



# Port Jefferson Free Library

## SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER 2023 YEOMAN NEWSLETTER

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## DISCOUNT TICKETS

### Long Island Aquarium

Library Price: \$27, \*No expiration\*

Admission includes the Aviary and Butterfly exhibit. Aquarium tickets must be purchased in person at the Adult Services Desk. Payment is due at the time of registration and we cannot hold tickets in advance of payment. You must present a current, valid Suffolk County Library Card and the limit is six tickets per adult card.



NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN

### Theatre Three Ticket Discounts

Library Price: \$30

Current Discount: The Prom

Sunday, September 24 at 3:00 PM & Thursday, October 19 at 8:00 PM

We've partnered with Theatre Three to provide Port Jeff Library cardholders unique discount ticket options for select shows. To take advantage of these discounts, you must call/email Marci Bing at Theatre Three, 631-928-9100 marci@theatrethree.com, to make arrangements AND present your Port Jefferson Free Library card at the time of pick up at the Box Office.



## HALLOWEEN COSTUME SWAP

Beginning September 21



Instead of tossing costumes bring any or all into the Children's Room for our annual Halloween Costume Swap. Beginning **Thursday, September 21**, we will be accepting clean costumes in good condition that your child no longer can use to be given to a child who can. The collected costumes will be available starting on **Saturday, October 14**, National Halloween Costume Swap Day. So you can leave a costume and/or take one in this attempt to celebrate a "Greener Halloween".

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## FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Library Trustees have announced one five-year seat on the Board is due to expire and will be filled by an election during the January 2024 Annual Meeting. Interested persons are invited to apply. Applications will be available at the Circulation Desk beginning September 15, 2023. Completed applications must include a resume, written statement of interest, and a written petition signed by 25 members of the Port Jefferson Library Association. Previous experience in libraries or library governance is helpful. More information to come in our next newsletter.

Please address all correspondence to:

Election Committee, Port Jefferson Free Library  
100 Thompson Street, Port Jefferson, NY 11777

For inquiries call Thomas Donlon, Library Director - 631-473-0022

## NEW MUSEUM PASSES!

portjefflibrary.org/museums

The Circulation Department has added 5 more museum passes! Reservations must be made online. Visit our website for details.



LT MICHAEL P. MURPHY  
NAVY SEAL MUSEUM

## DUMP THE JUNK! FALL CLEANING

Please note: This event will take place in our parking lot, which will be closed beginning at 5:00 PM on Friday, October 6.

Saturday, October 7 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Shed the Meds Collection with  
Suffolk County Sheriff's Office

Safely dispose of all unused or expired medications. Shed the Meds is for community members only. No commercial or doctor's office expired medication disposal. **Liquid medications and sharps will not be accepted.**

E-Waste Recycling with Eco-Tech Management

Data stored on all devices will be destroyed. Most electronics are accepted, such as computers, cell phones, printers, TVs, keyboards, cables, wires, circuit boards, and stereos. **We cannot accept large appliances, microwave ovens, fluorescent bulbs, and alkaline batteries.**

Paper Shredding with  
DataStruction

A shredding truck 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. Please place papers in containers you can leave behind. **Limit is two bags or boxes per vehicle.**



# TEEN CENTER



150 East Main Street • Port Jefferson, NY 11777 • (631)509-5707

**PLEASE NOTE:** Our programs are limited to current Teen (grades 6-12) Port Jefferson Cardholders only. Space in Teen Programs is very limited, therefore, *please call the Teen Center at 631-509-5707 if you need to cancel*, so that we can invite a teen from the waiting list to attend. In addition, please arrive for the programs prior to the start time. Your spot will be given to a waiting teen if you are more than 5 minutes late. **ALL Programs are one hour or less, unless otherwise stated and teens are expected to stay for the entirety.** We appreciate your cooperation.



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

## Homemade Stickers

**Friday, September 1 2:00 PM**  
Create your very own stickers to keep, decorate with, or give out to friends!

## National Cheese Pizza Day & a Movie - Guardians of the Galaxy 3 \*

**Tuesday, September 5 4:00 - 6:30 PM**  
The Guardians are back in another stellar movie filled with action and universal defying adventure with Peter, Rocket, Groot and more! Join us for some tasty pizza and this marvelous movie.



## Dungeons and Dragons \*

**Sundays, September 10 & October 22 2:00 - 3:30 PM**  
Take a journey through a side quest story that will lead to untold adventures. Need a character? Stop in before the program to talk to Khan the Librarian about building your character for our DND session.

## Music Friendship Bracelet

**Monday, September 11 6:30 PM**  
Make your very own friendship beaded bracelets based on your favorite musician or lyrics to keep or share with friends! Beaded charms and other supplies will be provided.

## National Video Game Day \*

**Tuesday, September 12 6:00 PM**  
Celebrate this national day at the Teen Center by playing the digital realm of video games with your friends and the librarians.

## Super Smash Bros. Tournament \*

**Mondays, September 18 6:00 - 7:30 PM**  
**OR October 16 6:00 - 7:30 PM**  
Can you be the best Super Smash Bros. player in the Teen Center? Prove your skills in the upcoming tournament.

## Steam Power Hour: Raft Survival

**Tuesday, September 19 6:00 - 7:30 PM**  
Join a team, sail the open sea on a simple raft you must build from the ocean up. Craft, explore islands and make waves in our Steam Gaming program, RAFT.

## FLL Robotics Tryout

**Wednesday, September 20 4:30 PM**  
Our First Lego League try-outs are here! Teens between 6th-8th are welcome to sign up and try-out for our team. If you have not been to the informational meeting, please see a librarian for details on try-outs, joining the team and participating in this year's FLL competition. **In person registration prior to Friday, September 15 is mandatory.**

## DIY Magnets

**Thursday, September 21 6:30 PM**  
Join the Teen Center to personalize your own magnet to put on your refrigerator or school locker.

## Scrabble \*

**Monday, September 25 6:30 PM**  
Compete in a Scrabble Tournament against your peers at the Teen Center! Winner's will be offered a variety of prizes, so get ready to Scrabble!

## 3-D Print and Design

**Tuesday, September 26 6:30 PM**  
Join the discussion of all things about 3D print technology and design. A designed or chosen print can be printed after the program. Prints may take 1-2 weeks.

## DIY Flower Hair Accessory

**Thursday, September 28 6:30 PM**  
Fashionable and cute, readily available to make. Come down and construct your own flower hair accessories.



## Movie Club \*

**Tuesday, October 3 4:00 PM**  
Join the Teen Center to talk about all things movies! Join our club for screenings, news, discussions, trailers, and just hanging out.

## Magic the Gathering Commander Tournament \*

**Tuesday, October 3 6:00 - 7:30 PM**  
Magic the Gathering is here! Bring a MTG deck or borrow a Teen Center made ready commander deck for some battles like no other.

## Beaded Jewelry Workshop

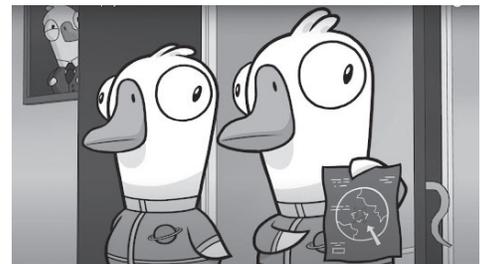
**Thursday, October 5 6:30 PM**  
Come to the Teen Center for an hour of jewelry bead making! Bracelets, necklaces, or rings can be made for yourself or for friends.

## Fortnite Tournament \*

**Monday, October 9 6:00 - 7:30 PM**  
Do you have what it takes to survive the grassy fields of fortnite battles, and place first in this tournament? Sign up and fight your way into a victory royale!

## Goose Goose Duck

**Tuesday, October 10 4:00 PM**  
A game of social deduction where you and your fellow geese must work together to complete your mission. Try out a game that is equally deadly as it is cute.



## Steam Power Hour - Left 4 Dead

**Tuesday, October 10 6:30 PM**  
Zombies have overtaken the virtual Teen Center world! Join a squad and defend against the zombie horde. A permission slip is required to participate in the program.

## Succulent Doll Heads

**Thursday, October 12 6:30 PM**  
Spook up your house with these odd planters made from doll heads.



## Spooky Origami

Friday, October 13

3:30 PM

Bring some friends and join Librarian Nicole to make some spooky origami creatures, just in time for Halloween. All supplies will be provided.

## Mario Kart Tournament \*

Tuesday, October 17

6:00 - 7:30 PM

Come play on some new maps and DLC characters updated to our collection in Mario Kart 8 Deluxe for the Nintendo Switch.

## Ultimate Cookie Challenge \*

Thursday, October 19

6:30 PM

As a team, teens will decorate sugar cookies with fondant, icing and other toppings. Winning team members will receive a certificate and a prize.

## Are You Smarter Than a Tween

Friday, October 20

3:30 PM



Prove to yourself and your peers that you have retained 5th grade knowledge and can outplay your opponents in this humorous quiz.

## Pumpkin Painting \*

Monday, October 23

4:00 PM

Join us at the teen center to paint pumpkins to decorate for this spooky October season! Small pumpkins and paint supplies will be provided.

## Steam Power Hour:

### 7 Days to Survive

Tuesday, October 24

6:00 - 7:30 PM

Survive the day and night with zombies crawling in and out of small towns and big cities. Craft, build and travel to survive those spooky seven days. A permission slip is required to participate in the program.



## Blacklight Painting

Wednesday, October 25

6:30 PM

Join us for an hour of painting in the dark. We will have black lights shining to make glowing creations of your own.



## Phasmophobia and VR

Thursday, October 26

4:00 PM

Check out this spooky game as you travel around the virtual world looking for ghosts and ghouls.

## Across the Spider-verse and Pizza \*

Saturday, October 28

1:00 - 3:30 PM

Miles Morales, Gwen Stacey and the rest of the multiverse of spider heroes are here to once again crawl through space and time to fight as heroes. Join us for this movie and some tasty pizza.

## Street Fighter 6 Tournament \*

Monday, October 30

6:30 PM

One of the ultimate fighting games has an all new game, all new characters and new maps too! Join us for the Street Fighter 6 tournament.

Follow us on  
Instagram!



@portjeffteencenter

# Teen Community Service Opportunities

All sessions earn 1 hour of community service unless otherwise indicated. In-person community service opportunities take place in the Teen Center at the scheduled time listed.

At Home Community Service: In Person Community Service:

These opportunities are available on the  
Library's Website

## Book Review

Earn community service by reviewing young adult novels, e-books or print, on your reading level. You can earn 2 hours of community service for each submitted book review! There is a limit of 2 reviews per month.

## Movie Review

Earn community service by reviewing PG or PG-13 movies from any source of film, DVD or digital streaming services. You can earn 2 hours of community service for each submitted movie review that meets the required guidelines. There is a limit of 2 reviews per month.

## Recycle Challenge

Earn community service by recycling bottles and helping keep the community clean! See online form for details.

Take-Home Community Service:  
These opportunities must be picked up in the  
Teen Center to be completed.

## Velvet Ornaments

Pick up velvet ornaments to help decorate the Teen Center. Two hours of community service will be earned per envelope completed. One envelope per month.

## Snow Globe Ornaments

Pick up snow globes to help decorate the Teen Center. Two hours of community service will be earned per envelope completed. One envelope per month.

## Bookshop Organizers

Wednesday, September 6

3:00 PM

OR Tuesday, October 24

4:00 PM

The Friends of the Library Bookshop is a volunteer organization who houses a lovely collection of gently used books that can be acquired through a small donation. Teens can receive an hour of community service by decorating and organizing bookshelves.

## Perler Bead Sorters

Saturday, September 9

11:00 AM

The Teen Center has tons of perler beads, but not enough hands to organize! Come to the library and earn an hour of community service by sorting little plastic beads for future crafts and decoration.

## Cards for Seniors

Wednesday, September 13

6:30 PM

Create wonderful cards for seniors and make extras for others in the community. You will earn one hour of community service.

## Memory Jar

Thursday, September 14

4:00 PM

Teens will create a memory jar filled with nostalgic questions for assisted living residents to reflect on. This is a wonderful way to give back as all jars will be donated. You will earn one hour of community service.



## Learn and Earn Program

Tuesday, September 19

4:00 PM

During this one-hour program you will learn about the struggles that many individuals and families face on Long Island, including trying to put food on the table and trying to keep the lights on in their homes. You will earn one hour of community service.

## Perler Bead Designers

Monday, October 9

2:00 PM

Find creative inspiration and fun with perler beads. Help the Teen Center prepare decorations by designing and making a cool perler bead craft. Teens will earn an hour of community service.



## Stuff a Bag \*

Saturday, October 21

11:00 AM

The Great Give Back is here! And to give back we're going to help the library and community by stuffing candy bags for our tiny trick or treats for Halloween! You will earn one hour of community service.



# Children's Services

\* This symbol indicates that this program may not be suitable for children with food allergies.

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

Please do not bring any snacks or drinks (for either child or adult)

### Parent/Toddler Workshop

Friday, September 1, 29,  
October 6, 13 10:00 AM – 11:15 AM  
Ages: 18 - 36 months with an adult  
Enjoy an opportunity to play with your toddler while meeting other parents and their children. **Please do not bring any snacks or drinks (for either child or adult).**

### Crazy about Crayons

Saturday, September 2 11:00 AM  
Ages: 2 - 5 years with an adult  
Join us for some stories and a craft about crayons!

### Babies Boogie

Tuesday, September 5  
Thursday, October 12 10:00 AM  
Ages: 3 - 17 months with an adult  
Shake, rattle and roll when you join Nicole Sparling for this musical program.



### Toddlers Tango

Tuesday, September 5  
Thursday, October 12 11:00 AM  
Ages: 18 months - 4 years with an adult  
Children and their parents will be wiggling and giggling with this music and creative movement program.

### School Tales

Wednesday, September 6: Alphabet 11:00 AM  
Wednesday, September 20: Colors 11:00 AM  
Wednesday, October 4: Counting 11:00 AM  
Wednesday, October 25: Shapes 11:00 AM  
Ages: 3 - 5 years with an adult  
It's time for school! Listen to some fun stories and make a craft!

### Sensory Storytime

Thursday, September 7 11:00 AM  
Ages: 18 - 36 months with an adult  
Join us for stories, songs and lots of sensory play!

### Craft Stick School Bus

Thursday, September 7 6:30 PM  
Entering Grades Pre K - 1  
School has begun and the school bus is a familiar symbol of that important day. Join us as we create a friendly school bus.

### Story Time Yoga

Friday, September 8 & October 27  
Ages: 18 months - 3 years with an adult 10:00 AM  
Ages: 2 - 5 years with an adult 11:00 AM  
Kids of all ages love bringing favorite characters to life with yoga poses. *Please bring a yoga mat or beach towel and a water bottle.*

### Starting Scissor Skills

Monday, September 11 10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM  
Ages: 2 1/2 - 5 years with an adult  
Join Miss Monica as we learn to get ready to use scissors! **Please sign up for only one session.**

### Let's Go Apple Picking!

Tuesday, September 12 11:00 AM  
Ages: 3 - 5 years with an adult  
Join us at the Library for some fun stories and a craft about apples!



### Dot Day Craft-a-bration

Thursday, September 14 10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM  
Ages: 2 - 5 years with an adult  
Join us as we celebrate Dot Day by reading Peter Reynolds' book *The Dot* and then make some great art full of dots! **Please sign up for only one session.**

### Baby Start

Friday, September 15 10:00 AM  
Tuesday, October 17 10:00 AM  
Ages: 9 - 17 months with an adult  
Come join A Time for Kids, Inc. for activities that include music, movement, fine and gross motor development and circle time!

### A Time for Kids: Magical Unicorn

Friday, September 15 11:00 AM  
Ages: 18 months - 5 years with an adult  
Come join A Time for Kids, Inc. for music, movement, fine and gross motor development activities, storytelling and a craft!

### Raccoon Tales

Saturday, September 16 11:00 AM  
Ages: 3 - 5 years with an adult  
Join us for some silly stories, sing a longs and a craft about our furry friends, Raccoons!



### Art Supply Storytime

Monday, September 18 10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM  
Ages: 2 - 5 years with an adult  
We'll share some fun stories about our favorite art supplies and then make a fun craft using them!

### Tissue Paper Fall Wreath

Tuesday, September 19 11:00 AM  
Ages: 3 - 5 years with an adult  
Ring in the new season with some fun stories and a craft celebrating Fall's arrival!



### Peaceful Tales Storytime

Thursday, September 21 10:30 AM  
Ages: 2 - 5 years with an adult  
Celebrate International Day of Peace as Miss Monica and Miss Margaret share some peaceful stories.

### PlayHooray Babies

Friday, September 22 10:00 AM  
Friday, October 20 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

Friday, September 22 11:00 AM  
Friday, October 20 11:00 AM  
Ages: 18 - 36 months with an adult  
This fun-filled music and movement program will have everyone up and moving to the beat!

### Tots Night Out

Monday, September 25 6:00 PM  
Monday, October 30 6:00 PM  
Ages: 18 months - 5 years with an adult  
Join us for an evening of family fun at the Library which will focus on group learning and skill building with our friends from A Time for Kids.

### Tiny Movers

Tuesday, September 26 10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM  
Ages: 18 months - 4 years with an adult  
Enjoy the benefits of stretching, dancing, and movement with your little one. This class will include breathing techniques and movements that can be modified for any level. **Please sign up for only one session.**

### Leaf Suncatchers

Wednesday, September 27 11:00 AM  
Ages: 3 - 5 years with an adult  
We will read some fun books about fall and then you can create your very own suncatcher.

### Tasty Tales

Thursday, September 28 : Sandwiches  
Thursday, October 19: Eat Your Veggies  
10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM  
Ages: 2 1/2 - 5 years with an adult  
Join Miss Monica as we share some tasty tales. **Please sign up for only one session each day.**



### Happy Harvest Story Craft

Saturday, September 30 11:00 AM  
Ages: 3 - 5 years with an adult  
Come welcome fall with stories and a craft!

## Block Party

Monday, October 2 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

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

Bring the whole gang down to the Library to build with various materials - Legos, Mega Bloks, Magna Tiles, and more. **Registration is not required.**

## Dance Laugh Play

Tuesday, October 3

11:00 AM

**Ages: Birth - 4 years with an adult**

You and your child will enjoy 30 minutes of can't stop, won't stop bonding and fun with Miss Lauren!



## My First Art Words: Monochromatic

Thursday, October 5

10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM

**Ages: 2 1/2 - 5 years with an adult**

Join Miss Monica as we learn some new art words! Monochromatic sounds like a big word, but it actually means just one color. We'll share some stories and then make some cool art! *Please dress for mess.*

**Please sign up for only one session.**

## Spooky Spiders & Stories

Saturday, October 7

11:00 AM

**Ages: 2 1/2 - 5 years with an adult**

We will read stories about spiders and then make a related craft. *Please dress for mess.*

## Skoblicki's Scientists: Superhero Science

Monday, October 9

10:00 AM

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

Dress as your favorite Superhero and join Miss Michelle as we discover the super powers of bats in this interactive science program. Create your own amazing bat craft to take home.



## Sensational Playtime

Wednesday, October 11 - Gross Motor Skills 2:00 PM

Wednesday, October 18 - Fine Motor Skills 2:00 PM

Wednesday, October 25 - Sensory Skills 2:00 PM

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

Sensational Playtime is a 1-hour program that focuses on developmental motor skills through play, structured movement, and interactive story time, led by two pediatric Occupational Therapists who have practiced in school settings.

## Drop In Clay Play

Monday, October 16

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Ages: 2 1/2 - 5 years with an adult**

Clay stimulates a child's curiosity, intelligence, imagination, and creativity. **Registration is not required.**

## A Time for Kids: Halloween Owl

Tuesday, October 17

11:00 AM

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

Activities include music, movement, fine and gross motor development and storytelling. There will also be a craft!

## Halloween STEAM

Wednesday, October 18

11:00 AM

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

Participate in some fun science-themed Halloween activities!



## Shake 'N Make Music

Saturday, October 21

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

10:00 AM

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

11:00 AM

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

## Yellow Time Story Craft

Monday, October 23

10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM

**Ages: 2 1/2 - 5 years with an adult**

Join us as we share *Yellow Time* by Lauren Stringer and make a glowy, golden yellow craft. **Please sign up only for one session.**



## Toddler Music

Tuesday, October 24

10:00 AM

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

Join our friends from Happy Feet for this musical program filled with sing-a-longs, instruments, props, parachute play and lots of fun!

## Musical Kids

Tuesday, October 24

11:00 AM

**Ages: 3 years and up with an adult**

Happy Feet will present kinesthetic learning through music, movement and instrument play. Join us!

## Halloween Song & Dance Party

Thursday, October 26

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

10:30 AM

Let's get ready for Halloween! We'll sing some not-so-spooky songs and move and groove to some favorite Halloween tunes.

## Spooktacular Halloween Crafts

Monday, October 30

10:00 AM OR 11:00 AM

**Ages: 2 1/2 - 5 years with an adult**

Get in the Halloween spirit and make some fun Halloween themed crafts! **Please sign up only for one session.**

## Not-So-Spooky Storytime

Tuesday, October 31

11:00 AM

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

Come celebrate Halloween with some exciting stories and a Halloween themed craft!



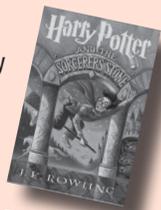
**Please note: Registration is NOT required, unless otherwise noted by**



## Family Programs

### Harry Potter is 25!

Celebrate the 25th book anniversary of *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* by watching the first three movie adaptations. Each movie is rated PG.



**Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone**

Sunday, September 10

2:00 PM

**Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets**

Sunday, September 17

2:00 PM

**Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban**

Sunday, September 24

2:00 PM

Children under 9 years old must be accompanied by an adult.

### Homeschoolers Meetup



Monday, September 18

7:00 PM

Come learn about all the resources available through the Library and socialize with other local homeschooling families in the area. Activities with Teen Volunteer Buddies for children aged 4 - 12 will be provided in the Children's Department during this program.

### Apple-rific Creations

Monday, September 25

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Celebrate fall's favorite fruit with some super fun apple crafts!

### Parenting Book Club



Thursday, September 28

7:30 PM

**For parents and caregivers**

Join us as we discuss the book *Raising Good Humans* by Hunter Clarke-Fields. This group is a perfect space to make connections. Pick up your free copy of the book in Children's. *Light refreshments will be served.*

### Sunday Crafternoon

Sunday, October 1, 8, 15, 29

2:00 - 4:00 PM

We will have a new craft ready to make each week.

### Space Drop In Crafts

Monday, October 9

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Celebrate World Space Week by making crafts.

### Pumpkin Decorating Workshop

Saturday, October 14

3:00 PM OR 3:30 PM

**Families of children 4 years and up**

Get ready for All Hallow's Eve by creating your very own mini ceramic jack o' lantern candle holder.

### Harvest Festival Drop in Crafts

Saturday, October 21

Sunday, October 22

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Make some harvest-themed crafts!



### Disability Parenting Book Club



Thursday, October 26

7:30 PM

**For parents and caregivers of a child with a disability**

If you are a parent or caregiver who just discovered that your child has a diagnosis, is atypical or if you have been in the midst of your journey, then this book club is for you. Read the book, *Not What I Expected*, by Rita Eichenstein before the program. Pick up your free copy of the book in Children's. *Light refreshments will be served.*

### Dot Marker Madness: Halloween

Saturday, October 28

12:00 - 3:00 PM

Drop in and create some Halloween-themed crafts using our favorite Dot Markers!

Please register based on the grade the child is currently attending.

# SCHOOL AGE PROGRAMS



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## Craft Stick School Bus

Thursday, September 7 6:30 PM  
Grades Pre K - 1

Join us as we create a friendly school bus that you can keep or give to your school bus driver.

## Name Mosaics

Saturday, September 9 12:00 PM  
Grades K - 2

Practice by making a name mosaic using colorful square pieces of paper.

## Candy Sushi Making\*

Monday, September 11 7:00 PM  
Grades 3 - 6

Use a variety of sweet treats to make some yummy sushi!

## Harry Potter Celebration

Tuesday, September 12 7:00 PM  
Grades 2 - 6

Join us as we celebrate *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone's* 25th book anniversary by playing games, taking quizzes, crafts and more!

## Read to a Dog

Wednesday, September 13, 27,  
October 11, 25  
5:30 - 6:30 PM  
Ages: 5 - 12 years

Chester is a Leonberger who loves to be with kids, is a great listener and helps kids acquire a love of books and reading. **Please call to register for one 10-minute session per date.**



## Chess

Wednesday, September 13, 27,  
October 11, 25 7:00 PM  
Grades 1 - 6

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.

## Graphic Novel Club

Thursday, September 14: *Parachute Kids*  
Thursday, October 12: *Serafina and the Black Cloak*  
7:00 PM  
Entering Grades 4 - 6

Do you enjoy reading graphic novels and having book discussions? Then this program is for you! Pick up your free copy of the book at the Library in the Children's Department and finish it before the day of the program.



## Better Together Book Club

Tuesday, September 19: *Manatee Summer*  
Tuesday, October 17: *The First Rule of Climate Change* 7:00 PM

Grade 4 and up with an adult

Join us for this chance to read together as a family and then join others to discuss what you've read. Find a reading buddy (parent, grandparent, best older friend) and come to the Library to pick up your own copy of the book.

Meet Art: Be Happy with Takashi Murakami  
Wednesday, September 20 7:00 PM  
Grades 3 - 6

Japanese artist Takashi Murakami is known for creating artworks full of color and fun. We will look at some of his works together and then create our very own artwork inspired by his style!

## Sand Pudding Cups\*

Thursday, September 21 6:30 PM  
Grades 3 - 5

We'll create one more summer memory by creating an edible sand pudding cup.

## Cotton Ball Autumn Tree

Saturday, September 23 12:00 PM  
Grades K - 2

Make a 3-D cotton ball autumn tree and use droppers to paint your tree with vibrant fall colors. Please dress for mess.

## Eat The Colors of The Rainbow\*

Monday, September 25 2:00 PM  
Grades 1 - 5

Please join a St. Charles Hospital's Registered Dietician for a fun and interactive presentation on building healthy eating habits, complete with some nutritious snacks.

## Paper Bag Owls

Tuesday, September 26 7:00 PM  
Grades 1 - 3

Create an owl out of a paper bag and place it somewhere that you can see it day and night! *Please dress for mess.*

## Kids Trivia: Nursery Rhymes

Monday, October 2 7:00 PM  
Grades 3 - 6

Come test your knowledge of your favorite childhood nursery rhymes!

## DIY Scratch Art

Wednesday, October 4 7:00 PM  
Grades 3 - 6

Scratch art is always a super cool craft. Join us as Miss Monica shows us how to make our own!

## Kids Kitchen: Pumpkin Pie in a Cup\*

Thursday, October 5 6:30 PM  
Grades K - 3

Kick off the Halloween season with a tasty pumpkin treat in this edition of Kids Kitchen!

## Skoblicki's Super Scientists: Superhero Science

Monday, October 9 11:00 AM  
Grades K - 5

Dress as your favorite Superhero and join Miss Michelle as we discover the super powers of bats in this interactive science program. Create your own amazing bat craft to take home.

## Pumpkin Spice Spa Night\*

Monday, October 9 6:30 PM  
Grades 4 - 6

Create some delicious smelling spa specialties, perfect for the fall season!

## Paper Plate Pumpkin Lantern

Tuesday, October 10 7:00 PM  
Grades 2 - 6

Carve a pumpkin face out of a paper plate and add some Halloween magic to it with an LED light to get you into the holiday spirit!

## Halloween Claypots

Monday, October 16 7:00 PM  
Grades 1 - 5

Create your own Halloween inspired clay pot just in time for Spooky Season!

## Meet Art: Polka Dot Pumpkins with

### Yayoi Kusama

Wednesday, October 18 7:00 PM  
Grades 3 - 6

We will be exploring the cool polka dotted pumpkins and other amazing works of art created by Japanese artist Yayoi Kusama.

## Ghost Foam

Thursday, October 19 6:30 PM  
Grades Pre K - 1

Halloween is just around the corner and to get in the mood, we will create some ghost foam using baking soda, shaving cream and vinegar.

## Let's Go LEGOs: How to Catch a Witch

Monday, October 23 7:00 PM  
Grades K - 5

Listen to the popular story *How to Catch a Witch* by Alice Walstead, then using LEGOs, follow the challenge cards to create your own witch trap!

## Haunted House Lanterns

Tuesday, October 24 7:00 PM  
Grades 3 - 6

Make a haunted house using a Mason jar! Please dress for mess.

## Halloween Terrariums

Monday, October 30 7:00 PM  
Grades 1 - 5

Come create a fun Halloween themed terrarium using 3D printed items.

# Adult Services



**Registration Information:** All fees for Adult Programs are required at the time of registration. You must have a valid Suffolk County library card to register for programs. If your plans change and you are unable to attend, please let us know as soon as possible. Registration for programs is required unless otherwise noted and is ongoing for all Adult cardholders. "Make It" programs have specific registration dates for PJFL cardholders and outside cardholders. Please see that section for details.

**\*PROGRAMS THAT INCLUDE A KIT ARE ONE REGISTRATION PER LIBRARY BARCODE.\***



## BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

No registration is required. To pick up a copy of a book, please stop by the Adult Services Desk.

### New Voices

Thursdays, September 14 & October 12

11:00 AM

September: *Mad Honey* by Jodi Picoult  
October: *Four Treasures of the Sky* by Jenny Tinghui Zhang (IN PERSON)

### Historical Happenings

Saturday, September 16

10:00 AM

Title: *Mary Coin* by Marisa Silver (IN PERSON)

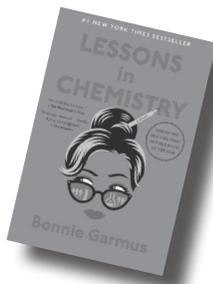
### Big Magic

Tuesdays,  
September 19 & October 24

7:00 PM

September: *Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus

October: *A Place for Us* by Fatima Mirza (IN PERSON)



### Tuesday Morning

Tuesdays, September 12 & October 10

10:00 AM

September: *The Thread Collectors* by Shaunna J. Edwards  
October: *Horse* by Geraldine Brooks (IN PERSON)

### Fourth Fridays

Fridays, September 22 & October 27

11:30 AM

September: *Home Front* by Kristin Hannah  
October: *Mexican Gothic* by Silvia Moreno-Garcia (ZOOM & IN PERSON)

### Great Decisions

Wednesdays, September 27 & October 25

7:00 PM

Check with Adult Services for topics of discussion. (IN PERSON & GOTOMEETING)



## DEFENSIVE DRIVING

DMV approved. Reduce insurance costs and receive up to a 4-point reduction for points accumulated in the past 18 months. Registration is IN PERSON ONLY; payment is REQUIRED at registration. Please register as soon as possible, as the course requires a minimum number of registrants to proceed! Note: if you are over three minutes late for the course, you will not be able to attend.

### IN PERSON COURSE

Saturday, October 14 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Fee: \$35 check or money order only, payable to "Jat Pal Inc."

### ONLINE COURSES

Tuesday, September 19 AND

Wednesday, September 20 6:00 - 9:00 PM

OR

Monday, November 13 AND

Wednesday, November 15 6:00 - 9:00 PM

Fee: \$30 check or money order only, payable to "Empire Safety Council"

Why pay for movies when you can go to the Library?! Join us in the Meeting Room on Fridays! Snacks and drinks will be provided!

## FILM MATINEES



### Box Office Features

#### Dear Zoe (98 min.)

Friday, September 8

2:00 PM

Tess is grappling with the shattering death of her younger sister. Her family grieves in their own ways while Tess seeks support from her biological father and a juvenile delinquent who lives in the neighborhood.

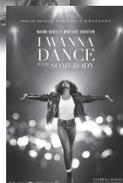


#### I Wanna Dance With Somebody (144 min.)

Friday, October 13

2:00 PM

A joyous, emotional, heartbreaking celebration of the life and music of Whitney Houston.



### Foreign Film Festival

#### Children of the Mist (Vietnamese) (92 min.)

Friday, September 29

2:00 PM

Di lives in a hidden mist-shrouded Vietnamese village and is part of the first generation of her people with access to formal education. In Di's traditional culture, girls marry as early as 14. Once at school, she learns there are alternatives to this life.

#### Leonor Will Never Die (Filipino) (101 min.)

Friday, October 27

2:00 PM

Fiction and reality blur when Leonor, a retired filmmaker, falls into a coma after a television lands on her head, compelling her to become the action hero of her unfinished screenplay.

Registration is required  
unless otherwise noted.

# HEALTH AND FITNESS



*\*In an effort to offer a wide variety of programs, IN PERSON fitness classes will require a small fee. Payment must be made by check ONLY at the time of registration & written out directly to the instructor.*

## Blood Pressure Screening

**Fridays, September 8 & October 13** 3:30 PM  
A clinician from St. Charles Hospital will be here to check your blood pressure and discuss prevention. No registration; walk-in basis. (IN PERSON)

## Tai Chi Workshop\*

**Thursdays, September 14, 21, 28, & October 5** 10:00 AM  
Learn the basic exercises of this ancient Chinese system of health which reverses the symptoms of aging, eliminates aches and pains, strengthens the immune system, develops balance and coordination, improves breathing capacity. \$20 fee payable by Check Only to be written out to Bob Klein is due upon registration. (IN PERSON)

## Crystal Bowls Meditation

**Mondays, September 18 & October 2** 10:00 AM  
Experience the vibrational sound of healing quartz crystal singing bowls and meditation, as they heal on a physical, mental, and emotional level. Presented by Glowing Energy Within. (IN PERSON)

## Aches and Pains of Arthritis

**Tuesday, September 19** 3:00 PM  
Dealing with painful joints? Learn about the causes and symptoms of arthritis and the available treatments. Presented by Mather Hospital rheumatologist Aitezaz Ahmed, MD. (ZOOM)

## The Healing Power of Meditation

**Tuesday, September 19** 7:00 PM  
Dr. Raider presents the latest clinical research on how meditation can improve our physical, mental and spiritual health. Learn this simple technique that can reduce stress, enhance relaxation and promote inner growth. (ZOOM)

## Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

**Thursday, September 21** 12:00 PM  
Dr. Kashif Hussain of Stony Brook Southampton Hospital will discuss the causes, risk factors and more of this debilitating disease. An East End Libraries event. (ZOOM)

## Narcan Training

**Hosted by Assemblyman Ed Flood**  
**Thursday, September 21** 7:00 PM  
This training takes approximately 2 hours and is presented by a Suffolk County Sheriff Department training specialist. Topics include the signs of an opiate overdose, how to reverse an opiate overdose, administration of Naloxone (Narcan), and new treatment. (IN PERSON)

## Mindfulness Meditation

**Mondays, September 25 & October 23** 7:00 PM  
This meditation focuses on being in the present moment which helps us cope with stress and anxiety, while interrupting negative thinking. Instructor is Certified Holistic Practitioner Valerie Tuttle. (ZOOM)

## Stretch Fusion with Fitness Figures

**Wednesdays, September 27, October 4, 11, 18 & 25** 10:00 AM  
Improve your balance, flexibility, and range of motion while releasing tension and gaining an increased feeling of relaxation and well-being. Suggested exercise props are a chair, a rope or belt, and an exercise mat or towel. (ZOOM)

## Sugar Addiction

**Thursday, September 28** 7:00 PM  
From cupcakes to pies to iced coffee drinks, sugar is found in many foods and is almost impossible to avoid. Learn strategies to deal with this very common issue. Presented by Lisa Zimmerman MBA, CHC, CPT. (IN PERSON)

## Reiki Circle

**Thursdays, September 28 & October 19** 7:00 PM  
Join Reiki Master & Yoga Teacher Annalee Jackofsky for a night of energy healing. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a yoga mat or towel and a blanket. (IN PERSON)



## Chair Yoga Workshop\*

**Mondays, October 16, 23, 30 & November 6** 10:00 AM  
Join Kripali yoga instructor, Jill Brown, for this adapted yoga practice that allows you to stay seated while practicing yoga. There may be some standing and floor movements included. Please bring a yoga mat, a pillow and a strap. There is a fee of \$20 payable by Check Only to be written out to Jill Brown is due upon registration. (IN PERSON)

## Breast Cancer Awareness Month

**Thursday, October 19** 12:00 PM  
October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month! Dr. Edna Kapenhas will speak about the risk factors, warning signs, and treatment options that are available to patients. An East End Libraries event. (ZOOM)

## How Improving Sleep Can Improve Dementia Symptoms

**Thursday, October 26** 6:00 PM  
Join a representative from Willing Hearts, Helpful Hands through the Parker Jewish Institute to learn how a good night's sleep can have a profound impact on our health and well-being. An East End Libraries event. (ZOOM)

# LANGUAGE & Literacy

## NEW CLASS! English for Beginners

**Wednesday, September 27, October 4, 11, 18, 25 & November 1** 6:00 PM  
Would you like to learn English? Come to this free class! Instructor Stephanie Gebert is an Accent Modification Coach and will help you to pronounce the sounds of English as you learn common vocabulary, grammar & more! All are welcome! Registration is required. (IN PERSON)

## English Conversation Group

**Grupo de conversación en inglés**  
**Saturdays** 11:00 AM  
Come and practice spoken English in a relaxed atmosphere. Free, no registration required. Open to all adults, 18 and older. Group is led by Certified ESOL Instructor Mary Leming. No se requiere registrarse. ¡Todos están bienvenidos! (IN PERSON & GOTOMEETING)

## English/Citizenship Help by Appointment

**Ayuda con inglés y ciudadanía con cita**  
Do you need help with learning English but can't make it to class? Are you studying for the Naturalization Exam? Call 631-473-0022 today to make a personalized appointment for help with Certified ESOL Instructor Mary Leming who can answer all of your questions! (GOTOMEETING)



# LECTURES, TECHNOLOGY, AND EDUCATION



Registration is required.

## Do I Have a Pilgrim Ancestor?

**Wednesday, September 13 7:00 PM**  
Can your family lineage be traced all the way back to the Pilgrims? Discover what steps to take to find out if you are one of the 35 million living Mayflower descendants. This program will explore helpful record collections on American Ancestors (The New England Historical Genealogy Society), Family Search, Ancestry, and take a look at the membership requirements of the Mayflower Society. **(ZOOM)**

## Computer Basics

**Thursday, September 21 11:00 AM**  
This hands-on class will cover the desktop, using the mouse, opening programs, saving a file, copy and paste and more. Presented by technology expert Eric Coverdale. **(IN PERSON)**



## Medicare Explained

**Tuesday, September 26 7:00 PM**  
**Friday, October 13 10:00 AM**  
Join Grace Horan-Luce of Senior Health Plan Specialists as she goes over the basics of Medicare, Parts A, B, C, D, IRMAA (Income related adjustment amount), the Enrollment Periods, & Late Enrollment Penalties. **(IN PERSON)**

## Thomas Edison

**Tuesday, September 26 7:00 PM**  
Join Edward Sierra for an engaging and informative presentation on the life and work of Thomas A. Edison. Born in 1847 in Ohio, Edison was a husband, a father, and arguably the most prolific inventor in American history. He held 1,093 U.S. patents, including for the light bulb, the phonograph, the motion picture camera, and a battery for an electric car. An East End Libraries event. **(ZOOM)**

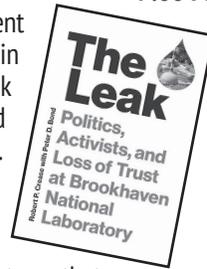
## Women in Art- Georgia O'Keeffe

**Tuesday, October 3 7:00 PM**  
An important player in the development of Modern Art in the United States, O'Keeffe is known for her skyscrapers, flowers, and skulls. Through her exquisite use of color, lines, and composition, she created artworks based on her personal style and interpretation of subjects, rather than trying to copy them. Join Artist and professor Chris Vivas as we explore her life and work. **(ZOOM)**



## The Leak

**Tuesday, October 3 7:00 PM**  
Peter Bond will present the riveting story told in his co-authored book *The Leak* that captured headlines 25 years ago. The discovery of a leak at Brookhaven National Laboratory ignited a political and media firestorm that resulted in the firing of the lab's contractor, the termination of scientific instruments, and threats to close the lab itself. Peter Bond is a retired physicist who worked at Brookhaven National Laboratory for 43 years. An East End Libraries event. **(ZOOM)**



## Smartphone Photography 101

**Wednesday, October 4 6:30 PM**  
In this hands-on course, learn all about photography composition, lighting, and technicality. Learn all the basic settings on the smartphone camera and how to utilize these settings so you can capture incredible photographs. From the best time of day to photograph to how to work with light and reflections, you will walk away with extensive knowledge on your smartphone camera. Be sure to sign up for Smartphone Photography 102! **(IN PERSON)**

## DNA Testing Pros and Cons

**Thursday, October 5 6:00 PM**  
Eric Migdal of It's All Relative Genealogy, will look at 4 of the largest DNA testing companies. He will cover Y-DNA testing and mitochondrial DNA testing as well as autosomal testing, and review the differences, pros, and cons of each, including analysis of data, pricing, and subscription costs. Find out more about what your DNA can reveal! An East End Libraries event. **(ZOOM)**

## Smartphone Photography 102

**Wednesday, October 18 6:30 PM**  
Join us for part two of this class and learn more advanced techniques for your smartphone photography. You will learn all about the editing tools that are included in the smartphone camera. Learn the best editing methods using the most popular photography editing apps. **(IN PERSON)**

## Paranormal Long Island

**Tuesday, October 24 7:00 PM**  
Ghosts, poltergeists, secret government experiments, UFO crashes...Long Island certainly has an abundance of paranormal activity! Eco-Photo Explorers will be your "Ghost

Hosts" as they journey into the world of the unknown, and unexplained, by examining some of Long Island's most mysterious history. Join us for this program just in time for Halloween! **(ZOOM)**

## Gmail 101

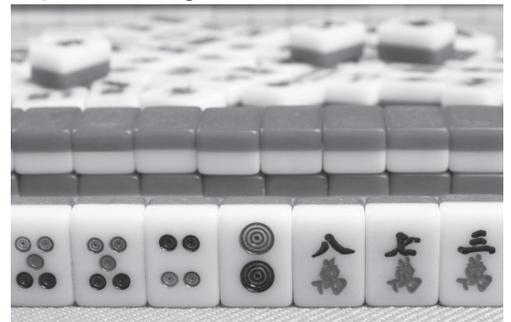
**Thursday, October 26 11:00 AM**  
In this user-friendly class for beginners, you will learn how to use gmail and some of the other apps in the suite. Presented by technology expert Eric Coverdale. **(IN PERSON)**

## All About Reverse Mortgages

**Thursday, November 2 11:00 AM**  
Join Jonathan Gordon, a Housing Program Coordinator for the Community Development Corporation of Long Island (CDCLI), as he gives a presentation on the pros and cons to reverse mortgages and how it may be beneficial to you. The Community Development Corporation of Long Island (CDCLI), is a regional non-profit organization that was founded in 1969 to address the growing demand for affordable housing. **(IN PERSON)**

## Learn to Play Mah Jongg

**Fridays, November 3, 10 & 17 10:00 AM**  
Join instructor Jaqqui Palatnik for this three session workshop. Learn all about the game that has fascinated people for so many years with its sequences, strategies, and combinations. This



class will introduce you to the tiles, and basic moves of this ancient game. **(IN PERSON)**

## The Russian Revolution

**Monday, November 6 7:00 PM**  
This year marks the 100th anniversary of the end of the Russian Revolution and the birth of the USSR. Join Historian Martin H. Levinson in discussing this momentous event and the impact it has had on global affairs in the 21st century. An East End Libraries event. **(ZOOM)**



# MAKE IT! ARTS, CRAFTS, AND COOKING

Registration is **required** unless otherwise noted. PJFL cardholders may register for ALL "Make It" programs beginning **August 22** Outside library cardholders may register beginning **August 29**.

**\* Please note that this program includes a pick-up kit and ONLY ONE KIT PER LIBRARY BARCODE.**



## Long Island Quilters

**Mondays 1:00PM**  
Experienced and new quilters are welcome to join us just bring your sewing machine and a project. Please check with the library weekly to ensure the group is meeting. **No registration is required. (IN PERSON)**

## Granny Smith Apple Fritter Bread Kit\*

**Friday, September 8 7:00 PM**  
Don't miss out on apple season by making this delicious treat! **(FACEBOOK)**

## Upcycled Jewelry Workshop

**Saturday, September 9 2:00 PM**  
Bring in your old broken costume jewelry pieces which we will disassemble and create a new jewelry piece! All tools, clasps, wires, chords and what you need to make your new piece will be provided. Please bring at least a few items of old or broken costume jewelry to the session. **(IN PERSON)**

## Charcoal Drawing Basics\*

**Monday, September 18 7:00 PM**  
Join Librarian Annie to learn the basics of drawing black and white portraits with charcoal pencils. *One kit per library barcode.* **(FACEBOOK)**



## Fall Wind Chime

**Wednesday, September 20 6:30 PM**  
Join us and make a beautiful fall themed wind chime perfect to decorate your house for the season. All materials will be provided. **Material fee**

for this workshop is \$5 in check **ONLY** written out to the instructor. **(IN PERSON)**

## Simply Creative Cooking with Chef Rob

**Friday, September 22 2:00 PM**  
Enjoy a taste of Italy, just in time for the San Gennaro Feast. Chef Rob will be cooking up Grilled Sweet Sausage with a Caprese Relish over Ciabatta Bread Crostini with Grilled Scallions, Plum Tomatoes and Mascarpone and a Balsamic Drizzle. **(IN PERSON)**

## Knitting Workshop

**Saturdays, September 23, 30, October 7, 14 2:00 PM**  
Join Sharon Barnes and learn the basics of knitting, purl stitches, basic knit, finishing tips, and much more. **(IN PERSON)**



## Halloween Wreath

**Monday, October 9 6:30 PM**  
Join us and make a beautiful gothic grapevine wreath with roses and skeletons perfect for Halloween! **Material fee for this workshop is \$5 in cash, credit card or check and is due upon registration in person only. (IN PERSON)**

## Bakery Style Pumpkin Whoopie Pies\*

**Friday, October 6 7:00 PM**  
Fall can officially start with this pumpkin recipe! Register for your kit and bake along with Chef Rob online! *One kit per library barcode.* **(FACEBOOK)**

## Handmade Necklace Workshop

**Wednesday, October 11 6:30 PM**  
Join the excitement of learning how to design and create your own fashionable necklace. Material fee includes everything you need to create this beautiful necklace. **Material fee for this workshop is \$5 in check ONLY written out to the instructor. (IN PERSON)**

## Explore the Art of Pizza

**Saturday, October 21 2:00 PM**  
Learn about the history of this worldwide favorite, the art of making the perfect dough and how to create your very own pizza at home. Class will include a demonstration and tasting. **(IN PERSON)**



## Painted Pumpkins

**Tuesday, October 24 11:00 AM**  
Join us online and follow along as we paint beautiful pumpkins just in time for Halloween! *One kit per library barcode.* **(FACEBOOK)**

## Simply Creative Cooking with Chef Rob

**Wednesday, November 1 12:00 PM**  
Join us to see what Chef Rob is cooking up this holiday season! On the menu is Turkey with a Cranberry Hoison Sauce over Scallion Pancakes and Cranberry Cinnamon Apple Cheese Ball with Sweet Crackers. **(IN PERSON)**

## TRAVEL/PERFORMANCES

### Long Island Rail Road Tickets

**Saturday, November 4** Departs: 8:23 AM  
**Fee: \$10 non-refundable, non-transferrable roundtrip ticket (cash, check, or charge)**  
Registration with payment is **REQUIRED IN PERSON**.

#### NOTE: This trip departs from Ronkonkoma!

Depart from the **Ronkonkoma** station and spend a day in the "Big Apple!" Group must travel into NYC together but with your ticket you can **RETURN HOME ANYTIME THAT DAY.** Tickets are for **INDIVIDUAL RETURN ONLY.** Limit 6 tickets per family. Schedules are subject to change. For current schedules, please contact the Long Island Rail Road via the website: [new.mta.info](http://new.mta.info) or call 718-217-5477.

### Discount Tickets: Kimberly Akimbo

**Saturday, October 28 2:00 PM**  
**Show Price: \$100 per Prime Orchestra Ticket**  
**Registration begins August 22**

The most tony award-winning show of the season including Best Musical! Kimberly is about to turn 16 and is forced to navigate family dysfunction, a rare genetic condition, her first crush...and possible felony charges. Ever the optimist, she is determined to find happiness against all odds and embark on a great adventure. Tickets regularly cost \$182. **NO REFUNDS.** Transportation is on your own. **Payment is required at registration.**



### Do As You Please Bus Trip

**Wednesday, December 6 • Departs: 9:00 AM from Village Hall • Fee: \$20 per Person**  
Join us as we all ride in together on a Hampton Jitney coach bus into NYC. See the holiday sights, eat delicious food, shop 'till you drop...it's all up to you! Dropoff is around 10:30 AM at Bryant Park and pick up will be at 5 PM at Rockefeller Center. Estimated time home is around 7 PM. **Should the trip be canceled due to unforeseen circumstances, the library is not responsible for patron purchase of outside event tickets.**

# The Friends of the Port Jefferson Free Library

Enhancing the Library Community with Dedication & Donations

## Book Shop Hours

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

Friday & Saturday:  
10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Sunday: 1:00 - 5:00 PM



## Donation Guidelines

If you would not give the book to your friend, please do not donate it to the Friends. Any books that have spots of mold or a mildew smell will be discarded. Donations are limited to one box at a time.

- I am a new member
- I am renewing my membership
- I am interested in volunteering at the bookshop
- I am interested in volunteering for special events
- Individual (\$5)
- Family (\$10)
- Very good Friend (\$25)
- Lifetime Member (\$500)



## FRIENDS MEMBERSHIP FORM



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

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## SERVICES

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

### ASSISTIVE

[portjefflibrary.org/accessibility](http://portjefflibrary.org/accessibility)

#### American Sign Language (ASL)

**Interpreters:** An ASL Interpreter may be requested for any program.

**Braille Format:** The Library is able to transcribe any library produced print material into braille.

If you are interested in either of the above services, contact Adult Services at least two weeks in advance.

#### Andrew Heiskell Braille & Talking Books

#### ReachDeck Toolbar

#### Digital Magnifier

#### Home Outreach Service

Ask about having materials delivered to your home.

#### Music & Memory:

A personalized music therapy program for those living with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.



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### ONGOING

#### Check-Out Discounts

[portjefflibrary.org/discounts](http://portjefflibrary.org/discounts)

Discounts with your PJFL card! New businesses continually added so check back often.

#### Museum Passes

[portjefflibrary.org/museums](http://portjefflibrary.org/museums)

We have a selection of museum passes available for adult PJFL cardholders to reserve online.



#### Helping Hands- Social Workers

[portjefflibrary.org/helpinghands](http://portjefflibrary.org/helpinghands)

#### Passport Acceptance Facility

[portjefflibrary.org/passport](http://portjefflibrary.org/passport)

#### Recycle:

Batteries, Cell Phones, Eyeglasses, and Markers

### TECHNOLOGY

#### Charging Station

#### One-on-One Ebook Assistance

#### Fax Service

\$1.25 US | \$3 Mexico & Canada per transmission. We do NOT receive faxes.

#### Tech to Take Home

#### Chromebook Laptops Games & Gadgets

[portjefflibrary.org/gamesandgadgets](http://portjefflibrary.org/gamesandgadgets)

#### Kindle Paperwhites:

Pre-loaded with popular titles

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[portjefflibrary.org/3dprinter](http://portjefflibrary.org/3dprinter) - \$1 per hour

#### Featured Database

#### Scholastic Teachables

[portjefflibrary.org/homework](http://portjefflibrary.org/homework)

Download printable lesson plans, reading passages, games and puzzles, clip art, bulletin board ideas, and skills sheets for kids in any grade.



## EXHIBITIONS & DISPLAYS

If you would like to display your work, please visit [portjefflibrary.org/display](http://portjefflibrary.org/display) or contact Adult Services at 631-473-0022.

### September In-Person Exhibition

#### & Tall Case Display:

"Memories" by Gay Gatta

### October Tall Case Display:

Drawings by Cass H. Tenenbaum

### October In-Person Exhibition:

Atmospheric Watercolors by Sally Anne Keller



# Paint Port Pink!

The library will be pink for the month of October for the breast cancer awareness initiative Paint Port Pink. Stop by for some pink themed activities throughout the month!



## September is... Library Card Sign-Up Month!

All new Port Jefferson Free Library cardholders will be able to pick something from our library swag bag. For all Port Jefferson Free Library cardholders (aged 18 and over), we will be raffling off a gift certificate to dinner and a show! One raffle per library card. Please stop at the Adult Services Desk to receive your raffle ticket.

*In honor of The Great Give Back, PJFL will join libraries all over New York State to give back to the community. See what we are doing during the month of October!*



### Adult Services Department:

Food and Toiletries Drive to support local non-profits

### Children's Department:

Costume Swap month of October

### Teen Center:

See the community service opportunity section for all the ways you can give back to your community throughout the month.



## Port Jefferson Dragon Boat Race Festival

**Saturday, September 16**

Come visit the Library at the 9th Annual Port Jefferson Dragon Boat Race Festival! Visit us from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM for some giveaways and take home crafts!



### LIBRARY HOURS

<b>Main Library</b>	<b>631-473-0022</b>
Monday - Thursday	9:30 AM - 9:00 PM
Friday - Saturday	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
<b>Teen Center</b>	<b>631-509-5707</b>
Monday - Thursday	10:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Friday	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday	9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

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

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### BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETINGS

<b>Monday, September 18</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Monday, October 23</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>

**LIBRARY CLOSED**

<b>Sunday, September 3</b>	<b>Labor Day</b>
<b>Monday, September 4</b>	<b>Labor Day</b>



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