

NORTH SHORE PUBLIC LIBRARY



BI-MONTHLY CALENDARS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE LIBRARY FOR PICKUP

March/April 2024

CONCERTS

LIVE!

Registration is suggested. Please include email.

George Gershwin: An American Original Part I: Alex Wu, piano soloist

Saturday, March 2, 2:00 – 3:15 PM

Alexander Wu brings to life a unique collection of Gershwin's earlier piano pieces, his Broadway songs, and his serious works, including Rhapsody in Blue, An American in Paris, and a piano medley arrangement of the folk opera, Porgy & Bess.



An Afternoon with The Lady Blue Saxophone Quartet



Sunday, April 14, 2:00 – 3:00 PM

Serious talent, musical training, inventiveness, friendship, and a dash of humor all come together in this disciplined and beautifully harmonized musical ensemble. Experience the sounds of four types of saxophones in this performance.

Gene Casey Duo

Sunday, April 28,
2:00 – 3:15 PM

The Gene Casey Duo will perform acoustic style roots, blues, country, folk, and original music. Come and stomp your feet!



Sound Meditations

Sound and music come together to bring peace to listeners, while deeply healing on a physical and emotional level. The use of musical instruments and crystal singing bowls produce powerful vibratory sound waves that move through the body like waves in water, stimulating and relaxing the body to a restorative calming and relaxing experience within.

Sound Bath and Meditation with Susan Ferro

Thursday, March 28, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Sound Healing and Guided Meditation with Donna Nesteruk

Thursday, April 18, 7:00 – 8:00 PM



ART EXHIBITION

Brighten Your World with Color: Modern Quilts

Local Modern quilters are back to brighten Spring with their colorful quilts. These are modern quilters, pushing the boundaries of quilting while experimenting with color, design, and quilting stitches. Quilters participating in this exhibit are Lynn Fullshire, Roberta Leonard, Mario Mulea, Barbara Ryan, Louise Smit, and Randi Vogt.



In the Glass Display Case:

Antique quilts created in the early 1930's by a LI Quilter are on display. She used up-cycled clothing and feed sacks stitched by hand and a treadle sewing machine to create these utility quilts.

The Friends of the Library invite you to an artist reception to meet the quilters on Sunday, April 7, 1:30 – 3:00 PM

Library Trustees:

William Schiavo, President
Terry Cipriani, Vice President
Virginia Ryan, Secretary
Richard Gibney, Trustee

Library Director: Laura Hawrey

Treasurer: Nicholas Ameneiros

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,
March 26 & April 23, 5:00 PM

Library Closed: Sunday, March 31

INFORMATION ABOUT EMERGENCY CLOSINGS OF THE LIBRARY WILL BE LISTED ON THE NSPL WEBSITE AT [HTTPS://NORTHSHOREPUBLICLIBRARY.ORG](https://northshorepubliclibrary.org)

**ANNUAL LIBRARY
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Tuesday, April 9,
9:30 AM – 9:00 PM



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CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Registration is required for all programs, unless otherwise noted. Registration for March programs begins Friday, March 1, 9:30 AM. Registration for April programs begins Monday, April 1, 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!**

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

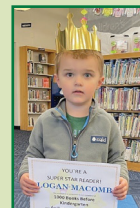
1000 Books Before Kindergarten

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 these awesome readers! From left to right: Miley Abbato & Logan Maccomb



LEPRECHAUN HUNT!

Visit the Children's Room between **March 10 and 17** to search for the hidden St. Patrick's Day symbols! Earn a special prize once you've found them all.



MAKERSPACE

Stop in to visit this corner full of challenging and fun activities.



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.

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



MARCH

REGISTRATION BEGINS 3/1 AT 9:30 AM

Babies Boogie, Ages birth-17 months with a parent/caregiver
Monday, March 4, 10:15-11:00 AM

Mother Goose, Ages birth-17 months with a parent/caregiver
Wednesday, March 13, 10:15-10:45 AM

Stay & Play, Ages 6-35 months with a parent/caregiver
Saturday, March 9, 10:15-11:30 AM

Toddler Time, Ages 12-35 months with a parent/caregiver
Tuesdays, March 19 & 26, 10:15-11:30 AM

Register for this 2-week session! 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.



Toddlers Tango, Ages 18 months-Pre-K, 4 years with a parent/caregiver
Monday, March 4, 11:15 AM-12:00 PM

Construction Zone, Ages 18 months-Pre-K, 4 years with a parent/caregiver
Thursday, March 14, 10:15-11:00 AM **OR** 1:15-2:00 PM

Tots Night Out, Ages 18 months-Pre-K, 4 years with a parent/caregiver
Wednesday, March 20, 6:00-7:00 PM

Totally Two's Storytime, Age 2 years with a parent/caregiver
Wednesday, March 6, 10:15-11:00 AM

Family LEGO Day, Ages 3 years-Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver
Sunday, March 3, 2:00-3:00 PM

Butterfly Storytime, Pre-K, Ages 3-5 years with a parent/caregiver
Thursday, March 7, 1:15-2:00 PM

PlayPalooza, Pre-K, Ages 3-5 years with a parent/caregiver
Mondays, March 11 & 18, 1:15-2:15 PM

Register for this 2-week session! Learn through play in this hands-on program! Adults and children will get moving with different ways to explore and learn through multiple manipulative stations, stories, songs, and a craft.

Little Sparks, Pre-K, Ages 3-5 years with a parent/caregiver
Friday, March 22, 10:15-11:15 AM

St. Patty's Day Painting, Grades K-5
Grades K-2: Wednesday, March 13, 4:45-5:30 PM
Grades 3-5: Wednesday, March 13, 5:45-6:30 PM
Pick your favorite St. Patrick's Day themed plaster and get painting! Dress for a mess.



Junior Scientists, Grades K-5

Grades K-2: *Thursday, March 21, 4:45-5:30 PM*

Grades 3-5: *Thursday, March 21, 6:00-6:45 PM*

Explore the world of science through fun and creative hands-on activities.



Hop To It, Grades K-5 with a parent/caregiver

Wednesday, March 27,

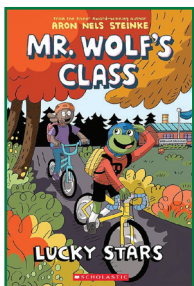
5:00-5:45 PM OR 6:00-6:45 PM

Learn all about bunnies in this interactive program. Bunnies from the farm will join in on the fun!

Cookies & Bookies, Grades 3-5

Monday, March 18, 4:45-5:30 PM

Register and pick up a copy of *Mr. Wolf's Class: Lucky Stars* by Aron Nels Steinke in the Children's Room to join in on this fun monthly book club. Kids will read the book, then attend the program for a booktalk, games, prizes, and snacks!



YOUNG Artists OF THE MONTH

March: Noah & Belle Hughes

April: Annabella Wheaton & Kaylee Kiiraja

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!



Check out our Art Cart located in the Children's Department! Stop in to make a craft any time the library is open.

APRIL REGISTRATION BEGINS 4/1 AT 9:30 AM

Tiny Songbirds, Ages birth-Pre-K,

5 years with a parent/caregiver

Thursday, April 11

Ages Birth-17 months:

10:15-11:00 AM

Ages 18 months-Pre-K,

5 years:

11:15 AM-12:00 PM

Tiny Songbirds is an educational and fun live music experience!

Join us for a morning jam-packed with instrument experimentation, intentional and guided movement and dance, children's music, storytime, and much more!



Totally Two's Storytime,

Age 2 years with a

parent/caregiver

Wednesday, April 3,

10:15-11:00 AM

Art Adventures,

Pre-K, Ages 3-5 years

with a parent/caregiver

Wednesday, April 3, 1:15-2:00 PM

Li'l Explorers: Community Helpers,

Pre-K, Ages 3-5 years with a parent/caregiver

Monday, April 8, 1:15-2:00 PM

Spring Tote Bags, Ages 3 years-

Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver

Friday, April 26,

11:15 AM-12:00 PM OR 1:15-2:00 PM

Decorate a canvas tote bag with beautiful Spring colors.

Author Adventure, Grades K-2

Tuesday, April 16, 4:45-5:30 PM

Explore the wonderful world of Kevin Henkes through hands-on activities and crafts.

Let's Dance, Grades K-2

Tuesday, April 23, 1:15-2:00 PM

Code Breakers Club, Grades 3-5

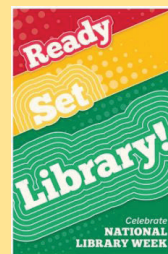
Thursday, April 11, 4:45-5:30 PM

Do you have what it takes to crack the code? Find the hidden objects, figure out the clues and solve the code to earn your prize and "escape the library."



NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK BOOK-A-DAY RAFFLE, APRIL 7-13

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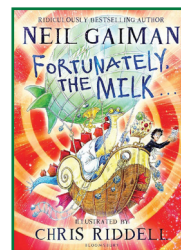
Grades 3-5

Thursday, April 18,

4:45-5:30 PM

Register and pick up a copy of *Fortunately, the Milk* by Neil Gaiman in the Children's Room to join in on this fun monthly book club.

Kids will read the book, then attend the program for a booktalk, games, prizes, and snacks!



Musical Theater Fun,

Grades 3-5

Tuesday, April 23,

2:15-3:00 PM

Become a triple threat in this fun class! Kids will explore a mix of singing, dancing, acting, and get a feel for what to do on the Broadway stage!



Life Cycle of a Frog, Grades 3-5

Thursday, April 25,

11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Learn all about a frog's life in this hands-on workshop. Children will take a closer look into pond water using magnifying lenses and microscopes.

Tots Night Out, Ages 18 months-

Pre-K, 4 years with a parent/caregiver

Monday, April 15, 6:00-7:00 PM

Toddlers Tango, Ages 18 months-

Pre-K, 4 years with a parent/caregiver

Monday, April 22, 11:15 AM-12:00 PM

YOUNG ADULT

PROGRAMS ARE FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 6-12.
NSPL CARDHOLDERS ONLY.

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Follow our YA Instagram account @nsplibraryteens for the latest news, programs, and book lists.

MARCH

SAT Prep

Wednesdays, March 20-May 22,
6:00 – 8:00 PM

Nonrefundable Program fee: \$200 cash or check, in-person registration required. During this ten-session course, tutors from Reach for the Stars Tutoring will focus on major SAT concepts, test-taking skills and time management strategies for the new digital SAT. Please bring writing instruments and highlighters. SAT prep book will be provided. In-person registration began 2/1.



Nailed it! Spring Edition

Thursday, March 21, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
Take part in several fun food themed spring challenges to win prizes. Will you NAIL it or fail it? Food may contain allergens.

Bunny Painting

Monday, March 25, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
Welcome in spring by creating a fun painting of a bunny with glasses and a bowtie!



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APRIL

Croissant Stuffed French Toast with Strawberry and Cream Cheese

Saturday, April 20, 12:00 – 1:00 PM

Have brunch at the Library and join Chef Rob Scott as we make croissant stuffed French toast with strawberry preserves and Italian cream cheese. Please bring a water bottle to class.

Dog Appreciation Month Art

Tuesday, April 23, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

April is dog appreciation month! Bring in a favorite photo of your dog(s) from home and we will create a beautiful work of art featuring your dog(s)!

Movie Night

Thursday, April 25, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Join us as we snack and watch *The Girl Who Leapt Through Time* (PG, 99 minutes).



COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES



Friends of the Library Used Book Sale

Saturday, March 9,
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM **OR** 1:30 – 4:30 PM
Sunday, March 10, 12:30 – 3:30 PM
Earn three hours of community service as you help our Friends of the Library run their book sale. In-person registration is required and begins 3/1.

Teen Advisory Group Meeting

Saturday, March 16, 10:00 – 11:00 AM
Registration begins 3/1.
Saturday, April 20, 10:00 – 11:00 AM
Registration begins 4/1.
Join our Teen Advisory Group and earn one hour of community service as we brainstorm new programs and help around the Library.

Teen Book Reviews

Earn three hours of community service by reviewing a book of your choice from the Young Adult Room. Limit of two submissions per month. Visit the community service page on our website for guidelines and to submit a review.

Kindness Rocks

Create three kindness rocks to place around the community for one hour of community service. Before placing your kindness rocks around the community, please email a picture of them to mparsons@northshorepubliclibrary.org to earn your community service. Limit of one submission per month.



NSPL Recycling Challenge

Help us keep our community clean! For every 40 items you recycle at a local supermarket or recycling facility we will award one hour of community service. Hang on to your receipt! Photo proof must be submitted for us to award community service. Visit the community service page on our website to fill out your submission form. Limit of two submissions per month.

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ONGOING PROGRAMS

Registration for March begins
2/20, April on 3/20

Canasta Anyone?

Thursdays, March 7 – April 25,
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Knittin' Time

Saturday, March 2 & April 6,
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Bring a working project.

Creative Writing

Saturdays, March 9 & April 13,
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM
We use writing prompts for
writing practice.

Stitch and Quilt

Thursday, March 28 & April 25,
6:30 – 8:00 PM
Bring a project or make a simple
project we have on hand.

Virtual - Breathe Together Series

Tuesdays,
March 5 – April 30,
10:00 AM – 10:20 AM
Enliven your day with
transformative
breathing.
Provide email
address when
registering.



MEDICARE COUNSELING

Tuesdays, March 12 & April 9,
12:30 – 2:30 PM
Call (631) 929-4488 ext. 225 for
more info.

MARCH VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING

SEE WEBSITE
FOR FULL DETAILS!



Virtual Mat Pilates

Mondays, March 4 – April 29,
10:00 – 11:00 AM
Registration begins 2/20 (2/25 non-residents).



Virtual Gentle Stretch

Mondays, March 4, 11, 18, & 25,
10:30 – 11:30 AM
Registration begins 2/20 (2/25 non-residents).



Molly Haskell Talks About the Oscars

Friday, March 8, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
Noted film critic and author Molly
Haskell discusses this year's Academy
Awards contenders, from could-have,
to should-have, to what were they
thinking? Registration begins 2/20
(2/25 non-residents). Hosted by
Westhampton Free Library.



The Betty White Story with Sal St. George

Thurs., March 14,
5:30 – 6:30 PM
Join us for this fascinating
and inspiring story of the beloved
author, humanitarian, and actress - The
First Lady of Television - Betty White!
Hosted by Mattituck-Laurel Library.



Photo Safari Assignment Series: Street Photography

Monday, March 18, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
Street photography is the art of
spontaneously and candidly capturing
everyday moments and people in a
common space. Provide your email
address when registering. Submit three
jpgs to artfornow@northshorepubliclibrary.
org by Sunday, March 17, 6:00 PM.
Look to website for full details!



Roosevelt Women: Exceptional Ladies of New York State

Wednesday March 20, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
Join JoAnn Tufo of Historic Voices
for this exploration into the lives and
extraordinary legacies of the mothers,
wives, and daughters of presidents,
politicians, authors, and more! Hosted
by Westhampton Free Library.



Weight Loss – Are medications the solution?

Thursday, March 21, 12:00 – 1:00 PM
Dr. Amy Rosenbluth of the Bariatric
and Metabolic Weight Loss Center
at Stony Brook Medicine will discuss
medications that can help, their risks
and benefits, and other weight loss
options. Hosted by Westhampton
Free Library.



The Sun Will Darken on April 8

Thursday, March 21, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
The newest solar eclipse will
be Monday, April 8. Eight-time
Emmy-nominated meteorologist Joe
Rao will shine a light on the science
of eclipses, and what to watch for in
April. Hosted by Westhampton Free
Library. ***A LIMITED SUPPLY of
Solar Eclipse glasses will be available
through the North Shore Public
Library. Please contact the Library to
ask about how and when you can get
glasses.



Zion National Park: Chat with a Ranger

Monday, March 25, 7:00 – 8:00 PM
Learn about the wildlife, history, and
the red sand stone cliffs carved by
water and time in southwest
Utah. Hosted by NSPL.



MARCH/APRIL VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING



SEE WEBSITE
FOR FULL DETAILS!

Virtual Drawing Sessions with the Pollock Krasner House

Registration begins 2/20 (2/25 for non-residents) for March
programs, 3/20 (3/25 non-residents) for April. Include email
when registering. **Supplies to have ready for each program:**
paper, pencils, sharpener, eraser, and for 3/20 class a
mirror, for 4/3 class a ruler.

Capture the Pose! Figure Drawing

Wednesday,
March 6,
4:00 – 5:00 PM
Learn drawing
techniques that
help you capture a
figure in motion and
expressive poses.



Art of the Eye: Drawing Workshop

Wednesday,
March 20,
4:00 – 5:00 PM
Improve your
observation
skills to draw the
human eye more
accurately.



Perspective Drawing

Wednesday,
April 3,
4:00 – 5:00 PM
Learn the basics of
one and two-point
perspective drawing
that will improve the
illusion of depth in
your drawings.



MARCH IN-PERSON PROGRAMS

SEE WEBSITE
FOR FULL DETAILS!

Registration for the following highlighted programs begins 2/20 (2/25 non-residents)

Tai Chi Flo

Fridays, March 1, 8, 15, & 22, 10:00 – 11:00 AM
Nonrefundable fee of \$12 (cash/check)
paid in-person.

Language Learning - English Conversation

Mondays, March 11, 18, (no 25), April, 1, 8, 15, & 22,
7:00 – 8:30 PM

New English speakers, come to our English Conversation Group to practice your pronunciation and new language skills in a fun and safe environment. Free and open to anyone over the age of 18. Email programming@northshorepubliclibrary.org for information. Registration is open to all.

Yoga for Every Body

Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20, 27, April 3, 10, & 17, 10:30 – 11:30 AM
Nonrefundable fee of \$20 (cash/check) paid in-person.
Bring yoga mat/blanket.



Spring into Yoga

Thursdays in March 7, 14, 21, 28,
April 4, 11, & 18, 10:30 – 11:30 AM
Nonrefundable fee of \$20 (cash/check)
paid in-person. Bring a yoga mat and
2 blocks.

Savvy Sightseer's Republic of Ireland Travelogue

Thursday, March 7,
7:00 – 8:30 PM

Jeanne Schnupp leads us on a journey to enjoy the beauty of Ireland! This magical island is packed with history, beauty, isolated moors, bustling cities, coastal towns, and even a 5,000-year-old burial chamber!



COMPUTER LEARNING

Registration begins 2/20 (non-residents 2/25).

Introduction to Microsoft Excel

Monday, March 11, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Learn the basics of the world's most popular spreadsheet program, including creating, editing, and formatting worksheets, formulas, and more.

Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten and Computer 1st Grade or equivalent.

Intermediate Microsoft Excel

Monday, March 18, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Learn functions, working with ranges, macros, charting, and more. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten, Computer 1st Grade, and Introduction to Microsoft Excel or equivalent.

Advanced Microsoft Excel

Monday, March 25, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Learn VLOOKUP, data validation, subtotals, and more. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten, Computer 1st Grade, Introduction, and Intermediate Excel.



N.Y. State Empire Driver Safety Class

Tuesday, March 12 & Thursday, March 14, 5:30 – 8:30 PM

Bring your driver's license and a check/money order for \$33 made out to Empire Safety Council to the first class.

Must attend both sessions. You may call to register!

Simply Creative Chef Rob - Irish Soda Bread

Wednesday, March 13, 6:30 – 8:00 PM

Nonrefundable fee of \$4 (cash/check) paid in-person. Prepare your own traditional Irish soda bread to take home and bake. Must bring- cookie tray, rubber spatula, and a large bowl.



Strength Training for Total Body

Tuesdays, March 19, 26, April 2, 9, & 16,
6:30 – 7:30 PM

Nonrefundable fee of \$14 (cash/check) paid in-person. Bring hand-held weights (your choice of 2 weights- 1-5 lbs.), yoga mat, and water.



Sweet Sleep and Aromatherapy

Saturday, March 30, 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Create a Sweet Dreams Room/Linen spray and a small Dream Pillow as we discuss the benefits of using Aromatherapy to promote a good night's sleep. You will leave with products you create and recipes.

The Friends of the Library Meetings

Wednesdays, March 6 & April 3,
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM
Join the Friends of the Library
to assist with the book sales
and artist receptions.

Friends of the Library Book Sale!

Saturday, March 9,
10:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Sunday March 10,
12:30-3:30 PM



DEVICE ADVICE

NSPL Cardholders only!
Please bring your device
and a Librarian will help you
access the Library streaming
products or assist with installing
the Libby app to your device.
No registration required

Every Wednesday,
March – April, 6:00 – 8:00 PM



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Virtual Gentle Stretch

Mondays, April 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29,
10:30 – 11:30 AM

Registration begins 3/20 (3/25 non-residents).

Lady Bird Johnson

Thursday, April 4,
7:00 – 8:00 PM

In this humorous, poignant, and insightful historical portrayal, actress and historian Leslie Goddard brings the gracious Lady Bird to life. Hosted by Southold Free Library. Registration begins 3/20 (3/25 non-residents).



Louis Armstrong:

It's a Wonderful World

Tuesday, April 16,
7:00 – 8:00 PM

Join the Director of Collections for the Louis Armstrong Museum to celebrate "Pops" and National Jazz Month. Hosted by Westhampton Free Library.



The Loneliness Epidemic and Mental Health

Thursday, April 18, 12:00 – 1:00 PM

Dr. Amanda Mackillop, DNP, PMHNP-BC at SBSH, will discuss how loneliness impacts individuals, their collective well-being, as well as steps to take to achieve emotional well-being. Hosted by NSPL.

SEE WEBSITE
FOR FULL DETAILS!

What Is Compost, and Compost Tea?

Wednesday, April 24,
7:00 – 8:00 PM

Learn how and when to use compost and compost tea in your garden. Hosted by NSPL.



APRIL IN-PERSON PROGRAMS

Registration for the following highlighted programs begins 3/20 (3/25 non-residents)

Learn To Play Mah Jong

Mondays, April 1, 8, & 15,
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

This class will introduce you to the rules and basic moves of this ancient game.



Savvy Sightseer – Going Solo!

Saturday, April 6,
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Learn tips for safe, fun travel, including the pros/cons of bypassing tour groups and arranging your own exciting travel experiences, finding hotels, and more!



Overcome your Inner Strife by Tapping into your Inner Strength!

Monday, April 8, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Emotional Freedom Technique, aka EFT/Tapping, is a technique done with tapping the fingertips between the head and torso at the beginnings and endings of acupuncture pathways. It is used to help individuals empower themselves by taking control of their decisions and lives, and can create balance in the body.

The Timeline of Food

Thursday, April 11, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

From cavemen to fast food, this lecture explores the moments in time that changed the course of food history. Presented by Diane Schwindt, the resident historic cook at the Ketcham Inn Museum.

Sewing Project: Mini Honeycomb Applique Pouch

Friday, April 12, 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Nonrefundable fee of \$15 (cash/check) paid in-person. Create a small, modern quilted, zipper pouch. See sample at Circulation Desk.

The Poetry of Aromatherapy

Saturday, April 20,
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM

With discussion and hands on creation, we will explore poems and match them with aromatherapy, like Emily Dickinson's rose lotion, Walt Whitman's lemongrass toner, or Robert Frost's cleansing balm.

AARP Safe Driver Course

Tuesday, April 23 & Thursday, April 25, 10:00 AM – 1:30 PM
Designed for Adults over the age of 50 years. Bring your driver's license and a check/money order for \$30 made out to AARP to the first class. Bring your AARP membership card for a reduced fee of \$25. Must attend both sessions for your certificate of completion. You may call to register!

Mediumship: What is it?

Tuesday, April 23, 7:00 – 8:30 PM
Join Winter Brook, psychic medium, to discuss what mediumship is, how mediums receive spirit communication, tips for you to develop your own gifts, and mini readings for some of the attendees. For entertainment only.

Paint Party: Hummingbirds

Monday, April 29, 6:30 – 7:30 PM
Nonrefundable fee of \$10 (cash/check) paid in-person. Join us in a step-by-step painting of blossoms and hummingbirds.

SEE WEBSITE
FOR FULL DETAILS!

An East End Libraries Off Site Program

Celebrate Long Island Reads Bird Walk at Hallock State Park

Wednesday, April 10, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Location – 6062 Sound Ave, Riverhead, NY 11947

Naturalist and experienced birder, MaryLaura Lamont leads this guided walk to locate and identify bird species that thrive in early spring. Call to 631-929-4488 ext. 225 to register.





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MOVIES

All are welcome!
No registration required!

Sunday Movie Matinee!

Shown at 12:30 PM

The Creator
(Rated PG-13, 133 minutes)
Sunday, March 17

**The Three Musketeers:
Part I - D'Artagnan**
(French language,
Not Rated, 121 minutes)
Sunday, March 24

Next Goal Wins
(Rated PG-13, 104 minutes)
Sunday, April 7

Get ready for the Solar Eclipse on Monday, April 8, 2024!

A LIMITED SUPPLY

of Solar Eclipse
glasses will be
available through
the North Shore Public Library. Please
contact the Library to ask about how
and when you can get glasses.



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 3/20 for March discussions, 4/20 for April.

Usual Suspects Mystery Book Club via Zoom

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

The Missing American by Kwei Quartey
Tuesday, March 12, 7:00 – 8:15 PM

An Unsettling Crime for Samuel Craddock by Terry Shames
Tuesday, April 9, 7:00 – 8:15 PM

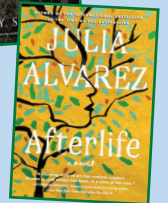
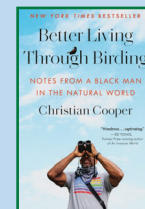
Contemporary Book Discussion via Zoom

Discussion led by Erin Coughlin.

Afterlife by Julia Alvarez
Tuesday, March 19, 7:30 – 8:30 PM

**Long Island Reads Selection - Better Living
Through Birding** by Christian Cooper
Wednesday, April 17, 7:30 – 8:30 PM

zoom



Afternoon Book Discussion (In-Library)

Moderated by Professor William Schiavo, these in-person monthly discussions are open to all, no registration required. A combination of classic, world literature, and occasionally pertinent non-fiction will be discussed. Copies of books will be available at the Library.

A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man
by James Joyce
Thursday, March 7, 2:00 – 3:30 PM

The Stranger
by Albert Camus
Thursday, April 4, 2:00 – 3:30 PM

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's 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!

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