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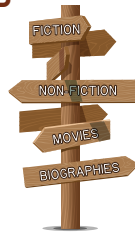
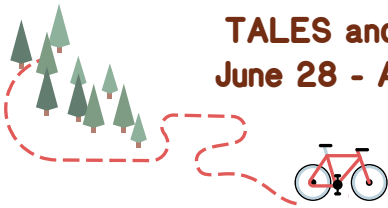
JULY 2021 NEWSLETTER



AT THE WATER'S EDGE PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBIT BY RICH LABELLA JULY 1 - 30

Rich LaBella is a fine art photographer with over 30 years experience. His sizeable portfolio of photographs includes nautical and wildlife themes, concentrating on our shorelines and bays, yachting, the bridges, wetlands, lighthouses, wildlife, flowers and the unique things that make living near and on the water of Long Island and elsewhere a special experience.

2021 ADULT SUMMER READING CLUB TALES and TRAILS June 28 - August 20



The path and direction to this summer's Adult Reading Club is easy. Simply click on the link on the Library's homepage or download the READsquared app to begin your exploration. You will earn up to three prizes and a chance to win an outdoorsy raffle basket with every book you read (or listen to) and review. This summer your Library will equip you with a summer of exhilarating reads.

Origami Art in the Showcase

Origami artist Kazuyo Mizukami has been creating unique dioramas from origami paper for many years. Her displays have been shared in schools and libraries in Forest Hills where she resides. She has offered to create a camping scene complete with forests and lakes for the Harborfields Library to complement our summer reading club themes. The exhibit will be on display in the showcase throughout the summer beginning July 1st. With help from our own staff member Ikuko Kang, who folded 1,000 sheets of paper into tiny cranes and teen volunteers Emily Xie, and Samantha Urmaza, who together folded another 1000 cranes, this promises to be a one-of-a-kind display.

Museum Passes Available

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library

Museums have taken measures to reduce the risks of coronavirus (COVID-19) exposure to you, other visitors, and their staff. Please visit a museum's website to review their COVID-19 Safety Measures and what to expect when visiting. Most passes can be printed from home. Reserve a pass by visiting:

harborfieldslibrary.org/museums

- Brooklyn Botanic Garden*
- Children's Museum of the East End
- Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery & Aquarium
- Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum
- Cradle of Aviation
- NYS Empire Pass*
- Fire Island Lighthouse
- Frick Collection
- (NEW) Garvies Point Museum
- Intrepid
- Heckscher Museum of Art
- Guggenheim*
- Long Island Children's Museum*
- Long Island Maritime Museum
- Long Island Science Center (closed)
- Museum of Modern Art
- Museum of the City of New York
- Nassau County Museum of Art
- Old Westbury Gardens
- Vanderbilt Museum

***Print on Demand is NOT available**



Friends of the Library Book Shop

JULY 1 - 31, SPECIAL SALE!

All Books with Red or Blue stickers

are Buy-One, Get-One Free

The Book Shop is open on Tuesdays & Thursdays,

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

and

Saturdays, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Please respect social distancing guidelines while visiting the Book Shop.

The Library will be closed on Sundays throughout the summer and on Monday July 5th. We are always open online 24/7.

Teen'Scape

Teens must be Harborfields residents in grades 6 - 12 to register for these programs, unless otherwise noted. Please call Teen'Scape or register online.

* Program registration is ongoing unless specified by a date.

* Most teen programs are being held virtually. 😊 = Teens and Tweens



2021 Teen Summer Reading Club TALES and TRAILS, ADVENTURE AWAITS! Monday, June 28 to Friday, August 20

It's not too late to register for the Teen Summer Reading Club. This summer's club is online and teens may register from the library homepage or download the READsquared app. Prizes, community service, games and of course reading, are what the club is all about!



TEEN CODERS & GAMERS

Dungeons & Dragons

For students in grades 6 - 10

Saturday, July 17,

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Join our Dungeons & Dragons group outdoors, weather permitting in the circle driveway. Learn the rules, create a character and meet our resident Dungeon Master Sean Fearon. Please register.



Game Nights on Discord

Thursdays, July 15 & 29, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Join us for some gaming fun as we play some games on the library's Discord server. Please register.

Girls Who Code

6-Week Summer Immersion Program

Tuesdays beginning July 13, 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Do you have a curiosity about emerging technologies such as artificial intelligence, website apps, and game development? You will learn how to explore those interests and more in a fun and relaxed environment in this 6-week virtual program run by an instructor from Project Excel. Please register.



Playing Card Magic

Monday, July 19, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Join Ari Bisk a professional close up card magician who is hosting this one hour, interactive ZOOM program where he will be demonstrating sleight of hand card magic. In addition, you will have the opportunity to ask Ari questions and learn some beginner magic. Grab a deck of cards and get ready to enjoy a fun and engaging performance! Please register.

AVAILABLE ALL MONTH

Sign-up Subscription Box: "Purrfect Picks!"

If you love to read, you're really going to love Teen'Scape's Purrfect Picks, our personalized book subscription box for teens in grades 6 - 12 who enjoy reading. You pick the genre and we'll customize a box with a couple of selected library books we think you'll enjoy along with a few bookish surprises too! Return the books, but the rest is yours to keep. Request your box beginning July 1st by calling Teen'Scape or through the online calendar.



Take and Make Friendship Bracelets

It's the perfect summer activity that you can take on the go with you! Enjoy making colorful Friendship Bracelets that you can make for yourself or share with a friend. Kits will be available to pick up in Teen'Scape upon registration on July 1st. Supplies are limited.

Teens Connect:

Paracord Bracelets for Troops and First Responders

Paracord bracelets are used to save a life in an emergency situation. The paracord bracelet gets its name from parachute cord and can hold up to 550 lbs of weight. It can be used to secure camouflage nets to trees or vehicles, build a makeshift shelter and make a sling or splint. Kits will be available upon registration beginning July 1st along with a video link with instructions. Completed bracelets are due back by Saturday, July 31. Earn one hour of community service.

4-Week Collaborative Writing Workshop

Wednesdays beginning July 14, 6:30 - 8:00 PM

There's no better time than summer to explore your passion for writing. Tap into your creative style with writing instructor and author Melissa Kuch. You'll learn tips and techniques that will make you a better writer. The first and last sessions will be in person. Please register.

Summer Maker Faire

Wednesday, July 28, 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Join us at our outdoor Maker Faire hosted by Project Exel. There will be some STEM activities for you to participate in at various stations set up in our circular driveway. Please register.

TEEN CRAFTS & COOKING

Fairy Garden Creations

Wednesday, July 7, 4:00 – 5:00 PM

Open your imagination and join us in creating magical fairy gardens! We will be meeting outdoors and supplying you with all that is needed to create a beautiful fairy garden. Please register beginning July 1st.

DIY Summer Flip Flops

Monday, July 12, 5:30 – 6:30 PM

You will go to the beach or pool in style this summer wearing a pair of fun flip flops that you'll decorate with colorful ribbon. Please register beginning July 1st.

DIY Metal Stamping

Wednesday, July 14, 3:00 – 5:00 PM

What word inspires or defines you? Create "intention pieces" where you stamp your word or phrase onto a metal washer and make a piece of jewelry or a keychain to enjoy or share. Please register beginning July 1st, then we will call you to schedule your 10 minute appointment at the Library.

DIY Tote Bags

Wednesday, July 21, 4:00 – 6:00 PM

Create a dynamic and unique tote bag by using our in-house heat press, to personalize your bag. Please register online or by phone and provide your email so that we may contact you to schedule an appointment time.

Altered Altoid Tin Diorama

Thursday, July 22, 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Create a cool beach diorama with nautical charms, beads and ocean images in an Altoid tin. Please register beginning July 1st.

Paint Night!

Monday, July 26, 6:00 – 7:00 PM

Join us for a Paint Night at the Library! Get creative with other teens as you compare your painted versions of a scene that instructor/artist Jerri Castillo will provide. Please register.

Pretzels with a Punch!

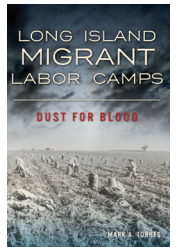
Thursday, July 29, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Join us in this virtual instructional baking class with our favorite librarian/baker, Mrs. Boshnack. She will demonstrate how to make homemade pretzels with a punch! By experimenting with different toppings like, cinnamon-sugar, everything-on-a-bagel seasoning, and kosher salt, you'll learn how to make pretzels that will satisfy everyone's tastes. Kits will be available several days prior to the program. Please register beginning July 1st.

Long Island Migrant Labor Camps: Dust for Blood A Virtual Presentation

Tuesday, July 20, 7:00 PM

During World War II, a group of potato farmers opened the first migrant labor camp in Suffolk County to house farmworkers from Jamaica. Over the next twenty years, more than one hundred camps of various sizes would be built throughout the region. Thousands of migrant workers lured by promises of good wages and decent housing flocked to Eastern Long Island, where they were often cheated out of pay and housed in deadly slum-like conditions.



Preyed on by corrupt camp operators and entrapped in a feudal system that left them mired in debt and, in some cases, perished in the shadow of New York's affluence. Join author Mark A. Torres in this virtual discussion of his book as he reveals the dreadful history of Long Island's migrant labor camps from their inception to their peak in 1960 and their steady decline in the following decades. Please register to receive a Zoom link.

BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Copies of books for discussion groups are available at the Circulation Desk and through Live-brary Downloads.

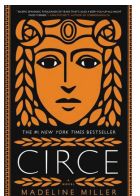
PLEASE REGISTER TO RECEIVE A ZOOM LINK.

From Cover to Cover

Wednesday, July 21, 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Circe by Madeline Miller

The story follows Circe, the banished witch daughter of Helios, as she hones her powers and interacts with famous mythological beings before a conflict with one of the most vengeful Olympians who forces her to choose between the worlds of the gods and mortals.

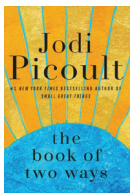


Paged to Perfection

Wednesday, July 28, 10:00 AM

The Book of Two Ways by Jodi Picoult

Everything changes in a single moment for Dawn Edelstein. She's on a plane when the flight attendant makes an announcement: prepare for a crash landing. She braces herself as thoughts flash through her mind. The shocking thing is, the thoughts are not of her husband, but a man she last saw fifteen years ago. She miraculously survives the crash, but so do all the doubts that have suddenly been raised.



SeniorNet Webinar:

Streaming Video

Tuesday, July 13, 2:00 - 3:00 PM

There is a whole world of entertainment and educational media available to you beyond what is offered by your regular TV service provider. Join SeniorNet to learn about the different ways to stream video and access these sources either on your TV, tablet, computer, or phone. Please register.



Introduction to Personal Storytelling

Tuesday, July 27, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Ira Glass of *This American Life* says,

"Great stories happen to people who know how to tell them." Do you want to get better at captivating listeners? Whether you want to

tell your story on stage, in a business meeting, college interview, or at the family table, professional storyteller Terry Wolfisch Cole will teach you everything you need to know to engage any audience. The session will include an opportunity to hear Terry tell a story as well as tips and tricks for effective storytelling. Terry is the founder and host of *Tell Me Another*, a live storytelling show in the Hartford area. She is a Moth GrandSLAM champion whose story of running away from home was featured on the Moth Radio Hour and in Readers Digest. Please register.



Fearless Watercolor:

Flora & Fauna

**Mondays, July 12 & August 16,
4:00 - 5:00 PM**

Get inspired by watercolor artist Jan Guarino as she demonstrates her fearless watercolor techniques. Jan will energize us as we watch her bring our natural world to life with her painting. Her fearless watercolor philosophy makes watercolor painting look easy, and she believes that

anyone can learn how to paint. Please register to receive a Zoom link to both demonstrations.

Vision Board Workshop

Thursday, July 15, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

In this workshop you will learn how to manifest your deepest desires and bring about positive change to improve your wellbeing and quality of life. The first half of this two-hour workshop, the presenters will demonstrate the important connection between your thoughts, emotions, and the spoken word. Materials to complete this project will be provided to all registered patrons, and will be available to pick up at the Library Circulation Desk upon notification. The last day to register is Friday, July 9.



Driftwood Sailboat

Wednesday, July 21, 1:00 PM

Join Karen and Liz and make a decorative boat using driftwood and nautical fabric. Register to receive a zoom link. You will need wood glue. Pick up kits beginning July 12th. Harborfields residents only.

Spark your love of reading with the 2021 Book Lovers Challenge

Enjoy summer with a Beach Read. Once completed you will be eligible to enter our raffle drawing and benefit from an enlightened reading list.



Go West! Following Your Pioneer Ancestors

A Genealogy Presentation by Sarah Gutmann

Wednesday, July 7, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Learn what drove your ancestors to pack up their families and head west. Examine the routes they took and challenges they faced. Discover which record collections are available to trace your ancestors and how to utilize various types of land records to track them. Please register.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Medicare Counselor HIICAP

Health Insurance, Information, Counseling and Assistance

Wednesdays, July 7 & 21, 1:00 - 3:00 PM

To schedule your telephone session with a trained counselor on the first or third Wednesday, please call the Reference Desk or email info@harborfieldslibrary.org.

Prostate Cancer Awareness

Tuesday, July 13, 7:00 PM

Dr. David Golombos of Stony Brook Urology will share a Power-Point presentation on prostate cancer, which will address screening tests, diagnoses, and surgical and non-surgical treatment options. There will be a question and answer period after the presentation. Please register to receive a Zoom link.

Move, Breathe & Meditate with Chair Yoga

Mondays, July 26 - August 30, 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Yoga helps you release conscious and subconscious fears that cause stress, worry and anxiety. This class will empower students and help them reconnect to their bodies in a positive way. Mindful Breathing along with movement creates awareness of ones own center, which soothes emotions, relaxes the body and calms the nervous system. Hence strengthening the mind-body integrity. Instructor Najort Bal Khera will guide you through the class. All poses can be modified to your present level of strength and flexibility. Join the class with a yoga mat, blanket, and blocks if you have them. Please register to receive a Zoom link.

Tai Chi

Tuesdays, July 27 - August 31, 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Instructor Jim Cummings will teach you Tai Chi based on a simplified method. Elements of Qigong and a traditional short Tai Chi form will be demonstrated so that you can follow along at home. Please register to receive a Zoom link to the classes.

Thyroid Health

Thursday, July 29, 7:00 PM

Do you or someone that you know have thyroid nodules? There's a good chance that you do! Dr. Justin Yozawitz is an endocrine surgeon at Northwell Health who specializes in the management of thyroid nodules. He will explain everything you need to know about how these nodules are found, the risks associated with having them, and how they are treated both medically and surgically, if needed. Please register to receive a Zoom link.

Babies & Toddlers

INDOOR PROGRAMS
OUTDOOR PROGRAMS
VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

Frogs, Bugs, Reptiles Oh My!

Ages 3-years-old – Grade 5

Thursday, July 15, 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Join Jason Riley from Green Meadow Farms as he introduces us to a giant frog, prickly hedgehog, cuddly chinchilla, reptiles, bugs, birds, and more! Learn about where they are from, what they eat, when they sleep and how they protect themselves.

Animal Science Fun

Ages 4-years-old – Grade 2

Friday, July 9, 3:00 – 3:45 PM

Act and move like jungle animals, wiggle like worms, transform from a caterpillar to a butterfly, and stomp like dinosaurs in this interactive concert with musician Lee Knight.

Patty-Cake! Patty-Cake!

Ages birth to 17-months- old with an adult

**Mondays, July 12, 19, & 26,
10:30 – 11:00 AM & 11:15 -11:45 AM**

A half-hour of board books, nursery rhymes, songs and more.

Let's Make Music

Ages 12 - to 48-months-old with an adult; siblings welcome

**Wednesdays, July 7, 14, & 21
10:30 AM – 11:00 PM or
11:15 - 11:45 AM**

A half-hour of singing and dancing to lively musical tunes with Instructor Diane Young.

1, 2, Buckle My Shoe

Ages 18- to 35-months-old with an adult

Tuesdays, July 13, 20, & 27, 10:30 – 11:00 AM & 11:15 – 11:45 AM

A half-hour of stories, finger plays, movement and more.



A Trip to the Zoo

Ages 18-months to 4-years-old with an adult

Thursday, July 15, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Join A Time for Kids, Inc. for an imaginary trip to the zoo! We'll listen to music and stories and create a cute giraffe craft. Supplies needed if virtual: empty paper towel roll, yellow and brown paper, scissors, glue.

Shape Animal Craft

Ages 18-months to 4-years-old with an adult

Wednesday, July 28, 11:00 -11:45 AM

Join us as we explore different shapes and use them to create an animal craft.

Cool Ice Cream Craft

Ages 2- to 4-years-old with an adult

Friday, July 9, 11:00 – 11:45 AM

What better way to cool down during the summer than with a cool ice cream craft!

Story Art: Rainbow Fish

Ages 3- to 5-years-old with an adult

Tuesday, July 20, 2:00 – 2:45 PM

We'll read The Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister and make a beautiful seaworthy craft.



Reading Comes Alive With Yoga™

Ages 3- to 5-years-old

Tuesday, July 13, 2:00 – 2:45 PM

Become part of the story by moving, stretching and holding yoga poses with each turn of the page with Theresa Banks, RCT. Siblings are welcome.

Adventurous Stories

Ages 3- to 5-years-old

**Wednesdays, July 7, 14, 21, & 28,
3:00 – 3:30 PM**

Let's have some summer reading fun as a Children's Librarian reads, sings and tells stories filled with adventure.

Grab and Go Kits!

For children ages 2 and up.

**Summer Fun Activity Packet & Craft
Available in the Children's Room or
through curbside pickup.**

Welcome Back!

We are so happy to be able to offer in person programming within the library. Following CDC guidelines, class size is limited.

All Indoor Programs Are Blue.

Masks are required for everyone over the age of 2 while attending programs within the building.

Outdoor Programs are Green.

Outdoor programs will take place on the front lawn of the Library. Social distancing guidelines will be followed and unvaccinated individuals, over the age of 2, must wear a mask while attending outdoor programs. In the event of inclement weather, outdoor programs will be held virtually over Zoom.

Virtual Programs are Purple.

Registration is required to receive a Zoom link.

Playaway Launchpads

These secure, pre-loaded tablets are created for children of all ages. Each Launchpad contains high-quality, ad-free learning apps and games, grouped by age, grade level, subject area, and theme. With no download time and no need for WiFi they are great for summer travel. Launchpads are available to check out (on an adult library card) in the Children's Room.



Kool Kits for Cool Kids

Children 4- to 11-years-old

Are you planning a car trip or a long plane ride this summer? We have "Kool Kit" backpacks filled with items such as books, puzzles, games, and more to keep kids entertained. Kits may be borrowed for a one-week period, with an adult library card, on a first-come, first-served basis, in the Children's Room.

Children's Programs Grades K – 5

Children must be Harborfields residents to register for these programs. Please call Youth Services or register online for programs.

INDOOR PROGRAMS OUTDOOR PROGRAMS VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

Shake, Rattle and Roll

Ages 3- to 6-years-old

Monday, July 19, 6:30 – 7:15 PM

Dance, sing, and make music in this program with Diane Young.

Pig the Pug

Entering Grades K - 2

Wednesday, July 21, 4:00 – 4:45 PM

Enjoy a story and craft about the hilarious dog, Pig the Pug.

No Prob Llama

Entering Grades K – 2

Tuesday, July 13, 4:00- 4:45 PM

Learn all about llamas, read a funny llama story, and check out some hysterical clips from the Disney film "The Emperor's New Groove"!

Yoga Outdoors

Entering grades K – 2 in September

Wednesday, July 14, 5:00 – 5:45 PM

Children will practice yoga in a fun and supportive outdoor environment under the direction of certified yoga instructor Theresa Banks. Learn to relax your mind while exercising your body while breathing in the fresh air. Please bring your own mat. The library cannot supply mats or towels. *The program will be virtual in the event of inclement weather.*

Tail Waggin' Tales

Entering Grades K – 5 with an adult; siblings welcome

Thursday, July 8, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Thursday, July 22, 4:00 – 5:00 PM

Register for a fifteen minute session on either date for one-on-one sharing of a story with Cutch, a certified therapy dog from Therapy Dogs International, Inc. Children are required to bring their own book or one that they have checked out from the library. Masks are required while reading. *The program will be virtual in the event of inclement weather.*

Let's Make a Chia Pet!

Entering Grades K – 2

Thursday, July 8, 4:00 – 4:45 PM

We'll make our own chia pets to take home and watch grow!

DIY Hovercraft

Entering Grades K – 2

Tuesday, July 20, 4:00 – 4:30 PM

Using only a CD, bottle top, and a balloon, we will create a hovercraft that will sail across smooth surfaces. Kits will be available in the Children's Room or through curbside pickup beginning 7/1. Materials needed: glue, markers

Artists Come Alive

Entering Grades K – 5

Wednesday, July 7, 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Children will learn about a variety of artists, including when they lived and the style of art that they created, with instructor Diane Young. Each child will then create their own unique masterpiece.

DIY Recycled Camping Lantern

Entering grades 1 – 5

Monday, July 12, 6:30 – 7:15 PM

Bring summer camp into your backyard with this lantern made out of recycled materials. Kits will be available in the Children's Room or through curbside pickup beginning 7/1. Materials needed: scissors, glue.



Story Stones

Entering Grades 1 – 5

Monday, July 26, 6:30 – 7:00 PM

Create your own story stones, mix them up in your story bag, and pull them out one by one to help you tell a tale. It can be funny, mysterious, adventurous...and different every time you play! Kits will be available in the Children's Room or through curbside pickup beginning 7/1. Materials needed: markers and/or sharpies.

READ and EXPLORE IN THE GREAT OUTDOORS

2021 Children's Summer Reading Club
June 28 – August 13



Children 4-years-old through those entering Grade 5 in September

Join us as we explore all the wonders of our great country through books and activities! Register online for your reading adventure through READsquared, which can be accessed from the Library homepage or downloaded to your device. Your reading options are limitless when you add audiobooks and e-books to your shelf. In addition to your online adventure, we will also be offering limited in-person reporting in the Children's Room on the following days with an appointment. Please call Monday after 10:00 AM to schedule an in person time to report on your book each week. Space is limited. Registration is underway.

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 2:30 - 4:30 PM

Tuesday, Thursday: 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Saturday: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

THERE IS STILL TIME TO JOIN!

We look forward to sharing our summer reading adventure with all of you!
This program is open to children of all abilities.

Children's Programs Grades K - 5

Children must be Harborfields residents to register for these programs. Please call Youth Services or register online for programs.

INDOOR PROGRAMS
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VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

Picture This

Entering Grades 3 - 5

Friday, July 16, 4:30 - 5:00 PM

Get ready to have fun and put your creativity to the test as we challenge you to draw unique illustrations based on wacky art prompts. Materials needed: paper, pencil.

Pop Goes the Music

Entering Grades 3 - 5

Thursday, July 29, 3:00 - 3:30 PM

Learn the history of pop music, watch some classic performances, and play pop music Bingo! Kits will be available in the Children's Room or through curbside pickup beginning 7/1.



Adventures in Art: Georgia O'Keeffe and the Great Outdoors

Entering Grades 3 - 5

Thursday, July 22, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Join museum educator Tami Wood on an interactive exploration of the work of modern artist Georgia O'Keeffe and create your own art inspired by what you have learned.

Beachy Cupcakes

Entering Grades 3 - 5

Wednesday, July 14, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Decorate cupcakes to look like a day at the beach. Kits will be available in the Children's Room or through curbside pickup beginning 7/1. Materials needed: prepared cupcakes, blue food coloring, spatulas, measuring cups.



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Featured Bookmark

by

DELANEY CALI

Grade 2



Ballpark Pretzels

Entering Grades 3 - 5; adult supervision required

Wednesday, July 28, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Learn to make a ballpark favorite - soft pretzels! Kits will be available in the Children's Room or through curbside pickup beginning 7/1. Materials needed: butter, egg, flour, baking soda, medium bowl, rubber spatula, pot, slotted metal spatula, parchment paper, cookie sheets.

Stress Busters

Entering grades 3 - 5

Wednesday, July 21, 5:00 - 5:45 PM

Learn how to manage your emotions, ease your anxiety, and stay focused with instructor Theresa Banks, RCYT, in this beginner outdoor meditation class. Please bring your own mat, the library is unable to provide mats or towels.



Take, Make and Create Kits
July 19 - 24
Lemon Volcanoes

Adventures in Art: Tails and Tales Video Collection

View the videos on the Event Calendar July 1 - 31

Join us to virtually travel around the world and back-in-time exploring famous artworks about animals. Participants will develop visual literacy skills and experience art as a gateway to learning about different cultures and time periods. These stories will inspire you to create your own art project using materials you have at home.

Get to Know William, the Egyptian Hippo

Travel back in time to Ancient Egypt through a kid-friendly exploration of this hippo statuette.

Magical Creatures from Ancient Greece

Dive into Ancient Greek culture through a kid-friendly exploration of this sphinx sculpture.

Look Out for the Lion! Italian Armor

Discover the Italian Renaissance and the myth of Hercules during a kid-friendly exploration of this lion helmet.

Read and Explore in the Great Outdoors Community Scavenger Hunt

Explore the great outdoors and our beautiful town of Greenlawn! Pick up a copy of the Community Scavenger Hunt in the Children's Room, or print one from our Children's Room web page and hit the trail! Look in the store windows along Broadway and search for one of the outdoor scenes. Write down the number and the name of the store where you find the picture. Once you find all 15, bring in your completed hunt to the Children's Room for a fun prize! One prize per child.



Pronunciator is a fun and free way to learn any of 163 languages with personalized courses, movies, music, and more. Take a short daily lesson or enroll in an 8-week course, depending on how much time you have. Simply log in with your library card from our website or register to track your progress and use on your mobile device.

Harborfields Seed Library

Find out more about the Seed Library, new gardening books, seasonal planting information and view photos of your community's gardens under the "Services" tab on our website. When you email your photos, especially plants that you grew with seeds from our Library, to info@harborfieldslibrary.org you'll have a chance to win an organic, hardneck garlic bulb for planting in the fall.



Beach Reads

Look for the Beach Reads book carts, donated by the Friends of the Library while you are enjoying the sunshine at Fleets Cove Beach and Centerport Beach this summer!

Preserve Your Memories Project

The Library can assist with your digital preservation.

- Convert VHS, slides, negatives, audio cassettes, 8-millimeter film and more.
- Record a DVD biography of yourself
- Come into the library and visit the Reference Desk to fill out the submission form and drop off your item(s) and at least one flash drive, and the conversion will be completed within 2-4 weeks.

Please note:

This service is for Harborfields patrons. You supply the library with flash drive(s). Digitizing will not improve the original quality of the tape. You can digitize up to four (4) items at a time. Commercial items are not permitted to be copied. For more information about preserving your memories, contact Brian Adams at 631.757.4200 ext 120 or bradams@harborfieldslibrary.org. There is no charge for the service, but patrons must fill out the submission form, available at the Reference Desk.

Walk or Bike Huntington Wednesday, July 14, 7:00 PM

Do you like to walk, bike, or run? Learn about The Town of Huntington's miles and miles of walking trails and the top rated biking trails, for all levels of walking and biking. Plans for future hiking and biking routes, programs, and events right in Huntington will also be discussed. Presented by Transit Solutions and USGBC Long Island, who are trying to reduce traffic and improve air quality. Please register.

Bobwhite Quail vs Tick Study Update!

Stay tuned for detailed information on the The Bobwhite Quail release on July 17th at Caleb Smith State Park! The little flock of Bobwhite Quail that we nurtured throughout the month of May will fly the coop and do their job combatting the tick population. Please call Teen'Scape for additional information.



Free Career Counseling Available

During this difficult time the Library is pleased to offer career counseling remotely. Contact Librarian Valarie Henrichson at vhenrichson@harborfieldslibrary.org to schedule your appointment with our career counselor, Mary Ann Verdolino. Sessions last an hour and can be scheduled using Zoom or by telephone. In your email, please include your name, phone number, library card number (if you have it) and what you would like to discuss at your session. Sessions can take place during the week after 5:00 PM or on a Saturday. District residents only.

Take a Video Vacation

Long Island: Parks with Stories to Tell

Jeanne Schnupp, the Savvy Sightseer, will take you on a video vacation exploring five very different parks and preserves on Long Island. You can view the video at any time through August 31. The link is available on the event calendar.

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The next meeting of the Library Board of Trustees is scheduled, in person, for Thursday, July 29th at 10:00 AM. If circumstances change due to the pandemic, the meeting will switch to a teleconference. Please check our website for up-to-date information.

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You can create a shortcut on your tablet or mobile device to quickly link to the Harborfields Library Website.