



Harborfields

PUBLIC LIBRARY

JUNE 2024 NEWSLETTER

MILAGRO Santana Tribute Band Wednesday, June 26, 7:00 p.m. Outdoor Concert

Bring your lawn chairs and blankets for our annual summer outdoor concert. This year we will enjoy the music of Milagro! Milagro has been performing Carlos Santana's legendary hits since 2005, blending rock, blues, funk, Latin, and jazz to capture his musical style and rhythm. Watch the Library website for any weather related updates.



Steve Walker Charcoal & Pastel Art: *A Detailed Perspective*



In the Gallery June 3 - 29

Cars and Coffee @ the Library! Sunday, June 2, 10 AM to 12 PM Rain Date: June 9

Own a pre-1980 classic car? Join us for Cars and Coffee! Parking spots in the Library's Broadway circular driveway will be available, with additional spots on the Wyckoff side lot. Enjoy some coffee, snacks and car talk! Registration is not required. Suggested donation of \$10 to the Friends of the Library to participate. Please refer to the Library Website for weather related updates. All are welcome to stop by and admire these classics!



The 1939 Packard won Best in Show in our 2023 Cars and Coffee event.



With your free Suffolk Summer Tour booklet, you'll visit public libraries all around Suffolk County any time from July 1st through August 31st. While you visit, be sure to find that library's artifact and then locate their Stamp Station to receive a stamp in your booklet. At 5, 15, and 25 library visits you will be entered into fun raffles. At your 25th library you will officially be a Summer Tour Library Explorer and receive a special commemorative patch (while supplies last)! Pick up your Summer Tour booklet at the Circulation Desk to join the fun.

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The Library will be closed on Sunday, June 16th for Father's Day and Wednesday, June 19th for Juneteenth

Inside the 2024 Tony Awards with A Tony Awards Insider Thursday, June 6, 7:00 PM



Longtime Playbill editor Robert Viagas spent most of his adult life breathing the air of Broadway's back-stages. He has authored or edited 22 books on the performing arts and has served on the committee that makes the annual Tony Awards nominations. This program will highlight the hottest races in the 2024 Tonys, with a look at the backstories on how the nominated shows were created, which are the tightest categories, which audience favorites were snubbed, and what to watch for on Broadway's big night! Plus, a quick look at the season ahead. The 2024 Tony Awards show is scheduled for June 16. The presentation will include photos, and brief video clips followed by time for Q & A. A collection of more than 100 Playbills spanning more than 50 years will also be on display. Please register.

Ballroom Dancing Adventure Tuesdays, June 11 & 18, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Venture out onto the dance floor at your next function with the confidence you will have after a few lessons with a professional dance instructor. Michelle Vical-Smith will teach you how to Foxtrot and Merengue in each of these two sessions. Couples and singles with Harborfields Library cards are welcome to register beginning Friday, May 31st at 10:00 AM. Non-residents may register beginning June 5th.

Country Rock: From The Byrds to the Eagles, Country Learns to Fly! Wednesday, June 12, 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Join us for this delightful expose' of how country music turned rock, ushered in by the twangy guitar sound of Roger McGuinn's the frontman for The Byrds. See how this was brought to fruition by the Eagles and their first album which hit the charts in 1972. We will also explore contributions to Country Rock by Bob Dylan, Ricky Nelson and his Stone Canyon band, Johnny Cash and so many more. Even if you are not a fan of Country Rock you will leave this presentation as one. Please register.

Google, More Than a Search Engine Monday, June 10, 2:00 - 3:30 PM


You probably use Google at least a few times weekly to find information online. But do you know that Google offers services and information far beyond its search features? Join SeniorNet's free webinar for a demonstration of various Google services, including Google Image Search, Google Translate, video, maps, and Google Arts & Culture. Please register to receive a Zoom link and handouts for the program

Pinochle for Beginners Friday, July 5 - August 23, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Join this casual group of Pinochle players who have been playing for more than 25 years. They will teach you the basics of the game. If you've ever been curious about this game, now is the time to try it. Registration opens June 3, 10:00 AM.

ADVENTURE BEGINS AT YOUR LIBRARY

June 24 - August 9



Summer is the perfect time to "dig" into a good book. There are endless reading possibilities at the library. So let one of our librarians "unearth" just the right book to entertain or instruct on a favorite topic. To get started, log into ReadSquared from the Library website, or download the app to join and log your reading activity. Paper logs will also be available from the Adult Reference Desk. For every completed book you record, you will have a chance to win a gift card to a local restaurant or shop. There is a prize for signing up and a special prize after reading books 3 and 6. So dust off your pick and shovel, and let the adventure begin.

Supporting LGBTQ+ Youth Virtual program Open to Teens and Adults Monday, June 3, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

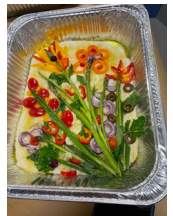
LGBTQ+ youth often experience greater bullying, discrimination, and mental health challenges. Parents, caregivers, and other adults may seek guidance in creating a safe and supportive environment for a child identifying as lesbian, gay, transgender, questioning, or other. This virtual presentation, led by a parent educator from Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County, will offer everyday skills for navigating a gender-expansive world and improving outcomes for youth. Please register.

Where There's a Will, There's the Stonewall Way Friday, June 14, 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Join a Stonewall National Monument park ranger for a virtual Pride program! We will explore the dramatic history of the 1969 Stonewall uprising and its lasting impact on the LGBTQ+ civil rights movement, as well as the complexities of caring for and interpreting a historic site with a story still actively unfolding. Please register.

Judy's Cucina: Van Dough Focaccia Monday, June 10, 6:00 - 8:00 PM

With pizza dough as your canvas create a Van Gogh inspired vegetable focaccia. Please bring a cutting board and knife to the program. You may call or stop by the Circulation Desk anytime after May 28th to add your name to the list if you want to attend the June class. The lottery drawing will be held on Monday, June 3 at 10 AM. Each Harborfields Library cardholder may add their name to the list once. If your name is selected you will be offered two spaces, if desired, so you can attend with another Harborfields cardholder. If you are chosen, you will receive an email confirmation that your payment is pending. You then have three (3) days to pay the \$5 fee, per person at the Circulation Desk.



HEALTH & WELLNESS



Walk The Block

A Walking Club for Adults

Tuesdays & Thursdays throughout June at 9:00 AM

Our morning walks with a staff member will continue on Tuesday and Thursday mornings throughout June (weather permitting). Before the Library opens join us to walk a mile (or more). All adults are welcome. Meet in front of the Library at one of our picnic tables. We will depart at 9:05 AM.

Effective Communication Strategies for Dementia Care Partners

Tuesday, June 11, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

This program provides practical information and resources to help dementia care partners learn to decode verbal and behavioral messages from people living with dementia. Presented by the Alzheimer's Association. Please register.

Medicare Counselor HIICAP

Health Insurance, Information, Counseling & Assistance

Wednesday, June 5 & Thursday, June 20, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Call or email the Reference Desk to schedule a telephone session with a trained counselor from the Retired Senior Volunteer Program. If these times are not convenient, we will provide you with other options.

Summer Zumba with Deb

Tuesdays, July 9 - August 13, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Certified Zumba instructor Deb Velazquez will lead this lively six-week dance series. Harborfields Library cardholders may register beginning Tuesday, June 4 at 10:00 AM. If space remains non-residents may register beginning June 18.

Coming Soon

VISIONS

of experience

36th Annual Senior Art Show

Local senior artists are invited to showcase their work in our annual senior art show. This year, the exhibition will be held in August, and the drop off date for your recent work will be on Monday, July 29th. Applications will be available July 1st.

New English Speakers Conversation Group

Tuesdays, June 4, 11 & 18, 7:30 PM OR

Thursdays, June 6, 13 & 20, 10:30 AM

We would love to meet and talk with anyone who would like to practice their English speaking skills. All levels of learners are welcome to attend and a library card is not required. If you need help to register or have any questions, call Valarie at 631-757-4200 ext. 118.



MONEY MATTERS

Understanding Social Security zoom

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

This webinar offers real-world strategies and methods designed for those who are preparing for retirement or are in the early stages of retirement and planning on filing for their Social Security benefits. This webinar is designed to take the confusion out of the many different options available to begin receiving Social Security income and help you determine which option is best for you. Please register.

Turning 65: How to Navigate the ABCD's of Medicare for 2024

Thursday, June 20, 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Are you turning 65 this year or next year?

Join Cindy Goldsher to find out what original Medicare (Part A & B) covers and what it doesn't. How can you fill the gaps? What if you are still working? Do you need to sign up? How can you avoid lifetime penalties? Knowing when and how to sign up for Original Medicare, Medicare Advantage (Part C), or Medicare Supplement, and a Prescription Drug (Part D) plan will make it easier for you to get the coverage you need, at a price that suits your budget and enroll when the time is right. How to use Medicare is very specific to you and there is a lot to think about. When should you start planning?, What is your IEP and when does it start? What are the costs associated with Medicare in 2024 and what applies to you based on your income. What are IRMA fees? If you are a veteran and turning 65, will VA benefits be enough? Please register.

Suffolk Safety Accident Prevention

Saturday, June 8, 10:15 AM - 4:15 PM

With successful completion of this six-hour National Point & Insurance Reduction course you will receive 10% off auto insurance each year for up to 3 years, and be eligible to reduce up to four points off your driving record. The fee is \$35 for this New York State DMV-Approved class. Registration is required. Bring a check payable to: Suffolk Safety Program to the class. If this class fills, the next class is on July 20th.

Book Discussions

Copies of books for discussion groups are available at the Circulation Desk and through Live-braryDownloads. Registration for book discussions is appreciated.

World History Book Discussion

with Michael Fairchild

Thursday, June 20, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

1421 THE YEAR CHINA DISCOVERED AMERICA

by Gavin Menzies

Paged to Perfection

with Karen McHugh

Wednesday, June 26, 10:30 AM

THE WAR NURSE by Tracey Enerson Wood

Teen'Scape

*Program registration is on-going unless specified by a date.
All programs this month are open to Harborfields teens
ENTERING grades 6 – 12 in the Fall of 2024.
Welcome to our incoming 6th graders!

Scrabble Tile Frame for Dad or Grad

Wednesday, June 5, 4:30 – 5:30 PM

Showcase those unforgettable memories with a Scrabble-inspired frame for your dad, a future grad, or friend! Get ready to jazz up a plain frame with Scrabble tiles, colorful paints, and a sprinkle of creativity. The end result? A unique and playful gift that's sure to bring smiles! Please register.

Get Ready to Babysit – Babysitting Workshop

Wednesday, June 12, 4:30 – 6:00 PM

This course is designed to help teens develop the skills necessary for the responsibility of being a sitter—child safety, developmental stages of children and how to plan activities that are age appropriate. Hands-on activities and course certification are included. Open to students entering grades 6 -8. Please register.

Learn to Crochet!

Thursday, June 13, 4:00 – 5:30 PM

Learn the stitches, tools, and techniques to begin your crochet adventure! After mastering the fundamentals, the creative opportunities are limitless. If you participated in our previous session, you are welcome to join us again for additional tips and tricks to kick off a new project! Please register.

Welcome to Teen'Scape! Candy Sushi Party

Monday, June 24, 4:00 – 5:30 PM

If you are going to be a 6th grade student in the fall of 2024 or are new to the district, we would love to meet you and show you around! Join us for a tour of our teen space, which is an awesome place for meeting friends, playing games, and doing homework. After, we will make adorable sushi look a-likes from Rice Krispies, gummy worms, and other pre-made candies. You won't want to miss the fun! Please register.

Retro Gaming

Thursday, June 27, 6:00 – 8:00 PM

Join us for some fun playing classic video games from the past such as Atari 2600, Super Nintendo, Sega Genesis, Nintendo 64 and more! Please register.



TEENS CONNECT



For students entering grades 7 through 12.
Teens will earn one (1) hour of community service for these programs unless otherwise noted.

Lego Helpers

Saturday, June 15, 2:30 - 3:30 PM

Volunteers will assist the Children's LEGOs program. Please register. Space is limited to (2) volunteers.

Chess Mates

Saturday, June 8, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

Partner up with a 1st to 5th grader and teach them the game of chess. Please register.



2024 TEEN SUMMER READING CLUB

Monday, June 24 to Friday, August 9

**All students entering grades 6 through 12
in September are invited to join!**

Join the Teen'Scape reading club for an exciting summer journey! Immerse yourself in books or audiobooks, earn points for fantastic rewards, and enjoy a fun-filled experience online through ReadSquared and in person!

Bubble Tea and a Movie!

Tuesday, June 25, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Get ready to stir up some fun making your own bubble tea! This tea based drink, originating in Taiwan, can be sweetened and combined with milk or fruity flavors. The real star of bubble tea, are the chewy tapioca pearls. As you enjoy your bubble tea and a snack, unwind and watch one of the top rated Studio Ghibli movies- Howl's Moving Castle (rated PG). Please register.

Last Day of School!

Celebrate Summer With Outdoor Games & Ices

Wednesday, June 26, 2:00 – 3:00 PM

Get ready for an outdoor celebration with cool Italian ices to start off the summer! Join us for potato sack races, limbo, giant Jenga, and checkers on the library's front lawn. Weather permitting. Please register.

Teen Book Subscription Box:

"Purrfect Picks!"

If you love reading, you'll adore Teen'Scape's Purrfect Picks, a personalized book subscription for teens in grades 6 – 12. Choose your genre, and we'll curate a box with two library books and some bookish surprises. Return the books, keep the rest! Please register and you will receive pickup notifications.



Taylor Swift Laser Show at the Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium!

Thursday, July 18, 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Join us along with teens from other libraries in the Huntington Township to see Taylor Swift's hits brought to life in dazzling laser light. If you can't score tickets to the Eras Tour, this show is the next best thing! Songs include Anti-Hero, Lavender Haze, Bad Blood, Shake It Off, and more. **Please register beginning June 24, at 10:00 AM, seats are limited. Please arrange for transportation by a parent/guardian.**

Children's Programs

Programs are open to children of all abilities living in the Harborfields School District. Please call Youth Services or register online for programs.

Patty-Cake! Patty-Cake!

Birth to 17-months-old with an adult
Mondays, June 10, 17, & 24, 10:30 – 11:00 AM or 11:15 – 11:45 AM

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



Mother Goose

Birth to 36-months-old with an adult
Saturday, June 15, 11:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Registration is not required. Siblings are welcome.

Broadway Babies

6- to 17-months-old with an adult
Wednesday, June 26, 10:30 – 11:00 AM

Introduce your youngest star to the magic of theater through a warm and interactive class led by two experienced theater educators and mothers.

Babies Boogie

6- to 24-months-old with an adult
Friday, June 21, 11:00 – 11:45 AM

Sing and bounce to music from around the world, using instruments, props, and developmentally appropriate movements. Siblings welcome.



Come Play with Me!

12- to 48-months-old with an adult
Saturdays, June 22 & 29, 11:30 AM – 12:15 PM

Children will participate in creative play using a variety of toys including musical instruments, miniature activity carpet with roadway, and play kitchen, farm set, food cart and tool set which will be set up throughout the room. Registration is not required. Adults must accompany children.

Puzzle Time

12- to 48-months with an adult
Saturday, June 29, 2:30 – 3:00 PM

Spend the morning playing with all types of puzzles. Registration is not required. Siblings welcome. Adults must accompany children.

All registrations will begin at 9:00 AM on June 1st. A valid Harborfields library card (adult or child) is required at the time of registration. Please have it handy when registering. Registration grade is based on the 2024/25 school year. Thank you!

The following programs are sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Thank you for supporting the Friends with your annual membership.

Music Together

Birth to 18-months-old with an adult
Thursday, June 20, 10:30 – 11:15 AM

Connect with your baby through music using purposeful touch, sound-layering, and dancing. Siblings are welcome.

Sprouts & Friends

6-months to 5-years-old with an adult
Tuesday, June 4, 1:00 – 1:45 PM

Little sprouts will learn and grow through playful activities in this interactive music and movement program.

Sing, Sign & Play

12- to 48-months-old with an adult
Friday, June 14, 10:30 – 11:15 AM

Learn baby sign language through singing, rhyming, stories, and play. Siblings are welcome.

Music & Melodies

12-months to 5-years-old with an adult
Thursday, June 27, 10:30 – 11:00 AM or 11:15 – 11:45 AM

Sing and dance to lively musical tunes. Siblings are welcome.

Canta y Baila Conmigo®

Sing and Dance with Me
18-months to 5-years-old with an adult
Friday, June 7, 2:30 – 3:15 PM

Sing, dance, and play child safe instruments to beautiful, professionally recorded music selected to represent the wide variety of Hispanic musical traditions and genres. No siblings please.

Zumbini

12- to 48-months with an adult
Thursday, June 6, 1:00 – 1:45 PM

Dance and sing, play all kinds of instruments, and have fun with bubbles.

1, 2, Buckle My Shoe

18- to 35-months-old with an adult
Tuesdays, June 11, 18, & 25, 10:30 – 11:00 AM or 11:15 – 11:45 AM

Finger plays, movement and more. Siblings welcome.

Lil Athletes Sports Sampler

18- to 35-months-old and an adult
Friday, June 28, 11:00 – 11:30 AM

This program offers an introduction to various sports, including soccer and baseball. No siblings please.

Imagination Stations

18- to 48-months-old with an adult
Tuesday, June 25, 2:30 – 3:15 PM

Children engage in creative play using a variety of toys, puzzles, musical instruments, pretend play, and a circle time. Siblings are welcome.

Daddy Dog

18-months to 4-years-old with an adult
Wednesday, June 12, 10:30 – 11:30 AM

Join A Time for Kids, Inc. to celebrate Father's Day with music, movement, fine and gross motor development, storytelling and a special Father's Day craft! Siblings are welcome.

STEAM ZONE:

Playing with Playdough

18-months to 5-years-old and caregiver
Saturday, June 1, 11:30 AM – 12:15 PM

Have fun squishing, rolling, sculpting, and molding playdough. Registration is not required. Adults must accompany children.

Developmental & Activity Kits

Potty & new sibling kits, STEAM Kits, Concept Kits, Kool Kits, Gardening kits, LET'S PRETEND KITS: MUSIC, ART, & SCIENCE KITS
All kits must be checked out on an adult library card, and returned to the Children's Room.

Children's Programs

Programs are open to children of all abilities living in the Harborfields School District. Please call Youth Services or register online for programs.



Adventure Begins!
2024 Summer Reading Club
Monday, June 24th
through Friday, August 9th
Children 4-years-old
through those entering Grade 5
Join in person and/or virtually

Ahoy Mateys!! Join us as we go on an adventure on the high sea through books and activities. Register online through READSquared, which can be accessed from the Library's website or download the READSquared app. Your reading options are limitless when you add audio books and e-books to your "shelf". This program is open to children of all abilities. We will be offering in-person reporting throughout the summer. A flyer will be sent home from school with your child that will include additional information for this year's summer reading club. We look forward to sharing our summer reading fun with you!

Adventure Begins Treasure Hunt
June 19 – 23
in the Children's Room
Search high and low for the hidden treasures. Complete the hunt to receive a prize!

Drama with Your Mama: **Caregiver and Me Class**

18-months to 5-years-old with an adult
Thursday, June 13, 10:30 – 11:15 AM
Parents and their little stars will enjoy a mix of music, storytelling, and imaginative play. Siblings are welcome.

STEAM ZONE: Art Start

18-months to 5-years-old with an adult
Monday, June 3, 2:30 – 3:15 PM
Visit our creativity stations where little artists will make simple projects to inspire their imaginations. Activities will include coloring, stickers, bingo markers and a seasonal glue project.

Little Artists

Children 24 months – 5 years
with an adult
Saturday, June 22nd, 2:30 – 3:00 PM
Children can explore their creativity and imagination through a variety of simple art activities aiding in their cognitive development, emotional expression, and fine motor skills. No registration is required. Adults must accompany children.

STEAM ZONE:

LEGOs for Little Ones

24-months to 5-years-old with an adult
Saturday, June 1, 2:30 – 3:00 PM
Registration is not required. Siblings are welcome.

Storytime Adventure: **Summer Stories**

3- to 5-years-old
Wednesdays, June 5, 12, & 26,
3:00 – 3:30 PM
Join a children's librarian for a half-hour of a variety of stories and tales, finger plays, songs and more.

Make Your Own Pirate Hat

3- to 5-years-old with an adult
Tuesday, June 18, 2:30 – 3:15 PM
What's a pirate adventure without a hat? Create your own pirate hat to take home!

Lil Athletes

3- to 5-years-old
Wednesday, June 5, 1:30 – 2:00 PM
Friday, June 14, 1:30 – 2:00 PM
Learn how to throw, catch, kick, and work on locomotive skills such as balancing and jumping. Please register for each session independently. No siblings please.



Zumba Kids Junior

Grades K – 3
Monday, June 10, 4:45 – 5:30 PM
Learn simple dance routines and enjoy a variety of interactive games and activities.

Tail Waggin' Tales

Grades K - 5 with an adult
Saturday, June 8, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Tuesday, June 18, 4:30 – 5:30 PM
Spend 15 minutes reading with Cutch, a certified therapy dog. Siblings are asked to share a session. Please register for each date independently.

Princess Party

Grades K – 2
Thursday, June 6, 4:30 – 5:15 PM
Get ready for a princess party, where you can dress up as your favorite princess and enjoy stories and crafts inspired by popular princesses.

Happy Birthday Eric Carle!

Grades K – 2
Wednesday, June 5, 4:30 – 5:15 PM
Celebrate the beloved author and illustrator of *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* as we read and discuss Eric Carle's books and create artwork inspired by him.

Breezing with Origami

Entering Grades K – 2 in September
Friday, June 28, 3:00 – 3:45 PM
Join us as we create paper that uses the surrounding air to catch a breeze (pinwheel) or floats through the air (plane)!

Break the Fourth Wall **with Books!**

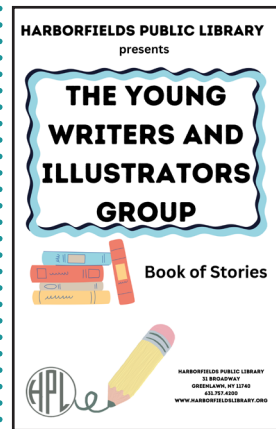
Grades K – 2
Wednesday, June 12, 4:30 – 5:15 PM
Is this book talking to me?? We'll read some silly stories where the narrator speaks to us!

STEAM ZONE: LEGOs at the **Library**

Grades K - 5
Saturday, June 15, 2:30 – 3:15 PM
Spend an afternoon with friends while building with LEGOS. Registration is not required.

Children's Programs

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Young Writers and Illustrators Group Book Reception

YWIG participants and their families
Wednesday, June 26, 6:30 – 7:30 PM
Celebrate the publication of the outstanding collaborative and individual work of our Young Writers and Illustrators Group. We will reveal the published book, serve refreshments, and more!

Artists Come Alive

Entering Grades K – 5 in September

Monday, June 24, 4:30 – 5:30 PM

Learn about the life and masterpieces of various artists and create a masterpiece of your own.

Outdoor Yoga

Entering Grades 1 – 5 in September

Thursday, June 27, 4:00 – 4:45 PM

Enjoy the outdoors (weather permitting) while learning basic yoga moves and tips on how to relax both your mind and body for a healthier you with certified yoga instructor Theresa Banks. Library will provide mats.

Chess Mates

Grades 1 – 5

**Saturday, June 8, 2:30 – 3:00 PM
or 3:00 – 3:30 PM**

Get basic tips and strategies while playing one-on-one with an experienced teen volunteer. Each session will be 30 minutes. Please sign up for one session per child.

Board Game Café

Grades 2 – 5

Monday, June 17, 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Get back to basics with classic board and card games including some interactive games like hangman and Pictionary.

Put on Your Dancing Shoes

Entering Grades 3 – 5 in September

Thursday, June 27, 7:00 – 7:45 PM

Take a trip around the world and learn about some unique forms of dance, and try a few moves of your own!

Treasure Painting

Grades 3 – 5

Tuesday, June 11, 4:30 – 5:15 PM

Kick off the Summer Reading Club by painting your very own treasure box and let adventure begin with a pirate craft.

Tween Craft, Chat, and Chill

Tweens in Grades 3 – 5

Thursday, June 13, 4:30 – 5:15 PM

Unleash your creativity while you relax, socialize, and create your own unique rocks to take home and put in the library's garden.

KIDS IN THE KITCHEN



Kids in the Kitchen: Van Dough Focaccia

Grades 4 – 5

Wednesday, June 12, 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Start with pizza dough as your canvas and create a Van Gogh inspired vegetable focaccia.

Kids in the Kitchen: Bread in a Bag

Grades 3 – 5

Thursday, June 20, 6:30 – 8:00 PM

There is nothing like fresh bread baking in the oven! Turn basic ingredients into a delicious loaf of yeast bread.

Remember to Check Out All of the Museum Passes Available Throughout the Year.

Reserve passes up to 30 days in advance for summer fun!

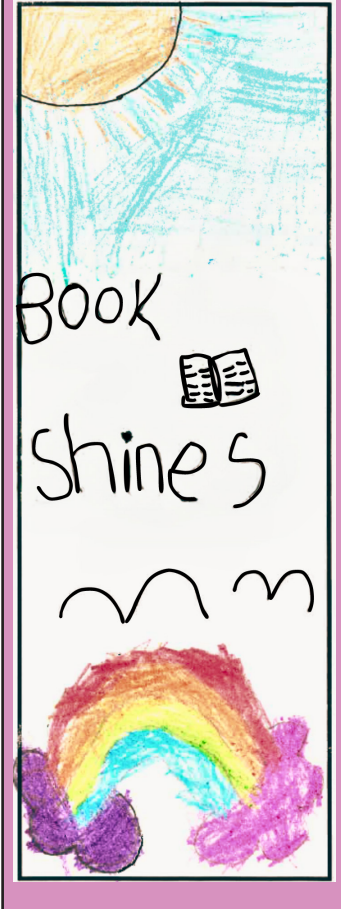
The Museum Passes are accessible from the Library website under the "Borrow" tab on the homescreen. If you need assistance please call the Reference Desk.

The Museum Pass Program is funded by the Friends of the Library

New This Summer! Discount Codes for Summer Venues

See the back page for details.

2024 Featured Bookmark by MIKAYLA BARBO Age 4



Kool Kits for Cool Kids

Are you planning a car trip or a long plane ride with your children this summer? We have "Kool Kit" backpacks for children ages 4 to 11, filled with books, puzzles, games, and more that can be borrowed from the Children's Room for a one-week period, on a first-come, first-served basis, beginning Monday, June 24th.



Game Room Open
Fridays, 1:00 - 4:00 PM



Discount Codes for Summer Venues

Let your summer adventure begin! The following venues have provided the Library with discount codes for patrons to apply to their online ticket purchase. Patrons and staff may call the Circulation Desk for a discount code and plan a trip.

CRESLI Whale Watching Tours:

Boat sails 2:00 - 7:00 PM on Wednesdays & Sundays and 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM on Monday and Fridays June 30th through September 18th. \$50 Adult & \$25 Child (Age 5 - 12) Tickets. To order call Viking Fleet: 631 668-5700 or visit: <https://vikingfleet.com/whale-watching-cruises/>

Gateway Playhouse:

Half-priced tickets to the currently running show at the Gateway. Visit: <https://www.thegateway.org/Online/default.asp> Rock of Ages is currently running through June 2nd.

Splish Splash

For discounted tickets visit: https://www.splishsplash.com/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=OrganicGMB&utm_id=GMBtraffic

In the Showcase

The Artistry of Mahjong Sets of the 20th Century

Adam Morales will display his collection which introduces you to the differences in the American Mahjong sets throughout the decades from 1923 - 1970.

Summer Plant Swap @ the Library

Tuesdays,

June 18 * July 16 * August 20

6:30 - 7:00 PM

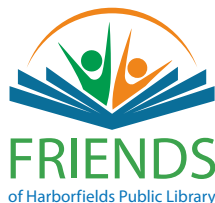
Come join us for a Plant Swap on the third Tuesday of the month this summer. Bring your plants and cuttings to share with others. Be prepared to chat, swap and learn, as an expert gardener will be on hand to answer all your questions. Please, no plants for sale, just swaps. We will meet outside in the circle driveway, weather permitting. (In the event of rain the swap will be in the Kitchen Meeting Room)

Singer Songwriters
Open Mic for Original Music

Monday, June 3, 6:00 - 8:30 PM

Sign-in begins at 5:45 PM

The program is open to Singer-Songwriters (age 16 and over). Only original music will be permitted. The library's baby grand piano is available for use. You must arrive by 7:00 PM to be guaranteed a performance slot. All content must be PG. All are welcome.



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The Friends Book Shop is open from 10 AM - 4 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays and 10 AM - 2 PM on Saturday

The next Friends of the Library meeting will be Monday, June 3, 7:00 PM

MOVIES @ THE LIBRARY

Thursday, June 13, 2:30 PM

PAST LIVES (2023)

Rated PG-13

1 hour, 45 minutes

Starring: Greta Lee,
Teo Yoo, John Magaro

Classic Adventure Movie!

Thursday, June 27, 2:30 PM


ROMANCING THE
STONE (1984)

Rated PG

2 hours

Starring:
Michael Douglas,
Kathleen Turner,
Danny DeVito



E-Waste Collection 
Saturday, June 1,
9:30 AM - 1:30 PM

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Hours

MONDAY - THURSDAY
10 AM - 9 PM

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10 AM - 5 PM

SUNDAY
1 - 5 PM

(September - June)



The next meeting of the Library Board of Trustees is scheduled, in person, for Thursday, June 27, 10:00 AM



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