

HAMPTON BAYS PUBLIC LIBRARY



bridge to life long learning

MAY / JUNE 2021

A Message from the Director

It's been a long winter, and people are tired of being cooped up due to COVID. I'm sure I'm not alone in looking forward to spring and warmer weather so we can spend time outside!

The Library is currently open seven days/week with some restrictions due to the ongoing COVID Pandemic. All patrons entering the library must wear a mask that covers their nose and mouth at all times while in the building. We are open with limited occupancy as follows: Monday through Thursday from 10 am until 7pm, to 5pm on Saturday and on Sundays we are open from 1-5. Beginning June 1, the Library will extend hours to 9 pm Monday–Thursday. At the time of publication of

this newsletter we are not holding programs or meetings in the library but please continue to check our website for any changes in services offered.

In the meantime, please come in to browse our collections and check out materials, use our public computers, printers, fax and scanners. Need information but can't get to the library? In addition to the many online resources available 24/7 on our website, patrons can chat with a Reference Librarian via Instant Message. See the tab at the bottom of the main page labeled "Click to Chat."

Sincerely, Susan LaVista, Director



Friends of the Library Matching Grant Challenge!



Again this year, a generous patron of the Library has offered a **\$1000.00** Matching Grant Challenge. Any amount of money that you donate **will be matched!** Please make check payable to The Friends of the HBPL and indicate Matching Grant in the memo area or online at www.FriendsoftheHBPL.org. Donations will be accepted March 1-May 31, 2021.

Virtual "Pedestrian/Bike Safety Workshop," via Zoom Thursday, June 24; 7:00-8:00 pm

Join the executive director of the New York Coalition for Transportation Safety for an eye-opening workshop about NYS traffic/pedestrian safety laws meant to protect you on LI's roadways. Do you know why you should walk facing traffic? Learn more about this, other laws, and new technologies being put in place to keep you safe in this "Staying Safe on Our Streets" virtual



workshop. **This program is brought to you by the New York Coalition for Transportation Safety in partnership with the Long Island Health Collaborative and Walk Safe LI education campaign. To register in advance, email Donna at dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org with the subject "PEDESTRIAN/BIKE SAFETY WORKSHOP" for the Zoom link and password.**

NEW! Rent a Bike Lock

Warmer weather is finally here! Whether you are stopping in to browse the library, visiting the local beaches or cruising around the town, remember to keep your bicycle safe. Borrow one of our bike locks to secure your bike when parking it at any location. **For Teens & Adults only. You must have a Hampton Bays Library card in good standing. For more information, visit the Circulation desk or call (631) 728-6241 (OPTION 3).**



GIVE BACK

For the month of May the Hampton Bays Public Library has been chosen for the Community Bag Program. When you purchase a \$2.50 Community Bag at our local Stop & Shop location, a **\$1 DONATION** will go to our organization.

REUSE.
RECYCLE.
GIVE BACK.



Mission Statement

The Hampton Bays Library serves our community by providing educational, cultural and recreational resources for life long learning.

HBPL Children's Room



Important Information

Although we are still unable to provide programs in the library due to the current health crisis, we invite you and your children to take part in our fun, innovative virtual programs, shows, and resources. Register by calling (631) 728-6241 press 6 for The Children's Room. Please note, only programs requiring supplies from the library will have limited registration.

For any programs providing supplies from the library, you will be given instructions regarding pick up.

Remember to like us and visit us on our Facebook Page for all listed and unlisted programs and resources at <https://www.facebook.com/hamptonbayslibrarykidsroom>. All Facebook LIVE programs will be available after original posting. Also, email us anytime at childrensroom@hamptonbayslibrary.org. Please note, this is the new email address for the Children's Room. Please use it for all correspondence going forward.

For all Zoom programs, please register by email at childrensroom@hamptonbayslibrary.org with your child's name and an email address so we can provide you with the Zoom meeting invitation.

Here's the link for home schooling and other children's resources that the Children's Room staff has created:

<https://hbplkidsroom.blogspot.com>

Parents please remember that children grades 6 and under must be accompanied by a responsible adult over the age of 18 when visiting the library.

Virtual Programs

Thumb Print Flower Pots (Pre-recorded)

Saturday, May 1 @ 2 pm

Moms will give a "thumbs up" to this clever painted pot complete with a beautiful flower. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Tuesday Tales with Miss Nicole (Pre-recorded)

Tuesdays May 4 & 18 and June 1 & 15 @ 11 am

Children of all ages! Join Miss Nicole for this super fun twice monthly story time for kids and parents of all ages! This will be pre-recorded, so if you cannot tune in at 11 am, just scroll to find it when you are ready. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Baby Yoda Cookies (Pre-recorded)

Tuesday, May 4 @ 4 pm

Celebrate Star Wars Day with these adorable Baby Yoda Cookies. Have fun, and May the 4th be With You! Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Pre-K "Take & Make" Mother's Day Cards (kit only)

Thursday, May 6 (call to schedule pick-up time)

Pre-K. Pick up this easy "Take & Make" kit for your preschooler to put together a "Tea-riffic" Mother's Day card. **Limit 36.**



DIY Mother's Day Cards (Picture Tutorial)

Thursday, May 6 @ 4 pm

Grades 2 - 6. Follow along with this picture tutorial and learn how to make a beautiful Mother's Day cards. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Painted Heart Cookies (Pre-recorded)

Saturday, May 8 @ 2 pm

Let's get creative and transform these heart-shaped cookies into works of art. Join the Baking Coach and learn how to paint spring flowers on 3 cookies. Kits will be provided. **Limit 24.**



Cinco de Mayo Story Time and Craft (Pre-recorded)

Monday, May 3 @ 11 am

Join Miss Sheila for a fun story and learn how to make your own maracas and serape just in time for Cinco de Mayo. Kits will be provided. **Limit 30.**



Cinco de Mayo Salsa Slime (Pre-recorded)

Monday, May 3 @ 4 pm

Dragons love tacos, but they also love slime! Listen to the Story Dragons Love Tacos and make your own salsa slime. Kits will be provided. **Limit 32.**



Churro Muffins! (Pre-recorded)

Wednesday, May 5 @ 4 pm

Happy Cinco de Mayo! Join Chef Rob and learn how to make delicious churro muffins; a new twist on tasty! Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Virtual Programs: (continued)

Baby Rhyme & Play (Pre-recorded)

Monday, May 10 @ 11 am

Birth – 18 months.

Take this first step into early literacy. Enjoy nursery rhymes and songs with your baby. Receive your own booklet of rhymes to use with your child at home. **No limit.**



Tales for Tykes with Miss Sheila (Pre-recorded)



Thursdays, May 13 & 27 and June 10 & 24 @ 11 am

Join Miss Sheila for this twice monthly story time and craft. Supplies will be provided. This is a pre-

recorded program, so if you cannot tune in at 11 am, just scroll to find it when you are ready. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**

Crazy Critters Frog, Bug, and Animal Show! (Pre-recorded)

Friday, May 14 @ 4 pm

Tune in and watch this amazing show with frogs, bugs, animals, and so much more! **No limit.**



Lady Bug Rocks (Pre-recorded)

Wednesday, May 19 @ 4 pm



Join Miss Sheila and learn how to turn some ordinary rocks into adorable lady bugs! Choose your colors at registration. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**

Play Hooray! (Pre-recorded)

Friday, May 21 @ 11 am

Tune in to this super fun program of interactive music and movement filled with activities, books, dancing and fun! **No Limit.**



Tween Book Club Trivia Challenge (Live via Zoom)

Tuesday, May 25 @ 5:30 pm – Refugee by Alan Gratz

Tuesday, June 29 @ 5:30pm – Parked by Danielle Svetcov

Grades 5-6.

Join Miss Nicole live on Zoom for this super fun new tween trivia book club. Read the book and attend the program to be entered in a raffle for a \$20 Amazon gift card. Books will be provided, and there will be a winner every month. **Limit 10.**



Cool Ice Cream Craft (Picture Tutorial)

Wednesday, May 26 @ 4 pm

Follow along with this fun picture tutorial and learn how to make an

easy ice cream cone craft. Kids under age six will need adult assistance. Kits provided. **Limit 25.**

Patriotic Pretzels and Pops (Pre-recorded)



covered pretzels and lollipops. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**

Saturday, May 29 @ 2 pm

Celebrate Memorial Day with some delicious treats. Follow along with Miss Sheila as she shows us how to make star-studded chocolate-



Anything but Brushes (Pre-recorded)

Thursday, June 3 @ 11 am

Create unique paintings using anything, but brushes. We'll use forks, pompoms, and more to hon our motor skills and express our artistic creativity. Look for objects in nature that you can use as well. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Super Hero Pipe Cleaners (Pre-recorded)

Friday, June 4 @ 4 pm

Turn some mild-mannered crafting materials into a caped crusader! Kits will be provided. Children six and under will need adult assistance. **Limit 25.**



Make Your Own Texture Books (Pre-recorded)

Monday, June 7 @ 11 am

Learn about the sense of touch. Then make your own book to capture

textures outside and around your house. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**

Father's Day Salt Dough Hand Print Bowl (Pre-recorded)

Saturday, June 12 @ 11 am

Use your own hand to create a "handy" keepsake dish for dad to enjoy for years. You will need a grownup to help set the dough in the oven. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Pre-K "Take & Make" Father's Day Cards (kit only)

Thursday, June 17 (call to schedule pick-up time)

Pre-K. Pick up this easy "Take & Make" kit for preschoolers to construct a "Dino-mite" Father's Day card. **Limit 36.**

DIY Father's Day Cards (Pre-recorded Tutorial)

Thursday, June 17 @ 4 pm

Grades 2-6. Follow along with this fun picture tutorial and design a special Father's Day card dad is sure to love. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Virtual Programs: (continued)

Father's Day "Burger & Fries" Cupcakes (Pre-recorded tutorial)

Saturday, June 19 @ 11 am

Tune in and follow the Baking Coach as she shows us how to make adorable and delicious "burger & fries" cupcakes just in time for Father's Day. Kits will be provided. **Limit 24.**



Crack the Code (Pre-recorded)

Tuesday, June 22 @ 4 pm

Grades 2-6. Listen to some spy stories and learn about ciphers and codes. Then create your own codes and invisible secret messages. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Summer Bucket List (make & take kit)

Friday, June 25

School is out, and it's time to plan for a terrific summer! Stop by the library for a Summer Bucket List planner of your own! Complete it and share it to our Facebook page! **No limit.**



Light up the Night Story Time

Monday, June 28

@ 11 am

Miss Jaimie will share stories, songs, and rhymes about nocturnal animals and what happens to the world at night. Then you will make your own firefly craft and go on a nighttime scavenger hunt. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Summer Sailboat Craft (Pre-recorded Tutorial)

Wednesday, June 30 @ 4 pm,



Celebrate the arrival of summer by creating a colorful sailboat craft. Kits will be provided. **Limit 25.**



Virtual Summer Reading Program

Get a jump on summer and register for our Virtual Summer Reading Club with Beanstack!

**Welcome to
Beanstack,
the Virtual
Summer
Reading Club
for 2021**



Once again, our Summer Reading Club will be facilitated online this year. **Beginning Monday, June 28th, you can join by visiting:** <https://hamptonbayslibrary.beanstack.org/reader365>. Download the free "Beanstack" app from wherever you usually get your apps to easily log your reading from your smart phone or computer. If you do not have a device or access to the Internet, please call us. We will set up your account and log everything for you! If you joined last summer, use the same account and just update your reader's age/grade level to join the new club. Reach out if you need assistance. More information will be provided in our July / August newsletter.

***This year's Virtual Summer
Reading Club theme is:
Tails and Tales***





WELCOME TO kids

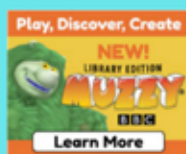
Enjoy movies, tv shows, story times and more!

Available with your library card at
<http://hamptonbayslibrary.org/children/>

Check Out Our Databases!

Available on <http://hamptonbayslibrary.org/children/>

Find more on the 'Homework Help' tab



- Language Learning
- Videos, games and more!
- 7 Languages available!
 - English (American/British), Spanish (Spain/Latin America), French, Chinese Pinyin, Italian, German, Korean (RR)



- Learn about animals, science, history, cultures and more!
- Videos, pictures, e-books, magazine articles!
- 10 years worth of Nat Geo Kids Magazine.

HAMPTON BAYS TEENS

Call the Teen Community Center at 631-728-6241 ext. 120 or 121.
teen@hamptonbayslibrary.org • www.hamptonbaysteens.com

Most scheduled programs are currently hosted virtually, unless otherwise noted. Please check our social media, website, call or email for updates.

Summer Reading Club: Let's get this bREAD!

Monday, June 28 – Monday, August 16

Join our summer reading club, where for every book you read you earn a raffle ticket to win sweet prizes. Prizes include gift cards, fandom bundles, art supplies, and MUCH more! All prizes won will be announced at our **Teens vs. Librarians** program in August. **A huge THANK YOU to the Friends of the Hampton Bays Public Library for sponsoring this event!**

let's get this b**READ**



FREE Homework Help – Brainfuse

Your library card gives you access to Brainfuse (via our website), the online homework helper. Brush up on subjects, talk with a tutor, and get expert writing advice.

Online Video Streaming: Kanopy

Free Access to the world's best films with your Library Card! Popular on-demand film streaming service Kanopy is available for all HBPL patrons. Stream a vast collection of movies and documentaries to a range of devices such as your desktop, mobile device and Roku. Films include festival favorites, award-winning documentaries, foreign films, hard-to-find titles, indie and classic films with collections from A24, The Great Courses, Paramount Pictures, The Criterion Collection and thousands of independent filmmakers. And don't forget KanopyKids for curated age-appropriate entertainment and educational movies, shorts and series for children.

Virtual 5 Hour Pre-Licensing Course

The East End Driving School is offering a virtual course for \$70. For more information or to register and pay with a credit or debit card via PayPal, go to <http://bit.ly/5hrcourse>

Food for Community Service*

We are collecting unexpired non-perishable food items to donate to the new Little Free Food Pantries the Southampton Youth Board and volunteers have created to place around town. These tiny yet mighty structures will help fight food-insecurity in our community, and help those in need. Community service hours are offered for teens, one hour for every 5 items donated. Thank you for helping those less fortunate!

Letters for Community Service*

If you have the time and resources, write some letters of encouragement to the local nursing home, a letter or two of thanks to doctors, nurses, hospital staff, cleaning crews, cafeteria workers, your garbage collection team, postal worker, or grocery store staff. If you need information for local nursing homes, hospital, etc. send us an email and we'll send you back the information! *Note: We'll send you a letter to prove your service completion. Reach out for other community service ideas.*

Lifebrarians: Life Hacks for Beginners*

Monday, May 3 @ 4 pm

Ever feel like you're playing an elaborate game but don't know any of the rules? We know one or two of those rules! Come to this informative series to answer the age-old question: "What do?"

Older Teen Gaming

Tuesdays, May 4, 11, 18, 25, June 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 @ 4 pm

For our veteran role-players, we offer this Discord game session just for you. Sign up for our Profits of Doom game through Erick.

Minecraft Arena

Wednesday, May 5 @ 4 pm

Join us on our Minecraft server to take part in our arena-styled games and challenges, built and created by our own page, Cesar! Fight for glory, honor, and bragging rights!

TAB*

Thursdays, May 6 & June 3 @ 4 pm

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is a monthly organization of volunteers who work with the library to help plan programs, buy materials, and run events. Attendees receive 1 hour of community service!

Role Play Fridays

Fridays, May 7, 14, 21, 28, June 4, 11 & 18 @ 4 pm

Join our ongoing Discord-based Werewolf the Apocalypse game for beginners. Build your character, choose your weapon, and slay nasty critters with a roll of the (virtual) dice!

Magic the Gathering for Beginners

Monday, May 10 @ 4 pm

Want to get involved with the world's most popular collectible card game, but don't know where to start? Join us on Discord to learn the basics of the game, build virtual decks, and learn how to develop your own personal play style all for free!



Virtual Vbin'

Monday, May 24 @ 4 pm

Wednesdays, May 12, June 2 & 30 @ 4 pm

Thursdays, May 20 & June 24 @ 4 pm

Y'all. Fam. Gather 'round. Vibe. Bruh. HBay Discord channel go BRRRRRRRRRRRR. OMG. Legit. (Translation: Hop on our Discord and vote that day to play Jackbox Games, Among Us, Ultimate Chicken Horse, etc.)

League Gaming

Thursday, May 13 @ 4 pm

Join us on Discord to be a part of our League of Legends team! Whether you're a new player or a seasoned vet, we're going to create a fun space for you to play against your friends in a closed party with your peers!



*You will earn community service for participating in any programs with the red asterisk. Ask us for other opportunities to earn service hours.

Teen Community Center Programs: *(continued)*

Teens vs. Librarians: D&D

Monday, May 17 @ 4 pm

Choose your fighter from our rogues' gallery of D&D style warriors, pick their special skills and powers, and wield a ridiculously O.P. weapon from the arsenal in your futile struggle to take down Vicky and Erick's reigning ringers. Hope you have a healing potion...for your pride.

Librarians Recreate TikTok Grub

Wednesday, May 19 @ 4 pm

We know, we know, boomers should not be on TikTok. But we have to find ways to keep up with y'all! So watch us attempt (and probably fail miserably) to recreate some simple food hacks TikTok told us are cool. And maybe join in on a laugh or two while trying along with us via Discord.

Outdoor Diverse Stories Book Club*

Wednesday, May 26 @ 4 pm

Reading is all about learning about other people, their stories, and seeing the world through a new lens. Join our book club to read brilliant YA books all centered on a diverse set of stories and authors! All registrants will receive a \$5 Starbucks gift card to enjoy a hot or cold cuppa during the discussion.



May Pick: Sanctuary by Paola Mendoza. Masks must be brought and worn! *Please note: If there is inclement weather, this program will be held virtually.*

Outdoor Grab & Garden

Thursday, May 27 @ 4 pm

Ever wanted to grow your own veggies? Join us out on the library lawn where we will be potting up some starter plants that will have you ready to grow your own garden in no time! Comes with pots, starter plants, seedlings, seeds, and a care and growing guide! Masks must be brought and worn!



Teens vs. Librarians: Karaoke

Monday, June 7 @ 4 pm

Ok, yeah, we always talk smack about how awesome we are compared to teens for these programs but for once...this ain't smack talk. We DARE YOU to try and take the stage after we OBLITERATE IT with our performances.

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Social Distancing Picnic

Wednesdays, June 9 & 23 @ 4 pm

Our social distancing picnics are back! Meet us on the library lawn to spend some safe and fun time with friends. Bring your own snacks, games, and picnic blankets and get ready for some fun and vibin'. Masks must be brought and worn!

Hot Garbage Club

Thursday, June 10 @ 4 pm

Join us on Discord as we find ever newer and ever dumber ways to re-purpose seemingly normal gaming technology in short challenges ala "10 Minute Power Hour."

Outdoor Movie Monday

Monday, June 14 @ 7 pm

Like our Movie In The Park program, but a bit smaller scale. We're gonna go hit the library lawn, put up the awning, and screen some fun flicks with some healthy social distancing. Masks must be brought and worn!

Paracord Weaving

Wednesday, June 16 @ 4 pm

Meet up on our front lawn to learn a (fairly) simple weave and show off your new wrist adornment. Masks must be brought and worn!

Lifebrarians: Budgeting*

Thursday, June 17 @ 4 pm

One of the most needed yet rarely taught life skills. Start getting prepared by learning how to save those hard earned dollars, apply them where truly needed, and figure out what spending cash you would have left. Maybe even venture into the long lost art of checkbook balancing! We can also discuss what a checkbook is. Also checks.

Photo Scavenger Hunt

Meet #1: Monday, June 21 @ 4 pm

Meet #2: Monday, June 28 @ 4 pm

In this two-part program, we'll first meet to establish a list of improbable, interesting, and unique things to hunt for with our camera lenses. When we meet a week later, we'll compare our various examples of the things we've captured and vote on who found the best and coolest examples. Prizes for the top points-earner! Masks must be brought and worn at meetings!

Overnight D&D

Friday, June 25 @ 8 pm

While we can't have a library lock-in this

year, we can still stay up wayyy too late and game in the comfort of the Discord servers. Play in this marathon one-shot D&D game with a ridiculous power scale unto the wee hours.

TAKE-AND-MAKE PROGRAMS

Pick up your pre-made kit to learn, do, and create. Instructions and/or how-to video URL included in each kit. Kits are limited, so please call (631-728-6241 prompt 5) or email (teen@hamptonbayslibrary.org) to sign up! Once signed up, you will be given an appointment to pick up your kit if ready, or placed on the list to contact once kits are put together.

MAY

Mother's Day & Father's Day Jars

Take-and-make

Learn how to create 3 different projects using jars, paper, and other items found at home. Jars are filled with tons of ideas you can do with mom and dad, or even siblings and grandparents.



Spring Butterfly Wreath

Take-and-make

Make this perfect spring or summer decor by covering a wreath frame with garland, faux flowers and butterflies.



JUNE

Snow Cone Body Scrubs and Watermelon Lip Scrubs

Take-and-make

Nothing says summer like snow cones! Make this fun snow cone scented body scrub using coconut oil, Kool-Aid, and mica powder. Then using your leftover watermelon Kool-Aid, create a refreshing lip scrub!



DIY Garden Terrariums

Take-and-make

Create your own mini garden oasis without the yard space!





SECCION EN ESPAÑOL

¡Ayuda en Español disponible en su Biblioteca!

Lunes a viernes de 10:00 am a 4:30 pm

Para más información visite nuestro sitio web en español <http://hamptonbayslibrary.org/spanish-outreach/> Llame durante estas horas al número 631-728-6241 ext. 112 y pregunte por Vicky Cuccia o marque el número 1 para dejar un mensaje.



Nuestras clases de Inglés vía email (vcuccia@hamptonbayslibrary.org) continúan como hasta ahora. (También puedes recibir

una copia impresa llamando previamente a Vicky Cuccia al número y extensión de teléfono abajo indicados, o también vía email).

Para más información por favor enviar un email a Vicky Cuccia a la dirección de correo arriba indicada, o llamar al teléfono 631-728-6241 – ext 112

Clases de Ciudadanía

Para más información sobre las clases de ciudadanía por favor envíe un email a Vicky Cuccia a: vcuccia@hamptonbayslibrary.org



CLASES DE INGLÉS Y CIUDADANÍA VIA ZOOM

Ahora en línea, mediante la aplicación ZOOM, nuestra biblioteca está ofreciendo clases de preparación para la ciudadanía:

- **Lunes y martes CIUDADANÍA de 7:00 a 8:00 pm**
- **Miércoles Inglés de 7:30 a 8:30 pm.**

Para más información, por favor llame a Vicky Cuccia, al 631-728-6241 ext. 112 o envíe un correo electrónico a vcuccia@hamptonbayslibrary.org

Curso virtual de pre-licencia de 5 horas

La escuela de conducir **East End Driving School** ofrece un curso virtual por \$70.00.

Para obtener más información, o para registrarse y pagar con tarjeta de crédito o débito a través de PayPal, vaya a <http://eastenddrivingschoolli.com/5-hour/>



Ayuda con la Tarea – Brainfuse



brainfuse HelpNow™

Su tarjeta de la biblioteca le da acceso a Brainfuse (a través de nuestro sitio web), el asistente de tareas en línea. Repase los temas,

hable con un tutor y obtenga consejos de escritura de expertos.

- Ayuda en línea para tareas, estudio, FAFSA y redacción
- Para estudiantes K-12 y estudiantes adultos
- Uso gratuito con la tarjeta de la biblioteca de Hampton Bays vigente
- Tutoría en vivo de domingo a sábado 10AM - 11PM
- Laboratorio de Idiomas Extranjeros / Apoyo en Español

Recurso Destacado:

¡Acceso gratuito a las mejores películas del mundo con su tarjeta de biblioteca!



El popular servicio de transmisión de películas a demanda Kanopy ahora está disponible para los usuarios de HBPL. Transmite una amplia colección de películas y documentales a una variedad de dispositivos a su escritorio, dispositivo móvil y Roku. Las películas incluyen películas favoritas de festivales, documentales premiados, películas extranjeras, títulos difíciles de encontrar, películas independientes y clásicas con colecciones de A24, The Great Courses, Paramount Pictures, The Criterion Collection y miles de cineastas independientes. Y no se olvide de **KanopyKids** para películas, cortometrajes y series educativas y de entretenimiento para niños seleccionados para su edad.

NEW! Hotspots Móviles



¿Necesita acceso gratuito a Wi-Fi en casa o mientras viaja? ¡Pida prestado uno de nuestros NUEVOS Hotspots Wi-Fi! Estos dispositivos compactos transmiten el acceso a Internet a través de conexiones Wi-Fi utilizando una red 4G. Esto permitirá a los usuarios configurar su propia conexión privada a Internet, casi en cualquier lugar, ¡y es perfecto para estudiantes, trabajadores y viajeros móviles! **Solo para adolescentes y adultos. Debe**

tener una tarjeta de la Biblioteca de Hampton Bays en regla. Llame o pase por el mostrador de Circulación para obtener más información o para obtener ayuda para reservar un HotSpot hoy.



Programs & Events

Adults

Adult Virtual Programs: We invite all of our adult patrons to take part in and enjoy these wonderful virtual programs brought to you by the Hampton Bays Public Library! Remember to like us on our Facebook Page at <https://www.facebook.com/Hampton-Bays-Public-Library-48153915343>

Special Programs:

Virtual "Dungeons & Dragons" for New Adults with The Quest Master's Guild

Saturdays, May 1 & June 5; 1:00-4:00 pm



Come and play *Dungeons & Dragons* (5th Ed) online with The Quest Masters Guild! All that is needed to play is the Discord app and a microphone. **Space is limited so please reach out for**

instructions on how to join at questmastersguild@gmail.com or message them on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/questmastersguild/>

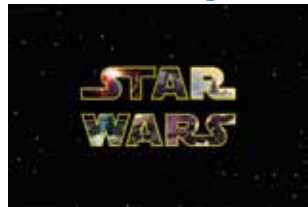
Virtual "Homemade Lotion Bar Take & Make Kits," via YouTube

Monday, May 3; 7:00-8:00 pm

Create your own soap lotion bar with only 3 ingredients! Your kit will include a soap mold, Cocoa Butter + Beeswax Pellets. You will only need olive oil. **To arrange for pick-up of your "Take & Make" Kit and the YouTube link, please email Donna at dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org with the subject "HOMEMADE LOTION BARS." Kits limited to HBPL Cardholders ONLY!**



Virtual "May the Fourth Be With You: A One Day Trivia Challenge!"



Tuesday, May 4; Anytime-11:59 pm

On Tuesday, May 4, answer 25 Star Wars related questions. On **Monday, May 3, you may register** by sending an email to Theresa at theresaowens8@gmail.com with the subject "HBAY/STAR WARS"

The 25 Star Wars related questions will

be emailed to you on Tuesday, May 4 and you will have until 11:59 pm to answer them! **Everyone who plays will be eligible to win a \$25 Amazon gift card, regardless of score.**

Virtual "Cinco de Mayo Celebration with Churro Muffins" Facebook LIVE Cooking Demo with "Grab & Go" Kits with Simply Creative Chef Rob Scott

Wednesday, May 5; 6:00-6:30 pm

Join Chef Rob Scott for a LIVE Cooking Demo from his home on the Hampton Bays Public Library's Facebook Page! Rob will demonstrate how to make delicious Churro Muffins to celebrate Cinco de Mayo! **To arrange for pick-up of your "Grab & Go" Kit, please email Donna at dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org**



with the subject "CHURRO MUFFINS." Kits limited to HBPL Cardholders ONLY! Just go to <https://www.facebook.com/Hampton-Bays-Public-Library-48153915343> to watch LIVE or the recording at a later date.

Virtual "NY Project Hope" Seminar, via Zoom

Thursday, May 6; 7:00-8:00 pm

NY Project Hope is a statewide crisis counseling initiative available to every New York resident. The Crisis Counseling Program provides support, outreach, and education



to assist individuals and communities coping with COVID-19. It is a strengths-based program offering support that promotes resilience, empowerment, and recovery; it is always free, confidential, and anonymous! **To learn more about this crisis counseling initiative, via Zoom, email Dani at dsilverstein@mhaw.org with the subject "NY PROJECT HOPE-MAY 6."**

Virtual "Unclaimed Funds" Seminar, via Zoom

Tuesday, May 11; 6:30-7:30 pm

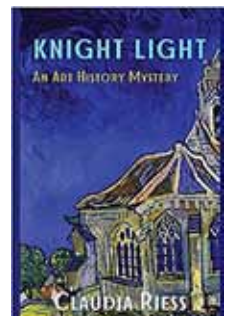


A representative from the State Comptroller's Office will teach you how to search for and claim funds from forgotten savings accounts, lost paychecks, stock, bonds, etc., via Zoom. Please join us for this live event, this session will NOT be recorded. **To register in advance, email Donna at dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org with the subject "UNCLAIMED FUNDS" for the Zoom link and password.**

Virtual "Clues to Writing a Murder Mystery," via Zoom

Thursday, May 13; 7:00-8:00 pm

Seasoned authors Marcia Rosen and Claudia Riess reveal their clues to creating a mystery novel. Rosen explains how living on the East End has influenced her books, and Riess shares how her experience in the art world provided inspiration for her recent series. Rosen also brings her marketing expertise to the table. **To register in advance, email Marcia at marciagrosen@gmail.com for the Zoom link and password.**



Special Programs: *continued*

Virtual "Bridgerton: A One Day Trivia Challenge!"



Saturday, May 15; Anytime-11:59 pm

On Saturday, May 15, play a fun game of Bridgerton-themed Trivia + Answer questions from the popular Netflix series! **On Friday, May 14, you may register** by sending an email to Theresa at theresaowens8@gmail.com with the subject "HBAY/BRIDGERTON" All questions will be emailed to you on Saturday, May 15 and you'll have until 11:59 pm to play! **Everyone who plays will be eligible to win a \$25 Amazon gift card, regardless of score.**

Virtual "Marine Debris: Changing the Tide!" Presentation, via Zoom

Tuesday, May 18; 6:30-7:30 pm

Atlantic Marine Conservation Society biologists will introduce partici-



pants to the dangers marine debris has on our environment. They will go over the different types of marine debris, their sources, the impacts they have on the marine environment and animals, and how proper beach cleanups may be effective. By the end of the presentation, participants will have the knowledge to safely go out and clean their local beaches properly and understand how they can reduce their single-waste consumption in their everyday lives. **Please register in advance using the following link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6vpsjssH93JIBfY2tJPBvkbrV6EAyW>

Virtual "Turning 65" Seminar, via Zoom

Thursday, May 20; 6:30-7:30 pm



If you are turning 65, it is important to understand your options so that you can avoid any mistakes that can adversely affect your coverage. In this seminar, via Zoom, you will be able to speak with a trained Senior Health Insurance Coordinator, who represents all of the major carriers. She will simplify this complex process...all at no cost to you. **To sign up, please email Norma at** agentnfc@gmail.com **with the subject "TURNING 65" for the Zoom link and password.**

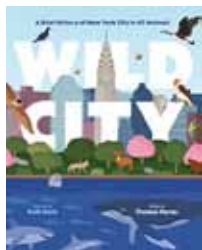
Virtual "Drawdown the Future: A Conversation for our Changing Times," via Zoom

Wednesdays, June 2, 9, 16, 23; 7:00-8:00 pm

This informative 4-panel series, via Zoom, is designed to start a community conversation about ways we can create the future we want,



and how we can start now to take actions that transition us into a regenerative, circular economy for all. The series will focus on Eating for the Future, Lawn and Landscape for the Future, Seafood for the Future and Fashion and Fabrics for the Future. **To sign up, please email Drawdown East End at** DrawdownEastEnd@gmail.com **for the Zoom link and password.**



East End Libraries Present: "Famous New York Birds with Author Thomas Hynes," via Zoom

Wednesday, June 2; 7:00-8:00 pm

New Yorkers take celebrities in stride – except maybe when the celebrity is a bird. From Pale Male to, most recently, the Great Snowy Owl on

the Great Lawn, New Yorkers have flocked to these high fliers. Join Thomas Hynes, author of *Wild City*, as he discusses these avian New York City residents (and visitors), as well as what makes New York City such a great place to be a bird. **To register in advance, email Donna at** dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org **with the subject "FAMOUS NEW YORK BIRDS" for the Zoom link and password.**

Virtual "Let's Get Organized...& Win A Prize!" via YouTube

Monday, June 7; 7:00-8:00 pm

Watch an informative tutorial + learn tips and tricks on getting organized. You will also learn how to make a D.I.Y. natural room spray. After you watch, email Theresa at theresaowens8@gmail.com with the subject "HBAY/ORGANIZED" and let



her know something you learned from the tutorial. You will then be entered to win a \$25.00 Amazon card to win some items mentioned in the tutorial! **Watch and email Theresa anytime from June 7-14! There will be 1 winner per library.**

"Animals in Art" LIVE ZOOM VIDEOCHAT ART WORKSHOP for Adults, Teens Welcome Too!

Tuesday, June 8; 6:30-7:30 pm



Discover how the world's great artists – Chagall, Picasso, Rousseau, and others created imaginative masterpieces featuring animals. Then Joyce Raimondo, a professional illustrator and author of *Art Safari*, will guide you with tips for drawing animals to create your own illustration that features your favorite animals. **SUPPLIES NEEDED: paper, pencil, sharpener, eraser, colored pencils optional, and photo of animal. Register**

in advance at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6vpsjssH93JIBfY2tJPBvkbrV6EAyW>

Virtual "Keeping It in the Family: How to Make Your Trust Bulletproof Seminar," via Zoom

Thursday, June 10; 7:00-8:00 pm

Life events such as a divorce can have a lasting effect on your assets and your estate plan. There are always ways to plan ahead to protect your loved ones, as well as your own assets. Join us for an important discussion on how to bullet-proof your wills and trusts plus what you need to do to protect your assets.



To sign up, please email Burner Law Group at info@burnerlaw.com **for the Zoom link and password.**

East End Libraries Present: "The Precisions: A Filmed Concert," via YouTube

Sunday, June 13; 2:00-3:00 pm



The Precisions are a five member live band who have been entertaining audiences for decades. Originating in Brooklyn, NY as a vocal group, *The Precisions* recorded the national hit song, "Someone to Watch Over Me"/Golden Crest Records. Today, *The Precisions* include

Catherine Santaniello, one of Long Island's top female vocalists. They are popular among fans of classic and vintage rock, and are known for their wide-ranging repertoire. **Just go to** <https://www.facebook.com/Hampton-Bays-Public-Library-48153915343>

Special Programs: *continued*

Virtual "Cooking with Craig" Facebook LIVE Cooking Demo

Monday, June 14; 6:30-7:30 pm



Welcome back Chef Craig & the *Block Island Seafood Company* for a salute to Old Glory on Flag Day! Craig will demonstrate how to make Roasted Red

Beet Salad, Linguine with White Clam Sauce and a Blueberry Crisp LIVE from his home on the Hampton Bays Public Library's Facebook Page!

Just go to <https://www.facebook.com/Hampton-Bays-Public-Library-48153915343>

Virtual "Rescue, Rehab, and Release: What's the Point?" Presentation, via Zoom

Tuesday, June 15; 6:30-7:30 pm

Have you ever wondered what goes into the rescue, rehabilitation, and release of sea turtles



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and marine mammals? *Atlantic Marine Conservation Society* biologists will address all aspects of the rescue, rehabilitation, and release processes for sea turtles and seals. We will explain our current efforts to rehabilitate the cold-stunned Kemp's ridley sea turtles that have been in our care since early December 2020. **Please register in advance using the following link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/80466666666>

Virtual "Wild Long Island" Presentation, via Zoom

Thursday, June 17; 7:00-8:00 pm

Join Chris Paparo, aka the "Fish Guy," via Zoom, to learn about the fascinating wildlife that can be found on the land, in the air, and in the waters of Long Island. **To register in advance, email Donna at**

dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org with the subject "WILD LONG ISLAND" for the Zoom link and password.



Virtual "Raspberry Lemonade Summer Lip Scrub Take & Make Kits!" via YouTube

Monday, June 21; 7:00-8:00 pm

Create your own Raspberry Lemonade Summer Lip Scrub. Your kit will include sugar, lip scrub containers, raspberry-lemonade mix and pure lemon extract. You will only need coconut oil + a bowl! **To arrange for pick-up of your "Take & Make" Kit and the YouTube link, please email Donna at** dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org **with the subject "SUMMER LIP SCRUB." Kits limited to HBPL Cardholders ONLY!**



Virtual "Pedestrian/Bike Safety Workshop," via Zoom

Thursday, June 24; 7:00-8:00 pm



Join the executive director of the New York Coalition for Transportation Safety for an eye-opening workshop about NYS traffic/pedestrian safety laws meant to protect you on LI's roadways. Do you know why you should walk facing traffic? Learn more about this, other laws, and new technologies being put in place to keep you safe in this "Staying Safe on Our

Streets" virtual workshop. **This program is brought to you by the New York Coalition for Transportation Safety in partnership with the Long Island Health Collaborative and Walk Safe LI education campaign. To register in advance, email Donna at** dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org **with the subject "PEDESTRIAN/BIKE SAFETY WORKSHOP" for the Zoom link and password.**

Virtual Ukulele Club

Mondays; 1:00-2:00 pm

Uke with others from the comfort and safety of your own home using Zoom. Please contact Stephen Young at syoung@hamptonbayslibrary.org for more information on how to join.



Coupon for HBPL Patrons for Empire Safety Council's Online Defensive Driving Courses

Just go to <http://www.empiresafety-council.com> CLICK on register for on-line class. After registering, MUST ENTER promotion code HBPL for \$10 OFF making price \$34.95. **ANY questions please contact Diana Palumbo-Wilbur, Agent/Chief Instructor at 631-664-0652 OR email her at** dpalumbo22@yahoo.com

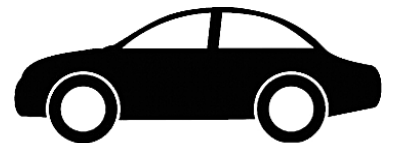


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Virtual 5-Hour Pre-Licensing Course

The East End Driving School is offering a virtual course for \$70.00. **For more information, or to register and pay with a credit or debit card via PayPal, go to**

<http://eastenddrivingschoolli.com/5-hour/>



COVID-19 Vaccine Information

For more information regarding the COVID-19 vaccine or to schedule an appointment, visit <https://covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov>. Do you need assistance scheduling an appointment? Stop by the reference desk or call to speak to a librarian. **Please note that we are unable to make the appointment for you and we cannot guarantee that appointments will be available.**

Virtual Literature Groups

The History Book Club, via Zoom

Alternate Thursdays; 10:00-11:00 am

***Email Donna at** dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org **with the subject "HISTORY BOOK CLUB" for more information.**

Monthly Poetry with the Poetry Rising Group, via Zoom

Fridays, May 14 & June 11; 1:00-2:30 pm

An informal poetry group meets the second Friday of each month, via Zoom. Please share your original poems or prose, anything goes! "Inspiring, aspiring, motivating, fun, moving, and more..." **Email Donna at** dvalle@hamptonbayslibrary.org **with the subject "POETRY RISING" for the Zoom link and password.**

Technology

Do you have technology questions in this time of social distancing and virtual instruction?

1. Contact the Reference Desk at 631-728-6241 / option 4
2. Email us at ref@hamptonbayslibrary.org
3. Instant message via the Chat link on our homepage.

Virtual Tech Programs through Zoom: How to Make Your First Website Using Wix

Wednesday, May 5; 6:30-7:30 pm

Wix.com is a website design platform that is user-friendly for beginners and experts alike. Whether it's your first time creating or you're a long time expert, you'll find the features and solutions you need to build a professional website with true creative freedom. This class is designed as an introduction to the Wix.com layout and help you become more familiar with adding and editing your webpage. **Email Sara at sbedell@hamptonbayslibrary.org with "Wix" in the subject line to receive your Zoom ID, link and password. Please make sure your device is fully charged before class begins.**



Introduction to Zoom

Wednesday, May 12; 6:30-7:30 pm



Do you want to stay connected with friends and family during social distancing? Zoom provides video and online chat services through a cloud-based peer-to-peer software platform. This class will make you confident in utilizing and navigating this popular virtual conferencing platform. **Email Sara at sbedell@hamptonbayslibrary.org with "Zoom" in the subject line to receive your Zoom ID, link and password. Please make sure your device is fully charged before class begins.**

WordPress for Beginners

Wednesday, June 2; 6:30-7:30 pm

Are you looking for a new project to start the New Year? Take this class and learn how to create your own website and share your information with the world. Learn how to add images, create a layout for your website, share your first post and so much more!



Email Sara at sbedell@hamptonbayslibrary.org with "WordPress" in the subject line to receive your Zoom ID, link and password. Please make sure your device is fully charged before class begins.

Create a YouTube Channel

Wednesday, June 9; 6:30-7:30 pm



Creating a personal or business YouTube channel offers a centralized platform to discover videos and music you love and have your audience view and engage

with your own video content. Learn to upload original video content that will resonate with your audience and grow your followership. **Email Sara at sbedell@hamptonbayslibrary.org with "YouTube" in the subject line to receive your Zoom ID, link and password. Please make sure your device is fully charged before class begins.**

In-Library Tech Help Daytime Drop-in Tech Help

Mondays & Thursdays;

10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Need quick answers to tricky questions about your device (laptop, tablet, e-reader, smartphone, camera)? Visit the Reference Desk for technology assistance. **Please note that device repair and virus removal are not included.** No appointment is required. Help will be provided on a first-come, first-served basis. Sessions are 10 minutes long. Please wear your mask! Open to all.



Library News

NEW! Rent a Bike Lock

Warmer weather is finally here! Whether you are stopping in to browse the library, visiting the local beaches or cruising around the town, remember to keep your bicycle safe. Borrow one of our bike locks to secure your bike when parking it at any location. **For Teens & Adults only. You must have a Hampton Bays Library card in good standing. For more information, visit the Circulation desk or call (631) 728-6241 (OPTION 3).**



Mobile Hotspots

Need Free Wi-Fi access at home or on the go? Borrow one of our NEW Wi-Fi Hotspots! These compact devices broadcast internet access over Wi-Fi connections using a 4G network. This will enable users to set up their own private internet connection, almost anywhere, and is perfect for mobile students, workers and travelers! **For Teens & Adults only. You must have a Hampton Bays Library card in good standing.** Call or stop by the Circulation desk for more info or for help in reserving a Hotspot today.



Museum Passes

As part of our mission to provide wonderful learning and recreational experiences for our patrons inside and outside of the library, we offer many Museum Passes for our patrons to borrow. Reservations are required; details vary by museum. Register online! Some Museum Passes must be picked up & returned to the Library in person, but many can be printed at home. Please visit our website to view our Museum Passes brochure for details on all participating museums and to make your reservation, or contact the Circulation Desk for more info. **Patrons must be adult HBPL cardholders in good standing. Museum Passes circulate for a 3-day period; the late fee is \$20 per day. ***While we are observing NYS Covid-19 re-opening protocols you must verify with the participating museum that it is open to the public prior to reserving a pass*****





The Friends of the Hampton Bays Library

"Twice Sold Tales" Bookstore

Please check our website for updates! If the Library is closed, the Book Store is also closed.

Every Saturday from 9:00 am-2:00 pm



News!

- A generous patron has again agreed to fund a \$1000 Matching Grant for the Friends. From March 1-May 31, any money you donate to the Friends will be **MATCHED!!** You can give online, at the Circulation desk, or send it via mail to the library.
- JOIN US** for our Spring Book Sale on the lawn on May 22 from 9-2! We will be featuring cooking books, gardening books, and children's book!
- Did you know that when you become a member you receive an awesome car magnet and book bucks to spend in the bookstore?
- Please e-mail eolsen@hamptonbayslibrary.org for book donations. You **MUST** have an appointment to donate. Limit **one** medium box per appointment.
- Check us out on our website at www.FriendsoftheHBPL.org

We would love to hear from you! Reach us at 631-268-0788 or FriendsoftheHBPL@gmail.com. Follow us on Facebook @ Friends of the Hampton Bays Library.



Homebound and Vision Impaired Services

Library Services for the Homebound

Don't let a medical condition stop you from using your library! Have your favorite books, magazines, movies, and more brought to you via the United States Postal Service. Free home delivery is available to district residents with valid Hampton Bays library cards who are physically unable to travel to the library due to illness or disability, whether permanent or temporary, or for individuals who are frail and elderly and don't have transportation. For more information, please call the Circulation desk at 728-6241 / press 3.

Talking Books

"Talking Books" -- novels, nonfiction, magazines and other recreational reading materials -- are produced by the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped (NLS); the program is administered by the **Andrew Heiskell Braille & Talking Books Library**. Materials and the machines needed to read them are available free for library patrons. Talking books are mailed and returned postage-free, so there is never a direct cost to users. If you or someone you know would like to receive these services, please call the library at 728-6241 ext 109 for more information. The Andrew Heiskell library can be reached directly at 1-855-697-6975 (toll-free).

HBPL's Little Free Library

A **Little Free Library** (LFL) is a free book exchange created to encourage ongoing neighborliness and appreciation for literacy within the community. We are mindful that our LFL continues to be both a joy and a necessity for many in the Hampton Bays community even during Covid-19. We are vigilant in disinfecting our library collections and quarantining and cleaning returned library materials before they circulate again, and we urge you to exercise the same caution when leaving or taking LFL items. Stay safe!



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Library Board Meeting Dates

Tuesday, May 4, 7:00 pm
Tuesday, June 1, 7:00 pm

The Library will close on the following day:

Monday, May 31: Memorial Day

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Monday-Friday: 10:00 am-7:00 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am-5:00 pm

Sunday: 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

Effective June 1, 2021 the Library will be open until 9 pm Monday through Thursday.

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