington School District, or go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) and click on "Get a Card."



## September is National Preparedness Month

CPR/AED Training  
Sept. 23

Citizen Preparedness  
Training  
Sept. 25

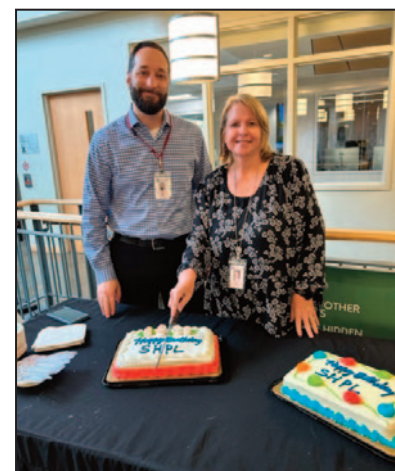
Narcan Training  
Oct. 7

See Page 3 for details and registration info.

## Literacy Tutor Training

Fri., Sept. 6, 13, 20 & 27, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Are you looking for a way to give back to your community? These training sessions will prepare you to help adult students in our area improve their English speaking, reading and writing skills. Volunteers must be over 18, a high school graduate and able to volunteer at least two hours per week for a year. Tutors and students meet at the library at a mutually convenient time. To register for the workshop, which will be held in our Technology Center, click the link in the description of this event on our website calendar ([www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)) or call Literacy Suffolk at 631-286-1649.



## Celebrating 20 Years

We marked the 20th anniversary of our Pidgeon Hill Road building this summer — on July 24, the day the building opened in 2004. Above left, some of our staff members gather to celebrate, while (right) Library Assistant Director Nick Tanzi and Library Director Janet Scherer prepare to cut the birthday cake. The festivities featured a scavenger hunt, history display and video, and games and activities for kids. Thanks to all who stopped in to help us celebrate!

The library will be closed Mon., Sept. 2 – Labor Day.  
The library will be open on Sundays beginning Sept. 15, 1-5 p.m.

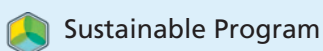
# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Adult Program Info:

Registration for adult programs begins at 9 a.m. unless otherwise noted.

Register online, in person or by phone. Program enrollment may be limited, and popular ones fill quickly. For program details, see our website calendar at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) or call 631.549.4411.

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



## How to register online for an adult program:

- Go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) > Events > Adults.
- Find the date of the event you are interested in on the calendar. (If it is a series, such as a fitness class, go to the date of the first class.)
- Click on the program title.
- The page that appears will have a program description and registration date.
- Assuming that registration has begun, scroll down to the registration form.
- Type in your South Huntington Library card barcode and other fields as needed.
- If there is a fee, enter your credit card information.
- Click "Register."
- You should then see a confirmation screen. A confirmation notice will also be sent to the email you entered.
- If it is a ticketed event, such as a concert, print the confirmation page and bring it to the show.
- Questions? Call Circulation at 631.549.4411.

## How to access your library account:

- Go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info).
- Click "My Account".
- Enter your South Huntington Library card barcode and PIN.
- If you do not have a PIN, click "Create a Password" and follow the directions on the screen.
- Once you are in your account, you can see what items are checked out and when they are due. You can also update your contact information.
- If you haven't done it already, you may want to enable your reading history so you can begin creating a list to keep track of the books you've read.

## Music & Entertainment

### Women of Rock

Sun., Sept. 22 at 2:30 p.m.

The talented acoustic duo of Mike and Maggie Mills will perform music from some of the great women in rock, including Dolly Parton, Linda Ronstadt, Stevie Nicks, Melissa Etheridge, Adele and others who trail-blazed and shattered the glass ceiling in the predominantly male field of rock music.

All are welcome to attend.



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## Get Creative

### Adult Take & Make: Fall Picture Frame Wreath (V)

Thurs., Sept. 12 at 7 p.m.

Create a festive fall wreath using a picture frame and seasonal embellishments. Register and pick up a kit with the supplies, then watch the instructional video on our website calendar at the time of the program or any time after. South Huntington cardholders register **Sept. 5 at 9 a.m.**



### Adult Craft: Quilled Autumn Tree

Mon., Sept. 16 at 6:30 p.m.

Learn the age-old craft of quilling with instructor Bonnie, and use your new skills to create an autumn tree. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 4 at 10 a.m.**



### Learn to Knit & Make a Hat

Tues., Sept. 17, 24; Oct., 1, 8 & 15, 7-8:30 p.m.

Learn to knit or brush up on your knitting skills with instructor Cheryl while making a stylish hat in your choice of sizes. Please bring practice yarn (worsted weight, size #4) and US size 8 knitting needles to the first class. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 3.**

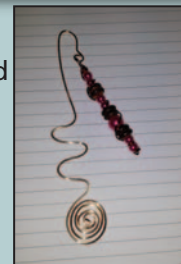


### Adult Craft: Beaded Wire Bookmark

Thurs., Sept. 19 at 6:30 p.m.

Add some bling to your book! Join instructor Donna

to create this beaded wire bookmark with your choice of beads and wire. Keep it for yourself, or it makes a great gift! South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 5.**



### Creative Club: Paper Beads

Mon., Sept. 23 at 10 a.m.

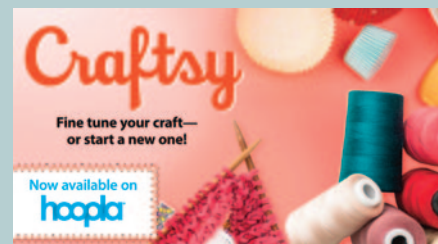
Join librarians Martha and Ryann for another Creative Club project. During this session, we will show you how to make simple paper beads that can be used to make a bracelet. All materials will be provided. New attendees are always welcome. South Huntington Library cardholders register beginning **Sept. 9.**



### Autumn Tile Art

Thurs., Sept. 26 at 6:30 p.m.

Autumn is almost here to inspire us with its beautiful colors. We'll explore fluid art along with simple line work. Personalize your vibrant art with various colors to suit your own taste as it'll be a great conversational piece. All skill levels welcome, no experience needed. Presented by Elizabeth, designer. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 12.**



# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Emergency Preparedness Month



### Citizen Preparedness Training

Wed., Sept. 25 at 6 p.m.

With severe weather events becoming more frequent and more extreme, it is more important than ever that New Yorkers are prepared for disasters. The NY Citizen Preparedness Training Program teaches residents to have the tools and resources to prepare for any type of disaster, respond accordingly and recover as quickly as possible to pre-disaster conditions. This training course, offered in partnership with Suffolk County Legislator Rebecca Sanin, will provide an introduction to responding to a natural or man-made disaster. Participants will be advised on how to properly prepare for any disaster, including developing a family emergency plan and stocking up on emergency supplies. Each family that attends will receive one preparedness kit. To register, click the link in the description of this program on our website calendar ([www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)).



### Heartsaver CPR AED Training

Mon., Sept. 23 at 6 p.m.

The Heartsaver CPR AED course trains participants (age 16 and up) to give CPR and use an automated external defibrillator (AED) in a safe and effective manner.



The class is designed for anyone with limited or no medical training. Learn how high-quality CPR improves survival, how to recognize when someone needs CPR, how to perform high-quality CPR for an adult, child and infant; how to use an AED on an adult, and when and how to

help a choking adult, child and infant. There is a \$25 fee. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 9**, others Sept. 16.

### Narcan Training

Mon., Oct. 7 at 7 p.m.

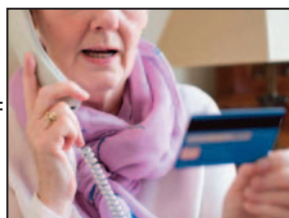
CN Guidance and Counseling Services will conduct training for all interested adults on how to recognize the signs of an opioid overdose and administer Naloxone (Narcan) as well as receive a Narcan kit. Teens 16 or 17 years old may attend the training but must have a signed parent/guardian consent form to receive a Narcan kit.

South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 23**, others Sept. 30.

### Preventing the Financial Exploitation of Seniors

Fri., Sept. 27 at 11 a.m.

Join representatives from the Suffolk County District Attorney's Office and the Suffolk County Police Department Financial Crimes Unit, who will discuss how to protect yourself and loved ones from various types of financial exploitation. Learn how to recognize con artists, identity theft, insurance fraud, health care fraud and more. Open to all!



## Food & Cooking

### Adult Take & Bake: Buttermilk

#### Apple Crumb Muffins

Mon., Sept. 9 at 9 a.m.

It's apple season, time to make Chef Rob's delicious muffins. Sign up and pick up a kit with the recipe and dry ingredients to make them. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 9 at 9 a.m.**



recipes. It is a versatile sauce that enhances Asian, Thai and American dishes. Chef Kathryn, integrative nutritional health coach, will show you how to make a Crunchy Quinoa Cabbage dish with the sauce and discuss other peanut sauce hacks. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 5**.

### Indian Cooking Class

Mon., Sept. 30 at 7 p.m.

Join instructor Geetu as she shows you how to make Palak (Spinach) Chicken, a creamy, flavorful and healthy dish. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 16**.



### Cooking Class: Versatile Peanut Sauce

Thurs., Sept. 19 at 1:30 p.m.

Everyone should have a delicious, fast, creamy peanut sauce in their repertoire of



## Books & Reading

### Non-Fiction Book Discussion

Wed., Sept. 11 at 11 a.m.

The group will discuss the first half of *The Last King of America: The Misunderstood Reign of George III* by Andrew Roberts. Ask for a print copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. The audiobook is available through Libby. The discussion will continue on Oct. 9. New participants are welcome!



### Evening Book Discussion

Wed., Sept. 18 at 7 p.m.

Join librarian Catherine for a discussion of *How to Walk Away* by Katherine Center. Pick up a copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. The title is also in our digital collection. New participants, listeners welcome.



### 20s & 30s Book Club at Six Harbors Brewing Co.

Tues., Sept. 24 at 7 p.m.

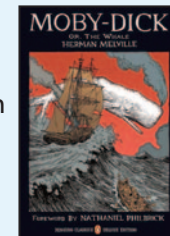
Hang out with librarians Hannah and Ryann at Six Harbors Brewing Company in Huntington Village for a book discussion geared towards readers in their 20s and 30s. We will be discussing the historical horror novel *Lone Women* by Victor LaValle. The title will be available at the Circulation Desk in print, or on Libby in eBook and eAudiobook formats. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 10**, others Sept. 17.



### Beyond the Book @ the Whaling Museum

Wed., Sept. 25 at 6:30 p.m.

Join us for Beyond the Book @ the Whaling Museum, co-sponsored by the South Huntington Library. Are you ready to join in the hunt for the great white whale? This month, our book club will dive into *Moby Dick*, one of the world's most enduring epics featuring Ishmael, Ahab, and the crew of the Pequod as we celebrate Melville's iconic American novel. Watch the adventure come to life as we explore some of the museum's unique 19th century whaling artifacts up close and discover how Melville's own whaling exploits inspired his writings. To register, click the link in the description of this event on our website calendar or call the museum at 631-367-3418.



*The discussion will be held at the museum, 279 Main Street, Cold Spring Harbor.*

### Cover to Cover Book Discussion

Thurs., Sept. 26 at 11 a.m.

Join librarians Jen and Martha for a discussion of *Heaven and Earth Grocery Store* by James McBride, the New York Times bestseller named a best book of the year by the Washington Post, The New Yorker, and Time magazine. "A murder mystery locked inside a Great American Novel . . . Charming, smart, heart-blistering, and heart-healing."—Danez Smith, The New York Times Book Review. Copies of the book will be available at the Circulation Desk. The ebook and audiobook are also available on Libby. SHPL cardholders register beginning **Sept. 12**.



# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Monday Movies

@ 2:00 p.m.

Sept. 2: Labor Day – Library closed

Sept. 9: Wicked Little Letters

Based on a stranger than fiction true story, this ferociously funny mystery follows two neighbors: deeply conservative Edith Swan and foul-mouthed Rose Gooding. When Edith begins to receive wicked letters full of hilarious profanities, Rose is charged with the crime. However, as the towns women begin to investigate themselves, they suspect that something is amiss. Olivia Colman, Jessie Buckley. R, 100 mins.



Sept. 16: Ezra

This film follows Max, a stand-up comedian living with his father while struggling to co-parent his autistic son Ezra with his ex-wife. When forced to confront difficult decisions about the future, Max and Ezra embark on a cross-country road trip. Bobby Cannavale, Robert De Niro. R, 101 mins.



Sept. 23: Civil War

In a dystopian future America, a team of military-embedded journalists race against time to reach Washington, DC before rebel factions descend upon the White House. Kirsten Dunst, Wagner Moura. R, 109 mins.



Sept. 30: The Fall Guy

He's a stuntman, and like everyone in the stunt community, he gets blown up, shot, crashed, thrown through windows and dropped from the highest of heights, all for our entertainment. And now, fresh off an almost career-ending accident, this working-class hero has to track down a missing movie star, solve a conspiracy and try to win back the love of his life while still doing his day job. Ryan Gosling, Emily Blunt. PG-13, 125 mins.



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## Health & Wellness

How to Live a Happy, Healthy and Purposeful Life

Wed., Sept. 25 at 11 a.m.

Based on the book, *I've Decided to Live 120 Years*, written by NY Times best-selling author Ilchi Lee, this presentation will challenge you to rethink your ideas on aging, health, personal fulfillment and what's possible in your lifetime. You will learn immediately how to change your life for the better and how the human potential actually translates into reality. It is full of inspiration and information for those who want to live a vibrant and meaningful life for as long as possible. Presented by Laura Proppe, certified health & life coach, and co-sponsored with AARP Huntington. Register beginning **Sept. 4 at 10 a.m.**



Caring for the Caregiver (V)

Mon., Sept. 23 at 6:30 p.m.

Alzheimer's caregivers frequently experience high levels of stress and burden. Taking care of yourself is one of the most important things you can do as a caregiver. Join us live on Zoom to find tips for making time for yourself, learn about the importance of building an Alzheimer's support network, and using respite care. Get resources for coping and how to care for your own physical and mental health. Register for Zoom link beginning **Sept. 9.**

What the Heck are Whole Grains? (V)

Tues., Sept. 24 at 7 p.m.

What are whole grains and why do I need to add them to my diet? Most Americans are not getting enough fiber. By eating whole grains, you not only get more fiber but also very important vitamins and minerals. Join Donna Ingram from Cornell Cooperative Extension live on Zoom to look at how to read labels for whole grains, what they are, and the benefits of consuming them. Register for Zoom link beginning **Sept. 10.**

New Therapies for Men and Women with Osteopenia and Osteoporosis (V)

Wed., Sept. 25 at 11 a.m.

In the US, millions of men and women have osteoporosis or osteopenia, resulting in more than 2 million fractures last year. Join Frank Bonura, MD, director of the Menopausal Health & Osteoporosis Program St. Catherine of Siena Hospital, live on Zoom to discuss how to determine who needs to be treated and with what medication. Register for Zoom link beginning **Sept. 11 at 10 a.m.**

*These virtual programs are presented in partnership with the public libraries in the Town of Huntington.*

Gentle Yoga

Sat. Oct. 5, 19 & 26 at 9:30 a.m. (no class Oct. 12)

Instructor Annemarie will help us release stress as we use our breath to connect with each of the movements. For all levels; modifications will be given. Please bring a yoga mat and block/strap if available. There is a \$10 fee. SHPL cardholders register beginning **Sept. 13.**

## Medicare Assistance

Medicare Counseling One-on-One: Mon., Sept. 16, 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 **Sept. 3.**

Medicare Basics: Thurs., Oct. 3 at 11 a.m.

Are you new to Medicare or want to review your existing coverage? Lynn Elinson from the Health Insurance Information, Counseling and Assistance Program (HIICAP), will be here to discuss the basics of Medicare so you can make informed choices. Bring your questions!

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# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Technology

**Genealogy Drop-in**  
Thurs., Sept. 5, 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. Retired 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.



**Tech Byte: Computer Buying Guide**

Tues., Sept. 10 at 11 a.m.  
CPU? RAM? SSD? Oh my! Join tech librarian Michael to learn about the parts of a computer, how to compare different models, and how to make an informed decision to ensure you get the best value for your money. SHPL cardholders register beginning **Sept. 3**.

**Navigating Our Digital Services**

Thurs., Sept. 19 at 11 a.m.  
Whether you are new to our library or a longtime cardholder, join tech librarian Michael as he shows you how to access free ebooks, audiobooks and digital newspapers and magazines; register for programs; create a library account; enable your reading history; access online learning tools and more. If there's something specific you'd like to learn, please ask! SHPL cardholders register beginning **Sept. 5**.

**Managing Your Digital Footprint**

Mon., Sept. 30 at 7 p.m.  
Join tech librarian Michael to learn about the information you leave behind when you use the internet. We will discuss practical tips for protecting your privacy and controlling what others can find out about you on the internet. SHPL cardholders register beginning **Sept. 16**.

## Find Your Community

**North Shore Civil War Roundtable**

Thurs., Sept. 5 at 6:30 p.m.  
Guest speaker Stan Weinstein will discuss the election of 1864. All welcome!

**Game Day**

Tues., Sept. 10, 17 & 24, 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

**Huntington AARP**

Thurs., Sept. 12 at 10 a.m.  
The group will discuss local volunteer opportunities followed by guest speakers from "The Green Team" at PSEG, who will do a presentation about ways to save on en-

ergy costs. All welcome.

**LI Rose Society**  
Sat. Sept. 21 at 1 p.m.

A master gardener from Cornell Extension will give a slide presentation about perennials. Herbaceous perennials are plants that bloom year after year. Each fall they die back to the ground but their crowns and root systems remain alive (though dormant). This lecture will cover many different varieties of perennials and their needs such as light, soil, fertilizer, pruning, water and air circulation. Open to all.

**Folk Music Jam**

Sun., Sept. 22 at 1 p.m.  
The Folk Music Society of Huntington will host its monthly acoustic jam. New participants, listeners welcome.

## Alfred Van Loen Gallery

'Flotsam and Jetsam, et al,' works by Lorina Tayag Capitulo.

Sept. 13-Nov. 1. Reception: Sat., Oct. 5, 2-4 p.m.

Artist Lorina Tayag Capitulo, a Huntington Arts Council grant recipient, will display her mural "Flotsam, Jetsam, et al," which explores Long Island's ever-changing landscape due to climate change and rising sea levels. Along with the mural, earlier and new environmental works will also be in the exhibit, aiming to raise environmental awareness among younger generations and inspire actions to protect our fragile world.

Meet the artist at a reception on Oct. 5, 2-4 p.m. The exhibit may be viewed during regular library hours. Look for a virtual tour on our website gallery page at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Using the Library>Van Loen Gallery.



## Small Business Counseling

**Small Business Counseling**  
Wed., Sept. 11 and Sept. 25, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Do you own a small business or are you thinking of starting one? A counselor from SCORE will meet with you one-on-one to discuss your business and offer guidance. One-hour appointments are available at 4:30, 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. To register, beginning **Sept. 3**, click on your desired appoint-

ment time on our website calendar ([www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)) and fill out the required information.

## Be a Better Driver

**Defensive Driving**  
Sat., Sept. 28, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.  
Learn to be a better driver with this Empire Safety Council course, and you could save money on your auto insurance. There is a \$30 fee. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Sept. 6**, others Sept. 13.

## 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.

# Children's Programs

A Family Place Library

(V) Video



Sustainable Program

## early childhood programs

### Baby Bundle Take & Make Paquete Para Bebés un Take & Make Wed., Sept. 4, Birth-24 mos.

Bring story time home with this themed kit designed specifically for babies. Register and pick up a kit beginning **Sept. 4**.

Ahora puede llevar la hora del cuento a casa con este kit diseñado específicamente para bebés. Regístrese **sept. 4**.



### A Time for Kids

**Fri., Sept. 6-27, 10-10:45 a.m., or  
Fri., Sept. 6-27, 11-11:45 a.m.,  
18 mos.-5 yrs.**

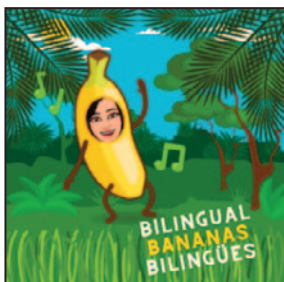
This is a skill-building, interactive class that will help prepare your child for independent learning experiences. Register **Sept. 3**.



### Bilingual BANANAS Bilingües Mon., Sept. 9-Oct. 7, 10-10:30 a.m., 18-48 mos.

Go BANANAS with Miss Georgina while enjoying bilingual songs, books, and a fun craft!

Register **Sept. 3**.  
Ponte BANANAS con Miss Georgina mientras disfrutas de canciones bilingües, libros y una divertida manualidad. Regístrese **sept. 3**.



### Sprouts & Friends

**Tue., Sept. 10-24, 10-10:45 a.m., or  
Tue., Sept. 10-24, 11-11:45 a.m.,  
Birth-5 yrs.**

**Tue., Oct. 1-29, 10-10:45 a.m., or  
Tue., Oct. 1-29, 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.

Register **Sept. 3** for the September programs and register **Sept. 24** for the October programs.



## Library Card Sign-up Month

September is Library Card Month and the South Huntington Library wants to make sure that every child has a library card!!

Children who show us their South Huntington library card during the month of September will be eligible to enter a raffle to win a grab bag of prizes. Enter any time through Monday, September 30 at the Children's Desk.

Patrons can apply for a library card at the Circulation Desk by showing a driver's license, utility, phone, or tax bill, or apply online at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info).

### Picture Book Time

**Wed., Sept. 11-Oct. 30, 3-3:30 p.m.,  
3-5 yrs.**

Listening to stories is one of the first steps in eventually learning to read. Enjoy stories, songs, fingerplays, action rhymes, and other activities aimed at building a love of language, books, and reading. Register **Sept. 4**.



### Music & Movement

**Sat., Sept. 14, 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 **Sept. 7**.



### Preschool Pals

**Tue., Sept. 17-Oct. 1, 3-3:45 p.m.,  
3-5 yrs.**

It's time for some preschool-sized fun! Every week is a little different with stories, songs, movement activities, crafts, science exploration and much more! Register **Sept. 10**.

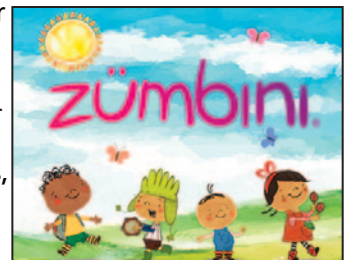


### Zumbini

**Thur., Sept. 19 & 26, 10:30-11:15 a.m.,  
or**

**Thur., Sept. 19 & 26, 11:30 a.m.-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. Register **Sept. 12**.



### PlayHooray Babies & Kids

**Sat., Sept. 21, 10-10:45 a.m.,  
3 mos.-5 yrs.**

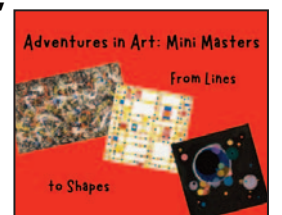
Music and fun for your little one! Incorporates fine and gross motor skill activities, nursery rhymes, books, songs, bubbles, and more. Register **Sept. 14**.



### Adventures in Art: Mini Masters

**Mon., Sept. 23-Oct. 7,  
3-3:45 p.m.,  
3-5 yrs.**

Join Museum Educator Tami Wood for this unique 3-part preschool art series. Three- to five-



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Register for programs in 1 of 3 ways: In person at SHPL; call us at 631.549.4411 x301; or online at [shpl.info](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.*

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year-olds and their caregivers will have fun exploring famous artworks and making their own art in classes designed specially to support early childhood learning. Register **Sept. 16**.

## Baby Time!

**Wed., Sept. 25-Oct. 30, 10:30-11 a.m.,**

or

**Wed., Sept. 25-Oct. 30, 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 their little ones' cognitive, language, and social development. Register **Sept. 18**.



## Lil' Athletes Toddler

**Sat., Sept. 28, 10-10:45 a.m.,**

**18-36 mos.**

Join Lil' Athletes for an introduction to various sports, including soccer and baseball. Register **Sept. 21**.



## Lil' Athletes

**Sat., Sept. 28, 11-11:45 a.m., 3-5 yrs.**

Join Lil' Athletes for an introduction to various sports, including soccer, baseball, and lacrosse. Register **Sept. 21**.

## school age programs

### Art Club: Akeen Kidder

**Fri., Sept. 6, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Akeen Kidder, a.k.a.

The Yarn Art Guy, began his artistic journey with painting and drawing, but one day in 2017, he randomly had an idea to use yarn rather than his usual paint and paintbrush. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by him. Register **Aug. 30**.



### Lego Club

**Sat., Sept. 7, 10:30-11:30 a.m., and**

**Mon., Sept. 23, 4:30-5:30 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 **Sept. 3** for the program on Sept. 7 and register **Sept. 16** for the program on Sept. 23.



### Yoga Kids

**Wed., Sept. 11-25, 4:30-5:15 p.m.,**

**K-4 gr.**

**Wed., Oct. 2-30, 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. Register **Sept. 4** for the September programs and register **Sept. 25** for the October programs.



### Learn to Draw with Art Teacher Amy

**Sat., Sept. 14, 2-3 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Art Teacher Amy will take you step-by-step through a drawing of a cute raccoon in a tree using watercolors and oil pastels. No experience necessary! Register **Sept. 7**.



### It's a Hoot Cupcakes

**Thur., Sept. 19, 4:30-5:15 p.m., K-5 gr.**

Hoot Sweet! These cupcakes are owl-out adorable with their big Oreo eyes. Register **Sept. 12**.



### Art Club: Morgana Wallace

**Fri., Sept. 20, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

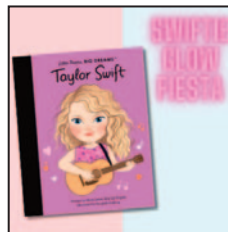
Morgana Wallace is a Canadian illustrator who plays with paper and scissors to create fantastic universes and to explore myths. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by her. Register **Sept. 13**.



### Swiftie Glow Fiesta

**Sat., Sept. 21, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Calling all Taylor Swift Fans join us for a fun bilingual storytime and glow dance party! Costumes are strongly encouraged but not required! Register **Sept. 14**.



¡Llamando a todos los fans de Taylor Swift a unirse a nosotros para una divertida hora del cuento bilingüe y fiesta de baile fosforescente! Se anima a los participantes a disfrazarse, pero no es un requisito. Regístrate **sept. 14**.

### Adventures in Art:

#### Selfie Sculptures

**Tue., Sept. 24, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Explore the painted self-portraits



of artists like Rembrandt and Frida Kahlo, then discover the life-size 3D portraits of Venezuelan-American sculptor Marisol. Create your own selfie sculpture inspired by what you've learned. Register **Sept. 17**.

### Tweens Night Out: Create a Claw Grabber

**Fri., Sept. 27, 7-8 p.m., 3-5 gr.**

Tap into your engineering brain and create a claw grabber you'll use to complete challenges and win prizes! Register **Sept. 20**.



### Library Arts Presents: Textured Seagull Painting

**Sat., Sept. 28, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Remember summer days at the beach by creating a seagull-themed seascape including real sand and shells. Register **Sept. 21**.



### Chess Nuts

**Sun., Sept. 29, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Have you always wanted to learn how to play chess or just want someone to play chess with? The Long Island Chess Nuts will provide ½ hour of chess instruction followed by ½ hour of playing time. Register **Sept. 21**.



### Hip Hop Dance

**Tue., Oct. 1-22, 4:45-5:30 p.m., K-4 gr.**

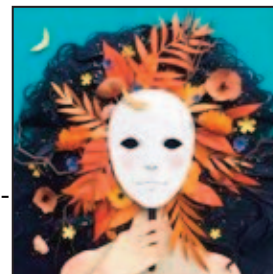
Join Great South Bay Dance for an upbeat hip hop class filled with fun! Spend class warming up, learning an energetic dance combination, and playing some games. Be sure to wear comfortable clothing with sneakers and bring water! Register **Sept. 24**.



### Art Club: Dana SanMar

**Fri., Oct. 4, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.**

Dana SanMar is a Colombian illustrator and graphic designer whose cut paper art and digital paintings have been recognized by international illustration and design institutions. Her early exposure to arts and crafts nourished her love for creating things by hand. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by her. Register **Sept. 27**.



# 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. 🌱 = Sustainable Program.

## September Halloween Costume Drive

During the month of September, drop off your gently used Halloween costumes in our lobby to be donated to the Tri Community and Youth Agency (Tri CYA). Costumes for all ages are appreciated.



## Tech Toy Petting Zoo

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

Try out a variety of toys and gadgets that are inspiring, fun and use different forms of technology. Registration begins Aug. 30.



## YA Movie: The Princess Bride

Fri., Sept. 13, 6:30-8:15 p.m.

(PG 1hr 38min) A bedridden boy's grandfather reads him the story of a farm boy-turned-pirate who encounters numerous obstacles, enemies and allies in his quest to be reunited with his true love. No registration required.



## Teen Advisory Board

Tues., Sept. 17, 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 kick-off this meeting with the programs and community service opportunities that are already being planned. Meetings are usually held on the third Tuesday night of the month at 7p.m. Earn one hour of community service for attendance. New members are always welcome! This meeting is for South Huntington library district residents currently in grades 6-12. No registration is required.



## Huntington Manor Fire Department Thank You Goodie Bags: A Community Service Program

Thurs., Sept. 19, 7-8 p.m.

Show gratitude and earn one hour of community service by creating goodie bags for our Huntington Manor Fire Department. Registration begins Sept. 13 at 7 p.m.



## Young Adult Photography Contest Reception

Fri., Sept. 20, 7-8 p.m.

You are invited to view the gallery of images submitted from the cameras of our young adult photographers which will be on display in the Young Adult Library. The winners of the Summer Young Adult Photo Contest will be announced at the reception. Light refreshments will be served. No registration is required.



## Halloween Cards for Hospitalized Kids: A Community Service Program

Sun., Sept. 22, 2-4 p.m.

Create Halloween cards to cheer up hospitalized kids! Make two cards and earn a maximum of one hour of community service. You will need your own library card to receive community service. No registration required.



## Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration

Fri., Sept. 27, 6-8 p.m.

Join Miss Georgina and Miss Janeth for an evening of food, games and fun as you make your own tacos and play a game of loteria to Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month. Acompaña Miss Georgina y a Miss Janeth a una noche de comida, juegos y diversión mientras preparas unos tacos y juegas lotería para celebrar el Mes Nacional de la Herencia Hispana. Registration begins Sept. 20.



## EMS Thank You Goodie Bags: A Community Service Program

Sat., Sept. 28, 1-2 p.m.

Show gratitude and earn one hour of community service by creating goodie bags for our Huntington Community First Aid Squad. Registration begins Sept. 20 at 7:00 p.m.



## Babysitting Workshop

Wed., Oct. 2, 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Students will learn how to engage toddlers and younger children in play as well as scheduling, discipline and safety. During the second half of the class, students will work hands on with animated dolls to learn the basics of infant care including feeding, burping, diaper changing, safety and play. For those in 7th through 12th grade. Registration begins Sept. 20.



## Halloween Hacks

Fri., Oct. 4, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

It's time to decorate for Halloween and Decorating Hacks is back! We will create a new set of fun Halloween decorations using common household items to take home and "spookify" your home! Registration begins Sept. 27.



## Pink Pumpkins: A Community Service Program

Tues., Oct. 8, 7-8 p.m.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Join us as we make pink pumpkins and pink ribbon pins to bring awareness to the disease. One hour of community service. Registration begins Sept. 27 at 7 p.m.



## Water Bottle Stickers

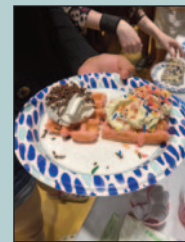
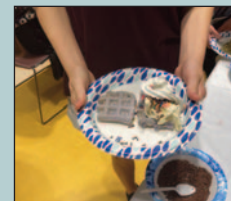
Wed., Oct. 9, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Learn design techniques to create custom water bottle stickers without needing artistic talent. Designs will be printed and then cut out on our Cricut. Stickers will be available for pickup a few days after the program. Registration begins Sept. 27.



## Goings on in YA

Teens this summer enjoyed creating waffles of all colors to eat with ice cream, sprinkles and whipped cream for Old Fashioned Ice Cream sandwiches!



## 100 Books Before Graduation

100 Books Before Graduation is a reading initiative for teens to read 100 books before they graduate from high school. You can register the summer before 6th grade, but all students currently in the South Huntington district in grades 6-12 are encouraged to join as well. And we've got some cool prizes for you to earn along the way.





# SHPL News & Info

## Brainfuse Offers Help for Everyone

You may have seen references to Brainfuse in library communications over the past several years, but if you are not familiar with this resource, it is worth your time to explore what it has to offer you and your family.



Brainfuse is an online tutoring and e-learning platform that South Huntington Public Library subscribes to, providing free access to library cardholders. It is a suite of tools that includes real-time chat help and resources for everything from homework help, SAT test preparation, résumé assistance, college planning and much more.

### HelpNow

Students and adult learners alike will find this resource most useful. HelpNow includes live tutors every day from 2 p.m.-11 p.m. to help with homework on any grade level and in every subject imaginable. Just log in with your library card and go to the Live Chat feature (which has translation capabilities).

HelpNow also has a live writing lab where students can submit written work to be edited and/or critiqued. The Language Lab can connect with a language tutor as well as help to build flashcards and create practice quizzes. Video lessons on most subjects as well as practice SAT, ACT and other college prep exams are linked.

Adult learners can take advantage of the service, which includes GED and citizenship test prep as well as basic computer skill building. One of the fun extras to HelpNow is live chess tutoring. Learn chess strategies and improve your cognitive thinking with an expert chess coach. You can use HelpNow to access information about the basics of chess, tactics and maneuvers.

### JobNow

JobNow is a suite of services and powerful tools intended to help users in every step of their job search. Patrons have access to résumé assistance, career planning, and interview coaching.

### VetNow

VetNow supports veterans and their families in navigating the VA bureaucracy, providing academic tutoring, and assisting with employment transition. Tools include a benefits navigator, job tools and college prep skills resources.

### CollegeNow

Finally, CollegeNow is the newest addition to Brainfuse. Users can access live help for applications, essays, and financial aid information, including help with completing the FAFSA form.

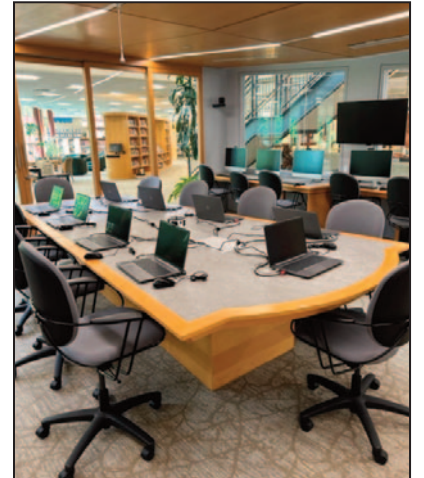
*To get started, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info) and click on the Research menu>Popular Resources>Brainfuse. You will need a South Huntington Library card.*

## Technology Center Gets Upgrades

We're excited to announce upgrades to our Technology Center with the installation of cutting-edge equipment. Our patrons have access to a new fleet of laptops and desktops featuring large screens and built-in webcams, perfect for remote collaboration or digital content creation.

We've also added a state-of-the-art 3D printer (pictured, right) to our arsenal of tools. Whether you need to preserve precious memories through photo archiving, digitize important documents, unleash your inner designer, or bring your 3D creations to life, our Tech Center is here to support you.

To ensure a seamless experience, use of the Technology Center operates by appointment. Please use the 1on1 tech appointment form on our website to get started: [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)> Services > 1on1 Tech Appointments.



## Librarians Attend ALA Conference

Several librarians, along with a board member, traveled to San Diego recently for the 2024 American Library Association (ALA) Annual Conference, which featured discussions on timely and enduring issues, reflections on the ever-evolving role of libraries, and updates on relevant legislation and policies. They also attended workshops and expanded their knowledge, which will help us enhance the library programs and services offered to our community.

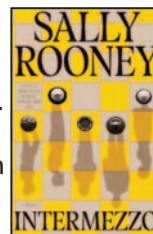


## New Books to Read This Fall

Fall is on its way and what better way to celebrate than to read new books! Here's a list with new titles across different genres coming out this autumn.

### Intermezzo by Sally Rooney

Sally Rooney is back with another literary fiction novel, this time about two brothers after the death of their father. Rooney showcases how they deal with grief, especially with how it affects themselves and their loved ones. Look for it beginning September 24.



### The Mighty Red by Louise Erdrich

A new story by Erdrich about our bonds with Earth, relationships to spirituality, tenderness, humor and more in this book. A true display of uncontrollable circumstances on ordinary people. This book comes out on October 1.



### The Blue Hour by Paula Hawkins

A new thriller by Hawkins about the discovery of a sculpture that contains human

bones. It's a page-turning saga about the late artist who made the sculpture and her manager, who visits a secluded Scottish isle that's only accessible 12 hours a day. Release date is October 29.



### Didion & Babitz by Lili Anolik

This nonfiction title unveils the relationship between Joan Didion and Eve Babitz, exploring the connection and contests between the two literary legends. Look for this one beginning November 12.



### City and Its Uncertain Walls by Haruki Murakami

A new novel by Murakami, where he revisits the setting of his previous novel, Hard-Boiled Wonderland and the End of the World — a place where dreams are watched by the Dream Reader and shadows are disconnected from a person's body. This title will be released on November 19.



# 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.

## ¿Piensa viajar?

Solicite un pasaporte en la biblioteca para obtener información sobre la documentación y las tarifas y para programar una cita para

el pasaporte, llame a Georgina Bibliotecaria de Servicios en Español al 631.549.4411 ext. 276.

## Homebound Service

If you are unable to get to the library 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 outreach librarian Martha Kahn at 631.549.4411, ext. 255.

## Notary Services

The library offers limited notary services. *Please call before you plan to visit to make sure a notary will be available.* The service is free of charge. We cannot notarize wills, mortgages, property sales or powers of attorney. Documents must be in English. For information, go to our website at [www.shpl.info](http://www.shpl.info)>Ser-



vices>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?

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## Colección de Libros en Español y Bilingües para Niños

El departamento de Niños ofrece una extensa selección de libros en español y bilingües para todas las edades. Nuestra colección está ubicada hacia el área trasero del salón de niños por las ventanas y el salón de estudio.

Tenemos libros para bebés, libros de cuentos, libros de capítulos y novelas gráficas. En adición de ellos también tenemos una colección en español de no-ficción, osea libros informativos. Tenemos títulos populares como La oruga muy hambrienta, Tren de Carga, Hombre perro, Diario de Greg, Harry Potter, entre otros. Nos gustaría destacar que nuestra colección de VOX Books también cuenta con una selección de libros en español y bilingües. También en esa área tenemos ediciones pasadas de la revista Highlight Bilingüe. Para ayudar a nuestros nuevos lectores también tenemos una selección de libros nivelados de la letra A hasta la letra L. Nos emociona ver cómo se le echa un vistazo a esta colección y la alegría que proporciona a todas las familias de nuestra comunidad. Ordenamos nuevos títulos todo el tiempo y agradecemos cualquier sugerencia. Siéntase libre de pasar por aquí y



echar un vistazo a nuestra colección, así como sugerir títulos, ¡esperamos verle allí!

## Spanish and Bilingual Book Collection for Children

The Children's Department offers an extensive selection of Spanish and bilingual books for all ages. Our collection is located towards the back area of the children's room by the windows and study room.

We have board books, picture books, chapter books and graphic novels. In addition, we also have a collection of Spanish non-fiction books and popular titles like The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Freight Train, Dogman, Diary of a Wimpy Kid, and Harry Potter among others. Also in that area are back issues of the Highlight Bilingüe magazine. We would like to highlight that our VOX Books collection has a selection of Spanish and bilingual books. To help our new readers, we also have a selection of A through L leveled readers. We are excited to see this collection get checked out and the joy it brings to all families in our community. We order new titles all the time and welcome any suggestions. Please feel free to stop by and browse our collection as well as suggest titles. We hope to see you there!

## All About Tech

### To VPN or Not to VPN

Digital privacy is a hot topic and rightly so. It feels that we cannot go a month without a notification that some company with whom we have an online account suffered some kind of data breach and that our personal information might have been compromised.

At this point, it feels almost too late to reverse the damage already done; but, is there anything we can do to safeguard ourselves for the future? Is a VPN the answer?


VPN stands for Virtual Private Network. It is a service that creates a secure, encrypted connection between your device and the internet. It works by routing your internet traffic through a server in another location, sometimes in a different country, making it difficult for websites and advertisers to track your online activities because it hides your real IP address. Your IP address is like your physical home address, except for the internet. The fewer people who know it, the less junk mail and solicitations you might get.

There are some other benefits, too. If you're on a public WiFi network, such as at the airport or a restaurant, a VPN can add an extra layer of protection to your connection. It is also helpful for accessing services and online content that may be restricted based on your geographical location because it can make it appear as if you are browsing from a different country or state.

It is important to consider that using a VPN might slow down your internet connection. Think of it like the difference between a non-stop flight and a flight with a layover. With a VPN it might not be that much of a difference, but it might be noticeable in streaming and download quality. They are also typically not free, and encryption quality and privacy policies may vary depending on the service provider you choose.

I won't make provider suggestions, but I would be highly suspicious of any free VPNs as you might be sacrificing speed, privacy, and/or security. If you're interested in trying out a VPN, I would recommend checking reviews and "best of" lists on sites like PCMag, TomsGuide, and CNET as good places to start to find a VPN that might work for you.



  
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# September

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Regular Meeting: Wed., Sept. 18 at 7 p.m.  
 The library will be closed on Mon., Sept. 2 for Labor Day.

Programs and spaces may be photographed for use in the library's print and online publicity. Please inform us if you do not want photos taken of you or your child.

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# @ Your Library Sept. 2024

## Volunteers Needed



The AARP Tax-Aide program, which provides income tax preparation assistance, is looking for volunteers for training that will start this fall. You do not need to be an accountant or even "good with numbers." All you need is a familiarity with computers and a willingness to help others.

If you don't want to do taxes, the tax aide program also needs volunteers who enjoy meeting people to help them feel comfortable and maybe help them fill out paperwork. Technical-minded individuals are also needed to help set up routers and install printers at area libraries. Please email [tax-volunteer@optimum.net](mailto:tax-volunteer@optimum.net) and someone will contact you within 72 hours. Please include your address and phone number.



## School Supply Drive a Success!

Many thanks to all who generously donated school supplies to support students of all ages through the Tri-Community & Youth Agency (Tri-CYA). Our teens also decorated pencil cases and donated them for the students. From notebooks and pens to backpacks and crayons, the supplies will help make this school year a success!



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## Ongoing Services

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- Homebound delivery
- Reference services
- One-on-one tech help
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