



# Port Jefferson Free Library

## March & April 2021 Yeoman Newsletter

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### CELEBRATE NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK!

#### "Welcome to Your Library"

Welcome to Your Library," promotes the idea that libraries extend far beyond the four walls of a building – and that everyone is welcome to use our services! To show appreciation to all our amazing patrons we "welcome" you to stop by during National Library Week (April 4 - 10) and pick up a free gift!

April 4 - 10



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### LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE

Tuesday, April 6, 2021

10:00 AM-9:00 PM



### THANK YOU!

Many thanks to Carl Siegel for your service as Trustee 2016-2021

# COFFEE

## with a Cop

Tuesday March 23 11:00 AM  
Monday, April 19 7:00 PM

Chat with a Cop! Bring Your Own Coffee or any beverage as you join us online to chat with COPE (Community Oriented Police Enforcement) Officer Berry and officers of our Suffolk County 6th Precinct. This is a joint program with other libraries in the 6th precinct district and is open to adults and families.

### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR TRUSTEES!



Nicole Connelly & Karyn Jensen won 5 year seats.  
Jennifer Schaefer won a 1 year seat.

### DUMP THE JUNK! SPRINGTIME EDITION

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

#### Shredding With Smart Shred Mobile

Saturday, April 17 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

You may bring up to 3 bags of paper to be shredded. Please store the bags in your trunk, pull up to the designated spots and open your trunk for staff members to remove the bags and bring them to the truck to be shredded.

#### Shed the Meds Collection

Saturday, April 17 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Please put all medications to be disposed of in a plastic bag. Any needles need to be placed in a plastic container with a lid. No uncapped needles will be accepted. **Any electronics to be recycled will not be accepted.**

To maintain compliance with current social distancing guidelines you WILL NOT be permitted to remain on the premises after drop off of materials. Please stay in your car at all times.

#### E-Waste Recycling with EcoTech Management

Saturday, April 24 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Only electronics may be recycled on this day. Any paper or meds to be recycled will not be accepted.**

Please store all your electronics in your trunk, pull up to the designated spots and open your trunk for staff members to remove your items.



# Children's Services

Email us anytime! [children@portjefflibrary.org](mailto:children@portjefflibrary.org)

## ONLINE PROGRAMS

We continue to offer all of our programs virtually, including story times, game nights, crafts, 3D printing, our favorite programmers, and more. Be sure to check the online calendar for the complete listing of all Children's Programming.

### \* Grab and Go Program - Registration Required

Register for these programs, pick up the materials from the Children's Department and then join us for the on-line program!

### ❖ FAVORITE PROGRAMMERS ❖

Our favorite programmers are offering a full line-up of fun musical and educational programs this Spring. See our event calendar for full details and additional offerings.

#### Babies Boogie and Toddlers Tango

Tuesday, March 2 & April 20 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 months - 5 years old with an adult

Let's move & groove with this high energy program for all ages up to four years!

#### Stay and Play Hooray

Wednesday, March 3 11:00 AM

Thursday, April 1 11:00 AM

Families with children 3 - 36 months

Join us for this virtual PlayHooray class with Molly Mouse which includes nursery rhymes, a book and so much more!

#### Shake 'N Make Music

Friday, March 5 & April 9 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 months - 5 years old with an adult



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

#### Dance, Laugh, Play

Monday, March 8 11:00 AM

Wednesday, April 14 11:00 AM

Ages: Birth - 4 years old with an adult

Come have the ultimate bonding experience with your little one with Zumbini and Miss Lauren.

#### A Time for Kids

Tuesday, March 16 11:00 AM

Monday, April 12 11:00 AM

Ages: 18 months - 5 years with an adult

Join A Time for Kids fun music, movement, fine and gross motor development and storytelling.

#### Baby Start

Friday, March 19 & April 16 11:00 AM

Ages: 6 - 36 months with an adult

Join Miss Karen from A Time for Kids for some fun music and movement.

#### Nature Buddies

Thursday, March 25 & April 29 11:00 AM

Ages 3 - 5 years with an adult

Join Miss Colleen to learn some fun facts about nature, hear stories and more!

#### Skoblicki Scientists

Monday, March 29 11:00 AM

Friday, April 2 11:00 AM

Ages 3 - 5 years old with an adult

#### Skoblicki Super Scientists

Monday, March 29 1:00 PM

Friday, April 2 1:00 PM

Grades K - 5

Join Miss Michelle as she teaches you science with fun facts and a craft.

### ❖ SPRING HOLIDAY PROGRAMS ❖

Check out some of the special seasonal programs that we are offering!

#### Shamrock Suncatchers \*

Tuesday, March 9 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

Get in the St. Patrick's Day spirit as we make shamrock suncatchers!

#### Rainbow Fun \*

Thursday, March 11 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

Join Miss Monica and Miss Margaret for some rainbow fun!

#### Leprechaun

Blowers \* Thursday, March 11 7:00 PM

Ages: 5 - 7 years old

We will create a leprechaun blower to summon them on St. Patrick's Day.

#### Shamrock Fest \*

Monday, March 15 11:00 AM

Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old

Join us for fun crafts celebrating the famous plant of Ireland and get ready for St. Patrick's Day!



## TAKE & MAKE



### Take & Make Kits

Pick up these weekly kits, filled with everything you need to complete a craft, project or STEAM activity at home, on your own.

#### Leprechaun Hats \*

Tuesday, March 16 7:00 PM

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

Rock your Irish fashion with these cute little leprechaun inspired hats!

#### St. Patrick's Day Craft Fest \*

Wednesday, March 17 11:00 AM

Ages: 5 - 12 years old

We will be celebrating St. Patrick's Day in the best way, by making some fun crafts!

#### Stuffed Bunny Workshop \*

Monday, March 29 7:00 PM

Grades K-5

Just in time for Easter - stuff a "chocolate bunny" that won't melt when you snuggle up with it!

#### Salt Paint Eggs \*

Friday, April 2 4:00 PM

Grades K - 2

Join Miss Melanie as we create a couple designs using salt painting.

#### Earth Day Story Time

Thursday, April 22 11:00 AM

Ages 3 - 5 years old

Join Miss Margaret as she shares some stories about our beautiful planet and ways to keep her clean and healthy.



### ❖ FAMILY PROGRAMS ❖

#### Pajama Story Time

Tuesdays, March 2, 23, April 6, 20 7:00 PM

Get cozy in your pajamas and enjoy stories, songs and jokes before bedtime.

#### Kids Kitchen

Thursdays, March 4, April 1, 22 7:00 PM

Join Miss Sarina and Miss Sandy to make a delicious family treat!

# Jason's Virtual Animal Show

Wednesday, March 31 1:00 PM

Join us as we host Jason Reilly and virtually meet LIVE animals, such as Princess the giant frog, Tickles the hedgehog, Chica the chin-chilla, Feathers the chicken, reptiles, bugs & more!



## Chef Rob Scott: Irish Soda Bread Muffins \*

Monday, March 8 7:00 PM

Watch a video from Chef Rob Scott with Miss Kim and make some yummy muffins!

## Whys Science: Science or Sorcery? The Magician's Breakfast

Thursday, April 1 1:00 PM

Celebrate April Fool's day with this fascinating show filled with science and magic fun!

## EARLY CHILDHOOD STORY TIMES & CRAFTS

### Roaring Good Story Time & Craft \*

Monday, March 1 11:00 AM

Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old

### Farm Tales \*

Wednesday, March 10, 24, April 7 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

### Sheep Tales

Monday, March 22 11:00 AM

Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old



### Let's Take Flight Story Time \*

Tuesday, March 23 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

### Tissue Paper Bluebirds \*

Tuesday, March 30 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

### Tiny Tourists \*

Wednesday, March 17, 31, April 21 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

### Unicorn Story and Craft \*

Monday, April 5 11:00 AM

Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old

### Tissue Paper Rainbows \*

Tuesday, April 6 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

### Flower Patterns \*

Tuesday, April 13 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old



### This Story Time is for the Birds \*

Thursday, April 15 11:00 AM

Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old

### 10 Little Rubber Duckies Story and Craft \*

Monday, April 19 11:00 AM

Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old

### Caterpillar Fun \*

Friday, April 23 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old

### Delicious Story Time\*

Monday, April 26

11:00 AM

Ages: 2 ½ - 5 years old

### What's the Weather Story Time \*

Tuesday, April 27 11:00 AM

Ages: 3 - 5 years old



## SCHOOL AGE PROGRAMS

### Seuss-a-bration \*

Monday, March 1 7:00 PM

Grades K-5

### Meet Art \*

Wednesday, March 3, 10, 24,

April 7 and 21

Ages: 6 - 12 years old 6:30 PM

### Card Making and Stories \*

Friday, March 12 4:00 PM

Grades K - 2

### Stop Motion Workshop \*

Saturday, March 20 3:00 PM

Ages: 8 - 12- years old

### Kids Spring Trivia

Monday, March 22 7:00 PM

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

### Stained Glass Kites \*

Thursday, March 25 7:00 PM

Ages: 5 - 7 years old

### Pom-Pom Cherry Blossom Trees \*

Friday, March 26 4:00 PM

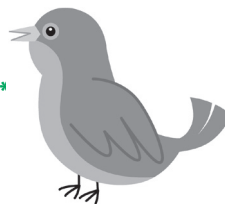
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### Feed the Birds: Make a Bird Feeder\*

Tuesday, March 30

1:00 PM

Grades 4 - 6



### Virtual Game Night

Tuesday, March 30 7:00 PM

Ages: 7-12 years old

### Paper Dandelions

Monday, April 5 7:00 PM

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

### Rainbow Wall Art

Thursday, April 8 7:00 PM

Ages: 8 - 12- years old

### 3D Paper Tulips

Friday, April 9 4:00 PM

Grades K - 2

### Kids Spring Bingo

Monday, April 12

7:00 PM

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

### Tessellations

Wednesday, April 14 6:30 PM

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

### Hyacinth Flower Craft

Thursday, April 15 7:00 PM

Ages: 4 - 6 years old

### Paper Umbrellas

Friday, April 16 4:00 PM

Grades K - 2

### Mario Kart Meet Up

Saturday, April 17 3:00 PM

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

### National Pretzel Day Constructions

Monday, April 26 7:00 PM

Ages: 8 - 12 years old

### Directed Drawing: Pretty as a Peacock

Wednesday, April 28

6:30 PM

Ages: 7 - 12 years old

### Paper Chicks in Paper Nests

Thursday, April 29

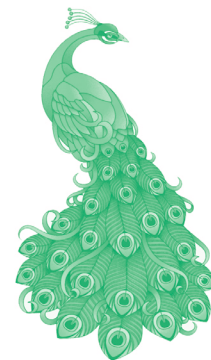
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Ages: 6 - 8 years old

### May Day Baskets

Friday, April 30 4:00 PM

Grades K - 2



## Fireside Book Talk

Thursday, March 18 7:00 PM

Join Miss Sandy in front of a roaring fire as she talks about some new additions to the Children's Room collection. If you see something you like, come into the Children's and we'll help you find it. This event will be held on Facebook Live, but you do not need a Facebook account to view this program.



# TEEN CENTER



Have any questions? Email the Teen Center at [info@pjteen.org](mailto:info@pjteen.org)

## Online Programs

Check our calendar for details and registration!

*\*Pickup Program: You will receive a call when supplies are available for pickup.*

 *This programs may contain allergens*

### Little Leprechauns \*

Monday, March 1

3:30 PM

If you can't catch a leprechaun you can make one! In celebration of St. Patrick's Day we will meet up virtually to make our own cute lucky creature.



### Butterfly Isle Art \*

Tuesday, March 2

6:30 PM

Create beautiful fluttering decor with paper butterflies and wood art.



### Jackbox Gaming - Quiplash

Wednesday, March 3

6:30 PM

Play with us as we laugh out loud to the creative and wacky content made in Quiplash! Use phones, tablets, or even laptops to witty responses to gain the player's vote.

### Beat Spotify

Thursday, March 4

6:30 PM

Test your knowledge on identifying some of the biggest hit songs of all time! Come and join us online to see if you got what it takes to beat Spotify.

### Brawlhalla

Monday, March 8

6:30 PM

Choose a character, pick a tool and fight for domination of the platform in this free online PVP platform Steam game.



### Irish Soda Bread Muffins\*

Tuesday, March 9

6:30 PM

Celebrate the luck of the Irish by making delicious muffins. We will provide the non-perishable ingredients and you supply the rest!

### Mario Kart Tour

Wednesday, March 10

6:30 PM

March 10th is Mario Day, a day to celebrate the main character of the Nintendo franchise, Super Mario. Celebrate with us online by playing the popular mobile game, Mario Kart Tour! You must download the game via phone (it's free) prior to attending the program.



### Among Us

Thursday, March 11

6:30 PM

Among Us is an online game of teamwork and betrayal as you attempt to prep your spaceship for departure, or to sabotage others. Join us online to enjoy some casual playing. You must download the game via phone (it's free) prior to attending the program.



## Follow us on Instagram!

@portjeffteencenter

### Pies on a Stick \*

Sunday, March 14



2:00 PM

Make adorable pies on a stick. We will provide the non-perishable ingredients and will call when they are ready for pickup.

### MageQuit

Tuesday, March 16

6:30 PM

Become a Mage in this free online Steam game of magic and gaming wizardry. Battle as a team to defend your honor in the wizard arena.



### Teen Meet-up

Wednesday, March 17

6:30 PM

Chat with the librarians during a virtual session to learn about upcoming programs and events soon to come.

### Pictionary

Thursday, March 18

6:30 PM

Can you draw an anchor in under 60 seconds?! Put your creativity and drawing skills to the test with an online game of pictionary.

### King of Crabs

Monday, March 22

6:30 PM

You're a crab, they're a crab, we're all crabs here! Who shall be crowned the King of the Crabs in this online free Steam PVP battle of the crabdom.



### Minecraft

Tuesday, March 23 OR

Tuesday, April 20

6:30 PM

Join Khan for some building, mining and crafting on the Teen Center's Minecraft server.

### Floral Cake \*

Wednesday, March 24

6:30 PM

Make flowers using candy and decorate with buttercream leaves on a cake.

### Pop-Tart Pillow \*

Monday, March 29

3:30 PM

Put those sewing skills to work and make a pastry inspired pillow!

### Truth or Khansquences

Tuesday, March 30

6:30 PM

Ever play truth or dare? Reveal your truths and be khanfident in your skills during our dares.

### Spring Wreath \*

Wednesday, March 31

6:30 PM

Spring is coming! Add pops of color and personality to your decor by designing and making beautiful wreaths for your home.



### Peep Sushi \*

**Monday, April 1 6:30 PM**

Make candy sushi using delicious peeps, rice crispy treats and candy.



### Escape Room

**Monday, April 5 6:30 PM**

The Teen Center Game Master

has created another thrilling escape room challenge. Conquer this new virtual escape room by using your wits and common sense to escape before the one hour timer runs out.

### Cooking with Erin - Pizza Pull Apart Bread

**Tuesday, April 6 6:30 PM**

Make this delicious pull apart bread that you can dip in sauce to eat as a tasty appetizer or a meal.



### Star Jar \*

**Wednesday, April 7 6:30 PM**

Create tiny paper stars that will be used to decorate a glass jar.

### Boot Planters

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

With the upcoming season, it'll be the perfect time to start planting. Join us online to decorate your boot and start the spring growing your own plant!

### Grilled Cheese Day

**Monday, April 12 3:30 PM**

Grab your ingredients and join us in your kitchen as we make the perfect grilled cheese!



### Glow in the Dark Line Art \*

**Tuesday, April 13 6:30 PM**

Design your own glow in the dark masterpiece using a canvas and a simple touch of lines to create art.

### Jackbox Gaming - Blathers Round

**Wednesday, April 14 6:30 PM**

Play with us as we compete in this guessing game full of blundering, stumbling, and—yes!—blathering! Use phones, tablets, or even laptops to try to describe pop culture phenomena to your friends.

### Parmesan Crusted Quesadilla

**Thursday, April 15 6:30 PM**

Join Chef Rob and the librarians as we make a tasty tomato basil, mozzarella quesadillas with a parmesan crust.



### 3-D Print and Design

**Monday, April 19 6:30 PM**

Using our 3-D printer Tinker accounts, you'll design your own 3-D print model to pick up within the week.

### Among Us Tournament

**Wednesday, April 21 6:30 PM**

Among Us is an online game of teamwork and betrayal as you attempt to prep your spaceship for departure, or to sabotage others. Play competitively against your friends to see if you are the ultimate player! You must download the game via phone (it's free) prior to attending the program.



### Candy Olympics \*

**Thursday, April 22 6:30 PM**

As National Jelly Bean Day draws near, let's celebrate the day with some Candy Olympic challenges.



### DIY Pinata

**Monday April 26 6:30 PM**

Craft your own colorful miniature pinata. Candy and colors galore will be supplied by us while you supply the joy of being the first to open your candy surprise.



### Stencil Art \*

**Thursday, April 29 6:30 PM**

Simplistic yet gorgeous, stencils can take your artistry to the next level. Join us and create unique works of art for your room or home.

## Community Service Opportunities

### Suffolk County Libraries Authors Unlimited

**Saturday, April 17 10:00 AM**

Authors Unlimited 2021 will be taking place online through Zoom! It's a free program that celebrates reading by connecting teens and authors. 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. Attendees can earn three hours of community service credit for attending and then filling out a survey at the end of the day. For registration information and a schedule of the day please visit [authorsunlimited.org](http://authorsunlimited.org). You can also find AU on Twitter @AuthorsUnlim!



### Teen Volunteers Online Storytime

**Monday, March 15 3:30 PM - Training**

**Wednesday, March 31 3:30 PM - Online Storytime**

Earn community service as you learn how to put together a Storytime program with Sarina. Join us for the first for a training session, then meet up with us on March 31st where we will all share our stories with children. To receive 3 hours of community service, you must attend both sessions of the program.

## Community Service to Go:

### Perler Bead Designers

Stop into the Teen Center and pick up a mixture of perler beads to design. Earn one hour per bag completed, with a maximum of 2 packets per month.

### Butterflies Designers

Stop into the Teen Center and pick up paper butterflies to decorate. One hour per packet decorated, with a maximum of 2 packets per month.

# Adult Reference

## ONLINE PROGRAMS

All online programs can be accessed through our Events Calendar. These are just a few of our upcoming programs! We are always adding new programs. Please note that most programs require registration. Call us for details or check the calendar: [portjefflibrary.org/events](http://portjefflibrary.org/events)

### ❖ Art & Craft Programs ❖

#### St. Patrick's Day Light-up Wine Bottle

Thursday, March 11 7:00 PM  
Paint your own St. Patrick's Day light up wine bottle! Materials will be available for pickup March 8. *Please note you need your own paintbrushes.*

#### Zen Garden Meditation

Thursday, March 18 7:00 PM  
Create your own soothing Zen Garden to keep at your desk and then join us for a relaxing meditation to follow. Materials will be available for pickup beginning March 12.

#### Easter Tree & Hand-Painted Easter Eggs

Tuesday, March 23 3:00 PM  
Make an adorable Easter Tree and paint your own wooden Easter Eggs with us online! Materials will be available for pickup beginning March 18. *We will loan out paint markers to be returned.*



#### Painted Planters

Tuesday, April 6 11:00 AM  
Join us online and paint two planters just in time for Spring gardening! Materials will be available for pickup beginning April 2. *Please note that you need your own paintbrushes.*

#### Spring Wreath

Thursday, April 15 7:00 PM  
Join us online and make your own floral wreath! Materials will be available for pickup beginning April 9. *Please note that you need your own scissors or wire cutters.*

#### Mother's Day Mandala Hearts

Thursday, April 29 7:00 PM  
Join us online and paint your own Mandala Hearts! Materials will be available for pickup beginning Monday, April 26. *Please note that you need your own paintbrush and pencil.*

### ❖ Cooking Classes ❖

#### Healthy Homestead Hostess: Moroccan Lentil Salad w/ Cauliflower Couscous

Tuesday, March 9 7:00 PM

#### Take & Make with Chef Rob: Irish Soda Bread

Friday, March 12 7:00 PM  
Chef Rob has prepared kits for you to take home and bake Irish Soda Bread right along with him.

### Take & Make with the Baking Coach:

#### Red Velvet Whoopie Pies

Wednesday, March 24 7:00 PM  
Join the Baking Coach Live and make these scrumptious red velvet whoopie pies. A limited number of kits are available.

#### Healthy Homestead Hostess

#### Oil-Free Salad Dressings

Tuesday, April 6 7:00 PM

#### Healthy Homestead Hostess:

#### Plant Based Mac & Cheese

Monday, April 19 7:00 PM



### ❖ Learn English ❖

#### Learn English Class: Thursdays - 7:00 PM

#### English Conversation: Saturdays - 3:30 PM

Join Certified ESOL Instructor Mary Leming for these free ongoing classes open to adults, whose first language is not English.

### ❖ Fitness and Health ❖

#### Breathe Together: Tuesdays @ 10:00 AM

#### Saturday Morning Yoga with Laurel Frey

Saturdays, March 6 - April 10 10:00 AM

Join Certified Yoga Instructor, Laurel Frey, as she returns for this six session workshop.



#### Cardio Sculpt with Fitness Figures

Wednesdays, March 10-April 14 10:00 AM

From the same instructor as our popular Chair-aerobics class! Join Debbie Kryzminski from Fitness Figures as she teaches this strength and sculpting class using cardio. Please have the following equipment ready: a rope or belt, a mat or towel, a chair, and a semi deflated ball or a pillow.

#### Crystal Bowls

Tuesdays, March 16 & April 20 7:00 PM

Watch Glowing Energy Within LIVE on Facebook!

#### Mindfulness Meditation

Mondays, March 22 & April 26 7:00 PM

Join Jessica Harris-lannuzzi as she walks you through this peaceful and much needed meditation.



### ❖ Lectures and Tutorials ❖

#### Savvy Sightseer's Video Vacations

#### Bucket List: Northern Ireland

Wednesday, March 3 10:30 AM

Join Jeanne Schnupp as she takes you on a journey to Northern Ireland, with its rich history and dramatic coastline. Join us as we tour Armagh, Belfast, the breathtaking Giant's Causeway, the captivating backdrops of the show Game of Thrones and so much more! This is one Destination definitely not to be overlooked by travelers!

#### What It's Worth Appraisal Program

Tuesday, March 9 6:30 PM

Author, Auctioneer, Appraiser and Radio show Host Mike Ivankovich will introduce you to "What Determines Value"...and reveal what your Antiques, Collectibles, and Personal Treasures are really worth today. Each attendee is invited to bring in 1-2 items for Mike to appraise.

#### Journey of Hope: The Irish in New York

Wednesday, March 10 7:00 PM

From the 18th century onwards, dramatic numbers of Irish citizens emigrated to the U.S., often to escape religious persecution and economic hardship. Take a fascinating multimedia look at the history and culture of the Irish of New York from their immigrant beginnings to the present day.

#### All About Kanopy

Friday, March 12 10:00 AM

Join one of our Reference Librarians to learn how to get more out of the wonderful streaming service Kanopy - free to all PJFL cardholders!

#### Art Lecture: Dutch Golden Age: Rembrandt

Monday, March 15 7:00 PM

Explore the life and work of one of the leading artists of the Dutch Golden Age of Painting, Rembrandt van Rijn, with art historian Jay Schuck. Artwork to be examined include: Rembrandt's self portraits, the Night Watch, and more.



#### All Things Bridgerton

Wednesday, March 10 7:00 PM

If you watched the Netflix inaugural season of this Regency romance, based on the books by Julia Quinn, and want to talk about it, join us for a closer look at the cinematic world of Bridgerton. Presented by the East End Libraries.

## Job Search Strategies

Tuesday, March 16

2:00 PM

In this workshop, A Long Island Cares Career Development Program representative will be available to discuss simple strategies to conduct an effective job search including staying organized, using your own network and resources, social media platforms and more.



## Savvy IRA Planning for Baby Boomers

Wednesday, March 17

7:00 PM

Learn important IRA rules for traditional and Roth IRAs and Roth conversions and special considerations for spousal and inherited IRAs. Learn common mistakes; strategies for smart planning, rule changes and how to coordinate your overall investment, retirement, and estate planning with Social Security retirement benefits.

## 7 Day Sugar Detox

Thursday, March 25

7:00 PM

Learn what a sugar detox entails and how it's beneficial to your health. Most people feel increased energy while losing weight and reducing sugar cravings. Attendees will be given educational content to complete a Sugar Detox on their own.

## Introduction to Microsoft Word

Mondays, March 29 & April 5

6:30 PM

Join Debbie Dittmer as she teaches you the basics of Microsoft Word in this two-part class.

## Writers' Workshop

Mondays, March 29 - April 19

7:00 PM

Whether your writing interests include memoir, poetry, fiction, or nonfiction, this 4 session workshop will help you gather, organize, and get your thoughts on either paper or screen. Facilitated by Glenn Hadzima. Assignments will be added to the Events Calendar and emailed to participants.

## Intro to Ukulele

Wednesdays, March 31 - April 21

7:00 PM

Learn the fundamentals of music through the ukulele with instructor Adam King. This 4 part live, online series will guide you from the very basics of a uke to playing a full song! Bring your own ukulele or borrow one from the Library. We have a limited number available and they are first come first serve, with your PJFL card.



## NY State Unclaimed Funds

Wednesday, April 7

12:00 PM

Staff from State Comptroller Thomas P. DiNapoli's office will be checking to see if local residents are owed some of New York's \$15 billion in unclaimed funds. Find out if you are eligible for these State funds!

## Long Island Migrant Labor Camps

Friday, April 9

7:00 PM

Presented by East End Libraries, *Long Island Migrant Labor Camps: Dust for Blood* is the riveting true account of the migrant labor camps in Suffolk County. The book's author, Mark Torres, will talk about the dark history of the camps and the heroic efforts of those who fought to improve the lives of migrant workers.



## Resume & Cover Letter Review

Tuesday, April 13

2:00 PM

A Long Island Cares Career Development Program representative will be available to assist individuals with a resume format, style and content which best reflects your strengths and talents. This program will also include cover letters techniques that emphasize your fit for the job.

## Thomas Jefferson - A Renaissance Man

Thursday, April 22

7:00 PM

Port Jefferson Village became Port Jefferson in 1836, after Thomas Jefferson, who advocated for the region. Thomas Jefferson was not only our 3rd President and author of the Declaration of Independence, but was also a founder of the University of Virginia, scientist, planter, and true renaissance man of his era. Join Mark Haslinger, former presidential historian for the "A Broader Canon" book club of The Yale Club of New York City, for this engaging presentation.

## DOPPLEHANGERS

### with the Museum of Bad Art

Thursday, April 29

3:00 PM

Join us for an examination of paintings from the MOBA Collection that, accidentally or by design, resemble famous people. The Museum Of Bad Art is a unique institution occupying a niche previously ignored in the international community of art collection, preservation and interpretation. Presented by the East End Libraries.

## Online Discussion Groups

Join New Voices, PJ Page Turners, Big Magic Group, Historical Happenings, Great Decisions and Fourth Fridays (New time: 11:30 AM)! Download copies in eBook/eAudiobook format or print copies may be requested by calling the library.

## Performances

Presented by East End Libraries.

### Common Ground

Wednesday, March 3

7:30 PM

Common Ground is Long Island's premier party rock band, playing classic hits and the "lost hits" from the 1980's MTV Generation! Common Ground is best known for their high energy live sets.

### Fiddler's Green

Sunday, March 7

2:00 PM

Enjoy the music of Fiddler's Green, as they perform traditional music of Ireland and America in an authentic acoustic style.

### Shirley Chisolm, Unbossed & Unbowed

Saturday, March 27

3:00 PM

Unbossed & Unbowed is an immersive and interactive solo show about the first African-American woman to run for the Presidency of the U.S. They called her the black Joan of Arc. She called herself Fighting Shirley as she faced off against the political machine in the name of justice. Ingrid Griffith has been in off-broadway theatrical productions in and around New York City.

### Resonating Earth

#### with Pianist Carolyn Enger

Tuesday, April 27

7:00 PM

In honor of Earth Day, Resonating Earth focuses on the ongoing climate crisis, with music ranging from Baroque to present, alongside stunning imagery of the environment by Peabody Award-winning producer Elliott Forrest (WQXR), visual artist Myles Aronowitz, and environmental activist and photographer J. Henry Fair. Listeners will be transported to a still, meditative space, inviting introspection about humanity's place on the planet and inspiring action to protect our beautiful, fragile world. *Carolyn Enger was selected by Anthony Tommasini as one of The New York Times' "Best in Classical Recordings."*



### Copperline - The James Taylor Experience

Sunday, April 11

2:00 PM

Copperline brings to the stage songs and performances from a man who is considered to be one of the most talented and well-known singer/songwriters of our time.

## DIY At Home Kits for Adults

Take one of our kits to complete at your leisure! We will have a rotating variety of kits such as candles, ornaments, mugs and more. All kits include materials and instructions.

Look for fun new Spring inspired crafts!



# Helping Hands

Our Helping Hands program for all ages is available remotely! Connect with a Social Worker one-on-one to help with any problems you may be experiencing. Helping Hands is also offering support groups, open forums and programs to help you cope during this difficult time. For more details email [helpinghands@portjefflibrary.org](mailto:helpinghands@portjefflibrary.org)

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**Mondays & Thursdays-**  
**10:00 AM-8:00 PM**  
**Tuesdays- 5:00 - 8:00 PM**  
**Wednesdays & Fridays-**  
**10:00 AM - 4:00 PM**  
**1st Saturday of the Month-**  
**10:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

## MARCH VIRTUAL ART EXHIBIT

### Visions of Scenic Long Island

Visit [portjefflibrary.org/virtualexhibit](http://portjefflibrary.org/virtualexhibit) for the month of March

This solo online exhibition features the artwork of Robert T. Bloom. This selection of works portrays scenic landscapes and seascapes across Long Island. Bloom calls his work "photographic art," a multidisciplinary process that combines photography and computer facilitated painting.

*Robert T. Bloom is a fine artist from Long Island, NY. His artwork has been exhibited across Long Island with select exhibitions at the Art League of Long Island, Adelphi University, and BACCA Performing Arts Center.*

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Visit [dol.ny.gov/online-learning-coursera](http://dol.ny.gov/online-learning-coursera)

### Job & Career Help at Your Library!

The Library offers databases including the Adult Learning Center, which helps you create a resume and have it reviewed by an expert, outside websites that may assist you on your job search, and exam books to help you prepare for your future career. Visit [portjefflibrary.org/job-career](http://portjefflibrary.org/job-career).



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 Monday - Thursday 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM  
 Friday 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
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**Sundays: 1:00 - 5:00 PM**

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**Monday, March 22 6:00 PM**  
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**Tuesday, April 6 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM**

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**Sunday, April 4 Easter Sunday**



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