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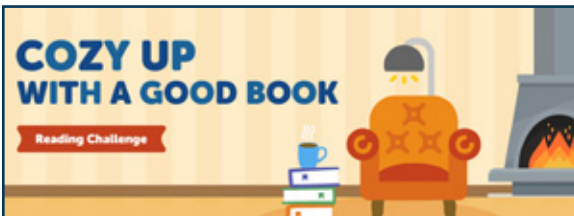
WINTER 2022-2023 NEWSLETTER

WINTER READING CLUB

COZY UP WITH A GOOD BOOK

All ages

Monday, January 2-Sunday, February 26



'Tis the season for coziness. Grab a blanket, your fluffy socks, and your favorite warm drink or snack! Log your daily reading using the Beanstack app to earn virtual raffle tickets. The more you read, the greater your chances of winning one of our prizes! (Raffle prizes are for HPL cardholders.) Keep reading to unlock special incentives throughout the winter. (Incentives are for everyone.) Please see our website or a staff member for complete details.

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS: WAYS TO GIVE

GIVING TREE

Now through Saturday, December 31



Once again, we are accepting donations of new (or handmade) mittens, gloves, hats and scarves to be hung on our "Giving Tree." These donations will be given to Long Island families in need this winter. Thank you in advance for your continued generosity!

COAT DRIVE

Now through Tuesday, January 31



The library will also be collecting gently used or new coats. Donated coats will be distributed to people in need.

TOYS FOR TOTS

Now through Monday, December 12



The library will be a collection site for Toys for Tots. Donations of new, unwrapped toys can be dropped off inside the library.

HOLIDAY GIFT WRAPPING STATION

December 10-24, all day



Visit the library to creatively wrap your holiday gifts. Choose your wrapping paper, ribbons, and tags. All materials will be provided free of charge.

HELP FIX STUFF



Are you an experienced or aspiring repairer? Would you like to help your neighbors fix stuff? Let us know! Call us or complete this form on our website: <https://hauppaulibrary.org/repair-cafe-coach-registration-form/> and we will be in touch.

The library is planning to host its first Repair Café this spring. Repair Cafés are an all-ages, do-it-together activity where people bring their broken household items and learn how to assess, disassemble, and repair them instead of sending them to the landfill.

The types of items repaired at Repair Cafés include: bikes, clothing, computers and mobile devices, small appliances and electronics, jewelry, and wooden items.

AUDIO TECHNICIAN NEEDED



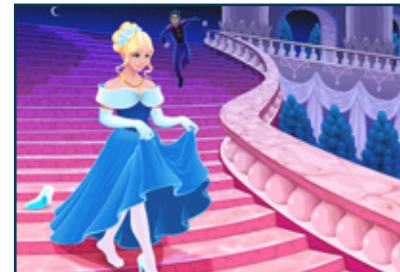
us at info@hauppaulibrary.org.

The library is seeking the help of an audio technician for a special project. If you or someone you know are interested, please give us a call or email

WINTER FESTIVAL AND LIVE-ACTION PLAY: CINDERELLA

All Ages

Sunday, February 19,
1:00-4:00pm



Do not miss our Winter Festival, full of games, kid's crafts, and winter photo ops. The highlight of the festival is a live-action play of Cinderella starting at 2pm.

Refreshments and a hot chocolate bar will follow the play. ***Registration is currently underway.**

FREE INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE: AARP TAX-AIDE



The AARP Foundation plans to offer its free income tax assistance service at Hauppauge Public Library this season. The schedule will be announced on our website as soon as it is available.



Hauppauge Public Library is saddened by the passing of our staff member, Joan Neary. Joan worked at the library for 16 years and was a friend to staff and the community. We will miss her dedication, kind nature, and light-hearted spirit.

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Saturday 9am to 5pm

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GROW WITH US



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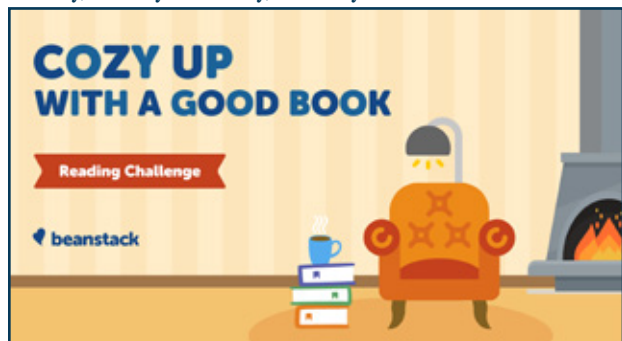


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WINTER READING CLUB: COZY UP WITH A GOOD BOOK

Ages Birth-Grade 5

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BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY AT THE HAUPPAUGE PUBLIC LIBRARY!



The Hauppauge Public Library is encouraging families to read at least 1,000 books with their child before they enter Kindergarten, thereby creating a lifelong love of reading. Sign up your little one for this amazing early literacy experience. Milestones will be celebrated and rewarded!

500 BOOKS BEFORE MIDDLE SCHOOL

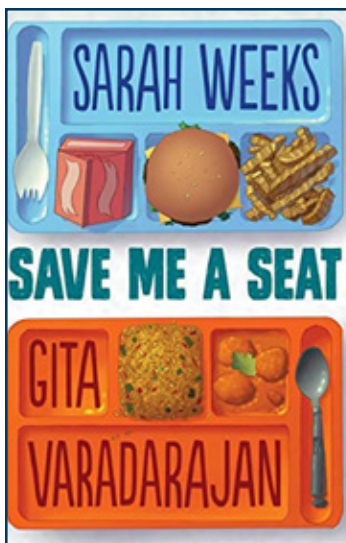


Reading is an important way to understand yourself and the world around you. Our new reading initiative "500 Books Before Middle School" challenges grade school children to read more. How many books can you read before you reach Middle School? Take the challenge and get rewarded with milestone prizes along the way! See a librarian for more details.

5TH GRADE BATTLE OF THE BOOKS HPJ1561

Grade 5 ONLY

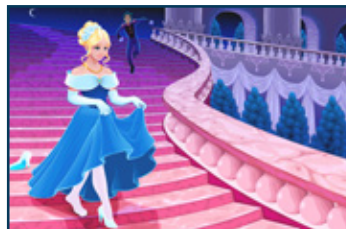
Fridays, December 30, February 3, and February 24, 5:30-6:30pm
Attention readers! Read the book, *Save Me a Seat* by Sarah Weeks, and join your friends to answer trivia questions about the book. This is a great way to prepare for the county-wide Battle of the Books that you are able to participate in as sixth graders. Sign up for all three sessions separately – must attend all sessions.



WINTER FESTIVAL AND LIVE ACTION PLAY: CINDERELLA HPJ1650

Sunday, February 19, 1:00-4:00pm

Do not miss our Winter Festival, full of games, kid's crafts, and winter photo ops. The highlight of the festival is a live-action play of Cinderella starting at 2pm. Refreshments and a hot chocolate bar will follow the play.



FRIDAYS FOR LITTLE ONES

ZUMBINI HPJ1472

Ages Birth-4 years, with caregiver

Fridays: December 9, 16, 23, and 30, 10:30-11:15am



Come have the ultimate bonding experience with your little one with Zumbini and Miss Lauren. Zumbini is an early childhood educational program that uses original music and movement to promote cognitive, social, fine/gross motor skill, and emotional development for children. You and your child will enjoy 45 minutes of can't-stop, won't-stop bonding and fun! Get ready to dance, laugh, and play with Miss Lauren! Registration is ongoing. Please call the library to register if signing up after December 9.

BABY START HPJ1453

Ages Birth-3 years, with caregiver



Introduce babies to the wonderful world of the library! Activities include music, movement, finger plays, fine and gross motor development, and circle time. Early literacy, socialization, and group play skills are introduced.

MISS DARA SINGS HPJ1549

Ages Birth-5 years, with caregiver

Fridays: January 6, 13, 20, 27, 10:30-11:00am
Introduce babies to the wonderful world of the library! Activities include music, movement, finger plays, fine and gross motor development, and circle time. Early literacy, socialization, and group play skills are introduced.



Friday, February 24, 10:30-11:15am – Animals in Winter
Sing along with Dara Linthwaite as she plays her guitar and sings beloved songs from childhood. Young children will enjoy her stories, puppets, finger plays, and craft suggestions with a different topic to explore musically every week.

TIME TOGETHER HPJ1251

Ages 6 months-3 years, with caregiver



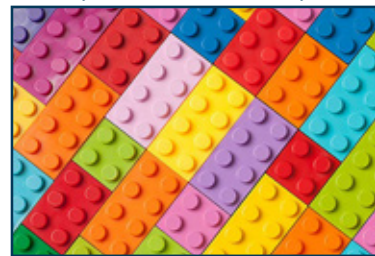
Friday, March 3, 10:30-11:30am – Dental Hygiene
Friday, March 10, 10:30-11:30am – Nutrition
Friday, March 17, 10:30-11:30am – NY Therapy, Placement Services
Friday, March 24, 10:30-11:30am – Water Safety

Spend special time with your child, playing and laughing together. A librarian and a resource professional will be available to answer questions on various child-related topics.

WEEKEND BUILDING CHALLENGE HPJ1547

PreK-Grade 5

Saturdays: December 17, January 21, February 18, 10:30-11:15am



Put your creativity to work and join us for some building fun! The room will be filled with Lego® and Duplo® blocks, Playmags®, Keva® Planks and other building tools. Come and create a masterpiece!

TOT'S NIGHT OUT HPJ1060

Ages 18 months to 5 years, with caregiver

Tuesday, December 20, 6:30-7:15pm

Thursday, January 5, 6:30-7:15pm

Tuesday, February 21, 6:30-7:15pm



An evening of family fun at the library! Focus on group learning and skill building.

POLAR EXPRESS STORYTIME HPJ1649

Ages 2 1/2-9 years, with caregiver

Thursday, December 22, 6:30-7:15pm



Cozy up in your PJs and join us for a reading of the Polar Express, complete with yummy hot chocolate and wintry crafts.



PLAY-DOH PLAYTIME HPJ1223

Ages 2-5 years, with caregiver

Monday, December 26, 1:00-1:45pm

Saturday, January 28, 10:30-11:15am

Explore the fun of Play-Doh with your little one!

GROW WITH US *(continued)*



SNOW SCIENCE HPJ1641

Grades 2-5
Tuesday, December 27, 6:30-7:15pm
Do you like to play with snow? Join us to perform fun snow-related experiments!

NOON YEAR'S EVE PARTY HPJ1234

All ages (Children must be accompanied by an adult.)
Saturday, December 31, 11:30am-12:15pm



Ready to ring in 2023? Celebrate the New Year with this fun, midday, "Noon" Year's Eve party! We'll have a special countdown to 12:00 noon!

CODE-AEROBICS HPJ1640

Grades K-2
Tuesdays, January 10 and February 7, 6:30-7:30pm



Jump, play, tumble and have fun! Boost your reflex skills through fun games and activities that teach coding without screens. Brain time without screen time. Giant LiteBrite included. *Presented by Unplugged Kidz.*



PIGEON WILL RIDE THE ROLLER COASTER HPJ1646

Ages 2½-5, with caregiver
Thursday, January 12, 6:30-7:15pm

In honor of Mo Willems new book, everyone will enjoy this program that highlights a fun ride for

Pigeon on a roller coaster. Using paper strips, children will enjoy building a roller coaster that is perfect for pigeon to ride on in his own little car.

CHINESE NEW YEAR HPJ1643

Grades K-3
Tuesday, January 17, 6:30-7:15pm



Come welcome the Year of the Rabbit at our Chinese New Year Celebration! Our celebration will include stories, snacks, a craft, and more!

WINNIE THE POOH PARTY HPJ1642

Ages 2½-6, with caregiver
Wednesday, January 18, 10:30-11:15am



Come celebrate Winnie the Pooh Day at the library! Festivities will include stories, games, snacks, and more!

ROCK AND READ HPJ1627

Ages 18 months-5 years, with caregiver



Thursdays, January 19, 26, February 2, 6:30-7:15pm
Come join A Time for Kids, Inc. for classes full of rhythm and rhyming books, songs and movement to encourage early literacy.

PENGUIN AWARENESS DAY HPJ1601

Grades K-3
Friday, January 20, 6:00-6:45pm

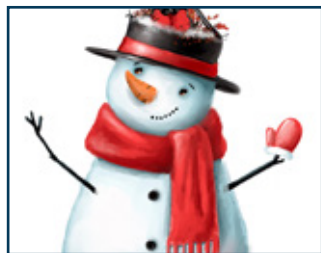


Waddle your way to the library to celebrate everyone's favorite flightless birds with stories, singing and silly walking!



STORYTIME FUN WITH TYLER AND LUCY HPJ1648

Ages 2-8, with caregiver
Tuesday, January 24, 6:30-7:15pm
Come listen to *Tyler and Lucy are the Best of Friends* read by author Alicia Arso-DiStefano. Meet the real Tyler, enjoy a fun-themed craft and a nut-free edible activity.



SNOWMAN STORYTIME HPJ1604

Grades K-3
Monday, January 30, 6:30-7:15pm
Join Ms. Marley for a "cool" time at the library! Listen to a silly story, and create a fun snowman craft.

POLAR BEAR POND HPJ1645

Grades K-5
Tuesday, January 31, 6:30-7:30pm



Enjoy creating a cool looking clay polar bear playing in an icy pond with a penguin watching nearby.

COOKING WITH KERRI: CANDY SUSHI HPJ1647

Families, with children in grades K-5
Thursday, February 9, 6:30-7:30pm



No fish? No problem! Just use candy instead. Rock n' ROLL with Miss Kerri - chopsticks included. Sign up ONCE for each family attending.

HUG MACHINE PILLOW HPJ1501



Grades K-5
Tuesday, February 14, 6:30-7:30pm
Enjoy listening to the story *Hug Machine* by Scott Campbell before creating an adorable and huggable no sew pillow. The completed pillow will include a little pocket for holding small treasures like the included little felt heart.

ZUMBA KIDS HPJ1591

Ages 4-11 years
Thursday, February 23, 6:30-7:15pm



Grab your friends and move like no one's watching! Join Miss Lauren for a 45-minute dance-fitness party where we play it loud and rock with friends to our own rules. Zumba Kids helps develop a healthy lifestyle and incorporates fitness as a natural part of children's lives.



SNOWMAN THUMB-PRINT ART HPJ1644

Ages 2½-6, with caregiver
Tuesday, February 28, 6:30-7:15pm
Do you want to build a snowman - with finger paint? Come listen to snowman stories and paint your very own snowman!

TAKE & MAKE CRAFT KITS

Target Audience: PreK to Grade 5

Pick up your Take & Make Craft Kits at the library (either inside the building or by using our curbside service) according to the schedule below. The kits are available for pick up starting on a first-come, first-served basis, while supplies last.



Friday, December 23
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Friday, February 24

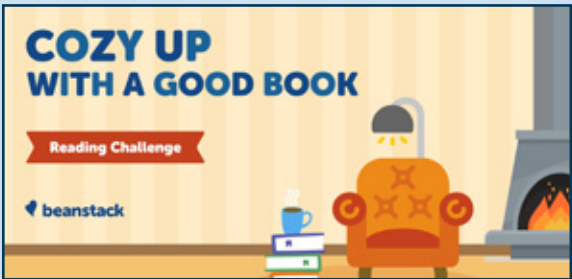
Snowman Picture Frame
Snowman Snow Globe
Polar Bear Paper Scene
Mosaic Snowman
Cotton Ball Penguin
Groundhog Day Craft
Magic Color Scratch Bookmark
Love Bug
Snowy Night
Cat in the Hat Shape Craft

TEEN CLASSES & EVENTS

Hauppauge cardholders ONLY: In-person, telephone and online registration for classes begins Wednesday, December 7, 2022 @ 9:00am. **Out-of-District guests:** Registration for classes begins Saturday, December 10, 2022. Registration required for all in-person and Zoom classes. Follow the icon legend to determine the type of program: 📺 YouTube 📺 Zoom 📺 In-Person (All teen events and volunteer opportunities are for students in grades 6-12, unless otherwise specified.)

TEEN WINTER READING CLUB: "COZY UP WITH A GOOD BOOK"

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100 BOOKS BEFORE GRADUATION



Reading is an important way to understand yourself and the world around you. Our new reading initiative "100 Books Before Graduation" challenges teens in Middle and High School to read more. How many books can you read before you finish High School? Take the challenge and get rewarded with milestone prizes along the way! See a librarian for more details.

Be Your Best: Educational & College Readiness

TAKING THE SAT/ACT IN THE POST PANDEMIC ERA

HPY2229 📺

Monday, January 16, 7:00-8:00pm

Target Audience: Parents and Teens in Grades 9-12

Learn the difference between the SAT and the ACT tests as well as what the term "test optional" means in regard to applying to colleges. Get helpful information to guide you through this important process. This seminar will be recorded and uploaded to the Library's YouTube channel. *Presented by Steve Rossner, Founder of SAT/ACT Sense.*

SAT PREP-SMALL GROUP INSTRUCTION

HPY2031 📺

Sundays: February 12, 19, 26, and March 5, 12:30- 3:00pm

Target Audience: Grades 9-12



Prepare for the SAT with this 10-hour class. You must register by the date of the first class and

drop off to the library a non-refundable check for \$100 made payable to Tom Kenney. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** Participants must provide their own copy of the book: *The Official SAT Study Guide from The College Board.* *Presented by: Tom Kenney, Educator*

Just for Fun

HIGH SCHOOL BATTLE OF THE BOOKS KICKOFF

(Gr. 9-12 Only)

Tuesday, December 27, 3:00-3:30pm



Over the next couple of months, you'll read the two official "Battle" books, remember as many details as you can from them, and compete

in a fun trivia contest against other Suffolk County libraries for the title of Battle Champs. The titles this year are: *The Inheritance Games* by Jennifer Lynn Barnes, and *Spin the Dawn* by Elizabeth Lim. The practice meetings will be at our library (dates pending) and the final Battle will be in person at The Sachem Public Library on Saturday, February 11.

FRIDAY NIGHT @ HPL

HPY2228 📺

Friday: February 24, 7:30pm drop off, 9:00pm pick up



Jump start your weekend with an after-hours, teens-only, hang out at the library. There will be gaming, activities, and snacks. Bring your friends and make some new ones! *Registration is required for every teen attending.*

TEEN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



If you are completing a volunteer opportunity to fulfill a specific requirement for school or another organization, please check with your teacher or advisor to make sure they will accept the community service hours.

Helping Hands

TOY PARAMEDIC DROP-IN VOLUNTEERS

HPY2510 📺



Saturdays: December 10-March 4, 11:00am-12:00pm
Help keep the library's toys clean and in tip-top shape. There is no registration necessary, but in order to get the service credit, you must be present for the whole hour. **(1 hour service credit per session)**

CRAFT BAG ASSEMBLY VOLUNTEERS

HPY2702 📺

Friday, December 16, 5:30-6:30pm



Help us assemble the Take & Make bags we will give to children this winter season. **(1 hour service credit)**



SNOWMAN KIT VOLUNTEERS

HPY2708 📺

Tuesday, December 27, 7:00-8:00pm

We need help creating the components of a snowman's face and buttons for an upcoming giveaway. **(1 hour service credit)**

P.S. I LOVE YOU VOLUNTEERS

HPY2712



Tuesday, January 24, 7:00-8:00pm

Help us make decorations for the library in anticipation of this year's P.S. I Love You day, a suicide prevention initiative. **(1 hour service credit)**

DECORATING COMMITTEE VOLUNTEERS

HPY2505 📺

Tuesday, January 31, 7:00-8:00pm



Create decorations and giveaways for our upcoming Cinderella family event. **(1 hour service credit)**

Community Connections



SPOTLIGHT ON GOOD: KEEP ISLIP CLEAN

HPY2706 📺

Wednesday, December 28, 3:00-4:00pm

Hear from a local organization doing philanthropic work around Long Island and learn about how you

might be able to help. We will then spend some time working on a small project that helps in this organization's work. **(1 hour service credit)**

NO-SEW BLANKET VOLUNTEERS

HPY2709 📺

Tuesday, January 3, 7:00-8:00pm



Create cozy blankets using a simple knotting technique. Finished products will be donated to people in need. **(1 hour service credit)**

BIRTHDAY KIT VOLUNTEERS

HPY2710 📺

Monday, January 16, 7:00-8:00pm



Everyone deserves to celebrate their birthday! Teens will work together to create special birthday kits for those less fortunate. *Presented by Theresa Maritato.* **(1 hour service credit)**

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS VOLUNTEERS

HPY2550 📺

Friday, February 17, 5:30-6:30pm



Help us write positive affirmations to be given out to brighten someone's day. **(1 hour service credit)**

POP-UP CARD VOLUNTEERS

HPY2657 📺

Wednesday, February 22, 7:00-8:30pm



Learn the mechanics of making a pop-up card and then apply those skills to make cards for organizations that distribute them to hospitalized children and older adults. *Presented by Chris Vivas.* **(1.5 hours service credit)**

Virtual Volunteer Projects



Visit our website (<https://hauppauge-library.org/volunteer/>) for full details on how to complete various projects and instructions on how to obtain

your service credit. Each newsletter season, you may do additional virtual projects that you may have completed in previous seasons. New submissions must have new content each season. **(No advanced registration required.)**

Birthday Cards for Older Adults 📺

Book Display Engineer

Cards for Hospitalized Kids

Change Someone's Day

Dog Treats for Charity

Freegal Playlists 📺

Kindness Rocks




Liberation Library Bookmarks

No Sew T-Shirt Bag

Troopons Coupons

Warm Up America

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ARTS & CRAFTS

YARNCRAFTING CIRCLE HPA3632

Mondays, 10:00am-12:00pm

Second and Fourth Thursday of the month, 1:00pm-3:00pm



Do you enjoy knitting and crocheting? Work on your projects at the library while socializing and learning from others who also enjoy the craft. Please bring your own supplies. All are welcome.

SIMMERING POTPOURRI JARS HPA3671



Thursday, December 8, 2:00pm or 6:30pm

Make 2 jars of stovetop potpourri to make your home smell cozy and inviting this holiday season. Keep one for yourself, and give one as a gift. Please choose one session only. *Presented by Jill.* ***Registration required.**



HOLIDAY GREETING CARD WORKSHOP HPA3672

Thursday, December 15, 6:30pm

Get creative and make custom holiday greeting cards with for your

friends and family with artist Linda Hutchinson. ***Registration required.**



VALENTINE HEART WREATH HPA3674

Sunday, February 5, 2:00pm

Join Diana Conklin, farmer, artist, and designer, to create a dried flower heart wreath using dried flowers grown on Diana's East End farm. Hand colored for brightness and longevity, this wreath is made on a vine heart base, using fragrant herbs and dried flowers. ***Registration required.**



PAINT AND LISTEN: NORTHERN LIGHTS HPA3675

Thursday, March 2, 6:30pm

Paint with music! Follow along with an instructor to create a painting inspired by the mood and tone of

live acoustic guitar music. We'll discuss the ways that music and visual art intersect as you paint a masterpiece step by step. *Presented by Reprise Music.* ***Registration required.**

BOOK DISCUSSIONS

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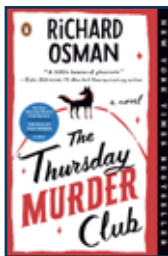
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THE SNOW CHILD BY EOWYN IVEY HPA3641

Thursday, December 1, 2:00pm

Read this magical novel about a childless couple working a farm in the brutal landscape of 1920 Alaska, who discover a little girl living in the wilderness with a red fox as a companion, and begin to love the strange, almost-supernatural child as their own. The discussion will be led by Helen. ***Registration required.**

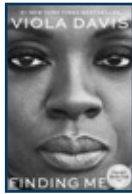


THE THURSDAY MURDER CLUB BY RICHARD OSMAN HPA3676

Tuesday, January 17, 6:30pm

Read this laugh-out-loud cozy mystery, full of twists and turns, about a peaceful retirement village that becomes the backdrop to a ruthless murder that nobody saw coming. The discussion will be led by Will. ***Registration required.**

FINDING ME BY VIOLA DAVIS HPA3678



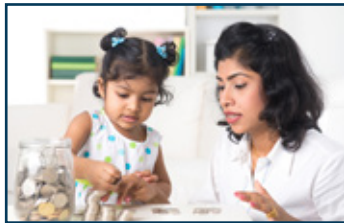
Thursday, February 16, 2:00pm

Read *Finding Me*, Viola Davis' story, in her own words, which spans her incredible, inspiring life, from her coming-of-age in Rhode Island to her present day. It is a story of overcoming, a true hero's journey. The discussion will be led by Helen. ***Registration required.**

BUSINESS & FINANCE

FINANCIAL PLANNING FOR PARENTS HPA3678

Tuesday, December 13, 6:30pm



The financial world we live in today might feel at times like it's on fire. This discussion will focus on the different kinds of protection and the ability to absorb a financial shock, creating a strategy to meet financial goals whether it be college planning or retirement, and helping parents have financial freedom to make choices and enjoy life. *Presented by Robert Smith.* ***Registration required.**

UNLEASH THE POWER OF LINKEDIN HPA3679

Wednesday, December 14, 6pm



Some people still think of LinkedIn as a place to go only if you are looking for a job, but it is so much more than that. Even people who are active may not realize the power it holds to extend your networking, find and engage with prospects and referral partners, and build your professional brand. This session makes you think in a different way to begin using the real estate that LinkedIn provides to grow your brand. *Presented by Beth Granger.* ***Registration required.**

SOLUTIONS FOR YOUR RETIREMENT: RIDING OUT MARKET VOLATILITY HPA3680

Tuesday, January 10, 6:30pm



With how today's market is, many people planning for retirement have been concerned about market volatility and how to go about it to make sure they stay on track for retiring. This seminar will cover the dynamics of market volatility and discover ways to keep it in perspective, turn volatility into an opportunity, and maintain a long-term approach to investing. *Presented by Nicole Murtsef.* ***Registration required.**

PROBATE TRAPS AND MEDICAID TIPS HPA3681

Wednesday, February 22, 2:00pm

Elder Law Attorney and CPA, Christopher Petillo, will discuss probate and Medicaid issues to consider while planning your estate. ***Registration required.**

INTRODUCTION TO NFTS AND CRYPTOCURRENCY



HPA3682  

Wednesday, March 1, 6:30pm

Learn the ins and outs of crypto-art and cryptocurrency. *Presented by Brandon Paynter.* ***Registration required.**

COOKING

SIMPLY CREATIVE WITH CHEF ROB SCOTT HPA3683

Monday, December 12, 6:00pm



Join Chef Rob for a demonstration and tasting of a comforting winter dish – Tuscan Chicken Stew with Hearty Winter Vegetables. ***Registration required.**

PEPPERMINT BARK TREAT HPA3673



Wednesday, December 21, 6:00pm or 7:30pm

Learn how to make this delicious holiday treat. Please choose one session only. *Presented by Rafeena.* ***Registration required.**

CHINESE NEW YEAR COOKING HPA3684



Wednesday, January 11, 6:30pm

Chef Penn will show you how to make several recipes to celebrate Chinese New Year. A tasting will follow. *Presented by Penn Hongthong.* ***Registration required.**

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

AARP SMART DRIVER HPS5040

Wednesday, January 18, 9:30am-4:00pm

Wednesday, February 15, 9:30am-4:00pm



\$25 for AARP members and \$30 for non-AARP members. ***Registration required.**

DEFENSIVE DRIVING HPA0028

Saturday, January 14, 9:30am-3:30pm



This is a New York State approved defensive driving class offered by Empire Safety Council. It will be held in-person. A non-refundable check payable to Empire Safety Council for \$30 is due at the time of registration. ***Registration required.**

GAMES & ACTIVITIES



MEXICAN TRAIN

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11:30am-1:00pm

Join us each week to play this exciting game of dominoes.



MAH JONG

Wednesdays and Fridays, 12:00pm-4:00pm

Enjoy playing Mah Jong? Bring your sets and friends and get a game-playing frenzy started.

BEGINNER CHESS HPA3653

Monday, December 5, 6:30pm



Have you ever wanted to learn to play chess but thought it was too difficult? Join us for an introductory class that will teach you the basics, some of the lesser-known rules, and suggestions for continuing to get better. There will also be time to play in a non-competitive, educational setting. *Presented by Jerry Salvatore.* ***Registration required, currently underway.**

BINGO HPA3435

Mondays, January 9 and February 6, 6:30pm



Enjoy a fun game of bingo with your neighbors. Prizes will be awarded to the winners. Please register for each game date separately. *Presented by Kathleen.* **FOR HAUPPAUGE CARDHOLDERS ONLY. *Registration required.**

ADULT CLASSES & EVENTS *(continued)*

VIRTUAL BINGO HPA3514

Mondays, January 9 and February 6, 6:30pm

Join us on Zoom to participate in bingo remotely. Prizes will be awarded to the winners. Registration closes 24 hours prior to the start of each game, so register early. Please register for each game date separately. *Presented by Kathleen.* ***Registration required.**

HEALTH & FITNESS

EXERCISE WITH VICKI HPA3591

Tuesdays & Thursdays, December 8-February 28, 10:00am



Join Vicki as she motivates you through a series of weight bearing, resistance, cardio, balance, coordination, and flexibility exercises. All levels welcome. Please bring water, light weights, a resistance band, a small ball the size of a grapefruit, and a scarf or kerchief to class. If you'd prefer to join us remotely, please register for the Zoom event. **AN EXERCISE WAIVER MUST BE ON FILE BEFORE THE FIRST CLASS. FOR HAUPPAUGE CARDHOLDERS ONLY.** ***Registration required.**

VIRTUAL EXERCISE WITH VICKI HPA3596

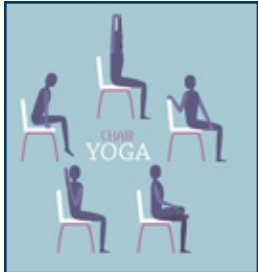
Tuesdays & Thursdays, December 8-February 28, 10:00am

Stay fit working out at home with Vicki. Make sure you have water, light weights, a resistance band, a small ball the size of a grapefruit, and a scarf or kerchief ready for class. ***Registration required.**

CHAIR YOGA HPA3518

Mondays, December 12-January 30, 11:00am

Wednesdays, December 7-March 1, 11:00am (no class January 18 and February 15)



This gentle chair yoga class will include a range of movements to rejuvenate your body and mind. Presented by Sangeeta Gupta. ***Registration required. AN EXERCISE WAIVER MUST BE ON FILE BEFORE THE FIRST CLASS. FOR HAUPPAUGE CARDHOLDERS ONLY.** ***Registration required.**

NEW YEAR'S RESET HPA3685



Monday, January 2, 6:30pm
2023 can be an incredible year of profound transformation! But nothing can change by simply changing the calendar. Learn how to stay healthy in the new year. *Presented by Lisa Zimmerman.* ***Registration required.**

SOUND MEDITATION AND GUIDED IMAGERY HPA3686

Wednesday, January 25, 6:30pm



Relax and reduce stress through meditation. Life coach and licensed acupuncturist, Donna Nesteruk, will lead this unique meditation session using quartz crystal bowls and guided imagery. ***Registration required.**

STRETCHING YOUR FOOD DOLLARS THROUGH MEAL PLANNING HPA3687

Monday, January 30, 6:30pm



Learn how to save money while planning nutritious meals with Laura. Laura will also show you how to make a delicious pear parfait. Presented by Long Island Cares. ***Registration required.**

EATING FOR ENERGY HPA3688

Monday, February 13, 6:30pm



Each day you make hundreds of small decisions that either promote energy or deplete it. Learn about food that helps you increase energy. Wellness coach Lisa Zimmerman will help us learn how to eat our way to a more energetic lifestyle. ***Registration required.**

HISTORY & LOCAL INTEREST

OF PLANTS AND PRESIDENTS: THE WHITE HOUSE GARDENS THROUGH THE YEARS HPA3690

Wednesday, February 15, 6:30pm

Join garden writer Jessica Damiano, a journalist with more than 25 years' experience in the media including 15 as Newsday's garden columnist, on an inspiring historical tour of the White House gardens, from the founding of our nation to the present day. ***Registration required.**

THE BALTIMORE PLOT: THE MISSION TO SAVE PRESIDENT-ELECT ABRAHAM LINCOLN HPA3691

Monday, February 20, 6:30pm

In February of 1861, Abraham Lincoln began his whistle-stop train ride to Washington. Along the way in different cities and at train stops, the President-elect made speeches to those wanting to get a glimpse of their soon-to-be inaugurated president. However, there was a devious plot to kill Lincoln in Baltimore before he even took the oath of office. Assisted by detective Allan Pinkerton, this story is a race to get through Baltimore safely and on to Washington. *Presented by Jim Ward.* ***Registration required.**

HOUSE & HOME

GREEN LIVING AND DETOXING YOUR HOME HPA3692

Wednesday, February 1, 6:30pm

Learn how to incorporate health and sustainability into your choices regarding personal care products, cleaners, pesticides and plastics to make your home "green" and toxin-free. *Presented by Green Inside and Out.* ***Registration required.**



MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT

FOREIGN FILM NIGHT



A MAN CALLED OVE

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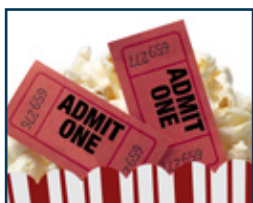
Monday, January 23, 6:00pm
Enjoy a night of foreign film and discussion, with the movie A Man Called Ove, a Swedish film based on a popular novel written by Fredrik Backman. *Presented by J.K. Hodge.* ***Registration required.**



THE RULES OF THE GAME

HPA3694

Monday, February 27, 6:00pm
Enjoy a night of foreign film and discussion, with the movie The Rules of the Game, a French film from 1939. *Presented by J.K. Hodge.* ***Registration required.**



MOVIE MATINEE HPA0361

Tuesdays, 2:00pm

Spend an entertaining afternoon at the library! Watch a popular new release movie every week on our large screen. Movie titles will be announced two weeks prior to the showing.

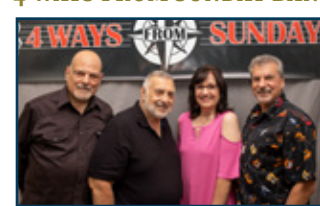
FILM SCREENING AND DISCUSSION: IMPRESARIOS & VISIONARIES HPA3695

Sunday, December 11, 2:00pm



Impresarios and Visionaries is an entertaining and inspirational documentary that explores the positive influence that the arts have on community. It celebrates Vic Skolnick of Cinema Arts Centre and Michael Rothbard of Inter-Media Arts Center, two pioneers who were pivotal in establishing a cutting-edge arts scene on Long Island. The film shines a light onto the magical synergy and warm energy that occurs when presenter, performer, and audience are in sync. It features actor/filmmaker Ed Burns, musician David Bromberg, philanthropist/poet Sandy Chapin, radio personality John Platt and others. The 42-minute film screening will be followed by an interactive discussion with the filmmaker, Steven Taub.

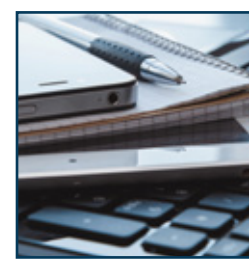
4 WAYS FROM SUNDAY BAND HPA3696



Sunday, January 22, 2:00pm
Enjoy an afternoon of clapping and singing along to lively, memorable, time-tested classics of the 1960s through the 1980s with 4 Ways from Sunday. ***Registration required.**

TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

TECHNOLOGY TUTOR



By Appointment

Try out our one-to-one computer help. You may schedule a one-hour appointment with a librarian or volunteer, who will work with you on developing the computer skills you need. Learn the basics of Microsoft Word, Excel, Publisher, downloading e-books and other electronic media, database searching,

or Internet use on our computers. Ask about how we can help you with your mobile devices too. Instruction will be at an introductory level. Call the library at (631) 979-1600 or stop by the Guest Services Desk to book a technology tutor. **FOR HAUPPAUGE CARDHOLDERS ONLY.**

COOL APPS FOR THE IPAD AND IPHONE HPA3697

Wednesday, January 4, 2:00pm



With thousands of apps out there, how can you find ones that are useful? How do you use the App Store? How do you find free apps? Discover apps you cannot live without and learn how to use popular apps already installed. Bring your device, Apple ID and password or just come to listen.

Presented by Sharper Training Solutions. ***Registration required.**

WISE & WELL

ONE-ON-ONE MEDICARE COUNSELING AND ASSISTANCE HPS054

Mondays, December 12, January 9, and February 13, 10:00am-1:00pm
Register for a 30-minute appointment to speak with a Suffolk County RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) representative from HIICAP (Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program) to answer questions and provide information specific to your own needs regarding Medicare health insurance and benefits, Medicare Savings Programs and EPIC. ***Registration required.**

HOLIDAY DESSERT SOCIAL HPS057

Wednesday, December 7, 3:00pm



Start the holidays early with this festive affair complete with delicious desserts and music. Bring your favorite dessert recipe to share with others, or just stop in to join the festivities. ***Registration required.**

IDENTITY THEFT HPA3699

Wednesday, February 8, 2:00pm



Identity theft is a constant threat. 1 in 3 adults in America have experienced identity theft. Join us as we discuss Social Security Number Theft, Medical Identity Theft, Criminal Identity Theft, Financial Identity Theft and Driver's License Theft. Learn how people steal your personal information, so you can reduce the chances of it happening to you. *Presented by Senior Services of North America.*

***Registration required.**

FREE INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE: AARP TAX-AIDE



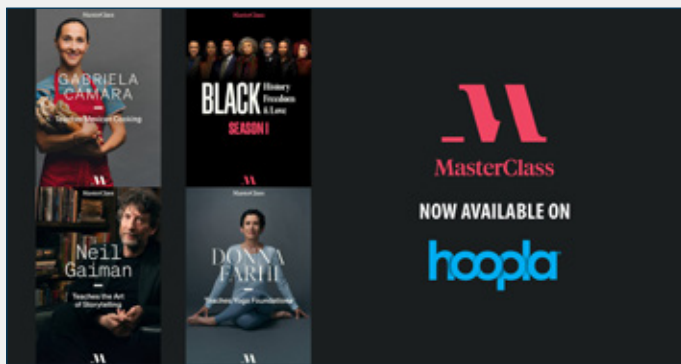
The AARP Foundation plans to offer its free income tax assistance service at Hauppauge Public Library this season. The schedule will be announced on our website as soon as it is available.



TRUNK OR TREAT THANKS

Hauppauge Public Library would like to thank the community and our sponsors for participating in this year's tremendously successful Trunk or Treat event.

Sponsors: Alicia Arso-DiStefano; Bayada Assistive Care; Calvary Lutheran Church; Dance, Laugh, Play, LLC; Daniel Gale Real Estate (Trisha White); Girl Scout Troop 1772; Hauppauge Fire Department – Engine 4; Hauppauge Public Library Board of Trustees; Hauppauge Smithtown Macaroni Kid; Islip Arts Council; ISR Starts, Inc.; Long Island Alliance FCU; Long Island Power Solutions; Metro Therapy; New York Therapy Placement Services; Once Upon a Farm – Petting Zoo; Studio Theatre at Bayway Arts Center; The Therapy Spot, PLLC; and Val Shops for You, LLC.



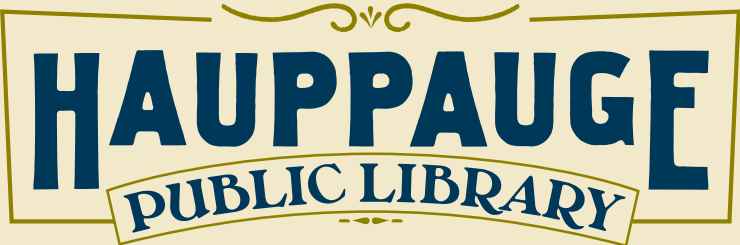
Check out a selection of classes from MasterClass, free with your library card. Learn from the world's best artists, chefs, and more. Borrow now on Hoopla:
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				December 1 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Book Discussion (A) 4:30pm Zumba Kids (C) 6:30pm Zumba and Cardio Soul (A)	December 2 10:30am Playhouray (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A)	December 3 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
December 4	December 5 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 6:30pm Beginner Chess (A, T)	December 6 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A)	December 7 Registration Day (C,A,T) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 3pm Holiday Dessert Social (A)	December 8 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 1pm Yarncrafting Circle (A) 2pm Simmering Potpourri Jars (A) 6:30pm Simmering Potpourri Jars (A)	December 9 10:30am Zumbini (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6pm Design a Bookmark Contest Reception (C,A,T)	December 10 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
December 11 2pm Film Screening and Discussion (A)	December 12 10am One-on-One Medicare Counseling and Assistance (A) 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 6pm Simply Creative with Chef Rob Scott (A)	December 13 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Financial Planning for Parents (A)	December 14 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6pm Unleash the Power of LinkedIn (A)	December 15 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 6:30pm Holiday Greeting Card Workshop (A)	December 16 10:30am Zumbini (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 5:30pm Craft Bag Assembly Volunteers (T)	December 17 10:30am Weekend Building Challenge (C) 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
December 18	December 19 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 7pm Library Board Meeting (A)	December 20 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Tot's Night Out (C)	December 21 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6pm Peppermint Bark Treat (A) 7:30pm Peppermint Bark Treat (A)	December 22 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 1pm Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm Polar Express Storytime (C)	December 23 Take & Make: Snowman Picture Frame (C) 10:30am Zumbini (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A)	December 24 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T) 3pm Library closed
December 25 Library closed	December 26 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 1pm Playdoh Playtime (C)	December 27 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 3pm High School Battle of the Books Kickoff (T) 6:30pm Snow Science (C) 7pm Snowman Kit Volunteers (T)	December 28 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 3pm Spotlight on Good: Keep Islip Clean (T)	December 29 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A)	December 30 Take & Make: Snowman Snow Globe (C) 10:30am Zumbini (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 5:30pm 5th Grade Battle of the Books (C)	December 31 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T) 11:30am Noon Year's Eve Party (C) 3pm Library closed

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January 1 Library closed	January 2 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 6:30pm New Year's Reset (A)	January 3 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 7pm No Sew Blanket Volunteers (T)	January 4 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 2pm Cool Apps for the iPad and iPhone (A)	January 5 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 6:30pm Tot's Night Out (C)	January 6 Take & Make: Polar Bear Scene (C) 10:30am Baby Start (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A)	January 7 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
January 8	January 9 10am One-on-One Medicare Counseling (A) 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 6:30pm Bingo (A)	January 10 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Code-aerobics (C) 6:30pm Solutions for Your Retirement (A)	January 11 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6:30pm Chinese New Year Cooking (A)	January 12 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 1pm Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm Pigeon Will Ride the Roller Coaster (C)	January 13 Take & Make: Mosaic Snowman (C) 10:30am Baby Start (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A)	January 14 9:30am Defensive Driving (A) 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
January 15	January 16 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 7pm Birthday Kit Volunteers (T) 7pm Taking the SAT/ACT in the Post Pandemic Era (T)	January 17 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Book Discussion (A) 6:30pm Chinese New Year (C)	January 18 9:30am AARP Smart Driver (A) 10:30am Winnie the Pooh Party (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 7pm Library Board Meeting (A)	January 19 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 6:30pm Rock and Read (C)	January 20 Take & Make: Cotton Ball Penguin (C) 10:30am Baby Start (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6pm Penguin Awareness Day (C)	January 21 10:30am Weekend Building Challenge (C) 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
January 22 2pm Concert: 4 ways from Sunday Band (A)	January 23 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 6pm Foreign Film Night (A)	January 24 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Storytime Fun with Tyler and Lucy (C) 7pm P.S. I Love You Volunteers (T)	January 25 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6:30pm Sound Meditation and Guided Imagery (A)	January 26 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 1pm Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm Rock and Read (C)	January 27 Take & Make: Groundhog Day Craft (C) 10:30am Baby Start (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A)	January 28 10:30am Playdoh Playtime (C) 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
January 29	January 30 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 11am Chair Yoga (A) 6:30pm Stretching Your Food Dollars (A) 6:30pm Snowman Storytime (C)	January 31 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Polar bear Pond (C) 7pm Decorating Committee Volunteers (T)				

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			February 1 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6:30pm Green Living and Detoxing Your Home (A)	February 2 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 6:30pm Rock and Read (C)	February 3 Take & Make: Magic Color Scratch Bookmark (C) 10:30am Miss Dara Sings (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 5:30pm 5th Grade Battle of the Books (C)	February 4 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
February 5 2pm Valentine Heart Wreath (A)	February 6 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm Bingo (A)	February 7 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Code-aerobics (C)	February 8 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 2pm Identity Theft (A)	February 9 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 1pm Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm Cooking with Kerri (C)	February 10 Take & Make: Love Bug (C) 10:30am Miss Dara Sings (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A)	February 11 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
February 12 12:30pm SAT Prep: Small Group Instruction (T)	February 13 10am One-on-One Medicare Counseling (A) 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm Eating for Energy (A)	February 14 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Hug Machine Pillow (C)	February 15 9:30am AARP Smart Driver (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 6:30pm Of Plants and Presidents (A)	February 16 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Book Discussion (A)	February 17 Take & Make: Snowy Night (C) 10:30am Miss Dara Sings (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 5:30pm Random Acts of Kindness Volunteers (T)	February 18 10:30am Weekend Building Challenge (C) 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
February 19 12:30pm SAT Prep: Small Group Instruction (T) 1pm Winter Festival and Live Action Play (C,A,T)	February 20 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm The Baltimore Plot (A)	February 21 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Tot's Night Out (C)	February 22 11am Chair Yoga (A) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 2pm Probate Traps and Medicaid Tips (A) 7pm Pop-Up Card Volunteers (T)	February 23 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 1pm Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6:30pm Zumba Kids (C)	February 24 Take & Make: Cat in the Hat Shape Craft (C) 10:30am Miss Dara Sings (C) 12pm Mah Jongg (A) 5:30pm 5th Grade Battle of the Books (C) 7:30pm Friday Night @ HPL (T)	February 25 11am Toy Paramedic Drop-In Volunteers (T)
February 26 12:30pm SAT Prep: Small Group Instruction (T)	February 27 10am Yarncrafting Circle (A) 6pm Foreign Film Night (A) 7pm Library Board Meeting (A)	February 28 10am Exercise with Vicki (A) 11:30am Mexican Train (A) 2pm Movie Matinee (A) 6:30pm Snowman Thumbprint Art (C)				



Board meetings are normally held on the third Monday of each month at 7pm. Upcoming Board meetings are scheduled for: December 19, January 18, and February 27.

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Library Closed: December 24 (after 3pm), December 25, December 31 (after 3pm), and January 1