



HAMPTON BAYS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Navigating a Sea of Information

THANK YOU!!

MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

It really does take a village to support a beloved community resource and the library community really pulled together on this one. Voter turnout saw a 295% increase from last year's total. Much gratitude goes out to all the community organizations and private citizens who, publicly and within their circles of influence, supported the library. The appreciation that your votes express remains at the heart of our service to the Hampton Bays Community. Thank you for your trust in us and we look forward to seeing everyone at the library.

Stephanie McEvoy
Library Director

LIBRARY BUDGET



SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

Don't have a library card? We invite you to stop in and sign-up for one.



Have you lost your card? During the month of September, replacement cards are FREE! Visit the Circulation Desk with a picture ID to receive a new library card.

NY BLOOD DRIVE

Monday, September 15; 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).**



NATIONAL COFFEE DAY

**Monday, September 29;
10:30AM-2:00PM**

National Coffee Day encourages folks to gather for conversation and enjoy talking over their favorite java. This date is celebrated as it marks the anniversary of the first shipment of coffee from Brazil to the United States, which took place in 1723. So come to the library and enjoy a free cup of coffee or play a game and win some prizes. **While supplies last!**

Community Shredding Day! For HBPL Cardholders ONLY

Saturday, October 11; 10:00AM-2:00PM

Community
Shredding
Day!



Time to clean out those desks, closets, and filing cabinets in your home! Shred-it will be in the HBPL parking lot to accept up to 2-3 bags/boxes of household documents per Hampton Bays

Public Library cardholder ONLY. There will be no need to remove any staples, paperclips, or file folders! This program is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Hampton Bays Public Library.

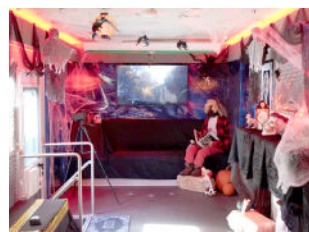


SOCIAL WORK INTERN

Make an appointment to meet with our Social Work Intern.

**Tuesdays 11:00AM-2:00PM
Thursdays 3:00PM-7:00PM**

Call the Reference Desk for more information.



HAUNTED HOUSE SLED

**Thursday, October 30;
1:00PM - 5:00PM**

The SLED from the Suffolk County Library System will be here all decked out as a Haunted House! Come enjoy various activities on the SLED including gaming, green screen photo ops and STEAM activities.

Children



childrensroom@hamptonbayslibrary.org
hamptonbayslibrary.org/children

Registration begins Tuesday, August 26 online at hamptonbays.librarycalendar.com/, 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 before Tuesday, August 26. Submitting a registration form does not guarantee a spot. In-person and telephone registrations are done in the order they are received, so we encourage you to sign up online.

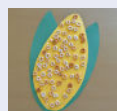
MAKE & TAKE MONDAYS IN THE LIBRARY



Pre-K – Grade 6. Drop by each week for a different craft. You can **MAKE** your craft in the library **or** you can **TAKE** the craft home. Supplies will be put out on Mondays in

the Children's Room. **ONE craft per child per week, whether you do it in the library or take it home. Supplies limited.**

SEPTEMBER



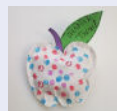
September 8:
Cheerio Corn on the Cob



September 15:
Yarn Apples



September 22:
Mosaic Acorns

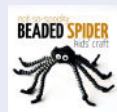


September 29:
Polka Dot Stuffed Apples

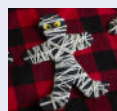
OCTOBER



October 6:
Leaf Hedgehog



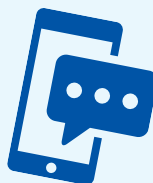
October 20:
Beaded Spider



October 27:
Yarn Mummies

PLEASE NOTE

You may now receive program registration confirmation and reminders via text. When registering, provide a cell phone number and check the "Send notifications via SMS" box.



Parents, please remember that children grades 4 and under must be accompanied by a responsible companion over the age of 16 when visiting the library.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT:

Bi-Monthly Raffle for Program Attendance!



We will be raffling a prize at the end of every newsletter cycle. Sign up for a Program Attendance Loyalty Card at the Children's Desk. We will keep your card on file. You will receive one punch for every program attended and one raffle ticket for every 5 punches. The more programs you attend, the greater your chances of winning!

The Ecological Culture Initiative
and HBPL present

KINDER-GARDEN SERIES

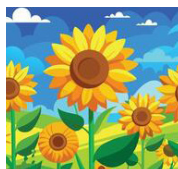
Ages 3 to 5 years with adult.

Meet us at **Good Ground Heritage Garden**, located at 81 Lynn Avenue, Hampton Bays. Bring a blanket and a snack. Listen to a story, help in the garden, and participate in a small group activity. **Dress for garden play! Separate registration is required for each session. Limit 12 per session.**



Welcome Autumn
Thursday, September 18
@ 10:30AM

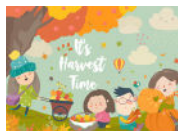
Join us in the garden to celebrate the beginning of the fall season. Explore sunflowers and leaves. Make and take home an eco-friendly bird feeder.



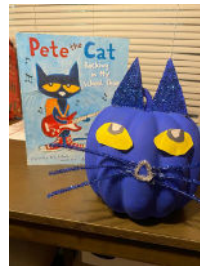
Fall Harvest

Thursday, October 9
@ 10:30AM

Celebrate the end of the gardening season with us! Help prepare the garden for winter, collect seed heads and decorate a Jack-be-Little.



Book Inspired Pumpkins



Help us decorate the library by dropping off a pumpkin or gourd decorated like your favorite book character. All entries will be submitted into a raffle

for a \$25 Carvel gift card. **All pumpkins must be dropped off by Friday, October 17.**



Haunted House SLED

Thursday, October 30; 1:00PM - 5:00PM

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Circle Time for Little Ones

Tuesdays @ 11:00AM

Birth – 3 years with adult. Join Miss Evan for this super fun story time. Sing, clap, rhyme, share books, and get your little one's day off to a great start. **Limit 10.**

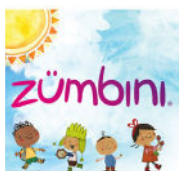


Zumbini

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. Please note. There will be NO Zumbini on October 8.**



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.**

Please note. There will be NO class on October 6 or October 13.



Back to School Pencil Cases

Monday, September 8 @ 4:00PM (Grades K - 2)

Thursday, September 11 @ 4:00PM (Grades 3 – 6)

Join Miss Sheila to create something unique to keep your school supplies organized. **Limit 20 per session.**



Lego Club

Wednesdays @ 5:00PM

(Beginning on September 10)

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. Please note. There will be NO Lego Club on October 15.**



1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Book Club

Thursdays, September 11 and October 2; 10:30AM – 11:30AM

Birth – 4 years with adult.

Join Miss Barbara for this new monthly early literacy program. At this story time, you will have the opportunity to sign your child up for **1,000 Books Before Kindergarten** and then track your child's progress each month. Families that are already registered are encouraged to attend as well. There will be stories, songs, fingerplays, and lots of literacy tips.



Stay & Play

Fridays, September 12, 19, & 26 and October 3, 10, & 24 @ 12:00PM

Ages 3 – 4 with adult. Join Miss Barbara for this early literacy program including stories, songs, and above all ... play! **Limit 10.**



Art Adventure

Fridays @ 5:00PM

(Beginning on September 12)

Grades K - 2. Join Miss Barbara for open-ended creation sessions using a variety of arts and crafts materials. **Limit 12. Please note. There will be NO Art Adventure on Friday, October 17.**



Apples, Apples, Apples!

Tuesday, September 16 @ 5:00PM

Grades 2 – 4. Join us at the library for Apple Day. We will make an apple craft, eat a delicious apple snack, and of course, read an apple story. **Limit 10.**



Paint Scape Art

Thursday, September 18 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3 – 6. Join Miss Sheila as we use squeegees to create some unique paintings. **Limit 10.**



Just Paint

Monday, September 22 @ 4:00PM

Grades K - 2. Join Miss Sheila for an afternoon of free painting. A variety of paints will be available to try. **Limit 10.**

Embroidery Club

Tuesdays, September 23 and 30 @ 4:00PM

Grades 5 – 6. Come work on your very own embroidery design. Absolute beginners welcome! Each Embroidery Clubber will receive an embroidery hoop to keep. **Limit 8.**



Clay Day

Thursday, September 25 @ 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 10.**



Cardboard Tube Monsters

Monday, September 29 @ 4:00PM

Grades K - 2. Join Miss Sheila to turn a common household item into a freaky friend! **Limit 10.**



Pop Up DIY Birdfeeders

Thursday, October 2; 2:00PM – 4:30PM

Let's not let the birds go hungry. Drop in between 2:00PM – 4:30PM and assemble your own birdfeeder using our supplies. **Peanut Butter will NOT be used.**



Pool Noodle Monsters

Thursday, October 16 @ 4:00PM

Grades 3 – 6. Bring your imagination, and we will supply a hot glue gun to create some wacky creatures. **Limit 10.**



It All Makes Sense with the Zen Den!

Saturday, October 18 @ 1:00PM

Grades 3 - 6. Everything around you will make sense if you use your senses. Join the Zen Den for a hands-on workshop where you create a Sense Board with Spices. **Limit 12.**



Halloween Candy Buckets

Monday, October 20 @ 4:00PM

(Grades K – 2)

Thursday, October 23 @ 4:00PM

(Grades 3 – 6)

Join Miss Sheila to make a bucket to hold the season's treats. **Limit 10 per session.**



Graphic Novel Book Club & Pizza

Tuesday, October 21 @ 5:00PM

Grades 3 - 5. Come join our Graphic Novel Book Club. This month we are reading **All My Friends are Ghosts** by S.M. Vidaurri. We will have pizza, 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.**



Annual Halloween Trick-or-Treat Parade

Thursday, October 30 @ 4:00PM

Babies – Grade 6. Join the Children's Room staff for our annual Halloween Trick-or-Treat Parade through the library. **Limit 40 families.**



Teen

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



NERF Wars: Slasher Camp

Friday, October 24 @ 6:00PM–9:00PM



It's a slasher showdown at camp! Dress up as your favorite horror icon and get ready for the spookiest NERF Wars yet. **Registration required. 24-player max. Arrive no later than 7:00PM, and arrange for pick-up at 9:00PM.**

Potluck & A Movie

Monday, October 20 @ 4:00PM–6:30PM



Watch a classic queer film and bring a dish that represents you with your peers and the cool folks from the LGBT Network! Visit our Instagram page to vote on which movie you want to watch! **Please note: Those with food allergies may wish to skip this program. Add your allergen information to the registration page.**

Fork + Film Series

Wednesdays, September 24 & October 15
@ 6:00PM–8:45PM



Watch a movie, eat a themed snack, and make a themed craft! Oh, and yes, you can bring your own strange food creations. September's movie is *Lisa Frankenstein*, and October's movie is *Beetlejuice*. **Please note: Those with food allergies may wish to skip this program. Add your allergen information to the registration page.**

Clown in A Cornfield

Thursday, October 23 @ 6:30PM–8:15PM



Stop clowning around and enjoy the nightmarish movie based on the popular YA book, *Clown in a Cornfield*. **Please note: Permission slip required. This movie is rated R.**

Banned Book Jeopardy

Thursday, October 30 @ 4:00PM–5:00PM



What's scarier than censorship? **NOTHING!** Play against your peers to test your knowledge about current and classic book bans in America. The winner gets a banned book prize basket!

NEW PROGRAM ALERT!



French Homework Club

Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday
@ 3:00PM–4:00PM

September 3, 17 & October 1, 15

Need help with French homework, vocab, or test prep? Come twice a month for group or one-on-one support, plus a tasty French snack at every meeting!

COOKING & FOOD

Yum Vs. Yuck

Fridays, September 5 & October 3, @ 3:00PM–4:00PM

Try different foods worldwide with your one-way ticket to a surprise destination! This is a drop-in program, but supplies are limited. **10-person max. Please note: Those with food allergies may wish to skip this program.**

Candy Sushi

Monday, September 22, @ 6:30PM–7:30PM



Make candy sushi—a fun twist on traditional sushi using gummy candies, marshmallows, Rice Krispies treats, and more.

Space is limited, so sign up today and get ready to roll! **Registration required. Please note: Those with food allergies may wish to skip this program.**

Gingerdead Cookie Decorating

Thursday, October 23 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM



They're creepy AND cute. Brains, ooze, and royal icing, oh my! **Registration required. 8 people max. Please note: Those with food allergies may wish to skip this program.**

Zine Scene

Thursdays, September 25 & October 16 @ 4:00PM–5:00PM

Monthly zine-making sessions where teens can write, draw, and collage their mini magazines. Supplies provided—perfect for creatives, storytellers, and anyone with something to say. Our September session will be themed for *Hallo-Zine!*



The Service Shelf: A Community Service Book Club

Mondays, September 29 & October 27
@ 4:00PM–5:00PM



Monthly book discussions focused on real-world issues, led by librarian Nick. Earn 3 hours of community service by reading the book and participating—copies available at the Teen Desk. September's book will be *The Gray* by Chris Baron. October's book will be *The Door of No Return* by Kwame Alexander.

TABLETOP GAMES

Kids on Brooms

Most Tuesdays in September & October @ 4:30PM–6:00PM

CONGRATULATIONS, YOUNG WIZARD! You've been accepted into Hogwarts as a new student! Join your friends and participate in a series of adventures set in the wizarding world. **There will be no games on September 23, 30 & October 14, 28. Registration required. 10-player max.**

One Piece D&D: Session 0

Friday, October 3 @ 4:30PM–6:30PM

Get ready with DM James for our newest role-playing adventure in the world of *One Piece*. This session, you will learn the game mechanics and create your character for the November and December campaign! **Registration required. 10 player max.**

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Lego Buddies

Most Wednesdays in September & October @ 5:00PM–6:00PM

Lego Buddies are teen volunteers who pair up with younger children and aid them with their Lego creations to strengthen their fine motor skills and get creative! **4-person max. Registration required. Gain 1-hr of community service for attending this program.**

Teen Leadership Crew (TLC)

Fridays, September 12 & October 10 @ 4:00PM–5:00PM

Teen Leadership Crew (TLC) is a monthly organization of volunteers who work with the library to help plan programs, buy materials, and run events. **Gain 1-hr of community service for attending this program.**

Community Service Appointments

Email or stop by in person to reserve a time slot to complete an in-house community service kit. **Please note that community service hours are given with the librarian's approval. Please confirm eligibility requirements with your organization.**



SCAN QR CODE FOR TEEN REGISTRATION.

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

CREATIVE CORNER

DIY Polymer Clay Locker Magnets

Thursday, September 4 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Sculpt and decorate original magnets using colorful polymer clay. No experience needed—just imagination and a locker to personalize.

Perler Bead Palooza

Drop-In

Wednesday, September 10 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Make your own Perler bead creation or follow one of the pre-printed patterns!



Make Your Own Fidget Jewelry

Thursday, September 11 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Design silent, wearable fidgets using simple jewelry-making techniques. Two styles available—or combine them into a custom 2-in-1 piece.

DIY Library Lanyard

Wednesday, September 17 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Get ready for Library Card Month by making this DIY lanyard for your card in your style.

Scrapbooking Night

Wednesday, September 17 @ 5:00PM–6:00PM

Sure, your phone has all your photos, but what happens when it crashes and you never backed it up? Get creative and preserve your favorite memories at our Scrapbooking Night! Bring your personal photos or go through our magazines to upcycle.

Kawaii Slime

Friday, September 19 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Make the cutest slime with adorable charms.

Creative Writing

Mondays @ 4:30PM–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! **There will be no creative writing on September 22, 29 & October 20, 27.**

Create Your Own Mixtape

Wednesday, October 1 @ 6:00PM–7:00PM

Before Spotify playlists and streaming, there were mixtapes—custom CDs made with care and a Sharpie. Now it's your turn! Create your very own mixtape on a real CD and design your own album cover and tracklist insert.

DIY Light-Up Parol

Friday, September 19 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Celebrate Filipino-American History Month by building a glowing parol lantern, a traditional symbol of hope and community.

DIY Nightmare Before Christmas Funko Pops

Tuesday, October 14 @ 6:00PM–7:00PM

Decorate your very own Nightmare Before Christmas Funko Pop figure.

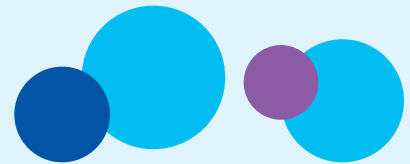
Registration required. 6 people max.



Spooky Charms

Wednesday, October 29 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Make a cute DIY spooky keychain with beads to use on your backpack, wallets, or even attach to your lip balm!



FUN & GAMES

Teens Vs. Librarians: Mario Party

Friday, September 12 @ 6:30PM–8:30PM

After the library closes, all bets are off. The Ultimate Party will commence, and you can scream when losing a mini game or landing on the Bowser space! Snacks will be provided!

Registration Required. 10 player max. Arrange pick-up for 8:30 PM.

Super Smash Bros. Tournament

Thursday, September 18 @ 4:00PM–6:00PM

Shake off the back-to-school stress by annihilating the competition—your peers. Play for a prize! **Registration required. 20 people max.**

Newsies Watch Party

Friday, September 26 @ 4:00PM–6:30PM

Extra! Extra! Read all about it—Newsies is hitting the screen at the library! Join us for the musical about the 1899 newsboys' strike. Enjoy snacks and sing along to favorites.

Tier-List Night

Tuesday, September 30 @ 5:30PM–6:30PM

Get ready to rank, debate, and defend your favorites! Once everyone has their rankings, we'll open the floor—will your favorite make the top tier or get knocked down by group consensus?

Mario Kart Tournament

Thursday, October 16 @ 4:00PM–6:00PM

It's a race to the finish! Blueshell your way to victory and play for a prize! **Registration required. 20 people max.**

Broadway Book Club: Hadestown

Friday, October 10 @ 5:30PM–7:00PM

We'll read from the script, do a fun and informal table read, and sing songs from the show together. No stage experience necessary—just enthusiasm and love for the show! Scripts and lyrics will be



provided. Costumes and dramatic flair are optional (but encouraged!). **Registration required. 8 people max.**

Name! That! Movie!

Tuesday, October 14 @ 3:30PM–4:30PM

Think you know movies? See if you can name the movie after being given the most iconic line. Snacks will be provided, and the person with the most points wins the prize!



Murder Movie Mystery

Friday, October 17 @ 5:00PM–7:00PM

Follow along with the cult classic film Clue and see if you can deduce what happened correctly. Snacks will be provided!

Halloween Movie Marathon

Friday, October 31

All day, we'll be playing classic Halloween movies and TV show episodes!

Adult

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Wildlife Hikers Club

Wednesdays, September 3, 17; October 1, 15, 29; 9:45AM-11:00AM

Experience a refreshing walk through the scenic Quogue Wildlife with Librarian Stephen and fellow hiking enthusiasts. We'll gather in the parking lot at 9:45 AM and begin the hike at 10:00 AM. Dress for the natural trail conditions and be prepared for outdoor terrain. **Weather permitting. Open to all.**

Walking with Purpose

Thursdays, September 4, 11; October 9, 30; 10:30AM-12:00PM

Improve your health AND your community. Join 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.**

NYS Citizen Preparedness Corps Training Program

Saturday, September 6; 1:00PM-2:00PM

As severe weather events increase, New Yorkers must be prepared for disasters. The NY

Citizen Preparedness Training Program equips residents with the tools to respond to and recover from any disaster. The course covers how to develop a family emergency plan and stock up on essential supplies.



Gene Casey & the Lone Shark Duo Concert

Sunday, September 14; 2:00PM-3:00PM



Join us for an hour of foot-stomping country with Long Island legend and king of 'Rock-a-Boogie' Gene Casey, featuring Peter Crugnale

on Bass Guitar. **This program is generously co-sponsored by the Friends of the Hampton Bays Public Library!**

NY Blood Drive

Monday, September 15; 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).**

The Healthy Libraries Program (HeLP)

Tuesdays, September 16; October 21; November 4, 18; 2:00PM-4:30PM

The Healthy Libraries Program (HeLP) involves students from social work, public health, library science, and physician's assistant programs who provide blood pressure screenings and answer health-related questions. They offer reliable information on topics like heart disease and diabetes, assist with social services paperwork, help patrons find community resources and healthcare providers, and schedule appointments. Additionally, students from the cancer services department are working off-site to create evidence-based resources for library patrons to address their healthcare needs.

Community Composting & Plastic Waste Reduction

Thursday, September 18; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join Joe Lampert and Susanne Jansson of the Town of Southampton Sustainability Committee as they discuss the town's community composting program and efforts to reduce plastic waste through a new initiative called "Skip the Stuff."



World Clean-Up Day

Friday, September 19; 11:00AM-1:00PM

We invite you to join us at the library where we will be organizing a community clean-up. Please ensure to wear comfortable footwear, bring along a bottle of water, and invite a friend!

Meet the Author of Part of the Solution: A Mystery



Saturday, September 20; 1:00PM-2:00PM

Part of the Solution by local author Elana Michelson blends snappy dialogue, unconventional settings, and a classic oldies soundtrack, capturing the essence of a

traditional whodunit in a counterculture era. **Books will be available for sale and signing.**

Trivia Night with Think Inc. Trivia!

Tuesday, September 23; 6:00PM-7:30PM

***Please note new time!**

Join us for an evening of lively trivia, laughter, and fun! Pizza will be served, and you may even win a prize. **Registration is required. This program is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Hampton Bays Public Library.**

Fall Bingo! for Adults

Wednesday, September 24; 1:00PM-2:00PM

Play fun fall-themed games of Bingo & win some awesome fall-themed prizes. **SPACE LIMITED. HBPL Card holders ONLY!**



Autumn Harvest Breads with "The Bread Monk," via Zoom

Tuesday, September 30; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join Fr. Dominic "The Bread Monk." He will share recipes for Spiced Apple Shortcake, a Harvest Braid, hearty multigrain quick breads, German pretzels for Oktoberfest, and tips for Thanksgiving dinner rolls. This Zoom program will include photos and a Q&A session. **An East End Libraries Event hosted by the Hampton Bays Public Library.**

Meet the Author of Haiku for Sweethearts

Saturday, October 4; 1:00PM-2:00PM



Joan Beverly will entertain you with humorous poetry from two of her books, *Tender Chains* and *Haiku for Jewtalian*

Mothers, as well as preview her latest book, *Haiku for Sweethearts*. **Books will be available for sale and signing.**

Flu Shot Clinic Sponsored by CVS in Southampton

Tuesday, October 7; 10:00AM-2:00PM

Pharmacists from CVS will be here to administer the vaccines, which are covered by most insurance. If not, there is a fee. You **MUST** bring your insurance card with you!

**Enhanced flu shots for seniors, as well as the new COVID-19 vaccine, will be available.*

Registration is suggested but walk-ins are welcome!

When We Spoke to the Dead: How Ghosts Gave American Women Their Voice, via Zoom

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

From wartime séances to televangelists, from Victorian ghosts to wellness gurus, author and journalist Ilise Carter unearths the connections between faith, fraud, feminism, and financial opportunity. Open the book. Turn the page...

An East End Libraries Event hosted by the Westhampton Free Library.

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Solo Guitar Performance with Carlos Pavan

Sunday, October 12; 2:00PM-3:00PM

In honor of National Hispanic Heritage Month, Carlos Pavan, an Argentine composer based in New York since 2000, will combine tango and folklore rhythms with jazz and classical concepts. **This program is generously co-sponsored by the Friends of the Hampton Bays Public Library!**



Pets and the City with the New York Historical, via Zoom

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

Come and take a look at the visual history of New Yorkers and their companion animals through the Historical's amazing collection of art, objects, documents, memorabilia, and film, from the Lenape and Haudenosaunee to bodega cats and dog parks. **An East End Libraries Event hosted by the Westhampton Free Library.**

Frankenstein: The Man and the Myth with Gary Lutz

Thursday, October 23; 7:00PM-8:30PM

A flash of lightning, a shout of "It's alive!", and a lurch around the laboratory - Frankenstein's monster has come to life! But Mary Shelley, its creator, would not have recognized it. How did this interpretation of the Frankenstein story come to be, and how did it become so indelibly etched in our minds? Join lecturer Gary Lutz as he explores the origins and early evolution of Frankenstein's Monster in print, on stage, and in film.

The Gift of Nothing and the Gift of Everything with Patrick McDonnell, via Zoom

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

Patrick McDonnell's world-renowned comic strip MUTTS touches hearts and changes lives every day. Join creator Patrick McDonnell in celebrating the timeless friendship of Mooch the Cat and Earl the Dog with the release of the 20th anniversary edition of *The Gift of Nothing* and the new addition to their story, *The Gift of Everything*. **An East End Libraries Event hosted by the Westhampton Free Library.**

The Haunted Theatres of Broadway

Thursday, October 23; 7:00PM-8:30PM

Robert Viagas' talk explores the intriguing ghost stories of Broadway and beyond. Learn about the womanizing ghost David Belasco, the laughing ghost at the St. James Theatre, the phantom audience of the Iroquois Theatre fire in Chicago, the "Black Goon" of Disney's New Amsterdam Theatre, and the haunting ghost cat at the Kennedy Center.

DANCE

Flamenco 101 for Absolute Beginners



Fridays, September 5, 12, 19; 4:15PM-5:15PM

We invite you to join us in exploring a traditional dance form rooted in Spanish culture. 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.**

Ballet for Everyone

Tuesdays, September 16, 30; October 21, 28; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Power, grace and fitness are brought together in this classical form of dance. Join us to brush up on your skills or start learning ballet from scratch! Your instructor, Sara, will start with the basic steps and fundamentals of ballet so you feel comfortable with your movement progression. Be sure to wear comfortable clothes and shoes. **No prior dance experience required!**

Learn The Thriller Dance!

Fridays, October 3, 10, 17, 24; 4:15PM-5:15PM



Back by popular demand! Learn the iconic Thriller dance and unleash your inner performer. In this four-part workshop, you will be guided step by step through this legendary routine as you groove to the infectious beats of Michael Jackson's "Thriller" and create unforgettable memories.

ARTS & CRAFTS

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

Keep Calm & Color On!

Tuesdays, September 2; October 7; 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. SPACE LIMITED.**

Crochet Circle

Tuesdays, September 9, 23; October 7, 21; 3:00PM-4:30PM

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

Knitting Circle

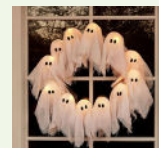
Mondays, September 15, 29; October 20, 27; 6:30PM-8:00PM

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

Light-up Ghost Wreath

Wednesday, September 24; 6:00PM-7:00PM

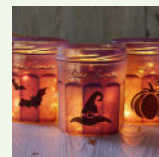
Create a DIY version of this viral ghost wreath, originally sold at an upscale home furnishings store. **Materials provided. LIMITED SPACE.**



DIY with Donna - Light-Up Spooky Jars

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

Learn how to upcycle empty Bonne Maman® jars to make light-up spooky jars for Halloween with Donna! **Materials provided. LIMITED SPACE.**



DRIVING

5-Hour Pre-Licensing Class

Saturday, September 20; 10:00AM-3:00PM

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

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

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

You must bring your photo New York State Learner's permit, **\$60 in cash**, and a packed lunch to class.



Empire Safety Council's Defensive Driving Course

Saturday, September 27; 9:30AM-3:30PM

***Must arrive no later than 9:15AM!**

Saturday, October 25; 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 credit card or exact cash.**



Empire Safety Council

Adult

***MUST register for ALL Adult Programs beginning at 10:00AM on Monday, August 25 at <https://hamptonbays.librarycalendar.com/> UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, ALL PROGRAMS ARE IN-PERSON.**

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 Trips to NYC

Wednesday, October 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.**

Mamma Mia! on Broadway

Wednesday, October 8; 2:00PM

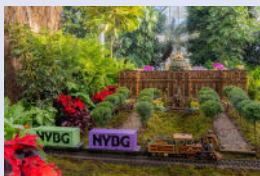
Show at the Winter Garden Theatre, 1634 Broadway. Bus departs from the **Hampton Bays Public Library** at 8:30AM and from Bryant Park (42nd St. between Fifth and Sixth Avenues) at 5:30PM. **Non-refundable payment of \$195.00 is due at registration; includes bus, gratuity, and orchestra ticket to show. SPACE LIMITED; sharing bus with “Do Your Own Thing.”**



Trip to the Holiday Train Show at the New York Botanical Garden

Friday, November 21; Bus departs from the Hampton Bays Public Library at 8:30AM.

Enter a winter wonderland unlike any other at the *Holiday Train Show*, where cherished seasonal traditions find a home in the NYBG’s enchanting train displays. **Non-refundable payment of \$160.00 is due at registration; includes bus, gratuity, guided tour, and Chef’s Buffet Luncheon at the Stone Mill.**



UKULELE

Good Ground Ukulele Players

Fridays; 12:00PM-1:30PM

Experience the joy of music and community at the Good Ground Ukulele Group. Whether you are an experienced ukulele player or a complete beginner, come join us for a fun and lively experience. Strum along, share your love for music, and make new friends in a welcoming and supportive environment.

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!

Get Ready to Celebrate Italian Heritage Month with Simply Creative Chef Rob Scott

Monday, September 22; 6:30PM-7:30PM

Join Chef Rob as he demonstrates how to make delicious Prosciutto and Baby Spinach Angel Hair Pancakes filled with Mozzarella Cheese and Parmesan Cheese served with a Cannellini Bean and Fennel Salad. **SPACE LIMITED. Non-refundable \$10.00 per person due at registration.**



Oktoberfest with BBQ Pitmaster Brian Collins

Monday, October 20; 6:30PM-8:00PM

Celebrate Oktoberfest with BBQ Pitmaster Brian Collins as he demonstrates how to recreate the traditional Munich festival at home! Brian will prepare three different types of schnitzel, Bavarian sauerkraut and warm German potato salad. **SPACE LIMITED. Non-refundable \$10.00 per person due at registration.**



COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Keeping Your Trusts Healthy

Thursday, September 4; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join Nancy Burner, Esq. Have you or your trustees reviewed your trust recently? Nancy will discuss the importance of funding trusts, selling property within trusts, and the value of keeping the document in good standing.

Understanding Alzheimer’s and Dementia, via Zoom

Tuesday, September 16; 7:00PM-8:00PM

Join the Alzheimer’s Association of Long Island to learn about the impact of Alzheimer’s, the difference between Alzheimer’s and dementia, stages and risk factors, current research and treatments available, and Alzheimer’s Association resources. **An East End Libraries Event hosted by the Westhampton Free Library.**

Managing Money: A Caregiver’s Guide to Finances, via Zoom

Tuesday, September 23; 7:00PM-8:00PM

The Alzheimer’s Association of Long Island will discuss the costs associated with caregiving, the benefits of early planning, and strategies to prevent financial abuse and fraud. Additionally, the session will cover how to assess financial and legal needs, initiate conversations about these issues, and find support. **An East End Libraries Event hosted by the Westhampton Free Library.**

UPSTANDER Workshop

Wednesday, October 15; 6:00PM-7:00PM

Don’t Stand By—Stand Up! Join the LGBT Network’s interactive UPSTANDER workshop to learn how to recognize bullying, build confidence, and practice real-life strategies to support others.



How are the 2026 Medicare Changes Going to Affect You? Seminar

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

If you are 65 and over, or on a disability Medicare, it is important to be informed on changes that could have occurred concerning your Medicare Health Insurance coverage. You should also be aware of new options that may be available to help reduce your medical and prescription drug costs. Join Norma Fioravante, Independent Senior Insurance Coordinator, for this educational seminar to answer questions and help provide solutions.

FILM

Friday Matinee @ the Library

Every Friday starting at 2:00PM

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



Adult

HEALTH & WELL-BEING

Vaccine Update for Adults, via Zoom

Thursday, September 18; 12:00PM-1:00PM

Vaccines remain one of the most effective tools we have to prevent disease, protect vulnerable populations, and promote long-term community health. Dr. Charles Guida will give an update on routine and seasonal adult immunizations and guidance to help stay protected throughout the year.

Breast Cancer Awareness, via Zoom

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

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Dr. Edna Kapenhas will speak about the risk factors, warning signs, and treatment options that are available to patients diagnosed with breast cancer.



Mobile Mammogram Van Screenings

Wednesday, October 22; 10:00AM-4:00PM

Stony Brook Medicine is pleased to offer Mobile Mammogram Screenings with no out-of-pocket expense. This event is for women 40 and older who have not had a mammogram in the past year and appointments are necessary to attend. Please bring your photo ID and Insurance card, if insured. **NOTE: Individuals who do not have health insurance will be processed through the Cancer Services Program of New York, if eligible. Call (631) 638-4135 to make an appointment.**

Catholic Health Community Mobile Outreach Bus

Monday, October 27; 10:00AM-2:00PM

The Catholic Health Community Outreach program provides free health screenings, including blood pressure, cholesterol, body mass index, and glucose screenings, along with patient education and referrals as needed. The mobile outreach bus will be located in the Hampton Bays Public Library parking lot. **Must be 18 years or older. No appointment is necessary for members of the community. Insurance is not required, and there are no fees. Free flu shots will also be available.**

GAMING

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

Bridge/Canasta/Mah Jongg

Sundays; 1:00PM-4:00PM

Wednesdays; 10:00AM-1:00PM

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

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; 10:30AM-11:30AM

This yoga class will help you build strength and increase flexibility; meditation and breath will also be explored.

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. Includes breathing exercises, relaxation techniques and meditation.

Tai Chi with Nancy

Fridays; 10:30AM-11:30AM

Practice a series of slow, graceful movements, in addition to breathing exercises, designed to improve your balance, flexibility, and overall well-being.

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.**

LITERATURE GROUPS

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

eTcHeD iN sOuNd

Thursdays, September 4, 25; October 2, 16; 2:30PM-3:30PM

Take a unique spin on the classic book club through music. Each month, we'll explore an iconic album together, diving into its history, themes, and sounds. Whether you're a seasoned vinyl lover or just curious, come share your thoughts, discover new music, and enjoy great conversations.

Oh No, Not Another Book Club!

Tuesday, September 9; 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 Good Left Undone* by Adriana Trigiani. Need a copy of the book? We can request one for you!

Reading suggestions are always welcome.

Monthly Poetry with the Poets Rising Group

Saturdays, September 13; October 11; 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..."*

Boast or Roast Book Club

Tuesday, October 7; 6:30PM-7:30PM *Now Meeting on Tuesday Nights!

Hang out with Sara at Hampton Bays Panera for a lively discussion about your favorite novels or the ones you prefer to forget. Shoot us an email at ref@hamptonbayslibrary.org to get in on the action. You will receive updates and participate in voting for our next selection.

Read It & Eat It! Book Club

Tuesday, October 14; 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. **Registration required. This month's theme is "POSITIVELY PUMPKINS!"**

Art of Reading Book Club

Monday, October 27; 7:00PM-8:30PM

Join Stephen for this unique book club celebrating creativity, inspiration, and the artistic process. Each month, we read and discuss works that explore the art of making through the lens of writers, musicians, painters, and thinkers. **This month, we will be reading and discussing *The Creative Act: A Way of Being* by Rick Rubin.**

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!

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

TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

Intro to Nature Apps: Learn on the Trails

Wednesdays; September 10; 10:00AM-11:00AM

Join us at Quogue Wildlife Refuge for a hands-on introduction to nature apps that help you explore the world around you. As we walk the trails together, you'll learn how to use free tools like Seek, Merlin, and eBird to identify birds, plants, and wildlife in real time. This is a relaxed and beginner-friendly outing, perfect for anyone curious about nature and new to using their smartphone for discovery.

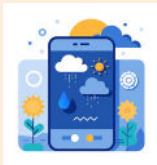


Weather Apps Made Easy

Tuesday, September 16; 11:00AM-12:00PM

Are you a weather nerd?

Stay on top of the weather with free apps! In this easy, hands-on class, we'll explore simple weather apps you can use every day to check the forecast, track storms, and get alerts. We'll also cover how to stay informed during hurricane season. Perfect for beginners. Bring your smartphone or tablet.



Understanding the Notes App on the iPhone for Beginners

Thursdays, September 18 & 25; 10:30PM-12:00PM

Would you like to gain a better understanding of the Notes app on your iPhone? The Apple Notes application is a free, pre-installed tool designed for efficient note-taking, list management, and information organization. It enables users to quickly jot down ideas, create checklists, scan documents, and utilize handwriting tools for drawing. Additionally, with iCloud integration, notes can be seamlessly synchronized across all your Apple devices. **Please bring your fully charged iPhone to class.**

Introduction to AI for Beginners

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

Are you interested in learning about Artificial Intelligence (AI) but unsure where to begin? We invite you to join this class, where you will gain a solid understanding of the fundamental concepts of this very popular technology trend. This class is designed for students who are seeking to learn about the origins of AI, where we are at present, and what the future holds. We will explore various tools, including ChatGPT, Goblin.tools, and others.



TECHNOLOGY ASSISTANCE



Book-a-Librarian

Tuesdays @ 11:00AM & 12:00PM

Thursdays @ 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 & tablets • Apps • Digital Cameras & Photo Management • iPad • Kindle • Live-brary Free Downloads • Social Networking...and more! **Please note that device repair is not included. Limited to Hampton Bays Library cardholders only. Appointments are required. To register, please contact (631) 728-6241 OPTION 4.**

Library News

Museum Passes

This year we added four(4) new museum Passes to our collection.

- 9/11 Memorial and Museum
- Horton's Flower Farm
- Long Island Music and Entertainment Hall of Fame
- Waterdrinker Family Farm and Garden

Reserve a Museum Pass on our website at <https://www.hamptonbayslibrary.org/museum-passes/>

Recycle Beyond The Bag

Bring in your Bread bags, Produce bags, Newspaper sleeves, Ice bags, Grocery bags, Cereal bags, Bubble wrap, Plastic shipping envelopes, Dry cleaning bags, Ziploc & other reclosable food storage bags. **Drop off bins are located in the Lobby.**



Haunted House SLED

Thursday, October 30; 1:00PM - 5:00PM

The SLED from the Suffolk County Library System will be here all decked out as a Haunted House! Come enjoy various activities on the SLED including gaming, green screen photo ops and STEAM activities.

Potluck & A Movie

Monday, October 20 @ 4:00PM-6:30PM

Watch a classic queer film and bring a dish that represents you with your peers and the cool folks from the LGBT Network!

Visit our Instagram page to vote on which movie you want to watch! **Please note: Those with food allergies may wish to skip this program. Add your allergen information to the registration page.**



Español



**CLASES DE INGLÉS (ESL)
CON CENTRO CORAZÓN DE MARIA**
(A partir del 30 de septiembre)
Martes 7:00PM-8:30PM

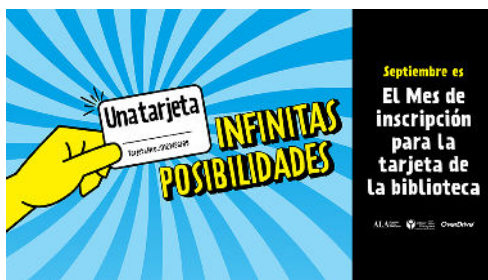
**ENGLISH CLASSES (ESL)
WITH CENTRO CORAZÓN DE MARIA**
(Starting September 30th)
Tuesdays; 7:00PM-8:30PM

CLASES DE INGLÉS (ESL)
(A partir del 2 de octubre)
Jueves 7:00PM-8:30PM

ENGLISH CLASSES (ESL)
(Starting October 2nd)
Thursdays; 7:00PM-8:30PM

Estas clases son gratuitas y no necesita registrarse.

Para más información por favor enviar un email a la dirección de correo ESL@hamptonbayslibrary.org, o llamar al teléfono (631) 728-6241 (opción 4).



Septiembre es el mes de solicitar tu tarjeta de biblioteca!

¿No tienes tarjeta de biblioteca? Te invitamos a que te registres.

¿Perdiste tu tarjeta? ¡Durante septiembre, las tarjetas de reemplazo son **GRATIS**!
Visita el Mostrador de Circulación con una identificación con foto para recibir una nueva.

September is Library Card Sign-up Month!

Don't have a library card? We invite you to stop in and sign-up for one.

Have you lost your card? During the month of September, replacement cards are **FREE**!
Visit the Circulation Desk with a picture ID to receive a new library card.



CLASE PRE-LICENCIA DE 5 HORAS
Sábado, 20 de septiembre; 10:00AM-3:00PM

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

Sábado, 18 de octubre; 10:00AM-3:00PM

***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, 27 de septiembre; 9:30AM-3:30PM

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

Sábado 25 de octubre; 9:30AM-3:30PM

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

La Biblioteca Pública de Hampton Bays ofrecerá un curso de un solo día de seguridad para conductores 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 tarjeta de crédito o en efectivo exacto. Nos vemos en la biblioteca.

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Learn a new language!

**APRENDE INGLÉS CON
PRONUNCIATOR**

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!



ASISTENCIA DE CIUDADANÍA

Visite el departamento de Adult Reference para reunirse personalmente con nuestra experimentada y conocedora tutora de ciudadanía, Regina. Recibirá guía y apoyo para ayudarlo a prepararse y sentirse seguro al momento del examen de naturalización.
Contacte: Regina Robin (drginarobin@gmail.com) OR (ESL@hamptonbayslibrary.org).



CITIZENSHIP ASSISTANCE

Visit the Adult Reference department to meet one-on-one with our experienced and knowledgeable citizenship tutor, Regina. Know what to expect when taking the naturalization exam and what is required for you to successfully pass. **Contact: Regina Robin (drginarobin@gmail.com) OR (ESL@hamptonbayslibrary.org).**

THE FRIENDS OF THE HAMPTON BAYS LIBRARY



"Twice Sold Tales" Bookstore

Open every Saturday from 9:00AM-2:00PM

Please check www.FriendsoftheHBPL.org for updates!



NEWS!



Thank you to everyone who participated in our Silent **Art Auction**. We raised over \$1,000!

Friends of the Library week is October 19 - 25. Be sure to pick up your free raffle tickets.

Save the Date: The Magical Sleigh Ride through Hampton Bays will be December 7 from 4:00PM - 5:30PM and will conclude at the Hampton Bays Chamber of Commerce Tree Lighting ceremony.

Twice Sold Tales Bookstore will be open Saturdays from 9:00PM -2:00PM. Be sure to pick up and fill your new Tote!

Interested in joining our board? Come to a meeting. All meetings are held on the fourth Monday of the month at 9:30AM.

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.

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).**



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!

HAMPTON BAYS BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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LIBRARY CLOSED

Monday, September 1
Labor Day

Monday, October 13
Indigenous Peoples' Day

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING DATES

Tuesday, September 9
Tuesday, October 14

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:

SEPTEMBER: Although **Good Ground Artists** is based in Hampton Bays, it reaches artists as far west as Hauppauge and on both the North and South Forks of Long Island. Lauded for the caliber of works presented, it is also appreciated for the eclectic selection of artwork – from traditional to avant-garde to surreal. **An Artist Reception will be held on Sunday, September 7 from 2:00PM-4:00PM in the Helen Gould Room.**

OCTOBER: 'FALL in love with ART' with local East End artist, **Linda Davison Mathues**, who will be exhibiting her widely admired florals this month, along with some new and different subjects and mediums. Linda's landscapes, portraits, still life, and abstracts will surprise her many followers. **An Artist Reception will be held on Sunday, October 5 from 2:00PM-4:00PM in the Helen Gould Room.**

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



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