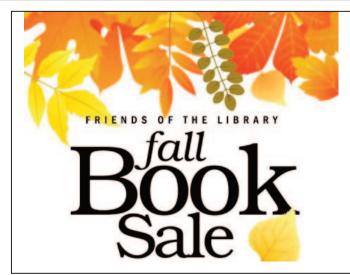
**November 2024** 



# SOUTH HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY



Sat., Nov. 2, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sun., Nov. 3, 1-5 p.m.

Calling all bookworms! Come to the Friends of the Library's annual book sale. There will be something for everyone! Please bring a reusable bag to take home your newfound treasures. See you there!



# Swingtime Veterans Tribute Sat., Nov. 2 at 2 p.m.

The Swingtime Big Band is back with its annual salute to veterans, co-sponsored by the Friends of the Library. SHPL cardholders can get free tickets; print them at www.shpl.info or get them at the Circ. Desk. Tickets are valid until 1:50 p.m., when non-ticketholders will be seated, if there is space.

## Game Day Sat., Nov. 16, 1-4 p.m.

Patrons of all ages are invited to help us celebrate International Games Month. There will be international games in the Children's Library, arcade games in the Young Adult Library, and board games in

the Meeting Room. There will also be life-sized versions of favorite games. See inside for more details.





## Staff Mark Milestones

Several staff members were recently recognized for their service to the library community. Pictured (from left) Jose Recinos (25 years), Jamie Gholson (5), Anne Johnson (5), MJ Kummer (5), Jen O'Connor (10) and Library Director Janet Scherer. Not pictured is Sharon Layburn (25). Congratulations!

## Plastic Recycling Challenge is Back!

Beginning Nov. 1, the library will once again be collecting plastic film and bags with the goal of earning another bench for our grounds.

Material includes bread bags, 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. Please drop off your

stream. All plastic must be clean, dry and free of food residue. Please drop off your items regularly so they can be periodically weighed and taken to a drop-off site.

## **Discover Our New Catalog**

We are excited to introduce a new catalog, designed to provide a user-friendly experience for searching and browsing library materials in various for-

mats while recommending similar titles to help you discover even more items to borrow.

Explore the new catalog on OPACs in the library or through the catalog search box on our website.

Highlights of the new catalog:

Combined Formats: Finding and choosing your preferred format has never

been simpler! Now, when you search for a title, you'll see all available formats book, large print, eBook, and eAudio-

book—displayed together. Just click on the tab of your desired format to check its availability and place a request.

Digital Checkouts: Easily search and borrow digital content directly from the catalog. View your physical library items and digital content from Overdrive and Hoopla together under Checkouts and Holds.

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The library will be closed Mon., Nov. 11 for Veterans Day and Thurs., Nov. 28 for Thanksgiving.

## 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 or call 631.549.4411.

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



Sustainable Program

#### How to register online for an adult program:

- Go to our website at 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.
- 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.

## **Classical Sundays**

## Dan Lippel, guitarist Sun., Nov. 10 at 2:30 p.m.

Guitarist Daniel Lippel, called an "exciting soloist" (New York Times), "precise and sensitive" (Boston Globe), and a "formidable guitarist" (Chicago Magazine), enjoys a diverse career ranging through solo and chamber performances and recordings to collaborations in diverse contexts. Highlights include the Le Poisson Rouge (New York), New York Classical Guitar Society's Salon Series, Sinus Ton Festival in Germany,



University of Texas at San Antonio, Lawrence University (Wisconsin), and the Cleveland International Guitar Festival (CIM). He has been the guitarist for the International Contemporary Ensemble (ICE) since 2005. As a chamber musician, Lippel has performed at the Macau Music Festival (China), Teatro Amazonas (Manaus, Brazil), Ojai Festival, Acht Brücken Festival (Cologne, Germany), and the Mostly Mozart Festival at Lincoln Center, among others. Lippel is co-founder and director of New Focus Recordings. He received his DMA from Manhattan School of Music. All welcome!

## **Get Creative**

### Cozy Crochet Cowl Nov. 12 & 19 at 6:30 p.m.

Let's embark on a crochet journey to learn basic knowledge and stitches. We'll practice to build skills and apply them to create your own handmade cozy cowl;



an accessory that will provide warmth and style. Please note it's essential to attend both sessions to complete your work. Presented by Elizabeth, designer. Please bring to both sessions: Super bulky yarn (#6) in 42 yards or more (light to medium colors for beginners) and a 15mm crochet hook, US size P/Q. South Huntington cardholders register beginning Nov. 1.



## Napkin Origami for the Holidays

Wed., Nov. 13 at 7 p.m. Step up your table-scape for your next dinner party this holiday season. Try napkin origami! Instructor Maddalena will teach you three folds: the flatware trifold, turkey, and Christmas tree. We will be learning with paper napkins (which you can take home), and practicing with cloth napkins. Feel free to bring your own napkins or a similar sized cloth from home, or any decorations you would like to add to your creation! South Huntington



## Adult Craft: Felt Painting Thurs., Nov. 14 at 6:30 p.m.

Nov. 4.

Instructor Bonnie will show you how to create a seasonal scene on felt. Supplies provided. South Huntington cardholders register beginning Nov. 6 at 10 a.m.



## Adult Take & Make: Thankful Burlap Banner (V)

Thurs., Nov. 14 at 7 p.m.

Create this easy & festive burlap "Thankful" banner using a variety of fallthemed materials. Your personalized banner will brighten any space in your home! Register and pick up a kit with everything you



need to make the craft, then watch the instructional video on our website calendar at the time of the program or any time after. (Please note that you will need an iron to complete this craft.) South Huntington cardholders register beginning Nov. 7 at 9 a.m.

## Creative Club: Seashell Ring Dish Mon., Nov. 25 at 10 a.m.

Join librarians Martha and Ryann for Creative Club to make this beautiful seashell ring dish - a perfect touch to your home décor or to give as a Christmas or Hanukkah gift. Materials provided. New attendees are wel-



come! South Huntington cardholders register beginning Nov. 5.

## Adult Craft: Painted Wood Ornaments Wed., Dec. 4 at 7 p.m.

Join instructor Bonnie to create two hand-painted wood ornaments to enhance your winter/holiday decor. South Huntington cardholders register beginning *Nov. 5*.





## **Holiday Concert**

# Holiday Music with The Mountain Maidens Sun., Dec. 1 at 2:30 p.m.

Featuring Marie Mularczyk O'Connell, Candice Baranello and Lorraine Berger, The Mountain Maidens will get us in the holiday spirit with splendid harmonies and traditional and folk songs, all accompanied by guitar, banjo, mandolin, dulcimer, percussion and more. All welcome!



## **Food & Cooking**

### Adult Take & Bake: Tart Cranberry Crumb Cake Mon., Nov. 4 at 9:15 a.m.

This delicious cake from Chef Rob will add sparkle to your Thanksgiving morning. Register and pick up a kit with the recipe and dry ingredients to make the



cake. South Huntington cardholders register beginning *Nov. 4 at 9* 

## Cooking Class: Feed Your Microbes

Thurs., Nov. 21 at 1:30 p.m.

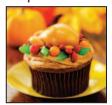
Once you transform your gut by making dietary changes you can truly transform your life. Filling up



on fiber and other plant-based foods, is a foolproof way to support gut health. Chef Kathryn, integrative nutritional health coach, will discuss this topic and show you how to make a delicious Zucchini & Chickpea Fritter with a probiotic tzatziki sauce. SHPL cardholders register beginning *Nov. 7.* 

# Stuffed Turkey Cupcakes Mon., Nov. 25 at 7 p.m.

Turn an ordinary cupcake into a Thanksgiving extravaganza with a turkey that even a vegetarian would love! Join Fanny



Cakes and have a little fun. Make these Turkey Stuffed Cupcakes and serve these right alongside the main course. South Huntington cardholders register beginning **Nov. 6 at 10 a.m.**.

### Holiday Cookie Swap Mon., Dec. 2 at 1 p.m.

Holiday season is officially here!
Let's get together and swap our favorite homemade holiday cookies.
Please bring two



dozen cookies to share along with a copy of the recipe. We will make additional copies of your recipe and provide containers for you to bring your delicious holiday assortment home. South Huntington cardholder register beginning *Nov. 12*.

## **House & Home**

# What You Don't Know About our Electrical System Wed., Nov. 6 at 7 p.m.

There has been much talk about a fully public electric system.

This presentation, by representatives of Reimagine LIPA, is about improving our electric system on Long Island. It will cover the following issues:

- Who owns the electric grid?
- The electric system explained.
- Current LIPA structure.
- Problems and how to fix them.
- And most importantly, is our electric system storm-prepared?

All are welcome to attend.

## **Books & Reading**

Jane Austen Society Sat., Nov. 9 at 1 p.m.

Calling all Jane Austen fans! Join members of the Jane Austen Society for the program, "For Richer, For Poorer: Money Matters in the Novels of Jane Austen and in Her Life." The discussion will deal with the financial, political, and cultural influences in English history between 1750 and 1817 and how they affected the work of Jane Austen. All welcome!



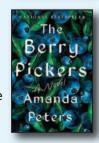
## Non-Fiction Book Discussion Wed., Nov. 13 at 11 a.m.

The group will conclude its discussion 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. New participants are welcome!



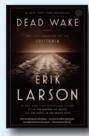
## Evening Book Discussion Wed., Nov. 20 at 7 p.m.

Join librarian Catherine for a discussion of *The Berry Pickers* by Amanda Peters. Pick up a print copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. The e-book and audio-book are available through the library's Libby app; the audiobook is available on hoopla beginning Oct. 31. New participants welcome.



# Beyond the Book @ the Whaling Museum Wed., Nov. 20 at 6:30 p.m.

Join us for Beyond the Book @ the Whaling Museum, co-sponsored by the South Huntington Library. This month's title is *Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania* by Erik Larson. When the war broke out in Europe in 1914, German forces employed an unprecedented method of attack -- submarine warfare -- turning transatlantic travel into a potentially deadly



undertaking. Experience the terror and tragedy of the sinking of the Lusitania, the maritime disaster that helped draw America into the First World War. During this museum educator-led session, examine a 19th century whalebone and traveling trunk, and imagine what you might have packed for the voyage. Discover the surprising role whales played in the trenches and the deadly cost the war had for these creatures. 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., Nov. 21 at 11 a.m.

Join librarians Jen and Martha for a discussion of Remarkably Bright Creatures by Shelby Van Pelt. Pick up a print copy of the book at the Circulation Desk. The title is also in our digital collection. South Huntington cardholders register beginning Nov. 7.



# 20s & 30s Book Club @ Six Harbors Brewing Co. Tues., Nov. 26 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 piercing, satirical horror novel *Natural Beauty* by Ling Ling Huang. The title will be available at the Circulation Desk in print, or on Libby in eBook and eAudiobook formats. New participants welcome! South Huntington cardholders register beginning *Nov. 5*, others Nov. 12.



# Monday Movies @ 2:00 p.m.

## Nov. 4: The Fabulous Four

A comedy for grownups that follows a group of lifelong friends on an outrageous trip to Key West, Florida, to be



bridesmaids in the surprise late-in-life wedding of their college girlfriend. Susan Sarandon, Bette Midler, Megan Mullally, Sheryl Lee Ralph. R, 94 mins.

# Nov. 11: Veterans Day – Library closed

#### Nov. 18: Inside Out 2

Enter the mind of newly minted teenager Riley just as head-quarters is undergoing a sudden demoli-



tion to make room for something entirely unexpected: new Emotions! Joy, Sadness, Anger, Fear and Disgust, who've been running a successful operation, aren't sure how to feel when Anxiety shows up – and she's not alone. Maya Hawke, Amy Poehler. PG, 96 mins.

#### Nov. 25: Hannah & Her Sisters

Throw back to 1986 with this Woody Allen classic, in which three successive family Thanksgiving dinners mark time for



Hannah (Mia Farrow), her younger sisters Lee (Barbara Hershey) and Holly (Dianne Wiest) and the men in their lives. PG-13, 107 mins.



## **Health & Wellness**

### Signs from Beyond Thurs., Nov. 7 at 7 p.m.

Can loved ones who have passed send us signs that they are with us in spirit? Maria D'Andrea, MsD, D.D., DRH will help us learn to tune into signs



and will explore the idea of symbols and what they mean. Common ones are butterflies, birds and coins. She will also discuss loved ones appearing in dreams. All welcome.

# Unlocking the Connection Between Sleep and Dementia (V) Wed., Nov. 13 at 6:30 p.m.

In this live Zoom program, learn how improving sleep can help our brains function more efficiently and effectively, which can lead to improved cognitive function and a better quality of



life for those with dementia. It's truly amazing to see how something as simple as getting a good night's sleep can have such a profound impact on our health and well-being. Register for Zoom link beginning *Nov. 1.* 

This program is hosted by the Huntington Library in partnership with public libraries in the Town of Huntington.

## Managing Life After Retirement Thurs., Nov. 14 at 2 p.m.

We all know that retirement has implications for our bank account. However, retirement is also a big change that impacts our relationships, our sense of purpose and identity and our physical and emotional health. During this workshop, we will review the stages of retirement and look at the four steps identified by researchers at Kansas State University that can

improve one's overall retirement experience by avoiding the most common challenges new retirees often face. Presented by Kerri Reda, Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County. South Huntington cardholders register beginning *Nov. 1*.

# Managing Family Stress During the Holidays (V)

Wed., Dec. 4 at 11 a.m. Holidays are often an exciting time of the year. Spending time with family, enjoying time off work, and celebrating with family traditions are just some of the enjoyable holiday



activities. However, the holidays also can represent added stress due to the strain on your time and wallet. Join us live on Zoom to talk about some ideas on how to handle the stress of the holidays, simplify your days, and still have time to enjoy your family and the holidays. Presenter: Dinah Torres Castro, Bilingual Family Well Being Educator, Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County. Register for Zoom link beginning *Nov. 20*.

This program is hosted by the Northport-East

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braries in the Town of Huntington.
Silver Sneakers Fitness

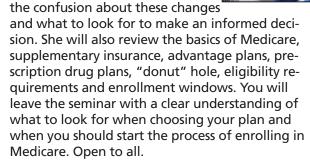
Sat., Dec. 7-28 at 9:30 a.m.

Instructor Augusta will lead this gentle, full-body workout, which is great for those 50+, new to exercise or with balance issues. You can work out from the comfort of a chair or stand and use a chair for balance. Please bring to class a set of light weights, elastic tubing and a small ball. There is a \$21 fee. South Huntington cardholders register beginning *Nov 8*.

## **Medicare & Social Security**

# Medicare Made Easy Workshop Thurs., Nov. 14 at 7 p.m.

2025 is going to be a year with many changes, so it is more important than ever that you understand how these changes will affect your Medicare costs and benefits. This seminar with Marie Cantone is designed to eliminate



Medicare Counseling One-on-One Mon., Nov. 18, 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 Infor-

mation, 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 *Nov. 1*.



#### Mon., Nov. 18 at 6:30 p.m.

An AARP survey determined that only half of its respondents who were either married or who had ever been married were aware that they were entitled to spousal benefits under Social Security. This workshop will provide a broad overview of the Social Security retirement program while examining in detail spousal and survivor benefits and ways to optimize them. Presented by financial advisor Daniel Mazzola. All welcome.

## Technology

#### Genealogy Drop-in Thurs., Nov. 7, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Thinking about trac-

ing 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

#### Tech Byte: Music Streaming **Basics**

advice. No registration necessary.

Tues., Nov. 12 at 11 a.m.

Learn the basics of music streaming and how to access your favorite



songs online using free services like YouTube, Pandora, and Spotify Free. This lecture with tech librarian Michael will cover how streaming works, tips for getting started, and ways to explore a wide variety of music without a paid subscription. South Huntington cardholders register beginning Nov. 4.

#### **Navigating Our Digital** Services

Thurs., Nov. 21 at 2 p.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 from home; create a library account; enable your reading history; access online learning tools and more. If you have something specific you'd like to learn, please ask! South Huntington cardholders register beginning *Nov. 7*.

#### Cutting the Cord Mon., Nov. 25 at 7 p.m.

Tired of paying so much for cable TV? Join tech librarian



this class during which we will learn about alternatives to cable and explore whether cutting the cord can really save you money. **South Huntington cardholders** register beginning Nov. 8.

## **Business & Career**

## **Small-Business Counseling** Wed., Nov. 13, 4:30-6:30

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. To register, beginning Nov. 1, find your desired time on our website calendar (www.shpl.info) and fill in the required information, or call the library at 631-549-4411.

Career Counseling Tues., Nov. 26, 6-9 p.m. Career counselor Maryann Ver-

dolino will be on hand for oneon-one counseling sessions. She can help you explore and analyze your interests, skills and personality characteristics using career assessment tools; write résumés and cover letters; prepare for interviews; set up and review a LinkedIn profile and explore college and technical training options. She can also assist with job searches and discuss how to make connections through networking. An appointment is required. Click your desired appointment time on our website calendar and fill in the required information beginning Nov. 5 or call the library at 631.549.4411. You will need a South Huntington Library card.

## Be A Better Driver

#### **Defensive Driving**

Sat., Nov. 23, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Learn to be a better driver and you could save money on your auto insurance with this Empire Safety Council class. There is a \$30 fee. South Huntington cardholders register beginning Nov. 8, others Nov. 15.

## Alfred Van Loen Gallery

'Intersections – Urban Perspectives,' works by Pamela Waldroup & Robert Mielenhausen. Nov. 8-Jan. 11. Reception: Sat., Nov. 9, 2-4 p.m.

Photographer Pamela Waldroup and painter Robert Mielenhausen have collaborated for this exhibition to show the combination



of two visions of New York City. Pamela Waldroup frames her work through the lens of a camera with black-and-white photography that captures the architecture and lively



shapes within the scope of NYC. Robert Mielenhausen depicts his work through a painter's brush using texture, color, and lighting to show off the vibes of NYC neighborhoods in a representational way. Their exhibition, Intersections - Urban Perspectives, invites viewers to engage with the city's atmosphere and fill the void between the artists' unique visual interpretations.

> View the exhibit and meet the artists at a reception on Sat., Nov. 9, 2-4 p.m.

## Fun & Games

### Game Day Tues., Nov. 12, 19 & 26, 11 a.m.-2:30 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.

## **Board Game Day** Sat., Nov. 16, 1-4 p.m.

We're celebrating International Games Month! Ever hear of "Catan" or "Ticket to Ride"? Are you already an expert in "Everdell" and "Azul"? Board games are more popular than ever. Come and join the fun with Gamemasters Dave and Ginger as they host board game day in the library. You'll find dozens of

board games to play during this event. No experience necessary. Beginners welcome!

#### Mah Jongg for Beginners Fri., Dec. 6, 13, 20 & 27, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Learn to play mah jongg, a popular Chinese tile game, with instructor Cathy Crocetti. Instruction will include mechanics of the game and strategies. No prior experience is necessary. Please bring to class a 2024 National Mah Jongg League card (small or large), which can be purchased from the National Mah Jongg League. There is a \$5 fee for this 4-session class. South Huntington cardholders may register beginning Nov. 15.

## **Community Meetings**

#### North Shore Civil War Roundtable

Thurs., Nov. 7 at 6:30 p.m.

Guest speaker Dr. Christian Keller will Zoom into our theater with a presentation on "Robert E. Lee's Theory of War: A New Interpretation with Archival Evidence." Dr. Keller is professor of history in the **Department of National Security** and Strategy at the United States Army War College, Carlisle, PA, Join us!

## Folk Music Jam

Sun., Nov. 10 at 1 p.m. The Folk Music Society of Huntington will host its monthly acoustic jam. New participants, listeners welcome.

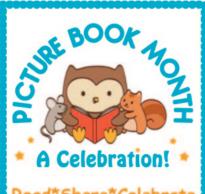
## **Huntington AARP** Thurs., Nov. 14 at 10 a.m.

The group will discuss local volunteer opportunities. Then a representative from Project Hope will speak on their veterans program. All welcome.

# Children's Programs

A Family Place Library

(V) Video 🧆 Sustainable Program



Read\*Share\*Celebrate

Picture Book Month is an international initiative to encourage everyone to celebrate literacy with picture books during the month of November. Picture books are a wonderful entrée into reading for kids of all ages. Check out some of our favorites on display in the Children's Room.

## early childhood programs

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

Wed., Nov. 6, Birth-24 mos. miérc, nov. 6, Nacimiento-

24 meses

Bring story time home with this themed kit designed specifically for babies. Register and pick up a kit beginning Nov. 6.



Ahora puede llevar la hora del cuento a casa con este kit diseñado específicamente para bebés. Regístrese nov. 6.

**Baby Time!** Wed., Nov. 6-27, 10:30-11 a.m., or Wed., Nov. 6-27, 11:15-11:45 a.m., Birth-24 mos. Wed., Dec. 4-18, 10:30-11 a.m., or Wed., Dec. 4-18, 11:15-11:45 a.m., Birth-24 mos.



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and make a pizza or taco craft (11 a.m.-4 p.m. only).

Babies and their caregivers will have fun sharing songs, rhymes, board books, and sensory activi-



ties that will help stimulate their little ones' cognitive, language, and social development. Registration is *ongoing* for the November programs and begins Nov. 27 for the December programs.

Zumbini Thur., Nov. 7-21, 10:30-11:15 a.m., or Thur., Nov. 7-21, 11:30 a.m.-

12:15 p.m., Birth-4 yrs.

Thur., Dec. 5-19, 10:30-11:15 a.m., or

Thur., Dec. 5-19, 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m., Birth-4 yrs.

Join Miss Lauren for Zumbini! This class provides an amazing bonding experience for care-



givers and their little ones, while focusing on fine and gross motor development. Registration is on*going* for the November programs and begins Nov. 21 for the December programs.

A Time for Kids Fri., Nov. 8-22, 10-10:45 a.m. Fri., Nov. 8-22, 11-11:45 a.m., 18 mos.-5 yrs.

Fri., Dec. 6-20, 10-10:45 a.m.

Fri., Dec. 6-20, 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 Nov. 1 for the November programs and register Nov. 22 for the December programs.

**Music & Movement** Sat., Nov. 9, 10-10:45 a.m., 18 mos.- 4 yrs. Sat., Dec. 7, 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 Nov. 2 for the November program and register Nov. 30 for the December program.

**Sprouts & Friends** Tue., Nov. 12-26, 10-10:45 a.m., or Tue., Nov. 12-26, 11-11:45 a.m., Birth-5 yrs. Tue., Dec. 3-17, 10-10:45 a.m., Tue., Dec. 3-17, 11-11:45 a.m.,

Sprouts & Friends is a music and movement program for families focused on creating joy while we play, learn, and grow together. Register Nov. 5 for the November programs and register Nov. 26 for the December programs.

**Picture Book Time** Wed., Nov. 13-Dec. 18, 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 Nov. 6.

Lil' Athletes Toddler Sat., Nov. 16, 10-10:45 a.m., 18-36 mos.

Join Lil' Athletes for an introduction to various sports, including soccer and baseball. Register Nov. 9.



Lil' Athletes Sat., Nov. 16, 11-11:45 a.m., 3-5 yrs.

Join Lil' Athletes for an introduction to various sports, including soccer, baseball, and lacrosse. Register Nov. 9.

**Preschool Pals** Tue., Nov. 19 & 26, 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! (This program is designed for preschoolers ages 3-5 years and not yet in kindergarten.) Register Nov. 12.

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

Birth-5 yrs.

Register for programs in 1 of 3 ways: In person at SHPL; call us at 631.549.4411 x301; or online at 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

**PlayHooray Babies & Kids** Sat., Nov. 23, 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 *Nov. 16*.

## **Bilingual BANANAS Bilinaües**

Mon., Dec. 2-16, 10-10:30 a.m., 18-48 mos.

Go BANANAS with Miss Georgina while enjoying bilingual songs, books, and a fun craft! Register Nov. 25

Ponte BANANAS con Miss Georgina mientras disfrutas de canciones bilingües, libros y una divertida manualidad. Inscríbase el 25 de *noviembre*.

## school age programs

### **Homework Help** Mon., Nov. 4, 18 & 25, 4:30-6:30 p.m., K-6 gr.

High school students will assist community children with home-



work 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.

#### **Art Club: Andres Valencia** Fri., Nov. 1, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Andres Valencia is a California-based contemporary artist known for large, dramatic, colorful figurative paintings that are deeply influenced by Cubism. Valen-



cia is 12 years old and has been painting since he was five. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by him. Registration is ongoing.

## **Yoga Kids** Wed., Nov. 6-27, 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.

**Lego Club** Sat., Nov. 9, 2:30-3:30 p.m., Sun., Nov. 24, 2:30-3:30 p.m.,

Come and spend some time building with our Legos. Participants will have their creations displayed in the library for 2 weeks. Register Nov. 2 for the program on Nov. 9 and register Nov. 16 for the program on Nov. 24.

### Gobble, Gobble **Get-Together**

Tue., Nov. 12, 4:30-5:30 p.m.,

K-5 gr. Calling all turkey and Oreo cookie lovers!!! Join



Miss Georgina for a fun afternoon, listening to fun turkey stories and making a fun snack with Oreos, Whoppers, and candy corn! Register Nov. 5.

#### **Art Club: Chila Kumari Burman**

Fri., Nov. 15, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Chila Kumari Burman is known for her vibrant, colorful artworks and for experimenting with a range of different media and found objects.



Burman's background and culture are an important part of her identity and she often references her Punjabi heritage in her work. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by her. Register Nov. 8.

### **Chess Nuts** Sun., Nov. 17, 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 Nov. 9.

## **Adventures in Art: Kings &** Queens

Tue., Nov. 19, 4:30-5:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

What do giant wigs and dresses decorated with eyeballs have in common? Discover this and more as you explore some fa-



mous portraits of royalty, including King Louis XIV of France and Queen Elizabeth I of England. Then create your own royal art to bring home. Register Nov. 12.

## **Scarecrows and Turkeys** Thur., Nov. 21, 4:30-5:15 p.m., K-5 gr.

Let's celebrate Thanksgiving by decorating cupcakes with frosting and candy to look like turkeys and scarecrows. Register Nov. 14.



#### **Tweens Night Out: Turkey Bowls**

Fri., Nov. 22, 7-8 p.m., 3-5 gr.

Use air-dry clay and acrylic paint to create a turkey container worthy of stashing



your tiny treasures or post-Thanksgiving treats. Register Nov. 15.

## **Art Club: Andy Warhol** Fri., Nov. 29, 2:30-3:30 p.m., 1-5 gr.

Andy Warhol was an American artist famous for his paintings of Campbell's Soup cans and portraits of celebrities. Warhol himself became a celebrity, in part



because of his unusual personality and sense of style. Learn about the artist and create your own work of art inspired by him. Register Nov. 22.

#### **KIDSFLICKS**

**Despicable Me 4** Sun., Nov. 3, 2:30-4:15 p.m.,

all ages Gru, Lucy, Margo, Edith, and Agnes welcome a new



member to the family, Gru Jr., who is intent on tormenting his dad. Gru faces a new nemesis in Maxime Le Mal and his girlfriend Valentina, and the family is forced to go on the run. PG, 95 mins.

## **Harold and the Purple** Crayon

Sat., Nov. 30, 2:30-4 p.m., all ages

Inside of his book, adventurous Harold can make anything come to life sim-



ply by drawing it. After he grows up and draws himself off the book's pages and into the physical world, Harold finds he has a lot to learn about real life, and that his trusty purple crayon may set off more hilarious hijinks than he thought possible. PG, 90 mins.

# 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.

#### 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.

# Day of the Dead Fri., Nov. 1, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Join Miss Georgina and learn about Day of the Dead and the significance of Ofrendas. You will make your own while enjoying the movie CoCo! Please bring your favorite photo of a



relative or pet that has passed away to whom you'd like to create the Ofrenda for. All other materials will be provided.

Únete a Miss Georgina y aprende sobre el Día de los Muertos y el significado de las Ofrendas, iharás la tuya mientras disfrutas de la película COCO! Por favor traiga su foto favorita de un familiar o mascota que haya fallecido para quien le gustaría crear la Ofrenda. Todos los demás materiales serán proporcionados. Registration begins *Oct. 25* for SHPL cardholders; noncardholders may register beginning *Oct. 30*.

# Homework Help at the South Huntington Public Library

Mon., Oct. 21 - Dec. 9, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

High school students will assist children in the community with their homework assignments in the YA Library. Parents/caregivers must re-

main in the building during the program. Help is offered on a first come, first served basis and may be with several participants. The Fall Session



runs on Mondays from *Oct. 21 - Dec. 9 (excluding Nov. 11)*. For those in grades K-6, but can also help those in 7th and 8th grade.

# Positivity Bracelets: A Community Service Program Tues., Nov. 5, 4-6 p.m.

Put together two beaded bracelets with positive messages for a maximum of two hours of community service. No registration required.

## Trivia Night Fri., Nov. 8, 7-8 p.m.

Test your knowledge and impress your friends at trivia night! Enjoy a fun evening answering

general knowledge questions. Registration begins *Nov. 1* for SHPL cardholders; non-cardholders may register beginning *Nov. 6.* 



# Butterfly Boxes for Children with Cancer: A Community Service Program Sat., Nov. 9, 1-2 p.m.

The Daniela Conte Foundation brings happiness and support to children with cancer and their families. Please join us to help put together boxes and write cards that will be supplied to



local Children's Hospitals or directly to children when requested. Registration begins *Nov. 1 at 7 p.m.* 

# Cards for Cops: A Community Service Program

Wed., Nov. 13, 7-8 p.m.

Help spread holiday cheer to police officers across Long Island and New York City with handmade cards which will be donated to Beyond the Badge NY. One hour of community service. Registration begins *Nov.* 1 at 7 p.m.

## Bad Art! Thurs., Nov. 14, 7-8 p.m.

Teens will take part in a bad art challenge. Everyone will vote for their WORST creation and a gift card will be awarded to first place. PLUS everyone keeps their creations. \*Dress for a mess\* Registration begins **Nov. 8.** 

## Paper Mache Owls Fri., Nov.15, 7-8:30 p.m.

Let's get together to explore the amazing world of owls. Fun and interesting facts about owls and paper mache will be shared before painting and decorating an adorable owl to take home. Various paint colors, references and special techniques will be



applied. Registration begins *Nov. 8* for SHPL cardholders; non-cardholders may register beginning *Nov. 13*.

### Teen Advisory Board Tues.. Nov. 19. 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 the meeting with the programs and community service opportunities that are already being offered. Meetings are usually held on the third Tuesday night of the month at 7 p.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.

#### International Cooking Thurs., Nov. 21, 6:30-8 p.m.

Join us for International Cooking where youth participants will learn proper cooking safety and techniques and then get to eat the results! Presented by Project Excel. Registration begins *Nov. 15*.

# Board Game Night Fri., Nov. 22, 6:30-8 p.m.

Looking for something to do on a Friday night? Come hang out at the library and play some board games! Enjoy a fun night of Uno, Ticket to Ride, Exploding Kittens, and more! Registration begins *Nov. 15* for SHPL cardholders; non-cardholders may register beginning *Nov. 20*.

## Charlie Brown Thanksgiving Viewing Party

Wed., Nov. 27, 7-8 p.m.

Back by popular demand! Get your holiday weekend off to a great start at our 3rd annual screening of the classic "Charlie Brown Thanksgiving." Snoopy's traditional Thanksgiving snacks will be served! Registration begins *Nov.* 15.

# Extreme Milkshakes Fri., Nov. 29, 7-8 p.m.

Some call them extreme milkshakes, monster shakes or freak shakes. Whatever you want to name them, you



will use your culinary crafting skills to create one of these over-the-top desserts. After designing your tower of toppings you can eat your mega treat. Registration begins *Nov. 22*.

## Paint Night Wed., Dec. 4, 6:30-8 p.m.

Get your art on and create your masterpiece with an art instructor from Project Excel. Registration begins *Nov. 22*.

### Holy Cannoli Dip! Fri., Dec. 6, 6-7 p.m.

Join us for a fun night with Chef Rob learning to make cannoli dip and then trying it out with some sweet cookies! Registration begins *Nov. 29*.

# Game Day at the Library Sat., Nov. 16, 1-4 p.m.

On your mark, get set...play! Join us as we celebrate International Games Month with something for every-



one. The Children's Library will have Games Around the World, the Young Adult Library will feature a makeshift Arcade, and our Meeting Room will have dozens of board games for you to play along with our Gamemasters! All ages welcome.

# **SHPL News & Info**

## Books for Beginning Readers



The library has many books to choose from when introducing your youngest reader to letters and the sounds they make. To make them easier to find, we have attached stars to the spines of this collection.

We have several sets of alphabet books, which help new readers recognize the shapes and sounds of the letters in the alphabet. Each book focuses on one letter.

In the Sound Box series, written by Jane Belk Moncure, each book follows a small child named after a letter, who has adventures with items beginning with the letter's sound.

The *Alphabet* series by Bela Davis has big, beautiful photographs, bolded letters, glossary terms, and an index in the back.

Phonics books teach children the relationship between letters and the sounds they make. Mastering these relationships provides an excellent foundation for learning to read and spell.

Sets such as *Biscuit* by Alyssa Capucilli and *Pete the Cat* by James Dean contain 12 short, full-color books bound together. Each one features repeated examples of short and long vowel sounds and common sight words. Other bound sets include well-loved children's characters such as Pinkalicious, Ninja Turtles, Berenstain Bears and the dogs from Paw Patrol.

Decodable books provide children with opportunities to read successfully and relatively independently. Each set begins with words that are simple in structure, such as vowel/consonant and consonant/vowel/consonant, and moves on to words with more complex structures.

The *Flip-a-Word* series by Harriet Ziefert is a collection of interactive books that help children learn to read by progressing from single words to phrases and sentences. Titles such as Frog Jog feature die-cuts that transform one word into another, and each colorful book focuses on three word families.

The Read and Rhyme series by Pearl Markovics encourages young readers to read through a simple rhyming story. Each book features up to 10 words from the same word family to reinforce the sound and letter combination. This rhyming pattern, along with strong picture cues, helps early readers get the reading practice they need.

BOB books, by Bobby Lynn Maslen, have long been a go-to for kids in preschool to third grade. Each book in the series features a fun, simple story, as well as lively illustrations to turn your child into an avid reader.

So don't forget to make your way over to our Easy Reader section, and choose a starmarked book for your beginning reader today!





## **Promoting Public Libraries**

Huntington area library directors met recently with New York State Assemblyman Steve Stern (top) and State Senator Mario Mattera (above) to discuss the importance of funding public libaries and the essential role libraries play in our communities. We thank them for their support.

## Servicios en Español

#### Clases de Inglés

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

### ¿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.

#### Avuda técnica 1 a 1

Las citas técnicas 1 a 1 son un servicio para los usuarios que necesitan ayuda personalizada con necesidades tecnológicas básicas. ¿Necesita ayuda con su portátil, tableta, Kindle, teléfono inteligente u otro dispositivo? ¿Necesita ayuda para navegar por los recursos electrónicos de la biblioteca? ¿Necesita un repaso sobre el uso de las aplicaciones de la biblioteca? Contacte Servicios en Español por correo electrónico a grivas@shpl.info o por teléfono 631-549-4411 ext.276.

# Trabajadora Social Bilingüe Disponible

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# Services @ Your Library

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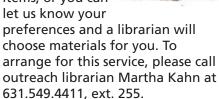
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### **Homebound Service**

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



## **Notary Services**

The library offers limited notary serv ices. Please call before you plan to visit to make sure a notary will be avail-



able. 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>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>Services>1 on 1 Tech Appointments to make a reservation.

## **Explore New York Times Cooking**

As Thanksgiving approaches, many of us are on the lookout for the perfect recipes to make our holiday meals unforgettable. New York Times Cooking provides a wealth of recipes, expert advice, and inspiration to enhance everyday cooking – and you can access it for free with your library card.



Whether you're preparing simple weeknight dinners or elaborate holiday feasts, their meticulously tested recipes are designed to meet the needs of home cooks at every skill level. Enjoy personalized recommendations and engaging video tutorials. Each recipe is enhanced with ratings, reviews, and practical tips from a vibrant community of home cooks.

The digital recipe box simplifies meal planning, allowing you to save your favorite recipes, organize your meal plans, and keep track of dishes you want to try.

South Huntington Library cardholders can enjoy 72-hour complimentary access to the New York Times Cooking website and app by going to shpl.info/nyt and clicking "redeem." Once you have created your account (or logged in if you are a repeat user), you will receive an email confirmation from The New York Times. To extend access for another 72 hours, return to the link to redeem again.

In addition to Cooking, New York Times All Access includes everything the Times has to offer, including News, Games, Wirecutter, and The Athletic.

## **New Catalog**

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# All About Tech

## What is a MVNO?

If you have watched cable TV in the past few years you have likely seen the commercials. Ryan Reynolds making a witty pitch for Mint Mobile. Pixar-esque cartoons promoting Cricket Wireless. Maybe even Consumer Cellular ads targeting seniors. Though they offer



mobile phone service and data, these aren't your typical mobile phone giants like T-Mobile and Verizon. They are Mobile Virtual Network Operators, or MVNOs. But what exactly is a MVNO?

MVNOs are essentially middlemen. They do not own their own networks nor cellphone towers. Rather, they lease network capacity from the big cellular network providers like Verizon, AT&T, and T-Mobile, then resell that capacity under their own brand. Because they have less overhead, they can typically offer consumers lower prices without long-term contracts for access to the same network. Some can even specialize for specific audiences, like Consumer Cellular for seniors. That all sounds good so far, so what's the catch? There is always a catch, right?

This is the part of the tech talk where I get to tell you about data prioritization. Data prioritization is a way to manage congestion on a cellular network. When there are lots of people using the same mobile network, as is common in major population centers like NYC and Long Island, cellular data and speed is assigned using a tiered system. Typically, emergency services receive the highest priority, followed by premium or high priority data customers, then regular customers. When network traffic is light, all users generally experience similar speeds. However, during peak times or in crowded areas, higher priority traffic is served first, which can result in slower speeds for lower priority users. Oftentimes, MVNOs can provide cheaper prices because the cellular data they offer is lower priority. That is why many can offer unlimited data plans for a fraction of the cost as the major telecom companies. Yes, it may be unlimited data, but it might not be fast unlimited data.

This isn't necessarily specific to MVNOs. Even the major telecoms may offer different tiers of service. If network speed matters to you, you'll want to look for phrases like "premium" or "high priority" data. A recent FCC decision also made it a requirement for all telecom companies to display easy to read and understand "Broadband Facts" labels on their website. These look identical to the "Nutrition Facts" labels we are accustomed to seeing on food products. It is a very welcome change that does not require you to dig through the fine print to understand what you are paying for, especially your data speeds.

That said, do not count MVNOs out. They can still be a great value and many do offer higher priority data plans if that is something that matters to you. Coverage is the same as the networks they lease capacity from and they are fairly simple to switch to while keeping your current phone number. There may be sacrifices in other areas, like customer service or availability of new phones/upgrades, but overall they can save you quite a bit of money compared to the major cellular data providers.

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#### **LIBRARY HOURS:**

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#### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

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Social worker services are free, confidential and open to community members in the Town of Huntington.

The South Huntington Public Library and the Family Service League are working together to provide support for individuals and families. Bilingual help is available in the areas of:

- Health & social services
- Child development
- Child care
- Financial assistance
- Housing & utility assistance
- Legal aid resources
- English as a Second Language
- Programs for parents and children
- Food, clothing and equipment resources

To schedule an individual appointment, call Adult Services at 631.549.4411. To send a confidential message, email socialworker@shpl.info.



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## **Donate to Project TOY**

The library is collecting toys this month for Project TOY, a special program that gives Huntington area parents the opportunity to receive two toys for each of their children. It is sponsored by the Tri-Community & Youth Agency (Tri-CYA), one of our community partners.



Please donate new, unwrapped toys and gift cards for children aged birth through 16 years. A collection box will be located in the lobby of the library through the month of November.

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