

# Library Newsletter - Winter 2023/24

December - January - February

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To make an appointment to apply for your U.S. Passport call the Library at 631-691-1111.



## Holiday Hours

**Saturday, December 23**  
Christmas Eve (Obs) - Closed

**Monday, December 25**  
Christmas Day - Closed

**Saturday, December 30**  
New Year's Eve (Obs)  
Open 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM

**Monday, January 1**  
New Year's Day - Closed

**Monday, January 15**  
Martin Luther King Day - Closed

**Monday, February 19**  
President's Day - Closed

## Inclement Weather

In case of inclement weather, please make sure to check the message at the top of our homepage ([copiaguelibrary.org](http://copiaguelibrary.org)) or call 631-691-1111 to make sure the Library is open.

## CHECK OUT THE SLED!

Wednesday, December 27  
3:00 - 5:00 PM



The SLED is the Suffolk County Public Libraries mobile library services vehicle, and it will be here at the Library on Wednesday, December 27 from 3:00 - 5:00 PM!

The SLED will be decorated for the holidays, so stop by on your way in to the Children's Pizza and a Movie program that afternoon and check out all the cool gadgets, tech and toys on board!

## Holiday Give Back

**Kids Need More Toy Donations**  
Donations accepted until December 15

Drop off new and unwrapped toys to the Library donation box! The Kids Need More elves travel all over Long Island delivering gifts to children coping with cancer and serious illness.



**Spread the Warmth with our Mitten Tree**

Donations accepted between December 1 - December 30

Patrons can bring in new mittens, gloves, hats, scarves or socks and hang them on our Mitten Tree in the Children's Room. The items will be donated to local agencies for distribution to children and adults in need throughout the community.



**Holiday Food Drive**

Donations accepted until 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.



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You're more creative than you think



## Get Creative This Winter!

Winter is the perfect time to get cozy and creative by making a craft or learning a new hobby! **Creativebug** has thousands of award-winning art & craft video classes taught by recognized design experts and artists. Nurture your creative soul by learning new skills and learn easy ways to practice your craft every day.

Our new **Hobbies & Crafts Reference Center** is a full text database that includes articles, books and videos on everything from scrapbooking, needlecraft, model building, kid's crafts, recreation, and home and garden.

Don't forget to check out our **MakerSpace**, where Library staff can help you create a host of cool objects, or borrow a musical instrument from our **Library of Things**. Embrace your inner artist this season!



*Thank You!*



We would like to acknowledge the generous donation made to the Library by the Aadland and Campbell families in the memory of longtime patron Audrey Aadland.

We would also like to thank the Friends of the Copiague Library for their generous donation in helping to fund our Adult, Teen and Family Gingerbread House programs this holiday season!

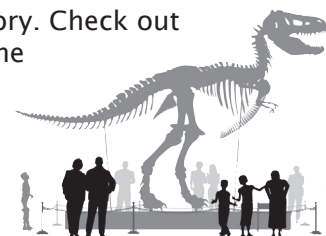


See inside for dates and registration information.

## Discount Tickets

### American Museum of Natural History

The Library has discounted tickets (over 50% off the Adult ticket price) to the American Museum of Natural History. Check out the new Gilder Center, the Invisible Worlds exhibit, the Butterfly Vivarium and all of your old favorites like the dinosaur fossils and the Big Blue Whale!



Ticket vouchers can be purchased at the Library for \$10.00 each, and include general admission and access to one temporary exhibition or film.

**Please note: Ticket vouchers expire on August 31, 2024. You must reserve a timed entry for the day of your visit, which you can do online at [copiaguelibrary.org](http://copiaguelibrary.org).**

### Library Lovers' Month BINGO Challenge

February is National Library Lovers' Month! Get to know your library better in our Library Lovers' Month BINGO Challenge. During the month of February, you can read books and complete different Library-related activities to finish your BINGO card and earn a chance to win a prize!

### Friends of the Library Book and Media Sale

Saturday, March 2  
9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Hundreds of titles! Your purchase of used books, DVD's, CD's, and books on CD support the Friends of the Copiague Library. For \$5.00 you are able to fill one of the bags provided. Donations of used books and media in good condition are accepted. Please call the Library for more information.



### Literacy Suffolk Volunteers

Become a volunteer with Literacy Suffolk! Learn how to help adults improve their English, reading and writing skills. Stop by the Information Desk and ask for an application.

All tutors must complete either online or in-person training. Tutors and learners arrange to meet at a local library. You will be matched with a student with similar availability.

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# What's Going On @ Your Library?



## Troopons® Coupons for our Troops

December 1 - January 31

Did you know that expired manufacturer coupons are still good for 6 months at U.S. military bases overseas? Donate your unused coupons to Troopons! Please drop off your coupons at the Information Desk, we will be collecting them to send to our troops overseas.

## One-On-One Tech Help Appointments

Copague 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 Copague History Project

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

Copague 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 Copague 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 [copaguelibrary.org](http://copaguelibrary.org) or follow the QR code.



## 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. Contact us at [friendsofthecopaguelibrary@yahoo.com](mailto:friendsofthecopaguelibrary@yahoo.com).*

### Friends of the Library Meeting

Wednesday, January 17 | 6:00 PM

The Friends of the Copague 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 BINGO Fundraiser

Saturday, February 3

Doors open at: 2:00 PM | BINGO begins at: 2:30 PM

Cost: \$10.00 for 10 games

Join the Friends of the Library for an afternoon of fun and prizes in their first BINGO fundraiser. Additional cards may be purchased for \$3.00 each. Space is limited.

## 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 Copague Library StoryWalk® yet? During the months of December, January and February, the book *I'm Not Scared, YOU'RE Scared!* by Seth Meyers will be featured. You can find our StoryWalk® at the North Amityville Community Complex off Cedar Road.

## ESL | 6:00 - 9:00 PM

Tuesdays, December 5, 12, 19 • January 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 • February 6, 13, 27  
Thursdays, December 7, 14, 21 • January 4, 11, 18, 25 • February 1, 8, 15, 29  
Learn English through the Western Suffolk BOCES Adult Literacy program at the Copague Library. To register please call BOCES 631-667-6000 ext. 327.

## Knitting and Crocheting | 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Tuesdays, December 5, 12, 19, 26 • January 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 • February 6, 13, 20, 27  
This informal group of knitters and crocheters meets at the Library to share ideas, tips and tricks and spend time working on various projects.

## Programas y Recursos en Español

### Adultos Clases de Artesanía

#### Manualidades Navideñas

Martes, 12 de diciembre

6:30 - 8:30 PM

Únete a Lily para crear la decoración navideña perfecta justo a tiempo para las fiestas. Por favor traiga un pincel y un cepillo de esponja.



#### Manualidad Escena del País de las Maravillas Invernal

Martes, 9 de enero | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Únete a Lily para crear esta hermosa escena del país de las maravillas de invierno. Trae un pincel y una pistola de pegamento.

#### Manualidad con Dulces de San Valentín

Martes, 6 de febrero | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

El amor está en el aire con dulces por todas partes. Únete a Lily y haz un plato de dulces para llenar con algunos dulces encantadores. Por favor traiga un pincel, pistola de pegamento y una esponja de papel de lija.



### Programas Infantiles en Español

#### Información Sobre la Inscripción

La inscripción para estos programas comenzará a las 10:30 AM del miércoles, 29 de noviembre.

#### Bilingüe Mama Gansa

Jueves, 14 de diciembre • 11 de enero

15 de febrero | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Edades: Nacimiento - 4 años

Escuche las rimas de Mama Gansa con marionetes de dedo y baile con canciones en inglés y español. Todos son bienvenidos.



#### Bilingüe Cuento Hooray for Snow y Manualidad

Miércoles, 17 de enero | 4:30 - 5:15 PM | Edades: 4 - 6 años

Escuche un cuento de nieve y hacemos una manualidad de copa de nieve con azúcar y teñir.

#### Bilingüe



## BLINGO

Jueves, 8 de febrero

4:30 - 5:15 PM

Edades: 4 - 6 años

Diviértete jugando Bilingüe BINGO y mejora tu vocabulario y gana premios.

## Programas y Recursos en Español

### ESL

Martes, 5, 12, 19 de diciembre • 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 de enero • 6, 13, 27 de febrero

Jueves, 7, 14, 21 de diciembre • 4, 11, 18, 25 de enero • 1, 8, 15, 29 de febrero

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.



### Mujeres Unidas

Lunes, 11 de diciembre • 8 de enero

12 de febrero | 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Registrarse 28 de noviembre

Únete a nuestro grupo de mujeres y has 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 Copague.

### 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.





# December Adult Programs

Registration for December programs begins on Tuesday, November 28 at 10:30 AM.

## Holiday Gift Wrapping Station

**Mondays and Saturdays**  
November 25 - December 18

Saturdays 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM | Mondays 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Visit the Library MakerSpace to creatively wrap your holiday gifts.

Choose your wrapping paper, ribbons and tags, or create your own unique gift tag with our Cricut!



All materials will be provided.  
Copiague Library cardholders only.

## Adult Winter Reading Club

### *Snow is Falling, Books are Calling*

December 1 - February 29

As the weather turns cold, join us for our Winter Reading Club.

Read five books by February 29 and you will be able to attend our reading club social being held on Friday, March 1.



### Afternoon Book Discussion

Thursday, December 14 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM

*The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek* by Kim Michele Richardson

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

### Long Island Sierra Club:

**The Long Island Mammal Survey**

Thursday, December 14 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

This program will be held in person and via Zoom.

The goal of this multi-year survey is to map the distribution of terrestrial and semi-aquatic mammals on Long Island. Enrico Nardone, from the Seatuck Environmental Association, will cover some of the known changes in the species composition of mammals on Long Island and how to get involved in this project.



### One-on-One Medicare Counseling and Assistance

Fridays, December 15 • January 19 • February 16 | 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, December 1, 15, 22, 29 • January 5, 12, 19, 26

February 2, 9, 16, 23 | 12:30 - 3:30 PM

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

### Cookies, Coffee and Karaoke

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

Belt out a song on karaoke Friday! Sing your favorite song or enjoy the tunes sung by your family and friends. Refreshments will be provided.

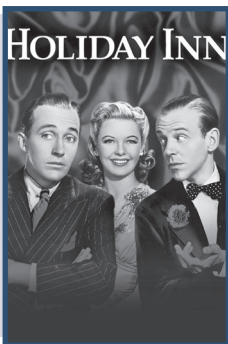
### Saturday Afternoon Movie and Pizza

Saturday, December 2 | 3:00 - 5:00 PM

#### *Holiday Inn*

Musical/Romance (NR) | 1 hr 40mins

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).



### Inner Peace Through Meditation This Holiday Season

Monday, December 4 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Join Arlene Samsel as she presents a simple, yet powerful meditation technique that can enrich your life on many levels and help you with seasonal stress.



### Holiday Magic Concert

Saturday, December 16 | 3:00 - 4:30 PM

Join Perfect Combination-Donna Lee and Kenny Hendricks-in this exciting, uplifting, sing-along show with holiday songs. Enjoy feel good music from the Carpenters, Bruce Springsteen, Tony Bennet and many more, to warm your heart this holiday season.



### December Matinee Movies

Wednesdays, December 6, 13, 20, 27

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

December 6 | *Love the Coopers* | Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 47mins

December 13 | *Christmas on the Square* | Comedy (PG) 1hr 38mins

December 20 | *National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation* | Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 37mins

December 27 | *Barbie* | Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 54mins

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

### Merry Christmas to All Sign Craft

Wednesday, December 6 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Deck the halls with this festive craft. Join Rinette to create a jolly sign. Please bring a glue gun and scissors.

### Defensive Driving

Saturday, December 9 | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

A \$33.00 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. Registration is necessary.

### Stained Glass Poinsettia Craft

Tuesday, December 12 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Lily to create the perfect holiday décor craft just in time for the holidays. Please bring a paint brush and a sponge brush.



### European Holiday Markets

Wednesday, December 13  
7:30 - 8:30 PM

Join our Savvy Sightseer Jeanne Schnupp as she takes you along a tour to visit some of the best in European Christmas Markets. Whether they call it Marche de Noel, Weihnachtsmarkt, Kerstmarkt or just plain old Christmas Market, this popular annual event becomes the go-to destination in December in towns all over Europe!

### Maker Monday: Holiday Coasters

Monday, December 18 | 4:00 - 4:45 PM or 5:00 - 5:45 PM

We're making last minute gifts! Join us in the MakerSpace to create some coasters (set of 2) you can give as gifts or keep for yourself.

### Joseph Dwyer Veterans Project

Tuesdays, December 19 • January 16 • February 20 | 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

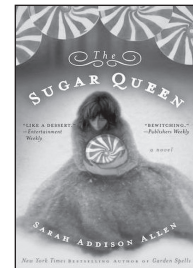
The Dwyer Project serves veterans, service members, and their families with post-service transitional issues, including post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and traumatic brain injury (TBI). Support groups are led by veteran peers who can relate to the experiences of group members.

### Evening Book Discussion

Tuesday, December 19 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

*The Sugar Queen* by Sarah Addison Allen

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



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

Thursdays, December 21 • January 18 • February 15  
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.

### Gingerbread House Workshop

Thursday, December 21 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Be part of a Library tradition by creating a beautiful gingerbread house. We'll supply the gingerbread kit, refreshments and festive music. Please feel free to bring extra candy to decorate your house.



### New Year's BINGO

Thursday, December 28 | 6:00 - 7:00 PM

2024 is right around the corner! Join us as we play your favorite game of BINGO. Let's end the year with some fabulous prizes to help you ring in the new year.



# January Adult Programs

Registration for January programs begins on Tuesday, December 26 at 10:30 AM.

## January Matinee Movies

Wednesdays, January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31  
Doors open at 11:30 AM | Movie starts at 12:00 PM

- January 3 | *Book Club: The Next Chapter*  
Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 47mins
- January 10 | *Indiana Jones and the Dial of Destiny*  
Action (PG-13) 2hrs 34mins
- January 17 | *The Phantom of the Open*  
Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 46mins
- January 24 | *Are You There God? It's Me, Margaret*  
Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 46mins
- January 31 | *What's Love Got to Do With It?*  
Comedy (PG-13) 1hr 48mins

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

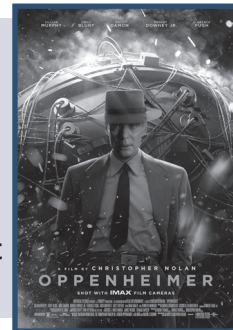
## Saturday Afternoon Movie and Pizza

Saturday, January 13 | 2:00 - 5:00 PM

### *Oppenheimer*

Drama (R) | 3hrs

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



## Home Study Orientation

Wednesday, January 17 | 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 pick up assignments at convenient locations. For more information and to register please call 631-667-6000 X191.

## College Funding Seminar

Wednesday, January 17 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

This seminar is geared towards parents, grandparents, and guardians who are interested in building a college funding plan for their children or grandchildren and to educate them on the various tools available. Student loans and their effects on college graduates, present and future four-year degree costs, and options and resources available in building a college funding plan will all be discussed.

## Antarctica: My Experience at the Bottom of the World

Thursday, January 18 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Professor of Biology and Oceanography Dr. Marianne E. McNamara will highlight the adventures of conducting research on and living aboard an icebreaker at the bottom of the world. Find out how scientists work (and play) in this harsh, remote but beautiful setting. Enjoy breathtaking photography while Dr. McNamara describes traveling in 60-foot seas, working in subzero temperatures under 24 hours of daylight and encountering the locals (seals, whales, and penguins)!



## Come For Tea

Saturday, January 20 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM

A cream tea is a simple service consisting of a cup of freshly brewed tea served with scones, fruit breads, cakes, and other teatime treats. Join us during National Hot Tea Month as Margaret Johnson shares tea history, a variety of recipes, and helps you create your own cream tea.



## Diabetes 101

Tuesday, January 23 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM

This program covers the basics that you need to know if you or a loved one were diagnosed with diabetes. Participants will learn about diabetes as well as self-management skills including meal planning, self-testing blood glucose levels, working with providers, and stress management.

## 3-D Heart Shadowbox Craft

Thursday, January 25 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Rinette to create a lovely 3-D heart-themed shadow box for Valentine's Day. Please bring a paint brush and glue gun.

## Defensive Driving

Saturday, January 27 | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

A \$33.00 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. Registration is necessary.

## Taxes 101: Preventing Needless Tax Liabilities

Monday, January 29 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

The average American pays more income taxes than necessary because of a failure to understand the tax code and by not capitalizing on opportunities permitted. Join CPA Daniel Mazzola to learn how an informed taxpayer can reduce their tax burden by planning and deploying strategies designed to take advantage of allowances, credits and deductions.

## Evening Book Discussion

Tuesday, January 30 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

### *The Travelling Cat Chronicles* by Hiro Arikaway

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



## Owls of Long Island

Wednesday, January 31  
6:30 - 7:30 PM

Fascinating, mysterious and beautiful, owls are magnificent creatures that can be found all over Long Island. Longtime birder Dianne Taggart will tell us all about these wonderful birds through photos and fun interesting facts!



## VITA Tax Assistance

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program provided by Bethpage Federal Credit Union will be conducted virtually for the 2024 Tax Season. Services will be available to taxpayers by visiting [lovebethpage.com/vita](https://www.lovebethpage.com/vita) and completing the "Bethpage Virtual VITA Application." The application will be available February 1 and space is limited. The VITA program will assist tax return applicants who meet the necessary criteria from the beginning of February through the first week of April.

## Winter-Themed Wall Hanging Craft

Thursday, January 4 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Rinette to create a snowman magnet and decoupage a winter-themed wall hanging. Please bring a paint brush, sandpaper, black sharpie and glue gun.

## Cookies, Coffee and Karaoke

Saturday, January 6 | 3:00 - 5:00 PM

Belt out a song on karaoke Saturday! Sing your favorite song or enjoy the tunes sung by your family and friends. Refreshments will be provided.

## Maker Monday: Acrylic Tassel Keychains

Monday, January 8 | 4:00 - 4:45 PM or 5:00 - 5:45 PM

Join us in the MakerSpace as we customize an acrylic keychain using the Cricut machine.

## Winter Wonderland Scene Craft

Tuesday, January 9 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join Lily to create this beautiful winter wonderland scene. Please bring a paint brush and glue gun.

## Coffee with a Cop

Wednesday, January 10 | 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Join members of the Suffolk County 1st Precinct to discuss issues and questions and have a cup of coffee! Registration not required.



## Afternoon Book Discussion

Thursday, January 11 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM

### *Anxious People* by Fredrik Backman

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



## Long Island Sierra Club: Seal Watching on Long Island

Thursday, January 11 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

This program will be held in person and via Zoom.

Dr. Artie Kopelman, President of CRESLI (Coastal Research and Education Society of Long Island) has been conducting seal walks and cruises for almost 20 years. CRESLI was formed by local scientists and professors to preserve and protect marine mammals including pinnipeds (feathered or winged feet) that make Long Island their winter home. Learn about their important work in this informative presentation.



## Financial Planning



### Building Wealth: Asset Accumulation

Friday, January 12 | 1:00 - 2:30 PM

### Saving For College and Retirement Planning

Friday, January 19 | 1:00 - 2:30 PM

### Long Term Care

Friday, January 26 | 1:00 - 2:30 PM

Is your money controlling you, or do you control your money? In these Financial Foundation Educational programs, you will learn how to make money work better for you, discover new sources of revenue, best ways to save and how to invest and build wealth.

To register please go to [tinyurl.com/tinaworkshopsvp](https://tinyurl.com/tinaworkshopsvp).





# February Adult Programs

Registration for February programs begins on Tuesday, January 30 at 10:30 AM.

## Drop-In Sublimation Bookmarks

Saturday, February 3 | 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Celebrate National Library Lovers' Month! Stop by the MakerSpace to make a colorful bookmark with our sublimation printer and heat press. All ages welcome! **Registration not required.**

## Valentine's Day Candy Dish Craft

Tuesday, February 6 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Love is in the air with sweets everywhere. Join Lily and make a candy dish to fill with some lovely sweets. **Please bring a paint brush, glue gun, sandpaper and a sponge brush.**



## Create Fulfilling Relationships

Tuesday, February 13 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Did you know that the quality of our relationships reflects the quality of our lives? Join Jolanta Bazyte as she discusses the new scientific research that shows that positive and fulfilling relationships have a bigger impact on your longevity, health and happiness than diet and exercise!

## Defensive Driving

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## The Relevance of the Roaring

Zoom **Twenties a Hundred Years Later**

Wednesday, February 21 | 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Few decades capture the imagination like the Roaring Twenties, a decade that got its start in the turmoil of World War I and ended in disastrous fashion with the beginning of the Great Depression. Join historian Martin H. Levinson in discussing this remarkable era and the relevance it holds for life in America today.

## Black History Month Concert

Saturday, February 24 | 3:00 - 5:00 PM

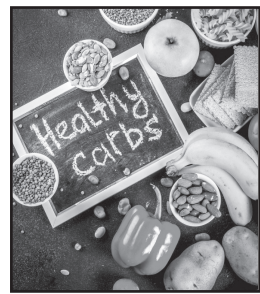
Come get cozy with Paige Patterson and her Valentines Homage to Black History. Ms. Patterson's amazing show pays tribute to singers like Bobby Short, Duke Ellington, Stevie Wonder, Nancy Wilson, Alicia Keys and many more.



## Maker Monday: Wine Bottle Tote Bags

Monday, February 26 | 4:00 - 4:45 PM or 5:00 - 5:45 PM

Let's get crafty! Join us in the MakerSpace to create a wine bottle tote bag with our Cricut machine and heat press.



## Carb Counting 101

Tuesday, February 27 | 2:00 - 3:00 PM

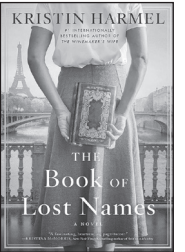
This class is great for those with Type 1 Diabetes or anyone who would like to learn more about the Carbohydrate Counting method. Participants will review the basics of carb counting and label reading. The presentation will demonstrate how to apply those basics to meal planning. Join a representative from Cornell Cooperative for this informative presentation.

## Evening Book Discussion

Tuesday, February 27 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

**The Book of Lost Names** by Kristin Harmel

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



## February Matinee Movies

Wednesdays, February 7, 14, 21, 28

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

February 7 | **Big George Forman** Drama (PG-13) 2hrs 13mins

February 14 | **Love Again** Romance (PG-13) 1hr 44mins

February 21 | **Chevalier** Biography (PG-13) 1hr 48mins

February 28 | **I Wanna Dance With Somebody** Drama (PG-13) 2hrs 24mins

Please feel free to bring a beverage and snack.

Movie reviews and parent guides can be found at [imdb.com](http://imdb.com).

## Afternoon Book Discussion

Thursday, February 8 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM | **Verity** by Colleen Hoover

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

## Long Island Sierra Club: Condors - Zoom

Back to the Wild, Amazing Tales from the San Diego Zoo

Thursday, February 8 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM

**This program will be held in person and via Zoom.**

Take a fascinating look at condors-on the brink of extinction in the 1980's-being captured, captive bred and reintroduced back into the wild. Followed by a discussion with a local naturalist about animals facing extinction like whales, horseshoe crabs and the Long Island prairie hen.

## Be My AI Valentine

Saturday, February 10 | 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Stop by the MakerSpace to get ready for Valentine's Day by creating a special message with the help of an artificial intelligence. You can then create a card to take home with you. All ages welcome! **Registration not required.**

## How a Baseball Team Broke Racial Barriers

Saturday, February 10 | 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Long Island has been a part of many major turning points of American history, but has been overlooked as a battle ground in the civil rights movement. Author and history instructor Christopher Verga will discuss the impact of the *Cuban Giants*. This local minor league team produced players such as Solomon "Sol" White, who used his notoriety to desegregate the minor leagues years before Jackie Robinson broke the color barrier in the major leagues.

## Fee Classes

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

### Coiled Heart Wreath

Tuesday, January 23

6:30 - 8:30 PM

Love is in the air with artist Bonnie Schwartz. Create the perfect coiled heart wreath for Valentine's Day using your choice of patterned and solid paper and ribbon for hanging. **A \$7.00 materials fee due at the time of registration.**



### NOLA Breakfast

Wednesday, February 7

6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join award-winning BBQ Pitmaster Brian Collins as he returns with some Mardi Gras favorites! Sip chicory coffee, enjoy fresh beignets and shrimp and grits as Brian demonstrates how to recreate these delicious treats at home. **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, December 2 at 10:00 AM. Non-residents may register beginning Monday, December 4. **It is recommended that all participants in the exercise programs wear comfortable clothing. Please bring your own bottle of water.**

### Chair Yoga

Fridays, December 8, 15, 22, 29

January 5, 12, 19, 26 • February 2, 9, 16, 23

10:30 - 11:30 AM

**Bring your own mat to help steady the chair.** 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.

### Morning Yoga

Wednesdays, December 6, 13, 20, 27

January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 • February 7, 14, 21, 28

10:00 - 11:00 AM

Reduce stress and anxiety and reap other health benefits in this relaxing morning yoga class.

### Evening Yoga

Mondays, December 4, 11 • January 8, 22, 29

February 5, 12, 26 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Reduce stress and anxiety and reap other health benefits in this relaxing evening yoga class.

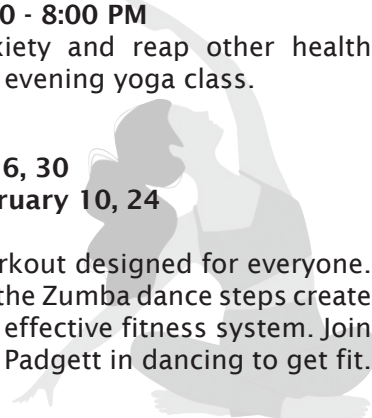
### Zumba

Saturdays, December 16, 30

January 6, 13, 20 • February 10, 24

10:00 - 11:00 AM

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.



## SIMPLY STRONGER REGISTRATION

In-person registration for Simply Stronger classes begins on Monday, November 27 at 12:00 PM. Non-residents may register beginning Wednesday, November 29.

### Simply Stronger

Mondays, December 4, 11, 18

January 8, 22, 29 • February 5, 12, 26

Thursdays, December 7, 14, 21, 28

January 4, 11, 18, 25

February 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

11:00 - 11:45 AM

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, November 29. Registration is required for all programs. You must use your child's Library card to register them for Children's programs.

## Winter Reading Club CHILL OUT AND READ AT THE LIBRARY



December 2 - February 29

**Get out of the cold winter weather and come to the Library!**

Let us know what your child has read each month and they will get a sticker. Also, whenever your child attends one of our special programs they will be put in our "Chill Out and Read" raffle.

Special programs are indicated by a penguin icon.



### Calling all Scout Leaders!

Were you aware that scouts can earn badges at the Copiague Library?

To schedule a visit for your group, contact the Library at 631-691-1111 and request to speak with Stefanie.



### Winter Reading Warm Up

Saturday, December 16  
12:00 - 1:00 PM



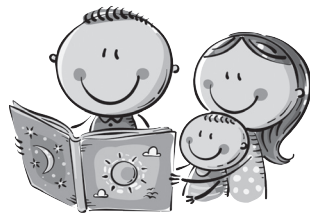
Snuggle up with a cup of hot cocoa, a plateful of cookies, and some warm apple cider. Could it get any cozier? And the kiddos can even play Picasso with edible ink markers and decorate their very own cookies!

## Up to 3 Years Old

### Story Fun

Mondays, December 4, 11, 18 • January 8, 22, 29  
February 5, 12, 26 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

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



### Sensory Storytime

Fridays, December 15, 29 • January 12, 26 • February 9, 23  
10:30 - 11:15 AM

Join a Time for Kids, Inc. in this multi-sensory storytime to engage your child's senses as they read, tap, move around the room and make a textured craft. Activities include music, movement, sensory bins, gross motor activities and exploration.

### Sing Sign with Me

Tuesdays, December 5, 19 • January 2, 16, 30 • February 13, 27  
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.

### Little Crafters

Fridays, December 8, 22 • January 5, 19 • February 2, 16 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

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

### Tumble Time with My Gym

Tuesdays, December 12, 26 • January 9, 23 • February 6, 20  
10:30 - 11:15 AM

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.

### Bilingual Mother Goose

Thursdays, December 14 • January 11 • February 15  
10:30 - 11:00 AM | Ages: Up to 4 years

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



### Snowman in a Bag

Thursday, December 21 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM



Listen to some snowy stories and then make a cool sensory craft!

### Special Little Crafters: *Devin Speaks Up!*

Friday, January 5 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

In this Special Little Crafters program, we will have Devin Moore, author of *Devin Speaks Up* join us and read his inspiring book!



### Flex Your Fingers

Thursday, January 18 | 2:00 - 2:45 PM

Children will practice motor skills through gentle movement and different hands-on activities.

### Baby Bonanza

Thursday, February 8 | 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Come to a playdate at the Library with songs, a story, and toys!

## 4 - 6 Years Old

### Sensory Play

Tuesdays, December 5 • January 2 • February 6 | 4:30 - 5:15 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.

### Let's Dance

Thursdays, December 7, 21 • January 4, 18 • February 1, 15  
4:30 - 5:15 PM | Grades: K - 5

Join the members of Great South Bay Dance in this fun and interactive class. In this class your child will learn extensive ballet technique, terminology and creative movement exercises. **Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers.**



### Living Doodles Science!

Monday, December 11 | 4:30 - 5:00 PM

With a little water and a dry erase marker, we will show children how science can look like magic!

### Snow About Science

Tuesday, January 9 | 4:30 - 5:00 PM

How cold does it have to be to create snow? Has it ever snowed at Disney World? Your child will learn some snow facts and do an experiment!



### Bilingual Hooray for Snow Story and Craft

Wednesday, January 17 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Enjoy some stories about snow and snowflakes. We'll make a colorful snowflake with sugar and dye.

### Love Birds

Wednesday, February 7 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Spread the love! Gather 'round for heartwarming tales and let your kiddo's creativity soar with a lovey-dovey bird craft.



### Bilingual BINGO BLINGO

Thursday, February 8 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Have a fun time playing bilingual BINGO and build up your vocabulary skills and win some great prizes.

### I Love Science

Tuesday, February 13 | 4:30 - 5:00 PM

What is more loving than science? Come to the Library for some Valentine's Day-themed experiments.



### Pizza Pizzaz

Tuesday, February 20 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Your child will listen to some delicious stories at the Library. They will also have fun making a paper pizza craft to take home.

### The Extra Day of the Year

Thursday, February 29 | 4:30 - 5:00 PM

Did you know today only happens once every four years? We are going to learn about the Leap Year and do a fun craft to celebrate this extra day this year!



### My Gym: Sports Skills

Wednesday, December 20  
4:15 - 5:00 PM

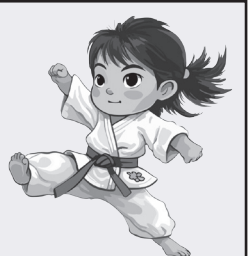
Get your little champs ready for some serious action as the Library teams up with My Gym to teach them how to play like a pro! From scoring big on the soccer field to hitting that perfect home run, get your kids prepped for the win!

### My Gym: Hockey

Wednesday, January 24  
4:30 - 5:15 PM

### My Gym: Karate

Wednesday, February 21  
4:30 - 5:15 PM





## Grades 2 - 5

### Light Up Holiday Cards

Wednesday, December 6 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Children will make a circuit using an LED light and some science to create a glowing card for the holidays.

### Let's Dance

Thursdays, December 7, 21 • January 4, 18 • February 1, 15  
4:30 - 5:15 PM | Grades: K - 5

Join the members of Great South Bay Dance in this fun and interactive class. In this class your child will learn extensive ballet technique, terminology and creative movement exercises. **Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers.**



### Winter Wonderland Snow Globes

Thursday, December 14 | 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Let your little one work their magic and craft a stunning snow globe to jazz up any home or wrap up as a sweet present.

### Adventures in Keyboarding:

#### A Music Class

Fridays, January 5, 19, 26 • February 2, 16, 23  
4:30 - 5:30 PM | Grades: 3 - 5

This fun-filled musical adventure introduces musical concepts of middle C, treble clef, bass clef, musical symbols and the musical alphabet while incorporating rhythm patterns. Students actively engage in finding notes, rhythms and play songs as they dance and explore on the floor keyboards. "Adventures in Keyboarding" is a great place to start your musical journey! Let your musical creativity flow, you never know where it will go!

### Mixed Media Winter Birdhouse

Friday, January 19 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Using their creativity children will use paper, crayons, paint and more to make a beautiful winter scene.



### Snowflake Wreaths

Thursday, January 25 | 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Children will transform into winter craft wizards and create a snowflake wreath by mastering the art of paper snowflake-making!



### "And They Called It Puppy Love..." Cupcakes

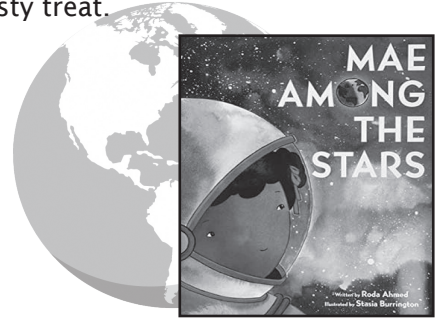
Saturday, February 10 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Join us to make a "puppy love" Valentine's cupcake. They will be sure to fall in love with this tasty treat.

### Blast Off!

Thursday, February 22 | 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Your child will enjoy a story about astronaut Mae Jemison's life and then create their own space-themed craft.



### Yarn Pom Pom Bookmarks

Tuesday, February 27 | 4:30 - 5:15 PM

Your little ones can whip up their own personalized bookmarks to save their spot in their favorite book!

## Family Programs - Grades Pre K - 5

### Gingerbread House

Monday, December 18 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Friday, December 22 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

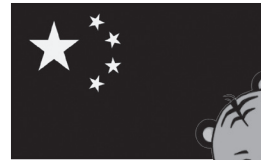
Participate in the Library's holiday tradition by creating a spectacular gingerbread house with your family. We'll supply the gingerbread kit, delicious snacks, and festive music. If you happen to have additional candy, feel free to bring it along! Let's adorn those delightful cottages in style. **One gingerbread house per family. You may only register for one session of this program and only register one member of your family.**



### Kid's Snack Around the World

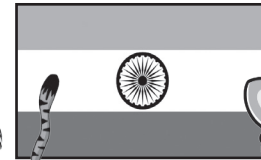
Your child will try snacks from around the globe! Children will vote on our favorite snack at the end of each program!

Grades: K - 5



**China**

Friday,  
December 22  
4:30 - 5:00 PM



**India**

Wednesday,  
January 31  
4:30 - 5:00 PM



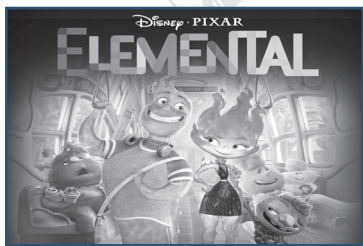
**Canada**

Wednesday,  
February 28  
4:30 - 5:00 PM

## 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.



**Elemental**

1 hr 43mins (PG)

Wednesday, December 27  
4:30 - 6:30 PM



**Home**

1 hr 34mins (PG)

Friday, January 12  
4:30 - 6:30 PM



**Miraculous:**

**Ladybug & Cat Noir**

1 hr 45mins (PG)

Friday, February 9  
4:30 - 6:30 PM

### Photo Mouse Pads

Book a date with our MakerSpace and craft your very own mousepad! We'll guide you through the process of pressing a picture of your loved ones, a favorite cartoon, or whatever your heart desires, using our heat press. **Call 631-691-1111 and ask for the Children's Room to reserve a time.**



### Winter Drop-in Crafts

Tuesdays, December 12, 26 • January 9, 23  
February 6, 20 | 12:00 - 8:00 PM

Drop-in and make a simple winter craft while visiting the Children's Room! Hey kids! **Registration not required.**

### Sculpey Clay Free Play

Thursday, December 28

4:30 - 5:30 PM | Grades: K - 5

Little ones will shape, mold and create their own bead collection, mini sculptures and more, ready to pop in the oven at home.

### Early New Year's Eve Party

Friday, December 29 | 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Let's jump-start the New Year's bash with an early celebration! Swing by, munch on some scrumptious snacks, and craft a party favor your kiddo can rock on the big night.

### Parent Playdate: Everything Cheddar Bread

Friday, January 5 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

This one is just for you parents! Make everything cheddar bread with A Mano Baking Company while your kids play with LEGOs in the same room.

### Bean Day

Saturday, January 6 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM

It's National Bean Day! Beans, beans good for your heart! The more you eat them the more you want to come to the Library to make bean art!



### Grilled Cheese Workshop!

Wednesday, January 10  
4:30 - 6:00 PM

Say cheese! It's decision time. Will it be the classic cheddar, the spicy pepper jack, or the elegant swiss that tickles your taste buds? Kids will be whipping up a grilled cheese sandwich with the ultimate cheese combo.



### You're In Charge

Tuesday, January 16

4:30 - 5:30 PM

Grades: Pre K - 3

Join the Crime Victims Center for this program that enforces child safety by teaching empowerment and body-autonomy through an explanation of boundaries, good touches and bad touches, our 10 Rules for Safety, The Touching Rule, importance of not keeping secrets, and the importance of saying "no" and telling a trusted adult.



### Safety Wise Bite Prevention Program for Kids

Monday, January 22

4:30 - 5:30 PM | Grades: 1 - 5

"Dog Savvy Kids" offers programs teaching dog-bite prevention. With a fun and interactive approach, your child will learn skills to decode doggy behavior and play it safe around their furry friends.



### Cops, Cocoa and Crafts

Monday, February 5 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Meet Police Officers, Ventura, Richardson and Sgt. Raber who will spend time speaking to your children about what they do in the community to keep families safe.



### Heart Print Cookies

Wednesday, February 14 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM

All you need is love! Your child will be making thumbprint cookies with heart that they will bake at home. Don't miss out on this lovable treat!



### Winter Wonderland Popcorn and Hot Chocolate

Friday, February 16 | 4:30 - 5:30 PM

"Sleigh bells ring, are you listening?" Mix up a delightful, candy-coated popcorn and sip on some cozy, hot chocolate. We will make paper snowflakes while we wait for our food to set.

### Pajama Storytime

Friday, February 23 | 6:30 - 7:15 PM | Grades: Pre K - 1

Children will come dressed in their PJ's and bring a stuffed animal! Enjoy bedtime stories, songs, and rhymes at this evening storytime.



# Teen

Registration for Teen programs will begin at 10:30 AM on Wednesday, November 29. Registration is required for all programs.

## Teen Gingerbread House Workshop

Friday, December 15  
7:00 - 8:30 PM

Run, run, run, as fast as you can and be part of a Library tradition by creating a festive gingerbread house. We'll have everything you need including refreshments and festive music.



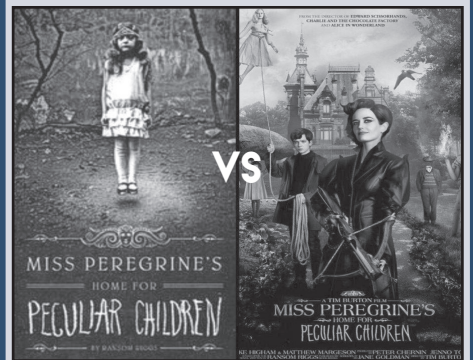
## Teen Winter Reading Club *Curl Up, Get Cozy and Get Reading!*

December 4 - March 2

Join our Teen Winter Reading Club! For each book you read, you will be entered into a raffle for a cozy treat basket and a gift certificate to Five Below.



## Teen BOOK TO MOVIE and Pizza



*Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children*  
(PG-13) 2hrs 7mins

Friday, February 2  
4:30 - 7:30 PM

Which was better? The book or the movie? Join us as we watch a movie that was adapted from a book. Copies of this book will be available at the Circulation Desk beginning January 5 or you can download a copy on Libby.

## Teen Volunteer

All volunteers will be eligible for community service hours.

### Teen Board Game Organizing

Wednesday, December 27 | 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Drop by the Teen area to help organize our collection for upcoming board game nights.

### Teen Hearts & Hugs for Our Troops

Thursday, January 4 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Valentine's Day can be hard for troops serving overseas. Hugs for Soldiers would like to connect hearts at home with hearts overseas by sending "HUGS" through Valentine cards to our deployed service members. Join us to create these heartfelt cards for our troops.



### Teen Coupons for Troops

Wednesday, February 28 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Come on down and help us sort and organize our coupons for our troops.



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 Gaming

### Teen New Year's BINGO

Thursday, December 28 | 7:30 - 8:30 PM

End the year with some fabulous New Year's-themed prizes.

### Teen Board Game Night

Fridays, December 29 • January 26 • February 23

7:00 - 8:00 PM

Bring some friends and try out some of our games. Have a game you love at home, bring it in to play. Snacks will be provided.

### Teen Disney Trivia Night

Thursday, January 11 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Be our guest and put your Disney trivia to the test. If you don't know, let it go!

### Teen Valentine Minute-to-Win It Games

Friday, February 9 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

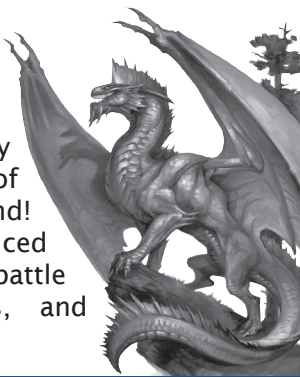
Join in the fun as we play Valentines-themed minute-to-win-it games. Stack conversation hearts, put together heart puzzles, throw heart-shaped ring toss and more.

### Dungeons and Dragons with Quest Masters Guild

Tuesday, February 20

7:00 - 8:30 PM

Calling all adventurers! Come play Dungeons & Dragons with some of the best game masters on the island! Perfect for new and experienced players alike. Join together to battle monsters, discover lost ruins, and triumph over evil!



## Creative Teens

### Teen Paper Squishies

Thursday, December 7 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Can you imagine a world without squishies? They're super cute, squiggly, puffy, and best of all, squishy! Join us as we create these adorable squishies that are perfect for gifting as well.

### Teen Maker Tuesday: Cactus Ornaments

Tuesday, December 19 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Join us in the MakerSpace to make a cactus ornament for the holiday season.

### Teen Maker Tuesday: Ice Cream Mason Jar

Tuesday, January 16 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Let's turn an ordinary mason jar into one of your favorite sweet treats.



### Teen Lotus Lantern Craft

Wednesday, January 31

6:30 - 8:00 PM

Join Korean Spirit and Culture Promotion Project for a presentation on Korean history and culture. We will also learn how to make beautiful lotus lanterns.



### Teen Tie Dye Paper Towel Roses

Thursday, February 1 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Woohoo! We've found a way to make roses last forever. Join us to create the perfect bouquet of roses to give to that someone special.

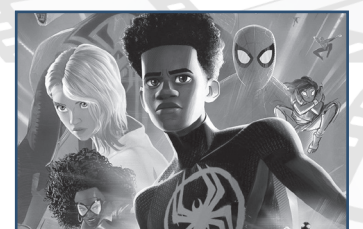
### Teen Maker Tuesday: Origami Bowls and Boxes

Tuesday, February 27 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Join us in the MakerSpace to learn how to make bowls and boxes out of origami paper.



## Teen Movie & Pizza

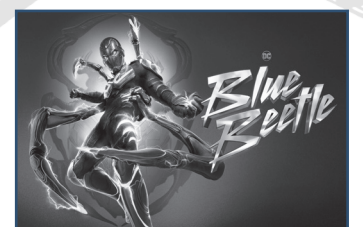


### Spider-Man: Across the Spider-Verse

Friday, December 15

4:30 - 7:00 PM

2hrs 20mins (PG)



### Blue Beetle

Friday, January 19

4:30 - 7:00 PM

2hrs 7mins (PG-13)



### The Hunger Games: The Ballad of Songbirds & Snakes

Friday, February 16

4:30 - 7:00 PM

2hrs 45mins (PG-13)

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Monday - Friday - 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM  
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### Holiday Hours

See page 1.

### Board Meetings

Wednesdays at 6:00 PM  
December 13 • January 24 • February 28

### Email Address

Have a question? Need information?  
Email us at [information@copiaguememorial.org](mailto:information@copiaguememorial.org)

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