



FALL ■ 2015

# Emma Clark Library

*"The Heart of the Three Village Community"*

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### HOURS

Mon.-Fri.: 9:30 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.  
 Sat.: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
 Sun.: Noon – 5:00 p.m.  
[www.emmaclark.org](http://www.emmaclark.org)  
[askus@emmaclark.org](mailto:askus@emmaclark.org)



## Focusing on...

### Calling All Teens

Grades 7 – 12



Would you like to receive a monetary prize, have a book that **YOU** created in the library's collection, and be honored & recognized by your community?

Create a children's picture book and enter our contest for the

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Helen Stein Shack Picture Book Award

Contest is open to teens in the Three Village Central School District.

Winning authors will be recognized at an awards ceremony on

**April 17, 2016**

In keeping with Mrs. Shack's wonderful spirit, we are showcasing the young writing and artistic talent in our very own Three Village community!

See page 11 for more information and how to enter.

## SUPPORT YOUR LIBRARY: REMEMBER TO VOTE



Emma S. Clark Memorial Library

### BUDGET VOTE

Wednesday

**September 16, 2015**

10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.



**NEW MUSEUM PASSES!**

**Museum exploration PASS**

We've added 4 more museums:

- Brooklyn Botanic Garden
- Heckscher Museum of Art
- Nassau County Museum of Art
- Old Bethpage Village Restoration

Visit [emmaclark.org/museum-passes](http://emmaclark.org/museum-passes) for more information or to reserve a pass.

## PROPOSED LIBRARY BUDGET FOR 2016

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	2015	2016
Employee Salaries	\$2,695,414	\$2,774,145
Mandated Benefits	\$1,258,794	\$1,201,219
Materials And Programs	\$692,500	\$699,500
Building And Operations	\$653,565	\$630,001
ESTIMATED INCOME	\$398,414	\$386,682
PREVIOUSLY APPLIED BOND PAYMENT*	\$275,825	\$274,785
TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAX LEVY	\$5,177,684	\$5,192,968
Change in Tax Levy		+0.30%

\*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 16, 2015, 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.  
Emma S. Clark Memorial Library Periodical Room

#### Budget Information Hearing

Wednesday, September 2, 2015, 7:00 p.m.  
Emma S. Clark Memorial Library, Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room

#### Voting Criteria

18 years of age — U.S. citizenship — Registered to vote  
Resident of the Three Village Central School District for at least 30 days

#### Voter Registration

Anyone who has moved since last voting or has not voted within the last four years is required to register to vote again. Residents may register to vote at the Office of the District Clerk 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 11, 2015.

#### Absentee Ballots

Applications for absentee ballots may be obtained from the Three Village Central School District Clerk beginning September 2, 2015, 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 15, 2015, if the ballot is to be made available at the District Clerk's office.

Absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the vote, September 16, 2015, if they are to be canvassed.



## Back to school? We can HELP!

- Find a book on your child's reading level. Visit [kids.emmaclark.org/guided-reading](http://kids.emmaclark.org/guided-reading)
- Get **FREE** help with homework and standardized tests, along with constructive feedback on essays, through **BRAINFUSE**. Mention you are a New York State student and they will put you in touch with a Common Core-trained tutor. Visit [kids.emmaclark.org](http://kids.emmaclark.org) or [teens.emmaclark.org](http://teens.emmaclark.org).
- Fulfill your **Community Service** hours by volunteering at the library. Visit page 10 in the Teen section of the newsletter for a listing of opportunities involving art, technology and helping those in the community. We have volunteer opportunities all year long!
- Visit our **Online Databases** at [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org) for help with research and information. There are close to 80 databases - available for FREE that you can use right from home! - such as

- Academic OneFile
- Amazing Animals of the World
- America the Beautiful
- Biography Reference Bank
- Children's Literature
- Columbia Granger's World of Poetry
- Credo Reference
- Daily Life Through History
- Elibrary Elementary
- Encyclopedia Americana
- Fold3
- Greenfile
- Grolier Online
- History Reference Center

- Kids InfoBits
- Lands and Peoples
- Learning Express
- Literary Reference Center
- Literature Resource Center
- National Geographic Kids
- New Book of Knowledge
- New Book of Popular Science
- New York State Newspapers
- New York Times
- Newsday
- Opposing Viewpoints
- Oxford English Dictionary
- Pronunciator

- Science Online
- Science Reference Center
- Searchasaurus
- Something About the Author
- Suffolk Historic Newspapers
- U.S. & International Newspapers
- U.S. History in Context
- Wall Street Journal
- World Book Online

While researching colleges, check out our free database, **CAREER CRUISING**, an interactive career reference guide with college information, occupational profiles, resume help and financial aid information.





# Adult Programs

## Ongoing...

### GAME DAY

**Fridays, 10:00 a.m. – Noon**  
**Sept. 4, 18 & Oct. 2, 16 &**  
**Nov. 6, 20**

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**

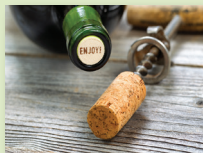
Come to listen, learn and share your memories of the Three Village area. Bring your old photographs or artifacts and discover what stories they may hold. Meet in the Board Room on the lower level of the library. *Please call Karen at 751-4775 if you are interested in attending.*

**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 through our homepage, [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org). Any material fees must be paid in cash at the Adult Reference Desk at time of registration and are non-refundable.

## Wine In Three Parts

**3 Thursdays in September**

Pascal Zugmeyer (Z Wine Guy), Certified Sommelier, will share his knowledge about wine in this three-part series. Sign up for one or more of the sessions. *Each week has a separate registration list.*



### PART ONE: WINES OF NEW YORK STATE, WORLD CLASS WINES FROM LONG ISLAND, FINGER LAKES AND HUDSON VALLEY

**Thursday, Sept. 10, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Let's explore the Empire State wine regions. We will talk about the origins, type of grapes, styles of wines and productions in New York State.

*Registration begins August 20.*

### PART TWO: WINES OF THE WORLD, OLD WORLD VERSUS NEW WORLD

**Thursday, Sept. 17, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

What are the oldest wine regions and which are the newcomers? What are the differences and similarities between them? Advice on how to survive in the complex world of wines!

*Registration begins August 20.*

### PART THREE: WINE ETIQUETTE & WINE SERVICE—ORDERING WINE IN A RESTAURANT, WINE PAIRINGS AND WINE STORAGE

**Thursday, Sept. 24, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

We will talk about service protocols. To decant or not to decant, that is the question? What should I drink with sushi, grilled chicken and other food items? Should I store wine under my bed?

*Registration begins August 20.*



## Bus Trips

### TAKE A TRIP – NEW YORK CITY

**Wednesday, Dec. 2**

- *Cost: \$30 per person – The cost includes transportation via motor coach*
- *Check or money order payable to McCarney Tours*
- *Pickup time 9:15 a.m. returning around 7:30 p.m.*
- *Patrons may bring one paying guest*



Board the bus and enjoy the holiday season in NYC. Shop, take in a Broadway matinee or the Radio City Holiday Show! There will be two drop-off points: **Bryant Park** (6th Ave/41st St – Bryant Park has its own

great holiday market and it's a block from Times Square and the 5th Ave store windows) and **Radio City Music Hall** (6th Ave/51st St – two blocks north of Rockefeller Center). There will be only one pick-up location and time: Bryant Park at 6:00 p.m. *In-person registration only begins October 12 at the Adult Reference Desk.*

### WILLS AND ESTATES

**Thursday, Sept. 17, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

Learn what you always wanted to know about wills & estates but were afraid to ask. Topics include probate, guardianship and the importance of a will. A Suffolk County Surrogate Court Judge will also discuss New York State laws that determine the administration of an estate. Q&A will follow. *Registration begins August 20.*

### It's COLD, It's STUNNED AND It's A TURTLE – HELP!

**Saturday, Sept. 19, 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.**

Join The Riverhead Foundation for Marine Research and Preservation for a lecture on how you can help save sea turtles in New York waters. Cold stunning is a condition similar to hypothermia. This condition, if ignored, can become fatal. Sign up to become a registered beach walker. *Registration begins August 20.*

## PREPARE, RESPOND, RECOVER: WHAT TO DO WHEN DISASTER STRIKES

**Saturday, Sept. 26, 10:00 a.m. – Noon**

Celia Ann Vollmer, American Red Cross Disaster Action Team Captain, will provide an introduction to responding to disasters while at work or in your community. *Registration begins August 20.*

## THE LEGACIES OF WORLD WAR I

**Monday, Sept. 28, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Although World War I began one hundred years ago, its legacy is more present than we may think. The volatile politics of the Middle East and Balkan Europe stem directly from World War I and its immediate aftereffects. America's current preoccupation with championing democracy throughout the world is also a product of the First World War. Join Martin H. Levinson to learn more about this watershed event in world history. *Registration begins August 20.*

## NAVIGATING WALT DISNEY WORLD: MAKING SENSE OF YOUR MAGICAL PLANNING

**Tuesday, Sept. 29, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

With 26 resorts, dozens of dining options and your choice of ticket packages, a Disney trip can be an overwhelming thing to plan! Erin Sforza will help you select the best possible options for your family and familiarize you with all the new additions to the parks and resorts. *Registration begins August 20.*

## October's theme is "Global Studies" Month

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Explore other cultures and histories or learn  
how to find your ancestors.

### LA BELLE FRANCE

THURSDAY, OCT. 8, 7:00 – 8:30 P.M.

### WEST POINT '41: THE CLASS THAT WENT TO WAR AND SHAPED AMERICA

FRIDAY, OCT. 9, 7:00 – 8:30 P.M.

### THREE REGIONS OF ITALY

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 14, 7:00 – 8:30 P.M.

### THE THREE GREAT MYTHS OF JEWISH GENEALOGY

MONDAY, OCT. 26, 7:00 – 8:30 P.M.

*For more information see individual listings.*

## HOME COOKING FOR YOUR DOG & CAT

**Thursday, Oct. 1, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**

Featuring Christine M. Filardi, Certified Holistic Chef for Animals and author of *Home Cooking for Your Dog*. It's the latest trend in pet food! Fresh is best! Learn how easy and inexpensive it is to create biologically appropriate meals for your dog & cat. *Registration begins September 1.*

## DANCERCISE FOR SENIORS

**Monday, Oct. 5 & 12, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.**

This fun class will incorporate dance with exercise for the senior generation pairing music from the 50's, 60's and 70's with basic dance patterns to create aerobic routines. Please bring a pair of light weights if you have them, a towel and a bottle of water. *Space is limited. Registration begins September 1.*

## LA BELLE FRANCE

**Thursday, Oct. 8, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Join Patricia Summers as she tours every corner of France, visiting famous cities as well as charming villages, learning about its cuisine, festivals, art, history and culture. Suggestions for unique travel experiences are also discussed. *Registration begins September 1.*

## WEST POINT '41: THE CLASS THAT WENT TO WAR AND SHAPED AMERICA

**Friday, October 9, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

In anticipation of Veterans Day, Anne Kazel-Wilcox will give an uplifting book talk about the West Point class of 1941, which was catapulted into high commands in World War II and displayed unwavering leadership, honor and determination. Postwar, class officers served in an era of unprecedented military innovation, leading rocket and space programs, shaping defense strategy and more, in between commanding in two more wars — Korea and Vietnam — as well as the Cold War. *Registration begins September 1.*

## THREE REGIONS OF ITALY

**Wednesday, Oct. 14, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

In this presentation, Elena Florenzano will take you on a journey through time in three beautiful Italian regions. Starting from the late 19<sup>th</sup> and early 20<sup>th</sup> centuries and proceeding right up to the present day, we will explore what these places were like for your ancestors and why they made the decision to leave to come to America. You will see how these areas have evolved over time and how they look today. *Registration begins September 1.*

## WOLF MAN: WHY AND WHERE OF THE WEREWOLF

**Thursday, Oct. 15, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

A bright, shining full moon at midnight and a poor, helpless, innocent man cursed by fate to be transformed against his will into a feral, savage, outcast creature... Where do the "true" werewolf myths and legends end, and where does Hollywood begin? Join Gary Lutz for a nocturnal prowling into the origins and early evolution of werewolves in literature and film. *Registration begins September 1.*

## Attention DIY auto repair enthusiasts!

Emma Clark is adding a new online database this fall just for you: THE CHILTON'S ONLINE LIBRARY. Soon you'll have fully searchable 24/7 access to the familiar Chilton's content both in the library and from home! It's all free with your Emma Clark Library card.



## COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER FAIR

**Saturday, Oct. 17, 10:00 – 2:00 p.m.**

Volunteer organizations play an important role in making a community a good place to live. Becoming a volunteer is a great way for you to get to know your neighbors and meet new friends. If you're looking for a purpose and a way to serve your community, come to the Volunteer Fair where you'll get the chance to learn about various organizations and perhaps find one that meets your interest. Remember, volunteer work can enhance your resume or college application, too. *For teens and adults. No registration necessary.*

## LONG ISLAND WITCHCRAFT TRIALS

**Monday, Oct. 19, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

The most famous American witch-hunt began in 1692 in Salem, Massachusetts; yet, more than three decades before that notorious event, Long Island had its very own witchcraft trial, the trial of Goody Garlick! Accusations of flying on poles and cavorting with the devil ran rampant in the colonies during the 17<sup>th</sup>-century and led to hundreds of accusations of witchcraft. Tara Rider, a professor at Stony Brook University, will be here to speak about the trial and this time in history. *Registration begins September 1.*

## MEDICAREASSIST: MAKING MEDICARE UNDERSTANDABLE

**Thursday, Oct. 22, 10:00 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 September 1.*

## 3D PRINTING AND BEYOND

**Thursday, Oct. 22, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Nicholas Valente, a researcher at Stony Brook University, will present a unique introduction to 3D printing. Learn about the basic principles of how 3D printers work, as well as its surprising and beautiful connections to advanced mathematics (no actual knowledge of advanced math required). *Registration begins September 1.*

## THE THREE GREAT MYTHS OF JEWISH GENEALOGY

**Monday, Oct. 26, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Despite what you may have heard, there are a lot of records that can help you track your family to its origins in Eastern Europe. Chuck Weinstein will show you how you can trace your family roots and learn much more about where they came from and why and how they came to America. *Registration begins September 1.*

## TAKING YOUR HOLIDAY PHOTOS

**Tuesday, Nov. 3, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Capture holiday magic with any type of camera. John Spoltore will discuss portrait, still life and scenic photography, digital camera settings and shooting techniques, transferring the images to your computer, organizing your photos, holiday cards and photo gifts. *Registration begins October 1.*

## BLOCK ISLAND SEAFOOD COOK-IN!

**Thursday, Nov. 5, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**

If you love to order seafood from the menu, here's your chance to learn how to make it at home. Craig, of Block Island Seafood, will demonstrate two favorites (with delicious samples): Crab Cakes with Guacamole and Shrimp Scampi over Orzo Pasta. *Registration begins October 1.*

## IN THE CONDOR'S SHADOW

**Tuesday, Nov. 10, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Sue Krause, nature educator and president of Four Harbors Audubon Society, will introduce, show and discuss the uplifting documentary, *The Condor's Shadow*. Set in ruggedly beautiful Southern California, the film explores the great hope and extreme lengths that biologists, zookeepers and scientists bring to the task of pulling the feisty condor back from the brink of extinction. *Registration begins October 1.*

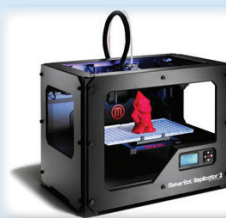
## AVOIDING THE SLIPPERY SLOPE FROM CLUTTER TO HOARDING

**Thursday, Nov. 12, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

You've seen the shows! Have you said to yourself, "At least I'm not THAT bad!"? But does the reality of those shows scare you? Do you wonder if that could be you in five years? Ten years? In this seminar, Alice Price of Organize Long Island will discuss: what hoarding is (and isn't), the ICD Clutter Hoarding Scale, common behaviors and problems associated with hoarding, and treatments and coping strategies. *Registration begins October 1.*

## Come and check out the coolest 3D printer!

— During the month of September —



Stop by the library during September to see a 3D printer in action. Emma Clark will have a 3D printer on loan from September 4 through September 29. You will be able to see what the

printer is doing whenever the library is open, but you may want to plan your visit to include one of the scheduled demos that will let you follow a single simple build from conception to completion. Still want to learn more? Sign up for a more formal presentation, *3D Printing Demystified*, which will give you an overview of the history, function and possibilities of this relatively new technology. *Call the library (941-4080, ext. 127) in September for program times and dates.*



## Euterpe Poetry Group

### FINDING BALANCE: EASTERN SERENITY MEETS WESTERN ACTIVITY Friday, Oct. 2, 7:00 – 8:45 p.m.

Through Zen stories, music, poetry, current events, discussion and more, this presentation will share ways to help learn about and balance East and West within. From the East, the Way of Tao advises "going and pausing" on one's life-path. In the West, however, we are often told to "keep going and going and..." Poet Mankh will present what happens when East and West meet.

### NAMASTE, WALT WHITMAN Friday, Nov. 6, 7:00 – 8:45 p.m.

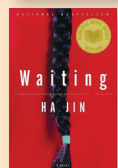
Walt Whitman Birthplace Writer-in-Residence George Wallace explores the deep spiritual commonality between the philosophy of Walt Whitman and other American writers with Yogic practice -- the belief in oneness, and the urge to look deeper than the superficialities that separate us, to the inner spirit. Wallace outlines parallels in various spiritual traditions, then leads us on a journey through the writings of major American authors of the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> century whose stories and poems are founded in this commonly held spiritual foundation.

## WEDNESDAY EVENING BOOK DISCUSSIONS

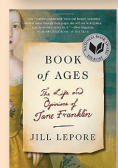
Flyers with more detail are available in the Library or at "A Reader's Place" on our website: [readers.emmaclark.org](http://readers.emmaclark.org). Pick up a copy of the book at the Reference Desk a month prior to the discussion. We will meet in the Vincent R. O'Leary Community Room unless otherwise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



***The Short & Tragic Life  
of Robert Peace***  
by Jeff Hobbs  
**Wed, Sept. 30, 7:30 – 8:45 p.m.**



***Waiting***  
by Ha Jin  
**Wed, Oct. 28, 7:30 – 8:45 p.m.**

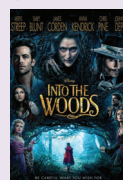


***Book of Ages: The Life and  
Opinions of Jane Franklin***  
by Jill Lepore  
**Wed, Nov. 18, 7:30 – 8:45 p.m.**  
(In the Board Room)



No registration required!

### SEPT. 4 — INTO THE WOODS



***Starring Meryl Streep and Emily Blunt***  
(PG) This humorous and heartfelt musical follows the classic tales of *Cinderella*, *Little Red Riding Hood*, *Jack and the Beanstalk* and *Rapunzel*, all tied together by an original story involving a baker and his wife, their wish to begin a family and their interaction with the witch who has put a curse on them.

### SEPT. 18 — BLACK & WHITE



***Starring Kevin Costner***  
(PG-13) The story of a grandfather who is suddenly left to care for his beloved granddaughter, but when her paternal grandmother seeks custody with the help of her brother, the little girl is torn between two families who love her deeply. With the best intentions at heart, both families fight for what they feel is right and are soon forced to confront their true feelings about race, forgiveness and understanding.

### OCT. 2 — AMERICAN SNIPER



***Starring Bradley Cooper***  
(R) U.S. Navy SEAL Chris Kyle is sent to Iraq with only one mission: to protect his brothers-in-arms. His pinpoint accuracy saves countless lives on the battlefield. However, his reputation is also growing behind enemy lines, putting a price on his head and making him a prime target of insurgents. He is also facing a different kind of battle on the home front: striving to be a good husband and father from halfway around the world.

### OCT. 16 — CLOUDS OF SILS MARIA



***Starring Juliette Binoche and Kristen Stewart***  
(R) At the peak of her international career, Maria Enders is asked to perform in a revival of the play that made her famous twenty years ago. With her assistant, Maria prepares to play opposite a young Hollywood starlet and finds herself on the other side of the mirror, face to face with an unsettling reflection of herself.

### Nov. 6 — TO BE ANNOUNCED

*Sit back, relax and  
enjoy the show!*





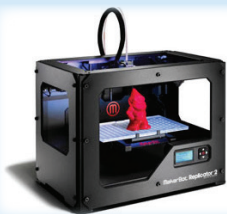
# Senior Programs

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

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## DOWNTON ABBEY ON THE GOLD COAST

**Wednesday, Sept. 16, 12:30 – 1:45 p.m.**

When American tycoons and robber barons amassed their fortunes, they turned to European nobility for inspiration on how to live in style. Author and historic preservationist Monica Randall will demonstrate how great estates such as Planting Fields, Old Westbury Gardens, Mill Neck Manor and Oheka Castle carried on aristocratic and English traditions.

## CHAMBER MUSIC LIVE!

**Wednesday, Oct. 7, 12:30 – 1:45 p.m.**

The Stony Brook Chamber Ensemble, a group of young professional musicians with a passion for sharing music with the community, will be presenting a concert of chamber music from all different eras including classical, romantic, baroque and folk music. Don't miss the opportunity to meet and chat with the musicians.

## AUDREY HEPBURN

**Wednesday, Nov. 4, 12:30 – 1:45 p.m.**



While Audrey Hepburn is best remembered as a timeless icon of style, the personal story of this extraordinary woman is equally compelling. This multimedia presentation by Marilyn Carminio will examine Hepburn's life — from her childhood in war-ravaged Holland, to her career as a dancer, model, actress and humanitarian.

## Wednesday Matinées at Noon

October 21 & November 18

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



**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 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.

**Wednesday, Sept. 9 &**

**Thursday, Sept. 10**

**OR**

**Monday, Sept. 28 &**

**Tuesday, Sept. 29**

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

(both days)

*Registration begins Thursday, August 13.*

**Wednesday, Oct. 14 &**

**Thursday, Oct. 15**

**OR**

**Tuesday, Oct. 27 &**

**Wednesday, Oct. 28**

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

(both days)

*Registration begins Thursday, September 17.*

# Computer Courses & Technology Workshops

Registration begins on Wednesday, August 19

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. — Sept. 10, 15 & 17 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.*

## FACEBOOK FUNDAMENTALS

**Tue. & Thu. — Sept. 22 & 24 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.**

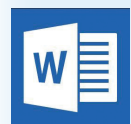
## TO THE INTERNET AND BEYOND

**Tue. & Thu. — Oct. 6, 8 & 15 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 — Oct. 20, 22 & 23 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.*

## PINTEREST FOR BEGINNERS

**Saturday — Oct. 24 at 10:00 a.m.**



Interested in learning about Pinterest? This class will provide an overview of what Pinterest is, how to set up a account, and how to use the site. *Prerequisite: Must have a valid email address.*

## INTRODUCTION TO EXCEL 2013

**Tue. & Thu. — Nov. 3, 5 & 12 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.*

## IPAD SETTINGS

**Saturday — Nov. 7 at 10:00 a.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.

## INTRODUCTION TO POWERPOINT 2013

**Tue. — Nov. 17 at 10:00 a.m.**



In this 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.*



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Prefer to learn on  
your own schedule  
or progress  
beyond the  
beginner level?

Check out The Learning Express Library!  
Visit us at [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org) and click on  
the **SERVICES** tab to find the section  
→ **Online Learning (You. Beyond.)** ←

Sign up for the WINTER Computer Courses & Technology Workshops will begin on Wednesday, November 18.





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 Workshops, Teen Tech Clinic or even book a one-on-one session with a Library Tech. *See below for details!*

## 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)!

## 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.**

September 14  
October 12  
November 9

**Wednesdays from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.**

September 23  
October 28

## 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.

September 1 & 15  
October 6 & 20  
November 3 & 17

# 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). 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.

## Volunteer Opportunities



### TEEN TECH TUTOR PROGRAM

Tech-savvy students in grades 7 through 12 can help adults with their devices and download ebooks while earning **community service credit**. The program will take place in the Technology Center on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month (except on holidays) from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. Students will not work at every session. **\*Please submit a Teen Tech Tutor Application.**

### THREE VILLAGE GARDEN CLUB FLOWER SHOW

Design a flower arrangement and enter it in the *Three Village Garden Club "Kaleidoscope" Flower Show* to be held at the Wang Center from September 18 – 20. All participants will receive **2 hours of community service credit**. **\*You must complete a registration form which contains the instructions you will need to create and submit your design by September 14.**

### ART FOR A CAUSE

**Tuesday, Sept. 15, 4:30–5:30 p.m.**

We're looking for artistic students to design & create seasonal displays for the Teen Room. You will be able to come in and work on displays during times that are convenient for you. The kick-off meeting is Tuesday, Sept. 15. We will brainstorm ideas for displays and you will get to choose a month (or more) for your display. Teams of 2 – 3 students can work together.\*\*

### KNIT FOR A CAUSE

**Mondays, Oct. 5, 12 & 19, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Earn **10 hours of community service credit** by knitting a winter scarf which will be donated to a local charity. Please supply two colors of **LIONS BRAND YARN, WOOL EASE QUICK AND EASY** and a pair of size 9 needles. Participants must attend all three sessions and the completed scarves are due at last meeting. *Participants must be familiar with the knit stitch.*\*\*

### CRAFTS FOR A CAUSE

**Tuesday, Sept. 29, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.**

**Tuesday, Oct. 27, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

**Tuesday, Nov. 10, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.**

**Tuesday, Dec. 8, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.**

Earn **1 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. Different projects at each session.\*\*

### TEEN BOOK REVIEW GROUP

**Friday, Sept. 25, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.**

Join us in a brand new volunteer opportunity—we will be meeting monthly to create book reviews and book trailers for our webpage. Book lovers, writers and aspiring filmmakers are welcome.\*\*

### CALLING TEEN ARTISTS

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.** If your artwork is accepted for display, 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 newest list of the American Library Association's Best Books for Teens. Reviews will be shared with other Emma Clark teens.

**\*Please complete an application.**

### LET'S BUILD A SCARECROW

**Friday, Sept. 18, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. AND**

**Friday, Sept. 25, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Help us design and build a scarecrow to be entered in the Ward Melville Heritage Organization's Annual Scarecrow Competition. Volunteers must be able to attend both sessions.\*\*

### LEGO CLUB VOLUNTEERS

**Friday, Sept. 18, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Friday, Oct. 9, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Friday, Nov. 13, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

We're looking for teen volunteers who loved building with LEGOs and would like to share ideas with younger enthusiasts, ages 5–10 yrs.\*\*

### MINECRAFT VOLUNTEERS

**Wednesday, Nov. 25, 10:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.**

We're looking for a couple of high school students to help us run a Minecraft program. Volunteers must be very knowledgeable about the computer game and be able to suggest and lead game challenges. This program will take place in the Technology Center.\*\*

### TEEN STORY TIME VOLUNTEERS

**Saturday, Sept. 26, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.**

**Saturday, Oct. 17, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.**

**Saturday, Nov. 7, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.**

Read 1–2 picture books out loud to children ages 3–6 and help them create a craft. Volunteer for one or all three sessions.\*\*

**\*All volunteer applications and registration forms are available at [teens.emmaclark.org](http://teens.emmaclark.org) or at the Adult Reference Desk.**

**\*\*Register online at [teens.emmaclark.org](http://teens.emmaclark.org).**





## 2016 Emma S. Clark Memorial Library Literary Contest **Helen Stein Shack Book Award** Grades 7 – 12

This award is given in memory of Helen Stein Shack by her family. As a teacher, Mrs. Shack was committed to the education of children, and she especially loved literature written for them. She was a frequent visitor to Emma Clark Library where, even in retirement, she kept current with the latest children's books. The library is grateful to the children of the late Mrs. Shack who have established a substantial endowment with the library to cover the ongoing cost of presenting this annual award.

### Contest Details

The contest is divided into two grade categories, grades 7 through 9 and grades 10 through 12, with one winning entry from each group. Each entry can be the work of a single author/illustrator or can be a collaborative effort of an author and an illustrator. There will be one Grand Prize winner selected from each category and one Honorable Mention winner selected from each category.

### Prizes

The grand prize award recipients will receive a \$500 scholarship (in the event that a winning entry is a collaboration between an artist and artist/illustrator, the prize will be shared). Winning authors will be recognized at an awards ceremony at the library, commemorating the birthday month of Helen Stein Shack, on April 17, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. where the authors or a Children's Librarian will read the winning books. The winning entries will also be bound and added to the Children's Local Focus Collection. In addition, an e-book will be created for the winning entries. All entrants will receive a Certificate of Participation, will be invited to attend the awards ceremony and will have the opportunity to record a video of themselves reading their book for community service credit.

### To Enter

Starting October 12, 2015, visit [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org) and find Helen Stein Shack Picture Book Award on the homepage or you may visit the Children's Department for an Official Entry Form. Included with the form are the contest procedures and guidelines. Bring your completed picture book, along with a completed Official Entry Form, to the Children's Department anytime between January 2 – 31, 2016. The winners will be announced on March 17, 2015.

*Please note: A maximum of one entry will be accepted per author. Entries may be a collaboration of no more than one author and one artist/illustrator. Emma Clark employees, trustees and their immediate family members are not eligible to enter.*



### GAME ON!

**Friday, Oct. 16, 5:30 – 6:45 p.m.**

Have fun playing Wii and Xbox games – bring a friend or meet some new ones!

### TEEN AND PARENT'S PAINT NIGHT

**Friday, Oct. 16, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.**

Bring a parent and join us for a relaxing night—learn to paint and enjoy some refreshments and fun! *Space is limited. Registration begins on Friday, September 25.*

### ELF & HOT CHOCOLATE!

**Friday, Dec. 4, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**

Jingle jangle up some holiday spirit as we enjoy the classic movie *Elf* (Rated PG) starring Will Ferrell, Bob Newhart and James Caan, on the big screen! We will also be indulging in a hot chocolate bar, complete with all the perfect, delectable toppings and accompaniments.

**VIDEO GAMES ARE  
COMING TO  
EMMA...SOON!**



Ready to try a new game? The library is adding a video game collection. Like movies, video games will circulate for one week and may be renewed as long as no one else is waiting in line.

**Check them out!**

## **LIVE** **HOMEWORK HELP WITH** **BRAINFUSE!**

**FREE** online tutoring is available to students with valid library cards through the **Brainfuse** link. Visit [emmaclark.org/services/you-beyond](http://emmaclark.org/services/you-beyond). 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.**

### REMINDER REGARDING INTERNET USE AT THE LIBRARY

Anyone under the age of 18 who wishes to access the Internet from the Library's computers must have a valid library card and a signed parental consent form on file with the Library. These forms are available at the Circulation Desk.





# Children's Programs

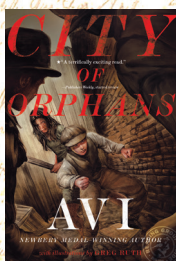
## BOOKS BRING HISTORY ALIVE & FAMILIES TOGETHER

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

Join us for this unique, collaborative book club. This will include a discussion and an opportunity to tour new exhibits at the museum that will enhance the books we are sharing. Before our discussion on **Sunday, October 18**, we will visit the exhibit, *Gilding the Coasts: Art and Design of Long Island's Great Estates*.

On **Sunday, December 13**, before we begin our discussion, we will be guided through the exhibit,

*Beth Levine: The First Lady of Shoes*.



### CITY OF ORPHANS by Avi

**Sunday, October 18, 4:00 – 5:15 p.m.**

The streets of New York in 1893 are full of life: crowded, filthy, dangerous. If you are a newsboy like 13-year-old Maks Geless, you need to watch out for Bruno, leader of the Plug Ugly Gang whose shadowy, sinister boss is plotting to take control of all the World newsies on the lower East Side. With Bruno's boys in vicious pursuit, Maks discovers Willa, a strange girl who lives alone in an alley. It is she, stick in hand, who fights off the Plug Uglies—but further dangers await. Maks must find a way to free his sister Emma from The Tombs, the city jail where she has been imprisoned for stealing a watch at the glamorous new Waldorf Hotel. Maks has only four days to prove her innocence. Fortunately, there is Bartleby Donck, the eccentric lawyer

(among other occupations) to guide Maks and Willa in the art of detection. **IN-PERSON registration at the library begins Saturday, Sept. 19. Books will be supplied at the time of registration.**



### A HOUSE OF TAILORS by Patricia Reilly Giff

**Sunday, December 13, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.**

SEWING! NO ONE could hate it more than 13-year-old Dina Kirk. Accused of being a spy for the French, Dina must take her sister's place on a boat to America to her Uncle's house in Brooklyn. Dina and her family are tailors and seamstresses and Dina, while good, turns her back on sewing. Never again! On arrival in Brooklyn, she finds herself having to do just that in order to help earn her keep (and to earn money to go home). Fighting sewing all the way and homesick to boot, Dina soon has bigger problems as smallpox and a fire threaten to destroy everything. When the decision is made to send her home, Dina realizes that while she wants to go home, she can't, she is home. Overcoming her grudges and learning to

love her new life, Dina finds friends, a boyfriend, Johann, and a family for the rest of her new life. **IN-PERSON registration at the library begins Saturday, Nov. 14. Books will be supplied at the time of registration.**



## 3rd Annual Life-Sized CANDY LAND

**Ages 3 – 7 years w/ parent**  
**Friday, October 23,**  
**6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**



Children ages 3 – 7 are invited to join us for a life-sized Candy Land game. As children travel through the game's winding trail, they will be joined by teen volunteers playing the role of the game's characters who will have treats and goodies for all the game players. All children are welcome to wear their Halloween costumes, but it is not required.

To ensure that every child gets enough time to play, please arrive promptly at the time slot for which you registered. Games will begin at 10-minute intervals from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

An adult may accompany up to 2 children.

**Register in-person OR by phone for your start time beginning Wednesday, Oct. 14.**



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.**

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

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

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

**Fridays, Sept. 11 & 25**

Registration begins Friday, Sept. 4.

**Fridays, Oct. 9 & 23**

Registration begins Friday, Sept. 25.

**Fridays, Nov. 6 & 20**

Registration begins Friday, Oct. 23.

**Fridays, Dec. 4 & 18**

Registration begins Friday, Nov. 20.



## 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**

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

**Session 1**

**Wednesdays:** Sept. 16, 23, 30 & Oct. 7, 14, 21

**Thursdays:** Sept. 17, 24 & Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22

Registration begins Saturday, Sept. 12.

**Session 2**

**Wednesdays:** Nov. 4, 18 & Dec. 2, 9

*No program on Veteran's Day & Thanksgiving week.*

**Thursdays:** Nov. 5, 12, 19 & Dec. 3, 10

Registration begins Saturday, Oct. 31.



## 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**

Sept. 15, 22, 29 & Oct. 6, 13, 20

Registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 8.

**Session 2**

Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24 & Dec. 1, 8

Registration begins Tuesday, Oct. 27.



## Pre-School Story Time

**Ages 3 1/2 – 5 years**

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

**Mondays**

10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

**Tuesdays OR Thursdays**

1:15 – 1:45 p.m.

**Session 1**

**Mondays:** Sept. 14, 21, 28 & Oct. 5, 12, 19

**Tuesdays:** Sept. 15, 22, 29 & Oct. 6, 13, 20

**Thursdays:** Sept. 17, 24 & Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22

Registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 8.

**Session 2**

**Mondays:** Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 & Dec. 7

**Tuesdays:** Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24 & Dec. 1, 8

**Thursdays:** Nov. 5, 12, 19 & Dec. 3, 10

*Closed Thanksgiving Day.*

Registration begins Monday, Oct. 26.

## 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**

Sept. 14, 21, 28 & Oct. 5, 12, 19

Registration begins Wednesday, Sept. 8.

**Session 2**

Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 & Dec. 7

Registration begins Monday, Oct. 26.

## 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.



**Let's Go Camping!**

Sept. 16, 23 & 30

Registration begins Wednesday, Sept. 9.

**Ahoy Matey! Pirates!**

Oct. 7, 14, 21 & 28

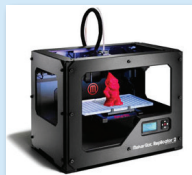
Registration begins Wednesday, Sept. 30.



**Dragons and Dinosaurs!**

Nov. 4, 18 & Dec. 2, 9

Registration begins Wednesday, Oct. 28.



## Come and check out the coolest 3D printer!

— During the month of September —

Stop by the library during September to see a 3D printer in action. Emma Clark will have a 3D printer on loan from September 4 through September 29.



## Attention All Students in Grades 1 - 3 & Grades 4 - 6

You are invited to participate in the Youth  
Section of the Flower Show

### "KALEIDOSCOPE"

Presented by the  
**THREE VILLAGE GARDEN CLUB**  
in the Wang Center at Stony Brook University  
from **SEPTEMBER 18 – 20**.

Don't know how to arrange flowers, we can help.  
Sign-up for the age-appropriate class presented  
by the TVGC, and they will set you in the right  
direction. Visit the Children's Library and pick up  
a registration form starting Tuesday, Sept. 1, and  
register for your program at that time.

### Pot-Of-Gold: Design a Pumpkin Grades 4 – 6

**Tuesday, Sept. 8, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

The Three Village Garden Club will have a workshop  
on making a floral design using a pumpkin as the  
container and filling it with fresh flowers.

**IN-PERSON registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 1.**

### Emerald City: Small Harvest Design Grades 1 – 3

**Thursday, Sept. 10, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

The Three Village Garden Club will have a workshop  
on making a small floral design using a gourd as the  
container and filling it with dried flowers.

**IN-PERSON registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 1.**

## Movement & Literacy

**Ages 3½ – 5**

**Wednesdays, Sept. 16, 23, 30 & Oct. 7, 14**  
**1:15 – 2:00 p.m.**

Have your child discover the joy of movement and  
embodied learning. These classes aim at increasing verbal  
literacy & vocabulary while developing a child's basic  
motor skills, musculature, balance, control and musicality.  
All this in a fun atmosphere of music, movement and  
dance! **Registration begins Wednesday, Sept. 9.**

## American Red Cross Pillowcase Project

**Grades 3 – 6**

**Saturday, Sept. 19,**  
**10:00 – 11:00 a.m.**

The Pillowcase Project is a  
preparedness education  
program, which teaches  
students about personal and family preparedness, local  
hazards, and basic coping skills. This program leads  
students through a "learn, practice, share" framework to  
engage them in disaster preparedness. Students receive  
a sturdy pillowcase upon completion of the program  
in which they are encouraged to build their personal  
emergency supplies kit.

**Registration begins Thursday, Sept. 10.**



**American  
Red Cross**

### The Pillowcase Project

**Learn. Practice. Share.**

## Family Red Cross Ready

**Ages Kindergarten and Older with family**

**Tuesday, Oct. 13, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

The Red Cross is here to make  
sure you are as prepared  
as you possibly can be for  
potential disasters and other  
emergencies. These events  
can strike suddenly, at any  
time and anywhere. There are  
three actions everyone can take that can help make a  
difference. Learn these actions before emergencies occur.  
**Registration begins Tuesday, Oct. 6.**

### Be Red Cross Ready



Get a Kit



Make a Plan



Be Informed

## B.A.R.K. – Books Are Read to K-9's

**Wednesdays, 4:45 – 5:10 p.m. w/ALFIE**

**Sept. 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21, Nov. 4 & 18**

**Thursdays, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.**

**Starting Sept. 17 and continues through  
the end of November.**

Would you like to improve on your reading skills? Come to  
the library and read some stories to a trained therapy dog.  
You can register in-person OR by phone. Call for a specific  
date and time.



## Lego Club

**Ages 5 – 10 years**

Connect with your friends!

**Friday, Sept. 18, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Registration begins Thursday, Sept. 10.**

**Friday, Oct. 9, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Registration begins Friday, Oct. 2.**

**Friday, Nov. 13, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Registration begins Friday, Nov. 6.**



## Minecraft

**Wednesday, Nov. 25.**

**Grades 2 & 3: 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.**

**Grades 4 – 6: 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.**

Join us for a Minecraft building challenge. We will meet in  
the Tech Center on the Library's lower level.

**Registration begins Wednesday, Nov. 18.**

## 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.



### Circus Train

**Tuesday, Sept. 15**

**Registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 8.**

### Farmer Rabbits Fall Garden

**Thursday, Oct. 8**

**Registration begins Thursday, Oct. 1.**

### Hippo Puppet

**Monday, Nov. 9**

**Registration begins Monday, Nov. 2.**



## Fun Family Flicks!

No registration required.  
Movies will be announced.

Friday, Oct. 2, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.  
Friday, Nov. 20, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

### Halloween Craft

Grades 4 – 6

Friday, Oct. 16, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Get your Boo on for this fun class! Come out and craft a "Boo-tiful" whimsical Halloween hobgoblin door sign, treat bag and perhaps a little scary cat card—everything you need to haunt your home with ghostly charm!

*Registration begins Friday, Oct. 9.*

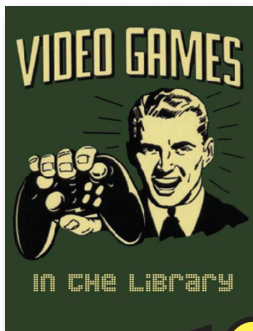


Introducing

PLAYAWAY  
**launchpad**

THE PRE-LOADED LEARNING TABLET

Launchpad is a tablet that is pre-loaded with 10 high-quality, ad-free learning apps that you can check-out and use at home. Come into the Children's Library to learn more about our new circulating tablets. These tablets are geared for children ages 3 – 8 years old.



You've asked  
for them, so  
here they are!  
Coming this  
Fall,

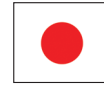
# VIDEO GAMES

For you to check out!

Sick and tired of buying new video games that your children only play once and never touch again? No need to worry, we're buying the newest games for most video gaming systems for you to borrow and play in the comfort of your own home. Come into the Children's Library to learn more.

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.

## FUN AROUND THE WORLD



**JAPAN**

Saturday, Sept. 12

### STORY TIME

9:30 – 10:00 a.m.

Fun for ages 6 years and under!

*Registration begins Friday, Sept. 4.*

### TAIKO DRUMMING PERFORMANCE

10:15 – 11:00 a.m.

Stony Brook Taiko Tides will combine the excitement of percussion on large drums with the beauty of precision motion and movement.

*Registration begins Friday, Sept. 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, please call the Children's Library at 631.941.4080, ext.123.]*



### STORY TIME WITH CRAFT LED BY TEENS

Ages 3 – Grade 1

Come join some local teen volunteers for some stories and a craft.

Saturday, Sept. 26, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

*Registration begins Friday, Sept. 18.*

Saturday, Oct. 17, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

*Registration begins Friday, Oct. 9.*

Saturday, Nov. 7, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

*Registration begins Friday, Nov. 6.*

### TODDLERS TANGO

Ages 2 – 5 years w/ parent

You won't learn the Tango. But, you will enjoy tons of wiggles and giggles while grooving together during this high-energy, interactive creative movement and music program.

Saturday, Oct. 3, 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

*Registration begins Saturday, Sept. 26.*

Saturday, Nov. 14, 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

*Registration begins Saturday, Nov. 7.*

### JIM'S FIRE BUDDIES

Grades 1 – 3

October is Fire Awareness Month!

Come meet local volunteer firefighters.

Saturday, Oct. 3, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

*Registration begins Friday, Sept. 4.*

### KIDNASTICS

Ages 18 mos. – 3½ years w/ parent

Saturday, Oct. 10, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

*Registration begins Saturday, Oct. 3.*

### JUMP FOR JOY

Ages 18 mos. – 3½ years w/ parent

Saturday, Oct. 24, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

*Registration begins Saturday, Oct. 17.*

Saturday, Nov. 21, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

*Registration begins Saturday, Nov. 14.*





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#### 2015 MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, September 16

Wednesday, October 21

Wednesday, November 18

\*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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Postal Patron  
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~ The board would like to take this time to welcome new trustee, ~  
*Mr. Christopher J. Fletcher*



## Top 10 reasons for entering the Helen Stein Shack Award Contest

1. Have a book YOU created in the library's collection (*You'd be famous!*)
2. Be recognized by your community
3. Include the honor on your college application (*Colleges love this kind of stuff!*)
4. Receive a \$500 prize
5. Find a talented friend and collaborate on the book (*More excuses to hang out together!*)
6. Prove to your teachers that you have been listening in class
7. Show the rest of the world your creative brain
8. Convince your parents that the money they're about to spend on college will be worth it!
9. Revisit your childhood when Picture Books were just the best
10. Put your doodles to good use. (*We've seen your notebooks!*)

Visit [emmaclark.org](http://emmaclark.org) and click on "Helen Stein Shack Award" for details.

## Art Exhibits

### SEPTEMBER

The Three Village:  
Garden Club  
Street Gardens

### OCTOBER

Fran Zak:  
*Seascapes in Oil*

### NOVEMBER

Dan McCarthy:  
*A Walk on the  
Wild Side*

## FOOD DRIVE THANK YOU!

On behalf of our wonderful  
teen volunteers and local  
food pantries, the Emma  
Clark Library Teen Services  
Department would like  
to thank everyone who  
generously contributed to  
the food drive held in July.

## 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.