



HAMPTON BAYS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Navigating a Sea of Information

THE FRIENDS OF THE HAMPTON BAYS LIBRARY

MAY 11, 2024
10:00AM-5:00PM

Check out a video of last year's event at
www.FRIENDSoftheHBPL.org

 Douglas Elliman

Mini
GOLF

and
IN the Library

Check out
our Adults Only
Tapas Par-Tee
Friday night May 10th
details on our website!

Spring
FESTIVAL

ON the Lawn

MATCHING GRANT

2X\$

Three generous patrons have agreed to fund a \$6,500 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, indicating "Matching Grant."

NY BLOOD DRIVE

 New York
Blood Center

Wednesday, May 29; 1:00PM-7:00PM

You may donate if you are at least 17 years old (16 years old with written consent from a parent or legal guardian), weigh at least 110 pounds, and are in good health. Appointments are suggested but walk-ins are welcome. **If you have further questions or you would like to schedule an appointment, please call the New York Blood Center at 1-800-933-BLOOD (2566).**

PUPPIES & POSES

Sunday, May 19; 1:00PM-1:45PM OR 2:00PM-2:45PM

Downward dog? More like downward puppy! This event is all thanks to Pit Of Our Souls Non-Profit Rescue, so please join us in learning about their rescue and, of course, meeting some pups. This event is open to patrons ages 7 through adult. **Registration required.**

Open to HBAY patrons. Choose ONE time slot. Limited space.



QUEER PRIDE ON THE LOWER EAST SIDE WITH THE NEW YORK TENEMENT MUSEUM

via Zoom

Wednesday, June 5; 7:00PM-8:00PM

From secret lives rediscovered to famous activists and organizations, join us for an exploration of the LGBTQIA+ history of the Lower East Side in this interactive virtual program. Making use of oral histories from residents of our historic tenement buildings, personal memoirs, and archival research, we will examine a century of material tracing the unique connection between our neighborhood and the growth of Queer culture and identity in New York City and beyond.

2024
PRIDE MONTH

TINY ART SHOW

Saturday, July 20, 1:00PM-3:00PM

Pick up Art Show Kit July 1-17

(Return by 7/18)

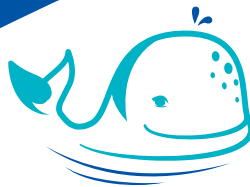
You are invited to your very own Tiny Art Show. Create your own masterpiece and display at the show and reception. *Sponsored by The Friends of the Hampton Bays Library* www.FRIENDSoftheHBPL.org



THANK YOU AND WELL WISHES!

The staff and the board would like to extend a huge thank you to Emily Cullings for her years of service and devotion to the Hampton Bays Public Library. We wish great success to Emily and the Cullings family. They will be missed.

Children



childrensroom@hamptonbayslibrary.org
hamptonbayslibrary.org/children

Please note. You may now register for programs online at hamptonbays.librarycalendar.com/. Registration begins Tuesday, April 23 online, in-person, or by phone at (631) 728-6241 press 6 for the Children's Room. Registration forms can be picked up in the Children's Room. Registration forms will NOT be accepted until Tuesday, April 23. Submitting a registration form does not guarantee a spot. In-person and telephone registrations are done in the order they are received.

Unless otherwise indicated, all programs are in-person. Virtual programs will be posted to our Facebook page at 11:00AM. Participate at your leisure.

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.

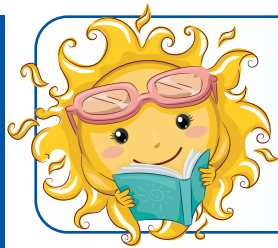
Attention parents and caregivers. Please refrain from using your cell phones during programs unless you are taking a picture or video of your child. Cell phone use is distracting to both the program presenter and the children.



TAKE & MAKE
MONDAYS
(KITS ONLY)

All ages. Younger children will need adult assistance. Limit 20 for each session.

Please note. We will no longer be making reminder calls for Take & Makes. Kits not picked up after three weeks will be put in the "Free Craft" bin in front of the Children's Desk.



SUMMER READING

Get ready to take the plunge!
Summer Reading early registration begins on Wednesday, June 26.



IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

Kits will be provided for all virtual programs.

Zumbini

Wednesdays @ 10:30AM

Birth-3 years with adult.

A music and movement experience designed to let you and your little ones move, dance, and sing together, the Zumbini program is where the science of child development meets the magic of Zumba. **Limit 25.**



Art Adventure

Fridays @ 5:00PM

Art Adventure

Grades K-2. Join Miss Barbara for open ended creation sessions using a variety of arts and crafts materials. ****Please note. There will be NO class on June 7. Limit 15.**

My First Story Time

Mondays @ 10:30AM

Birth-36 months with adult.

Babies and Tots! Join Miss Sheila for this first-time story time. **Limit 25.**



Book Buddies

Thursdays, May 2 & June 6 @ 4:00PM

BOOK BUDDIES



Want to hang out with some super cool teens? Teen volunteers will pair up with younger children in the Children's Room and read aloud with them to strengthen early literacy skills. **Limit 12.**

Wildflower Seed Bombs

Thursday, May 2 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Help spread the flowers of May by making these earth friendly seed bombs! **Limit 12.**



Family Game Day

Monday, May 6 @ 4:00PM

All ages. Have fun playing board games and card games with family and friends at the library. **Limit 12.**



MAY



Monday, May 6

Mother's Day Gift & Card



Monday, May 13

Q-Tip Dandelions



Monday, May 20

Cress Heads

JUNE



Monday, June 3

Tissue & Paper Plate
Turtles



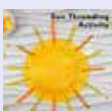
Monday, June 10

Father's Day Gift & Card



Monday, June 17

Paper Bag Butterflies



Monday, June 24

Sun Threading

Romp & Rhyme

Tuesdays @ 11:30AM

Ages 2-4 years with

adult. Sing, clap, and

play along with Miss

Barbara in this interactive

weekly program designed

especially for toddlers

and preschoolers ages 2-4 with their caregivers.

This is now a drop-in program. Registration

is no longer required. Please note. There will

be NO class on June 4.



Lego Club

Wednesdays @ 5:00PM

Ages 4-9. Get your brick

on! Join Miss Barbara for

this open-ended Lego

building program. Build

together and display

your creations in the

library. **Limit 15.**



Cupcake Liner Flowers

Thursday, May 9 @

4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Join Miss

Sheila to make a bouquet

to give as a gift or keep!

Limit 12.



Sense-ational Story Time

Fridays, May 10 & 24 and

June 14 & 28

@ 11:45AM

Ages 3-5 years with

adult. Join Miss Barbara

for stories, fingerplays,

and sensory play.

Limit 12.



Chortles & Chuckles Afternoon Story Time

Wednesdays, May 15 & 29

and June 12 @ 4:00PM

Ages 3-5 with adult.

Join Miss Sheila for this

awesome afternoon

story time filled with

giggles, wiggles, and fun. **Limit 15.**



Circuit Bugs

Thursday, May 16

@ 4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Join Miss

Sheila to explore

electricity and make an

adorable light-up bug.

Limit 12.



DIY End of School Year Gift

Monday, May 20 @ 4:00PM

Grades 2-6. Create a special gift

for your favorite teacher.

Limit 15.



Graphic Novel Book Club

Tuesday, May 21 @ 5:00PM

Grades 3-6. Come join

our Graphic Novel Book

Club. This month we are

reading *The Last Kid on*

Earth: Thrilling Tales

from the Tree House

by Max Brallier. We

will enjoy snacks as we

discuss the book and

create a fun craft to go along with it. Don't

forget to stop by the Children's Desk after you

sign up to pick up a copy of the book to read

and keep. **Limit 10.**



Clay Day

Thursday, May 23 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Calling all

sculptors! Bring your

imagination, and we will

supply the air-dry clay.

Enjoy an afternoon of

creating anything you like

using our supply of air-dry clay. **Limit 12.**



Just Paint

Thursday, May 30 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Join

Miss Sheila for an

afternoon of free

painting. A variety of

paints will be

available to try.

Limit 12.



Nuts & Bolts Art

Thursday, June 6 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Use your

imagination and some

hardware store nuts and

bolts to sculpt an original

piece of art. Hot glue will

be used. **Limit 12.**



DIY Father's Day Cards

Monday, June 10 @ 4:00PM

Grades 2-6. Create a special

card for Father's Day that he

will be sure to love.

Limit 15.



Teddy Bear Talk

Tuesday, June 11 @ 5:00PM

Grades K-5. Bring your

favorite teddy bear to

the library to enjoy some

teddy bear stories and

create a unique craft.

Limit 15.



Trivia and Dance Party - Taylor's Version

Thursday, June 13 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Come

celebrate Taylor Swift's

Half Birthday! Flex your

swiftie knowledge on

trivia, make a friendship

bracelet, and dance to

songs from your favorite

eras! Special snacks will

be served. Are you ready

for it? **Limit 12.**



Rainbow Pride Story Time

Tuesday, June 18 @ 4:00PM

Pre-K-Grade 2

(Preschoolers must be

accompanied by an

adult.) Join us in sharing

Rainbow Pride stories and

make a super cool tie-dye teddy bear. Connect

with your community and celebrate Pride.

Limit 15.



Craft Closet Clean Out

Thursday, June 20 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3-6. Cleaning can

be fun! Our closet needs

your help! Join Miss

Sheila for an afternoon

of creating using crafting

odds and ends. You

never know what you

might find. **Limit 12.**



Annual Ponquogue Bay Beach Adventure

Thursday, June 27 @ 11:00AM

Families. Gather your

buckets and nets and

meet us on the bay

side of Tiana Beach to

collect Marine life. We

will examine what we

find and return all living

creatures to the water

before we leave. (Parking is limited on the bay

side. Feel free to park on the ocean side and

walk across.)

No Limit.



Teen

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

Puppies and Poses

Sunday, May 19
1:00PM-1:45PM OR 2:00PM-2:45PM



There's puppies and yoga, folks! What could be a better way to decompress from all the tests and stress? **Registration required. Choose ONE time slot.**

Graduation Party

Friday, June 28; 5:00PM-7:00PM

You did it! We're so proud of all of our graduating teens and this is our way of saying thank you for making the library what it is today. We'll have pizza, games, and a good time.



Summer Reading Challenge

Registration begins on June 17

It's starting! The theme this year is *Adventure Begins at Your Library*.

Check out our website for more information!



5-Hour Pre-Licensing Class

Saturday, May 18; 10:00AM-3:00PM

***Must arrive no later than 9:45AM!**

Saturday, June 15; 10:00AM-3:00PM

***Must arrive no later than 9:45AM!**

You must bring your photo New York State Learner's permit, **\$55 in cash**, and a packed lunch to class.



WELLNESS & SELF-CARE

Snow Cone Sugar Scrub

Friday, May 10; 3:30PM-4:30PM

This sugar scrub recipe smells like a snow cone and will help keep your skin soft and smooth.



DIY Shower Steamers

Friday, May 24; 3:30PM-4:30PM

They're like bath bombs but for showers! Make 'em here and leave them overnight to pick up.

DIY Aromatherapy Stress Ball

Friday, June 7; 3:30PM-4:30PM

Ever get so stressed you want to smash something? Same. Let's make a stress ball with clay so you can get your frustrations out.

Registration required.

Pride Club: Pride & Picnics

Thursday, June 13; 3:00PM-4:00PM

We're gonna sit on the lawn, have some light refreshments, and talk about how we're celebrating Pride Month!

COOKING & FOOD

Yum Vs. Yuck

Fridays, May 17 & June 14; 3:00PM-4:00PM

Dive into Universal Yums with us to try different foods from around the world! This one-way ticket is a surprise destination. This is a drop-in program. **Please note: Those with food allergies may wish to skip this program.**

CREATIVE CORNER

Prom-posal Prep Drop-in

Tuesday, May 7; 3:00PM-5:00PM

Prom is right around the corner! We've got posterboards, art supplies, and a million embellishments to decorate.



Air Plant Terrarium

Wednesdays, May 22 & June 12; 3:00PM-4:00PM

Create a cute and cozy terrarium for your new air plant.



Slime-Time Drop-In

Mondays, May 6 & June 3; 3:00PM-4:00PM

Hang out and create your own batch of slime.

Craft & Chill

Tuesdays, May 28 & June 25; 3:00PM-5:00PM

We have SO many craft supplies— make jewelry, diamond coasters, or a hot mess. Either way, drop in for a good time with buds.

Story Crafters: Teen Writing Workshop

Thursdays, May 2, 9, 16, 23 & June 6, 13, 20;
5:00PM-6:00PM

Are you looking for a time and space to write creatively? Join our writers' group to practice writing, share your stories, and hang out!

Pressed Flower Lantern

Wednesday, May 15; 3:30PM-4:30PM



Hang out and create these gorgeous lanterns to take home!

Summer Popsicle Signs

Wednesday, June 26; 3:30PM-4:30PM

Summer is here! Show off your excitement with a custom summer sign.



TABLETOP RPGS

Anime Adventure: Dragon Ball Edition

Tuesdays, May 7, 14, 21, 28 & June 4, 11, 18, 25;
5:30PM-7:30PM

Ka...me...ha...me...ha!! Join us in our new Dragon Ball Z-themed campaign! Build your Hero or Villain and surge to be the most powerful in order to become your universe's strongest character yet!





SCAN QR CODE FOR TEEN REGISTRATION.

All programs are for teens in grades 7th through 12th are drop-ins and **DO NOT** require registration unless otherwise noted.

GAMING & ENTERTAINMENT

Musical Movie Madness

Mondays in May & June, 3:00PM-6:00PM

Musicals! Refreshments! Stop down and sing along to a song or four.



Super Smash Tournament

Thursday, June 27; 5:00PM-6:30PM

The only rule? Hero is banned. Compete for a \$50 gift card for Nintendo EShop, PSN, or STEAM. **Registration required. 20 player max.**

Mario Kart Tournament

Thursday, May 30; 3:00PM-4:30PM

Compete for a \$50 gift card for Nintendo EShop, PSN, or STEAM. **Registration required. 8 player max.**

NERF Wars

Friday, June 21; 6:30PM-9:00PM

It's that time again... after the library closes, the war begins! Raid our selection, bring water, and try to get here around 6pm so we can go over the rules and understand what we're doing before we begin. **Registration required. 24 player max. Arrive no later than 7pm and arrange for pick-up at 9pm.**



Green Teens

Mondays, May 13 & June 10; 3:00PM-4:00PM

Prep nature and garden crafts while brainstorming environmental activities to empower others and create changes in the community! **Gain 1-hr of community service for attending this program.**



TAB (Teen Advisory Board)

Thursdays, May 2 & June 6; 3:00PM-4:00PM

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is a monthly organization of volunteers who work with the library to help plan programs, buy materials, and run events. **Gain 2-hrs of community service for attending this program.**

Hot Weather Kits

Tuesdays, May 14 & June 18; 3:30PM-4:30PM

Sort and package kits to help those in need with the hot summer weather! **Attendees will receive one hour of community service.**

Book Buddies

Thursdays, May 2 & June 6; 4:00PM-5:00PM

Book Buddies are teen volunteers who pair up with younger children and read aloud with them to strengthen early literacy skills. **Gain 1-hr of community service for attending this program.**

Lego Buddies

Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 & June 5, 12, 26; 4:45PM-6:00PM

Lego Buddies are teen volunteers who pair up with younger children and aid them in their Lego creations to strengthen their fine motor skills and get creative! **Gain 1-hr of community service for attending this program.**



COMMUNITY SERVICE

NEW PROGRAM! Adoptagram

Virtual Orientation, May 18; 10:30AM-11:30AM

Visit, June 15; 10:00AM-12:30PM

This is a unique volunteer opportunity for teens to visit the shelter once a month and combine their love of animal welfare and learn social media management techniques. You can take videos and pictures of animals up for adoption, and make social media content to spread awareness of available animals and any upcoming events that relate to the shelter.

Registration required. This event is off-site and transportation is not provided.

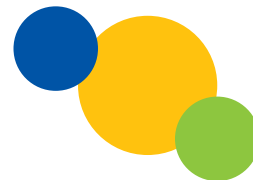


Community Service Appointments

Email or stop by in person to reserve a time slot to complete an in-house community service kit. Limit of 5 per month, as supplies last. **Please note that community service hours are given with the approval of the librarian.**



Adult



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Walking with Purpose

Thursdays, May 2, June 6, 20;
10:30AM-12:00PM

Team up with other Hampton Bays patrons or bring some friends along as librarian Sara guides participants on a local walk while



simultaneously cleaning up litter found along the way. **Garbage bags and trash pickers will be provided.**

Best Management Practices in the Landscape, via Zoom

Thursday, May 2; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Best Management Practices in the Landscape is a presentation that discusses properly selecting plant material for the right sites, installing, and maintaining ornamental native plants, fertilization, grasses, lawn care, proper pruning, and more. Sound planting and aftercare for ornamentals will also help to conserve water because they require less irrigation once established.

Mosaic Bird Workshop

Saturday, May 4; 1:00PM-3:00PM

Join Long Island Mosaic Artist

Gabriella Grama for a fun and creative experience making mosaic birds in the classical method of mosaic, by choosing



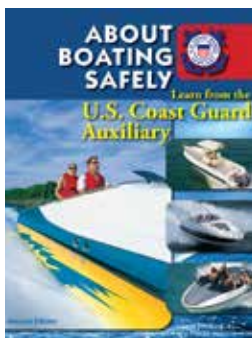
the colors and tiles of your choice. **Materials provided. Non-refundable \$15.00 per person due at registration.**

Boating Safety Course

Saturday, May 4; 9:30AM-4:30PM

Saturday, June 1; 9:30AM-4:30PM

Attend the Boating Safety Course at the Hampton Bays Public Library taught by the US Coast Guard Auxiliary. The course fee is \$50.00 per person payable by check to US Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 06-18. Participants must be at least 10 years old to attend



this class. **SPACE LIMITED.** Register in advance, by contacting Jamie Bedell at jbmedped@gmail.com or call 408-513-4963.

Intermediate Canasta Series

Tuesdays, May 7, 21, 28; 12:00PM-2:00PM

Join instructor Jacqui Palatnik as she brings you to the next level of this very popular card game from the fifties that is making a HUGE comeback! You will learn techniques that



are more advanced and enjoy the ability to become a better player. **SPACE LIMITED. HBPL Card Holders ONLY.**

DANCE

Ballet for Everyone

Tuesdays, May 7, 21; June 4, 18; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Power, grace and fitness are brought together in this classical form of dance. Brush up on your skills or start learning ballet from scratch. Be sure to wear comfortable clothes and shoes.

No prior dance experience required!

Let's Learn to Salsa!

Fridays, May 17, 24; 4:30PM-5:30PM

Participate in a guided instructional session with librarian Sara, tailored for individuals desiring a more gradual approach to learning the art of Salsa dancing. This class offers a wonderful opportunity to stay active as we head into summer. **No partner necessary!**

Bachata for Absolute Beginners

Friday, June 21; 4:30PM-5:30PM

Expand your dance skills and explore the movements of Bachata. Join your friends in the community as we delve into this dynamic dance style with origins in the Dominican Republic. **No partner necessary!**

Flamenco 101

Friday, June 28; 4:30PM-5:30PM

We invite you to join us in exploring a traditional dance form rooted in Spanish culture. During this session, you will have the opportunity to learn fundamental steps and synchronize your movements with the distinctive rhythm of Flamenco music. Wear comfortable clothing and shoes. **No partner necessary!**

How to Manage Your Paper (Without Losing Your Mind!), via Zoom

Wednesday, May 15; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Learn techniques on how to easily manage incoming mail and paperwork that has piled up, find documents needed to file taxes without stress, and follow and maintain a simple, filing system that works.

Chair Boxing Workshop for Adults

Thursday, May 16; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Enjoy this moderate but effective hybrid boxing fitness class, where you will be taught the fundamentals of boxing, hand-eye coordination, stability, balance, and proper breathing techniques.

Using Them Up: How the World Makes Leftovers Taste Like New, via Zoom

Friday, May 17; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join Jacquelyn Ottman to learn how to save money, cut down on climate emissions, and get inspired to make timeless dishes, like fried rice, fish cakes, and frittatas used by food cultures around the world, for centuries, to roll extra food from one meal to the next. Plenty of time built in for questions and a lively, fun discussion.

A Tribute to Broadway's Greatest Hits Concert

Sunday, May 19; 2:00PM-3:00PM

Join Awarding-winning Singer/PBS-TV Host, Cristina Fontanelli, on a vocal journey of Broadway's greatest hits through the years plus the songs of the "Silver Screen" sung by some of the greatest Hollywood stars. Cristina's "Vocal genius" (NY SUN) will enthrall you as her special gift to the fine audiences of Hampton Bays. **Co-sponsored by The Friends of the Hampton Bays Public Library.**



A Day at the Races: The History of Belmont, via Zoom

Tuesday, May 21; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join Michael Rodgers for this presentation on Long Island's iconic thoroughbred horse racing facility Belmont Park and its storied past. The sweeping turns of its one ½-mile racetrack and the long homestretch have challenged the greatest Triple Crown thoroughbreds such as Secretariat, Seattle Slew, and American Pharoah.

NY Blood Drive

Wednesday, May 29; 1:00PM-7:00PM

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Intermediate Mah Jongg Series

Tuesdays, June 4, 11, 18; 12:00PM-2:00PM

Join instructor Jacqui Palatnik as she brings you to the next level of this fascinating game. She will focus on strategies to select winning hands and play more defensively. This class is designed for novice players, who are comfortable reading the card. **SPACE LIMITED. HBPL Card Holders ONLY.**



Adventure-Themed Bingo! for Adults

Wednesday, June 26; 1:00PM-2:00PM

Let's play Adventure-themed bingo with Theresa! Play 8 fun games of Bingo & win some awesome adventure-themed prizes. **SPACE LIMITED. HBPL Card holders ONLY!**



Queer Pride on the Lower East Side with the New York Tenement Museum, via Zoom

Wednesday, June 5; 7:00PM-8:00PM

From secret lives rediscovered to famous activists and organizations, join us for an exploration of the LGBTQIA+ history of the Lower East Side in this interactive virtual program. Making use of oral histories from residents of our historic tenement buildings, personal memoirs, and archival research, we will examine a century of material tracing the unique connection between our neighborhood and the growth of Queer culture and identity in New York City and beyond.



Broadway Trivia! A One-Day Trivia Challenge

Thursday, June 13; Anytime-9:00PM

Please register from June 1-12, and not on June 13

All questions will be from Broadway themed +will be emailed on 6/13. Patrons will have until 9PM to play. Everyone who plays will be eligible to win a \$25 Amazon gift card, regardless of score. **To register, starting 6/1, send an email to Theresa at theresaowens8@gmail.com, with the subject "HBAY/BROADWAY."**

Sisters in the Wind... the road less traveled, via Zoom

Thursday, June 13; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Certain adventurous women chose a different path to freedom and independence by riding bicycles and motorcycles. Riding these machines challenged social mores and led to a change in how society viewed women and how some women viewed themselves. In the late 1800s, and early 1900s women started riding these "freedom machines" and were able to go outside without a male chaperone and to exercise in public.



Ukulele Club

Fridays; 12:00PM-1:00PM

Discover the joy of music and community with the Good Ground Ukulele Group guided by librarian Stephen! Whether you're a seasoned ukulele player or a complete beginner, join us for a harmonious experience. Strum along, share your musical passion, and make new friends in a supportive environment. Mark your calendar for our upcoming sessions and embark on a tuneful journey together! **Registration required.**



*Don't own a ukulele? Borrow one of ours at the Circulation desk with your Hampton Bays Public Library card. For more information or for questions related to music programs, contact Stephen at syoung@hamptonbayslibrary.org.

GAMING

No registration is required. Please note that all Gaming room assignments are subject to room availability.

Chess Club

Mondays; 4:00PM-5:00PM

Checkmate boredom and join our Chess Club at the library! Gather with fellow enthusiasts in a stimulating environment where every move counts. Whether you're a novice or a seasoned player, our Chess Club welcomes all levels. **Registration required.**



Bridge/Canasta/Mah Jongg

Sundays; 1:00PM-4:00PM

Wednesdays; 10:00AM-1:00PM

BUS TRIPS

Please note: For Bus Trips departing from The Hampton Bays Public Library it is requested that you get either DROPPED OFF or CARPOOL in order to reserve parking for our staff and patrons.

"Do Your Own Thing" Bus Trip to NYC

Wednesday, May 8. Bus departs from The Hampton Bays Public Library at 8:30AM.

Bus departs from Bryant Park (42nd St. between Fifth and Sixth Avenues) at 5:30PM. Looking for something to do on the trip? Check out our FREE museum passes available Online or at the Circulation Desk. **Non-refundable payment of \$50.00 is due at registration; includes bus and gratuity.**



Hell's Kitchen on Broadway

Wednesday, May 8; 2:00PM Show at the Shubert Theatre, 225 West 44th Street Bus departs from the Hampton Bays Public Library at 8:30AM and from Bryant Park (42nd St. between Fifth and Sixth Avenues) at 5:30PM.

Non-refundable payment of \$210.00 is due at registration; includes bus, gratuity, and orchestra ticket to show. SEATS ARE LIMITED; sharing bus with "Do Your Own Thing."



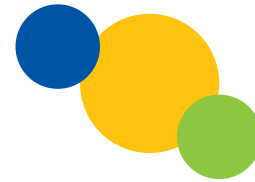
Trip to the Brooklyn Botanical Garden

Wednesday, June 12; Bus departs from The Hampton Bays Public Library at 8:30AM.

The Brooklyn Botanic Garden's Cranford Rose Garden is one of the largest in the United States, with over 1200 roses ranging from the Julia Child Rose to the Yellow Rose of Texas; the Shakespeare Garden, the Japanese Hill-and-Pond Garden and the Fragrance Garden are just a few more of the many breathtaking vistas. **Non-refundable payment of \$80.00 is due at registration; includes bus, gratuity, admission, and boxed lunch. SEATS ARE LIMITED; sharing bus with the Westhampton Free Library.**



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COOKING

There is a non-refundable materials fee for ALL In-Person Cooking Programs due at registration. Classes begin on time. Please avoid arriving late!

Build Your Own Chocolate, Fruit and Cheese Board

Saturday, June 8; 1:00PM-2:00PM

Everybody's favorite cheese monger Raven Janoski is back to guide you through the how-to of a special Spring Cheese Board featuring chocolate, cheese, and fruit. **Patrons must bring their own board, recommended size 12"x 12."**



SPACE LIMITED. Non-refundable \$15.00 per person due at registration.

Spice up your Summer with Simply Creative Chef Rob

Monday, June 24; 6:30PM-7:30PM

Join Chef Rob as he demonstrates Skillet Shrimp Fajitas made with homemade fajita seasoning, bell peppers, and onions, served with traditional toppings, along with a Turkey Taco Dip and crispy Tortilla chips for an appetizer.



SPACE LIMITED. Non-refundable \$10.00 per person due at registration.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Driving Over 80 Seminar

Thursday, May 2; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join Pathway to Senior Living representatives, Patty and Lisa, along with a local law enforcement expert, as they discuss the challenges associated with driving as we age and strategies for safely remaining behind the wheel.



Benefits of Volunteering, via Zoom

Thursday, May 9; 6:00PM-7:00PM

There is a loneliness epidemic and volunteering is a proven antidote! Please join the Willing Hearts, Helpful Hands Caregiver Grant team as they expand and expound on the numerous Benefits of Volunteering! This is a NY State Grant with grassroots across Nassau & Suffolk.

Attention Business Owners!

Thursday, May 30; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Are you currently facing challenges with credit card processing fees and seeking guidance to overcome those obstacles? Local entrepreneur Steven Henriquez, with over 30 years of experience, will provide insights based on his knowledge and expertise.



Understanding Trusts

Thursday, June 6; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Confused about the differences between a Revocable Trust and an Irrevocable Trust? Join Britt Burner, Esq., Partner at Burner Prudenti Law, P.C. as she discusses different types of trusts used in Estate Planning and how they can benefit you and your loved ones.



ARTS & CRAFTS

Registration is required; no fee unless noted. All levels welcome.

Keep Calm & Color On!

Tuesdays, May 7 & June 4; 4:00PM-5:00PM

Join us for a relaxing hour of coloring and conversation. Come see some of the beautiful coloring book designs just for adults. **Materials provided. LIMITED SPACE.**

Knitting Circle

Mondays, May 13 & 20; June 10 & 17; 6:30PM-8:00PM

Gather in this informal group to work on your new and ongoing knitting projects! **LIMITED SPACE.**

Crochet Circle

Tuesdays, May 14 & 28; June 11 & 25; 3:00PM-4:30PM

Gather in this informal group to work on your new and ongoing crochet projects! **LIMITED SPACE.**

DIY with Donna - Umbrella Flower Door Wreath

Wednesday, May 1; 1:00PM-2:00PM

Learn how to upcycle an umbrella to make a flower door wreath with Donna! **Materials provided. LIMITED SPACE.**



HEALTH & WELL-BEING

Advancements and Innovations in Skin Health

Thursday, May 9; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join board-certified dermatologist, Dr. Tatyana Petukhova, as she reveals the best skin damage prevention, explains the importance of sun safety, and shares the latest scientific advancements in the treatment of skin cancer.



Osteoporosis, via Zoom

Thursday, May 16; 12:00PM-1:00PM



Dr. Heidi Roppelt, board-certified rheumatologist at Stony Brook Southampton Hospital, will discuss osteoporosis and osteopenia, the causes, as well as diagnosis, treatment and disease management. This disease is more prevalent in women, although men can also be affected.

On the Move

Thursday, May 23; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join Dr. Peter Sultan, Board-Certified Orthopedic Surgeon at Peconic Bay Medical Center, who will discuss solutions for hip and knee pain, including arthritic knee and hip challenges, and the latest options to ensure patients can maintain mobility and quality of life.

Ticks & Tick-Borne Disease - What You Need to Know! via Zoom

Thursday, June 20; 12:00PM-1:00PM

Jerry Simons, PA-C, a member of the Medical Advisory Panel of Stony Brook Southampton Hospital's Regional Tick-Borne Disease Resource Center, and an Assistant Professor at Stony Brook Medicine, will speak about the types of diseases that are carried by the different species of ticks found on Eastern Long Island, and the symptoms, diagnostic tests, and treatment options that are available.

Adult

ONGOING FITNESS CLASSES

Please dress comfortably and bring a mat or towel to all yoga classes. Advanced registration is not required, but there is a \$10.00 fee payable at the Circulation Desk before each class unless otherwise noted.*

Mat Pilates with Leisa

Mondays; 11:30AM-12:30PM

*please note new day and time!

With focus on alignment and breath, this effective, full-body exercise flow will leave you feeling your best with improved coordination, strength, flexibility, and balance.

Yoga for Everyone

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays; 5:30PM-6:30PM

Relax, stretch, and strengthen in this playful, fun yoga class with Andrea. All levels or experiences are welcome!

Core Yoga with Sarah

Tuesdays; 10:00AM-11:00AM

This yoga class will help you build strength and increase flexibility; meditation and breath will also be explored. Core Yoga is a dynamic series of poses where breath is linked to movement.

Gentle Chair Stretching for Everyone

Thursdays; 1:30PM-2:30PM

Join Susan for guided stretches, exercises and simple yoga poses, primarily seated in a chair. This fun-filled hour includes breathing exercises, relaxation techniques and meditation.

Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Peter

Saturdays; 10:00AM-11:30AM

Peter's class offers advanced stretches and poses. *Please note this class is 1 1/2 hours and requires a \$15.00 fee.

FILM

Keepin' It Real with Kanopy

Monday, May 6; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Embark on a cinematic journey with us as we delve into the captivating world of films available on Kanopy. Get ready to journey into the enigmatic world of Donnie Darko at our next film club screening. Join us for an evening of thought-provoking discussion and cinematic exploration. See you at the screening! **Registration required.**



Friday Matinee @ the Library

Every Friday starting at 2:00 PM

No registration is required. Look for movie flyers in the Library for the latest schedule details, including movie titles and ratings.

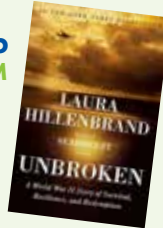
LITERATURE GROUPS

All are welcome; no registration is required unless otherwise noted.

Seaside Stories Book Club

Monday, May 13; 4:00PM-5:30PM

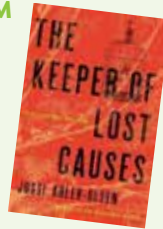
Join us at our next book club meetup as we delve into the pages of *Unbroken: A World War II Story of Survival, Resilience and Redemption* by Laura Hillenbrand. Prepare to be captivated by this unforgettable tale of survival and redemption. Don't miss out. See you there! **Registration required.**



Oh No, Not Another Book Club!

Tuesday, May 14; 7:00PM-8:00PM

We invite you to join Librarian Sara for a casual discussion with other book lovers, sharing your thoughts and opinions on the book titled *The Keeper of Lost Causes* by Jussi Alder-Olsen. Need a copy of the book? We can request one for you! Reading suggestions are always welcome. **Registration is required.**



Page Turners Anonymous

The Book of Two Ways by Jodi Picoult

Monday, May 20; 11:00AM-12:00PM

Everything could change in a single moment. Imagine being on a plane when the flight attendant makes an announcement: prepare for a crash landing. Dawn Edelstein is shocked when her thoughts are not of her husband, but a man she last saw fifteen years ago. What should she do? What would you do? **Books can be checked out at the circulation desk. Registration required.**



Page Turners Anonymous

The Paris Bookseller by Kerri Maher

Monday, June 17; 11:00AM-12:00PM

Maher takes us on a jaunt through 1920s Paris with the Lost Generation and introduces us to a fascinating true story of one woman's fight to save a masterpiece. **Books can be checked out at the circulation desk. Registration required.**



The History Book Club

Alternate Thursdays; 10:00AM-11:00AM

The History Book Club meets every other Thursday at 10:00 am. Contact the Reference Desk for date and book/topic selections. All are welcome!



Monthly Poetry Rising with the Poetry Rising Group

Saturday, June 8; 1:00PM-3:00PM

An informal poetry group facilitated by Beverly Livernoche meets the second Saturday of each month. Please share your original poems or prose, anything goes! "Inspiring, aspiring, motivating, fun, moving, and more..."

Read It & Eat It! Book Club

Tuesday, June 11; 12:00PM-1:00PM

This bi-monthly book club is for foodies who love to read cookbooks AND cook. Must bring a prepared dish from the chosen theme along with a copy of the recipe to share while we meet. **This month's theme is "BEAUTIFUL BERRIES!" Registration required.**



DRIVING

5-Hour Pre-Licensing Class

Saturday, May 18; 10:00AM-3:00PM

*Must arrive no later than 9:45AM!

Saturday, June 15; 10:00AM-3:00PM

*Must arrive no later than 9:45AM!

Must bring your photo New York State Lerner's permit, \$60 in cash, and a packed lunch to class.



Empire Safety Council's Defensive Driving Course

Saturday, May 25; 9:30AM-3:30PM

*Must arrive no later than 9:15AM!

Saturday, June 22; 9:30AM-3:30PM

*Must arrive no later than 9:15AM!

The Hampton Bays Public Library will offer a 1-day driver safety course through the Empire Safety Council DDC. The cost is currently \$33 per person, regardless of age. You will pay the instructor the morning of with a check or cash.



Technology

DO YOU HAVE INFORMATION OR TECHNOLOGY QUESTIONS? ►►

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 www.hamptonbayslibrary.org
4. To register for any technology programs, please visit <https://hamptonbays.librarycalendar.com/>

TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

iPhone Tips & Tricks (2 Sessions)

Thursdays, May 16, 23; 10:30AM-12:00PM

Explore the most frequently used applications such as browsing the web, listening to your favorite music, watching videos, accessing your email and much more. **Please make sure to bring your fully charged iPhone along with your Apple ID and password. Registration is required.**



Digital Magazines with Flipster



Thursday, May 30; 10:30AM-12:00PM

Attend a training session to discover free digital magazine resources available at the library. Sara will guide you through Flipster, showcasing how to effectively search, locate, and print articles from a variety of popular publications. **Registration is required.**

Fitness Applications for Beginners

Thursday, June 27; 10:30AM-12:00PM

Take your fitness routine to the next level by incorporating technology. This class will provide insight on various fitness applications and help you assess your preferences. By the conclusion of the program, you will have a thorough understanding of how these applications operate and be able to choose one that aligns with your fitness objectives. **Registration is required.**



TECHNOLOGY ASSISTANCE

Drop-in Tech Help

Mondays & Wednesdays; 10:00AM-1:00PM

Wednesdays & Thursdays;
5:30PM-8:30PM

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. Open to all.**



Book-a-Librarian

Tuesday Mornings @ 11:00AM & 12:00PM

Thursday Afternoons @ 2:00PM & 3:00PM



Do you have questions concerning technology? Book a free 45-minute appointment with Sara or Stephen for one-on-one assistance with your new device or any of the following topics: Basic Computer • Basic Internet • E-mail • Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Publisher, Excel • Smart phones & tables • Apps • Digital Cameras & Photo Management • iPad • Kindle • Live-library Free Downloads • Social Networking...and more! **Please note that device repair is not included. Limited to Hampton Bays Library cardholders only and an appointment is required. To register, please contact (631) 728-6241 OPTION 4.**

Library News

NEW! Lawn Games

Warmer weather is here. Get ready to level up your next gathering by renting lawn games from our Library of Things collection!



Spice up your event with classic favorites like badminton, bocce ball, and cornhole using your Hampton Bays Library card. **Have questions or want to make your reservation, visit the Circulation desk or call (631) 728-6241 (OPTION 3).**

NEW! LinkedIn Learning

Unlock your full potential with LinkedIn Learning! Access thousands of courses taught by industry experts to enhance your skills and boost your career. From creative technological skills to business related tutorials, there's something for everyone. Use your library card and visit our website to access this comprehensive resource to elevate your professional journey!



NEW & IMPROVED!

Little Free Library

Take a book, leave a book! Join in the fun of this community-based initiative that promotes reading and sharing books with others.

Donate a book you have already read or discover your next treasured literary adventure. We invite you to stop by and visit our newly upgraded Little Free Library located on the library front lawn.



Español

CLASES DE INGLÉS (ESL)

Jueves 7:00PM-8:30PM

Estas clases son gratuitas y no necesita registrarse. Para mas información por favor enviar un email a Vicky Cuccia a la dirección de correo vcuccia@hamptonbayslibrary.org, o llamar a Rita Alfano al teléfono (631) 728-6241 (ext. 123).



Aprende Inglés con Pronunciator

pronunciator
Learn a new language!



Con su tarjeta de la biblioteca puedes acceder a este curso gratis en línea que le ayudará a aprender inglés y mejorar sus habilidades lingüísticas. Visite nuestro sitio web para crear una cuenta. ¿Necesitas ayuda? Un bibliotecario en el departamento de Referencia podrá ayudarle a crear una cuenta. ¡Escanee el código QR para comenzar hoy!

Biblioteca de Cosas

¡No compre cuando lo puede pedir prestado! La Biblioteca de Cosas consta de artículos no tradicionales que están disponibles para ser tomados prestados por los usuarios de HBPL. Esta colección incluye artículos que quizás sólo necesite ocasionalmente, como una trituradora de papel, un lector de códigos de automóvil o utensilios especiales para hornear. ¿No ve lo que está buscando? Pase por el Mostrador de Circulación para sugerir una compra para la colección Biblioteca de Cosas.



NY Recolecta de Sangre

Miércoles, 29 de mayo; 1:00PM-7:00PM

Puede donar si tiene al menos 17 años (16 años con el consentimiento por escrito del padre o tutor legal), pesa al menos 110 libras y goza de buena salud. Se sugieren citas, pero se aceptan visitas sin cita previa. **Si tiene más preguntas o desea programar una cita, llame al New York Blood Center al 1-800-933-BLOOD (2566).**



¡ACCESO LAS MEJORES PELICULAS

DEL MUNDO CON KANOPY!

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.



"AMIGOS DE LA BIBLIOTECA DE HAMPTON BAYS"

Por favor visite www.FriendsoftheHBPL.org para novedades

Tienda de Libros "Cuentos dos veces vendidos" está abierta todos los sábados de 9:00AM a 2:00PM

Por favor vea www.FriendsoftheHBPL.org para novedades!

¡Novedades!

Tres generosos patrocinadores han acordado financiar una subvención de contrapartida de \$6.500 para los Amigos. Del 1 de marzo al 31 de mayo, cualquier dinero que dones a los Amigos será **IGUALADA!!** Puede donar en línea, en el mostrador de Circulación, o enviarlo por correo a la biblioteca, indicando "Subvención Compartida". **GUARDE LA FECHA!** ¡Este año nuestro Festival de Primavera EN el césped y Minigolf EN la Biblioteca será el sábado 11 de mayo de 10 am a 5 pm! LA Fiesta Tapas solo para adultos será el viernes 10 de mayo de 5:30 a 9 p.m. ¡Marque su calendario para un gran evento!

• ¡A partir de junio, la Tienda de Libros Cuentos Dos veces vendidos estará abierta los miércoles de 10 a 1! ¡Coge algunos libros, rompecabezas, DVD o juegos!

• ¿Es profesor/ra? ¡Venga a la tienda de libros en mayo y junio para obtener su bolso GRATIS y llenarlo por \$5! ¡Obtenga libros para su salón de clases y sus estudiantes!

• **¿Está interesado en convertirse en miembro?** ¡Únase en nuestro sitio web u obtenga un formulario de membresía en circulación!

Nos gustaria conocer su opinion. Llamemos al 631-268-0788, FriendsoftheHBPL@gmail.com o visitenos en Facebook@Friends of the Hampton Bays Library. Ahora tambien estamos en Instagram@friendsofthehbpl

CLASE PRE-LICENCIA DE 5 HORAS

Sábado, 18 de mayo; 10:00 AM-3:00 PM.

***iDebe llegar antes de las 9:45 AM.!**

Sábado, 15 de junio; 10:00 AM-3:00 PM.

***iDebe llegar antes de las 9:45 AM.!**

Debe traer su permiso del estado de Nueva York con foto, **\$60 en efectivo** y un almuerzo para tomar en clase.



CURSO DE MANEJO DEFENSIVO DE EMPIRE SAFETY COUNCIL

Sábado, 25 de mayo; 9:30 AM-3:30 PM.

***iDebe llegar antes de las 9:15 AM.!**

Sábado 22 de junio; 9:30 AM-3:30 PM.

***iDebe llegar antes de las 9:15 AM.!**

La Biblioteca Pública de Hampton Bays ofrecerá un curso de seguridad para conductores de 1 día a través del Empire Safety Council DDC. El costo actual es de **\$33 por persona**, independientemente de la edad. Le pagará al instructor en la mañana con un cheque o en efectivo.



"AMIGOS DE LA BIBLIOTECA DE HAMPTON BAYS"

Douglas Elliman

Mini GOLF

and Spring FESTIVAL

MAY 11, 2024
10:00AM-5:00PM

Check out a video of last year's event at www.FRIENDSoftheHBPL.org

IN the Library

Check with our Adults-Only Teenage Fair-Top Friday night May 10th 6:00pm-9:00pm

ON the Lawn

THE FRIENDS OF THE HAMPTON BAYS LIBRARY



“Twice Sold Tales” Bookstore is open every Saturday from 9:00am-2:00pm

Please check www.FriendsoftheHBPL.org for updates!



NEWS!

Three generous patrons have agreed to fund a **\$6,500 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, indicating “Matching Grant.”

SAVE THE DATE! This year our Spring Festival ON the lawn and Mini-golf IN the Library will be on Saturday, May 11 from 10am-5pm! The adults-only Tapas Par-Tee will be Friday, May 10 from 5:30-9pm. Mark your calendars for a great event!

Starting in June, the Twice Sold Tales Bookstore will be open Wednesdays from 10am-1pm! Grab some books, puzzles, DVDs, or games!

Are you a teacher? Come to the Bookstore in May and June to get your FREE tote and fill it for \$5! Get books for your classroom and students!

Interested in becoming a member? Join on our website or get a membership form at circulation!

We would love to hear from you! Reach us at 631-268-0788, FriendsoftheHBPL@gmail.com, or visit us on Facebook@Friends of the Hampton Bays Library. We are also now on Instagram@friendsofthehbpl

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LIBRARY CLOSED:

Monday, May 27
Memorial Day
Wednesday, June 19
Juneteenth

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING DATES

Tuesday, May 14
Tuesday, June 11



PLEASE NOTE: In an effort to be transparent, please be aware there may be times that the library will capture photos and/or videos at library events and functions. We realize some individuals may not be comfortable with this. Therefore, in order to respect and protect your privacy and individual rights, if you DO NOT want us to capture a photo or video of you or your child, please tell the library staff member coordinating the event PRIOR to the program. Otherwise, attendance at library programs or public spaces constitutes consent to be photographed or video recorded for use in library publicity. Thank you!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE THIS NEWSLETTER IN LARGE TYPE PLEASE CALL THE LIBRARY AT 631-728-6241

ART ON DISPLAY

Every month paintings, photography, sculpture and other creative crafts are displayed in the Helen Gould Room located directly off the main foyer. We are pleased to present the following exhibitions:

MAY: Helen Giaquinto is a local, prolific artist who finds pleasure in painting seascapes, beach scenes, and boat venues. Her work is extensive including art forms such as still lifes, portraits, and abstracts. **Retrospective Views** is an exhibit of original art created in various mediums, techniques, perspectives, and subjects about her life on Long Island and her travels abroad. **An Artist Reception will be held on Sunday, May 26 from 2:00PM-4:00PM in the Helen Gould Room.**

JUNE: Mike Meehan is an artist of eclectic painting mostly in oil but also in watercolor and pastel. His preferred subjects are landscapes and seascapes but he will also paint florals, still lifes, and abstracts. If Mike likes it, he paints it! Mike shows his work extensively on Long Island, especially in venues on both the North and South Forks. **An Artist Reception will be held on Sunday, June 2 from 2:00PM-4:00PM in the Helen Gould Room.**

LIBRARY SERVICES FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Don't let a medical condition stop you from using the library. We'll deliver the library to you! Free home delivery of books, magazines, movies, and more is available to Hampton Bays Cardholders who are physically unable to travel to the library due to illness or disability and for elderly patrons who do not have transportation. **For more information, please call the Circulation desk at 631-728-6241 (OPTION 3).**



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