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The new Copiague Library app is now available to download from the Apple Store, Google Play and wherever you get your apps! The Copiague Library app allows you to manage your account, search for and place holds on materials, register for programs, access online services and so much more. If you need help downloading the app or setting it up on your device, please contact the Library, we'll be glad to help you out!

## National Voter Registration Day Tuesday, September 19 3:00 - 7:00 PM

National Voter Registration Day is September 19. Have you moved? Had a name change? Turning 18 before November's Election Day? These are all great reasons to register to vote. Drop in at the Library on Tuesday, September 19 and staff from the Town of Babylon Clerk's office will assist with checking on your voter registration status or helping you register to vote for the first time.

## Holiday Food Drive November 6 - December 15

Help us help those who are hungry in our community. The Library, in conjunction with Long Island Cares, is accepting donations of non-perishable food such as canned meats and vegetables, soup, cereal, tuna, pasta, sauce, rice, peanut butter, jelly and baby food. **Please drop your donation off at the Library during normal business hours.**

## Holiday Hours

**Monday, September 4**  
Labor Day - Closed



**Monday, October 9**  
Columbus Day - Closed

**Friday, November 10**  
Veteran's Day Observed - Closed

**Wednesday, November 22**  
Thanksgiving Eve  
Library open 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

**Thursday, November 23**  
Thanksgiving Day - Closed



**Friday, November 24**  
Day after Thanksgiving  
Library open 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

## Please Note

The Library will open at 11:00 AM on Tuesdays, September 12, October 10 and November 7 due to staff training.



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### Vinyl Listening Station and Record Collection

Enjoy the great sound of music on vinyl! The Library has an ever-expanding selection of great rock, pop, rap, jazz, classical and country vinyl records you can listen to at our Vinyl Listening Station. Use our headphones or bring your own. Copiague Library cardholders may check-out records to listen to at home, but anyone may enjoy these records here in the Library. Don't have a record player at home? Copiague Library cardholders can check one out from our Library of Things!



### 2023 Annular Eclipse

Stop down at the Library to pick up your solar eclipse viewing glasses and information flyer for the annular eclipse occurring on Saturday, October 14, and hold on to them for the big event: a total solar eclipse occurring on Monday, April 8, 2024! Eclipse glasses for Copiague cardholders only.

### Long Island Family Festival at Tanner Park

The Library will be on hand at the Long Island Family Festival, September 15-17 at Tanner Park! Stop by our table for games, crafts, and tons of giveaways. On Sunday, you can check out the SLED-the Suffolk County libraries mobile library services vehicle that has a ton of cool tech including Wi-Fi, device charging, photo print station, green screen and Nintendo Switch!



### Exhibit-Immigration in New York State 1650-1950

Stop by the Library during the month of October and view this travelling exhibit, on loan from the Long Island Library Resources Council. This exhibit focuses on historic immigration to New York State from 1650 to 1950, beginning with the arrival of Dutch settlers and continuing through the end of World War II.

## Library Trip



**Radio City Christmas Spectacular**  
Saturday, December 2 | Cost \$150.00  
Departure from Library: 7:45 AM | Show Time: 10:00 AM  
Departure from City: 5:00 PM

Registration begins Saturday, October 7 at 9:30 AM.

Join the Library on a trip to see the world-famous Radio City Rockettes! Take a thrilling 3D ride through the skies of New York with Santa, and be whisked up to the North Pole, as state-of-the-art technology transforms Radio City Music Hall into a magical, immersive wonderland. The Rockettes bring you the best of the season with the unforgettable Living Nativity, the dazzling Snow scene, and the charming rag dolls of Santa's workshop. After the 90-minute show you will have time on your own to get lunch and enjoy the city in its holiday splendor. **Price includes deluxe motor coach transportation, ticket to show and bus driver gratuity.**



## The Great Give Back

The Great Give Back is a community service initiative created by Long Island libraries that provides opportunities for the patrons and staff of the public libraries of New York State to join together, create connections and participate in meaningful, service-oriented experiences.

### Pet Food Drive

September 1 - October 31

Join us as we celebrate the Great Give Back by helping animals in need during our Pet Food Drive. Bring a donation of dog/cat food or treats to benefit the Babylon Animal Shelter.



### Kid's Pajama Drive

Every child should have the opportunity to celebrate Pajama Day! The Library will be accepting new pajamas to be donated to families in need starting September 5. **Pajamas ranging in size 0 to children's size 18 will be accepted.**



### Birthday Donation Drive

September 1 - October 31

Celebrate the Great Give Back in our all-things birthday donation drive to help families in need. We will be accepting small new toys, birthday candles, gift bags, blank birthday cards, wrapping paper, cake mix, icing, etc. All birthday bags will be donated to local elementary schools.

### Children's Halloween Costume Donation

September 3 - October 14



Our Copiague teens will be collecting new or gently used costumes to be distributed just in time for Halloween! Come down to the Library anytime to donate your child's previous Halloween or dance recital costumes any time to the Children's Room for our Kid's Costume Drive on Saturday, October 14 from 10:00 - 11:00 AM.

### Cuts for Kids

Tuesday, September 5 | 12:00 - 3:00 PM

Strong Island Barber Shop of Copiague will be at the Library to provide free haircuts for the first day of school for elementary age students. Cuts will be given in the order of registration.

### Car Wash by our Teen Volunteers

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

Bring back that new car feeling at our teen car wash! Stop by the back parking lot for a quick car wash by our local teens. We're cleaning up our neighborhood, one car at a time! **Show your Copiague Library card for a free car wash.**

### Repair Café

Saturday, November 4  
12:00 - 3:00 PM



Have a small household item in need of repair? Don't throw it away! Stop down to the Library for our annual Repair Café! Volunteers from Starflower Experience and our own local repairers will try to repair your lamp, radio, clock, small appliances, electronics, jewelry, and clothing. **Please call the Library to register.**

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# What's Going On @ Your Library?

## friends of the library

Friends of the Library membership drive is ongoing, please stop by the Information Desk to pick up a membership form to apply.

### Friends of the Library Meetings

Wednesdays, September 20 • November 15 | 6:00 PM

The Friends of the Copiague Library is an independent, not-for-profit organization that holds various fundraising events throughout the year in order to enhance Library resources and programs. All are welcome to join this fun group of volunteers.

### Friends of the Library Chance Auction

Saturday, October 21

Doors open at: 1:00 PM | Auction: 2:30 - 5:00 PM

Cost: \$10.00 for 25 tickets, plus door prize

Additional cards may be purchased for \$3.00 each.

Join the Friends of the Library in their annual chance auction! All proceeds benefit the Copiague Library. You could win a fantastic gift basket, a lottery board, gift cards, 50/50 and more. The Friends will even have their egg hunt table, where everyone is a winner! Pay \$2.00 per egg or 3 eggs for \$5.00. Pay at the door. Space is limited. If you would like to donate to the auction, please contact the Library for more information.

### Wind Creek Casino Bus Trip

Saturday, November 4

Departure from Library: 7:30 AM | Cost: \$60.00

Registration will take place on Saturday, September 9 between 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM.

Join the Friends of the Copiague Library on a trip to the Wind Creek Casino in Pennsylvania. Each person will receive a \$30.00 casino play voucher! Payment by cash or check made payable to the Friends of the Copiague Library is due at the time of registration.

### One-On-One Tech Help Appointments

Copiague cardholders can make a 30-minute, one-on-one appointment with one of our tech-savvy staff members. We can help you borrow ebooks/audiobooks, attach photos to email, set up a new Kindle Fire and answer other smartphone, tablet, or laptop questions you may have.



### Our Copiague History Project

Everyone has a story...will you share yours?

Copiague Stories is a local history project being conducted by the Library that collects and organizes 3 - 5 minute audio stories and related photographs from members of the Copiague community. Our goal is to preserve the memories and experiences of present and past residents.

If you or someone you know is willing to share a story, please contact the Library for more information and to set up an appointment to record.

To hear some of the stories already shared, go to [copiaquelibrary.org](http://copiaquelibrary.org) or follow the QR code.



### Borrow a Blood Pressure Monitor

Would you like to monitor your blood pressure at home? We're offering patrons the opportunity to borrow a blood pressure monitor for a period of 28 days. Along with the monitor, we will provide patrons with information on how to have a healthy blood pressure level, how to find heart healthy recipes and follow-up information on blood pressure self-monitoring.

### StoryWalk® in North Amityville

Have you been to the Copiague Library StoryWalk® yet?

During the months of September, October and November, the book *Goodbye Summer, Hello Autumn* by Kenard Pak will be featured. You can find our StoryWalk® at the North Amityville Community Complex off Cedar Road.



### ESL

Tuesdays, September 12, 19, 26 • October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 • November 14, 21, 28  
Thursdays, September 14, 21, 28 • October 5, 12, 19, 26 • November 2, 9, 16, 30  
6:00 - 9:00 PM

Learn English through the Western Suffolk BOCES Adult Literacy program at the Library. To register please call BOCES 631-667-6000 ext. 327.

## Programas y Recursos en Español

### Adultos Clases de Artesanía



#### Lámparas Jack y Sally Skellington

Miércoles, 27 de septiembre  
6:30 - 8:30 PM

La inscripción para este programa comienza el martes 29 de agosto a las 10:30 AM.

¡Prepárate para Halloween con estas lámparas de Skellington de Jack y Sally! Trae un pincel de esponja, papel de lija, pistola de pegamento y un rotulador negro.

#### Espantapájaros de Barro

Miércoles, octubre 25 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

La inscripción para este programa comienza el martes 26 de septiembre a las 10:30 AM.

Únete a Lily para crear esta linda maceta de espantapájaros perfecta para la temporada de otoño. Trae una pistola de pegamento, un pincel, un pincel para delinear o un bolígrafo negro.

#### Artesanía Navideña en Madera

Martes, noviembre 28 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Únete a Lily para crear el soporte de madera perfecto para las fiestas justo a tiempo para la temporada. Por favor traiga un cepillo de esponja y pistola de pegamento.

### ESL

Martes, 12, 19, 26 de septiembre • 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 de octubre • 14, 21, 28 de noviembre  
Jueves, 14, 21, 28 de septiembre • 5, 12, 19, 26 de octubre • 2, 9, 16, 30 de noviembre  
Desde 6:00 - 9:00 de la tarde

Estas clases de inglés gratuitas en la Biblioteca ayudan a los adultos a aprender a hablar, leer y escribir en inglés. Llame al 631-667-6000 x327 para pedir una cita para una prueba previa que se utiliza para colocarlo en el nivel apropiado. Un representante que habla español está disponible la mayoría de los días.

### Madres Unidas Program

Lunes, 11 de septiembre • 16 de octubre • el 13 de noviembre  
6:30 - 7:30 PM

Regístrese el martes 30 de mayo.

Únete a nuestro grupo de mujeres y haz nuevas amigas. Tendremos oradores para informar a nuestro grupo sobre finanzas, salud, apoyo, y otros temas. En cada encuentro se ofrecerán diferentes manualidades. Todos son bienvenidos!

### Citas Individuales de Ayuda Técnica

Puede concertar una cita individual de 30 minutos con uno de nuestros expertos en tecnología. Podemos ayudarle a acceder a libros y audiolibros en línea, adjuntar fotos al correo electrónico, configurar un nuevo Kindle Fire y responder a otras preguntas sobre teléfonos inteligentes, tabletas o portátiles que pueda tener. Llame a la biblioteca para concertar una cita. Sólo para los titulares del carné de la Biblioteca de Copiague.

### Salud del Consumidor Completa

Consumer Health Complete, la base de datos más completa de contenidos sanitarios orientados al consumidor, está diseñada para ayudar a los usuarios a adquirir una comprensión general de temas clave en todo el espectro de la salud y el bienestar, desde la medicina convencional hasta la medicina complementaria, holística e integradora. Consumer Health Complete ofrece valiosa información de texto completo sobre salud del consumidor y una interfaz de búsqueda única que organiza los resultados por tipo de fuente para que los usuarios puedan encontrar fácilmente el contenido que buscan.



## Programas Infantiles en Español

### Información Sobre la Inscripción

La inscripción para estos programas comenzará a las 10:30 AM del miércoles 30 de agosto.

#### Bilingüe Mama Gansa

Jueves, 14 de septiembre • 19 de octubre • 16 de noviembre  
10:30 - 11:00 AM | Edades: Nacimiento - 3 años

Buenos tiempos con las rimas de Mama Gansa, con marionetas de dedo, baile y canciones en inglés y español. Todos son bienvenidos!

#### Bilingüe Están Todos Listos Para Divertirse en Otoño?

Martes, el 19 de septiembre  
4:30 - 5:15 PM | Edades: 4 - 6 años

Únase a nosotros para escuchar historias divertidas y activas sobre el otoño y cree una manualidad de puercoespín después de escuchar "I need a hug: necesito un abrazo" de Aaron Blabey.

#### Bilingüe Spooky, Spooky Historias de Fantasma

Martes el 31 de octubre  
4:30 - 5:15 PM | Edades: 4 - 6 años

Únase a nosotros para escuchar historias de fantasma y miedo y cree una manualidad.

#### Bilingüe-Agradecido por la Familia, los Amigos y las Fiestas

Lunes, 20 de noviembre | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Acompáñenos para algunas historias de Acción de Gracias y una manualidad.



# September Adult Programs

Registration for September programs begins on Tuesday, August 29 at 10:30 AM.

## Library Card Sign Up Month: Get in Your Element

Get in Your Element this September with National Library Card Sign-up Month and get a library card today! From borrowing books, e-books, and museum passes, to learning new skills or attending programs, a library card helps you do more of what you enjoy! Want to enter our raffle? Please stop by the Information Desk with your library card for a chance to win a Joe's Pizzeria gift card.

## Cookies, Coffee and Karaoke

Friday, September 1 | 3:00 - 5:00 PM

Belt out a song on karaoke Friday! Sing your favorites, from Frank Sinatra to Lady Gaga. Coffee and cookies will be served for those brave enough to sing.

## September Matinee Movies

Wednesdays, September 6, 13, 20, 27

Doors open at 11:30 AM | Movie starts at 12:00 PM

September 6 | *Champions* | Comedy (PG-13) 2hrs

September 13 | *Living* | Drama (PG-13) 1hr 42mins

September 20 | *Moving On* | Comedy (R) 1hr 25mins

September 27 | *The Lost King* | Drama (PG-13) 1hr 48mins

Please feel free to bring lunch and a beverage, snacks will be provided. Movie reviews and parent guides can be found at [imdb.com](http://imdb.com).

## Afternoon Book Discussion

Thursday, September 7 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM

*The Switch* by Beth O'Leary

Download a copy of this book from Libby or pick up a copy at the Circulation Desk. Refreshments will be provided.

## So Long Summer, Hello Fall Craft

Thursday, September 7 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Rinette and create this perfect wall hanging to welcome the fall season. Please bring a paint brush and glue gun.

## Creative Writing | Thursdays, September 7, 14, 21, 28 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Become a better writer and unleash your creativity in this fun and supportive environment. Patricia Rossi will be back to teach this hands-on workshop for writers of all levels. Participants will be given creative writing prompts and share their work as they develop their skills.

## E-Waste Recycling | Saturday, September 9 | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Clear out your old, unwanted electronics and ensure they are recycled properly with help from Arrow Scrap. Please call the Library for a list of acceptable items to be recycled. Registration not required.

## Body Thief: The Illicit, Lucrative and Illegal World of Black

Market Body Parts | Saturday, September 9 | 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Calling all true crime fans! Mike Vecchione, former Chief of the Rackets Division in the Brooklyn District Attorney's office, rips the curtain back on the world of illegal body brokers. Mr. Vecchione investigated and prosecuted Dr. Michael Mastromarino, a well-to-do oral surgeon who made back-alley deals with funeral homes for tissue and bone of the recently deceased, which he in turn sold illegally to medical supply companies. Mr. Vecchione will share this and other stories about this gruesome and shadowy underworld. This event is brought to you by the LI Crime Expo.

## Early-Stage Dementia Support Group

Tuesdays, September 12, 19, 26 • October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

November 7, 14 | 1:00 - 2:00 PM

This support group is for people in the early-stage of Alzheimer's disease/dementia and offers activities and discussions that will encourage social engagement, disease education, and a supportive environment. A group for the caregivers will be held at the same time. For more information and to register, please call 1-800-272-3900.

## Soothe Your Achy Joints with Anti-Inflammatory Foods

Tuesday, September 12 | 2:30 - 3:30 PM

Did you know that inflammation is at the root of most diseases? Learn about the anti-inflammatory foods that can soothe your aches while helping to prevent disease. Join Marie Ruggles, RD, CDE, for this informative presentation.

## One-on-One Medicare Counseling and Assistance

Fridays, September 15 • October 20 • November 17 | 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Register for a 30-minute one-on-one appointment with a Suffolk County RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) volunteer from HIICAP (Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program) to answer questions and provide information regarding Medicare health insurance, benefits, and savings programs.

## Afternoon Games

Fridays, September 8, 15, 22, 29 • October 6, 13, 20, 27

November 3, 17, 24 | 12:30 - 3:30 PM

Come with your group to play any game of your choice.

## Saturday Afternoon Movie and Pizza

Saturday, September 16 | 3:00 - 5:00 PM

*A Good Person* | Drama (R) | 2hrs 8mins

Please feel free to bring a beverage and snack. Pizza will be provided. Movie reviews and parent guides can be found at [imdb.com](http://imdb.com).



## Scams, ID Theft and Financial Exploitation

Monday, September 18 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Join Chase Community Manager Lael Daniel, to learn important points to consider in planning for a more secure financial future. Also, learn how to guard against identity theft and other forms of financial exploitation, as well as how to prepare financially for unexpected life events and disasters.



## Joseph Dwyer Veterans Project

Tuesdays, September 19 • October 17 • November 21

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

The Dwyer Project serves veterans, service members, and their families with post-service transitional issues, including post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and traumatic brain injury (TBI). Support groups are led by veteran peers who can relate to the experiences of group members.

## A Matter of Balance

Tuesdays, September 19, 26 • October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 • November 7

12:00 - 2:00 PM

This 8-week evidence-based falls prevention program focuses on reducing the fear of falling. Through exercises and group discussion, participants will learn ways to reduce the fear of falling and increase activity levels.

## Cooking Demonstration: Confetti Bean Salsa

Tuesday, September 19 | 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Have you ever struggled to have a healthy appetizer for your parties and family gathering? Join Anthony Garcia from Cornell Cooperative as he demonstrates a quick and easy recipe that you and your family will surely enjoy!



## Pepperoni Pizza Bread

Wednesday, September 20 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM

A Mano Baking Company's delicious pizza bread is here! Learn how to bake this savory and flavorful bread. Please bring a large mixing bowl and a spatula.

## Medicaid Enrollment Assistance for the Aged, Blind and Disabled

Thursdays, September 21 • October 19 • November 16 | 2:00 - 6:00 PM

Representatives from the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council will assist aged, blind and disabled patrons in enrolling in various Medicaid programs that may be available to them. Assistance will be given on a first come, first served basis. For more information, please call the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council at 631-435-3000.

## L. I. Sierra Club: Invasive Vines

Friday, September 22 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM



*This program will take place in person and via Zoom.*

Julie Sullivan from Go Native LI will be here to teach you how to identify and remove invasive vines, including English Ivy, porcelain berry, and bindweed that are invading our backyards and killing our trees.

## A Tribute to Legends Concert

Saturday, September 23 | 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Join Perfect Combination-Donna Lee and Kenny Hendricks for this fun upbeat musical performance! Donna and Kenny will pay tribute to many popular music legends such as Billy Joel, Barbara Streisand, Frank Sinatra, Aretha Franklin and many more.

## Maker Monday: Welcome Fall Mug

Monday, September 25 | 4:00 - 4:45 PM or 5:00 - 5:45 PM

What better way to welcome fall than with a creative mug? Join us in our MakerSpace to create a mug for all to adore.

## Take a Meditation Vacation

Tuesday, September 26 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM



Need to escape the stress and strains of life? Would you like to learn how to immerse yourself in peace, calm, and joy? Join Arvind Naik for a meditation presentation to learn techniques to revive ourselves just like a relaxing vacation. The program will end with a short meditation.

## Evening Book Discussion

Tuesday, September 26 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

*Fast Girls: A novel of the 1936 Women's Olympic Team* by Elise Hooper

Download a copy of this book from Libby or pick up a copy at the Circulation Desk. Refreshments will be provided.

## Jack and Sally Skellington Lamps

Wednesday, September 27 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Get ready for Halloween with these Jack and Sally Skellington lamps! Please bring a sponge brush, sand paper, glue gun and a black painters pen.



## Starting a Business | Thursday, September 28 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

If you ever thought about starting a business, this program is just for you! Learn the basics of starting a business, legal entity structures, paying taxes and more. A representative from SCORE will lead this informative lecture.

## Defensive Driving

Saturday, September 30 | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Save money on your auto insurance! A \$30.00 fee, payable to Empire Safety Council by check, money order or cash is due the day of class. Please arrive early to sign in. Late comers will not be admitted. Please bring a pen and your driver's license. You must register for this program in advance.

# October Adult Programs

Registration for October programs begins on Tuesday, September 26 at 10:30 AM.

## Medicare Enrollment Seminar

Monday, October 2 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM

It is that time of year again-Medicare open enrollment. Come to the library to hear a presentation from Gail Siemer from Senior Services of North America that explains the ins and outs of Medicare enrollment.

## QiGong for Health and Vitality

Mondays, October 2, 16, 23, 30 • November 6, 13, 20 | 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Qigong (pronounced chi kung) is a moving meditation practice that helps to quiet the mind, relax the body and strengthen the spirit. Taught by Dorothy Mandrakos, the class will focus on learning the 18 Lohan Hands, an ancient Chinese form passed down from the Shaolin Temple. **Please bring a mat and water to class.**

## Home Buying 101

Tuesday, October 3 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Join Marta Stingo from Contour Mortgage Corporation to learn all the do's and don't's when acquiring a home and mortgage. Topics will include today's housing market, types of mortgages available, what mortgage lenders look at when loaning money and more.



## October Matinee Movies

Wednesdays, October 4, 11, 18, 25

Doors open at 11:30 AM | Movie starts at 12:00 PM

October 4 | *Mafia Mamma* | Action (R) 1hr 41mins

October 11 | *Paint* | Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 36mins

October 18 | *Maybe I Do* | Romance (PG-13) 1hr 35mins

October 25 | *Penelope* | Classic (NR) 1hr 37mins

Please feel free to bring lunch and a beverage, snacks will be provided. Movie reviews and parent guides can be found at [imdb.com](http://imdb.com).

## Understanding the Financial Numbers of Your Business

Thursday, October 5 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

What are the basics of business accounting and why is it a key determining factor in the success of your business? Join a representative from SCORE to learn all about balance sheets, cash flow statements, profit and loss statements and more.

## Scary Folk Concert

Saturday, October 7 | 3:30 - 4:30 PM

Join Drew Velting as he plays spooky folk songs and ballads that tell the tales of ghosts, spirits, hauntings, pirates and more. Get in the spirit with this fun performance for the Halloween season!

## Catholic Community Health and Outreach Bus

Tuesday, October 10 | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

The Catholic Community Health and Outreach Bus will be at the Library to conduct free health care screenings for adults 18 and older, including a brief cardiac history, blood pressure and a simple blood test for cholesterol and diabetes. **Registration is not required.**

## Author Talk: Haunted Long Island Mysteries

Tuesday, October 10 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Award-winning author and historian Kerriann Flanagan Brosky and medium/paranormal investigator Joe Giaquinto will delight you with tales of their ghostly adventures, which weave local history with the spirit realm. Join them as they discuss the research and investigations behind the making of Kerriann's book, *Haunted Long Island Mysteries*. **Books will be available for purchase and signing.**

## Home Safe Home:

### Caregiver's Guide for Strong Mind, Body, and Environment

Wednesday, October 11 | 2:30 - 3:30 PM

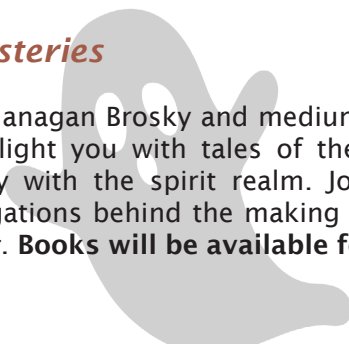
This workshop is intended to support caregivers in identifying potential danger zones in the home and provide solutions to reduce the risks associated with caregiver burnout while meeting the needs of loved ones. The physical component of self-care deficiencies, functional mobility, balance, and strength will be interactively communicated to allow mind and body to synchronize with their home environment.

## Afternoon Book Discussion

Thursday, October 12 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM

*Becoming* by Michelle Obama

Download a copy of this book from Libby or pick up a copy at the Circulation Desk. **Refreshments will be provided.**



## Seasonal Ladder Craft

Thursday, October 12 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Rinette to create this seasonal ladder craft that can be used all year long. This month we will create Halloween-themed pieces to go with our ladder. **Please bring a paint brush and a glue gun.**

## Defensive Driving

Saturday, October 14 | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Save money on your auto insurance! A \$30.00 fee, payable to Empire Safety Council by check, money order or cash is due the day of class. Please arrive early to sign in. Late comers will not be admitted. **Please bring a pen and your driver's license. You must register for this program in advance.**

## Cyber Safety

Monday, October 16 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Join Chase Community Manager Lael Daniel, to learn all about online safety and security. Learn how to identify online scams, best practices when working from home, how to protect your personal devices, and more.



## Sugar 101

Tuesday, October 17 | 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Why do we like sugar so much? Is sugar bad for our health? Join Anthony Garcia from Cornell Cooperative and learn how to avoid the empty calories found in sugary drinks and what healthier options you should choose instead.

## The Haunted Theaters of Broadway

Wednesday, October 18 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Join longtime editor of Playbill and author Robert Viagas in this spooky presentation! Learn about some of the backstage ghost stories from some of the most famous theatres in New York City and Long Island.

## Home Study Orientation

Wednesday, October 18 | 5:00 - 9:00 PM

Western Suffolk BOCES Home Study customizes GED & ESL lessons for students and allows them to work at their own pace. Students can pickup assignments at convenient locations. **For more information and to register please call 631-667-6000 X470.**

## Spooky Book Discussion & Movie

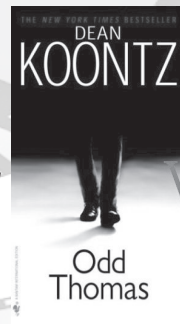
Thursday, October 19 | 1:00 - 4:00 PM

*Odd Thomas*

Horror 1hr 37mins (PG-13)

*Odd Thomas* by Dean Koontz

Join this Spooky Book Discussion and Movie if you dare! We will watch *Odd Thomas* on our big screen and discuss the book immediately after. The discussion will also compare the book to the movie. **Lunch will be provided.**



## Long Island Ghosts and Hauntings

Thursday, October 19 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Long Island has a rich history of ghosts, paranormal activity and hauntings. Join Eco-Photo Explorers as they continue their exploration of some of the most chilling stories from across the Island. You will learn about haunted cemeteries, ghosts that appear and disappear from some of the creepiest dwellings on Long Island and strange tales of unexplained paranormal activity.

## L. I. Sierra Club: Must See Hiking Destinations on Long Island

Friday, October 20 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

**This program will take place in person and via Zoom.**



Growing up on Long Island, James who developed a love for hiking at an early age and wrote a book about it when in middle school. He will talk about his local adventures and have copies of his book for purchasing and signing.

## Evening Book Discussion

Tuesday, October 24 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

*The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides | Download a copy of this book from Libby or pick up a copy at the Circulation Desk. **Refreshments will be provided.**

## Clay Pot Scarecrow Craft

Wednesday, October 25 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Lily to create this cute scarecrow pot perfect for the fall season.

**Please bring glue gun, paint brush, liner brush or black painter pen.**



# November Adult Programs

Registration for November programs begins on Tuesday, October 31 at 10:30 AM.

## November Matinee Movies

Wednesdays, November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Doors open at 11:30 AM | Movie starts at 12:00 PM

November 1 | *Jerry and Marge Go Large* | Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 36mins

November 8 | *Father of the Bride (2022)* | Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 57mins

November 15 | *Notorious* | Classic (NR) 1hr 42mins

November 22 | *Planes, Trains & Automobiles* | Comedy (R) 1hr 33mins

November 29 | *Creed 3* | Drama (PG-13) 1hr 56mins

Please feel free to bring lunch and a beverage, snacks will be provided. Movie reviews and parent guides can be found at [imdb.com](http://imdb.com).

## Thankful Decoupage Sign Craft

Thursday, November 2 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Rinette to create the perfect sign for the Thanksgiving season.

**Please bring a paint brush and glue gun.**

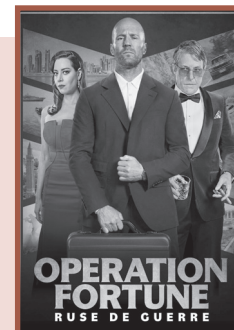
## Saturday Afternoon Movie and Pizza

Saturday, November 4 | 3:00 - 5:00 PM

*Operation Fortune*

Action (R) | 1hr 54mins

Please feel free to bring a beverage and snack. **Pizza will be provided. Movie reviews and parent guides can be found at [imdb.com](http://imdb.com).**



# November Adult Programs Continued

## Maker Monday: Give Thanks Shadow Box

**Monday, November 6 | 4:00 - 4:45 PM or 5:00 - 5:45 PM**  
Give thanks this holiday season and join us in our MakerSpace to create a festive shadow box. **Please bring a glue gun.**



## Genealogy for Beginners

**Tuesday, November 7 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM**  
Get started on your family genealogy with tips from Kells Genealogy Services. Learn about census and vital records, free and subscription websites, and much more.

## Smart DriverTek

**Thursday, November 9 | 2:00 - 3:30 PM**  
In this Smart DriverTEK workshop, hosted by AARP, you will learn an interactive way to stay up to date with the latest safety technology in your current or future car. Learn all about what new technologies are available, how they work, and how they can improve your peace of mind on the road.

## Cooking Demonstration: Turkey Tacos

**Thursday, November 9 | 6:00 - 7:00 PM**  
Happy Thanksgiving! Join Anthony Garcia from Cornell Cooperative as he guides you through this cooking demonstration, utilizing turkey as the main ingredient and pairing it with one of our favorite foods...tacos!



## AARP Shred and Shed Event

**Saturday, November 11 | 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM**  
In coordination with AARP Long Island, SCPD Cope and the office of Suffolk County Legislator Kevin McCaffrey, the Library is hosting this important community event. Please drop off your unwanted and expired medications for safe and environmentally friendly disposal. We will also have a shredding vehicle on hand to help you fight back against fraud and identity theft by shredding your sensitive personal documents. **You may bring up to three bags/boxes of paper to shred per vehicle. Shredding truck will stay on-site for the time scheduled or until it reaches capacity.**

## American West Concert

**Saturday, November 11 | 3:30 - 5:00 PM**  
Join Marc Berger for this unique musical interpretation of the American West. Listen as Marc weaves memorable stories into his music and tells tales of his adventures as an "easterner" in the mountains and deserts of the west. Enjoy a medley of country and folk songs with a touch of bluegrass and Americana in this special performance.

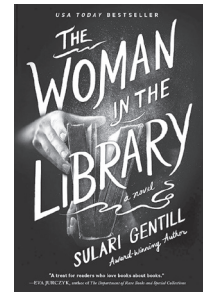
## Reverse Mortgages

**Monday, November 13 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM**  
Jonathan Gordon, Housing Program Coordinator of Community Development Corporation of Long Island, will be hosting this Reverse Mortgage information session. Topics discussed will include the basics of reverse mortgages, what a home equity conversion mortgage consists of, and how it compares to a conventional mortgage.



## Afternoon Book Discussion

**Thursday, November 16 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM**  
*The Woman in the Library* by Sulari Gentill  
Download a copy of this book from Libby or pick up a copy at the Circulation Desk. **Refreshments will be provided.**



## L. I. Sierra Club: ZOOM

**Live and Let Live, Coyotes on Long Island**  
**Friday, November 17 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

**This program will take place in person and via Zoom.**  
Frank Vincenti from Wild Dog Foundation will be here to discuss the good, bad, or indifferent coyotes that are here on Long Island. Frank has been teaching people how to get along with coyotes and foxes for almost 30 years. In this informative talk you will learn how to identify them and their signs from footprints and howling to scat.

## Defensive Driving

**Saturday, November 18 | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM**  
Save money on your auto insurance! A \$30.00 fee, payable to Empire Safety Council by check, money order or cash is due the day of class. Please arrive early to sign in. Late comers will not be admitted. **Please bring a pen and your driver's license. You must register for this program in advance.**

## Madison Square Garden ZOOM

**Monday, November 20 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM**  
Madison Square Garden bills itself as the World's Most Famous Arena, and that is not an overstatement! The Garden has hosted some of the most iconic moments in the history of hockey, basketball, boxing, musical performance, and a host of other events. Award-winning sportswriter Hal Bock reviews the history of the Garden in this fascinating presentation.



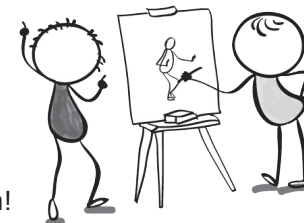
## Evening Book Discussion

**Tuesday, November 21 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM**  
*Before We Were Yours* by Lisa Wingate  
Download a copy of this book from Libby or pick up a copy at the Circulation Desk. **Refreshments will be provided.**



## Holiday Wood Stand Craft

**Tuesday, November 28 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM**  
Join Lily to create the perfect holiday wood stand just in time for the season. **Please bring a sponge brush and glue gun.**



## Pictionary Game Night

**Wednesday, November 29 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM**  
Come have a blast and play the classic game of Pictionary! Break into teams and let the fun begin. Can't draw? That's ok, you just need to win!

## Fee Classes

Registration for these classes begins Saturday, September 2 at 11:00 AM.

### Fall Floral Arrangement

**Wednesday, October 4 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM**  
Irene Morgan returns to show you how to make a pretty fall flower arrangement. Everyone gets to make their own to take home. **A \$4.00 materials fee is due at the time of registration.**

### Ceramic Gingerbread Boy

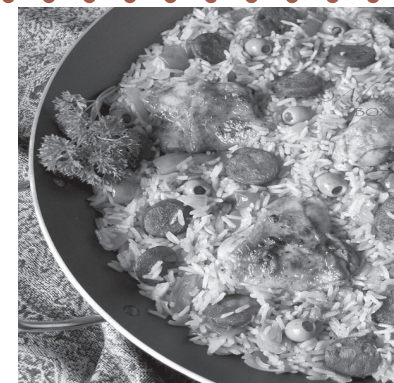
**Tuesday, November 14 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM**  
Get ready for the holiday season with Rosemarie Attard and this ceramic gingerbread boy. **A \$6.00 materials fee is due at the time of registration.**



### Cooking with El Matador Restaurant

**Thursday, November 16**  
**6:30 - 8:30 PM**

Join El Matador Restaurant for this delicious cooking demonstration! Tasting of an authentic Spanish dinner-arroz con gandules (rice with peas), chicken quesadillas and pollo con chorizo (chicken with Spanish sausage) will follow. **A \$5.00 materials fee is due at the time of registration.**



## Exercise Programs

Registration for the below classes is limited to two Copiague Library cards per person. A non-refundable fee of \$2.00 for each class in the series is due at registration. In-person registration begins Saturday, September 2 at 10:00 AM. Non-residents may register beginning Tuesday, September 5. **It is recommended that all participants in the exercise programs wear comfortable clothing. Please bring your own bottle of water.**

### Chair Yoga

**Fridays, September 15, 22, 29**  
**October 6, 13, 20, 27 • November 3, 17**  
**10:30 - 11:30 AM**  
Chair Yoga is a gentle form of yoga that is performed sitting on a chair, or standing and using a chair for support. The class will include breathing techniques and ways to relax the mind and body. **Bring your own mat to help steady the chair.**

### Morning Yoga

**Wednesdays, September 6, 13, 20, 27**  
**October 4, 11, 18, 25**  
**November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29**  
**10:00 - 11:00 AM**  
Reduce stress and anxiety while reaping other health benefits in this relaxing yoga class.



### Evening Yoga

**Mondays, September 11, 18, 25**  
**October 2, 16, 23, 30**  
**November 6, 13, 20, 27**  
**7:00 - 8:00 PM**  
Reduce stress and anxiety while reaping other health benefits in this relaxing yoga class.

### Zumba

**Saturdays, September 9, 23**  
**October 7, 21, 28 • November 4, 11, 25**  
**10:00 - 11:00 AM | Please bring a towel.**  
Zumba is an aerobic workout designed for everyone. Inspired by Latin music, the Zumba dance steps create a dynamic, exciting and effective fitness system. Join Zumba Instructor Eileen Padgett in dancing to get fit.

### REGISTRATION INFORMATION

In-person registration for Simply Stronger classes begins on **Monday, August 28 at 12:00 PM.** Non-residents may register beginning **Wednesday, August 30.**



**Simply Stronger**  
**11:00 - 11:45 AM**  
**Mondays, September 18, 25**  
**October 2, 16, 23, 30**  
**November 6, 13, 20, 27**



**Thursdays, September 7, 14, 21, 28**  
**October 5, 12, 19, 26 • November 2, 9, 16, 30**  
This exercise class focuses on low-impact cardio and light strength training. **Please bring 3-lb weights and a ball 8-10 inches in diameter.**

# Children

Registration for Child and Family programs will begin at 10:30 AM on Wednesday, August 30. Registration is required for all programs. You must use your child's Library card to register them for Children's programs.



## The ULTIMATE Playdate!

*Come one! Come all!*

Saturday, September 30 | 12:00 - 2:00 PM

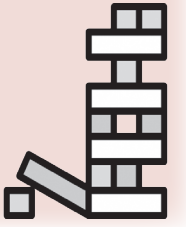
**It's the ultimate playdate!**

A celebration of play for all families. Come join us to play some old favorites and learn some new games.

A day full of hands on play with activities such as:

Giant Parachute  
Giant Jenga  
Corn Hole  
Giant Ring Toss

*And more!*



## Up to 3 Years Old

### Tumble Time with My Gym

Tuesdays, September 5, 19 • October 3, 17, 31 • November 14, 28  
10:30 - 11:15 AM | Ages: 6 months - 3 years

Join My Gym for fitness fun using music, songs, puppets and more! Your child will learn basic tumbling skills and spotting techniques while strengthening gross and fine motor skills.

### Little Crafters Storytime

Fridays, September 8, 22 • October 6, 20 • November 3, 17  
10:30 - 11:00 AM | Ages: 12 months - 3 years

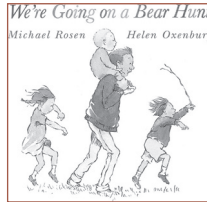
Come one! Come all! Join us for fun, stories, songs and crafts!



### We're Going on a Bear Hunt

Saturday, September 9 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Let's go find that bear in this interactive story walkthrough of the book *We're Going on a Bear Hunt* by Michael Rosen. Then we will make our own trail mix to snack on after our journey.



### Story Fun

Mondays, September 11, 18, 25 • October 2, 16, 23, 30  
November 6, 13, 20, 27 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Calling all toddlers! Come down and enjoy books, songs, rhymes, and fingerplays chosen for your toddler! Hip, Hip Hooray!

### Sing Sign with Me

Tuesdays, September 12, 26 • October 10, 24 • November 7, 21  
11:30 AM - 12:15 PM

Sing, sign a song, sing out loud, sign out strong! In this program your child will be introduced to a variety of ASL signs while learning some fun new songs. Join Lisa Curley for all the fun.

### Bilingual-Mother Goose

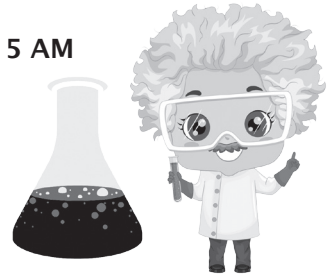
Thursdays, September 14 • October 19 • November 16 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Listen to Mother Goose rhymes with finger puppet play and dance to songs in English and Spanish. All are welcome!

### Baby Loves Science

Fridays, September 15 • October 13 | 10:30 - 11:15 AM

Babies are natural scientists. They are discovering and experimenting every minute. It's never too early to introduce children to science!



### Playdough Playdate

Thursday, September 21 | 10:30 - 11:15 AM

Come celebrate National Play-Doh Day with our playdough toys. Mold, build, and create!

### Baby Bonanza

Friday, September 29 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM | Ages: Up to 18 months

It's a playdate! Bring your child to the Library to play with toys while they connect with children their own age.

### Fantastic Fingerplays

Friday, October 27 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Join us for a half hour of fingerplays to get fine and gross motor skills working. Singing along is encouraged.



### Sesame Street Storytime

Thursday, November 9

10:30 - 11:00 AM

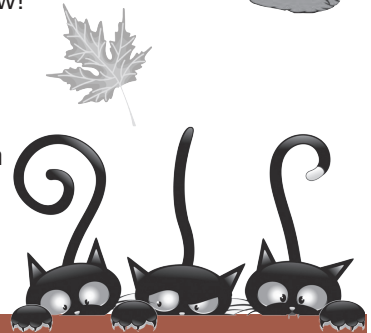
We will be "sweepin' the clouds away" and reading books with the characters from our favorite classic show!

### Sensory Storytime

Friday, November 24

10:30 - 11:00 AM

Sensory storytime is a more interactive approach to reading! Activities are built into this storytime that allow for movement and sensory input.



## 4 - 6 Years Old

### Milk and Cookies

Thursday, September 14 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

We will be reading some delicious cookie stories, making a cookie craft and snacking on, you guessed it, milk and cookies!



### Sensory Play

Monday, September 18 | 4:30 - 5:00 PM

Sensory play offers children a unique opportunity to engage with the world in a way that helps them grow and develop. This kind of active play helps to create connections in the brain that allow for increasingly complex thoughts and tasks.

### Bilingual-Is Everyone Ready for Fun?

Tuesday, September 19 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Join us for fun and active stories and create a porcupine craft after listening to *I Need a Hug: Necesito un Abrazo* by Aaron Blabey.

### If You Give a Kid a Pancake

Tuesday, September 26 | 4:30 - 5:00 PM

If you give a kid a pancake they may want to decorate it! Join us for this storytime with a yummy ending.

### Let's Dance

Thursdays, September 28 • October 12, 26 • November 9, 30

4:30 - 5:15 PM | Ages: K - Grade 5

Join the members of Great South Bay Dance in this fun and interactive class. **Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers.**

### Moo! Oink! Woof!

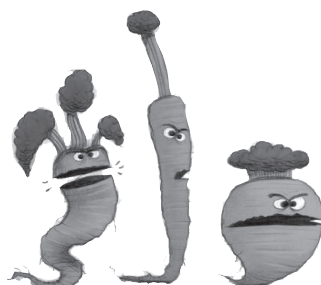
Monday, October 2 | 4:30 - 5:00 PM

Today is World Farm Animals Day! On this day we will read books, make a craft and talk about how special animals are to us.

### Sponge Brush Leaves

Thursday, October 19 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Orange, red and yellow! Learn how to simply blend fall colors to create the perfect tree.



### Let's Play with Our "Creepy" Food

Tuesday, October 24 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

We will be reading *Creepy Carrots* by Aaron Reynolds and then with themes from the book we will make a fun snack!

### Bilingual-Spooky, Spooky Ghost Stories

Tuesday, October 31 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Trick or Treat! Join us on the spookiest day of the year for some stories and a craft. Feel free to dress up!



### Squirrel!!

Thursday, November 2 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

The squirrels are hard at work getting ready for winter, but where do they go? In this storytime we will learn all about this busy animal and make a craft.

### DINovember

Monday, November 6 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Join Miss Jaimie for stories, songs, and rhymes all about dinosaurs and then make a dino-mite craft. Be sure to check out our Facebook page all month long for some great pictures of what our Dino toys get up to at the Library.

### Turkey Talk

Thursday, November 16 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Listen to a Thanksgiving story and then we will make our own thankful turkey puppet!



### Bilingual-Thankful for Family, Friends, and Feasts

Monday, November 20 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Join us for some Thanksgiving stories and a craft.

### World Hello Day

Tuesday, November 21 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM

World Hello Day celebrates using your voice to express feelings.

We will be reading a book about being kind and making a fun craft!

**MyGym:**  
**Basketball**  
Wednesday,  
September 13  
4:30 - 5:15 PM



**MyGym:**  
**Hockey**  
Wednesday,  
October 11  
4:30 - 5:15 PM



**MyGym:**  
**Soccer**  
Wednesday,  
November 8  
4:30 - 5:15 PM



My Gym will be here to teach your child the basics of playing different sports!

## Grades 2 - 5

**Mini Apple and Peanut Butter Pizza**  
**Friday, September 15 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM**  
 Using peanut butter as the sauce, children will make a healthy after-school snack!

**Hats Off to the Library**  
**Wednesday, September 20 | 4:30 - 6:30 PM**  
 Put on a thinking cap because in this program we will be designing our own baseball cap in our MakerSpace!

**Let's Dance**  
**Thursdays, September 28 • October 12, 26**  
**November 9, 30 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM**  
**Ages: K - Grade 5**  
 Join the members of Great South Bay Dance in this fun and interactive class. **Please wear comfortable clothing and sneakers.**

**Bubble Bubble Toil and Trouble**  
**Wednesday, October 4 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM**  
 POOF! FIZZ! BOOM! Come to the laboratory, I mean, Library to learn some fun science and do experiments!

**Bedazzled Gourds**  
**Wednesday, October 18**  
**5:00 - 6:00 PM**  
 Wow, that gourd your child made is just GOURDgous! Come learn how to stand out in the pumpkin patch this year!

**Watercolor Spider Webs**  
**Wednesday, October 25 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM**  
 Use hot glue and water color to create a unique, spooky decoration.

**Magic Notebook**  
**Friday, November 3 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM**  
 We will make a cool, squishy covered notebook for our doodles.

**Library Makers**  
**Wednesday, November 15 | 5:00 - 7:00 PM**  
 Join us in the Library MakerSpace to learn about our Glowforge Laser printer. Your child will get to design a wooden sign for their bedroom!

**Pear Puff Pastries**  
**Friday, November 24 | 3:30 - 4:30 PM**  
 What is that amazing fall smell in the air? It is the delicious pear pastries your child made at the Library. They will prep their pastries to bake at home.



## Family Programs - Grades Pre K - 5

**Cops, Crafts and Cupcakes**  
**Tuesday, October 10**  
**4:30 - 5:30 PM**  
 Meet Police Officers Maio, Ventura, Richardson and Sgt. Raber who will spend time speaking to your children about what they do in the community to keep families safe. There will also be crafts and cupcakes!



**Meet the Firefighters**  
**Saturday, October 21**  
**1:00 - 2:00 PM**  
 It's Fire Prevention Month! Come to the Library to meet Copiague's own firefighters! These community heroes will talk to your child about what to do in case there is a fire. They will then have a meet and greet with the fire truck after we read a fun book!

## Children's Movie & Pizza

Children must be accompanied by a chaperone 16 or older.

Adults must be accompanied by a child in fifth grade or below.



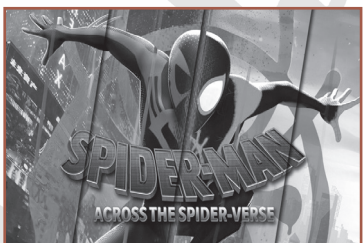
**Super Mario Bros. Movie**  
 1hr 32mins (PG)

**Wednesday, September 6**  
**4:30 - 6:30 PM**



**The Little Mermaid (2023)**  
 2hrs 15mins (PG)

**Friday, October 6**  
**4:30 - 7:00 PM**



**Spider-man: Across the Spider-verse**  
 2hrs 16mins (PG)

**Wednesday, November 22**  
**3:00 - 5:30 PM**

## Spooky Halloween Programs

### Pumpkin Carving

**Friday, October 20 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

Bring the family down to the Library and create a scary, funny or unique Jack-O-Lantern! We provide the pumpkin and all materials, you provide the Halloween spirit! Enjoy refreshments and Halloween music as families create their ultimate pumpkin masterpiece! **In person registration begins Saturday, September 9 at 11:00 AM. There is a non-refundable \$3.00 materials fee per family for this program. Limit one pumpkin per family.**



### Halloween Parade

**Saturday, October 28 | 12:00 - 2:00 PM**

Have fun with the staff as we parade around the Library in our Halloween costumes trick or treating. The parade route begins in the Children's Room and ends in the auditorium where children will enjoy pizza and then watch a Halloween cartoon.

### Library Card Raffle

September is National Library Card Sign-up month! Stop by the Children's Room before Saturday, October 1, with your child's valid Copiague Library card to get a magnet and be entered into a raffle to win a special Library basket!

### Bead People Keychains

**Monday, September 11 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM**  
 Make some custom keychains great for back to school.

### Fall Drop-In Crafts

**Tuesdays, September 12 • October 10 • November 14**  
**12:00 - 8:00 PM**  
 Drop-in and make a simple fall craft while visiting the Children's Room! **No registration necessary.**

### Kid's Zumba

**Saturdays, September 16 • November 25**  
**12:00 - 12:45 PM | Ages: Pre-K - Grade 3**  
 Zumba is a way to exercise that involves cardio and Latin-inspired dance. Instructor Lori Lim will be here for this 2-session class to teach your child how to keep fit with Zumba!



### Wild and Wacky Animals

**Saturday, September 23 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM**  
 Join us to learn about unique animals and make a craft.

### Not So Scary Tea Party

**Saturday, October 7 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM**  
 Let's spill the tea together in our creepy tea party. There will be ghoulish games, mordifying music, a chilling craft and spine-tingling special treats. It will be a monstrous amount of fun!

### Halloween Moon Pouches

**Friday, October 27 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM**  
 Your child will learn about the moon and make their own crescent moon pouch to hold some sweet treats or their own spooky trinkets.

### Gobble 'Em Up Cupcakes

**Wednesday, November 1 | 5:00 - 6:00 PM**  
 Your child will make their very own Turkey cupcake! They will get a chance to decorate their own and gobble it up!



### Sesame Street Day

**Saturday, November 11 | 12:00 - 2:00 PM**  
 Sesame Street debuted on November 10, 1969 and we want to celebrate all the love and education this show has given children. We will make Cookie Monster cookies, Count through a scavenger hunt, help Big Bird solve a problem, play fish toss with the Swedish Chef, have a silly game with Gonzo and Camilla the chicken and more!

### Chain of Kindness

**Tuesday, November 28 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM**  
 Listen to stories about being kind and start off our chain of kindness. We will be making a collaborative craft which will be displayed with our paper chain in the Children's Room afterwards. We will add on to our chain as the season of giving goes on.

### Pumpkin Patch Dirt Cups

**Wednesday, November 29 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM**  
 Enjoy making this fall time treat of pudding, Oreo cookies and candies!



## The Great Give Back

The Great Give Back is a community service initiative created by Long Island libraries that provides opportunities for the patrons and staff of the public libraries of New York State to join together, create connections and participate in meaningful, service-oriented experiences.

### Kid's Pajama Drive

Every child should have the opportunity to celebrate Pajama Day! The Copiague Library will be accepting new pajamas to be donated to families in need starting September 5. **Pajamas ranging in size 0 to children's size 18 will be accepted.**



### Children's Halloween Costume Donation

**September 3 - October 14**  
 Stop down at the Library to browse and bring home the perfect costume for your little one or elementary age child. Selection is limited based on what is donated. Donations will also be accepted on this day.



# Teen

Registration for Teen programs will begin at 10:30 AM on Wednesday, August 30. Registration is required for all programs and programs will be held in-person.



## Teen The Great Give Back

The Great Give Back is a community service initiative created by Long Island libraries that provides opportunities for the patrons and staff of the public libraries of New York State to join together, create connections and participate in meaningful, service-oriented experiences. **All volunteers will be eligible for community service hours.**

### Teen Volunteer Car Wash Saturday, October 7 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Give back to the community in our first ever volunteer car wash. Join us in the back parking lot as we clean up the neighborhood one car at a time. **Dress appropriately. Lunch will be provided.**



### Teen Halloween Costume Drive Saturday, October 14 | 9:30 - 11:30 AM

Celebrate the Great Give Back by donating your time taking in and organizing Halloween costumes for our costume drive.

### Teen Chance Auction Volunteers Saturday, October 21 | 12:00 - 4:00 PM

Join the Friends of the Library in their annual Chance Auction to assist with setting up and bringing winners their fabulous prizes.

## Teen Volunteer

All volunteers will be eligible for community service hours.

### Teen Veteran Card Making Wednesday, October 4 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Help brighten the day of our Veteran's by using your creativity and kindness to make these patriotic cards. Join us in our MakerSpace to create these thankful cards.



### Teen Senior Center Holiday Cards Thursday, November 2 7:00 - 8:00 PM

The holidays are right around the corner. Let's create some cheerful holiday cards for our local seniors. Join us in our MakerSpace and let's get crafty.

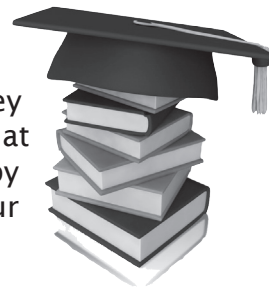


### Teen Birthday Bag Assembly Tuesday, November 21 7:00 - 8:00 PM

We will be organizing the donations we received as well as making birthday cards.

## 100 Books Before College

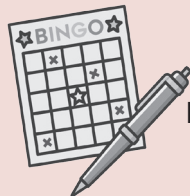
The 100 Books Before Graduation is a reading initiative for teens to read 100 books before they graduate from high school. You will earn prizes at every 25-book milestone along the way. Stop by the Information Desk to register and receive your reading log. Join the challenge today!



## Teen Bites & BINGO

Tuesday, November 7  
7:00 - 8:00 PM

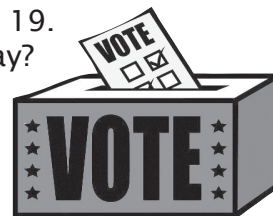
Let's have some good old-fashioned fun with BINGO. Everyone will enjoy snacks and prizes.



## Teen National Voter Registration Day

Tuesday, September 19  
3:00 - 7:00 PM

National Voter Registration Day is September 19. Turning 18 before November's Election Day? Drop in at the Library on Tuesday, September 19 and staff from the Town of Babylons Clerk's office will assist helping you register to vote for the first time.



## Creative Teens

### Teen DIY Locker Magnets

Friday, September 8 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Celebrate the start of the new school year. Make your own magnets and use them on your locker to give it some pizzazz!



### Teen Anime Perler Beads

Friday, September 22 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Design your favorite anime character out of Perler beads. We'll supply the beads, you supply the creativity!



### Teen Maker Tuesday: No-Sew Pet Bed

Tuesday, September 26 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Let's get creative and create a no sew bed perfect for a cat or a dog. Don't have a pet, don't worry, donate your pet bed to our animal pet drive.

### Teen Pink Pumpkins | Tuesday, October 3 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Spread breast cancer awareness by decorating and displaying a pink pumpkin in your home.

### Teen Galaxy Ornaments | Thursday, October 5 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Did you know that on Saturday, October 14 we will have an annular solar eclipse? This happens when the Moon covers the Sun's center, leaving the Sun's visible outer edges to form a "ring of fire". Join us as we discuss this phenomenon and create some galaxy ornaments. Get ready for the total Eclipse on April 8, 2024.

### Teen Candle Making

Thursday, October 26 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Get into the spooky spirit and create a Halloween-theme candle with Chrissy from Curiously Creative Candles. It will be a spooktacular time.



### Teen Day of the Dead Party

Wednesday, November 1 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Día de los Muertos is tomorrow. Let's celebrate all things Day of The Dead in a festive and crafty party.

### Teen Maker Tuesday: Beanies or Hats

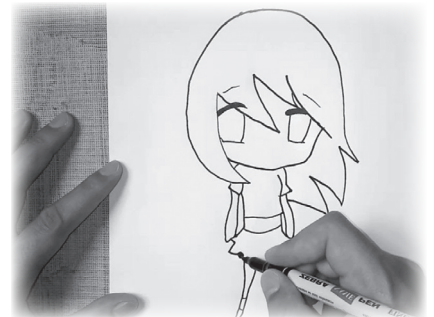
Tuesday, November 28 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Join us in our MakerSpace to personalize your very own beanie or hat just in time for the colder weather.

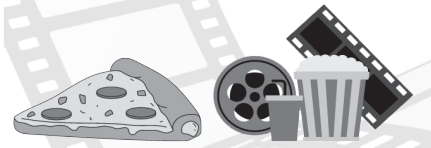
### Teen Learn How to Draw Chibi Workshop

Thursday, November 30 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Chibi is a Japanese slang word meaning "short person" or "small child". It is frequently used in anime and manga. Join McKel Supreme from Night and Day Anime Studios for this fun drawing workshop.



## Teen Movie & Pizza



### Dungeons & Dragons: Honor Among Thieves

Friday, September 29

4:30 - 7:00 PM  
2hrs 14mins (PG-13)



### Guardians of The Galaxy Vol. 3

Friday, October 13

4:30 - 7:00 PM  
2hrs 30mins (PG-13)



### Fast X

Friday, November 17

4:30 - 7:00 PM  
2hrs 21mins (PG-13)

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Monday - Friday - 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM  
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Sunday - Closed

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### Board Meetings

Wednesdays at 6:00 PM  
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