

# Make a SPLASH READ!

Whether you prefer the beach, a pool or just a puddle;  
the library will be the place to make a splash this summer!  
Join the Summer Reading Club starting Monday, June 21.

## Swimmies

Pre-K & K



## Belly Floppers

Grades 1 - 4



## Big Kahunas

Grades 5 & 6



Registration for the 2010 Summer Reading Club starts Monday, June 21.

Choose your club based on the grade you will enter in September.

Starting Monday, June 28 bring in your list of books.

Read at least 7 books over 6 weeks to join us on

Wednesday, August 11 **OR** Thursday, August 12 at 6:45 - 7:30 p.m. **OR** 8:00 - 8:45 p.m.

for some comedy magic to celebrate your reading success.

## Creative Dramatics

**Ages 6-8 yrs.**

Mondays &

Wednesdays

12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

OR

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

July 12, 14, 19,

21, 26, 28

Registration begins

Saturday, June 19

**Ages 9-11 yrs.**

Mondays &

Wednesdays

12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

OR

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

August 9, 11, 16,

18, 23, 25

Registration begins

Saturday, July 24

This three-week program will meet two days a week. The program will introduce the children to acting and theater arts through theater games, improvisation, role playing, and storytelling. We will conclude our time together with a special performance for parents and siblings. All registered children must attend all meetings.

## Time for Tots

**Ages 2 & 3 with parent**

9:45 - 10:30 a.m.

Join us for this fun experience designed for the 2s & 3s. There will be stories, a craft, and best of all, a circle time!

Wednesdays, June 30 & July 7 **OR** Thursdays, July 1 & 8  
Registration begins Saturday, June 19

Wednesdays, July 14 & 21 **OR** Thursdays, July 15 & 22  
Registration begins Saturday, July 10

Wednesdays, July 28 & August 4 **OR**  
Thursdays, July 29 & August 5  
Registration begins Saturday, July 24

Wednesdays, August 11 & 18 **OR**  
Thursdays, August 12 & 19  
Registration begins Saturday, August 7

Dear Parents,

In the interest of fairness and convenience, we will be doing program registrations a little differently this year:

-Registration will be held on **every other Saturday** beginning, June 19th for the programs being offered during the following two weeks.

-Registration will be limited to **5 programs per child** for each of the two-week program periods.

-You will need to present your child's library card at the time of registration.

## **Book Buddies**    Ages 6 - 8 yrs.

Give your emerging reader the unique opportunity to practice reading with a teen volunteer. Each child should bring books of their choice to share with their buddy. You may register your child for:

### **Mondays or Wednesdays or Saturdays**

Registration begins Saturday, June 19 for:

**Mondays, July 12, 19, 26**

3:30 - 4:00 p.m. OR 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

**Wednesdays, July 14, 21, 28**

3:30 - 4:00 p.m. OR 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

**Saturdays, July 17, 24, 31**

9:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Registration begins Saturday, July 24 for:

**Mondays, August 2, 9, 16**

3:30 - 4:00 p.m. OR 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

**Wednesdays, August 4, 11, 18**

3:30 - 4:00 p.m. OR 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

**Saturdays, August 7, 14, 21**

9:30 - 10:00 a.m.

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## **Comedy Magic with Terry Perett**

**Wednesday, August 11**

6:45 - 7:30 p.m. OR 8:00 - 8:45 p.m.

**OR**

**Thursday, August 12**

6:45 - 7:30 p.m. OR 8:00 - 8:45 p.m.

If you've participated in the Summer Reading Club and have read at least 7 books then join us to celebrate your success. We'll be making side-splitting magic in our Community Room.

**Registration begins Saturday, August 7.**

## **Time for Baby**

**9:45 - 10:15 a.m.**

**16 - 24 mos. with parent**

Bring your new toddler for an action-packed time. There'll be music, dancing, and games to share.

**11:00 - 11:30 a.m.**

**Birth - 15 mos. with parent**

Bring your baby for a first library experience. We'll learn songs, rhymes, and fingerplays to share.

**Fridays, July 9 & 23**

Registration begins Saturday, June 19

**Fridays, August 6 & 20**

Registration begins Saturday, July 24



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## Board Game Fun

**Ages 7 - 11 yrs.**

Join your friends or make some new ones while you play some of your favorite board games.

**No registration required.**

Tuesday, July 20	4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, July 27	4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday, August 4	6:30 - 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday, August 10	4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, August 17	4:30 - 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, August 26	6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

## Summertime Story Time

If you're between the ages of 3 and 6, this is a story time for you. Come join us for stories read by our teen volunteers. **No registration required.**

Monday, June 28	6:00 - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, July 6	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Friday, July 9	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Thursday, July 15	6:30 - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, July 20	1:00 - 1:30 p.m.
Friday, July 30	4:30 - 5:00 p.m.
Thursday, August 5	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Friday, August 13	4:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Friday, August 20	3:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday, August 24	4:30 - 5:00 p.m.



Come join the fun at the  
**Teddy Bear's Picnic on Wednesday, July 7**  
(see details on page 5)

## Learn to Play Chess

**Ages 8 - 11 yrs.**

Wednesdays, July 7, 14, 21, 28  
6:15 - 7:15 p.m. OR 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Join members of the Long Island Chess Nuts to learn the game. Seasoned players will also be introduced to new strategies.

**Registration begins Saturday, June 19.**



PetraPuppets presents  
**SplashTastic**  
DIVE IN!



**Friday, July 9**

**10:00 - 11:00 a.m. OR 11:30 - 12:30 p.m.**

**Fun for the whole family.**

**(Community Room)**

**Registration begins Saturday, June 19.**

## Summer Movies for the Family

**No registration required, and movies will be announced.**

Tuesday, June 29, 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Friday, July 16, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Friday, July 30, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 17, 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 26, 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

## LEGO FUN

5:15 - 6:00 p.m. - Ages: 5 - 7 yrs.

6:30 - 8:00 p.m. - Ages 8 - 11 yrs.

Let's get creative!

Bring your imagination and build a LEGOtastic world.

Monday, July 12 & 26

Registration begins Saturday, June 19

Monday, August 9 & 23

Registration begins Saturday, July 24

## Drop-in Pajama Story Time

7:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Put on your PJs, grab your teddy bear and a parent, and come to the library for a good time.

Wednesday, June 30

Tuesday, July 13

Monday, July 19

Monday, August 2

Wednesday, August 18

Tuesday, August 24

No registration required.



## NOTICE TO PARENTS AND CAREGIVERS

It is the policy of the library that children under the age of 11 years cannot be left unattended.



## Registration for the following programs begins Saturday, June 19.

Reminder: This registration also includes Creative Dramatics, Time for Tots, Splashtastics (Petra Puppets), Chess, Wii, Time for Baby, LEGO, and Book Buddies. See announcements for details.

### Sea-Scape Plaster Hanging (Ages 7 & 8)

Monday, June 28,  
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Bring the beach inside. Design a beautiful wall hanging using plaster, shells and sand.



### Tangram (Ages 9-11)

Monday, June 28, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Learn this ancient game and see what takes shape.

### Tots Night Out (Ages 2-4 with parent)

Tuesday, June 29, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Let's sing, dance and just have a good time. Program will include a craft.

### Shells, Shells, Shells (Ages 7 & 8)

Wednesday, June 30, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

We're making summer jewelry. This cowrie shell choker will be a favorite accessory.

### Opossum Tales (Ages 4-6)

Thursday, July 1, 11:30 - 12:30 p.m.

What animal is always hungry, only comes out at night and has been on earth since the time of the dinosaurs? Get an up-close look at this creature that carries its babies in a pouch.

### Fuse Beads Art (Ages 9-11)

Thursday, July 1, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.  
OR 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Learn how to use Perler Beads to create cool characters and designs.

### Bucket Hats (Ages 4 & 5)

Tuesday, July 6, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Join us to make a colorful, personalized bucket hat that will be perfect for the beach.

### Sunny Glasses (Ages 6-10)

Tuesday, July 6, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.  
OR 2:15 - 3:15 p.m.

Keep track of your favorite shades with this super cool strap! You make the strap we will provide the shades.



### Teddy Bear's Picnic (Ages 5-8 with parent)

Wednesday, July 7, 11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Bring a sandwich and your teddy bear to the Three Village Garden Club House for games and a fun lunch. Drinks and dessert provided. Directions available at the Children's Reference Desk.

### Fish Bowl (Ages 4 & 5)

Wednesday, July 7, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Use your imagination to design your own fishbowl friends.



### Floating (Ages 5-7)

Thursday, July 8, 11:30 - 12:30 p.m.

Why do ships float? Try some hands-on activities with our water tank and you'll know why.

### Fish Inside a Fish Inside a Fish Mobile.

Thursday, July 8, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. (Ages 5 & 6)

This mobile will brighten your summer.

### Dolphin Ring Toss (Ages 7-9)

Thursday, July 8, 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

You'll create a work of art that will turn into a favorite game.



### Ice Cream Science

Friday, July 9, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (Ages 5 & 6)

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. (Ages 7 & 8)



What do molecules and matter have to do with this yummy treat? Get a new look at this crystallized concoction that is everyone's favorite.

### One-of-a-Kind Tile Coaster (Ages 4-6)

Monday, July 12, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Create your own unique patterns and designs with ceramic tiles on wooden coasters.

### Fishy Facts (Ages 7-9)

Tuesday, July 13,  
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Using five local fish species, you'll learn the differences between fish and other marine animals of Long Island.



### Little Chefs - Are you a future chef? (Ages 4-6)

Tuesday, July 13, 11:30 - 12:30 p.m.

Get started with your culinary career by creating your very own chef's hat.

### The Mummy (Ages 9-11)

Tuesday, July 13, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Explore the ancient process of embalming and the cultural significance of mummification. We'll also look at pyramid building.



## 6 Wii Play at the Library

6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Ages 8 - 11yrs.

Try your skills playing with other kids from the community. We'll have board games to play while you wait your turn for the Wii.

Thursdays, July 1 & 8

Registration begins Saturday, June 19

Thursdays, July 22 & 29

Registration begins Saturday, July 10

Thursdays, August 5 & 19

Registration begins Saturday, July 24

## Jester Jim Show



Monday, August 16

10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

OR

11:30 - 12:15 p.m.

This creative "outside the box" show will blow you away. This will be a juggling, balancing and beatbox experience you'll long remember.

Registration begins Saturday, August 7.



**Registration for the following programs begins Saturday, July 10.**

Reminder: This registration also includes Wii & Time for Tots. See announcements for details.

### Off to the Beach (Ages 4-6)

Thursday, July 15, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Decorate a mini tote for all your upcoming fun-filled beach trips.

### Aboriginal Clap Stick (Ages 8-11)

Thursday, July 15, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

OR 2:15 - 3:15 p.m.

Learn about the music of the indigenous Australians and decorate your own clap sticks in the traditional style.

### Tic-Tac-Toe (Ages 7 & 8)

Friday, July 16, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Make and decorate your own game board and challenge your friends.

### Simple Machines

Friday, July 16, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (Ages 5-7)

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. (Ages 8-10)

You'll build a variety of machines and learn how and why they work.

### Pirates of the Caribbean (Ages 6-8)

Monday, July 19, 10:30 - 11:15 a.m.

OR 11:30 - 12:15 p.m.

Dress up as a pirate or a mermaid and enjoy the fun. We'll have a hunt for treasure under the sea and we'll create a pirate craft.

### Water, Water everywhere with Baby Einstein (Ages 3 - 36 mos. with parent)

Tuesday, July 20, 10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

Enjoy a Baby Einstein story and watch the puppets come to life.

### Birds of Prey (Ages 5-7)

Tuesday, July 20, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Get up close to hawks, owls and falcons. Learn how to identify them in the wild and learn why they're on top of the food chain.

### Weave-a-Mat (Ages 4 & 5)

Thursday, July 22, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Create a table mat with all your favorite sea creatures.

### Sea World

Thursday, July 22, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (Ages 6 & 7)

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. (Ages 8-10)

Discover what causes that yucky foam on the ocean and other mysteries under the sea and make a craft to take home.

### Pinwheels Keep on Turning (Ages 4 & 5)

Friday, July 23, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Delight yourself with the endless enjoyment of the pinwheel you create.

### Interactive Musical Storytelling

Friday, July 23, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (For the whole family)

Join us in the Community Room for award-winning songwriter and journalist, Paul Helou. He'll perform a blend of bluegrass, Americana and folk music. Actors and non-actors will enjoy his musical/theatrical improvisation.

### History of Bugs Bunny (Ages 8-11)

Friday, July 23 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

OR 3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Learn Bugs' original name and lots of fun facts about that rascally rabbit. Watch some classic Bugs Bunny cartoons and learn to draw him to make your own cartoons.

### Pirate Mask (Ages 4-6)

Monday, July 26, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Ahoy mateys! We'll be making scary pirate masks.

### Treasures Under the Sea (Ages 3-5)

Tuesday, July 27 10:30 - 11:15 a.m.

OR 11:30 - 12:15 p.m.

Dress up as a mermaid or a pirate, dance, enjoy a story and look for hidden treasure in the sea.

### Go "Green" Bracelets (Ages 4-6)

Tuesday, July 27, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Show everyone that you are a friend of the Earth by making this "Green" bracelet.

## **Registration for the following programs begins Saturday, July 24. 7**

**Reminder:** This registration also includes Creative Dramatics, Time for Tots, Wii, Time for Baby, LEGO, Book Buddies, Modern Pop Art Experience. See announcements for details.

### **Whale Wonders (Ages 5-7)**

**Thursday, July 29, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.**

This will be a hands-on experience with marine mammals. You'll handle bones, teeth, and baleen and get up close to K.C. a life-size inflated baby humpback whale!

### **"Ant" Note Cards**

**Friday, July 30, 10:00 - 10:45 a.m. (Ages 4-6)**  
**11:00 - 12:00 p.m. (Ages 7-10)**

Ants are everywhere this time of year. Don't let your mom get rid of these cute little ants made from your own finger prints. Each artist will design 5 note cards with envelopes to take home.

### **Masterpiece Art Lantern (Ages 4-6)**

**Friday, July 30, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.**

Express your creativity by customizing an art masterpiece you can hang as a lantern.

### **Air (Ages 7-9)**

**Monday, August 2, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**

Have you ever thought of becoming a pilot? Learn all about how planes fly and why boomerangs return. We'll even make our own planes and fly them.

### **Scooby Doo Bingo (Ages 4-6)**

**Tuesday, August 3, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**  
**OR 11:15 - 12:15 p.m.**

Do you love Scooby and the Gang? Well, this is the program for you to test your sleuthing skills.



### **Peace Sign Necklace (Ages 9-11)**

**Tuesday, August 3, 1:00 - 2:00 or 2:15 - 3:15 p.m.**

Use some colorful beads and learn some easy macramé knots.

### **Flip-Flop Boxes (Ages 4-6)**

**Wednesday, August 4, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.**

Have fun decorating these summer footwear shaped boxes. Your creation will be perfect for saving all your summer treasures.

### **Sand & Shell Trinket Box (Ages 7 & 8)**

**Wednesday, August 4, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.**

Here's another opportunity to create a keepsake box this summer. You may want to give this paper Mache creation to someone special.

### **Tropical Tissue Fish (Ages 4-6)**

**Thursday, August 5, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.**

Swim fishy swim! Join us to make your own colorful tropical fish out of cardboard and tissue.

### **Creative Art Book (Ages 4 & 5)**

**Monday, August 9, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**

Decorate your own art book. This book may be the perfect place to express your creativity!

### **Popcorn Palooza (Ages 4-6)**

**Tuesday, August 10, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**

Let's get "corny" together! Learn where popcorn comes from and how long it has been around. Watch the magic happen and enjoy a tasty treat.



### **Fish Puzzler (Ages 8-11)**

**Tuesday, August 10, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.**

You'll have endless fun with this delightful creation that you will play with over and over again.

## **Registration for the following programs begins Saturday, August 7.**

**Reminder:** This registration also includes Time for Tots, Comedy Magic and Jester Jim.

### **Recycled Paper Gift Bags (Ages 7 & 8)**

**Wednesday, August 11, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.**

Let's recycle and create a gift bag as good as new.

### **Frog on a Lily Pad (Ages 4 & 5)**

**Thursday, August 12, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.**

Croak! Croak! We'll be making frogs on lily pads.

### **Introduction to Wildlife (Ages 5-7)**

**Thursday, August 12, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.**

Get up close to several of the critters you might see in the wild here on Long Island.

### **Gregarious Goats (Ages 3-6 with parent)**

**Friday, August 13, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**

Meet and greet these Kids! Get up close and get a good look at baby goats and learn why you and they are called kids.

### **Slam Dunkers! (Ages 9-11)**

**Friday, August 13, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.**

Color and assemble a basketball hoop and inflatable ball for loads of fun in the pool.

### **Hop, Skip & Jump (Ages 4-6)**

**Tuesday, August 17, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**

Have fun learning hopscotch, swing ball and jump rope. Please wear your sneakers. Please, No flip-flops!

### **Star Flower Power (Ages 7 & 8)**

**Thursday, August 19, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.**

Paint your own 3D star picture frame in a mini flower pot.

### **Yoga (Ages 4-6)**

**Thursday, August 19, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. OR**

**Tuesday, August 24, 11:00 - 12:00 p.m.**

Bring your towel or yoga mat and have fun learning some yoga.

### **Paper Plate Fun (Ages 4-6) Thursday, August 26, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**

Make and decorate your own clock and tambourine. Using ordinary paper plates, washable markers and beans!