

# Spring ■ 2015

## Emma Clark Library

"The Heart of the Three Village Community"



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You can find **magic**  
 wherever you **look**. Sit  
**back** and **relax**, all you  
 need is a **book**.

~ Dr. Seuss

**UBER**  
**CHILDREN'S**  
**SPRING PROGRAMS**

NEED IDEAS ON WHAT TO DO DURING  
 SPRING RECESS?

**WE HAVE THEM!**

SEE PAGE 19 FOR A LISTING OF OUR  
 AWESOME PROGRAMS WE HAVE  
 LINED UP JUST FOR YOU.

### Focusing on...



## Local Focus

Come Celebrate with Us! In 2013, we introduced our new *Local Focus* collection with the following announcement in our Newsletter:

*Continuing its tradition of recognizing and encouraging resident authors and acknowledging the changing publishing climate which often speeds books to press faster than reviewers can keep pace, the library is excited to announce the creation of a new collection called Local Focus which will expedite your access to the books written by your neighbors. With the advent of this collection, "our" authors will have a way to speed their books to library shelves (and readers) without having to wait for their books to be professionally reviewed. Effective immediately, all authors from the Three Village area are invited and encouraged to donate copies of their published works for inclusion in this small but growing Local Focus collection... Full details about this collection and how you can add your title(s) are available at the Reference Desk.*



Since its inception, the Local Focus collection has far exceeded our original expectations, and it continues to grow through your generosity. In celebration, we are hosting a reception honoring "our" authors on Sunday afternoon, May 3rd, in the library's historic periodical reading room followed by refreshments and informal book-signing event in the community room. Please join us and take advantage of this opportunity to meet your author-neighbors at this literary celebration. You'll find full details on page 7. Hope to see you there!

**Take**  
 the **Survey**  
 Emma Clark Library  
 Programming Survey

to take our survey. Or visit the library for a paper copy. We're here to serve the needs of Three Village, and we want to hear all about your needs and wants for programs. The survey will be available until March 31.

This is YOUR library, and we want to hear from you! Whether you attend programs or not, please visit [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org)



## Focusing on...



### Dance Films Inspired by Three Village

For the month of May, the public will be able to view a special dance performance via film by Emily Beattie – resident of Setauket, artist, dancer, and faculty at the Center for Dance, Movement, and Somatic Learning at Stony Brook University.

Ms. Beattie's project, titled *Hearth*, is a series of gesture-based dance solos inspired by her visits with the Rhodes Committee, an oral history group open to the public that is led by the Three Village Historical Society and meets Tuesday mornings at the library (see page 4). Her

dances use the objects or images of the objects discussed at these weekly meetings to reveal stories of the Three Village area and express our local history through movement.

The dances will be filmed at the Setauket Neighborhood House, and the final versions will be played on loop from May 1 – 31 as an artful addition to the library's "Tech Touch" table display by the Adult Reference Desk. The video will be playing at all times during library hours, and anyone may visit the library to view it.

Ms. Beattie will also be discussing her work and answering questions about the project at a special program on Tuesday, May 5th at 7:30 p.m. Registration begins on April 1 (see page 7).

We're honored to have provided the location for Ms. Beattie to find inspiration for her work, as well as offer a way to share her final work with our community.

### Three Village History Highlighted

This Spring, *Turn*, on AMC, returns for a 2<sup>nd</sup> season, depicting the history of the Culper Spy Ring in Setauket. For those who missed the first season, the series is a period drama based on Alexander Rose's book *Washington's Spies: The Story of America's First Spy Ring* (2007) and follows a Setauket farmer during the American Revolution.

With warm spring weather just around the corner, why not check out where the REAL history happened right here in Three Village? Last year we partnered with Beverly C. Tyler, local historian and photographer, to create an interactive Google map. There is also a cell phone audio tour for residents, visitors, and anyone interested in exploring the sites that figured in the operation of the Culper Spy Ring.



Simply call 631.498.4740 for the audio tour or visit [spyring.emmaclark.org](http://spyring.emmaclark.org) for the map, links to recommended websites, a recommended reading list, photographs, and the general story of the spy ring. There are also paper handouts located at the library.

In addition, we'll be holding a program, *Setauket During the Revolution*, with four local historians (see page 5 for more details).



### FUN AROUND THE WORLD



### Downton Abbey High Tea



**Emma Clark Books Now Available at Gelinas!**





## More FREE eMagazines



We've just added Flipster to our repertoire of digital magazines. Flipster offers over 30 popular magazines such as *People*, *Cooking Light*, *HGTV Magazine*, *Money*, *Sports Illustrated*, and *Time*.

Flipster makes it easy to read multiple magazines at once without the burden of carrying several magazines in your bag and without the clutter of stacks of magazines around your home. Additionally, you may borrow each magazine's current issue from the comfort of your own home or anywhere you wish to download a magazine.

Both Flipster and Zinio (our other digital magazine service) are easily accessed right on our website at [emmaclark.org/downloads/](http://emmaclark.org/downloads/).

## You. Beyond.

A life of learning



Emma S. Clark Memorial Library

We live in a fast-paced society. With the world changing so quickly, it's more important than ever for everyone to be a lifelong learner. Let the Library be your partner. We've got what you need to get started -- programs, online classes and more! *Check them out below!*

### Learn a new computer program with *Learning Express Library*

**LearningExpress Library 3.0** supports academic and career development as well as lifelong learning through tutorials, test-preparation, and skill-building resources. The new LearningExpress format continues to offer skill building in math, science and reading/writing for school-aged and adult learners, as well as practice tests for the new GED, SAT, PSAT, AP, ACCUPLACER, ASSET and COMPASS exams. You will also find practice certification tests for NCLEX-RN, PRAXIS I and II and more. You'll need your library card number and PIN to access the resource from home, and registration is required the first time you use the service. Users of the previous version of LearningExpress will also need to register for an account on LearningExpress 3.0. Older accounts will not carry over to the new platform.

### Learn a new language with *Pronunciator*

An online language-learning system that can help you learn a new language — 80 languages! Get started at [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org) under the **SERVICES** tab, then choose **ONLINE LEARNING (YOU. BEYOND.)**

### Get to know your family roots with *Ancestry.com*



This March, the TLC show *Who Do You Think You Are?* returns with all new stories of celebrities uncovering their family histories. Here at Emma Clark, we'd like to help you discover your

family tree and learn about your ancestors for free through Ancestry.com, one of the premier tools for genealogical research. Stop by the library to begin your journey.



## Save the Date!

**Awards Reception & Story Time**  
**Sunday, April 26 at 2:00 p.m.**

We've had lots of wonderful entries for the annual *Helen Stein Shack Children's Picture Book Contest*. We're very excited about our awards reception where we'll announce the winners and present them with a \$500 scholarship.

So, don't miss the opportunity to hear our newest local authors read their books for the first time! It will be great fun for both children and adults! *Registration starts April 1.*

After seeing the amazing talent of our teens, we can't wait to see next year's entries!

# Adult Programs

*Ongoing...*

## ESOL CONVERSATION GROUP

Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

Mar. 4, 11, 18 & 25

Apr. 15, 22 & 29 (no class on 4/1 & 4/8)

May 6, 13, 20 & 27

*No registration required and new people can join at any time.*

## GAME DAY

Fridays, 10:00 a.m. - Noon

Mar. 6 & 20, Apr. 3 & 17, May 1 & 15

We provide the space, tables and chairs. You bring your friends and board or card games to play. *No registration required.*

## ORAL HISTORY WITH THE THREE VILLAGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY'S RHODES COMMITTEE

Every Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. - Noon

Come to listen, learn and share your memories of the Three Village area. Bring your old photographs or artifacts and discover what stories they may hold. Meet in the Board Room on the lower level of the library. *Please call Karen at 751-4775 if you are interested in attending.*

# Bus Trips

## BROOKLYN—AN OFFBEAT BUS & WALKING TOUR WITH JUSTIN FERATE

Wednesday, May 6

- \$35 includes transportation for one - Checks made payable to McCarney Tours
- Departs: 7:15 a.m. from Emma Clark Library parking lot, returning about 6:30 p.m.
- Patrons may sign up one guest



We will travel the western and southern part of Brooklyn to discover an impressive array of delights! Included will be charming sites such as the Warren Place Mews, a narrow enclave of 34 homes built in

1878 along an English-style courtyard, Denmet Place, a narrow secretive street lined with tiny houses, with a charming mews-like quality and the brownstone homes of Carroll Gardens. Also included will be Sunset Park, a tour of Bay Ridge, and the amusements of Coney Island, the new Brooklyn Cyclones stadium, and of course, Nathan's Famous as well as other stops along the way. Lunch will be "on your own" in beautiful Bay Ridge. Join us for an exciting glimpse of Brooklyn – America's hometown! **Space is limited.** In-person registration begins March 2 at the Adult Reference Desk.

## COUNTRY LIVING FAIR - RHINEBECK, NY

Saturday, June 6

- \$35 includes transportation for one - Checks made payable to McCarney Tours - An additional \$16 entrance fee will be paid by patrons at fair box office or ordered in advance.
- Departs: 6:45 a.m. from Emma Clark Library parking lot, returning about 8:00 p.m.
- Patrons may sign up one guest



The pages of **Country Living Magazine** come alive at the Dutchess County Fairgrounds in beautiful Hudson Valley! There are over 200 vendors for great shopping, plus seminars, artisan demos, live appraisals,

cooking demos and more. The bus has plenty of cargo space to bring home all your shopping whims! To pre-order your tickets go to the website ([shop.stellashows.net/store/](http://shop.stellashows.net/store/)). Tickets ordered before May 26 will be mailed, those ordered after will be picked up at Box Office (still waiting in a line). There is a \$3 service fee per order, so group your order with your friends. **Space is limited.** In-person registration begins April 1 at the Adult Reference Desk.

**ADULT PROGRAM REGISTRATION NOTE:** Registration with a valid library card is required for all programs (unless otherwise stated). Please be prepared to give us your library card number when calling or visiting the library to register for a program. Each registrant must use their individual card number. Self-registration may be done online through our homepage: [www.emmaclark.org](http://www.emmaclark.org). Any material fees must be paid in cash at the Adult Reference Desk at time of registration and are non-refundable.



# Adult Programs

## March is "GET UP & GET GOING" Month

Have the winter blues? Sign up for some of our adult programs that could put Spring in your step!

### STAYING INDEPENDENT FOR LIFE: FALL PREVENTION FOR OLDER ADULTS

Tuesday, Mar. 10, 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

### VICTORIA ROSE TOPIARY

Wednesday, Mar. 11, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
(\$5.00 Materials Fee)

BIKING FOR FUN AND FITNESS  
Thursday, Mar. 12, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

SONGS AND TUNES OF IRELAND  
Monday, Mar. 16, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

GET READY TO GARDEN  
Mondays, Mar. 23 & 30, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

*For more information see individual listings.*

### STAYING INDEPENDENT FOR LIFE: FALL PREVENTION FOR OLDER ADULTS

Tuesday, Mar. 10, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Falls are the leading cause of injury for people who are 65 and older, causing loss of independence and even possible death. Staying active helps mature adults stay in shape, improve strength and overall health, and makes people feel good. It also helps prevent falls. This workshop is led by a health professional from the Suffolk County Department of Health Services. Topics include balance and strength training, and how to keep the home environment safe. *Registration begins February 23.*



### VICTORIAN ROSE TOPIARY

Wednesday, Mar. 11, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.  
\$5.00 Materials Fee

Bring some spring inside, in the style of *Downton Abbey*! Artist Bonnie Schwartz will show you how to make your own tabletop Victorian Rose Topiary, using silk roses, ivy and lace in a ceramic flowerpot that you decorate yourself,

with your choice of lace and ribbon colors. A \$5 materials fee will be collected at time of registration (no online registration). *Space is limited. Registration begins in-person February 23.*

### BIKING FOR FUN AND FITNESS

Thursday, Mar. 12, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Christina Cone will tell you all you need to know about getting outdoors on a bicycle. Discussion of different types of bikes, basic maintenance, and where to ride on the roads and trails of Long Island. Biking can be a great family activity, or join a club and meet new people while having fun and improving your health. Christine is a bicycle racer and a member of *Live Love Velo*, Long Island's only women's racing team. *Registration begins February 23.*



### SONGS AND TUNES OF IRELAND

Monday, Mar. 16, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.



As St. Patrick's Day approaches, picture yourself in a tidy little public house on the West Coast of Ireland. John Corr arrives with his banjo, guitar, tin whistles and bodhran. Get ready to enjoy his performance of traditional Irish ballads and tunes with a few stories thrown in. *Registration begins February 23.*

### GET READY TO GARDEN

Monday, Mar. 23 & 30, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Pull on your gardening gloves and join this two-part class. In part I, Dylan Licopoli, Master Gardener and Permaculture Designer, will discuss *Tricks and Techniques of Home Composting*. In part II, Mr. Licopoli will give a thorough introduction to organic gardening. Topics will include, but are not limited to, organic gardening philosophies and practices, and different types of seeds and techniques for soil management. *Registration begins February 23.*



### SETAUKET DURING THE REVOLUTION: WHAT YOU DIDN'T KNOW, BUT AREN'T AFRAID TO ASK ...

Sunday, Mar. 15, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.



Before settling down in your easy chair to watch season 2 of *AMC's Turn*, get some background on what really occurred in Setauket during the American Revolution. Four historians—in period costume—will speak about the lives of soldiers, citizens and spies and will give their own perspectives on the Setauket Spy Ring. Bring your questions for the panel: Barbara Russell (Town of Brookhaven Historian), Beverly Tyler (historian, Three Village Area), Mark Rothenberg (military and Long Island history, Suffolk Cooperative Library System), Bob Winowitch (living historian, Third Regiment, New York). *Registration begins February 23.*

# Adult Programs

## WINE: AN INTRODUCTION

**Tuesday, Mar. 31, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**



In a relaxed atmosphere, this class combines useful and distinctive information on the world of wines. Pascal Zugmeyer (Z Wine Guy), certified Sommelier, will share his knowledge about the wines' origins, types of wine and grapes and winemaking techniques for each wine style. He will also discuss storing wine, serving protocols, wine labels, bottles sizes, sulfites in wines, and organic and natural wines. **Registration begins February 23.**

## COMMUNITY HEART SAVER/AED

**Wednesday, Apr. 8, 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.**

Yvonne Leippert, RN of the Heart Institute at Stony Brook Hospital, will conduct a Community CPR/AED program which will teach the student how to respond to a victim of cardiac arrest. The program is interactive and the student will perform chest compressions on a manikin, as well as review adult, child and infant CPR and instruction on the use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED). There is no charge for this program, but if the participant would like a 2 year American Heart Association card it would be \$10 at the time of the class payable by cash or check. Bring a mat to kneel on. **Space is limited. Registration begins March 2.**



## E-WASTE RECYCLING DAY

— IN THE LIBRARY PARKING LOT —

**Saturday, Apr. 11, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

**Registration not required. Open to all.**



Is your house beginning to look like a used electronics store? Are you unsure of how to dispose of your old cell phone and computer? Electronic Recycling and Disposal can help. Bring your used computers, cell phones, printers, televisions, keyboards, cables, wires, circuit boards, CD-ROMs or stereos to the library parking lot for safe disposal. **(Items Not Accepted: Large Appliances, Microwave Ovens, Power Tools, Lawn Mowers, Fluorescent Bulbs, And Vacuum Cleaners.)**

## PARKS OF THE COLORADO PLATEAU

**Thursday, Apr. 16, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**

Frank Silverman, a local photographer, will take you on a photographic journey (including music and narration) of the national, state and Native American parks of Utah and Arizona. **Registration begins March 2.**



## WINNING THE LOSER'S GAME: TIMELESS STRATEGIES FOR SUCCESSFUL INVESTING

**Monday, Apr. 20 & 27, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**



Are you ready to become a better investor – to enhance your understanding of the most important principles that drive the creation of wealth – without it hurting a bit?

That's what this two session workshop with Joseph DiSalvo, investment advisor, is all about. Participants will learn key principles for creating and protecting their wealth, along with how to create a sustainable income for retirement and much more! **Registration begins March 2.**

## MEDICARE ASSIST: MAKING MEDICARE UNDERSTANDABLE

**Wednesday, Apr. 22, 10 a.m. - Noon**

Join Senior Health Specialist Gracemarie Horan-Luce for an informative talk about Medicare. Topics covered will include Medicare parts A,B and D, Medigap policies and Advantage Plans. **Registration begins March 2.**

## BEYOND DEATH, MEDICAL FACTS, MYSTICISM AND MEDITATION

**Thursday, Apr. 23, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

Since the 1980s, when near death experiences (NDE) became part of the public consciousness, they have held endless attraction for people. Why do they resonate so powerfully within us? Join Dr. Matthew Raider, a clinical physician and coordinating director of a Geriatric Teaching Program in Connecticut, to hear the latest medical research and discover a simple, natural way to connect with the inner light talked about by those who've experienced a NDE. Through a simple time-honored method of meditation, you too can explore those realms of peace within you. **Registration begins March 2.**

## ATTENTION LOCAL AUTHORS!

On Saturday afternoon, May 3, Emma Clark Library will be honoring "our" authors at a celebratory reception. If one (or more) of your books grace our *Local Focus* or *Three Village Authors* collections, we want you to come as our honored guest. Please sign up either online or by calling the Reference Desk to let us know if you will be able to join us. Immediately following the formal reception from 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. in the historic periodical reading room, you will have the opportunity to chat more informally with your readers and fellow authors during the refreshment hour in the Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room on the lower level. You may bring several copies of your book to sell and sign during this refreshment hour if you want. Shared tables will be available for this purpose. **Hurry, registration ends on April 20.**





# Adult Programs

## TOON TOWN: COMIC BOOKS AND NEW YORK CITY Saturday, Apr. 25, 10:00 a.m. - Noon



The modern comic book industry was created in the 1930s and 1940s and was heavily concentrated in one city: New York. Even today, the largest comic book companies remain based in Manhattan,

and popular comic book stories are often set in the city's familiar streetscapes. Comic books serve as vehicles for fantasy and wish fulfillment, but they also document the urban drama, with oversized characters, architecture, and story arcs that seek to capture the larger-than-life quality of the quintessential American metropolis. For all ages. This lecture is being sponsored by the New York Council of the Humanities and is being given by Kent Worcester, Professor of Political Science at Marymount Manhattan College. *Registration begins March 2.*

## BEYOND WORDS: HOW ELEPHANTS, WOLVES, AND KILLER WHALES THINK AND FEEL

Wednesday, Apr. 29, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Carl Safina, award-winning scientist and author, founding president of The Safina Center at Stony Brook University, and host of the PBS television series "Saving the Ocean with Carl Safina" will present this program on the amazing strategies and judgment calls these wild creatures have made to ensure their family's survival in times of crisis. He will show how animals think and feel a lot like people do and that their lives and their minds aren't really too different from ours. *Registration begins March 2.*



## TICKS AND MOSQUITOS - WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW Thursday, Apr. 30, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.



Cornell Cooperative Extension is sponsoring this workshop where you will learn all about common myths such as "chiggers", the strange "meat allergy" that can be triggered by tick bites, how to properly identify types of ticks found in your neighborhood, plus

what diseases they carry and how to protect yourself and your pets. CCE will also have an app to show you how to pinpoint what kind of mosquitoes are plaguing you and how to use a free mosquito wheel of "misfortune", the *Mosquito Information Sentinel* which will tell you how to reduce mosquito populations in your own living space. *Registration begins March 2.*

## May is "If You Could Talk to Animals" Month

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Looking for the perfect family addition? Come to our annual Pet Adoption Fair and find a forever friend. Do you know what to do in a pet emergency? You can learn these things and more throughout the month.

### BIRDS AND MIGRATION AROUND THE FRANK MELVILLE POND

Saturday, May 16, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

### PET ADOPTION FAIR - ON THE LIBRARY LAWN

Saturday, May 16, 10:00 a.m. - 2 p.m.

### AMERICAN RED CROSS CAT AND DOG FIRST AID

Saturday, May 23, 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### BEYOND WORDS: HOW ELEPHANTS, WOLVES, AND KILLER WHALES THINK AND FEEL

Wednesday, Apr. 29, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

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## DISCUSSION: DANCE FILMS INSPIRED BY 3VILLAGE Tuesday, May 5, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.



Emily Beattie, resident of Setauket and local artist and dancer, will be discussing her latest project, *Hearth*, a series of gesture-based dance solos inspired by her visits with the Rhodes Committee. For the month

of May, the public will be able to view these special dance performances on the Tech Touch table near the Adult Reference Desk. See page 2 for more details.

*Registration begins April 1.*

## MEET OUR LOCAL AUTHORS

Sunday, May 3, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Please join us for a celebratory Local Author Reception in the library's historic reading room. Here's your chance to meet many of the author-neighbors whose works you have come to know through our Local Focus collection. See the box on adjacent page for more information. *Registration (necessary only for authors) will be open through April 20.*



## Downsizing - It's EASIER THAN YOU THINK!

Thursday, May 7, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Are you thinking of downsizing? But what about all the STUFF?!? The STUFF the kids brought home from college? The cartons of STUFF you took when your mother's house got sold? Where to begin? Alice Price, president of *Organize Long Island, Inc.*, will discuss how to plan the process, disposal options, and setting expectations for yourself and others. *Registration begins April 1.*

# Adult Programs

## SCREENING FOR LUNG CANCER: WHO SHOULD BE SCREENED AND WHY

**Monday, May 11, 11:00 a.m. - Noon**



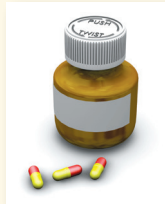
Lung cancer claims more lives than breast, colon, prostate and pancreatic cancers combined. Lung cancer is usually diagnosed in later stages as it often has no symptoms in earlier stages. Screening with

low dose chest cat scans can discover this cancer in early, curable stages. Medicare has now agreed to cover this service for a select group of patients. Drs. William Moore and April Plank, NP of The Center for Lung Cancer Screening and Prevention will share details regarding the screening, including who should be screened and why. **Registration begins April 1.**

## WHAT'S IN YOUR MEDICINE CABINET?

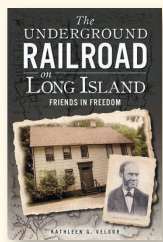
**Wednesday, May 13, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**

Got a question about your medicine? Can vitamins do the same or better job at improving your health than your prescription from the doctor? Join expert Edmund Hayes, RPh, PharmD, Assistant Director of Pharmacy at Stony Brook University Hospital and Interim Dean, School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences and you'll learn how to take medications safely and avoid medication errors. **Registration begins April 1.**



## THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD ON LONG ISLAND

**Thursday, May 14, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**



From the arrival of the Quakers in the 17th century to the enforcement of the Emancipation Proclamation, Long Island played an important role in the Underground Railroad's work to guide slaves to freedom. Kathleen G. Velsor Ed.D., Director of The Underground Teaching Partnership and author of *The Underground Railroad on Long Island:*

*Friends in Freedom*, will provide her own unique insight into this subject. **Registration begins April 1.**

## BIRDS AND MIGRATION AROUND THE FRANK MELVILLE POND

**Saturday, May 16, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.**

Join Sue Krause of Four Harbors Audubon, as we learn about some of our spring avian visitors to the area. There will be a short introduction in the library's Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room before heading out to Frank Melville Pond to try and locate some of these beautiful fliers! Bring binoculars if you have them. **Space is limited. Registration begins April 1.**

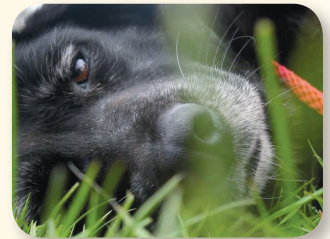


## PET ADOPTION FAIR – ON THE LIBRARY LAWN

**Saturday, May 16, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

**Open to all.**

Our annual Pet Adoption Fair will feature various animal rescue organizations and animal advocacy associations. There will be pets for adoption. Bring the family and pick out a new family member. *Please note: no outside pets permitted.*



## MOST BEAUTIFUL CARS EVER BUILT - SERIES 2

**Thursday, May 21, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**

Roy Jaffe, former senior stylist at General Motors, will share images and information about beautiful and unusual cars from his extensive photo collection. Most of these one-of-a-kind designs, which were custom-built by renowned coachmakers here and abroad, have never been seen by the public. Mr. Jaffe has been collecting and photographing cars for more than 70 years. His presentation will delight car lovers of all ages. **Registration begins April 1.**

## AMERICAN RED CROSS CAT AND DOG FIRST AID

**Saturday, May 23, 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.**

The goals of the *Cat and Dog First Aid* presentation are to teach participants how to be prepared for emergencies that involve a cat or a dog. Protect yourself and the animal from further harm, injury or suffering during emergencies by learning prompt, effective first aid. This is not a certification class. This class is being taught by Celia Ann Vollmer, certified CPR/AED and first aid instructor. **Space is limited. Registration begins April 1.**



## COMMUNITY SHRED DAY

**– IN THE LIBRARY PARKING LOT –**

**Saturday, May 30, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

Protect your privacy and get rid of clutter. A shredding truck from *A Shred Away Inc.* will be in our parking lot for on-site shredding of personal documents. They will take up to three boxes per family. **(Items Not Accepted: plastic, carbon paper, hanging files, red well folders, cardboard, newspaper or magazines. Clips and staples are fine to put through shredder. All paper is 100% recycled at a certified paper mill.) No registration required. Open to all.**





# Adult Programs



## Euterpe Poetry Group

**BEYOND WHITMAN:  
HOW TO DEVELOP YOUR OWN "YAWP"**  
Sunday, Apr. 26, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.



Walt Whitman Birthplace writer-in-residence George Wallace will stimulate your writing through exercises based on re-discovering and using your imaginative skills through generative wordplay.

This workshop encourages you to brainstorm your own prompts and trigger ideas for new poems, in a friendly, interactive group setting. Imagination-based poetry moves away from the editing focus of traditional critique-based writing workshops, working instead with exercises that enhance the writer's ability to create space for the imagination to explore, invent, discover and roam.

**SPRING HAS SPRUNG!  
A CELEBRATION IN POETRY**  
Friday, May 1, 7:00 - 8:45 p.m.

Join us for this spring read-in: bring some sprightly seasonal poems and we'll have more on hand to share aloud.

## WEDNESDAY EVENING BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Flyers with more detail are available in the Library or in "A Reader's Place" on our website: [readers.emmaclark.org](http://readers.emmaclark.org). Pick up a copy of the book at the Reference Desk a month prior to the discussion. We will meet in the Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room unless otherwise stated.



**One Hundred Years of Solitude**  
by Gabriel Garcia Marquez  
Wed, Mar. 25 at 7:30 p.m.



**Orphan Train**  
by Christina Kline  
Wed, Apr. 22 at 7:30 p.m.



**The Johnstown Flood**  
by David McCullough  
Wed, May 27 at 7:30 p.m.

## Art Exhibits

### MARCH

Jerry McGraw - *Captured McGraphics*

### APRIL

Don Wilson - *Long Island Landscapes & More*

### MAY

Bev Tyler - *Our Selected Travelogue Views*

## MARCH 6 — WHAT IF



**Starring Daniel Radcliffe**  
Wallace, who is burned out from a string of failed relationships, forms an instant bond with Chantry. Together, they puzzle out what it means if your best friend is also the love of your life?  
(PG-13)

## MARCH 20 — HUNDRED-FOOT JOURNEY



**Starring Helen Mirren**  
The Kadam family leaves India for France where they open a restaurant directly across the road from Madame Mallory's Michelin-starred eatery.  
(PG)



No registration required!

## APRIL 3 — THIS IS WHERE I LEAVE YOU



**Starring Tina Fey and Jane Fonda**  
When their father passes away, four grown siblings are forced to return to their childhood home and live under the same roof together for a week. (R)

## MAY 15 — TO BE ANNOUNCED

## APRIL 17 — MAGIC IN THE MOONLIGHT



**Starring Colin Firth**  
A romantic comedy about an Englishman brought in to help unmask a possible swindle. Personal and professional complications ensue.  
(PG-13)

## MAY 1 — BOYHOOD



**Starring Ethan Hawke**  
A groundbreaking story of growing up as seen through the eyes of a boy named Mason, who ages from six to eighteen years old on screen. (R)

*Sit back, relax and enjoy the show!*

# Senior Programs

Cultural Presentations and Films are chosen with seniors in mind, but are open to all adults.

## WRIGHTS, WRONGS AND A BELMONT: A RE-EXAMINATION OF AVIATION HISTORY, 1884 - 1914

**Wednesday, Mar. 4, 12:30 - 1:45 p.m.**

Frank Turano will present new research on the earliest years of manned flight. He'll examine the role of the first three international air shows and their impact on the developing aviation industry, including the Belmont Park, Long Island Airshow in 1910. He'll also present a fresh look at the contributions of Samuel Pierpont Langley, as well as the role of the Aviation Experimentation Association of Alexander Graham Bell and Glenn Curtiss.

## LIKE CATS & DOGS: HUMOROUS LITERATURE ABOUT OUR PETS

**Wednesday, Apr. 1, 12:30 - 1:45 p.m.**

David Houston and Diana Heinlein's presentation will feature classics from Thurber's *Pet Department* and Eliot's *Practical Cats*, glimpses of Mehitabel, an occasional absurdity from Ogden Nash, and snatches from such recent tomes as *Cat-echisms*, *How to Raise a Jewish Dog*, and *I Could Pee On This and other Poems by Cats*.

## LIARS, SCOUNDRELS AND THIEVES

**Wednesday, May 6, 12:30 - 1:45 p.m.**

Experience the richness of the ancient and ageless art of storytelling. Listen, as members of Long Island Storytelling Network share tales of trickery, cleverness and deceit from all over the world.

## Wednesday Matinées at Noon

**March 18, April 15 & May 20**

*Call a week before for the title of the film.*

## Homebound Library Service

If you or someone you know is homebound and can't come to the library because of a temporary or permanent disability, please contact our Homebound Services Librarian, Carolyn Emerson at 941-4080.



**AARP Smart Driver Course:** A 6-hour course for ages 50 and up which allows participants to receive a reduction of up to four points on their driver's license OR a 10% deduction on collision and liability auto insurance rates for a period of three years. Your insurance company may give both benefits. The \$25 fee (\$20 with proof of AARP membership) must be paid by check (**made out to AARP**) at registration.

**Tuesday, Apr. 7 & Wednesday, Apr. 8**

**OR**

**Thursday, Apr. 23 & Friday, Apr. 24**

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

(both days)

*Registration Begins*

*Thursday, Mar. 5, 2015*

**Wednesday, May 13 & Thursday, May 14**

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

(both days)

*Registration Begins*

*Thursday, April 9, 2015*



**AARP Income Tax Counseling:** AARP's Tax-Aide volunteers provide free assistance to low and moderate income tax-payers age 60 and over. They are trained to complete **only basic tax forms** and to answer routine tax questions. Bring last year's return, W-2 forms, SSA-1099, and all 1099 forms received. In addition, please also bring photo ID and social security ID for anyone listed on your tax return.

**Call or visit the Adult Reference Desk to schedule an appointment.**

***Thursdays, February 5 - April 9 (1:00 - 5:00 p.m.)***



# Computer Courses & Technology Workshops

Registration begins on Wednesday, February 18

Online registration is available at [www.emmaclark.org](http://www.emmaclark.org). You may also register by visiting or calling the Reference Desk at 941-4080 ext. 127. All classes are hands-on, limited to ten people and held in the Technology Center located on the lower level. Please check for prerequisites. Mouse proficiency is a "must" for most classes! You may sign up for a maximum of two classes per quarter.

## INTRODUCTION TO THE WORLD OF COMPUTERS

**Tue. & Thu. – Apr. 9, 14 & 16 at 10:00 a.m.**

In this three-part class you'll become acquainted with personal computers – both what they can do and what you can do with them. You will learn how to create files and folders, open files, save files, copy files, move and/or delete files. *This class is for true beginners. No prerequisite.*

## TO THE INTERNET AND BEYOND

**Tue. & Thu. – Mar. 17, 19 & 24 at 10:00 a.m.**

In this three-part class you will learn how to navigate the Internet, use a web browser and learn about various search engines to find important information online. You will also create an email account and learn how to send and receive email, set up an address book, screen incoming mail and much more. *Prerequisite: Proficiency using a mouse.*

## INTRODUCTION TO WORD 2013

**Tue., Thu. & Fri – May 5, 7 & 8 at 10:00 a.m.**



This three-part class introduces Microsoft Word, or "Word" as it is commonly known. This popular software application allows you to write letters and resumés, create invitations, flyers and much more! *Prerequisite: Proficiency using a mouse.*

## INTRODUCTION TO EXCEL 2013

**Tue. & Thu. – Apr. 21, 23 & 28 at 10:00 a.m.**

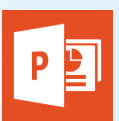
**Mon., Tue. & Thu. – May 18, 21 & 26 at 7:00 p.m.**



This three-part class introduces Microsoft Excel. Excel is an electronic spreadsheet program used for storing, organizing and manipulating data such as address lists and budgets. *Prerequisite: Basic knowledge of computers and proficiency using a mouse.*

## INTRODUCTION TO POWERPOINT 2013

**Mon. & Tue. – May 11 & 12 at 10:00 a.m.**



In this two-part class you'll learn the basics of this popular software program and how to create stunning computerized slides for presentations. *Prerequisite: Basic knowledge of computers and proficiency using a mouse.*

## FACEBOOK FUNDAMENTALS

**Tue. & Thu. – Mar. 3 & 5 at 10:00 a.m.**



Are you curious about Facebook? Would you like to set up an account but don't know where to begin? In this two-part class, we'll show you how to create a Facebook account, post on your timeline, upload photos, and much more! **Prior to the first class, you'll need to save a photo on a flash drive (JPEG format) that you would like to upload onto your Facebook page and bring the flash drive to class.**

## IPAD SETTINGS

**Thursday – Apr. 16 at 7:00 p.m.**



If you're new to Apple's mobile devices then you will need to be familiar with the various preferences settings for the iPad. This course will cover topics such as connecting to wi-fi, wallpaper, privacy settings, sounds, Bluetooth and so much more.

## FLASH DRIVES, FILES AND PHOTOS

**Saturday – Mar. 21 at 10:00 a.m.**



Learn how to save, locate and open files on a flash drive. **Bring your digital cameras and flash drives to this class and learn how to import, organize and store photos.**

## GREAT SMARTPHONE APPS

**Saturday – May 16 at 10:00 a.m.**



Have a smartphone but barely tapping into its potential? Bring your own device as we browse the app store in search of great apps, most of which are free!



Prefer to learn on your own schedule or progress beyond the beginner level? Visit us at [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org) and click on the **Services** tab to find the **Online Learning (You. Beyond.)** section.

**Sign up for the Summer Computer Courses & Technology Workshops will begin on Wednesday, May 20**



Let's face it! Technology can be frustrating. Whether it be a computer or mobile device, sometimes navigating your way can be overwhelming. Emma understands your frustration and that's why we've created **Teach Me Mobile**. We invite you to take advantage of our various technology programs. Sign up for our Drop-In Tech Assistance, Wednesday Workshop, Teen Tech Clinic or even book a one-on-one session with a Library Tech.

*See below for details!*

## Drop-In Tech Assistance

Come practice on our computers or bring in your own laptop or mobile device. One of our Librarians will be on hand to assist you and answer your questions. We will meet in the Technology Center located on the lower level. Check out the schedule below to see what works best for you! No registration is required.

### Mondays from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

March 2, 16 & 30  
April 13 & 27  
May 4 & 18

### Wednesdays from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

March 11 & 25  
April 22  
May 13

## Wednesday Workshops

The Wednesday Workshops will show you how to **borrow and download eBooks and audiobooks** in a small group setting. We will meet in the Technology Center, located on the lower level, to discuss one type of device per session. Please bring the **username** and **password** that you use to download applications (Apps). Check for your device below & register online at [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org) for ONE of the available dates:

### iPad/iPhone/iPod

3/4 @ 7:00 p.m.

### Nook/Android

4/8 @ 7:00 p.m.

### Kindle

5/6 @ 7:00 p.m.

## Teen Tech Clinic

### 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Local teens will be available in our Technology Center, located on the lower level, to answer simple computer questions and help you learn how to use your mobile devices, including cell phones, tablets and e-readers. You can also learn how to use our free online tutoring service called **Brainfuse**. This service is available for both students and adult learners.

Appointments are encouraged but not required. If you would like to make an appointment, contact the Adult Reference Desk at 941-4080 ext. 127.

March 3 & 17

April 7 & 21

May 5 & 19

## Time with a Tech

One-on-one instruction is available! Bring your computer or mobile device, and we'll sit down with you and go through it step-by-step. Call Jen Mullen today at 941-4080 ext. 129 to schedule your appointment (up to 45 minutes)!



# Teen Scene

**Exclusively for teens entering grades 7 through 12 (unless otherwise specified)**

A valid library card is required for program registration and, except where specified otherwise, you can register online through our website: [www.emmaclark.org](http://www.emmaclark.org). Program reminders will only be made by email, so be sure to enter an email address when you register or, even easier, add an email address to your library account one time and each registration will automatically include your email address. If you are unable to attend a program, or are going to be late arriving, please give us a call at the Adult Reference Desk at 941-4080, ext. 127.

If a program has unfilled spaces after 5 minutes, standbys will be allowed in.

## Authors Unlimited

*Authors Unlimited* will take place on Saturday, Apr. 25 at St. Joseph's College in Patchogue. This event celebrates reading by connecting teens and authors. It is a free full-day program open to everyone, but teens and tweens get preferred seating! Attendees will get the chance to meet dynamic authors of young adult literature.

For more information about this program, contact Nanette Feder at [teens@emmaclark.org](mailto:teens@emmaclark.org)

## Emma Clark Books Now Available at Gelinas!

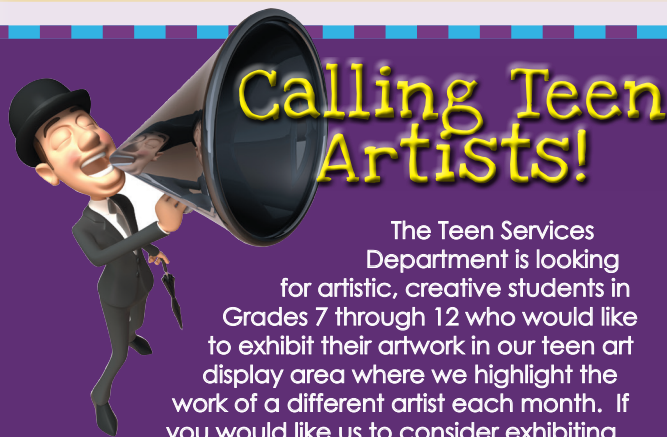
Finding great leisure reading became even easier for local teens when Emma Clark Library, on the heels of its successful pilot program with R. C. Murphy Junior High School last year, recently added P. J. Gelinas Junior High School to its list of partner institutions. Students at both schools now have daily access to a wide selection of our most popular titles just down the hall.

The school libraries each host a floating collection of about 100 carefully selected teen titles—both hardcover and paperback—from Emma's extensive collection which can be borrowed by students throughout the school year. Check it out when you get a chance!

Both collections will be refreshed periodically throughout the year with new titles, so you are sure to find something that appeals to you. We welcome your suggestions.

Your school year is hectic enough with competing demands from academic and extra-curricular activities. Let these additional pick-up locations make your life a little easier. Remember: recreational reading can be a great stress reliever.

If you have any suggestions for or questions about the floating book collections or any teen service, please email Nanette Feder ([teens@emmaclark.org](mailto:teens@emmaclark.org)) or call her at 941-4080.



The Teen Services Department is looking for artistic, creative students in Grades 7 through 12 who would like to exhibit their artwork in our teen art display area where we highlight the work of a different artist each month. If you would like us to consider exhibiting your artwork, please complete an Art Display application. You can pick up an application at the Adult Reference Desk or print a copy from our website at [teens.emmaclark.org](http://teens.emmaclark.org). If you have any questions, e-mail Nanette Feder at [teens@emmaclark.org](mailto:teens@emmaclark.org).



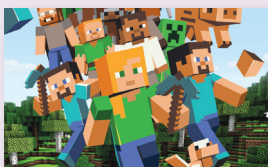
**FREE** online tutoring is available to students with valid library cards through the **Brainfuse** link on the Emma Clark homepage at [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org). Students can connect one-to-one with certified tutors in a secure online classroom. Students at every level – from elementary to advanced – can get help with studying, projects, essay writing and test preparation. **Mention that you're a NY State student and they will put you in touch with a Common Core-trained tutor.** **Tutors are available seven days a week from 2:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.**

# Teen Scene

## MINECRAFT MANIA

Friday, Mar. 20, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Friday, Apr. 10, 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.



Join us for a Minecraft building challenge! Play on the library's computers with your friends and classmates. Space is limited so sign up quickly!

## SUPER SMASH BROS. TOURNAMENT

Tuesday, Apr. 7, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.



Join us for a Super Smash Bros. Tournament on our Wii U. Who will be victorious? Battle it out to see who will remain standing as the Library Smash Champion! Refreshments will be served.

## Volunteer Opportunities

### GETTING READY TO BABYSIT

Saturday, Feb. 21, 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Get ready to babysit this summer! Learn about the responsibilities you will face as a babysitter and the skills necessary for the important job of childcare in this 3-hour class conducted by the Cornell Cooperative Extension. Bring a light refreshment and drink to the class as there will be a short break.

### CRAFTS FOR A CAUSE

Tuesday, Feb. 24, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Mar. 24, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Apr. 21, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 12, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Earn one hour of community service credit by creating a craft which will be donated to a local charitable organization. Sign up for one or all of the sessions. We will be working on different projects at each session.

### KNIT FOR A CAUSE

Mondays, Mar. 9 & 16, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. AND

Monday, Mar. 23, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Earn 10 hours of community service credit by knitting (at least) two preemie caps for the Neonatal Unit at Stony Brook Hospital. Yarn and pattern will be supplied. To participate you must have some knitting experience and bring two sets of needles: sizes 3 & 5, no longer than 7 inches. You must attend all three sessions to receive your certificate.

### PET FAIR

Saturday, May 16, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

A few teen volunteers are needed to assist at our annual Pet Fair. Responsibilities include: helping to set up tables and chairs, bringing water to the pets and cleaning up after the fair. If you are interested in volunteering for a 2-hour time slot, please contact Nanette Feder at [teens@emmaclark.org](mailto:teens@emmaclark.org).

### MINECRAFT

Friday, Apr. 10, 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Friday, Apr. 10, 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.

This is the perfect volunteer opportunity for Minecraft lovers! If you are in grades 9 - 12, very knowledgeable about the game and able to suggest and lead game challenges, you can earn community service credit by assisting at one or more of our Minecraft sessions. Want to volunteer? Contact Nanette Feder at [teens@emmaclark.org](mailto:teens@emmaclark.org).

### LEGO CLUB

Friday, Mar. 27, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Monday, Apr. 6, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Friday, May 22, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

We are looking for teen volunteers who loved building with LEGOs as a kid and would like to share ideas with younger enthusiasts, ages 5 - 10 yrs. Want to volunteer? Register online at [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org).

## BECOME A TEEN REVIEWER

Every January, the *American Library Association* publishes a list of the books that librarians believe to be the best books for teens (between the ages of 12 and 18) published during the past year. Teen volunteers can earn Community Service credit by reviewing these books for their peers. The 2015 program begins on or about February 1. Reviews will be shared with other Emma Clark teens. If you want more information about this program or to pick up a registration form, stop by the Adult Reference Desk or contact Nanette Feder, Teen Services Librarian at [teens@emmaclark.org](mailto:teens@emmaclark.org). Registration forms will also be available at [teens.emmaclark.org](http://teens.emmaclark.org).





# Children's Programs

All children's programs require online registration with your child's library card. If you are unable to attend a program, or are going to be late arriving, please call the Children's Reference Desk at 941-4080 ext. 123.  
If a program has unfilled spaces after 5 minutes, standbys will be allowed into the program.  
It is the policy of the library that children under the age of 11 years cannot be left unattended.

## TIME FOR BABY

**Ages 16 - 24 mos. w/ parent, 9:45 - 10:15 a.m.**

Now that your baby is on the move, this program will be filled with songs and dance for both of you to enjoy.

**Ages Birth - 15 mos. w/ parent, 11:00 - 11:30 a.m.**

This program is for your infant who is not yet mobile. There will be songs and rhymes ideal for this lap time.

**Fridays, March 13 & 27**

Registration begins Friday, Feb. 27.

**Fridays, April 10 & 24**

Registration begins Friday, Mar. 27.

**Fridays, May 8 & 22**

Registration begins Friday, Apr. 24.

**Fridays, June 12 & 26**

Registration begins Friday, May 22.



## PRE-SCHOOL STORY TIME

**Ages 3 1/2 - 5 years**

It's time for a little independence & to meet new friends.

**Mondays**

10:30 - 11:00 a.m.

**Tuesdays OR Thursdays**

1:15 - 1:45 p.m.

**Session 1**

**Mondays:** Feb. 23 & Mar. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

**Tuesdays:** Feb. 24 & Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

**Thursdays:** Feb. 26 & Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26 & Apr. 2

Registration begins Monday, Feb. 9.

**Session 2**

**Mondays:** Apr. 13, 20, 27 & May 4, 11, 18

**Tuesdays:** Apr. 14, 21, 28 & May 5, 12, 19

**Thursdays:** Apr. 16, 23, 30 & May 7, 14, 21

Registration begins Monday, Mar. 30.

## PARENT-TODDLER WORKSHOP

**Ages 18 mos. - 3 1/2 years w/ parent**

This active hour will give your toddler time to experience sharing, group participation and play with toys that will stimulate his or her mind.

**Wednesdays OR Thursdays OR Saturdays**

9:30 - 10:30 a.m. OR 11:00 a.m. - Noon

**Session 1**

**Wednesdays:** Feb. 25 & Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25 & Apr. 1

**Thursdays:** Feb. 26 & Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26 & Apr. 2

**Saturdays:** Feb. 28, Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28 & Apr. 4

Registration begins Saturday, Feb. 14.

**Session 2**

**Wednesdays:** Apr. 15, 22, 29 & May 6, 13, 20

**Thursdays:** Apr. 16, 23, 30 & May 7, 14, 21

**Saturdays:** Apr. 18, 25, & May 2, 9, 16, 23

Registration begins Saturday, Apr. 4.



## AFTER-SCHOOL STORY TIME

**Grades K - 2**

There's no place like a good book for an escape after school.

**Mondays**

4:45 - 5:30 p.m.

**Session 1**

Feb. 23 & Mar. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Registration begins Monday, Feb. 9.

**Session 2**

Apr. 13, 20, 27 & May 4, 11, 18

Registration begins Monday, Mar. 30.

## FACTS & FICTION STORY NIGHT

**Ages 4 - 7 years w/ parent**

7:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Join us each Wednesday night for a "Facts and Fiction" story time that will cover a new theme each month. You and your child will enjoy stories, facts, trivia and activities that go with the monthly themes.

**Working Like a Dog**

Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25

Registration begins Wednesday, Feb. 25.

**Big Cat Safari**

Apr. 1, 15, 22, 29

Registration begins Wednesday, Mar. 25.

**Super Heroes**

May 6, 13, 20, 27

Registration begins Wednesday, Apr. 29.



## TOT STORY TIME

**Ages 2 - 3 years w/ parent**

The program themes are designed to stimulate and reinforce all that your toddler enjoys about life.

**Tuesdays**

10:15 - 10:45 a.m. OR 11:00 - 11:30 a.m.

**Session 1**

Feb. 24 & Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Registration begins Tuesday, Feb. 10.

**Session 2**

Apr. 14, 21, 28 & May 5, 12, 19

Registration begins Tuesday, Mar. 31.



# Children's Programs

## TOT'S NIGHT OUT

Ages 2 - 4 years w/ parent,  
6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Our evening together will have the following exciting themes with crafts to take home.

### Duck

Thursday, Mar. 19

Registration begins Saturday, Mar. 7.

### Caterpillar

Monday, Apr. 13

Registration begins Saturday, Apr. 4.

### Unicorn

Monday, May 11

Registration begins Saturday, May 2.



## Reading with alfie

Wednesdays, 4:45 - 5:10 p.m.

Begins Wednesday, March 4 and every Wednesday through the end of May.



## Reading with angela

Thursdays, 4:45 - 5:15 p.m.

Begins Thursday, March 5 and every Thursday through the end of May.

Alfie and Angela, trained therapy dogs, and their persons will be available here at the library.

If you'd like to read to Alfie or Angela to improve your reading skill, they would love to listen.

You can register in-person OR by phone.

Call for a specific date and time.

Registration for both start Saturday, Feb. 28.

## Mother's Day Unique Soft Metal Heart

Ages 7 - 10 years

Friday, May 1, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Engrave onto the soft metal heart, a design of your choice and include a special message by using color sharpies for a pop of color.

Registration begins Friday, Apr. 24.

## Let's All Rock in our Reading Shoes!



Now that you're reading toward your winter reading club goal, remember you may register for the following celebrations:

### TODDLER TANGO

(Ages 2 - 5 years)

Friday, Mar. 6

1:15 - 2:15 p.m.

### JESTER JIM

(Ages 6+ years)

Friday, Mar. 6

5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

See Children's Reference Desk to register.

## Save the Date!

Awards Reception &  
Story Time  
Sunday, April 26  
at 2:00 p.m.

Registration starts April 1.

See page 3 for details!







# Children's Programs



## LOOK UP AT THE SKY! IS IT A BIRD? IS IT A PLANE? NO, IT'S ANOTHER HERO PHOTO SHOOT!

If you've missed our previous dates, we have added another photo op. Would you like to see your children up on the walls in the Children's Library? We would love to feature your children in our decorations for the Summer Reading Club. Please bring your child in their favorite hero costume to the Children's Library on

**Saturday, Mar. 14 anytime  
from 2:00 - 4:30 p.m.**

No super hero costume? No problem! We will also be taking photos of the kids dressed as "every day" heroes - firefighters, police officers, etc.

*Each photo shoot will take approximately 15 minutes.*



## LEGO CLUB

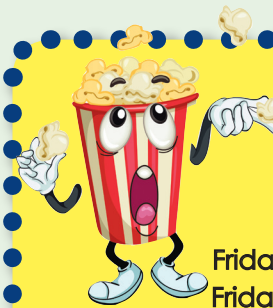
**Ages 5 - 10 years**

Connect with your friends!

**Friday, Mar. 27, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.**  
Registration begins Saturday, Mar. 21.

**Monday, Apr. 6, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.**  
Registration begins Saturday, Mar. 28.

**Friday, May 22, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.**  
Registration begins Saturday, May 16.



## Family Movies

**Friday, Feb. 27, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

**Friday, Mar. 13, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

**Thursday, Apr. 9, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.**

**Friday, May 8, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

Movies to be announced.

*No registration required.*



*Fun for ages 5 years and under!*

## FUN AROUND THE WORLD

**Come travel the world with us!**

**Imagine coming to the library and taking a trip to another country.**

*We'll be visiting...*



### BRAZIL

**Friday, Mar. 20  
11:00 - 11:30 a.m.**

*Registration begins Mar. 14*



### ITALY

**Friday, Apr. 17  
11:00 - 11:30 a.m.**

*Registration begins Apr. 4*

**Parents:** If you are bilingual and would like to share a book in your native language along with some songs and a bit of your culture with children 5 years and under we would like to hear from you. Please call the Children's Library at 631.941.4080, ext.123.





# Children's Programs

## Books Bring History Alive & Families Together!

### Book discussion for Grades 4 - 6 with their family at the LONG ISLAND MUSEUM

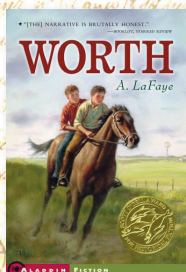
Join us for this unique collaborative book club which includes a discussion and an opportunity to tour parts of the museum that will enhance the book we are sharing. Before our discussion on Sunday, March 22 we will visit the new exhibit **Ansel Adams: Early Works**. On Sunday, April 19, we will be guided through the **American Horizons, East to West: Masterworks of Landscape Painting and Photography** exhibit before our discussion.



#### **DASH by Kirby Larson**

**Sunday, Mar. 22, 4:00 - 5:15 p.m.**

Mitsi Kashino loves her dog, Dash, more than anything. She also loves her family and her two best friends but following the attack on Pearl Harbor and America's entrance in World War II, everything in Mitsi's life changes. Now, her friends won't speak to her and the class bully antagonizes her even more. Before long her family is forced to leave their home and go to an internment camp where no pets are allowed. With the help of a friendly neighbor back home who cares for her dog, Mitsi remains connected to Dash. In spite of the hard times, Mitsi holds on to the hope that the war will end soon and life will return to normal. Will Mitsi and Dash ever be reunited? **IN-PERSON** registration at the library begins Saturday, Feb. 23. Books will be supplied at the time of registration.



#### **WORTH by A. LaFaye**

**Sunday, Apr. 19, 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.**

A boy's life on a farm in the 1800s is serious work. When 11-year-old Nate is hurt in a farming accident and is no longer able to work, Nate's father decides to adopt an orphan from New York. John Worth, who has lost his parents in a fire, is brought to Nebraska from New York City on the Orphan Train. He struggles to learn the ways of farming while Nate, used to working in the fields, is sent to school and struggles with his new role as student in a class of younger, more educated students. Both boys feel useless and unloved. Can they work together and learn the value of each other's friendship? **IN-PERSON** registration at the library begins Saturday, Mar. 14. Books will be supplied at the time of registration.

The Little People's Theater presents...

## THE BIG APPLE SHOW

Featuring **THE MIME ENCHANTERS**

**Sunday, Apr. 12, 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.**

(in the Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room)

The Big Apple Show will include commentary by a special vocal narrator as well as a short class for children to discover how mime illusions are created.

Registration begins Saturday, April 4.

For the whole family. Suggested for 5 years and older.







# Children's Programs

**DID YOU SAY  
YOU'RE  
BORED?**



## UBER PROGRAMS FOR SPRING RECESS

### BACKYARD WILDLIFE

Wednesday, Apr. 8, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.  
Ages 3 1/2 - 5 yrs.

What lives in your backyard? You will see animals that might live in your neighborhood. Sweetbriar Nature Center will be bringing a box turtle, rabbit, opossum, screech owl and maybe a surprise or two. Registration begins Saturday, Mar. 28.



### LEGO CLUB

Ages 5 - 10 years

Connect with your friends!

Monday, Apr. 6, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.  
Registration begins Saturday, Mar. 28.

### PETRA PUPPETS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Tuesday, Apr. 7  
1:30 - 2:30 p.m. OR 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.



Why does the monkey magician have a carsick rabbit? What do you do if a hippo steps on your toe? The answers can only be found in **Steve Petra's Big Mouth Talent Show**. Starring many characters including The Great Chimpini Monkey

Magician, Plant Artiste Vincent DeVine and amazing unknown talents of the audience. *This performance will take place in the Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room on the lower level. Registration begins Saturday, March 28.*

PLEASE NOTE: EVERY PERSON who is attending must be registered no matter the age. If you are not registered, you will be considered "Standby".

### Family Movies

Thursday, Apr. 9, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.  
Friday, May 8, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Movies to be announced.  
*No registration required.*



### MINECRAFT

Join us for a Minecraft building challenge! "Place" and "Break" blocks on the Library's computers with your friends and classmates. We will meet in the Tech Center on the library's lower level.

Ages 7 - 9 yrs., Friday, Apr. 10, 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.  
*Registration begins Saturday, Mar. 28.*  
Ages 10 - 12 yrs., Friday, Apr. 10, 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.  
*Registration begins Saturday, Mar. 28.*

### Sing along with Irv

Saturday, Apr. 11, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.  
Ages 2 - 6 yrs. with parent.

Come join us for this fun sing-along for kids of all ages. We'll sing favorites like "She'll Be Coming 'Round The Mountain".  
Registration begins Saturday, Apr. 4.



Pictures/Videos taken at library events or activities may be posted online, printed in our newsletter and other print media or displayed in-house. If you do not want yourself and/or your minor child photographed, please notify the librarian/photographer at the time of the event.



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#### 2015 MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, March 18  
Wednesday, April 15  
Wednesday, May 20  
\*All meetings begin at 7:30 p.m.  
in the Vincent R. O'Leary  
Community Room. The public is  
invited to attend.

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## *A Fond Farewell...*



It is with both sadness and happiness that we announce the retirement of Marge Bengston, Head of the Children's Department. After nearly 25 years, Marge is leaving the Library at the end of March to spend more time with her family and granddaughter.

Marge was pivotal during the Children's Library expansion project in 2000. From designing the floor plan to ordering the book shelves, Marge championed the task to bring the Three Village community a beautiful new Children's Library that continues to receive compliments from all who visit. Throughout the years, Marge has put her heart and soul into her work, caring deeply for the children of the community. Her commitment and dedication to the Library and Three Village have been appreciated by all. She has certainly left her mark!

It has been a pleasure to work with Marge every day. She has fostered an enjoyable and creative environment for which we will be forever grateful. She has been an inspiring role model and leaves behind a legacy of excellence. Please join us in wishing her all the best in this new chapter of her life!

## *Thank You, Three Village...*

### *Mitten Tree*



A very warm thank you to Three Village for the 1,000+ donated items that we received for our Mitten Tree. We were overwhelmed by the response, and it really shows how much the wonderful people of our community care for their neighbors and those in need.

### *Clock Refacing & Chimney Restoration*

We'd like to extend our sincere gratitude to Andrew Netisul for donating his time and materials to refacing our historic clock. We'd also like to thank Michael and Anthony Butera of ATM Butera, who worked on the restoration of our chimney. Andrew Netisul and Michael & Anthony Butera's talents have ensured that the library's façade continues to be an eye-catching and attractive structure in our community and a piece of our local history.



## *Important Information...*

Please let us know if you need an accommodation to make library programs or services accessible to you. Pictures and videos taken at library events or activities may be posted online, printed in our newsletter and other print media or displayed in-house. If you do not want yourself and/or your minor child photographed, please notify the librarian/photographer at the time of the event.