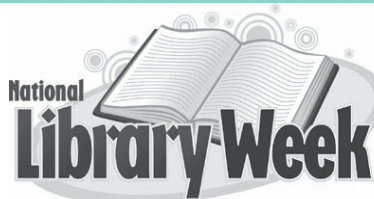




# Port Jefferson Free Library

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March/April 2018  
Newsletter  
**"THE YEOMAN"**



**April 8 - 14, 2018**

National Library Week is an annual celebration of the contributions of our nation's libraries and librarians. To help celebrate National Library Week we are presenting:

## LIBRARIES OF THE WORLD

**Thursday, April 12**

**7:00 – 8:30 PM**

Celebrate National Library Week by learning about some of the most unique and beautiful libraries around the globe! Travel lecturer Patricia Summers returns with fabulous photos and intriguing stories as you tour libraries that are haunted, have guest rooms for visitors to stay, boast unique histories and are national treasures.

## "LONG ISLAND READS: ONE ISLAND, ONE BOOK"

an Island-wide reading initiative. Each Spring people in Nassau and Suffolk come together to read the same book and participate in discussions about it. This year's book is "Spaceman" by Mike Massimino. Join the libraries Tuesday Evening Book Club, facilitated by Linda Ruben, on April 17 for a lively discussion. Copies of the book may be picked up at the Reference Desk starting March 1st.



## LEGOS NEEDED!

Do you have Legos that you no longer need? The library needs them for the Eastern L.I. Mini-Maker Faire. We will be accepting bags (or containers) of Legos in the Teen Center.



## CONGRATULATIONS

Trustee Joel Rosenthal won a 5-year term on the Board of Trustees.

## LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE

**Tuesday, April 10, 2018**  
**10:00 AM-9:00 PM**

## BUDGET INFO. MEETING

**Monday, April 2 6:30 PM**

## MARCH MADNESS! Book Edition

Think your favorite book has what it takes to make it to the Final Four? Each week you can vote for your bracket picks to see which books make it to the Final Four and on to the championship! Each department will compile their own Sweet 16 of popular books for patrons to vote on. The book with the most votes in each round will move up to the next round. Voting will begin on **March 1**.



## COMMUNITY SERVICE FAIR FOR ALL AGES!

**Saturday, March 24**

Join us for Library's 6th Annual Community Service Fair! Have you been looking for ways to give back to your local community and to help those in need? There will be representatives from a range of community service organizations on hand to discuss their organization's mission and how you (and your family) can become involved. No registration is required.

**11:00 AM-1:00 PM**



## DUMP THE JUNK! SPRING CLEANING

**Please note: This event will take place in our parking lot, which will be closed starting at 9:00 PM on Friday, April 20.**

**Saturday, April 21 11:00 AM- 1:00 PM**



### Shed the Meds Collection with Suffolk County Sheriff's

Come down and safely dispose of all unused or expired medications and covered hypodermic needles. If you are disposing of liquids, please dump them into cat litter prior to dropping it off. Safe disposal of these medications and needles will help protect the environment and eliminate the risk of getting into the hands of those who may misuse them.

### E-Waste Recycling with Eco-Tech Management

Bring your old, used, broken, working or nonworking electronics to the Library's parking lot. Data stored on all devices will be destroyed. Most electronics are accepted, such as computers, cell phones,

printers, TVs, keyboards, cables, wires, circuit boards, CD-ROMs and stereos. We cannot accept large appliances, microwave ovens, fluorescent bulbs, vacuum cleaners, power tools, paper shredders or lawn mowers.

### Paper Recycling with Smart Shred Mobile

A shredding truck from Smart Shred Mobile will be in our parking lot for on-site shredding of personal or non-personal documents. No binders, plastic, cardboard, carbon paper, or commercial papers please.

# CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Registration is in progress unless stated otherwise in description

You must have a PJFL Card to register for programs.

## Early Childhood Programs (Babies, Toddlers & Preschoolers)



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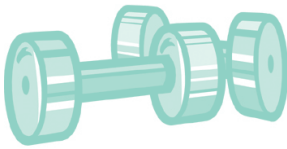
### Baby Weights

Thursday, March 1

11:00 AM

**Ages: 6 months - 3 years old with an adult**

Led by local mom & fitness trainer, Ashley Morrone, Baby Weights is a total-body conditioning workout geared towards moms of all fitness levels and stages of motherhood. *Please bring a yoga mat, water, sneakers, & stroller and/or baby carrier.* More information: [facebook.com/groups/BabyWeightsCommunity](https://www.facebook.com/groups/BabyWeightsCommunity)



### Parent/Toddler Workshop

Friday, March 2, 9, 23, April 20 & 27

10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

**Ages: 18 - 36 months with an adult**

Enjoy an opportunity to play with your toddler and meet other parents. The workshop features toys, puzzles, a play kitchen area, parenting resource professionals and circle time. *Please do not bring any snacks or drinks as this is a distraction and a problem for those with food allergies.*

### PlayHooray Babies

Monday, March 5, Wednesday, April 4

10:00 AM

**Ages: 3 - 17 months with an adult**

This delightful program is a lively introduction to nursery rhymes, books, music and creative movement.

### PlayHooray Kids

Monday, March 5, Wednesday, April 4

11:00 AM

**Ages: 18 - 36 months with an adult**

Get ready to dance, march and PlayHooray with your toddler. This fun-filled music and movement program will have everyone up and moving to the beat!

### Infant Massage

Tuesday, March 6

11:00 AM

**Ages: 6 weeks - 18 months with an adult**

Join Licensed Massage Therapist Laura Morello and learn this new way of communicating with your child. *Please dress in comfortable clothes, and bring a blanket for baby, one for yourself and baby's favorite comfort toy.*

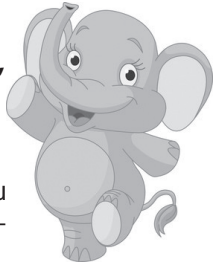
### Babies Boogie

Thursday, March 8, Tuesday, April 17

10:00 AM

**Ages: 3 - 24 months with an adult**

Shake, rattle and roll when you join Nicole Sparling for this musical program.



### Toddlers Tango

Thursday, March 8, Tuesday, April 17

11:00 AM

**Ages: 25 months - 5 years with an adult**

Children and parents will be wiggling and giggling with this music and creative movement program. Help your child explore music from around the world with songs, instruments and dance. *No younger siblings please.*

### Rainbow Fun

Saturday, March 10

12:00 PM

**Ages: 3 - 5 years old with an adult**

Explore the beauty of the rainbow by sharing stories, doing some colorful experiments and making our own rainbow creations.



### Craft Closet Clearout

Monday, March 12

11:00 AM

**Ages: 2 - 5 years old with an adult**

Our closets are full of supplies from crafts done in the past. You can create a unique work of art from bits and pieces of crafts gone by. **Registration is not required.**

### Ellen & Doreen Present: Little Leprechaun Fun

Tuesday, March 13

10:30 AM

**Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old with an adult**

Join us for a variety of "lucky" crafts to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

### Signing Story Time

Wednesday, March 14, 28, April 11 & 18

**Ages: 18 - 36 months with an adult**

10:00 AM

**Ages: 3 - 17 months with an adult**

10:45 AM

Communicate in sign language with your child through stories, songs, and games, led by Lindsay Osborn.

### Dynamic Kids: Mud

Thursday, March 15

10:30 AM

**Ages: 3 - 5 years old without an adult**

Shhh...don't tell the librarians but we will be having a "mud ball" fight! This class will have the kids amazed that they get to tumble and jump in "mud puddles"!

### Shake 'N Make Music

Friday, March 16, April 13

**Ages: 3 - 17 months with an adult**

10:00 AM

**Ages: 18 months-5 years old with adult**

11:00 AM

Join us for this high-energy, fun-filled music and movement program.

### Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies

Sunday, March 18

1:30 OR 2:30 PM

**Ages: 3 - 12 years old with an adult**

A springtime favorite with live bunnies! Join Judy Wilson for a chance to pet and hold live bunnies. **You may register for ONLY ONE session. No younger siblings.**

### Paint Without Paint

#### Brushes: Swipe Painting

Monday, March 19

11:00 AM

**Ages: 2 - 5 years old with an adult**

Join us as we transform pieces of cardboard into paint brushes and make a colorful and unique work of art! *We will be painting, so please dress for mess!*

### A Time for Kids: Mr. Potato Head

Tuesday, March 20

10:30 AM

**Ages: 18 months - 5 years old with an adult**

Help your child prepare for school as you participate alongside him/her in this educational program of stories, songs, creative movement and a special craft.



### Springtime Story Time

Thursday, March 22, April 26

10:30 AM

**Ages: 3 - 5 years old with an adult**

Celebrate the start of spring by sharing lots of stories relating to the season!

### Mini Masterpieces:

#### Van Gogh's Starry Night

Monday, March 26

11:00 AM

**Ages: 3 - 5 years old with an adult**

*Starry Night* by Vincent Van Gogh might just be the world's most recognizable painting. We will share a *Starry Night* tale and then create our very own beautiful night sky using paint and glitter. *Please dress for mess.*

### Clay Play

Tuesday, March 27, April 24

10:30 AM

**Ages: 2 - 5 years old with an adult**

Clay stimulates curiosity, intelligence, imagination, and creativity. It fosters eye-hand coordination, and it is also a great way to extend the attention span of children, who often work for long periods of time with clay.

### Picture Books in Motion

Thursday, March 29

10:30 AM

Monday, April 9

10:30 AM

**Ages: 2 - 5 years old with an adult**

Join us as we enjoy some movie adaptations of classic picture books.

### Storytime Art

Friday, March 30

10:00 AM

**Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old with adult**

Join Michelle Stylianou of Studio E as she shares a story and then guides kids in the creation of a related work of art, using a variety of materials.





## Little Scientists: What's the Earth Worth?

**Tuesday, April 3 11:00 AM**  
**Ages: 3 - 5 years old with an adult**  
 Learn to reduce, reuse and reinvent and create a craft to celebrate the planet.

## StemTASTIC: Sun, Moon, Stars

**Thursday, April 5 10:00 - 11:30 AM**  
**Ages: 3 - 7 years old with an adult**  
 Using our bodies, we'll learn how the earth, moon and sun rotate. We'll make moon craters, and launch a shuttle to the moon in this workshop led by educator Denise Trezza.

## Caterpillar Story Craft

**Saturday, April 7 12:00 PM**  
**Ages: 3 - 5 years old with an adult**  
 Come listen to a reading of *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* and then create your own to take home.

## Baby Start

**Tuesday, April 10 10:00 AM**  
**Ages: 9 - 17 months with an adult**  
 This half hour program is for caregivers and their babies. Age appropriate movement and lap time activities are alternated to provide a fun and educational class.

## A Time for Kids: Spring Caterpillar

**Tuesday, April 10 10:45 AM**  
**Ages: 18 months - 5 years with an adult**  
 Help your child prepare for school as you participate alongside him/her in this educational program of stories, songs, creative movement and a special craft.



## Mini Masterpieces: Printmaking

**Thursday, April 12 10:30 AM**  
**Ages: 3 - 5 years old with an adult**  
 Join us to see different types of prints including woodblock and foam prints. Then make your very own prints using paper, paint, and aluminum foil. *Please dress for mess.*

## Man in the Moon

**Thursday, April 12 5:30 PM**  
**Ages: Birth - 36 months with an adult**  
 Join us for this program filled with songs, stories and fingerplays for dads or male caregivers and their children.

## Earth Tambourines

**Saturday, April 14 12:00 PM**  
**Ages: 4 - 7 years old with an adult**  
 Celebrate our planet by creating an Earth tambourine.

## Dynamic Kids: Circus

**Monday, April 16 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM**  
**Ages: 3 - 5 years old without an adult**  
 Tame tigers & lions, walk on tightropes and be silly clowns and performers in our creative circus movement class.

## Ellen & Doreen: April Showers Bring May Flowers

**Thursday, April 19 10:30 AM**  
**Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old with an adult**  
 Listen to a spring story and then, create a variety of adorable crafts.

## Rainbow Tissue Paper Collage

**Monday, April 23 11:00 AM**  
**Ages: 2 - 5 years old with an adult**  
 Play with color and texture while layering tissue paper, to create a beautiful work of art to celebrate the rainbows! *Please dress for mess.*

## Baby Games

**Wednesday, April 25 10:00 AM**  
**Ages: Birth - 12 months with an adult**  
 Join Kathy Roeder for activities to stimulate physical and mental development, including fingerplays, creative movement, parachute play and more.

## Toddler Games

**Wednesday, April 25 11:00 AM**  
**Ages: 13 - 36 months with an adult**  
 Join Kathy Roeder for an action-packed hour of songs, stories and fingerplays.

## Mother Goose Rhyme Time

**Thursday, April 26 5:30 PM**  
**Ages: Birth - 36 months old with an adult**  
 Introduce your infant or toddler to rhymes and songs while helping him/her develop motor, social and pre-literacy skills in a fun way.

## Dot Marker Madness: Spring Edition

**Monday, April 30 11:00 AM**  
**Ages: 2 - 5 years old with an adult**  
 We'll have dot markers out with paper and some spring-time shapes for you to decorate! *Please dress for mess.*



## East End Play Dates

**Ages: Birth - 9 years old with parent**  
 Are you looking to join a group of parents who love caring for their little ones? Play, create, snack and bond with your child at each of these fun filled afternoons.  
**Thursday, March 1 1:00 - 2:00 PM**  
**Tuesday, March 6 1:00 - 2:00 PM**  
**Tuesday, April 3 1:30 - 2:30 PM**  
 Email [eastendplaydates@gmail.com](mailto:eastendplaydates@gmail.com) or visit [facebook.com/eastendplaydates/](https://facebook.com/eastendplaydates/) to register.

## School Age Programs

### Seuss Fest

**Friday, March 2 6:30 PM**  
**Grades K - 3**  
 Happy 114th Birthday, Dr. Seuss! To celebrate we will have our very own Seuss themed bash. We will have several Seussian crafts for you to do and perhaps some will come from Solla Sollew!



### Let's Learn Spanish

**Tuesday, March 6, 13, 20, 27, April 10, 17, 24, May 1 5:00 PM**  
**Grades 1 - 6**  
 This program introduces beginners to the Spanish language and cultures where it's spoken. Through songs, games, this interactive program series will get children speaking Spanish. *Those who attended the previous class are encouraged to join us.*

### Reading/Homework Buddies

**Wednesday, March 7, 14, 21, 28, April 11, 18 and 25 5:30 PM**  
**Grades K - 5**  
 Would you like to practice your reading, or get some help with homework? Join us as we pair experienced teen volunteers with elementary students who need assistance with reading or school assignments.

### Chess

**Wednesday, March 7, 21, April 4, 18 6:30 PM**  
**Ages: 6 - 12 years old**  
 Here's a chance for beginners, as well as more experienced chess players, to develop strategies, sharpen their skills, and have fun playing a game of Chess with an instructor from the Long Island Chess Nuts to guide you.

### Dissecting Owl Pellets

**Thursday, March 8 6:30 PM**  
**Grades 3 - 5**  
 Join us as we dissect owl pellets, affectionately known as owl puke, to determine what the bird has eaten, while

using plastic gloves and tweezers for ultimate cleanliness and hygiene. We will then try to reconstruct the skeletons of the ingested owl prey.

### Pot of Gold

**Friday, March 9 6:30 PM**  
**Ages: 8 - 12 years old**  
 Make your own pot of gold and fill them with yummy treats to take home with you!



### 3D Easter Eggs

**Monday, March 12 6:30 PM**  
**Grades K - 2**  
 Design a unique work of art - a 3D Easter egg!

### Mario Kart Mania

**Tuesday, March 13 6:30 PM**  
**Ages: 7 - 12 years old**  
 Brush up on your Mario Kart skills, then come compete with your friends to discover who is the ultimate player!

## Kids Kitchen: Edible Rainbows

Thursday, March 15

Grades 1 - 3

Learn about leprechauns and everything Irish. We'll end our time together by creating edible rainbows.



6:30 PM

## Celtic Knotwork Designs

Friday, March 16

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

On the eve of St. Patrick's Day, join us as we explore examples of these amazing detailed Celtic knot designs and then create and color our very own!

6:30 PM

## St. Patrick's Day Necklaces

Saturday, March 17

Ages: 5 - 7 years old

Celebrate St. Patty's Day by crafting and eating yummy necklaces while listening to a story!

12:00 PM



## Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies

Sunday, March 18

Ages: 3 - 12 years old with an adult

A springtime favorite with live bunnies! Join Judy Wilson for a chance to pet and hold live bunnies. **You may register for ONLY ONE session. No younger siblings.**

1:30 OR 2:30 PM

## Melted Crayon Art

Monday, March 19

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Melt crayons into a floral work of art in time for spring.

6:30 PM

## Make It Sew: Stuffers

Tuesday, March 20

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Join us for more fun on the sewing machine. This time we will make adorable tiny stuffed animals!

6:30 PM

## Tween Movies and a Munch

Friday, March 23

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Grab a friend and choose one movie to watch out of three possible choices while munching on some snacks. **Registration is not required.**

6:30 PM



## Marbled Easter Eggs

Saturday, March 24

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Using nail polish and other materials, create all sorts of different designs to make these Easter eggs unique.

12:00 PM

## Jewelry Workshop: Bracelet

Monday, March 26

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

Use glass beads and actual jewelry-making tools to design and string a bracelet.

6:30 PM

## Mixed Media

Friday, March 30

Ages: 5 - 9 years old

Learn about a different artist each session and create a project in the style of that artist. We will explore different media such as tempera, watercolor, pastels, colored pencils and a combination of materials to create collage.

11:00 AM

## April Fool's Cupcakes

Monday, April 2

Ages: 6 - 12 years old

Make some funny treats that you might just mistake for a burger and fries. Your sweet treats will fool your friends and family - if you don't eat them first!

11:00 AM



## Super Scientists:

## What's the Earth Worth?

Tuesday, April 3

Grades K - 2

Discover what you can do to protect the Earth. Learn to reduce, reuse, reinvent & create a craft to celebrate the planet.

12:00 PM

## Just Dance Party

Tuesday, April 3

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

It's Spring Break, so come to the Library and Just Dance!

6:30 PM

## Build a Buddy

Wednesday, April 4

Lamb - 2:00 PM OR Piglet - 3:00 PM

Grades 1 - 5

Join us as we share a story and then create a springtime stuffed animal friend to take home, complete with wish star and birth certificate. *Please choose only one session.*

## StemTASTIC: Sun, Moon, Stars

Thursday, April 5

Ages: 3 - 7 years old with an adult

Using our bodies, we'll learn how the earth, moon and sun rotate and revolve. We'll make moon craters, a moon model and even launch a shuttle to the moon in this fun workshop led by educator Denise Trezza.

10:00 - 11:30 AM



## StemTASTIC: Professor Potion's Mystery Lab

Thursday, April 5

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

Professor Potion has been called away on mysterious business and it's up to you to determine what kind of strange concoctions he has left behind. From liquids that fizz and grow, others that change color and even glow, this class will certainly create quite a stir.

12:00 - 1:30 PM

## Drumming Celebration

Friday, April 6

Ages: 5 - 9 years old

Grades 4 - 8

Using hand drums and rhythm instruments, make some music while improving communication skills, releasing negative emotions, and expressing creativity.

11:00 AM

12:00 PM

## Voluntweens: Silverware for Local Soup Kitchen

Friday, April 6

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Come in and help the Welcome Friends Soup Kitchen of Port Jefferson by making silverware packets that will be used by our guests in the coming months. *Participants will earn one hour of community service for this activity.*

6:30 PM

## Grass Head Hedgehogs

Monday, April 9

Grades K - 2

We'll turn a sock into a special hedgehog friend that will grow when you give it water and sun!

6:30 PM

## Earth Luminaries

Friday, April 13

6:30 PM

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Create a beautiful luminary in honor of Earth Day.



## Earth Tambourines

Saturday, April 14

Ages: 4 - 7 years old with an adult

Celebrate our planet by creating an Earth tambourine.

12:00 PM

## Planet Earth Krispie Treats

Monday, April 16

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

Celebrate Earth Day by learning about our planet and making your own edible Planet Earth.

6:30 PM



## Make It Sew: Scrunchies

Tuesday, April 17

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Use your sewing superpowers to learn how to make some hip hair ties!

6:30 PM

## Sprout Pencils

Thursday, April 19

Ages: 7 - 10 years old

Plant some seed studded pencils and watch the results. Design containers for our interesting plants, set up graphs to chart growth, and maybe even predict what will grow.

6:30 PM

## 3D April Showers Scene

Friday, April 20

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Let's play with paper, scissors, markers and glue to make a cool 3D rainy day scene. Everyone will make and take home a unique work of mixed media art.

6:30 PM

## Ozobots

Monday, April 23

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

Learn the basics of coding with our Ozobot collection. If you can draw a line, you can code these robots to speed, swirl and race on a track of your own design.

6:30 PM

## Q-Tip Flowers

Friday, April 27

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Come and make your own flowers out of Q-tips!

6:30 PM

## Bird Feeders

Saturday, April 21

Ages: 5 - 7 years old

Make your own bird feeders and learn about different bird species!

12:00 PM



## Fingerprint Heart Art

Monday, April 30

Grades K - 2

Create a finger-made work of art to show your Mom or special someone how much they mean to you.

6:30 PM



# Family programs

## Family Film: Coco

**Saturday, March 3** 12:00 PM  
**Rated: PG Running Time: 1 hour 45 minutes**  
*\*Children under 9 years of age MUST be accompanied by an adult\** **Registration is not required.**

## Sunday Crafternoons

**Sunday, March 4, 11, 25, April 8, 15, 22 & 29** 2:00 - 4:00 PM  
 We will have a new, fun craft ready for you to make each week. **Registration is not required.**

## Prenatal Yoga

**Wednesday, March 14, 28, April 11 & 25** 6:30 PM  
**For Expectant Moms**  
 Join Gina Morin, Certified Yoga Instructor and Hypno-



birthing Birth Educator, as she leads expectant moms in a gentle yoga flow to help keep the body toned and feeling comfortable during pregnancy. *Class is open to all levels of experience and at anytime during pregnancy. A yoga mat is required and a bolster or firm body pillow is encouraged.*

## 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Celebration and Rejuvenation Party

**Thursday, March 22** 2:00 PM  
**Parents and Children Not Yet in Kindergarten**  
 Join us as we celebrate those children who have reached their goal of reading 1,000 books before Kindergarten. If you have begun the project, but have not yet achieved your goal, come and get rejuvenated. If you haven't signed up yet, join us to hear all about this exciting opportunity.

## Family Game Night

**Thursday, March 29** 5:30 PM  
 Join us for some wacky games that will answer the question: "Who is better, kids or their parents?" *Each child signing up must have a parent willing to participate.*

## April Fool's Family Game Night

**Monday, April 2** 6:30 PM  
 Come play our silliest game boards with your family and have some April Fool's laughs.

## New Book Story Time

**Thursday, April 5** 6:30 PM  
 We are constantly expanding our collection with new and exciting titles. Join us as we book talk some of our newest books that are just too good to miss. Children will be invited to read aloud to the group.



*Students must be in grades 6-12 with a valid PJFL card to attend programs. Registration is in progress unless stated otherwise.*

# TEEN CENTER

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*Designates that food products used in this program may contain allergens.*

## Teen Tech Week March 4-10

Join in on fun programs and a Selfie Scavenger Hunt!!! Can you get every selfie on our list? If so you will be entered into a raffle for a Teen Tech Week prize! Stop into the Teen Center after March 1st for details. (contest ends March 11).



## Digital Self Portrait

**Monday, March 5** 4:00 PM  
 Join us as we digitize our likeness! We'll take your picture and use our Intuos drawing tablets to transform the image!

## Build your Own Mini Robot

**Monday, March 5** 6:00 PM  
 Build your own miniaturized moving robot.

## 3D Print and Design

**Tuesday, March 6** 6:30 PM  
 Come learn and discuss how to design 3-D models for printing, or tweak your designs through TinkerCad.

## DIY LED Magnets

**Thursday, March 8** 6:30 PM  
 Post important papers or favorite photos on your refrigerator with these bright magnets!

## Magnetic Slime

**Friday, March 9** 5:30 PM  
 Not only can it be stretchy, but magnetic! Join us as we test the power of magnetism with this slimy creation.


## National Mario Day

**Saturday, March 10** 2:00 PM  
 Celebrate National Mario Day by making 8-Bit designs of your favorite characters.


## Super Smash Tournament

**Tuesday, March 13** 5:30 PM OR  
**Saturday, April 14** 1:00 PM  
 Join us for a friendly tournament of Super Smash 4. We will also be playing Super Smash Melee during breaks in the action.


## Daddy's Home 2 - Movie and Pizza

**Thursday, March 15** 5:30 PM   
 Enjoy pizza and a movie.

## Shamrockin' Shakes

**Saturday, March 17** 12:00 PM   
 Ever try a Shamrock shake? If you haven't, now is your chance to try a replica! We'll be serving these frozen treats in celebration of St. Patrick's Day.

## Dungeons and Dragons

**Sunday, March 18 & April 15** 2:00 PM   
 Play a Teen friendly version of Dungeons and Dragons. Please stop in to see Khan about making a character and a tutorial on playing through this edition of D&D.

## Bunnies Galore


**Sunday, March 18** 3:30 PM  
 Hold and pet real live baby bunnies, and learn about their lives.



## Munchkin Madness

**Tuesday, March 20 and April 24** 5:30 PM   
 Play the always entertaining card game Munchkin while enjoying some tasty mini munchkins.

## Celebrate National Goof Off Day

**Thursday, March 22** 3:00 PM   
 Come in and goof off in the Teen Center while enjoying gaming and hanging out with friends.


## Eggcellent Art

**Saturday, March 24** 2:00 PM  
 You've tie-dyed eggs before, but have you ever tried marbling them? Join us in decorating for this colorful holiday. Create a keepsake that you will treasure for years to come.

## Jelly Bean Taste Test Challenge

**Sunday, March 25** 2:00 PM   
 If you love jellybeans, put your taste skills to the test as we try out all sorts of combinations.

## Magic The Gathering Tournament

**Monday, March 26 OR Tuesday, April 17** 5:00 PM   
 Join Khan for a Magic the Gathering commander edition tournament. Play against new and old magic players to learn strategies, moves, and to have competitive fun.

## Sleeping Queens

**Tuesday, March 27** 5:30 PM  
 Play our newest card game added to the collection, Sleeping Queens, where the queens are under a spell and must be awoken through strategic game-play.

## DIY Buttons

**Wednesday, March 28** 6:30 PM  
 Come to the Teen Center to draw, design, and create your own tiny accessory.

## Mini Bunny Bags

**Thursday, March 29** 3:30 PM  
 No Easter hunt is complete without a mini bunny bag!



## March Melee Madness

**Friday, March 30** 2:00 PM  
 Join us for our first ever Super Smash Melee tournament.

## Easter Egg Bath Bombs

**Saturday, March 31**

**11:00 AM**

Use this as a fun spa gift for an Easter basket or for yourself.

## DIY Personalized Tumbler Cup

**Monday, April 2**

**12:00 PM**

Customize a tumbler cup and make it your own! We will be using our Silhouette machine to make our stencil creations.

## Just Dance Off

**Monday, April 2**

**3:30 PM**

Who will have the best moves? Come and bring your skills and show us what you got!

## Thor 3 and Waffles

**Monday, April 2**

**5:00 PM**

Join us for an afternoon movie and delicious waffles.

## Unstable Unicorns or Bears vs. Babies Card Game

**Tuesday April 3**

**2:00 PM**

Join us for an afternoon of card games.



## Pitch Perfect 3 and Pizza

**Tuesday, April 3**

**5:30 PM**

The Bellas are at it again. Watch them while enjoying pizza at the Teen Center.



## Top Chef War - Teen Center Edition

**Wednesday, April 4**

**1:00 PM**

Join the Teen Center in a Top Chef War. Use different ingredients to create the ultimate dishes. Do you have the skills to win over our judges?



## Henna Design

**Wednesday, April 4**

**6:30 PM**

Get creative by learning how to use henna as temporary body art. Easy to apply and design, anyone can create their own henna tattoo!

## Superfight/ Pick your Poison

**Thursday, April 5**

**2:00 PM**

We'll play these two card games and crown two glorious winners! Who can make the best super fighter? Who is the best poison picker? Join us and find out!

## DIY Dreamcatcher

**Thursday, April 5**

**6:30 PM**

Used to ward off bad dreams and nightmares, these ancient crafts can be made by you! Create and stylize your own dreamcatcher to ensure a good night's sleep.

## Drumming Circle

**Friday, April 6**

**12:00 PM**

**Grades 4-8**

Join us for this exciting, fun and educational program! Using hand drums and rhythm instruments, we will make some music while improving communication skills, releasing negative emotions, promoting positive feelings and expressing creativity.

## DIY Flower Hair Ties

**Friday, April 6**

**6:30 PM**

Come down and construct your own flower hair tie and you will bloom as well.

## Chocolate Painted Taco

**Saturday, April 7**

**12:00 PM**

Paint your taco with chocolate, decorate it with assorted candies, fill it with fresh fruit, drizzle it with caramel or raspberry sauce, make it into a s'mores taco? It's endless what you can do!



## Pac-Man Frame

**Tuesday, April 10**

**6:30 PM**

Create your own Pac-Man frame designed with a retro-gaming look.

## Justice League Movie

**Friday, April 13**

**5:00 PM**

We'll be watching a movie with popcorn as a snack.

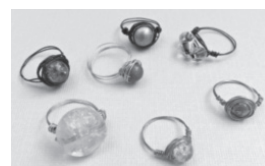


## DIY Wire Rings

**Saturday, April 21**

**2:00 PM**

Make your own beautiful wire wrapped jewelry at the Teen Center!



## DIY Wood Slice Ornament Keepsake

**Sunday, April 22**

**2:00 PM**

Celebrate Earth Day by making this eco friendly craft. Bring a copy of your favorite photo to make into a fun gift or keepsake.

# Community Service Opportunities for Teens

## Teens Speak Out Now

**Monday March 12**

**4:00 PM OR**

**Wednesday, April 18**

**6:30 PM**

Get Involved with your Library! Is there something you would like to see us change? Join us to voice your opinion and make a difference. We're seeking dedicated teens to share ideas about activities, materials, and changes to implement in order to make the library a destination for teens. You will receive 1 hour of community service.

## Perler Bead Organizers

**Friday, March 16 OR**

**Wednesday, April 11**

**6:30 PM**

Assist with keeping beads used for programs, color coded & organized. You will receive 1 hour of community service.

## You Can Quote Me

**Monday, March 19 or April 16**

**3:30 PM**

You helped us come up with new quotes for the bathroom, now help us make them! You will receive 1 hour of community service.

## Eco-Teens

**Monday, April 9**

**3:00 PM**

Join the Eco-Teen community service program and help weed out the library's garden for the spring season. You will receive 1 hour of community service.

## Paper Flowers

**Thursday, April 12**

**6:30 PM**

Spring is coming, but you don't have to wait for the flowers to bloom! Construct your own paper flowers to help brighten someone's day. You will receive 1 hour of community service.



## Summer Reading Prep

**Monday, April 23 and 30**

**4:00 PM**

Join us in creating a Bucket List Challenge for the Summer. Also help the librarians with a small projects that need to be completed for the summer reading program. You will receive 1 hour of community service.

## Coupons for Troops

**Wednesday, April 25**

**6:30 PM**

Give back to troops with coupons! You will receive 1 hour of community service.

## Bookmark It!

**Thursday, April 26**

**3:30 PM**

We will be making bookmarks for local patrons that may be unable to get to the library on their own. Brighten someone's day with this craft.

## Authors Unlimited 2018

**Saturday, April 28**

**9:15 AM- 3:00 PM**

**at St. Joseph's College in Patchogue**

Earn community service credit for attending this event! It's a free program where teens and tweens get preferred seating! Attendees will get the chance to meet dynamic authors of young adult literature first at an author panel and then in smaller breakout sessions afterward. Books will be available for purchase with a chance to have them signed at the end of the day. For registration and visit [authorsunlimited.org](http://authorsunlimited.org).

# AUTHORS Unlimited

## Community Service Power Hour

Are you closed out of the community service programs scheduled? The Teen Department is trying to accommodate everyone's needs. If this has happened to you, fill out the form on the Teen section of the Library's website and we will try to facilitate a community service hour for you. The time that is convenient for the majority will be picked. (Limit 1 per month, and those already registered for a community service event during the month are not eligible.)



# ADULT PROGRAMS

**PLEASE NOTE:**  
Registration for all programs is required unless otherwise noted. Registration for PJFL cardholders begins February 22 and for outside library cardholders is March 1.

## Book Discussion Groups

To join a group, pick up a book at Reference and attend a meeting! No registration is required. Please contact library prior to attending to ensure program will take place.

### New Voices Book Group

**Thursday, March 8 & April 12**

**11:00 AM - Noon**

The book to be discussed in March is "Legacy of Spies" by John Le Carre and in April "Code Girl" by Liz Mundy. Discussion Facilitator is Diane M. Konoski.

### Second Tuesday Mornings @

### Ten Book Discussion Group

**Tuesday, March 13 & April 10**

**10:00 AM - Noon**

The book for discussion in March is "A Man Called Ove" by Fredrik Backman and for April "Hidden figures" by Margot Lee Shetterly. The Discussion Facilitator is Gloria Snyder.

### Big Magic Tuesday Night Book Group

**Tuesday, March 20 & April 17 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

The book for discussion in March is "Beyond Words" by Carl Safina and for April Long Island Reads "Spaceman" by Mike Massimino. The Discussion Facilitator is Linda Ruben.

### The Fourth Fridays Book Club

**Friday, March 23 & April 27 10:00 AM**

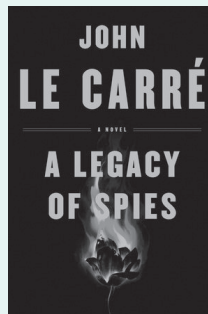
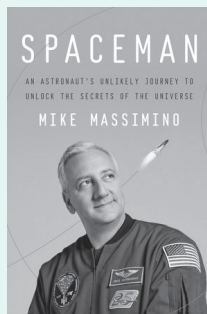
This library sponsored book club meets at the Rose Caracappa Senior Center located at 739 Route 25A in Mt. Sinai. The Discussion Facilitator is Sharon Zollenberg.

### Great Decisions Discussion Group

**Wednesday, March 28 & April 25**

**7:00-8:30 PM**

This group discusses topics of contemporary concern. For the March the topic will be "China & America" and for the April meeting "Media & Foreign Policy". Discussion leaders are Margaret Foster and Stojan Rebic.



## Defensive Driving

Registration is required.

### AARP Defensive Driving

**Monday, April 23 & Tuesday, April 24**

**10:00 AM - 1:15 PM**

This class is sponsored by AARP and participants must complete both classes to qualify for the 10% reduction on their automobile liability and collision insurance. A fee of \$20 for AARP members and a \$25 fee for non-members is due upon registration. Payment is by CHECK or MONEY ORDER ONLY payable to AARP.

### Defensive Driving Class

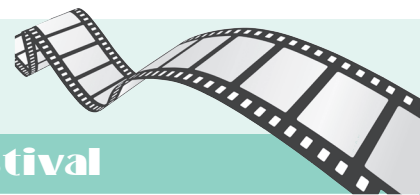
**Saturday, April 7**

**10:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

Reduce your auto insurance costs and receive up to a 4-point reduction from your driving record for points accumulated in the past 18 months. The \$28 class fee is due upon registration and should be made out to "Suffolk Safety Program". Class instructor is Linda Greco. If you are more than 3 minutes late you will not be able to attend.

**No registration necessary.**  
**Films begin at 2:00 PM.**  
**All are welcome!**

## Film Matinees



### Friday Movie Matinees

#### Darkest Hour

**Friday, March 9 2:00 PM**

During World War II, the fate of Europe hangs on the newly appointed British Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, who must decide whether to negotiate with Hitler, or fight on against incredible odds. (125 min.)

#### Lady Bird

**Friday, March 23 2:00 PM**

An outspoken teen must navigate a loving but turbulent relationship with her mother over the course of a poignant senior year of high school. (93 min.)

#### The Greatest Showman

**Friday, April 13 2:00 PM**

Inspired by the ambition and imagination of P.T. Barnum, the musical tells the story of a visionary who rose from

nothing to create a spectacle that became a worldwide sensation. (105 min.)

#### I, Tonya

**Friday, April 27 2:00 PM**

Competitive ice skater Tonya Harding rises up the ranks at the US Figure Skating Championships, but her future in the activity is thrown into doubt when her ex-husband intervenes. (119 min.)



### Foreign Film Festival

#### Paradise (Russian)

**Friday, March 16 (132 min.)**

A Russian woman in a concentration camp crosses paths with an SS officer who once fell madly in love with her.

#### In the Fade (German)

**Friday, April 20 (106 min.)**

Katja's life collapses after the death of her husband and son in a bomb attack. After a time of mourning, she seeks revenge.



### Silver Screen Showing

#### A Farewell to Arms

**Friday, March 2 (89 min.)**

Gary Cooper and Helen Hayes portray an officer and a nurse who find true love during World War I.

#### My Favorite Wife

**Friday, April 6 (88 min.)**

A funny thing happens to Nick on the way to his honeymoon: he meets his wife. No, not his bride, but the wife that was lost at sea years ago and presumed dead.



Registration  
is required.



# Health/Wellness



## Guided Meditation: Healing Your Inner Spirit

**Wednesdays, March 7 & April 4 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Meditation is a simple yet profound method to improve the quality of our lives. With practical instructions we can learn to gain the inner peace we seek. Class led by Meditation Practitioner Juliane Renee.

## Mindfulness Meditation

**Tuesday, March 13 & 27 April 10 & 24 1:30 PM**

Focus on being in the present moment while learning how to use the breath as an anchor for the wandering mind. It is a simple way to be more in touch with the fullness of being. Instructor is Certified Holistic Practitioner Marcia Reass.



## Making the Shift from Overeating to Mindful Eating

**Wednesday, March 14 7:00-8:30 PM**

Find out how to recognize and break the autopilot eating cycle with Certified Health Coach and Personal Trainer Lisa Zimmerman. Shift from mindless to mindful eating and this can lead to serious weight loss and tremendous improvements to your overall health.

## CPR Class

**Monday, March 26 5:00 - 9:00 PM**

Heartsaver® CPR AED is a classroom course that teaches adult, child and infant CPR and AED. This course teaches skills with AHA's research-proven Practice-While-Watch-

ing (PWW) technique, which allows instructors to observe the students, provide feedback and guide the students' learning. Class fee \$45 payable to Port Jefferson EMS.

## Essential Oils: How to Use Them & Why

**Thursday, March 29 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Looking for safe and effective natural health solutions? During this workshop, you will learn the basics of how to use essential oils for health and wellness. Program presented by Dr. Brain Yonks in association with the non-profit Foundation for Wellness Professionals.

## Pain & Inflammation Busted

**Tuesday, April 3 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Come see how what you are eating might be causing you pain. Together we will explore foods and new ways to alleviate some of your pain by simple changes to your diet and lifestyle. Program presented by Certified Health Coach Joanne Lauro.

## Tai-Chi for Health

**Wednesday, April 4 (5 sessions) 4:45 - 5:45 PM**

Tai Chi is a gentle, safe, effective, ancient art known to improve balance, mental clarity, relieve pain and create an overall feeling of well-being. Workshop presented by Tai-Chi Instructor Michele Poscillio. Workshop Fee is \$20 cash or check payable to Michelle Posillico.

## Reducing Anxiety Through Meditation

**Thursday, April 5 6:30-8:30 PM**

In meditation, we can calm the body and the mind, slow our brain waves to states of relaxation and replace anxiety with joy and peace. Join long-time Meditation Practitioner John Bednarik for this informative lecture and short meditation sitting.

## Yoga Workshop with Laurel Frey

**Saturdays starting April 14 (six sessions)**

**10:00 - 11:00 AM**

Certified Yoga Instructor Laurel Frey returns for this six-session program. Please come dressed to participate including a yoga mat or towel. Total fee for the workshop is \$25.00 payable to the PJFL. The non-refundable class fee must be paid upon registration.

## Bleeding Control: Save a Life

**Monday, April 23 6:00 - 8:30 PM**

The Bleeding Control (BCon) course is designed for those who have little or no medical training but may be called upon to respond to and deliver trauma care and bleeding control prior to emergency medical services (EMS) arrival or in an austere environment. Course instruction courtesy of the Port Jefferson EMS.

## Reiki Circle

**Wednesday, April 25 7:00 - 8:15 PM**

Join Reiki Master & Yoga Teacher Annalee Jackofsky for a night of energy healing. After a brief guided meditation Annalee will give everyone a short Reiki treatment. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a yoga mat or towel and a blanket.

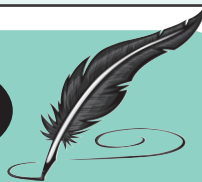
## Natural Solutions to Better Sleep

**Thursday, April 26 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Do you have trouble falling asleep and staying asleep? Learn about the different sleep disorders and their causes. Also, preventive measures and natural approaches you can use to help with a restful sleep. Program presented by Dr. Brian Yonks in association with the non-profit Foundation of Wellness Professionals.

# Language/Literacy

Registration  
is not required.



## Citizenship Class

**Saturdays, April 7, 13, 20, 27 1:00-2:00 PM**

Prepare for the naturalization test with this 4-week course. This class is for adults, 18 years of age and older. Please call the library for more information. You do not need to attend all sessions.

## The Poetry Zone @ PJFL Celebrates National Poetry Month

**Tuesday, April 10 6:30-8:30 PM**

Founded by the American Academy of Poets, April is National Poetry Month. To help celebrate, the Poetry Zone will be hosting noted poet Tim Tomlinson who grew up on Long Island, where he was educated by jukeboxes and juvenile delinquents. His books include *Requiem for the Tree Fort I Set on Fire* and *This Is Not Happening to You*. He is a co-founder of New York Writers Workshop, a professor in NYU's Global Liberal Studies, and a resides in Brooklyn.

## Learn English Conversation Group

**Saturdays 11:00 AM - Noon**

This class is for adults, 18 and older, whose first language is not English. Improve your English skills in this English-only class. There is no need to pre-register for this FREE class simply show up. The program is led by Certified ESOL Instructor Mary Leming.

## Learn English Workshop

**Thursdays 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

This formal ESOL class, is for adults 18 and older who speak English as a new language. If you are a non-native English speaker who wants to learn English then this class is for you. Classes are taught by Certified ESOL Instructor Mary Leming and are free and open to every adult.



# Passport Service

The Library is a Passport Acceptance Facility! If you are getting a new passport or need a new photograph for a renewal, you can make an appointment with one of our Librarians! For more information, call the Adult Reference Desk or go to [portjefflibrary.org/passport](http://portjefflibrary.org/passport)





## Sudoku Workshop

**Tuesday, March 6 10:30 AM-Noon**

Using easy to understand illustrated techniques, Sudoku Instructor Linda Schneider will show you the basic techniques on how to play Sudoku puzzles and games. Math is not required to play Sudoku.

## Organizing Your Life

**Tuesday, March 13 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Author of Scaling Down and The Clutter Cure, Judi Culbertson will set you on the path to a happier, more streamlined home. She'll not only explore the psychological reasons why it's so hard to give many things up, but help to generate ideas of the way you want to live. There will be time for a robust Q and A as well.

## Knitting Workshop

**Saturdays, beginning March 24 2:30 - 4:00 PM**

Knitting instructor Sharon Barnes returns to the library to present a five session workshop on learning to knit. Learn the basics of knitting, purl stitches, basic knit, finishing tips, and much more. Please pick up a supply list of materials you will need to bring with you to class.

## Public Service Loan Forgiveness

**Tuesday, March 27 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Are you entitled to loan forgiveness? The National Student Loan Service Center will present an educational seminar on the Public Student Loan Forgiveness Program. Learn about your eligibility and what you and your families may be entitled to. All are welcome.

## Excel Intermediate: Part One

**Monday, March 12 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

This Excel intermediate level class will cover pivot tables and advanced chart customizing. Completion of the Excel Beginner classes or proficiency in the topics covered is required to attend this class. The instructor is Frank Cerullo, CPM, MBA.

## Computer Basics: Part One

**Friday, March 16 10:30 AM - Noon**

In this user-friendly class for beginner computer users only, you will learn all of the basics. This hands-on class will cover the Windows desktop, using the mouse, opening programs, creating a letter, saving a file, copy and paste and more. Class presented by technology expert Tom Arancio.

## Intro to LinkedIn

**Monday, April 2 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Discover the benefits of networking with LinkedIn with Web Developer Arooj Chaudhry. Learn how to create your professional profile, connect with colleagues and explore other features. *Please bring your resume.*

## Salsa Dance Class

**Friday, April 6 (3 sessions) 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Dance professional Norma Granofsky will be here offering this FREE three session class to show beginners how to dance the popular salsa. Singles are welcome and please wear shoes without rubber soles.

## Computer Basics: Part Two

**Friday, April 6 10:30 AM-Noon**

In this hands-on class you will learn how to work with text including inputting, inserting, moving and erasing, basic word processing skills and understanding commands and dialog boxes. Prerequisite: Completion of Computer Basics: Part 1 or equivalent knowledge. This class is presented by the technology expert Tom Arancio.

## The Vendettas

**Sunday, April 8 2:00 - 3:00 PM**

The Vendettas play a high energy mix of Rockabilly and Rock and Roll hits from the early days. Dance to some of your favorite songs from artists like Elvis, Johnny Cash, Carl Perkins and Eddie Cochran as well as contemporary artists like Stray Cats and Bruce Springsteen.

## Excel Intermediate: Part Two

**Monday, April 9 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

This Excel Intermediate level class and will cover how to customize Excel and Options, such as creating "custom lists" in Excel. Completion of the Beginner Excel classes is required or proficiency in the topics covered to attend this class. The class instructor is Frank Cerullo.

## Photoshop: Introduction

**Tuesday, April 17 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Interested in learning about Adobe Photoshop? Web Developer Arooj Chaudhry will have a demo of the basics of Photoshop where you will learn how to create a new document, crop, resize, retouch and add text to your images, and why Photoshop matters. You will learn the basics such as exporting files and saving your work.

## Healthcare Proxies, Powers of Attorney and Living Wills

**Thursday, April 19 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Retaining control over life decisions as the end of life approaches is a top priority for nearly everyone. This objective can be achieved by good planning including the preparation of the proper directives. Attorney Linda Toga will be here to discuss three important advance legal directives you should know about: Healthcare Proxy, Power of Attorney and Living Wills.

## Social Media

**Friday, April 20 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Web developer Arooj Chaudhry will provide basic instructions on how people can exchange photos and videos, share news stories, post their thoughts, and participate in online discussions. Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat and Twitter will be discussed.

## Excel Intermediate: Part Three

**Monday, April 30 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM**

This Excel class will cover how to create and use macros: actions used to automate tasks in Excel. Completion of the previous two Excel classes in this series, or proficiency in the topics covered, is required to attend this class. The class instructor is Frank Cerullo CPM, MBA.

## Blogging: Part I

**Tuesday, May 1 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Interested in Blogging? Not sure which blogging site is for you? Join Web Developer Arooj Chaudhry as she reviews a few different blogging platforms.

## Blogging: Part II

**Tuesday, May 8 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Blogs allow you to easily tell your stories. Readers can interact with you and you can build relationships with them. Join us as we review different blogging platforms.

## Photoshop: Intermediate

**Tuesday, May 15 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Popular among graphic designers, Photoshop is a leading graphic creation application. Web Developer Arooj Chaudhry will help you learn how to rearrange images, organize elements on your canvas, space items attractively, use layers, and put everything together into a beautiful design.



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MARCH IS

Women's  
HISTORY MONTH



To help celebrate Women's History Month the Port Jefferson Free Library will be presenting:

## Legendary Women of Long Island

**Saturday, March 24 2:00 - 3:30 PM**

Hosted by noted Long Island Gold Coast expert and best-selling author, Monica Randall, this program examines the lives of an elite group of glamorous women who lived during the glory days of Long Island's fabled Gold Coast. They were the first American Superstars. Women like Alva Vanderbilt, Mrs. Clarence MacKay, Barbara Hutton, Zelda Fitzgerald, Ann Woodward and Gertrude Whitney among others.



# Make It! Arts/Cooking/Games



## PJFL Mah-Jongg Club

**Every Wednesday 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

This club is open to PJFL cardholders and all levels of play are welcome. If you own a set of Mah-Jongg tiles, please bring them with you to the meeting.

## Long Island Quilters

**Meets Every Monday 5:00 - 8:00 PM**

If you are a quilter and would like to join us, bring your sewing machine and a project. If you are new to quilting and want to find out more, do stop by.

## Tai Cooking

**with Chef Penn Hongthong**

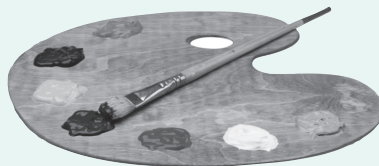
**Thursday, March 15 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

Join us as Chef and Food Author Penn Hongthong will be here to demonstrate how to make Massaman Curry with Beef, Panang Curry with Chicken and Coconut Jasmine Rice. There will be tasting after food demonstration.

## Spring Paint Night

**Monday, March 19 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

Join us for this Spring themed Paint night. Using acrylics and a 14x18 canvas, your local librarian/artist will guide you step-by-step in creating a beautiful Spring painting perfect to decorate your house for the season! A \$7 material fee, either cash or check made out to PJFL, is due upon registration.



## PJFL Photography Club

**Tuesday, March 27 & April 24 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

This club consists of photographers of all skill levels who want to share their work and broaden their photographic horizons. Group Leader is Pam Hauman.

## Fermenting Your Favorite Foods

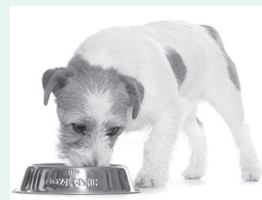
**Wednesday, April 11 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Join Renato Stafford to learn the art of fermentation, (aides in digestive health), and canning foods. During the class he will use fresh tomatoes from his garden to create a fresh sauce to taste and preserve!

## Home Cooking for Your Dog

**Monday, April 16 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Christine Filardi will be here to discuss easy ways to make your own pet foods and treats. Certified in canine and feline nutrition and author of *Home Cooking for Your Dog*, she believes that happier and healthier pets start with a species appropriate diet. Learn about the health benefits too, including fewer allergies, joint problems, behavioral issues and more.



# For Seniors

## Elder Law with Attorney George Roach

**Tuesday, March 20 10:30 AM - Noon**

George Roach, former Chief Attorney in charge of the Legal Aid Society of Suffolk County's Senior Citizen Division, will discuss and answer your questions on a number of topics. He will address trust planning, strategies to protect assets from the cost of catastrophic illness, long term care, changes in federal and state estate and gift tax laws and much more.

## Medicare 101

**Monday, March 26 10:30 AM - Noon**

This program will give you answers to some of the confusing aspects of Medicare including what does it cover and what is not covered under it? What are the gaps in coverage and the out of pocket costs? Program presenter is Medicare Specialist Daniel Drobilas.

## Senior Advocate from the Suffolk County Department of Aging

**Wednesday, April 18 2:30 - 4:30 PM**

Seniors can meet one-on-one with a trained senior advocate. Information about HEAP, Medicare, Medicaid, home care, ID and other assistance for seniors will be provided. No appointment is necessary. Have a problem or question that can't wait? Call Pam at (631) 853-8236.

## Medicare Explained

**Monday, April 23 10:30 AM - Noon**

Join Senior Health Specialist Grace Horan-Luce for an informative talk about Medicare. Topics covered will include Medicare parts A, B and D, Medigap policies and Medicare Advantage Plans.

# Travel & Enrichment

**Registration is required.**

## Long Island Rail Road into N.Y.C.

**Saturday, March 24 Depart 8:42 AM**

**Cost: \$10 round trip ticket (non-refundable)**

Travel on the Long Island Rail Road, departing from the Port Jefferson Train Station and spend a day in New York City. Return home ANYTIME THAT DAY.

## Armchair Travel: Malta

**Wednesday, April 18 7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Malta is at the center of the Mediterranean, just 58 miles south of Sicily and one of the smallest countries in the world. It is packed with pleasures, including ancient towns and archaeological sites; expansive beaches and vistas. Join world-wide traveler and professional photographer Pam Hauman as she takes you on a journey.

## The Intrepid Sea, Air & Space

**Museum - Museum of Arts & Design**

**Wednesday, April 25 Cost: \$119.00**

Begin with a tour of the Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum located at Pier 86 in New York City. This American military and maritime history museum showcases various aircraft carriers. Next we tour the Museum of Arts & Design (MAD) located at 2 Columbus Circle. This museum collects, displays, and interprets objects of contemporary and historic innovation in craft, art and design. Lunch will be at the museum's restaurant "Robert" offering breathtaking views of Central Park.



## Tour LongHouse Reserve & the Leiber Collection in East Hampton

**Thursday, June 7 Cost: TBA**

We begin with a guided tour of Jack Lenore Larson's Long-House Reserve, a 16 acre reserve and sculpture garden featuring work by Dale Chihuly, Buckminster Fuller, Yoko Ono and Willem de Kooning and more. Our visit also features a tour through Mr. Larson's multi-million dollar home, Long-House. Enjoy lunch at the historic Maidstone Restaurant. The day will end with a guided tour of the Leiber Collection, a magnificent Renaissance-style Palladian edifice that sits majestically in a sculpture garden, designed by abstract expressionist artist Gerson Leiber. Highlights of this tour include meeting the internationally celebrated designer Judith Lieber and her artist husband Gerson Lieber.

## Tour the 1720 Miller House with Lunch at Orto. Visit the 1834 Miller Place Library/Academy

**Thursday, April 26 10:00AM - 3:00 PM**

The Library, in association with the Miller Place-Mount Sinai Historical Society, present two historical tours with lunch. Learn about how the Miller's lived in 1720, explore the three separate parts of the house and the Cherub Barn with original farming tools. Lunch will be at near by Orto. Following lunch we will tour the 1834 Miller Academy/Library instrumental in Women's Suffrage and Temperance Movements. The cost which is \$49 per person, paid upon registration and is non-refundable unless someone else can fill that spot.



# Services

For more information on any of these services, please contact the Adult Reference Desk.

## Assistive Services

### Andrew Heiskell Braille and Talking Books

This service of the New York Public Library provides braille and special format audio books and magazines through the USPS for people who are physically unable to read standard print. Applications are available in the Front Reading Room by our circulating collection of talking books.



#### Browsealoud

Look for this icon on our website. Receive support with speech, reading, and translation.

### Having Difficulty Reading our Newsletter?

Large Print copies are available, files can be emailed for

use with your text-to-speech computer software, and voice recordings of the newsletter can be found at [portjefflibrary.org/newsletter](http://portjefflibrary.org/newsletter).

### Home Outreach Service

Don't let a temporary or permanent illness and/or a physical disability stop you from experiencing the wonders of the library! Volunteers or library staff will deliver items to homebound patrons free of charge.

### Music & Memory

This personalized music therapy program is designed to enhance the lives of people living with Alzheimer's Disease, Dementia, and other degenerative neurologic diseases. Contact Reference to sign up your loved one.

### Reading Edge Scanner

Gifted by the Port Jefferson Lions Club, this reading machine turns text into high quality synthesized speech.

### Sonic Super Ear

Having difficulty hearing at one of our programs? Just ask a staff member for a Sonic Super Ear, a personal sound amplifier.



### Video Eye

Gifted by the Port Jefferson Lions Club, this low vision reading machine uses a camera to magnify text and objects onto a computer monitor for easier viewing.

## Ongoing Services

### Caps of Love

Donate your #2, 4 & 5 bottle caps to be recycled into wheelchair parts for children in need. There are drop boxes in the Main Library and the Used Book Shop.

### Call for Yearbooks!

We are looking to expand our collection of Earl L. Vandermeulen High School Yearbooks, The Crystal. If you are interested in donating your yearbook or to find out what years we are looking to for, please contact Samantha DiGiacomo.

### Check-Out Discounts

We partner with businesses in the Chamber of Commerce to give cardholders discounts! See a list of participating businesses on our website or pick up a brochure.

### Museum Passes

The Library has a selection of museum passes available for PJFL cardholders to check out for FREE! See the list of museums on our website and speak with the Circulation Department to reserve yours today!

### One-On-One Genealogy Help

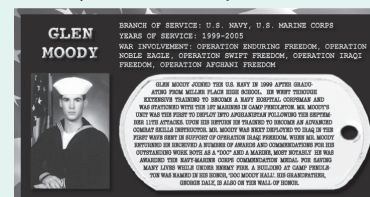
Learn about the databases and resources the library has to help you in your family search. A librarian will help you get started on your research.

### Veterans History Project

We are documenting and preserving YOUR service history. We sit down with willing veterans to discuss their experiences loyally serving our great country. Open to ALL interested veterans!

### Wall of Honor

WE WANT YOU! We at PJFL feel that honoring Veterans should happen all year. Whether you are from the greatest generation or from the current generation, your service is important!



### Recycle Rechargeable Batteries

We accept rechargeable batteries and cell phones (regular batteries are discarded). There are boxes in the Main Library and the Used Book Shop.



### Device Charging Station

#### Device Advice

Librarians are available help you download eBooks, eMagazines, eAudiobooks, stream movies and more! Give us a call to make a one-on-one appointment.

#### Fax Service

\$1.25 US/ \$3 Mexico & Canada per transmission.

#### 3D Printer

Turn your idea into an object! Click on "3D Printer Resources" under the "Resources" tab on our website to learn all about our 3D printer and how to create an object.

## Technology Services

### Tech to Take Home

**Chromecast**- Stream to your TV

**Launchpad**- Play/learn on a tablet

**Kindle Paperwhite**- Pre-loaded with popular titles

**NEW TITLES JUST ADDED:** *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste NG, *Before We Were Yours* by Lisa Wingate, *Origin* by Dan Brown, *The Woman in the Window* by AJ Finn, *The Alice Network* by Kate Quinn, *The Wife Between Us* by Greer Hendricks, *Year One* by Nora Roberts, *Pachinko* by Min Jin Lee, *End Game* by David Baldacci, *Unburied*, *Sing* by Jesmyn Ward

### Featured Database: Novelist Plus

Access from [portjefflibrary.org/databases](http://portjefflibrary.org/databases)

Novelist is a comprehensive readers' advisory solution for fiction lovers. It allows you to locate novels in a variety of ways, including "Author read-alikes", and "similar books".



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Enhancing the Library Community with dedication & donations

### Thank you!

*Thanks to everyone for supporting the Friends Collectable Book Sale. Your generous donations help the Friends to provide special programming for the Port Jeff Library community.*

Now is the time to join the Friends of the PJFL! Please use the attached NEW membership form. If you are already a member watch for your renewal letter in the mail.

### Used Book Shop Hours

**Monday- Friday: 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM**

**Saturday: 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM**

**Sunday: 1:00-5:00 PM**



## 2018 NEW Friends Membership Form



I am interested in

- ☐ volunteering at the Book Shop
- ☐ volunteering for special events
- ☐ Individual (\$5)
- ☐ Family (\$10)
- ☐ Very Good Friend (\$25)
- ☐ Lifetime Member (\$500)

Please complete this form and include it with your check payable to:

Friends of the Port Jefferson Free Library

100 Thompson Street, Port Jefferson, NY 11777

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Please contact me by:

- ☐ e-mail
- ☐ phone
- ☐ mail

## EXHIBITIONS & DISPLAYS

### March Case Display:

**Impression of the Time by John Koch**

### March Gallery Exhibition:

**Impression of the Time by John Koch with Antreas Ioanides**

### April Gallery Exhibition:

**Visions of Scenic Long Island by Robert Bloom**

"Photographic Art" is a hybrid art form which combines photography and computer facilitated painting. Through a creative editing process, Robert's digital photo images are transformed into artistic works that resemble paintings. Mr. Bloom's works feature Long Island landscapes and seascapes.

### April Case Display:

**Digital Paintings by Laura Hill Timpanaro**



### OUR LIVING HERITAGE EXHIBITIONS:

#### On Permanent Display:

**Gallery:** Photographs from *Images of America: Port Jefferson*

**Our Living Heritage Area:** Wall of Honor

#### On Temporary Display:

**Display Case:** Local Heritage

**Historical Society Case:** "War and Peace 100th Anniversary of the Armistice" The Historical Society of Greater Port Jefferson

*If you would like to display your work, please see the website. For more information, contact Sal Filosa at 631-473-0022.*

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### LIBRARY HOURS

#### Main Library

**631-473-0022**

Monday - Friday 9:30 AM-9:00 PM

Saturday 9:30 AM-5:00 PM

Sunday 1:00-5:00 PM

#### Teen Center

**631-509-5707**

Monday - Friday 10:00 AM-8:00 PM

Saturday 9:30 AM-5:00 PM

Sunday 1:00-5:00 PM

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### BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETINGS

**Monday, April 2 (March Meeting)**

**7:00 PM**

**Monday, April 23**

**7:00 PM**

### BUDGET INFORMATION MEETING

**Monday, April 2**

**6:30 PM**

### BUDGET VOTE

**Tuesday, April 10**

**10:00 AM- 9:00 PM**

### LIBRARY CLOSED

**Sunday, April 1**

**Easter**

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