



News & Notes

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FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

Adventure Begins at Your Library Summer Reading Clubs for infants, children, young adults and adults; registration is underway.



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)!

Marc David Horowitz

Adult Program Registration

North Babylon cardholders only.

Patrons may sign up self and *one* additional North Babylon cardholder; valid, unexpired, in good standing library cards are required in order to register.

If unsure, check with the circulation desk *prior* to registration day.

Fees are non-refundable/non-transferable.

Cash or check only.

Crochet Class with Joan

Wednesdays, July 17 and 31, August 14 and 28
6:00 – 7:45 PM

Ceramic Gnome Planter

Thursday, July 18, 5:30 - 7:30 PM
\$12 fee.
Non refundable/non-transferable.



Paint Night: Beach Walk

Tuesday, July 30, 6:00 - 7:30 PM
16x20 canvas, acrylic paints, brushes, easels and step-by-step instructions provided. \$10 fee.
Non-refundable/non-transferable.



Jewelry Making: Multicolor Triangle Pendant

Thursday, August 1, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Create your multicolor triangle pendant with jewelry designer Donna Irvine. \$10 fee.
Non refundable/non-transferable.



Ceramic Heart

Thursday, August 8, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

\$12 fee. Non refundable/non-transferable.



Paint with Pamela: Lighthouse at Night

Thursday, August 22, 6:00 - 7:30 PM

No experience needed, all materials provided. \$10 fee.
Non-refundable/non-transferable.



Staycation Postcards

Monday, August 26 - Friday, August 30
10:00 AM - 4:30 PM



ADULT CLASSES

Sign-up for all Adult Classes begins July 1. Non-residents may register July 8.

Some classes must be held in the downstairs meeting room. All fees are non-refundable.

Please let us know in advance if you will need an accommodation that will make an event accessible to you.

Access to the Library during construction is only from the Deer Park Avenue entrance. You will need to walk around the library from the parking lot.

Board of Trustees Meetings

Tuesdays, July 16 and August 20, 6:00 PM

Book Discussions

New members are always welcome.

Please pick up your book at the Circulation Desk.

Tuesday, July 23, 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

By Robert Louis Stevenson



Tuesday, August 27, 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Overstated: A Coast-to-Coast

Roast of the 50 States

By Colin Quinn

Career Counselor

Mondays, July 1, August 5

6:00 - 8:00 PM

Saturdays, July 20, August 17

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Meet with professional Career Counselor Barbara McCleave for help with resumes and career options, all ages. By appointment.
North Babylon cardholders only.

Discounts for NBPL Cardholders

Adventure Park, online with code

Adventureland \$27.50 cash

Bronx and NYC Zoos/Aquarium, online with code

Gateway Playhouse, half price, online with code

Horton's Flower Farm, online with code

LI Aquarium, \$27.00 cash

Splash Splash \$44.99 online with code

Whale Watching Tours, online with code

Come into the library to receive codes

4 tickets maximum per family

Non-refundable/non-transferrable.

Free with Your

North Babylon Library Card

Libby by Overdrive E-books and audiobooks

Flipster General magazines

Kanopy Stream films/documentaries

Tumble Books Children's books

Free Museum Passes

American Air Power Museum

Brooklyn Botanic Garden

Children's Museum of the East End

Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery

Cradle of Aviation Museum

Fire Island Lighthouse

Garvies Point Museum/Preserve

Intrepid Sea, Air and Space Museum

Long Island Maritime Museum

New York Hall of Science

New York State Empire Pass

9/11 Memorial and Museum

Old Westbury Gardens

Planting Fields Arboretum

Sagtikos Manor

Town of Babylon Beach Pass

Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium

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For more information, ask at the Reference Desk

Help Us Help Others

We maintain drop off boxes to donate to the local food pantry, eye glasses, cell phones and pet food.

Looking for Something to Read or Watch?

Our Librarians can pick out books or movies and hold them at the circulation desk for you.

Poolside at Phelps Lane Pool

Thursdays, July 18, 25, August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Tech Help: "Book a Librarian"

Meet in-person for help with your technology.

Call 669-4020 for a reservation.

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**When construction is complete,
we will return to full
programming and classes.**

The Library will be closed:

Thursday, July 4, Independence Day

Monday, September 2, Labor Day

ADULT CLASSES

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Health Insurance Assistance

One-on-One Medicare Counseling and Assistance

Tuesdays, July 2 and August 6

9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Meet individually with an RSVP Suffolk volunteer
By appointment only.

Medicaid Enrollment Assistance

Tuesdays, July 16 and August 20

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Enrollment assistance by phone to adults and children, disabled or blind and anyone over the age of 65. By appointment. Call 631-435-3000

All Levels Yoga/Mobility Class

Fridays, July 5, 12, 19, 26, August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

5:15 - 6:15 PM, Must be able to get up and down off the floor. Bring a yoga mat, held downstairs.

Deep Stretch Yin Yoga

Tuesdays, July 9, 16, 23, August 6, 13, 27

6:15 - 7:15 PM, No class on July 30 or August 20
Bring a yoga mat. Held downstairs.

Family Board Game Day

Thursday, July 25, 3:00 - 7:00 PM

GRASP and ESL Assessments

Thursday, July 25, 4:00 - 8:00 PM

Belmont Park Walking Tour

Friday, August 2, 10:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

Meet at the park. Tour fee is covered by the Library.

AARP Smart Driver Course

Saturday, August 3, 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM

AARP 6-hour driving course: \$25 members (membership card required), \$30 non-members. Bring your membership card and driver's license to class. There will be a break for lunch. Check or money order payable to AARP, no cash. Downstairs.

LI Ducks vs. SI FerryHawks

Thursday, August 22, 6:35 PM start

\$13, cash, purchase by August 6, ticket pickup August 15 after 2 PM. Transportation not included. Non-refundable/non-transferable.

What is Philosophy?

Thursday, August 29, 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Drop In Surprise Craft Day

Tuesday, July 2, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Monday, August 19, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Puzzle Day

Fridays, July 5, August 2, 4:00 - 7:00 PM

Grades: PreK - 5

Saturday Games

Saturdays, July 6, August 3, 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Grades: PreK - 5

Drop In Craft Day

Mondays, July 8 and August 5

4:00 - 7:00 PM, Ages 3 - 10

Children's Chess Club

Tuesdays, July 9 and 23, August 13 and 27

6:00 - 7:30 PM, Grades: 1 - 5

Lego Fun

Wednesdays, July 10 and August 7

4:00 - 4:45 PM, Grades: 1 - 5



Drop In Play Date

Thursdays, July 11 and 25, August 8 and 22

10:00 AM - 12:00 Noon, Ages: 1 - 5

Drop In Game Night

Fridays, July 12 and August 9, 4:00 - 7:00 PM

Grades: PreK - 5 w/parent

Family Story Time

Saturdays, July 13 and August 10

10:30 - 11:00 AM, Birth - 5 years



Tot's Night Out

Monday, July 15, 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Monday, August 12, 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Ages: 18 months - 5 years

Enjoy music, movement, activities, and a craft!



Just Baby and Me

Tuesdays, July 16, August 20, 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Ages: Birth - 18 months

Pre-School Story Time Classes

Wednesdays, July 17 and 24, August 14 and 21

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM, Ages: 2 - 5

Fridays, July 19 and 26, August 16 and 23

6:45 - 7:15 PM, Ages: 2 - 5

Join us for a special story time.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

YOUNG ADULT CLASSES

Sign-up for all Children's Classes begins on July 1 and August 1, Young Adult classes begins on July 1, North Babylon School District residents only with valid library card, Young Adult, 6th - 12th grade. Please let us know in advance if you will need an accommodation that will make an event accessible to you.

Drop In Under the Sea Crafts

Thursday, July 18, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Zumba Kids

Saturdays, July 20 and August 17

11:00 - 11:45 AM, Grades: K - 5

Imagination Station

Monday, July 22, Tuesday, August 6, 4:00 - 7:00

Sensory Story Time

Saturday, July 27, 11:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

Drop In Game and Craft Day

Mon, July 29, Wed, August 28, 4:00 - 7:00 PM

Drop In Puppet Time

Tuesday, July 30, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Harry Potter Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, July 31, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Drop In Creatures of the Woods Crafts

Thursday, August 15, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Stories and Stretches

Saturday, August 24, 11:00 - 11:45 AM, Ages: 2-5

Drop In Dino Craft

Monday, August 26, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Back to School Scavenger Hunt

Thursday, August 29, 4:00 - 7:00 PM, PreK - 5

Drop In Crafts for Teens

Wednesday, July 3, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Color Our Pirate Ship CSC

Friday, July 5, 3:30 - 4:30 PM

Chess Buddies CSC

Tuesdays, July 9, 23, August 13, 27, 6:00-7:30 PM

Kindness Rocks CSC

Wednesday, July 10, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Decorate a Bag CSC

Wednesdays, July 17, August 28, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Sketch and Stretch

Wednesday, July 24, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

DIY Ceramic Dragon

Wednesday, July 31, 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Kraft with Katrina!

Wednesday, August 7, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Leather Strap Bracelet

Wednesday, August 14, 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Savvy College Planning

Thursday, August 15, 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Fantasy Mapping

Wednesday, August 21, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

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9 AM - 8 PM, Monday - Friday

9 AM - 5 PM, Saturday

1 PM - 5 PM, Sunday (Oct - May)

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