

NORTH SHORE PUBLIC LIBRARY



Be sure to pick up your July/August Calendar of Events now available at the Library.

July / August 2023

ART EXHIBITION



Victoria Beckert: Watercolor Wonder

Victoria views being an artist as a very freeing experience, using textures and happy surprises to bring interest to her paintings. She also uses a variety of tools such as \$.99 Bristol brushes, table salt, candle wax, or plastic wrap to make her watercolors pop.

Victoria feels the less control she exerts on a painting, the better the final outcome.




In the Display Case:

A collection of handmade journals for sketching and travel by Karen I-Kemper.

CALLING ARTISTS, CRAFTERS AND COLLECTORS

The NSPL Glass Display Case highlights the collections and small artworks of our local residents. If you have a collection of objects, memorabilia, or small works and are interested in displaying, please contact Lorena at: programming@northshorepubliclibrary.org or 631-929-4488 ext. 230.

DATES TO REMEMBER!

- The Library will be closed on Sundays through October 8.
- The Library will be closed on Tuesday, July 4 (Independence Day). 

CONCERTS

Registration (include email) is suggested.

An Intimate Look at the Blues

Thursday, July 27, 7:00 – 8:15 PM

A blues concert with Gail Storm on piano/vocals, accompanied by Matt Woodburn on guitar/vocals. This show will feature blues form, themes, and styles.



Mostly Motown

Thursday, August 10, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Rhonda Denet and the Silver Fox Trio will play music of the '60s and '70s, with songs from the Supremes, Mary Wells, Gladys Knight, Stevie Wonder, Marvin Gaye, and others.

Sound Healing and Guided Meditation

Thursday, July 13 & Tuesday, August 15, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Join Donna Nesteruk as she uses crystal singing bowls that produce powerful, vibratory sound waves which resonate deeply within the body. This sound session allows for a restorative and relaxing experience creating a peaceful calm within.



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Hours of Service

Monday-Thursday 9:30 AM-9 PM

Friday 9:30 AM-5 PM

Saturday 9:30 AM-5 PM

Sunday 12-4 PM

(October 15, 2023 to April 28, 2024)

Check the calendar or library website for change of hours or additional closings. Outside return box available.

Library Website:

<https://northshorepubliclibrary.org>

Telephone: 631-929-4488

Board Meeting Dates: Tuesdays, July 25 & August 22 at 5:00 PM

Join the Suffolk Public Libraries Summer Tour!

- Pick up your Summer Tour Book
- Visit libraries in Suffolk
- Get as many stamps as you can
- Win prizes

Beginning July 1, pick up your Summer Tour Book and get your booklet stamped at any of the public service desks.



REMINDER: THERE WILL BE NO COMMUNITY MEETING ROOM USE FOR THE MONTHS OF JULY AND AUGUST.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Use our
Self-Checkout
located conveniently
in the Children's
Room to checkout
items!

Registration is required for all programs, unless otherwise noted. Registration for July programs begins Saturday, July 1 at 9:30 AM. Registration for August programs begins Tuesday, August 1 at 9:30 AM. Child's age/grade MUST be entered in the note field in order to confirm registration.

Each library card only reserves one spot per program. You can register online, in-person, or by phone.

Online registration is recommended.

**** For more information and full descriptions of any of the following programs, please go to our website!**

CHECK OUT OUR ART CART LOCATED IN THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT! STOP IN TO MAKE A CRAFT ANY TIME THE LIBRARY IS OPEN.



ANNUAL SUMMER READING CLUB: All Together Now

For children ages 3 years up to children entering Grade 5

Registration begins
Friday, June 23

Earn prizes Monday,
July 3 - Friday, August 25

Register online at <http://northshorepubliclibrary.org>,
in-person, or by phone beginning Friday, June 23.

Bingo cards filled with all your summer reading challenges will be available to pick up in-person or print out a copy online. Every time you earn a "BINGO!", come in to pick out a prize. Prizes will be changed weekly, so stop in all summer long to redeem. Complete the whole board and earn a raffle ticket to be entered to win one of our special prizes at the end of the summer.



Can you find the Earth Buddy?

Saturday, July 1 – Monday, July 31

To kick off our Summer Reading Club, a stuffed Earth Buddy will be hiding in a new place in the Children's Department each day! Find him when you visit and fill out a raffle ticket for a chance to win a prize. One entry per child, per day.

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

We encourage all parents of preschool children to join this exciting reading incentive! Stop by the Children's Department to sign up and get your first bookmark to help you keep track of what you read together. Complete

each bookmark and earn a book to add to your own collection.

Learn more online at: <https://northshorepubliclibrary.org/1000-books-before-kindergarten/>

Congratulations to Adeline Winslow who completed the 1000 Books Before K Challenge!



KIDS BOOKMARK CONTEST! JUNE 23-JULY 26

Help kickoff our summer by being part of our Bookmark Contest!

Children ages

3 years - entering grade 5 are invited to design their own bookmarks. The winning bookmarks will be printed and distributed throughout the library for patrons to take home. All bookmark entries will be displayed in the Children's Department to view.

Visit the Children's Department for Official Entry Form and Bookmark Template.



YOUNG Artists OF THE MONTH

July: Casey, Emma, & Katrina Uhl

August: Jackson Hepburn & Amelia Miller

**DO YOU HAVE A BUDDING YOUNG ARTIST IN GRADES K-5? SIGN THEM UP TO DISPLAY THEIR ARTWORK IN OUR CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT FOR A WHOLE MONTH!
CALL THE LIBRARY AT 631-929-4488 FOR MORE INFORMATION!**

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

In-Person Programming

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED - unless otherwise noted. **Children in kindergarten and up attend programs independently unless otherwise noted.** Programs are listed by age/grade level and then date.

**** Late Arrival Guidelines: A grace period of 10 minutes will be given to patrons attending a program. Admittance after this time is at the discretion of the library staff or programmer.**

CRAFTY TUESDAYS

Registration for July 11 begins Saturday, July 1.
All other registrations begin **one week** prior to program date.

For Children Ages 3 Years to Entering K

with a parent/caregiver
Tuesdays, 10:15 – 11:00 AM **OR**
11:15 AM – 12:00 PM

Listen to stories, make a fun themed craft, and watch a movie!

- July 11: Happy Birthday, Everyone!
- July 18: Birds of a Feather
- July 25: Animal Friends
- August 1: Sweet Treats
- August 8: Be Happy, Be You!



For Children Entering Grades 1 and 2

Tuesdays, 1:15 – 2:00 PM

- July 11: Together We Can Picture Frames
- July 18: Sprinkled with Kindness
- July 25: Game On!
- August 1: Paracord Friendship Bracelets
- August 8: Bee Kind Canvas Tote

For Children Entering Grades 3-5

Tuesdays, 3:00 – 3:45 PM

- July 11: Button Makers
- July 18: Tie-Dye T-Shirts
- July 25: Step Into Art ***outdoor class – plan accordingly**
- August 1: Sand Art Terrariums
- August 8: Scavenger Hunt & Ice Cream Party!



STORYTIMES & BOOKTALKS

Registration for July programs begin 7/1, for August programs 8/1.

Pajama Storytimes

All Ages up to Entering Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver
Monday, July 10, 6:30 – 7:15 PM
Monday, August 7, 6:30 – 7:15 PM

Come in your pajamas with a cuddly bedtime buddy to enjoy some stories, flannel boards, and a fun craft activity!

Totally Two's Storytimes

Ages 2 years with a parent/caregiver
Monday, July 10, 10:15 – 11:00 AM
Monday, August 7, 10:15 – 11:00 AM

Enjoy this themed storytime where families will hear stories, sing songs, and create a simple craft.



STEAM Storytimes

Pre-K, Ages 3 & 4 years with a parent/caregiver
Kids and adults will work together in this hands-on storytime science program! Learn science through read-alouds, tinkering, exploration, and a craft.

Ocean Friends, Monday, July 24, 10:15 – 11:00 AM

Build it Together, Wednesday, August 16, 10:15 – 11:00 AM

Story Crafters, Entering Grades 1-3

Enjoy stories and a related craft activity at each session.

Let's Paint Together: Summer Fun Canvas,

Thursday, August 3, 1:15 – 2:00 PM

Let's Get Messy: Oobleck Making,

Thursday, August 10, 1:15 – 2:00 PM

Let's Explore the Weather: DIY Windchimes,

Thursday, August 17, 1:15 – 2:00 PM



ICE CREAM SUNDAE BOOKTALKS

Registration for July programs begin 7/1, for August programs 8/1.

A fun adult/child book discussion group for children entering Grades 3-5

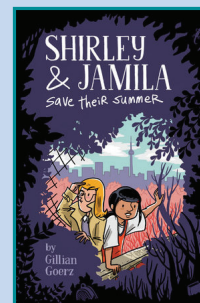
This exciting program will include a book discussion, a simple craft activity, a game segment, and refreshments. Register and pick up your books in the Children's Dept. for one or both of these exciting booktalk programs:

Shirley and Jamila Save Their Summer
by Gillian Goetz

Friday, July 21, 3:00 – 4:00 PM

The Wild Robot by Peter Brown

Friday, August 18, 3:00 – 4:00 PM



CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

CHECK OUT OUR
FAMILY BINGE BOXES
COMPLETE WITH FOUR
THEMED MOVIES,
AND POPCORN!



SUMMER PROGRAMS FOR INFANTS AND TODDLERS

Registration for July programs begin 7/1, for August programs 8/1.

INFANT PROGRAMS

Infant Sign Language, Newborn – 35 months with a parent/caregiver
Wednesdays, July 12 and 26, 10:00 – 10:45 AM
Join us for this **two-session** workshop to learn basic words and phrases in American Sign Language.



Babies Boogie, Newborn – 17 months with a parent/caregiver
Friday, July 21, 10:15-11:00 AM
Friday, August 11, 10:15-11:00 AM
Babies and their grown-ups will enjoy music, movement, dancing and more!



Baby Start, Newborn – 17 months with a parent/caregiver
Friday, August 4, 10:00 – 10:30 AM
Adults and babies will bond in this interactive program that includes music, movement, fine and gross motor skills, and a circle time!

Infant Massage, Newborn – pre-walkers with a parent/caregiver
Wednesday, August 9, 10:00 – 10:45 AM
Learn the art of infant massage and help your baby sleep better! Be sure to bring a blanket for your little one. Techniques will be taught by a Certified Infant Massage Instructor.



TODDLER PROGRAMS

Toddler Time, Ages 12-35 months with a parent/caregiver
Thursday, July 27, 10:15 – 11:30 AM
Thursday, August 24, 10:15 – 11:30 AM
Toddlers will enjoy interacting with other toddlers in a setting designed to encourage free play and exploration. Children and adults will enjoy music, crafts, toys, and a circle time.



Kidnastics, Ages 18-35 months with a parent/caregiver
Friday, July 14, 10:15 – 11:00 AM OR 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM
Friday, August 18 10:15 – 11:00 AM OR 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM
Kidnastics will be here to lead children with caregivers in a movement education exercise program with activities designed to develop fine and gross motor skills.

Construction Zone, Ages 12-35 months with a parent/caregiver
Monday, July 17, 10:15 – 11:00 AM
Tuesday, August 29, 10:15 – 11:00 AM
Visit our "Construction Zone" and build whatever you can imagine with tons of different bricks and blocks!

Toddlers Tango, Ages 18-35 months with a parent/caregiver
Friday, July 21, 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM
Friday, August 11, 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM
Little ones will get moving in this fun class with music, movement, dancing, and more!

Amusement Park Fun, Ages 18-35 months with a parent/caregiver
Friday, August 4, 11:00 – 11:45 AM
Spend some time at the amusement park with *A Time for Kids*. Ride, play and dance your way around.

PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Registration for July programs begin 7/1, for August programs 8/1.
For Children in Pre-K, Ages 3 & 4 years with a parent/caregiver

Bubble Party
Friday, July 7, 11:00 – 11:45 AM
Join us for bubble making, chasing, popping, and of course, DANCING! Dress for a mess. This program will take place outside, so plan accordingly!



Kidnastics
Friday, July 14, 1:15 – 2:00 PM
Friday, August 18, 1:15 – 2:00 PM
Kidnastics will be here to lead children with caregivers in a fun exercise program with activities designed to develop fine and gross motor skills.

Construction Zone
Monday, July 17, 2:00 – 2:45 PM
Tuesday, August 29, 2:00 – 2:45 PM
Visit our "Construction Zone" and build whatever you can imagine with tons of different bricks and blocks!

Li'l Explorers: Dinosaurs
Tuesday, August 22, 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM
Explore the world of dinosaurs through interactive activities and crafts.



The Great and Powerful Dave Magic Show,

Ages 4 years – Entering Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver
Wednesday, August 2, 3:00 – 4:00 PM

Join The Great & Powerful Dave for this show packed with magic, mystery, comedy, puppets, and audience participation. Then learn some magic secrets with a magic workshop after the show!

Registration begins July 1!



SPECIAL FAMILY PROGRAMS

Build-a-Pal Workshop!,

Ages 3 years – Entering Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver
Wednesday, July 5, 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM **OR** 2:00 – 2:45 PM
Let's build a stuffed pal, *All Together Now!* Stuff your very own rainforest frog to help you hop into summer reading!

Popcorn & Pajamas,

Ages 3 years – Entering Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver
Thursday, July 6, 6:00 – 7:30 PM
Wear your coziest pajamas and bring your blankets for our movie and pajamas night! Watch *Shrek* on our big screen, enjoy popcorn and juice, and create a fun craft.

Tots Night Out: Colors of the Rainbow,

Ages 18 months – Pre-K, 4 years with a parent/caregiver
Thursday, July 20, 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Come join *A Time for Kids* in this fun and fast-paced preschool readiness program. Children and adults will work side by side through music, movement, fine and gross motor activities, as well as a storytime. Everyone will make a beautiful rainbow project!

Play Date: The Band – Live in Concert!, All Ages – Entering Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver
Wednesday, July 26, 4:00 – 4:45 PM

Get moving and join the music party with *Play Date!* Award-winning band *Play Date*, brings infectious melodies and empowering lyrics that will get the whole family bopping. *Play Date's* fun, interactive music program encourages children and their families to explore their imaginations through song.

Tots Night Out: Dog Days of Summer,

Ages 18 months – Pre-K, 4 years with a parent/caregiver
Thursday, August 17, 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Come join *A Time for Kids* in this fun and fast-paced preschool readiness program. Children and adults will work side by side through music, movement, fine and gross motor activities, as well as a storytime. Everyone will make an adorable dog craft!

Family Slime Time,

Ages 3 years – Entering Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver
Thursday, August 24, 3:00 – 3:45 PM **OR** 6:00 – 6:45 PM

School Supply Bingo, Entering Grades K-5
Monday, August 28, 3:00 – 3:45 PM **OR** 4:00 – 4:45 PM
Outdoor program, plan accordingly.
Enjoy this classic group game and win prizes to get you ready for September!



PROGRAMS FOR GRADES K-5

Extreme Weather, Entering Grades 3-5
Monday, July 10, 3:00 – 3:45 PM

Learn about extreme weather conditions by experimenting through a variety of hands-on activities.

Sign Language, Entering Grades 1-3
Wednesdays, July 12 & 26, 11:00 – 11:45 AM
Join us for this **two-week** workshop to learn basic words and phrases to help you communicate using American Sign Language.

LEGO Club, Entering Grades K-5
Wednesday, July 19, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
Build your own unique design, or work in a group to create whatever you can imagine.



Boredom Busters, Entering Grades K-2
Thursday, July 20, 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM
Challenge your creativity at our boredom busting program! Play some team games, then design your own game kits to use at home.

Galaxy Milkshakes, Entering Grades 3-5
Thursday, July 27, 6:00 – 6:45 PM
Blend together delicious milkshakes! Swirl colors to create out of this world galaxies! Top with whipped cream and galaxy sprinkles. Enjoy your milkshakes and some salty pretzel treats!



Meet the Animals from Quogue Wildlife Refuge, Entering Grades K-5 with a parent/caregiver
Monday, August 7, 2:00 – 3:00 PM
Learn all about the lifestyles and habitats of a variety of critters. Then meet the animals, including snakes, turtles, mammals, birds of prey, and some creepy crawlies!

Textured Heart Art, Entering Grades 3-5
Wednesday, August 9, 3:00 – 4:00 PM
Create a colorful, textured heart painting on canvas. Decorate with miniature hardware charms, gears, buttons, metal pieces and more, inspired by Jim Dine's artwork.

Duck Boat Challenge, Entering Grades 3-5
Tuesday, August 15, 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM
Outdoor program, plan accordingly.
Put on your engineering cap and build a boat that really floats to hold as many rubber ducks as possible!



STEM Challenge: Deserted Island, Entering Grades 3-5
Monday, August 21, 3:00 – 3:45 PM
Complete a variety of building challenges to see if you have what it takes to survive on a deserted island.

Registration (in-person, by phone, or online) for July programs begins 7/1, August programs 8/1, unless otherwise noted. For more information and full descriptions of any of the following programs, please go to our website!

ALL TOGETHER NOW Summer Reading Club

Pick up a bingo board at the Library or download it from our website!



Registration through our website is required to participate. For every bingo you earn you will be entered into our bi-weekly raffles starting 7/3 AND one entry of your choice into one of the grand prize raffles. Find more information about prizes and logging reading on our website, or on our Instagram!



BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS 2023

Grades 6-9

Wednesdays, June 21, 28,
July 5, 12, 19, 26, August 2, & 9,
7:00 – 8:30 PM

Final Battle: Saturday, August 12,
12:00 – 4:30 PM

Battle of the Books is back! Join us as we read six books this summer and prepare for a giant trivia game against other libraries in Suffolk County! This program is for teens entering grades 6-9 in Fall 2023.



Take & Make (With Pick Up Dates)

*Kits include all dry ingredients needed.

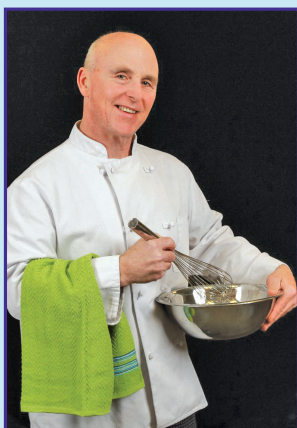
Cookie Ice Cream Sandwiches - 7/10 – 7/17

Buttery Farmstand Blueberry Muffins - 8/14 – 8/21



In-Person Programming

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COOKING WITH CHEF ROB SCOTT:

Fruit Sushi

Thursday, July 6, 6:30 – 7:30 PM
Registration began 6/20.

Snickerdoodle Cookies

Thursday, July 20, 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Chicken Fajita Penne Pasta

Thursday, August 3, 6:30 – 7:30 PM
Registration begins 7/20.

Pineapple Salsa

Thursday, August 17, 4:00 – 5:00 PM



JULY

Magazine Scrap Beach Art

Tuesday, July 11,
7:00 – 8:00 PM

Create a beach day scene using scrap paper and old magazines.



Community Service: Summer Adoption Kits

Thursday, July 13, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Earn one hour of community service by creating summer themed adoption kits to help families adopting from shelters this summer.

Teen Inventors

Tuesday, July 25, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Teams will brainstorm and present an original business idea! Snacks and awards will be provided.

Parrot Painting with Art Teacher Amy

Thursday, July 27, 1:00 – 2:30 PM

Draw/paint parrots step-by-step! No experience necessary!

AUGUST

Pink Lemonade Body Scrubs

Tuesday, August 1, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Create a heavenly pink lemonade body scrub using sugar, oil, and pink lemonade essential oil.

Registration begins 7/20.



Name That Tune

Tuesday, August 8, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Teams compete in various rounds to try to name that tune!

Inspirational Scrapbooking

Monday, August 21, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Create an inspirational quote scrapbooking page with lots of stickers and papers!

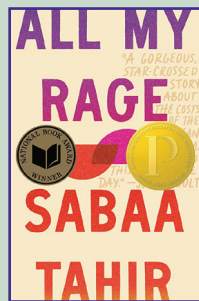
TEEN BOOK CLUB MEETINGS:

Entering Grades 9 – 12

All My Rage by Sabaa Tahir

Wednesday, July 12,
6:00 – 7:00 PM

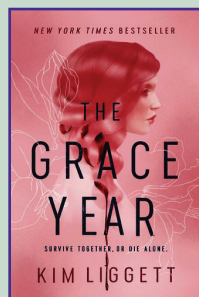
Pick-up beginning 6/20.



The Grace Year by Kim Ligett

Wednesday, August 9,
6:00 – 7:00 PM

Pick-up beginning 7/12.



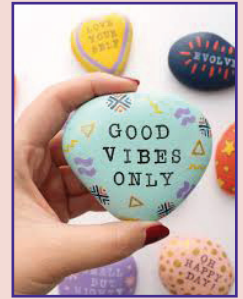
COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES



Visit the community service page on our website for submission limits/requirements to earn credit!

Teen Book Reviews - 3 Hours

Review up to two books a month from the YA Room.



Kindness Rocks - 1 Hour

Create three kindness rocks to place around the community! Email a picture of them to mparsons@northshorepubliclibrary.org!

NSPL Recycling Challenge - 1 Hour

Earn a hour for every 40 items you recycle at a local supermarket/recycling facility! Photo proof of your receipt required.



Children's Programs

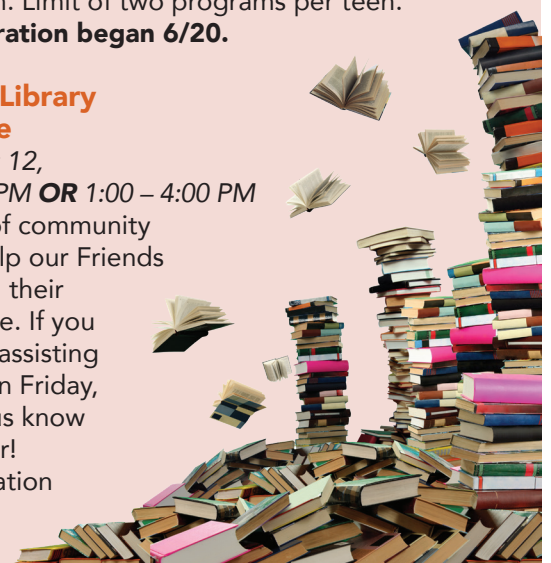
Our Children's Department is looking for volunteers to help with their summer programs! Visit the Library to register in-person. Limit of two programs per teen.

In-person registration began 6/20.

Friends of the Library Used Book Sale

Saturday, August 12,
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM **OR** 1:00 – 4:00 PM

Earn four hours of community service as you help our Friends of the Library run their summer book sale. If you are interested in assisting with the set up on Friday, 8/11, please let us know when you register! In-person registration begins 8/1.



Follow our YA Instagram account [@nsplibraryteens](https://www.instagram.com/nsplibraryteens) for the latest news, programs, and book lists.



ADULT PROGRAMS

For July programs, registration begins 7/1 (unless otherwise noted). Non-residents may register on 7/5.

Register in-person, by phone, or online. In-person registration required for programs with fees. Please include your email address when registering in order to receive program links. For more information and full descriptions of any of the following programs, please go to our website!

JULY & AUGUST ONGOING PROGRAMS

Registration for July begins 6/20 (6/25 non-residents), and for August on 7/20 (7/25 non-residents).

ONGOING VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

Breathe Together Series

Tuesdays, July 4 – August 29,
10:00 – 10:20 AM



ONGOING IN-PERSON PROGRAMS

Canasta Anyone?

Thursdays, July 6 – August 31,
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

NSPL supplies the room, tables, chairs, cards, shuffler, pencil, and pads.

Knittin' Time

Saturdays, July 1 & August 5,
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Bring needles, yarn, and projects you are working on.

Stitch and Quilt

Thursdays, July 20 & August 24,
6:30 – 8:00 PM

Come stitch with friends old and new. Learn from experienced sewers and quilters.



Bring what you are working on, use your machine or ours. A small hands-on project can be made at each session (July-summer coasters & August-mug rug).

OFF-SITE VISIT

Photo Safari Goes To:

WaterDrinker Sunflower Sunset

Sunset Shoot - Saturday, August 5, 6:30 PM

Join us on a Photo adventure to the WaterDrinker Family Farm (663 Wading River Road, Manorville) to photograph acres of Sunflowers at sunset. We will meet at 6:30 PM near the admission gate to gather before entering the field. **WaterDrinker farms charges \$20.00 per person to be paid at the gate.** Bring your cameras, wear comfortable clothing and walking shoes. More information will be sent via email once you have registered. Rain date - TBA.



JULY VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING

zoom



Virtual Gentle Stretch

zoom

Mondays, July 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31, 10:30 – 11:30 AM
Registration begins 6/20 (6/25 non-residents).

Senior Scams

zoom

Wednesday, July 12, 1:00 – 2:00 PM

Various types of common senior scams will be discussed so that you can understand what safeguards you should put in place to not become the next victim.

Bumbling Along with the Bumble Bees

zoom

Wednesday, July 12, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Learn about discerning honey bees and native bees from lookalikes in the syrphid fly family, the important roles these bees play, and how to attract and support them with plants and landscaping.



Endometriosis (SBSH Speaker series)

zoom

Thursday, July 20, 12:00 – 1:00 PM

Dr. Jennifer. M. Blaber, a minimally invasive gynecologic surgeon and Clinical Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology at Stony Brook Medicine, will explain the possible causes, risk factors, symptoms, diagnosis, and treatment options of endometriosis.

MEDICARE COUNSELING

Tuesday, July 11 & August 8,
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Call (631) 929-4488
ext. 225 for more info.



Grab and Go Kits

Buttery Farmstand Blueberry Muffins

Pick up Friday, July 28

Kit includes dry ingredients, recipe and Chef Rob's demo video. Berries not included. Registration for NSPL cardholders begins 7/1 (non-residents 7/5).

Fall Pollinator Garden Seed Kit

Pick up Thursday,
August 3

Registration begins 7/20 (non-residents 7/25). See page 10 for more information.

JULY IN-PERSON PROGRAMS

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Friends of the Library Meeting

Wednesday, July 5, 10:30 – 11:30 AM
New members are welcome!

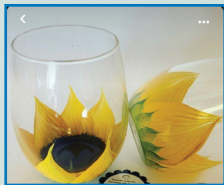


Language Learning: Beginners Italian and Conversation

Saturdays, July 8, 15, & 22, 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM
Discover the basic elements of Italian Language and Culture in this step-by-step class covering basic to advanced usage, body language, and contemporary daily life with a native Italian speaker. **Registration begins 6/20 (6/25 non-residents).**

NEW! Travel Sketching Journal

Saturday, July 15, 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM
Enjoy this simple bookkeeping demonstration and learn some methods and techniques to make travel sketching both inviting and fun. Sketch time is included in this session. Beginner friendly!



Paint Party: Stemless Sunflower Glasses

Wednesday, July 19, 7:00 – 8:30 PM
Nonrefundable fee of \$12 (cash/check) paid in-person. Paint a pair of beautiful Sunflower themed glasses.

NEW! Sewing Machine 101 (Summer Tote)

Fridays, July 21 & 28, 10:30 AM – 12:15 PM
Nonrefundable fee of \$12 (cash/check) paid in-person. Become comfortable operating a sewing machine and create your own summer tote. Learn about threading the machine and bobbin, stitching, how to use the foot pedal to control speed, and how to sew straight and curved seams. **Must attend both sessions!**



N.Y. State Empire Driver Safety Class

Saturday, July 22, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM
\$30 fee to be paid at in-person registration. Pay by check or money order made out to Empire Safety Council. Bring a snack or bag lunch. Save 10% off your car insurance by taking this NY approved Driver Safety Class.



NEW! Summer Tea Light

Saturday, July 29,
10:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Nonrefundable fee of \$10 (cash/check) paid in-person. Join glass mosaic artist Gabriella Grama as she guides you step-by-step in making this delightful glass summer tea light.



In-Person Morning Exercise Classes At NSPL

No fees for any summer morning exercise class due to planned SWR parking lot project. **Registration begins 7/1 for NSPL cardholders (non-residents 7/5).**

Yoga for Every Body

Wednesdays, July 12, 19, 26, August 2, & 9,
10:30 – 11:30 AM

This gentle yoga class for beginner and experienced students alike at a relaxed pace that will improve balance, flexibility, and strength. Bring a yoga mat/blanket.

Summer Yoga

Thursdays, July 13, 20, 27, August 3,
10:30 – 11:30 AM

Join us and cool down with this summer yoga series! Bring a yoga blanket, meditation cushion, or thick towel.

Yoga Essentials

Tuesdays, July 18, 25, August 1, 8,
10:30 – 11:30 AM

A true beginner's class is a refresher for practitioners of all levels and provides a solid base of knowledge for those with no experience. Bring 2 yoga blocks and a yoga mat/blanket.



COMPUTER CLASSES

Introduction to Microsoft Excel

Monday, July 17, 6:30 – 8:30 PM
Create, edit, and format worksheets, formulas, and much more. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten & 1st Grade or equivalent.

Intermediate Microsoft Excel

Monday, July 24,
6:30 – 8:30 PM
Learn functions and work with ranges, macros, charting, and much more. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten, Computer 1st Grade, & Introduction to Microsoft Excel or equivalent.

Advanced Microsoft Excel

Monday, July 31,
6:30 – 8:30 PM
Learn vLookup, data validation, subtotals, and much more. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten, 1st Grade, Introduction, & Intermediate Excel.

ADULT PROGRAMS

For August programs, registration begins 8/1 (unless otherwise noted). Non-residents may register on 8/5.

Register in-person, by phone, or online. In-person registration required for programs with fees. Please include your email address when registering in order to receive program links. For more information and full descriptions of any of the following programs, please go to our website!

AUGUST VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING

Password Management

Tuesday, August 1, 7:00 – 8:30 PM 

Learn how to best manage all your passwords and the best practices for keeping all your accounts safe using a password manager. No prerequisites. Please bring your questions. **Registration begins 7/20 (non-residents 7/25).**

Fall Installed Pollinator Gardens & Seed Library Kit

Thursday, August 3, 7:00 – 8:00 PM 

Seed Library Kit pick up begins Thursday, August 3

Participants will receive planting plans for fall pollinator gardens, and will learn which plants can be planted or seeded in the fall. **Registration begins 7/20 (non-residents 7/25).**

Virtual Mat Pilates

Mondays, August 7, 14, 21, 28,
September 11, 18, & 25, 10:00 – 11:00 AM


This is a low impact, full-body workout that will leave you energized and renewed.

Grab your mat and let's get started!

Open to ALL levels. **Registration begins 7/20 (non-residents 7/25).**



Virtual Gentle Stretch

Mondays, August 7, 14, 21, & 28, 10:30 – 11:30 AM 


Registration begins 7/20 (non-residents 7/25).

Lowering Prescription Drug Costs

Wednesday, August 16, 1:00 – 2:00 PM 

Attend this educational workshop and learn how you may save money on your prescriptions.

Healthy Eyes/Healthy Vision (SBSH Speaker series)

Thursday, August 17, 12:00 – 1:00 PM 

Dr. Robert Honkanen, Chairman of the Ophthalmology Department at Stony Brook Renaissance School of Medicine, will discuss glaucoma, macular degeneration, cataracts, diabetic retinopathy, dry eye, and other common eye diseases.

Glow Kids - Digital Madness

Friday, August 25, 7:00 – 8:30 PM 

International speaker, acclaimed psychologist, and author of *Digital Madness*, Dr. Kardaras will share his analysis of the social and psychological impacts of overdependence on technology, not just for our children, but for people of all ages. See website for more information.

AUGUST IN-PERSON PROGRAMS

**** Late Arrival Guidelines: A grace period of 10 minutes will be given to patrons attending a program. Admittance after this time is at the discretion of the library staff or programmer.**

A Writer's PlayShop

Wednesdays, August 2, 9, & 16, 2:00 – 4:00 PM

Explore lighthearted approaches to getting your stories and poems onto the page with Anne Kelly-Edmunds.

Registration begins 7/20 (non-residents 7/25).

Wonders of Watercolors

Saturday, August 5, 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Nonrefundable fee of \$5 (cash/check) paid in-person.

Watercolor artist Victoria Beckert shows different watercolor techniques and will guide you on your own painting.

Registration begins 7/20 (non-residents 7/25).

Friends of the Library Used Book Sale

Saturday, August 12, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Please join us at the Friends' book sale! All items will be on sale for ten cents.

NEW! Whimsical Collage

Saturday, August 12, 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Small works for joyful compositions with Karen! One color, one image, one word, and *Voila!* Experience the feeling of accomplishment with this simple recipe and finish several art pieces to take home with you. Beginner friendly and fun!

NEW! Beginner Tai Chi

Tuesdays, August 15, 22, 29, & September 5,
3:30 – 4:30 PM

This class is based on the Sun style form and is a low-impact, slow moving meditative exercise that includes gentler movements suitable for people of all ages, mobility, ability, and fitness levels. Does not require deep bending or squatting and may be done seated or standing.

AARP Smart Driver Course

Tuesday, August 22 &

Thursday, August 24,

10:00 AM – 1:15 PM

Designed for adults over the age of 50 years.

Bring your driver's license and a check/or money order for \$30 made out to AARP. **Bring your AARP membership card for a reduced fee of \$25.** Must

attend both sessions for your certificate of completion.





VIRTUAL BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Books are available at the Circulation Desk! These book discussions will be held virtually through Zoom. Register with your email address to be sent the required link. **Registration begins 6/20 for July discussions and 7/20 for August discussions.**

Usual Suspects Mystery Book Club via Zoom

Every 2nd Tuesday of the month. Discussion led by Erin Coughlin.

The Bombay Prince by Sujata Massey
Tuesday, July 11, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

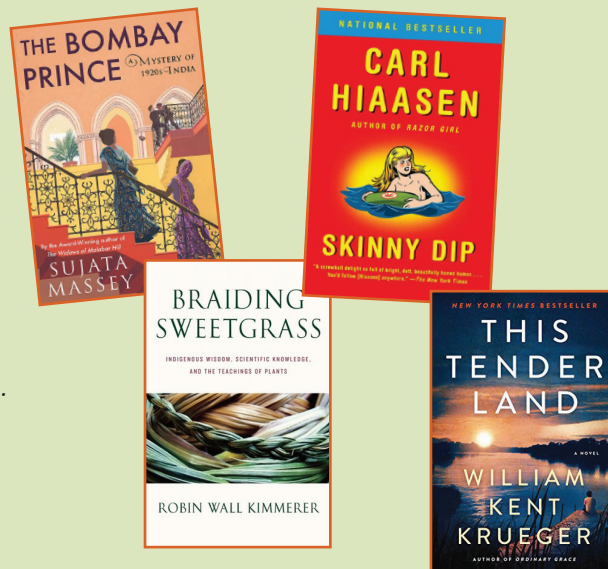
Skinny Dip by Carl Hiaasen
Tuesday, August 8, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Contemporary Book Discussion via Zoom

Every 3rd Wednesday of the month. Discussion led by Erin Coughlin.

Braiding Sweetgrass by Robin Wall Kimmerer
Wednesday, July 19, 7:30 – 8:45 PM

This Tender Land by William Kent Krueger
Wednesday, August 16, 7:30 – 8:45 PM



Afternoon Book Discussion (In-Library)

Our Afternoon Book Discussion with Professor William Schiavo will resume in September!

MUSEUM PASSES

The library is offering museum passes for all NSPL library cardholders. Learn more about the museums and reserve passes from our homepage, at the Children's Reference Desk, or by calling 631-929-4488 ext. 223.

NEED BOOKS IN A HURRY?

Visit our "Book Bundles" page on our website at <https://northshorepubliclibrary.org/childrens-book-bundles/>. Let us know your child's age/grade level and interests, and we will pull 5-10 books for you to grab and go!



WEDNESDAY MOVIES

All are welcome! No registration required!

Shown at 2:00 & 6:30 PM

- July 12 - *Living* (Rated PG-13, 102 minutes)
- July 26 - *Champions* (Rated PG-13, 124 minutes)
- August 16 - *Maybe I Do* (Rated PG-13, 95 minutes)
- August 30 - *65* (Rated PG-13, 93 minutes)





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Summer of 2023 Beach Towel GIVEAWAY!



1 card punch, per NSPL cardholder, per day at checkout.
1 beach towel per NSPL cardholder. Beach towel giveaway cards may not be combined.

Participate in this summer's Beach Towel Giveaway and earn a FREE library beach towel by coming into the library to check out books, magazines, DVD's, and CD's. At checkout ask for the NSPL Beach Towel Giveaway punch card.

Everyday you visit the library and checkout materials, ask to have your card punched. Once you have 6 punches on your card, you will get to choose 1 of 2 towels; the Sea Turtle or Seahorse.



WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

Join the Suffolk Public Libraries Summer Tour!



- Pick up your Summer Tour Book
- Visit libraries in Suffolk
- Get as many stamps as you can
- Win prizes

Beginning July 1, pick up your Summer Tour Book and get your booklet stamped at any of the public service desks.

Before heading to see another library, make it a full day of fun and see what nearby Museum Pass NSPL has to offer!

DISCOUNT TICKETS

Purchase discounted admission tickets at the Circulation Desk for the **Long Island Aquarium** (\$24.00) and the **Bronx Zoo** (\$27.95). Purchase via cash or check. Available while supplies last! Call for more information.

Purchase discounted admission tickets to **Splish Splash** (\$44.99/ticket) by using our special library code. Visit, call, or go to our website for more information on how to purchase tickets.
<https://northshorepubliclibrary.org/childrens-department/>



LIBRARY OF THINGS!

Did you know we have that? Take advantage of all the resources NSPL has to offer that you may not even know about! Here are just a few examples below:

Register for a New or Replacement Library Card Online!
This feature is found under the **About Us** menu option on the website.

Museum Passes For more information go to our website, ask at the Children's Dept., or call 631-929-4488, ext. 223.

Not Just Books, Music, and Movies!
You can checkout **Children Launchpads** loaded with children's games and activities, as well as **Wifi Hotspots**, **Chromebooks**, **Video Games**, **Vinyl Records**, **Turntables**, and even a **Sewing Machine**.

Kindle Kids Tablets and Nintendo Switch Lites are now available for in-library use!

From Our Webpage Visit our website for free downloads of books, magazines, music, and movies, access to database resources for a wide range of topics along with services!

Wireless Printing is now available at the Library! See website for more info!

Need Special Accommodations? Please let the Library know 48 hours in advance if you need special accommodations due to a disability.