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LIBRARIES ALWAYS REMIND ME THAT THERE ARE GOOD THINGS

IN THIS WORLD. -LAUREN WARD-

Automatic Renewals

Do you know about the convenience of autorenewals? There's no need to "opt-in" to the service. Your item will be automatically renewed as long as there isn't a hold on it by another patron. If we have your email address on your record, you will receive an email notice about whether or not the item was renewed.

FALL FALL 2018 FALL 2018 FALL Common Clark Library Free Heart of the Three Village Community"



The Great Playdate & The Great Give Back

We're joining other Suffolk County Libraries on these dates to strengthen our communities!

– The <mark>Creat Pl</mark>aydate –

SAT<mark>URDAY, SEPTE</mark>MBER 22 A special day for our young patrons and their parents/caregivers. See page 15 for more details!

- The Great Cive Back

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13 Help us to support our furry friends! The official kick-off of our

Pot Food Drive will start on that date (and run through the end of the month). And we have 2 special youth community service opportunities. See page 10 & 13 for more details!



IT'S YOUR LIBRARY— REMEMBER TO VOTE

Emma S. Clark Memorial Library BUDGET VOTE Wednesday September 26, 2018 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.



PROPOSED LIBRARY BUDGET FOR 2019

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	<u>2018</u>	2019
Employee Salaries	\$2,883,927	\$3,071,271
Mandated Benefits	\$1,116,411	\$1,215,274
Materials And Programs	\$711,300	\$751,300
Building And Operations	\$614,800	\$609,600
ESTIMATED INCOME	\$367,250	\$309,250
PREVIOUSLY APPLIED BOND PAYMENT* TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAX LEVY Change in Tax Levy	\$276,210 \$5,235,398	\$0 \$0 \$5,338,195 +1.96%

*Bond Payment represents the amount due to repay the Library's building expansion, approved in a special voter referendum in 1998.

LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE FACTS

Voting Day

Wednesday, September 26, 2018, 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Emma S. Clark Memorial Library Periodicals Room

Voter Registration

Residents may register to vote at the Office of the District Clerk and at the Office of Student Administration in the North Country Administration Building, 100 Suffolk Avenue, Stony Brook, from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. on days when school is in session. The deadline for registering to vote is Friday, September 14, 2018.

Absentee Ballots

Applications for absentee ballots may be obtained from the Three Village Central School District Clerk beginning September 4, 2018, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. during all days on which school is in session. Completed applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the vote if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the vote, Tuesday, September 25, 2018, if the ballot is to be made available at the District Clerk's office located at the North Country Administration Building, 100 Suffolk Ave., Stony Brook, New York.

Absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the vote, September 26, 2018, if they are to be canvassed.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

- Information booth outside front entrance
- Display of Revolutionary Military Paraphernalia and Library materials in lobby
- Songs, Chanteys & Sea Slang from Colonial Days on the Library Lawn, 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Stuart Markus and Robin Greenstein, known as "The Royal Yard", take you along on a musical sea journey.
- Children's Craft from 11:30 a.m. 3:00 p.m.

Check out our Setauket Spy Ring webpage spyring.emmaclark.org, which includes an interactive tour, weblinks, a video and related materials.

All Library events are free and no tickets are required. For information on other Culper Spy Day events in the area, contact the Three Village Historical Society, 631-751-3730.



New Museums Added & "Print and Go" Museum Passes



The Long Island Maritime Museum in West Sayville and The Sagtikos Manor in West Bay Shore have just been added to our circulating museum pass collection.

Also, 16 of our 26 museum passes are now **printable**, which means there's no need to pick them up or drop them off at the Library. Simply print them from home – or anywhere – and go!



Reserve a museum pass at emmaclark.org/museum-passes.

 We'd love to see your adventures with Museum Passes!

 Post a photo while using your museum pass on our social media:

 Facebook:
 Upload the photo directly to our page (@EmmaClarkLibrary)

 Twitter:
 Tweet the photo with our handle (@escml)

 Instagram:
 Post your photo and tag us (@EmmaClarkLibrary)

 Be sure to use the hashtag #EmmaTakesMePlaces and tag Emma S. Clark Memorial Library!

Honoring Our Veterans ★★★Veterans Board★★★

In honor of Veterans Day, starting Thursday, November 1, we'll have a display in the Library lobby with photos highlighting our country's veterans. Bring a photo of your favorite veteran to the Library's Circulation Desk or Adult Reference Desk, fill out

a quick form about the veteran, and we'll display the photo on the board. It may be yourself or a friend or family member whom you'd like to honor, who served in uniform.

The photos will be on display through November 21 and will be available for pick-up at the Circulation Desk after November 26.





Emma S. Clark Memorial Library will be partnering with

the Library of Congress to help preserve our community's rich history. We are looking for U.S. military veterans, from any conflict, who are willing to share their experiences and stories. Interviews will run from thirty minutes to one hour each and will be conducted and recorded at the library. <u>Completed interviews will be</u> <u>added to the Library's YouTube channel for public viewing</u> <u>and archived in the Library of Congress</u>. Participating veterans will receive a personal DVD copy of their own interview.

To schedule an interview, call Nancy McCaffrey at 631-941-4080.

We want to hear and preserve your story

EARN/COMMUNITY/SERVICE **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY** - For students in 5th & 6th grade – Letters To Our Troops & Veterans Friday, Nov. 9, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. See page 13 for more details!



Rainy day? Stop by to play!

The Children's Department is so much more than books. We have games, toys, and puzzles for all ages, Playstix, and of course, the famous train table. Osmo ("Play Beyond the Screen") is always available for kids and is a combination of a digital experience and tangible play. We also have Imagination Playground ("Big Blue Blocks") in our program room for kids to play with, whenever a class is not in session.

Adult Classes & Events

Ongoing...

-IN THE VINCENT R. O'LEARY COMMUNITY ROOM-Fridays, 10:00 a.m. – Noon Sept. 7 & 21, Oct. 5 & 19 and Nov. 2 & 16

Sept. / & 21, Oct. 5 & 19 and Nov. 2 & 16 We provide the space, tables and chairs. You bring your friends and a favorite board or card game to play. We now have an assortment of games, coloring books and markers for ADULT patron use. We also have 2 Mahjongg sets available (you must supply your own cards). All of these items will be available for inhouse use only during designated times. *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* 631-751-4775 if you are Interested in attending.

Learn more on

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 individual library card number to register for a program. Self-registration may be done online at <u>emmaclark.org</u>. Any fees for materials must be paid in cash at the Adult Reference Desk at time of registration and are non-refundable. If a program has unfilled spaces after 5 minutes, standbys will be allowed in.

NEW ALL ADULTS, ALL ABILITIES

These classes & events are purposely designed to appeal to adults (accompanied by their aide/caregiver) with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum, or those who have other special needs, but they are open to all interested adults. Non-residents are welcome. *Please register by calling the Adult Reference Desk at 631-941-4080*.

> If you have any questions about these programs, please contact Nanette Feder at <u>nanette@emmaclark.org</u>.

- Monster Wreath -

Wednesday, Oct. 10, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Come make a Halloween-themed craft and enjoy some fall treats. Registration begins Sept. 4.

- CURIOUSLY CREATIVE CANDLES -

Thursday, Nov. 8, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Create your own unique candle using different colors and patterns. Registration begins Oct. 1.

Adult volunteers may be needed to assist during the program. If you are willing and available to help, please contact our adult volunteer coordinator, Carolyn Emerson at carolyn@emmaclark.org.

AARP Tax-Aide Volunteers Needed!

Come find out if you have what it takes to join the team. You needn't have an accounting background. AARP will provide comprehensive training during December and January so that you will be prepared. From February through April each year, AARP's Tax-Aide volunteers provide free tax assistance at local libraries to low- and middle-income taxpayers with special attention given to those aged 60 and older. Many of your neighbors depend on this assistance each year, but more volunteers are needed throughout Suffolk County to continue to meet the growing demand. If this volunteer opportunity appeals to you, why not join our experienced AARP Tax-Aide Volunteers to learn more on Thursday, Sept. 13, from 11 a.m. – Noon. Registration is encouraged but not required. To register, call the adult reference desk at 631-941-4080, ext. 127. Participants from other districts are welcome to attend.

GAME



IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF RUTH REICHL: A NYC CULINARY ODYSSEY Thursday, Sept. 6, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. Do you love eating out? If so,

don't miss this culinary odyssey given by Pat Sommerstad to seven of New York City's most beloved restaurants, guided by the wise and witty reviews of the New York Times former food critic, Ruth Reichl. Do you love finding new places to explore? Along with restaurant "visits", we'll explore the best attractions in the neighborhoods surrounding each restaurant. You'll go home with seven complete NYC day itineraries and, most likely, several prizes! Registration begins Aug. 1.

LEARN HOW TO PREVENT A FALL Monday, Sept. 10, 10:00 a.m. - Noon



Falls are the leading cause of injury among the senior population. A free balance screening will be provided followed by a lecture on how to reduce your risk of falling. John Perkins, Community Outreach Manger at St. Charles Hospital, will lead the presentation. Registration begins Aug. 1.

RUSTIC AUTUMN WREATH Please register for only one session Thursday, Sept. 13, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. OR 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. Bonnie Schwartz invites you to make

vour own autumn rustic wreath to

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welcome the season. Choose from **Bonnie Schwartz** various embellishments including silk leaves, ribbon, woody elements, even a mini scarecrow! Space is limited. Registration begins Aug. 1.

Already have a small business or thinking about starting one?

SCORE: COUNSELORS TO AMERICA'S SMALL

BUSINESS will present two sessions for prospective business owners. Individuals who are thinking about starting a new business or people who already have a small business are encouraged to attend. Each session

has its own registration sign-up. Registration for both sessions begins Aug. 1.

Session One: Starting a Successful Business Monday, Sept. 17, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

This session will address the basics of setting up a business, paying taxes and keeping financial records. It will also cover insurance, marketing and financing a business.

SESSION TWO: BUSINESS PLAN: WHY YOU NEED ONE Monday, Sept. 24, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. This session will cover start-up costs, preparing a budget and cash flow projections. Help will be provided in formulating a business plan and in using one to obtain financing.

Beginner Soapmaking Saturday, Sept. 22, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Carly McAllister, Bubble Maker, will teach the basics of melt and pour soapmaking and the process from set-up to completion. Each student will be provided an instruction sheet with a recipe and sources they can use to find soapmaking materials. Everyone gets to take home a guest soap! Space is limited. Registration begins Aug. 1.

INSIDE THE MIND OF A WHALE Thursday, Sept. 27, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

See a whale tooth, blubber and baleen and some other interesting artifacts that one of the educators will bring from the Whaling Museum of Cold Spring Harbor's collection. Registration begins Aug. 1.

ELDER ABUSE: A DISCUSSION Tuesday, Oct. 2, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Donna Buccellato, Elder Abuse Community Educator for the Victims



Information Bureau of Suffolk, will present a discussion on this important issue. Topics will include the eight most common types of abuse, ways that seniors can keep themselves safe from perpetrators, how to safeguard personal information and where to report elder abuse and neglect. There will be a question and answer period following the discussion. Registration begins Aug. 1.



THAI COOKING TASTING Thursday, Oct. 4, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Penn Hongthong will demonstrate Global Studies In Memory of Jn Memory of Jn Memory of Jn States States Studies Studies Studies Now to make Massaman Curry with Beef, Panang Curry with Chicken and Coconut Jasmine Rice. A tasting will follow. Plea Chicken and Coconut Jasmine Rice. A tasting will follow. Please

Philip Graia

is the author of Simple Laotian Cooking and Healthy Lao Cuisine. She is also the host of Simple Lao Cuisine on channel 20 East Hampton. Space is limited. Registration begins Sept. 4.

STROKE: A NEUROLOGICAL EMERGENCY Thursday, Oct. 11, Noon – 2:00 p.m.

The more you know about stroke - the types, symptoms, causes and effects – the better prepared you'll be to prevent one from happening to you. Free BP screenings will be given between Noon – 1:00 p.m., followed by a lecture given by Dr. Berdia, MD, St. Charles Hospital's Stroke Medical Director. Registration begins Sept. 4.

SEINFELD REVISITED: THE REAL STORY Thursday, Oct. 11, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

You're invited to join us on a journey behind the scenes of Seinfeld with the

show's "Fab Four", plus Larry David. Diane & Jeff Hollander, OLLI at SBU Seinfeld course facilitators, will be your hosts for this fun-filled evening. Registration begins Sept. 4.



THE AMERICAN DREAM: WHAT IT MEANS AND WHAT ARE ITS PROSPECTS

Monday, Oct. 15, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Since its inception, one of the central meanings of America has been the opportunity to make something of one's life. In recent times, however, this vision has become increasingly uncertain. Please join Dr. David Sprintzen, Professor Emeritus of Philosophy at Long Island University, to discuss this important topic. Registration begins Sept. 4.

GEORGIA O'KEEFFE: MODERNISM AND HER INFLUENCE IN AMERICAN ART Thursday, Oct. 18, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.



Georgia O'Keeffe has become, through misguided reasoning, somewhat mythic in the public mind. She was famous for creating close-ups of flowers, such as Red Canna and Black Iris paintings. Ranelle Wolf, Adjunct Professor of Visual Arts and Interior Design will weave Ms. O'Keeffe's story through history in this presentation. Registration begins Sept. 4.

DNA AND FAMOUS CASES Wednesday, Oct. 24, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Former teacher of science and forensics, Linda Frank, will outline the uses and misuses of DNA in high profile cases both solved and unsolved. Case histories will be reviewed along with which DNA technology was used. These tests will then be applied to each case. Registration begins Sept. 4.



GALAPAGOS: DARWIN'S **ENCHANTED** ISLANDS Thursday, Oct. 25,

Global Studies Jn Memory of Jn Wemory of diving details will be discussed along

with descriptions of the magnificent wildlife that can be found in the Galapagos Islands. Registration begins Sept. 4.

MEDICARE: THE BASICS Monday, Oct. 29, 10:00 - Noon

Patrons are invited to a Medicare Information presentation facilitated by the Health Insurance Information, Counseling and Assistance Program (HIICAP). The session will



help those who are Medicare eligible understand Original Medicare, Medicare Supplement Plans, Medicare Part D and Medicare Advantage plans. Ways to help pay for Medicare such as Extra Help, EPIC and the Medicare Savings programs will be addressed. HIICAP is sponsored by the Retired Senior Volunteer Program of Suffolk and the Suffolk County Office of the Aging. Registration begins Sept.. 4.

OFF THE BEATEN PATH IN SPAIN Monday, Oct. 29, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.



Join Patricia Summers for a back roads adventure to the hidden gems that tourists miss. No passport necessary! Registration begins Sept. 4.

Wonders of the November Night Sky Thursday, Nov. 1, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Join us for an evening of discussion and stargazing with Randall DiGiuseppe of the Custer Institute and Observatory in Southold. Registration begins Oct. 1.

GRAZIE ITALIA! A STORY OF HOLOCAUST SURVIVAL Friday, Nov. 2, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Beruria Stroke was born in Zagreb, Yugoslavia. On March 5, 1941, the Nazis invaded Belgrade where Beruria's family found themselves in transit to Palestine. It is a story that can only truly be told through the eyes of someone who lived through this time. Registration begins Oct. 1.

ETSY: HOW TO OPEN & RUN A SUCCESSFUL SHOP Wednesday, Nov. 7, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Etsv Susan Lothrop is running two successful Etsy shops and has realized her dream of being a stayat-home Mom while earning an income. She will share the basics of opening and starting an Etsy shop. There will also be time for Q & A. Registration begins Oct. 1.

The Memoir Zone

Thursday, Nov. 8, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Writer and radio personality David Bouchier will read from and discuss An Unexpected Life, his memoir about teaching, writing, broadcasting and trying to make sense of the world. Registration begins Oct. 1.

ONE-ON-ONE MEDICARE Counseling and Assistance

Monday, Nov. 12, 10:00 a.m. – Noon Meet individually with a Suffolk County RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) volunteer from HIICAP (Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program) who can answer questions and provide information specific to your own needs regarding Medicare health insurance and benefits. You must be Medicare eligible to take part in this program. Appointments are on a first-come, first-served basis with a signup sheet outside our board room. No registration

ALL ABOARD! FOR LIONEL TRAINS Thursday, Nov. 15, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

required.



Come "play trains" with best-selling author and local collector Ron Hollander. Bring your own trains and learn their history! Registration begins Oct. 1.

GROWTH AND REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT IN THE Three Villages and Across Long Island Monday, Nov. 19, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

How are regional real estate development trends shaping the future of the Three Village area? Awardwinning real estate columnist Richard Murdocco will discuss all this and more. Registration begins Oct. 1.





WEDNESDAY EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

Book discussions are led by the participants. Copies of the books are available to check out at the Circulation Desk starting the day of the preceding discussion. Please check out the next book on the way to the discussion, which will run from 7:30 - 8:45 p.m. Flyers with additional information are available. We will meet in the Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room.



Americanah by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie Wed., Sept. 12

The Leavers by Lisa Ko I FAVERS Wed., Oct. 10 -----l 🕡



Death Comes for the Archbishop by Willa Cather Wed., Nov. 14

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Jerry McGrath NATURE Captured by *McGraphics*



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. See page 2 for more details! Friday Afternoon latinées 2:00 p.m.

No registration required!

SEPTEMBER 7 -7 Days in Entebbe Starring Rosamund Pike (PG-13) Israeli soldiers embark on a mission to

THE FEEL-GOOD FILM OF THE YEAR" FINDING EET

rescue more than 240 hostages from an airport in Entebbe, Uganda, in the summer of 1976.

SEPTEMBER 21 -



FINDING YOUR FEET Starring Timothy Spall (PG-13) On the eve of retirement, a judgmental middle-class snob discovers her husband has been having an affair with her best friend and is forced into exile with her bohemian sister who lives on an impoverished innercity council estate.

October 5 — RBG

(PG) A look at the life and work of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg as told through interviews with the justice and her colleagues, family and friends.

Остовер 19 — THREE BILLBOARDS OUTSIDE EBBING, MISSOURI

Starring Frances McDormand and Woody Harrelson (R) After months have passed without a culprit in her daughter's murder case, Mildred Hayes paints three signs leading into her town with a controversial message directed at William Willoughby, the town's revered chief of police, setting the stage for a battle between Mildred and Ebbing's law enforcement officers.

NOVEMBER 2 & 16 TO BE ANNOUNCED Sit back, relax and enjoy the show!

Cultural Events for Seniors

Cultural presentations and films are chosen with seniors in mind, but are open to all adults. Please register by calling the Adult Reference Desk at 631-941-4080, ext. 115.



A TOUR OF ITALY Wed., Sept. 5, 12:30 – 1:45 p.m. Join us for a tour of famous cities, as well as tiny villages, in every region of

Italy, while we enjoy her cuisine, festivals, art, architecture, gardens and history. Whether you are planning a trip or are an avid armchair traveler, this presentation is for you.

No passport necessary!

YOUR WILD NEIGHBORS Wed., Oct. 3, 12:30 – 1:45 p.m.



Come and meet several

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birds, a snake and other native creatures who may just be your neighbors. *Save the Animals Rescue* will present a talk and a live animal introduction to some of the wild and useful animals in your back yard.

Wednesday Matinée at Noon October 17 & November 21 (No film Sept. 19)

> Call a week ahead for the film title . No registration necessary, just come!



TENNESSEE WALT'S HANKS A LOT Wed., Nov. 7, 12:30 – 1:45 p.m. This is a one-man concert featuring plenty of songs by Hank Williams, of course, but also both classics and

underappreciated rarities by the likes of Hank Snow, Hank Thompson, Hank Locklin, Hank Garland, Hank Cochran and even Hank Williams, Jr. and Hank Williams III, arranged by Tennessee Walt for voice and piano.

Homebound Library Service

If you are homebound or know someone who is, and can't come to the library because of a temporary or permanent disability, please contact our Homebound Services Librarian, Carolyn Emerson, at 631-941-4080.



Driver's Safety Program AARP Smart Driver Course: A 6-hour course for those age 50 and up which allows participants to receive a reduction of up to four points on their driver's license <u>OR</u> 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.

Tues., Aug. 21, & Wed., Aug. 22 Both Sessions: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. In-District Registration Began: Thurs., Jul. 26 Out-of-District Reg. Began: Thurs., Aug. 9 Thurs., Sept. 27, & Fri., Sept. 28 Both Sessions: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. In-District Registration Begins: Thurs., Aug. 30 Out-of-District Reg. Begins: Thurs., Sept. 13

Wed., Oct. 24, & Thurs., Oct. 25 Both Sessions: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. In-District Registration Begins: Thurs., Sept. 20 Out-of-District Reg. Begins: Thurs., Oct. 4 Wed., Nov. 14, & Thurs., Nov. 15 Both Sessions: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. In-District Registration Begins: Thurs., Oct. 18 Out-of-District Reg. Begins: Thurs., Nov. 1

Computer Courses & Technology Workshops

Registration begins Wednesday, August 15 Online registration is available at <u>emmaclark.org</u>. You may also register by visiting or calling the Reference Desk at 631-941-4080, 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.

Prefer to learn on your own schedule or progress beyond the beginner level? Try these web-based options:



Lynda.com is an online tutorial library that teaches the latest software tools and skills through video classes taught by recognized industry experts. You can access Lynda.com right from home! Visit emmaclark.org/ you-beyond to get started!



The Learning Express Library

supports academic and career development, as well as lifelong learning, through tutorials, test preparation, and skill-building

resources. You can also access skill building in math, science and reading/writing for schoolaged and adult learners, as well as practice tests for the 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. Tutorials include:

Adobe: Photoshop and Illustrator CS5 & CS6

- Microsoft Office Suite (2003, 2007, 2010 & 2013, 2016): Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint, Project, OneDrive, Outlook, Visio & SharePoint Designer
- Operating Systems: Windows 7, 8 & 10

Brainfuse features an adult learning center where



you can access a library of rich adult learning content including test prep, basic skills, U.S. citizenship prep, MS Office Essential Skills, and more! You'll also find live, professional assistance in resume/cover letter writing.

WINDOWS 10 BASICS



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Tue., Sept. 4, at 10:00 a.m. OR Thu., Nov. 8, at 10:00 a.m. This class provides an understanding of the brand new version of Windows. Learn new features, such as the new start menu, settings, Cortana, plus much more. Prerequisite: Proficiency using a mouse.

INTRODUCTION TO WORD 2016

Tue., Thu. & Fri., Sept. 11, 13 & 14, 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.

STREAMING 101: CUTTING THE CORD

Wed., Sept. 19, at 6:00 p.m. <u>OR</u> Mon., Oct. 22, at 6:00 p.m. OR

Tue., Nov. 13, at 6:30 p.m.

Learn about various streaming devices such as Amazon's Fire Stick, Roku & Chromecast, and find out what's the best option for you.

PC CLEAN UP

Thu., Oct. 11, at 10:00 a.m. Have a PC laptop at home? Bring it with you and learn how to clean and speed it up by removing unwanted programs and clearing up your desktop. We will also cover how to protect it from malware & spyware and more. Have a desktop at home? Come and learn on ours! Prerequisite: Proficiency using a mouse.

ONLINE LEARNING

Tue., Oct. 30, at 10:00 a.m.

Stop in to learn about lynda.com and Learning Express, two **FREE** online Library resources that provide comprehensive classes for computers, software and so much more! Please bring in your Library card and the password you use to access your account online. Prerequisite: Proficiency using a mouse.

INTRODUCTION TO EXCEL 2016

Fri., Mon., & Tue., Nov. 16, 19 & 20, at 10:00 a.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.

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Sign up for the WINTER Computer Courses & Technology Workshops beginning Wed., Nov. 14.



Let's face it! Technology can be frustrating. Emma understands your frustration and that's why we've created Teach Me Mobile. We invite you to take advantage of our technology assistance programs. Sign up for our Tech Clinic or book a one-on-one session with a Library Tech. See below for details!



1st & 3rd Tuesdays each month, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Local teens will be available in our Technology Center to answer simple computer questions and help you learn how to use your mobile devices, including cell phones, tablets and e-readers. Appointments are encouraged, but not required. Call 631-941-4080, ext. 127.

TECH CLINIC

One-On-One instruction is available!



Bring your computer or mobile device, and we'll sit down with you and go through it stepby-step. Call Jen Mullen today at 631-941-4080, ext. 129, to schedule your appointment (up to 45 minutes)!

HOMEWORK HELP!

Photoshop

Flash

Word

Excel

more!

Illustrator

Maya Mac OS

Windows

Ruby on Rails HTML

and many

Dreamweaver



Volunteer Helping our Children's Department

Register for one or more of the following programs and earn community service credit for each program you attend.

CULPER SPY DAY

Saturday, Sept. 15, 11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Help with our children's craft table at the Culper Spy Day celebration (11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. or 1:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.) Earn community service credit. Registration required.

MINECRAFT VOLUNTEERS

Wednesday, Sept. 19, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. AND/OR Monday, Nov. 12, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Volunteers must be knowledgeable about the computer game. Earn community service credit. Registration required.

CRAFTS FOR A CAUSE

Dog Toys: Saturday, Oct. 13, 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. AND/OR Letters to our Troops: Friday, Nov. 9, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Help with Craft for a Cause programs for students in grades 5 and 6. Earn community service credit. Registration required.

LEGO CLUB VOLUNTEERS

Friday, Sept. 21, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. <u>AND/OR</u> Friday, Oct. 19, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. <u>AND/OR</u> Friday, Nov. 16, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Share your love for LEGOs with children ages 5 – 10 yrs. Earn community service credit. Registration required.

Exclusively for teens in 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 at emmaclark.org. If you are unable to attend a program,

or are going to be arriving late, please call the Adult Reference Desk at 631-941-4080, ext. 127. If a program has unfilled spaces after 5 minutes, standbys will be admitted.

ONGOING Volunteer Opportunities

TEEN TECH TUTOR PROGRAM

Students in grades 7 – 12 can help adults learn how to use their devices and download ebooks while earning community service credit. The program will take place in the Technology Center on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month (except on holidays). Students will not work at every session. Please submit a Teen Tech Tutor application, which is available at the Adult Reference Desk or online at teen. emmaclark.org.

CALLING ALL TEEN ARTISTS

We are looking for artistic, creative students in Grades 7 – 12 who would like to exhibit their artwork in our teen art display area. Please complete an Art Display application which is available at the Adult Reference Desk or online at teen.emmaclark.org. If your artwork is accepted, you will receive 2 hours of community service credit.

TEEN REVIEW PROGRAM

Teen volunteers in Grades 7 – 12 can earn community service credit by reviewing books on the American Library Association's Best Books for Teens list. Reviews will be shared with other Emma Clark Teens. Please complete an application which is available at the Adult Reference Desk or online at teen.emmaclark.org.

OTHER Volunteer Opportunities

Register for one or more of the following programs and earn community service credit for each program you attend.

ART FOR A CAUSE

Tuesday, Sept. 18, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

We are looking for artistic, creative students who would like to <u>earn community service credit</u> by using their talents to design and create seasonal displays throughout the school year in the Teen Room. Schedules will be flexible – you will be able to come in and work on displays during times that are convenient for you. Join us for the kick-off meeting on Tuesday, September 18. We will brainstorm ideas for displays and you will get to choose one month (or more) when you will be responsible for designing and creating the display. Teams of students can work together. Registration required.

COMMUNITY SERVICE 101

Tuesday, Oct. 9, 6:00 – 6:45 p.m. Start the school year off right by learning about the community service opportunities available at the library throughout the school year. Find out how you may be able to lead your own community service projects! You will earn 1 hour of community service credit for attending this program. Registration required.

"THE GREAT GIVE BACK"

We are joining Suffolk County Libraries on Saturday, October 13, 2018 to strengthen our community. Help us to support our furry friends by participating in one or both of these activities:

• DOG TREATS

Saturday, Oct. 13, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m.

We will be making healthy, delicious "no bake" dog treats (contains peanut butter), and making dog bandanas with heartfelt messages written on them. Treats and bandanas will be donated to a local pet shelter. All ingredients and materials will be provided. Earn 2 hours of community service credit for attending this program. Registration required.

PET FOOD DRIVE

On Saturday, October 13 we will be kicking off a Pet Food drive which will run through the end of October. We are looking for a couple of teen volunteers to help us deliver the collected food to local animal rescue organizations. Volunteers will earn community service credit. Contact Nanette Feder, Teen Services Librarian at teens@emmaclark.org.

"Do Your pART"

Friday, Dec. 7, 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. The "Do your pART Project" combines art and community service. Come paint a pre-printed textured art canvas which will be donated to a family in need. Volunteers will earn community service credit. A local high school student, Gabby Barry, will lead this program. **<u>Registration required</u>**.

More volunteer opportunities on the next page!

<u>Register</u> for one or more of the following programs and earn <u>community service credit</u> for each program you attend.

PINK PUMPKINS Tuesday, Sept. 25, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Decorate and paint pumpkins which will be used to help support breast cancer research. Teen volunteers will lead this program.

<u>CERAMIC BIRDS ON A WIRE</u> Tuesday, Oct. 9, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. We will paint hand-made ceramic birds and string them with colorful beads. The birds will be given to local nursing home residents to decorate their rooms.

HOLIDAY DECORATIONS Tuesday, Nov. 13, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Help create holiday decorations which will be donated to a local soup kitchen.

Are you looking for a way to help others, earn community service credit and use your leadership skills? We are looking for teens who have ideas for community service projects that they would like to share with other teens. Teens who are willing to take charge of running a session in our TeenConnect program can <u>earn several</u> <u>hours of community service credit</u>. If you have program ideas, contact Nanette Feder, *Teen Services Librarian,* at <u>teens@emmaclark.org</u>.

2018 BATTLE OF THE BOOKS: ADVANCED DIVISION

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For teens in grades 9 through 12

Kick Off Meeting: Friday, Oct. 5, 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. County Battle: TBA @ Connetquot High School

Join us as we read & test our knowledge of three teen books:

Simon vs. The Homo Sapiens Agenda by Becky Albertalli

> *We Are the Ants* by Shaun David Hutchinson

> > What To Say Next by Julie Buxbaum



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If you want to participate in this program or want more information, please contact Nanette Feder at <u>teens@emmaclark.org</u> or come to our kick-off meeting on Friday, Oct. 5, from 5–6 p.m. (Registration is required)

Books will be available at the Oct. 5 meeting. <u>Online registration begins</u> <u>Monday, Sept. 10</u>.

CHECK OUT OUR EXCITING PROGRAM

TEEN & PARENT: PAINT NIGHTS

Friday, Sept. 21, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. <u>AND/OR</u> Friday, Oct. 19, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Teens, bring a parent and join us for a relaxing night. Learn to paint while you enjoy light refreshments. There will be different projects at each session. Each program requires a separate registration. Space is limited.



HOMEWORK HELP WITH BRAINFUSE!

FREE online tutoring is available to students with valid library cards through the **Brainfuse** link. Visit <u>emmaclark.org/you-beyond</u>. 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 7 days a week from 2:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.



We are looking for teens who have experience in the following areas to help us with programs and special projects:

photography

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- filmmakina
- podcasting
- computer programming
- robotics

If you have experience in any of these areas and would like to assist, contact Nanette Feder, *Teen Services Librarian*, at <u>teens@emmaclark.org</u>.



Program Registration – Quick Facts

• Birth through Grade 6 •

Is your kid in 7th grade? Check out our TEEN SCENE section on page10!

- \star Please register your children based on the grade they will be entering in the Fall.
- \star Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the date noted for each program.
- ★ Register online (kids.emmaclark.org), by phone (631-941-4080, ext. 123), or in-person.
- ★ Please have your child's library card available. (Children of all ages may have their own Library card.)
- \star Please give us a call if your child is unable to attend or is going to be late (so we can keep their spot).
- ★ After 5 minutes of the program start time, ALL open spots will be given to children on the "Standby List".
- The "Standby List" will start 30 minutes prior to each class at the Children's Reference Desk.
- ★ If your child is "Wait Listed" for a program, this does not give them priority for the "Standby List".

Parents and caregivers must attend some programs with their child. If not, parents and caregivers must remain inside the Children's Library.

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

Ages Birth – 15 mos. w/ parent, 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. Bring your baby for a first library experience. We'll

learn songs, rhymes and finger plays to share. Fridays, Sept. 14 & 28 Registration begins Friday, Aug. 31.

Fridays, Oct. 12 & 26 Registration begins Friday, Sept. 28. Fridays, Nov. 9 & 30 & Dec. 14 Registration begins Friday, Oct. 26.



Parent-Toddler Workshop

Ages 18 mos. – 3 ½ yrs. 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 <u>OR</u> Thursdays 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. <u>OR</u> 11:00 a.m. – Noon

<u>Session 1</u> Wednesdays, Sept. 19, 26 & Oct. 3, 10, 17 Thursdays, Sept. 20, 27 & Oct. 4, 11, 18 Registration begins Wednesday, Sept. 5.

Session 2 Wednesdays, Oct. 31 & Nov. 7, 14, 28 & Dec. 5 Thursdays, Nov. 1, 8, 15, 29 & Dec. 6 Registration begins Wednesday, Oct. 17.

Tot Story Time

Ages 2 – 3 yrs. w/ parent

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

Mondays, 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. <u>OR</u> Tuesdays, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

<u>Session 1</u> Mondays, Sept. 17, 24 & Oct. 1, 8, 15 Tuesdays, Sept.18, 25 & Oct. 2, 9, 16 Registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 4.

Session 2 Mondays, Oct. 29 & Nov. 5, 12, 26 & Dec 3 Tuesdays, Oct. 30 & Nov 6, 13, 27 & Dec 4 Registration begins Monday, Oct. 15.

Ages 3 ½ – 5 yrs. It's time for a little independence & to meet new friends. Mondays, 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. <u>OR</u> Tuesdays, 1:15 – 1:45 p.m. <u>OR</u> Thursdays, 1:15 – 1:45 p.m.

<u>Session 1</u>

Pre-School Story Time

Mondays, Sept. 17, 24 & Oct. 1, 8, 15 Tuesdays, Sept. 18, 25 & Oct. 2, 9, 16 Thursdays, Sept, 20, 27 & Oct. 4, 11, 18 Registrations begins Tuesday, Sept. 4.

<u>Session 2</u> Mondays, Oct. 29 & Nov. 5, 12, 26 & Dec. 3 Tuesdays Oct. 30 & Nov. 6, 13, 27 & Dec. 4 Thursdays, Nov. 1, 8, 15, 29 & Dec. 6 Registration begins Monday, Oct. 15.

After-School Story Time

Grades K – 2

Escape after school with a good book and a craft. Mondays, 4:45 – 5:30 p.m.

Session 1 Mondays, Sept. 17, 24 & Oct. 1, 8, 15 Registrations begins Tuesday, Sept. 4.

Session 2 Mondays, Oct. 29 & Nov. 5, 12, 26 & Dec. 3 Registration begins Monday, Oct. 15.

> Tot's Day Out For families with children $2\frac{1}{2} - 5$ yrs.

(Not yet in Kindergarten) Enjoy an interactive hour with your young child. Our afternoon together will have the following themes with crafts to take home.



Friday, Oct. 19

Reg. begins Fri., Oct. 5.

10:30 – 11:30 a.m.





Jungle Animals Thurs., Dec. 13 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Reg. begins Thurs., Nov. 29.

Thanksgiving Turkey

Friday, Nov. 16

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SPECIAL SCARECROW CRAFTERNOON

Saturday, Sept. 8, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Be a part of our Library scarecrow! All kids are welcome to stop by anytime between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m. to color our special pages that will be attached to the Library's scarecrow for the Ward Melville Heritage Organization's Annual Scarecrow Competition! No registration required.

TODDLER TANGO

Ages 18 mos. - 4 yrs. w/ parent/caregiver Saturday, Sept. 15, 11:00 a.m. – Noon Enjoy tons of wiggles & giggles while grooving together. Registration begins Saturday, Sept. 1.

CULPER SPY DAY

Saturday, Sept. 15, 11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. As part of our Culper Spy Day activities, all kids are invited to make a craft on the front lawn. No registration - Come at your leisure!

THE GREAT PLAYDATE Saturday, Sept. 22

Join us at the Library for the First Annual Great Playdate, a special day for our youngest patrons and their caregivers to experience the importance of talking, singing, reading and, of course, playing at Suffolk County Public Libraries.

JUMP FOR JOY

Ages 18 mos. - 5 years w/ parent/caregiver 11:00 a.m. – Noon Registration begins Saturday, Sept. 8.

OPEN PLAY

In the afternoon, the playroom will be open for kids of all ages to play with Imagination Playground Blocks, GIANT Connect Four and crafts. No registration required.

KIDNASTICS

Ages 18 mos. – 4 years w/ parent/caregiver Saturday, Sept. 29, 11:00 a.m. – Noon Registration begins Saturday, Sept. 15.

SING ALONG WITH IRV

Ages 18 mos. – 4 years w/ parent/caregiver Saturday, Oct. 6, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Registration begins Saturday, Sept. 22.

<u>Crafternoons</u>

Saturdays, Oct. 6 & Nov. 10, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Are you in the neighborhood? Come at your leisure anytime between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m. to make a craft with your child or let them do it on their own. No registration required.

GREAT GIVE BACK DAY:

<u>CRAFTS FOR A CAUSE -- "Dog Toys"</u> For students in 5th and 6th grade Saturday, Oct. 13, 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. Volunteers are needed to make dog toys to be donated to various animal rescue and advocacy organizations. Registration begins Saturday, Sept. 29.

PETLAND DISCOUNTS: "TRAVELING PETS"

Ages 4 - 12 yrs. w/ parent Saturday, Oct. 20, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. So much better than a petting zoo, this show provides a firsthand opportunity to interact with some common and not-so common pets up close. Registration begins Saturday, Oct. 6.

FAMILY FALL FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

Ages 4 - 10 yrs. w/ parent Saturday, Oct. 27, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Join the Three Village Garden Club here at the Library and make a beautiful Fall flower arrangement. Registration begins Saturday, Oct. 13.

PRE-SCHOOL FAIR 2018

Saturday, Nov. 3, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. See <u>page 14</u> for details!

DOGVINCI

Grades 1-6 Saturday, Nov. 10, 11:00 am – Noon Meet Dagger DaVinci, the Abstract Artist, and see him in action. Then create your own abstract art! Registration begins Saturday, Oct. 27.

KIDNASTICS

Ages 18 mos. – 4 years w/ parent/caregiver Saturday, Nov. 17, 11:00 a.m. - Noon Registration begins Saturday, Nov. 3.

---- Dynamic Kids Movement Class



MUD!! Ages 3 ½ – 6 yrs.

Friday, Sept.. 21, 10:30 – 11:45 a.m. Shhh... Don't tell the Librarians, but we will be having an indoor "mud ball" fight! Come tumble, jump in and throw "mud". A high energy movement class using gym equipment, props and lots of imagination. Registration begins Friday, Sept.. 7.

Pick a Pumpkin

Ages 3 1/2 - 6 yrs. Tuesday, Oct. 23, 10:30 - 11:45 a.m. A movement class in a pumpkin patch!

Welcome autumn with this fun and creative class. Using gym equipment and lots of creativity, children will "pick" pumpkins, roll on "pumpkins" and throw pumpkins during fun games. Registration begins Tuesday, Oct. 9.

Dinosaur Play Ages 3 1/2 - 6 yrs. Monday, Nov. 19, 10:30 – 11:45 a.m.



Come and play with your favorite T-Rex! We'll read a story together and have some Dino play time. How do dinosaurs play? Well, with parachutes, giant balls, ribbon sticks, music, hoops and other dinosaurs, of course! So come and tumble, hop and roar with the biggest and friendliest friends you can have! Registration begins Monday, Nov. 5.



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MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, September 26 Wednesday, October 17 Wednesday, November 28 *All meetings begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room. The public is invited to attend.





and who passed away in 2014, left a substantial bequest to build a global studies collection at the library.

New items added to the Philip Groia Global Studies Collection can be found in the Delaney Room on the main floor of the library.

RECENT ADDITIONS TO THE COLLECTION INCLUDE:

The Future of Terrorism: ISIS, Al-Qaeda, and the Alt-Right by Walter Laqueur and Christopher Wall

The House of Islam: A Global History by Ed Husain

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Turning Points in Jewish History by Marc J. Rosenstein *The Displaced: Refugee Writers on Refugee Lives* by Viet Thanh Nguyen

GLOBAL STUDIES PROGRAMS:

- Thai Cooking Tasting Thursday, Oct. 4, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. (see <u>page 5</u> for details)
- Galapagos: Darwin's Enchanted Islands Thursday, Oct. 25, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. (see <u>page 6</u> for details)

Thank you



We are so very grateful for Denise Y. Kutzing and her family (with support from The Waters Family Fund and The Setauket Frame Shop), who donated three prints of her late husband's paintings, now on the Library's lower level outside

the Vincent R. O' Leary Community Room. Michael R. Kutzing (1949 – 2015) painted local scenes and still lifes, primarily in oil. His award-winning works are held in numerous private collections. The three paintings hanging at the Library are titled *The Melville Barn, Setauket Grist Mill* and *The West Meadow Gamecock House*. They illustrate the beauty he saw in every corner of our community and at every level of detail.

All of us at Emma Clark Library would like to thank those who generously donated food items to our Local Food Pantry Drive, as well as our teen & parent volunteers for delivering the food.



Important Information...

Stormy Weather? When library hours are changed due to inclement weather, information can be found through: • emmaclark.org

Our Facebook & Twitter pages
 TV Station: News 12

• FM Radio Stations: WALK 97.5 & WBAB 102.3 & WBLI 106.1 If uncertain, call the Library at 631-941-4080 before you make the trip. When the Library is closed or has a delayed opening, an extra day will automatically be added to the loan period for all items due that day. No fines are accrued for days the Library is closed. Please let us know in advance if you will need an accommodation in order to make an event accessible to you. 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.