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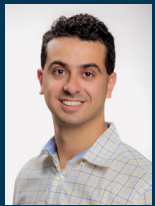


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We would like to congratulate Peggy Furrer of the Customer Service Department a well-earned retirement.

We thank her for her 25 years of service our community. Peggy always brings joy to our visitors and staff, and her smile will be missed. We wish her the best of luck in her next chapter!



The Board of Trustees thanks Kenneth St. John for his dedication to library access and services during his term as a trustee.

Kenny served as the Secretary to the Board for the last several years, and we will miss the perspectives and insight he brought to our meetings.



SUFFOLK COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARIES SUMMER TOUR

Visit libraries all around Suffolk County any time from July 1 through August 31. While you visit, be sure to find that library's **artifact** and then locate their **Stamp Station** to receive a stamp in your booklet. Raffle tickets

will be earned along the way! **Pick up your booklet in the library. Snap an image of yourself with our artifact for social media and don't forget to tag us!**

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

September 15 to October 15

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Celebrate Hispanic Heritage throughout the month at LML. Visit us to check out our many displays and find themed programs throughout the newsletter as indicated by the symbol above.



SUMMER READING

There's still time to register for the Summer Reading Clubs!

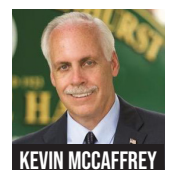
Earn prizes and raffle tickets until August 2.

Scan the QR code or visit our website for more information.



THANK YOU TO OUR SUMMER READING CLUB SPONSORS!

We are so grateful to the many local businesses and organizations that supported our Summer Reading Club program. Please show the businesses below the support that they have shown us!





Scan QR Code to Access Program Calendar

PLEASE REMEMBER TO:

- Use a child/teen's library card when registering them for programs.
- Adhere to age guidelines of the program.
- Notify staff members of food allergies.
- Arrive for the program on time! Patrons who are more than 10 minutes late will lose their registration.
- Fill out an exercise waiver when required.

Featured Events



Backyard Concert Series

Enjoy these live performances with a chair or blanket!

THE DANCE MECHANICS

Wednesday, July 10, 6:30-8:00pm

This high-energy show ranges from Chicago to Michael Jackson to Bruno Mars. **Registration begins July 2.**

THE PRECISIONS

Tuesday, July 23, 6:30-8:00pm

Enjoy the best of doo-wop and vintage rock with a wide-ranging repertoire of music. **Registration begins July 2.**

ELVIS TIME WITH STEVE MITCHELL

Wednesday, August 7, 6:30-8:00pm

The King of Rock n' Roll is back! **Registration begins July 17.**

STAGECOACH BAND

Tuesday, August 20, 6:30-8:00pm

Enjoy the best country, southern and classic rock while you brush up on your line dancing skills! **Registration begins August 1.**

PENNY LANE TRIBUTE BAND

Saturday, September 14, 2:00-3:30pm

Enjoy the full Beatles experience from outstanding vocals to costumes. **Registration begins August 29.**

SABORI: SALSA AND LATIN JAZZ BAND

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Saturday, September 21, 2:00-3:30pm

Enjoy the music of Tito Puente, Johnny Pacheco, Willie Colon, and the great Latin sounds of the 70's with a fiery rhythm section. **Registration begins August 29.**



TRAIN TRIP TO NEW YORK CITY

Saturday, July 27, 9:30am

Purchase discounted tickets through the library. Ticketholders must meet at the Lindenhurst Train Station by 9:30am for the 10:00am train (subject to change) to Penn Station. Return home on any train prior to midnight. A library staff member will hand out your return tickets and direct you to the assigned car. **A non-refundable fee of \$10.25 for each round-trip ticket is payable in cash and due at registration. Children under 5 travel free. Limit of 5 tickets per patron. Registration begins July 2 and ends on July 22.**



COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

Monday, July 29, 2:30-7:00pm

If you are between 16-75 years old (16 and 17 years old with parental consent) and weigh at

least 110lbs, you can donate blood. **For more information and to schedule an appointment, visit: <https://donate.nybc.org>**



NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION DAY

Tuesday, September 17, All Day

Millions of Americans are unable to vote every year due to outdated registration or a missed deadline.

Visit us to register or to update your registration. Teens ages 16 and 17 can preregister to vote!



SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL LIBRARY CARD MONTH

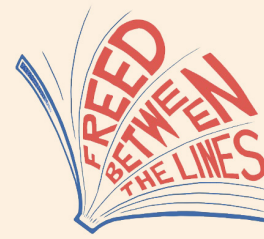
September 1-30

We believe a library card is the most important one in your wallet. From books to streaming services to museum passes—a library card saves you money when you borrow items. Calculate your personal library card savings by using our Library Value Calculator.



Did you know library cards expire every three years? Don't get caught with an expired card!

Call us to find out your expiration date or drop in to renew your card. In September, enjoy our month-long celebration of libraries with fun activities and displays throughout the building.



BANNED BOOKS WEEK

Sept. 22-28, 2024

Banned Books Week has highlighted the value of free and open access to information since 1982. In the face of the 4,240 unprecedented books bans and challenges in the last year, Banned Books Week brings readers together to celebrate and defend the freedom to read. **Visit the library to check out our resources and displays.**

FREE TO READ CELEBRATION

Thursday, September 26, 7:00-8:00pm

Join us for a celebration of the freedom to read. Browse banned books, make crafts, play games, and enjoy light refreshments. **Register now.**



BEGINNING ENGLISH CLASSES WITH LONG ISLAND EOC

Mondays and Wednesdays, September 4-December 18, 9:30am-1:00pm

Tailored for beginners, this program is designed to enhance speaking, listening, reading, and writing abilities. **No class: 10/11, 11/11 and 11/27. In person registration on a paper form begins August 12.**

Diseñado para principiantes, este programa está diseñado para mejorar las habilidades de hablar, escuchar, leer y escribir inglés. Para inscribirse, rellene un formulario y entréguelo en la biblioteca.

Zajęcia dla początkujących mają na celu doskonalenie umiejętności mówienia, słuchania, czytania pisania po angielsku. Aby się zarejestrować należy wypełnić formularz i oddać go w bibliotece.



CLIMATE PREPAREDNESS WEEK

September 24-September 30

As a Sustainable Library and a CREW Climate Resilience Hub, LML is committed to ensuring our community members are prepared for any climate related disasters.

HOW TO PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES AND THE UNEXPECTED

Monday, September 23, 6:30-8:00pm

Natural and man-made disasters can strike at any time. Join Janice Imbrogno to learn how to prepare your family and develop a safety plan. **Registration begins August 29.**

EMERGENCY PREPARE-A-THON

Saturday, September 28, 10:00am-1:00pm

Visit with PSEG, National Grid, the Suffolk County Office of Emergency Management, and other organizations. Pick up emergency information and resources and enter to win an Emergency To-Go-Kit. **No registration.**



Visit the library's Sustainability section to pick up Emergency Preparedness resources.

Community Information Tables

Drop in during the windows provided to speak one-on-one with representatives from these community support organizations. Bring your questions and concerns! **See our program calendar for details and information about each organization. No registration.**

LONG ISLAND CARES

Mondays, July 8, August 12, and September 9, 10:00am-12:00pm

LONG ISLAND VETERANS CENTER

Tuesdays, July 9, August 13, and September 10, 12:00-2:00pm

PSEG LONG ISLAND INFORMATION

Wednesdays, July 10, August 14, and September 11, 12:30-3:30pm

SC DEPARTMENT OF LABOR - ONE-STOP EMPLOYMENT CENTER

Wednesdays, July 17, August 21, and September 18, 10:00am-12:00pm

MEDICARE SPECIALIST

Saturday, October 5, 11:00am-2:00pm

Art Exhibits



Did you know the library accepts applications for art exhibits and other displays? Fill out an application to share your artwork with the community here: <https://www.lindenhurstlibrary.org/policies/exhibits-and-displays-policy>. **Applications can be dropped off at the front desk or emailed to engage@lindenhurstlibrary.org.**

Digital Collections and Apps

These resources are all available to Lindenhurst patrons 24/7 with a library card and password. Apps can be used on phones, tablets, and other smart devices.



PRESSREADER
View more than 6,000 newspapers and magazines from more than 100 countries in 60+ languages



LIBBY
Free e-books and audiobooks



KANOPY
Free streaming of movies, documentaries, and Kids TV



HOOPLA
Free music, movies, TV, comics, e-books, and audiobooks



TUMBLEBOOKS
E-books, graphic novels, and digital stories for kids



CLOUD LIBRARY
Curated bookshelves of e-books and audiobooks for LML patrons only



FLIPSTER
Digital versions of all your favorite magazines



COMICS PLUS
Comics, manga, and graphic novels!



MANGO LANGUAGES
Learn over 70 languages including Spanish, Polish, Turkish and Ukrainian



FREGAL
Access and stream over 18 million songs



CREATIVEBUG
Online Arts & Crafts Classes



BRAINFUSE
Live Homework help, resume review, and more!



If you need assistance navigating these services, you can **Book a Librarian!** Call us or scan the QR code to make an appointment.

PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN & FAMILIES ARE OPEN TO LML CARDHOLDERS ONLY UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.



SUMMER READING PROGRAM

There is still time to register for the Summer Reading Program. Read books and participate in these activities for chances to win some great prizes!



ADVENTURE ART SHOW JULY 1-22

Participate in our Summer Reading Adventure Art Show! Pick up a mini-canvas from the Children's Room beginning July 1 while supplies last. Use paint, markers, or crayons to decorate your canvas in any adventure theme of your choice. Return your canvas to the Children's Room by July 22 to earn a raffle ticket towards one of our Summer Reading prizes.

The art show will be on display in the library for all of August. Register now.

STORYWALK ADVENTURE JULY 8-JULY 19

We Are Going on a Treasure Hunt StoryWalk. Visit our backyard for a reading adventure. After reading the story in our outdoor space, stop into the Children's Room to see if you can find 5 gold coins hidden among our books.

Trade in your coins for a raffle ticket for a chance to win one of our Summer Reading prizes!

BINGO JUNE 5-AUG 2

Pick up a custom Bingo card at the Children's Desk and start reading! Complete a Bingo and earn a raffle ticket for a chance to win one of our Summer Reading prizes! Earn up to 1 bingo and raffle ticket per week of the program.

FIND A STUFFIE FRIDAYS JULY 5, 12, 19, 26, & AUG 2

Our book character stuffies hide in our stacks every Friday!

Follow the clues to find each stuffie and earn 1 raffle ticket for a chance to win one of our Summer Reading prizes!



BABIES & TODDLERS



BEACHY BABIES

Mondays, July 8, 15, 22 and 29, 10:00-10:30am

Ages Birth-24 Months

Celebrate the summer with tropical themed circle times each week. **Register now.**

BABY START

Saturdays, July 20, August 24, and September 14, 9:30-10:00am

Ages Birth-17 Months

Music, movement, and fun for your little ones! **Registration begins July 2, August 14, and August 29.**

BABIES BOOGIE

Wednesday, July 24 or Tuesday, September 17, 10:00-10:45am

Ages 6-23 Months

Wiggles, giggles, songs and so much more! Have fun with your little one and dance the morning away with Nicole Sparling! **Registration begins July 2 and August 29.**

SWEET PEA PLAYTIME

Mondays, August 19, 26 and September 9, 16, 9:45-10:30am

Ages Birth-24 Months

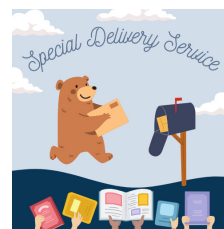
Babies and caretakers can play and socialize before enjoying a mini circle time. **Registration begins August 1.**

INFANT MASSAGE

Wednesday, August 28, 10:00-11:00am

Ages Birth-12 Months (Pre-Walker)

Join Lisa Curley to learn massage techniques to soothe your child. **Registration begins August 14.**



SPECIAL DELIVERY SERVICE

Are you a new parent who cannot get to the Library? Sign up for our new Special Delivery service to receive books, DVDs, magazines, music CDs and Books on CD directly to your

home. **Register here:**

www.lindenhurstlibrary.org/form/library-by-mail.

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PRESCHOOL



Please notify the library of any food allergies when registering for food-related programs.

LITTLE BASKETBALL STARS

Tuesday, August 6, 10:00-10:45am - **Ages 18-35 Months**
 Tuesday, August 6, 11:00-11:45am - **Ages 3-5 Years**
 Lil Athletes Sports teaches your little one the basics in this fun and interactive class. **Exercise waiver required.**
Registration begins July 17.

PLAYDOUGH PARTY

Friday, August 9, 10:00-10:45am
Ages 2-5 Years
 Playdough stations make it easy for little ones to squish, explore, and create. **Registration begins August 1.**

TODDLER TIME

Tuesdays, August 13, 20, 27 and September 3,
 10:00-10:30am
Ages 3-5 Years
 Read, sing, and dance with your little one! **Registration begins August 1.**

CONSTRUCTION ZONE

Friday, August 16, 10:00-11:00am
Ages 2-5 Years
 Join us in the library backyard for a construction story time before building your own jumbo creations. **Rain cancels.**
Registration begins August 1.

TOT SCHOOL

Fridays, August 23, 30 and September 6, 10:00-10:45am
Ages 2-5 Years
 Explore concepts and prep for preschool during this story time and play time combo. **Registration begins August 1.**

SCHOOL DAYS

Thursday, September 5, 10:00-11:00am
Ages 3-5 Years
 Get ready for school with a story and a craft. **Registration begins August 14.**

TINY TRAVELERS

Fridays, July 5, 12, 19 and 26, 10:00-10:45am
Ages 2-5 Years
 Dive into the arctic, climb a mountain, explore a desert and more during this interactive, adventure-filled storytime series. **Register now.**

SENSORY FRIENDLY STORYTIME

Mondays, July 8, August 19 and September 16, 6:30-7:00pm
Ages 2-5 Years
 Join us for a sensory friendly storytime. **This program is open to nonresidents. Register now, August 1 and August 29.**

ADVENTURES IN SPACE

Tuesday, July 9, 10:00-10:45am
Ages 3-5 Years
 Join us for space-themed stories and a craft. **Register now.**

STORIES AND SONGS/CUENTOS Y CANCIONES

Wednesday, July 10 or Tuesday, September 24,
 10:00-10:30am
Ages 3-5 Years
 Hello! Enjoy a simple storytime in both Spanish and English. *iHola! Disfruta de un cuento sencillo tanto en español como en inglés.* **Register now and September 10.**

LITTLE BASEBALL STARS

Tuesday, July 16, 10:00-10:45am - **Ages 18-35 Months**
 Tuesday, July 16, 11:00-11:45am - **Ages 3-5 Years**
 Lil Athletes Sports teaches your little one the basics in this fun and interactive class. **Exercise waiver required.**
Registration begins July 2.

TOT'S NIGHT OUT

Wednesdays, July 17, and August 7, 6:30-7:00pm
Ages 18 Months-5 Years
 Enjoy stories, songs, and rhymes with your little one. **Register now and July 17.**

PLAY & LEARN

Saturdays, July 20, August 24, and September 14,
 10:15-11:00am
Ages 18 Months-5 Years
 Music, movement, and fun for your little ones! **Registration begins July 2, August 14, and August 29.**

UNDER THE SEA

Thursday, July 25, 10:00-10:45am
Ages 3-5 Years
 Enjoy stories, songs, and a sea-inspired craft. **Registration begins July 2.**



BLUE BLOCKS IN THE COURTYARD

Tuesday, September 10, Friday, September 13 and Wednesday, September 25, 10:00-11:00am
Ages 2-5 Years
 Build with us in our courtyard. **Rain cancels. No registration.**

LITTLE SOCCER STARS

Wednesday, September 11, 10:00-10:45am - **Ages 18-35 Months**
 Wednesday, September 11, 11:00-11:45am - **Ages 3-5 Years**
 Lil Athletes Sports teaches your little one the basics in this fun and interactive class. **Exercise waiver required.**
Registration begins August 29.



STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER

Wednesday, September 11, 6:30-7:15pm
Ages 3-5 Years
 Join us for storytime and leave your stuffed animal at the Library for a sleepover. Pick up your animal the next day. Pajamas encouraged! **Registration begins August 14.**

PIRATE STORYTIME

Friday, September 20, 10:00-10:30am

Ages 3-5 Years

Celebrate International Talk Like a Pirate Day by going on an adventure with Ms. Justine. **Registration begins September 10.**

FALLING FOR STORIES

Monday, September 23, 10:00-10:45am

Ages 2-5 Years

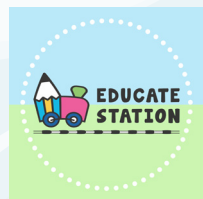
It is officially Fall! Celebrate the season with stories, songs, and play. **Rain cancels. Registration begins September 10.**

HORA DE CUENTOS STORYTIME HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Thursday, September 26, 10:00-10:45am

Ages 3-5 Years

Listen to *Freight Train (Tren de Carga)* in English and Spanish and make a rainbow craft. **Registration begins September 10.**



EDUCATE STATION

Stop the summer slide with lessons and worksheets available in five subjects for PK- 5 grade levels. Supplement your studies when the school year begins!

GRADES K-5



Please notify the library of any food allergies when registering for food-related programs.

CHICKEN FAJITAS WITH CHEF ROB

Monday, July 1, 11:00am-12:00pm

Grades K-5

Learn how to make delicious Chicken Fajitas with Chef Rob. **Register now.**

HULA HOOPING WITH JEANNIE

Wednesday, July 10, 11:00am-12:00pm

Monday, August 12, 11:00am-12:00pm

Saturday, September 14, 11:00am-12:00pm

Grades K-5

Learn to hula hoop and play fun games with local entertainer Jeannie Pendergrass. **Exercise waiver required. Registration begins July 2, August 1, and August 29.**

BLINGO

Monday, July 15, 6:00-6:45pm

Grades 1-5

Calling all bingo lovers! Introducing Blingo, bilingual bingo! Come and learn new words in Spanish! ¡Llamando a todos los amantes del BINGO! Les presentamos BLINGO, bingo bilingüe, ¡vengan a aprender nuevas palabras en inglés! **Register now.**

STEM CAMP WITH THE PSICOTICS

Learn the fundamentals of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics by engaging in a variety of fun activities and experiments with Lindenhurst High School's Robotics Team 533, the PSICotics.

GRADES 2-5

Every session is a different lesson. Register for each session individually.

MONDAY SESSIONS

July 1st 4:00 - 5:00 PM

July 15th 4:00 - 5:00 PM

TUESDAY SESSIONS

July 9th 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

July 23rd 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

WEDNESDAY SESSIONS

July 3rd 4:00 - 5:00 PM

July 17th 4:00 - 5:00 PM

THURSDAY SESSIONS

July 11th 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

July 25th 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

REGISTER NOW!

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GUINEA PIG CELEBRATION SHOW

Tuesday, July 16, 1:00-2:00pm
Grades K-3

Join the Guinea Pig Funny Farm for an exciting show of stories and songs featuring their loveable furry guinea pigs. **Registration begins July 2.**

SUPERHERO STORYTIME

Tuesday, August 13, 11:00am-12:00pm
Grades K-5

Listen to stories and make an Incredible Hulk snack. **Registration begins August 1.**

AROUND THE WORLD WITH LEGO

Tuesday, August 13, 2:00-3:30pm
Grades K-5

Travel the world with Lego and build famous world landmarks. **Registration begins August 1.**

CAMPING AND S'MORES

Wednesday, August 14, 6:30-7:15pm
Grades K-5

Enjoy stories and songs about camping and make a sweet treat. **Registration begins August 1.**



SUPERHERO TRAINING ACADEMY

Friday, August 16, 2:30-3:30pm
Grades K-3

Go through an obstacle course, crawl through a tunnel, make a mask, play with our Hula Hoops, and complete a scavenger hunt. **Registration begins August 1.**

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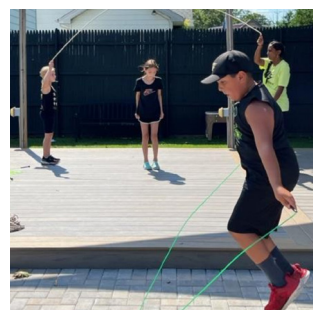
Tuesday, July 23, 10:00-11:00am
Grades K-5

Engaging in activities that explore our five senses opens a world of understanding and appreciation for the way we experience the world around us. Imagine a world where one or more of these senses are missing, and how it would influence us. By utilizing our bodies, hands, and faces to learn key signs in American Sign Language (ASL), we embark on a journey of communication that transcends spoken words. **Register now.**

LEGO CHALLENGE: UNDERWATER ADVENTURE

Tuesday, July 23, 2:00-3:30pm
Grades K-5

Celebrate Shark Week with Lego. Use our Legos to build an underwater scene, sharks included. **Registration begins July 17.**



DOUBLE DUTCH AND JUMPING ROPE

Thursdays, July 25, and August 22, 11:00am-12:00pm
Grades K-5

Learn Double Dutch and other jumping rope games with local Double Dutch champion Erica Dantzier. **Exercise waiver required. Registration begins July 17 and August 14.**

LE PETITE PICASSOS

Friday, July 26, 2:00-3:00pm
Grades K-5

Join Miss Maria for a creative adventure! Learn step by step how to draw and paint a hot air balloon using watercolor paints, oil pastels, and markers. **Registration begins July 2.**



UNDER THE SEA CUPCAKES

Tuesday, July 30, 11:30am-12:30pm or
Tuesday, August 6, 3:00-4:00pm
Grades K-5

Listen to seaside stories and decorate your own cupcakes. **Registration begins July 17.**

SEW A MINI-STUFFIE

Wednesday, July 31, 6:30-7:30pm
Grades 3-5

Learn to sew and make a mini stuffed animal. **Registration begins July 2.**

LEARN MAGIC WITH ARI

Monday, August 12, 5:00-6:00pm
Grades 2-5

Learn beginner magic tricks to perform for your friends and family! **Please bring a deck of cards. Registration begins August 1.**

BACK-TO-SCHOOL DROP-IN

Wednesday, August 21, 2:00-3:30pm
Grades K-5

With the help of the library's Cricut, we'll decorate a drawstring bag and pencil case. **While supplies last. No registration.**

POKEMON MEET UP

Thursdays, September 5, 12 and 26, 5:00-6:00pm
- Grades 1-3

Thursdays, September 5, 12 and 26, 6:00-7:00pm
- Grades 4-8

Join us to learn how to play the Pokémon Trading Card Game! No supplies or cards are needed to join our league; however, you may bring your own deck for game play, and/or your own cards for trading. **Registration begins August 14.**

LET'S CREATE ART!

Wednesday, September 11, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 2-5

Using oil pastels, stencils, and glow-in-the dark stickers, we'll create a glowing campfire ready for roasting marshmallows. **Registration begins August 14.**

PRINCESS AND PIRATES STORYTIME

Wednesday, September 18, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades K-5

Ahoy there Mateys and Princesses! Come join us for princess and pirate stories and decorate your own treasure box. **Registration begins August 29.**



LET'S LEARN ABOUT MUSHROOMS!

Thursday, September 19, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 3-5

Dissect a mushroom, make a mushroom print, and create a mushroom terrarium. **Registration begins September 10.**

HOBBIT DOOR CUPCAKES

Friday, September 20, 4:00-4:30pm

Grades K-5

Celebrate Hobbit Day by decorating your own themed cupcakes! **Registration begins August 29.**

PLAYDOUGH MAKING FOR YOU!

Tuesday, September 24, 4:30-5:30pm

Grades K-2

Join Jessica from the Little Dough Co. to create your own colorful play dough. **Registration begins September 10.**

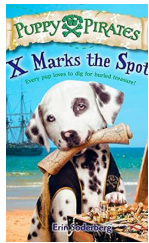


LEGO CHALLENGE: TREE FORTS

Wednesday, September 25, 4:30-5:30pm

Grades K-5

Test your imagination and engineering skills with this tree fort challenge. **Registration begins September 10.**



STORY SEEKERS

Monday, September 30, 4:30-5:15pm

Puppy Pirates: X Marks the Spot by Erin Soderberg

Grades 2-4

Join us for a book discussion, and a snack. **Pick up a copy of the book beginning September 9. Register now.**

FAMILIES



Please notify the library of any food allergies when registering for food-related programs. No registration unless otherwise noted.

PATRIOTIC DRINK HOLDERS AND POPSICLE HOLDERS

Wednesday, July 3, 2:00-4:00pm

Keep your drinks cool and your popsicles cold with the help of the library's Cricut.

JULY 4TH SNACK AND A CRAFT

Wednesday, July 3, 6:30-7:30pm

Celebrate July 4th with a festive craft and a tasty snack! **Register now.**

DINO BONES IN THE COURTYARD

Thursdays, July 11, and August 8, 11:00am-12:00pm

Take a dino adventure in our courtyard.



BLUE BLOCKS IN THE COURTYARD

Thursday, July 18 and Wednesday, August 28, 11:00am-12:00pm

Build with us in our courtyard.

MONDAY CRAFTERNOONS

Mondays July 22 and 29, and August 5 and 12, 2:00-5:00pm

Drop into the Children's Room to create a unique craft with our materials.

BIG GAMES IN THE COURTYARD

Wednesdays, July 24, and August 21, 11:00am-12:00pm

Bring your family and friends to the library and challenge them in a game of giant Connect 4, Jenga, and more.

HARRY POTTER'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Wednesday, July 31, 2:00-4:00pm

Celebrate Harry Potter's birthday with us. We'll have games, crafts, and yummy treats.

HARRY POTTER CARICATURES BY TOM DUFFY

Wednesday, July 31, 2:00-4:00pm

Transform into a Harry Potter character. **Registration begins July 17 with a library staff member for a 5-minute session.**

FAMILY MOVIE

Friday, August 2, 2:00-4:00pm

Join us for a Friday family movie. **Registration begins July 17.**



STEVE PETRA COMEDY VENTRILOQUIST SHOW

Saturday, August 3, 11:00am-12:00pm

Families

Join The Zany Adventure Team to help us celebrate the completion of our summer reading challenge! **Registration begins July 17.**



NATIONAL CIRCUS PROJECT

Wednesday, August 7, 11:00am-12:00pm

Grades K-5

Celebrate the end of Summer Reading with a special circus performance. **Registration begins July 17.**

HOBBIT DAY

Friday, September 20, 12:00-5:00pm

Celebrate Hobbit Day with crafts and a scavenger hunt inspired by the world of J.R.R. Tolkien. **While supplies last.**

Register now unless otherwise noted.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENS

All opportunities are available for Grades 6-12 and one hour of service is provided. **Register now.**

TEEN GARDEN CLUB

Wednesdays, July 3, 17 and 31, August 14 and 28, 6:00-7:00pm

Help maintain our Community Garden by weeding, watering, and harvesting. Each session will also include an interactive nature activity. **Rain cancels.**

TEEN LIBRARY COUNCIL

Tuesday, August 13, 4:00-5:00pm

Meet with us to decide what programs to offer and how to make library resources work for you.

ARTS & CRAFTS

THE ART ASSEMBLY

Mondays, July 8, and August 12, 4:00-5:00pm

Join us for a free form session of art with fellow teen creators!

PAINT YOUR PET

Monday, July 22, 6:00-8:00pm

Send us a picture of your pet, and we will have a canvas ready for you to paint! **Please send a high-resolution photo of your pet to kthomas@lindenhurstlibrary.org by July 17.**

TIE DYE T-SHIRTS

Thursday, July 25, 4:00-5:00pm

Receive a T-shirt and then tie-dye it! **Please provide the size of the T-shirt you need while registering for the program.**

SUMMER PAINT NIGHT

Thursday, August 15, 7:00-8:00pm

Paint a summer themed painting with The Color Palette!

LOCKER MAGNETS AND BACKPACK PINS

Monday, September 9, 3:30-5:30pm

Make decorations for your locker and backpack.

FOOD & COOKING

Please notify the library of any food allergies when registering for food-related programs.

FROSTED LEMONADE

Tuesday, July 16, 4:00-5:00pm

Mix ice cream and lemonade for a fun twist on a summer classic!

QUESADILLA PIZZA

Wednesday, July 24, 4:00-5:00pm

Combine two of the greatest foods into one easy-to-make and tasty meal!

PLANT-BASED TASTE TEST

Friday, July 26, 4:00-5:00 pm

You won't be-leaf these snacks! Come and sample plant-based alternatives to your favorite treats.

SNACK AROUND THE WORLD

Friday, August 2, 4:00-5:00pm

Join us to taste test new snacks from around the world.

PALETAS DE MANGO CON CHAMOY

Thursday, August 8, 4:00-5:00pm

Eat spicy, fruity ice pops and then chop up the ingredients to take home and freeze!

HOMEMADE GUACAMOLE AND SALSA HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Monday, September 23, 3:30-4:30pm

Learn how to make fresh guacamole and salsa in celebration of Hispanic Heritage month.

FUN

ALL ABILITIES BINGO

Wednesday, July 10, 4:30-5:30pm

Please join us for relaxing, slow-paced games of bingo. This program is open to teens grades 6-12 and young adults up to age 21 with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum or those with other needs. Caregivers are welcome to attend.

GIANT VOLLEYBALL

Thursday, July 11, 4:30-5:30pm

Join us in the yard for giant volleyball!

6TH GRADE WELCOME PARTY

Friday, July 12, 4:00-5:00pm

Grade 6

Welcome incoming 6th graders! Eat pizza, play games, and do crafts while learning about what the teen department can offer you.

THE AMAZING RACE: TEEN EDITION

Friday, July 19, 4:00-5:00pm

Have you dreamed of traveling around the world? Well, you are in luck! Join us for a teen edition of The Amazing Race and bring your team to victory!

HIKING AT BETHPAGE STATE PARK

99 Quaker Meeting House Road, Farmingdale

Monday, August 5, 4:00-5:30pm and

Saturday, September 14, 1:00-2:30pm

Join the teen department at Bethpage State Park for a short hike through one of their trails. **Exercise waiver and signed permission slip required.**

AFTER HOURS MINI GOLF

Friday, August 9, 6:30-8:00pm

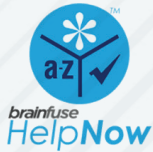
Come to the library after we close and play mini golf throughout the whole building!

TEEN TRIVIA CHALLENGE!

Tuesday, September 24, 3:30-4:30pm

Test your knowledge against your peers in a fun trivia contest. Yes, there will be snacks!

MOVIES & MORE



HOMEWORK HELP WITH BRAINFUSE

Thursday, September 12, 3:30-4:30pm
It's a new school year, so get ready to learn about different ways you can get help with your schoolwork.

ANIMANIA!

Friday, September 20, 3:30-4:30pm
Come watch and discuss all things anime!



TEEN MOVIE MATINEE: BACK TO THE FUTURE

Friday, September 27, 3:30-5:30pm
Where we're going, we don't need roads! Enjoy watching *Back to the Future* with your friends after school! **No registration.**

TABLETOP & VIDEO GAMING

POKÉMON: LINDENHURST LEAGUE

Fridays, July 5, and August 16, 4:00-5:30pm
Grades 9-12
Bring your Switch, a copy of Pokémon Scarlet or Violet, and battle your friends in competitive Double Battles!

ALL ABILITIES MARIO KART 8 DELUXE

Tuesday, August 6, 4:00-5:00pm
Play Mario Kart with us! All abilities are welcome. Caretakers are welcome.

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Saturday, August 10, 1:00-4:00pm
Play D&D with Justin from Quest Masters Guild!

Programs For Teens & Adults

These combined audience programs are available to adults and/or teens entering grades 9-12.

FINANCE 101

Tuesdays, July 2, 9, 23, and 30, 7:00-8:00pm
Learn more about financial basics in this four-session series, including how to create a financial foundation, how to grow your money, and how to navigate the stock market. **No class July 16. Register now.**

BLUES HARMONICA WORKSHOP

Thursday, August 1, 6:30-8:00pm
Join the Long Island Harmonica Club for a harmonica lesson, a free harmonica, and lots of fun! **Registration begins July 17.**



SEW A DINO NUGGET PILLOW

Wednesday, August 14, 6:30-7:30pm
Sew a pillow that looks like a dinosaur chicken nugget! All skill levels welcome. **Open to LML cardholders only. Registration begins July 2.**

ALL ABILITIES POKEMON MEET UP

Thursdays, September 5, 12 and 26, 7:00-8:00pm
Have fun and learn the strategy to play the ever-popular Pokémon card game. **Register now.**



INTRO TO AMIGURUMI

Wednesday, October 9, 6:00-7:30pm
Learn how to crochet a cute pumpkin. Basic crochet skills recommended. **Open to LML cardholders only. Registration begins September 10.**

Programs for Adults

ARTS & CRAFTS

Open to LML cardholders only.

STAY & MAKE CRAFTS

Tuesday, July 9, 11:00am-12:00pm - Beach Totes
Thursday, August 8, 11:00am-12:00pm - Starfish Votive Holders
Tuesday, September 10, 11:00am-12:00pm - Mini Mushroom Wreaths
Join us for an on-your-own crafting and social hour. We provide instructions and supplies, and you bring creativity! **Registration begins July 2.**

ECO-FRIENDLY FLOWER POCKET

Thursday, July 18, 6:30-8:00pm
Create this charming flower pocket with mixed media. **Registration begins July 2.**

CALLIGRAPHY MUGS

Monday, August 12, 7:00-8:30pm
Learn the art of calligraphy and design a beautiful mug. **Registration begins July 17.**



ALCOHOL INK COASTERS

Thursday, August 22, 6:00-7:00pm
Experiment with alcohol inks and make a set of colorful coasters. **Registration begins August 1.**

HAUNTED HOUSE TEALIGHT

Wednesday, September 18, 6:30-8:30pm
Paint a spooky ceramic haunted house just in time for Halloween! **Registration begins August 29.**

CRAFT FOR A CAUSE DROP-IN

Friday, September 27, 11:00am-12:00pm or 3:00-4:00pm
Use our Scorch Markers to design a nursery wall hanging to donate to babies in our local NICU. **While supplies last. No registration.**

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BOOK CLUBS

Register now for all unless otherwise noted.

SILENT BOOK CLUB

Thursdays, July 11, and August 15, 11:00am-1:00pm
Enjoy refreshments while reading quietly amongst other bookworms. Bring your current read or grab one from our shelves! **No registration.**

COFFEE & CONVERSATION

Wednesdays, 10:00-11:00am



July 17



August 14

BESTSELLERS BOOK CLUB

Thursdays, 7:00-8:00pm



July 18



August 22



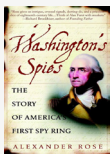
September 19



AUTHOR BOOK TALK WITH JENNIFER MURGIA: *WHEN I WAS ALICE*

Wednesday, July 31, 7:00-8:00pm

Meet author Jennifer Murgia over Zoom as we discuss her 1950s mystery novel *When I Was Alice*. **The first fifteen people to register will get a copy of the book to keep. Registration begins July 2.**



LOCAL HISTORY BOOK CLUB (NEW!)

Thursday, September 26, 2:00-3:00pm

- *Washington's Spies: The Story of America's First Spy Ring* by Alexander Rose

BUSINESS & CAREERS

Register now unless otherwise noted.

ONE-STOP EMPLOYMENT CENTER INFO TABLE

Wednesdays, July 17, August 21, and September 18, 10:00am-12:00pm

Learn about county services available to assist you with your job search.

VETSWORK: GETTING OUR VETERANS & MILITARY MEMBERS BACK TO WORK

Saturday, July 20, 2:00-3:30pm

See page 15 for details.

CAREER COUNSELOR APPOINTMENTS

Saturday, September 21, 10:00am-1:00pm

Schedule a 45-minute appointment. By registering for this program, you agree to let the library give your information to the career counselor. **Open to LML cardholders only. Register now with a library staff member by calling 631-957-7755 ext. 140.**

COMPUTERS & TECHNOLOGY

Register now unless otherwise noted.

CRICUT DESIGN SPACE: COLOR-CHANGING TUMBLERS

Wednesday, July 17, 5:00-6:00pm or 6:30-7:30pm

Design and create a tumbler in this hands-on class. **Laptops will be provided. Basic computer skills required. Open to LML cardholders only. Registration begins July 2.**

CREATING A PASSWORD MANAGER

Monday, September 23, 6:30-8:30pm

Learn how to use a password manager and how to keep your accounts secure from identity theft. **No prerequisites. Registration begins August 1.**

COOKING & BAKING

Open to LML cardholders only. Please notify the library of any food allergies when registering.

SUMMER PIE

Wednesday, July 24, 7:00-8:00pm

Want to make a pie but it's too hot to turn on your oven? Let Amy from Sweets by Amy show you how to make a no bake pie to cure the cravings. **Registration begins July 2.**

AMERICAN SOUTHERN BBQ WITH PITMASTER BRIAN COLLINS

Thursday, August 8, 6:00-8:00pm

Enjoy a sampling of American Southern BBQ while learning the tips and tricks to help you prepare it at home! **Registration begins July 17.**

CHEF ROB DEMO & TASTING

Friday, September 13, 1:00-2:00pm

Join Simply Creative Chef Rob Scott and learn how to make tasty chicken fajitas pasta skillet. **Registration begins August 14.**

EXERCISE

Open to LML cardholders only. Exercise waiver is required.

SIT & BE FIT

Mondays, July 8, 15, 22, 29, August 19 and 26, September 9 and 16, 11:00am-12:00pm

Enjoy this chair exercise class with a mix of flexibility and strength training. **Registration begins June 28.**

COUNTRY LINE DANCING

Tuesdays, July 30, August 6 and 13, 7:00-8:00pm

Kick up your heels with instructor Natalie Boyle. **Registration begins July 2.**

CHAIR YOGA

Thursdays, August 1, 8, 15, 29 and September 5, 12, 19, 26, 10:30-11:30am

Increase your flexibility, strength, and body awareness. **No class on August 22. Registration begins July 17.**

ALL LEVELS YOGA

Wednesdays, August 14, 21, 28 and September 4, 11, 7:00-8:00pm

This class is for everyone from the experienced yogi to those just starting on the path. **Bring a mat. Registration begins August 1.**

WEDNESDAY WELLNESS WALKS

Wednesdays, September 4, and September 18, 5:30-6:30pm

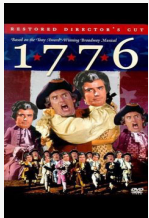
Get some exercise and meet new friends while exploring your community. **Register now.**

FUN & ENTERTAINMENT

FRIDAY AFTERNOON MOVIES

Fridays, 1:00pm

No registration.



July 5
1776
(G, 142 minutes)



July 12
It Ain't Over: Yogi Berra
(PG, 99 minutes)



July 26
I.S.S.
(R, 95 minutes)



August 9
One Life
(PG, 109 minutes)



August 23
Arthur the King
(PG-13, 107 minutes)



September 6
Ghostbusters: Frozen Empire
(PG-13, 115 minutes)



September 20
Ordinary Angels
(PG, 130 minutes)

INTRODUCTION TO CANASTA

Tuesdays, July 9, 16 and 23, 6:30-8:30pm

Learn the strategies, sequences, and combinations of this fun card game in this 3-session beginner series. Materials provided. **Register now.**

SOUTH SHORE THEATRE EXPERIENCE PRESENTS: OTHELLO

Thursday, August 15, 6:00-8:00pm

Join us in the library's backyard for this live production.

Registration begins August 1.

LIBRARY TRIVIA @ BAYVUE

854 S Wellwood Avenue

Wednesday, August 21, 6:00-8:00pm

Play a few rounds of trivia on the beautiful BayVue rooftop.

Rain date: Wednesday, August 28. No registration.

NEW BEGINNINGS: SINGLES 50+ DISCUSSION GROUP

Thursday, August 29 and Wednesday, September 25, 6:30-8:00pm

If you are single and over the age of 50, come to make new friends and reinvent yourself. Life coach and social worker Marla Matthews will lead our discussion. **Register now.**

MUSICAL BINGO

Tuesday, September 3, 7:00-8:30pm- 70's Music

Friday, September 13, 3:00-4:30pm- Classic Rock

Enjoy this special game featuring 45's played on a vintage phonograph. **Registration begins August 1.**

100TH BIRTHDAY TRIBUTE TO EVA MARIE SAINT

Thursday, September 12, 7:00pm-8:30pm

Enjoy film clips from the movie legend's long career, including *On the Waterfront*, *Exodus*, and *North by Northwest* as well as interview excerpts. **Register now.**

THE SUNSHINE BOYS - THEATRE SHOW & DINNER

Sunday September 22, 2:15-8:00pm

Manes Studio Theatre of LI -141 South Wellwood Avenue

Goccia D'oro Restaurant - 118 South Wellwood Avenue

See the 2:30 matinee of Neil Simon's classic comedy, *The Sunshine Boys*, followed by a delicious dinner at Goccia D'oro. A nonrefundable fee of \$78pp includes 3 courses, beer, wine, soda, coffee, tea, and dessert. Fee is due at registration and is payable by check to the Lindenhurst Memorial Library. Meet at the theatre by 2:15pm. **Registration begins July 8. First week of registration is limited to Lindenhurst Memorial Library cardholders.**

LOTERIA @ SAND CITY SOUTH HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

150 S. Wellwood Ave

Monday, September 23, 7:00-9:00pm

Join us for a few rounds of this a Bingo-like Mexican game of chance. Prizes are donated by Sand City. **No registration.**

GARDENING & NATURE

Register now unless otherwise noted.

LML GARDEN CLUB MEETINGS

Enjoy special topics and discussion about your garden!

WHY NATIVE PLANTS?

Monday, July 22, 6:30-8:00pm

Join Kimberly Simmen of KMS Native Plants to learn more.

THE INS AND OUTS OF AFRICAN VIOLETS

Monday, August 26, 6:30-8:00pm

Learn from expert Mary Chelton about the different varieties and care of this special plant.

WHERE HAVE ALL THE POLLINATORS GONE?

Monday, September 30, 6:30-8:00pm

Join the Long Island Beekeepers Club to learn what is causing a decline in the bee population and how you can help.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CARLLS RIVER BOTANICAL GARDEN

Monday, July 15, 6:30-8:00pm

Join the Town of Babylon's horticulturist, Jennifer Ulsheimer, to learn how staff took an underutilized facility and turned it into an oasis for the public to enjoy.



OPERATION SPLASH

Wednesday, July 17, 7:00-8:00pm

Learn how this volunteer-based organization improves the quality of Long Island's South Shore bays, waterways and beaches.

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PLANTS FOR THE FALL GARDEN

Monday, September 16, 1:00-2:00pm

Join Paul Levine, aka *The Plant Man*, as he suggests fall-flowering plants to brighten up your landscape including mums, asters, and ornamental cabbage. Attendees will be entered in a raffle to win the showcased plants. **Registration begins August 29.**

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Register now unless otherwise noted.

MEDICAID ENROLLMENT ASSISTANCE

Mondays, July 1, and August 5, 11:00am-3:00pm

Nassau/Suffolk Hospital Council will answer questions and help you enroll. **No registration.**

CATHOLIC HEALTH OUTREACH BUS

Tuesday, July 2, 10:00am-2:00pm

Receive free health screenings, simple blood tests, patient education, and referrals for care. **No registration.**

DIY NATURAL DEODORANT

Wednesday, July 10, 3:00-4:00pm

Make deodorant from natural ingredients. **Please bring a clean and empty small jar.**

MEDICARE ONE-ON-ONE COUNSELING - PHONE APPOINTMENTS

Mondays, July 15, August 19, and September 16, 10:00am-1:00pm

Register for a 30-minute telephone appointment with a Suffolk County RSVP volunteer who will answer your questions regarding Medicare and related programs. By registering for this program, you agree to let the library give your information to the RSVP counselor. **Register now with a library staff member by calling 631-957-7755 ext. 140.**

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Mondays, July 15, August 19, and September 16, 6:00-7:00pm

Receive emotional support and education enabling you to better understand and manage Alzheimer's disease.

STONY BROOK MOBILE MAMMOGRAPHY VAN

Tuesday, July 30, 10:00am-4:00pm

Screenings are performed by NYS-registered radiologic technologists with advanced training in mammography. The van has a comfortable waiting area, private dressing room and a complete exam room. **To schedule an appointment and check eligibility requirements, call 631-638-4135.**

MEDITATION WITH THE ZEN DEN

Monday, August 5, 6:30-8:00pm

The Zen Den will create a peaceful environment and use different meditation practices to help you to let go of negative thoughts and feelings and align your chakras.

Registration begins July 2.

LEARN TO BE ...TOBACCO FREE

Tuesdays, August 27-October 1, Reunion: October 15, 6:00-7:30pm

Enroll in the Suffolk County Department of Health's 6-week smoking cessation program. Stress management, behavior modification, and relaxation techniques will be discussed. Nicotine Replacement Therapies are available for a nominal fee and are the participant's responsibility. **Contact Debora Rippel at 631-853-2928 or debora.rippel@suffolkcountyny.gov to register.**

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Monday, September 9, 6:30-7:30pm

Join representatives from the Bristol, Massapequa Center Rehabilitation and Nursing and Home Instead, to learn what to expect at rehab, navigating discharge from the hospital or rehab, assisted living and insurance coverages and Medicare.

CREATING HEALTH NATURALLY

Tuesday, October 8, 7:00-8:00pm

Join Dr. Chris Hansen to learn the causes of human disease, how to balance your hormones to have more energy and the natural solutions for arthritis, migraines, asthma, and more. **Registration begins August 14.**

LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

Register now.

HOW TO MAXIMIZE YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY IN RETIREMENT

Tuesday, July 16, 6:30-8:00pm

Financial planner Wes H. Triani explains options for taking Social Security in conjunction with your other retirement benefits.

CITIZENSHIP WORKSHOP

Thursday, July 18, 7:00-8:30pm

This U.S. Naturalization/Citizenship workshop will familiarize the participant with the necessary requirements and preparation to take this important test.

LINDY HISTORY LIVE!

Thursdays, July 18, and August 15, 7:30-8:30pm

Join us for photos and stories of early Lindenhurst.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S LONG ISLAND SPY RING

Thursday, July 25, 7:00-8:30pm

This intelligence network was credited with helping turn the tide of the Revolutionary War. Learn the true story of the Culper Spy Ring from former Newsday reporter Bill Bleyer, author of *George Washington's Long Island Spy Ring*.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING WITH EMPIRE SAFETY

Saturday, August 10 and Tuesday, September 10, 9:45am-4:00pm

\$30pp non-refundable fee, cash (exact change) or check payable to Empire Safety Council. Bring your ID and payment to class.

METAL DETECTING 101

Monday, August 12, 7:00-8:30pm

Join metal detectorist Don Deaner as he discusses metal detecting techniques, type and cost of equipment, and rules and protocols.

DNA & FAMOUS MURDER CASES

Saturday, August 17, 10:00-11:30am

Linda Maria Frank, former forensic science teacher, will discuss how DNA analysis was used and misused in the trials of O.J. Simpson, Scott Peterson, Sam Sheppard, and the Boston Strangler.

INVESTING 101 FOR MILLENNIALS

Thursday, September 19, 7:00-8:00pm

Learn the fundamentals of asset allocation and diversification so you can invest with confidence and make more informed decisions and achieve your financial goals for the future. **Open to all.**

MINIMIZE TAXES AND MAXIMIZE SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS IN RETIREMENT!

Tuesday, September 24, 11:00am-12:30pm OR
Wednesday, September 25, 6:30-8:00pm

The future is uncertain - prepare for the unexpected. Learn how NEW legislation changed Social Security claiming options, how to maximize your Social Security payments, how Social Security affects your spouse, how taxation affects your benefits, and how to plan appropriately for retirement income.

LITERACY, LANGUAGE, & WRITING

Register now unless otherwise noted.

ENGLISH PRACTICE GROUP

Thursdays, July 11 and 25, August 1 and 8, September 5 and 19, 7:00-8:00pm

Wednesdays, July 17, August 7, 10:00-11:00am

Tuesday, September 17, 10:00-11:00am

Practice English by chatting with library staff and other English Learners. All are welcome. Practique inglés charlando con el personal de la biblioteca y otros estudiantes de inglés. Todos son bienvenidos. Ćwicz angielski, rozmawiając z pracownikami biblioteki i innymi osobami uczącymi się języka angielskiego. Wszyscy są mile widziani.

ENGLISH AS A NEW LANGUAGE BOOK DISCUSSION

Mondays, July 29 and August 12, 7:00-8:00pm

-*The Three Musketeers* by Alexander Dumas (ELT Graded Reader)

Monday, September 30, 7:00-8:00pm

-*Dracula* by Bram Stoker (ELT Graded Reader)

Enjoy practicing your English reading and conversational skills with a book discussion. **Participants will receive a copy of the book to keep.**

WESTERN SUFFOLK BOCES HOME STUDY PROGRAM: GED & ESL

Adults 21+

Wednesday, August 21, 5:00-8:30pm

Learn about programs that prepare you for the High School Equivalency Exam (GED) or improving your English skills. **For more information call 631-667-6000 x191.**

BEGINNING ENGLISH CLASSES WITH LONG ISLAND EOC

Mondays and Wednesdays, September 4-December 18, 9:30am-1:00pm

See page 3 for details.

SPANISH LANGUAGE FOR BEGINNERS

Thursdays, September 12 and 19, October 3, 10 and 17, 4:30-6:00pm

Learn conversational phrases and vocabulary that will help you connect with Spanish speakers. **Registration begins August 1.**

PROGRAMS FOR VETERANS

Register now.

VETERANS SOCIAL CLUB

Tuesday, July 9, 9:30-11:00am

Monday, August 12, 9:30-11:00am

Wednesday, September 18, 9:30-11:00am

Monday, October 7, 9:30-11:00am

Engage with other veterans and military members during these facilitated events. Light refreshments will be provided.

VETSWORK: GETTING OUR VETERANS & MILITARY MEMBERS BACK TO WORK

Saturday, July 20, 2:00-3:30pm

Fern Summer, VetsWork and LifeSkills Specialist from Long Island Cares Veterans Project, talks about how the program provides veterans and military members with job skills, resume writing assistance, help with job searches and real workplace experience, as well as volunteering and training opportunities.









WRITER'S GROUPS

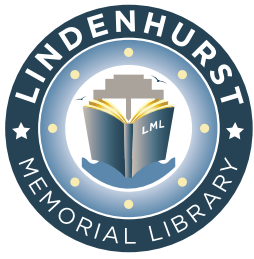
COMMUNITY WRITERS GROUP

Wednesdays, July 24, August 28, and September 25, 7:00-8:30pm

Meet other writers and get feedback on your work in this peer-led group. **No registration.**

LML SUSTAINABILITY BY THE NUMBERS MARCH 2024 - MAY 2024

	1296.05 lbs collected	Recycled Paper & Cardboard March - May 2024
	58.52 lbs collected	Recycled Plastic March - May 2024
	474 sessions	of electronic vehicle charging March - May 2024
	6 cellphones	donated to <i>Cellphones for Soldiers</i> March - May 2024
	121 tops	collected for the top swap and to be donated to <i>LI Coalition for the Homeless</i> May 2024
	47 eyeglasses	donated to Lions Club March - May 2024
	446 appointments	made with our Social Services Advocates March - May 2024
	3384 packets	distributed from our Seed Library since March 2024



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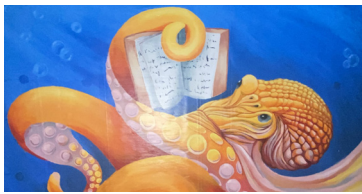
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MISSION STATEMENT

Helping its community engage, grow, and discover using library resources and services.

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Staff and press may take photographs and videos at Library programs for use in future publicity. Please inform us prior to an event if you do not want yourself or your child photographed or videographed.



COMMUNITY ART PROJECT

Saturday, September 28, 10:00am-2:00pm

Our community collected 30,000 bottlecaps this year. Help us use them

to create a mural based on this original piece created by local artist and resident, Sarah DeSalvo. **Register now.**

SUSTAINABLE SWAP STATION

We have created a Swap Station to highlight our sustainable swaps! Visit the swap station just outside the Wellwood Room to drop off items you no longer need or pick up new-to-you items! At the end of each swapping period, items left over will be repurposed at the Library or donated to another organization.

COLORING BOOKS: July 1-July 31

SCHOOL SUPPLIES: August 1- August 31

CANDLES: September 1-September 30

LML RECYCLING CENTER

As a Sustainable Library, we offer special recycling collections throughout the year. Bring in any of the items below **from July 1 through September 30** to be recycled:

- All brands of used oral care products
- Eyeglasses and cases
- Old cell phones

Items must be empty and clean. Visit us online at <https://www.lindenhurstlibrary.org/recycling-center> for the complete list of acceptable items.



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ARE YOU IN NEED OF A LARGE PRINT NEWSLETTER?
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The 2024-25 library budget vote (held on April 9) passed, 173-62. Kathleen Busch was elected to a five-year term as Library Trustee that begins July 1, 2024.

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BOARD MEETINGS:

Board meetings are open to the public and occur monthly. For agendas and prior meeting minutes, visit our website/about us/board of trustees. Meetings begin at 7:00pm unless noted otherwise.

Thursday, July 11 - Reorganization meeting at 5:30 pm immediately followed by regular board meeting.

Monday, August 19 - 7:00pm

Monday, September 16 - 7:00pm

HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 9:00pm

Friday: 9:00am - 6:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am-5:00pm

Sunday: Closed

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS:

Thursday, July 4 -Independence Day

Monday, September 2 - Labor Day