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## PUBLIC LIBRARY

Summer 2020 Newsletter



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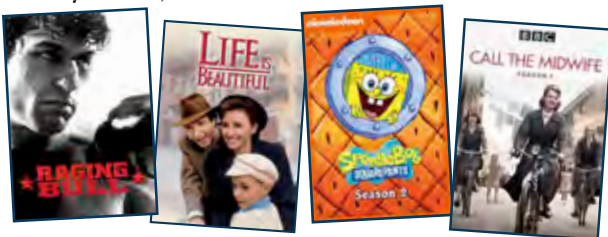
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## WATCH - MOVIES, TV SHOWS & DOCUMENTARIES



Hoopla features movies in a wide variety of categories for adults and children. These films include box-office hits, documentaries, and foreign films, as well as educational and entertaining movies for children. Hoopla also offers television shows from popular networks including Acorn TV, BBC, TNT, TBS, Nickelodeon, Comedy Central, TV Land and more.



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Learn over 80 new languages through Pronunciator's combination of structured and customizable courses, live teacher-led conversation groups, movies, and music. Pronunciator even offers a unique feature that allows any language to be learned in any other language. ESL instruction is also available in 55 non-English languages. Pronunciator is kid-friendly, too.



BrainFuse provides free online and on-demand help for all learners. Live tutors are available to assist students in kindergarten through college with questions in math, science, reading/writing, social studies, PSAT/SAT, ACT, and state standardized tests. Skill building exercises, practice tests, a 24-hour Writing Lab and Homework Question Center are also offered. Adult learners can further their academic and career goals with professional resume writing help and TASC test preparation.



## LISTEN TO MUSIC



Freegal Music provides access to over 15 million songs and over 40,000 music videos. Stream three hours of music daily and download 5 songs per week. With no digital rights management restrictions, these songs are yours to keep! You can also curate playlists of your favorite music for any event or occasion.



Hoopla features complete music albums to stream on your computer, tablet, or phone. Music can also be downloaded to your mobile device for offline use. You'll find the hottest music from current artists as well as soundtracks and children's music.




Trace your family history with the resources available through Ancestry. Both beginner and experienced genealogists can search more than 7,000 databases for information found in federal census data, vital records, military records, immigration records, directories, maps, and photos. Useful Learning Center tools, charts, and forms are included to guide your research.

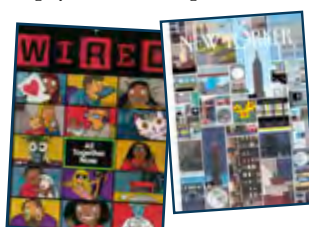
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Or call the library to schedule an appointment. An instruction & research specialist will be happy to assist you.




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# CLASSES & EVENTS

The library will continue to bring you educational, entertaining, and informational events throughout the summer with your health and safety in mind. Virtual storytimes, exercise classes, crafts, community chats, volunteer opportunities, and many other activities are planned.



Visit the event calendar on our website at [hauppaugelibrary.org/events](http://hauppaugelibrary.org/events) to view and register for classes and events. The calendar will be updated weekly.

## STRUMMIN' AND DRUMMIN' CONCERT

Friday, August 28, 7:00pm



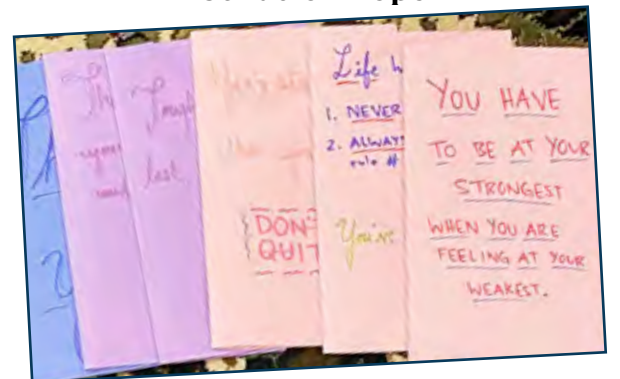
A one-of-a-kind music show. Catchy songs, hands-on drumming, puppets, and loads of fun and silliness!

## VIRTUAL COMMUNITY SERVICE FOR TEENS



We have some creative ways teens in our community can help out! Follow the instructions listed on each flyer on our website to earn community service from home. More opportunities will be added!

### Cards of Hope



### Kindness Rocks



### Book Recommendations



### Rainbow Connection



Please reach out to us if you need verification of hours already completed this year. We can be reached at (631) 979-1600 or [help@hauppaugelibrary.org](mailto:help@hauppaugelibrary.org).

## Event Highlights

### EDGE OF YOUR SEAT FUN FOR ALL AGES:

#### LIVE MAGIC SHOW

Friday, June 5, 7:00pm



We're kicking off the Summer Reading Club with some magic. Using his professional magic and mind-reading skills, Amore will present a memorable and fun show. Viewers at home can either sit and watch or interact with Amore. Be prepared to laugh and be astounded! From the moment the show begins until the grand finale, children and adults will be mesmerized and mystified. The show will be presented on Zoom. Advance registration required.

### JESTER JIM'S VIRTUAL FAMILY SHOW

Sunday, June 20, 1:00pm



Celebrate World Juggling Day by watching Jester Jim perform his high energy comedy and juggling show live on the library's Facebook page.

### GET CREATIVE WITH VIRTUAL ART CLASSES

Join artist Lauren Zinger on Zoom for one or more of these art classes using materials you have at home. You may opt to exhibit your work in the library building when it reopens. We look forward to seeing the artistic talents of the Hauppauge community.

#### CREATE A PERSONAL MANDALA

Monday, June 8, 7:00pm



In this no rules workshop, you create your own expressive mandala, also known as the circle of life. Meditative music and images of Tibetan sand mandalas inspire, while you explore symbolic imagery and add personal meaning to your work. Use design tools, markers, and watercolors, and a touch of bling. Advance registration required.

#### COVID-ART: VIEW FROM YOUR WINDOW

Wednesday, June 24, 7:00pm



During this period of social distancing and quarantines, looking out one's window has become a national pastime and connection to the outside world. Each person's view is unique--whether grand or humble, rural, suburban or urban--and holds meaning for the viewer. In this class, you will learn how to capture the essence of your view through drawing. Principles of composition, perspective and drawing technique will guide you and examples by Master Artists will inspire. Advance registration required.

#### SURREAL COVID-19 COLLAGE/DRAWING

Tuesday, July 7, 7:00pm

Create a timely keepsake collage or drawing from everyday materials relating to the COVID-19 pandemic. Learn how to give your work a surrealist perspective by looking at works by Magritte and Dali. Advance registration required.

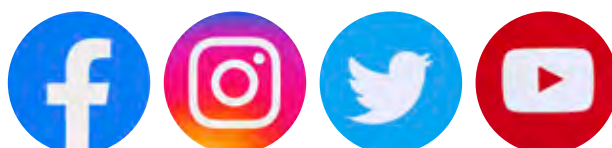
## STAY CONNECTED

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Read our email newsletter. If you have an email address on your library account, you are already subscribed. Contact us with your email address if you'd like to be added to the list.

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# IMAGINE YOUR STORY: SUMMER READING CLUB



Join our Summer Reading Club! We're starting earlier and ending later to give you more summer reading fun! Registration and logging of books begins on Monday, June 1, and is ongoing so you can join at any time. The club runs through Friday, August 28.



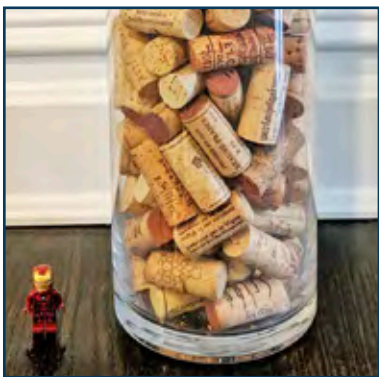
It's easy and fun!  
• Sign up for a free account on our website at [hauppaugelibrary.org/summerreading](http://hauppaugelibrary.org/summerreading).

- Enter the book titles that you've read in order to record your progress and earn your weekly virtual raffle ticket. After logging your first book title, you will earn a coupon for a free slice of pizza from Mama Sbarro's!
- In addition, each week of the Summer Reading Club there will be a random drawing for an electronic gift card to a local busi-



ness. Make sure to keep logging in your books all summer long to be eligible for the weekly drawings.

For those of you who prefer not to record your reading online, please call us at 631-979-1600 or email us at [help@hauppaugelibrary.org](mailto:help@hauppaugelibrary.org) with your name, phone number, email address, book titles and which club you are participating in. We will enter the info for you so you can be entered into the weekly raffle drawings!



## GUESSING JAR

All summer, we will have weekly virtual guessing jars posted on the library's Facebook and Instagram pages. A winner will be selected weekly to receive a Barnes & Noble electronic gift card. You must have a valid email address to participate.

## GET A LIBRARY CARD



Do you need a library card? You can quickly obtain a temporary library card to gain access to the library's electronic resources by completing an online form. Go to [www.search.livebrary.com/selfreg](http://www.search.livebrary.com/selfreg) to request a card. If you need a permanent library card, and live in the Islip portion of Hauppauge, please contact the library by phone at 631-979-1600 or email at [help@hauppaugelibrary.org](mailto:help@hauppaugelibrary.org) to request one.

# LIBRARY ELECTION, JUNE 9

The Hauppauge Public Library will be having an election for two trustee positions on June 9 via absentee ballot that the Hauppauge Union Free School District is running. Governor Cuomo via Executive Order allowed the Library to request our vote be held along with the School District who graciously agreed. The Library thanks the Board of Education, Superintendent Dennis O'Hara, and Jacqueline I. Pirro, Assistant Superintendent for Business & Operations and their staff for helping us through this.

The Library Board of Trustees have frozen the tax appropriation request to the amount requested last year. Therefore, no vote is needed on the budget for 2020. The Board of Trustees have also instituted a hiring freeze until December 31, 2020.

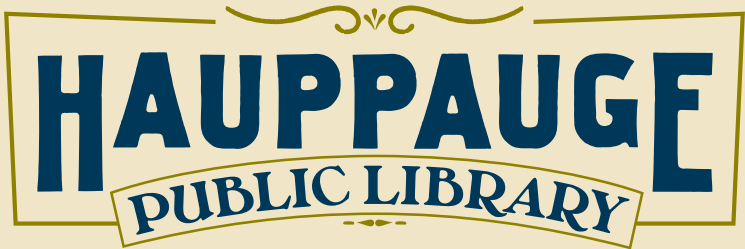
Expect to receive a mailing from the school district that will have our two trustee positions up for vote, along with the school budget and Board of Education races. All questions about the vote should be directed to Lori DeGeorge, District Clerk.

## HELPING CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE CORPS



In mid-April the Central Islip-Hauppauge Volunteer Ambulance Corps received 25 face shield kits manufactured with help from the Hauppauge Public Library. The Library, along with many public libraries in Suffolk, participated in a project coordinated by the Suffolk Cooperative Library System in the printing of face shields. The Library lent its MakerBot 3D printer to the Suffolk Cooperative Library System's "printer farm." The farm had 109 printers going to manufacture face shields for Stony Brook Hospital and many healthcare organizations around the County.

"When these supplies were nearly impossible to source," Matthew Bollerman, Chief Executive Officer of the Hauppauge Public Library stated, "the Library joined forces with others in Suffolk to make needed PPE." The project has halted as needed supplies have become easier to source. In total, over 5,000 face shields were manufactured and distributed.



Board meetings are normally held on the third Thursday of each month at 7:30pm. Upcoming Board meetings are scheduled for: June 18, July 16, and August 20

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**Library Closed: July 4 and September 7**