

The Library thanks all essential employees
 "You are community heroes"
Hope all is well with you

BAY SHORE-BRIGHTWATERS PUBLIC LIBRARY

ANNUAL REPORT...2020

8,593
 questions
 answered



79,276
 physical visits to the Library

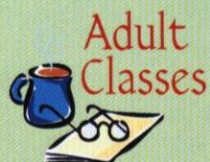


CIRCULATION



40,797
 Checkouts

PROGRAMS AND CLASSES



3,129
 adult attendees



2,438
 teen attendees



12,281
 children attendees



11
 museum passes
 with circulation
 of 222 museum
 visits

SOCIAL MEDIA

1,251
 Facebook



281
 Twitter



176
 YouTube



Curbside Pickup



1,146
 Adult

88,534
 WiFi
 sessions

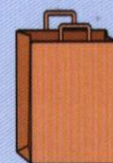


30 hot spots
 available to loan
 for WiFi access

ESERVICES
 (Downloads/streams/logins/transactions)

105,896

NOTARY PUBLIC
1,086



1,689
 Curbside Crafts for
 Children and Teens

ADULT SUMMER READING 2021



ADULT SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2021

Registration begins Monday, June 28 at the Reference Desk.

Join the Adult Summer Reading Program!! Each adult-level book you read or listen to gives you a chance to win a gift card to a local business. Registration, book submission and raffle entries will all be done online via the library's website: www.bsbwlibrary.org. If you have any questions please contact the Adult Reference Desk. Drawings for the gift card winners will all take place after the program ends on August 9.

UPCOMING ONLINE PROGRAMS

You will need to have an account and a valid email address to sign up for courses. Please call the Reference Desk on how to create an account.

FIRESIDE BOOK DISCUSSION Via ZOOM



The Fireside Book Discussion meets the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 7:00 PM. The group is currently meeting online via ZOOM. Copies of the books in various formats are available a month before the next meeting at the Circulation Desk. If you are interested in joining the discussion please email us at: staff@bsbwlibrary.org

July 14
What Alice Forgot
by Liane Moriarty

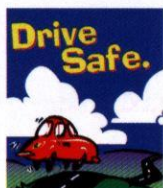
August 11
Lost Roses
by Martha Kelly

September 8
Grammarians
by Cathleen Schine

GENTLE YOGA CLASS via ZOOM

Mondays at 7:00 PM

Gentle classes are great for beginners and everyone interested in a slow, peaceful practice. This class includes basic breathing exercises as well as a variety of standing, sitting, and supine postures. It is a great way to recharge and relax while increasing strength and flexibility. All levels welcome. Please have a mat and beach towel and/or throw blanket set up for your class upon entering Zoom. To register: e-mail: rs@bsbwlibrary.org. You will then be provided with the meeting ID and password to enter into the Zoom Platform.



DEFENSIVE DRIVING CLASSES ONLINE

Defensive driving classes are not currently taking place in person. You can take the classes online at either:
<http://www.empirestatesafetycouncil.com/>
<http://www.aarpdriversafety.org>

INTRO TO iCloud via ZOOM



Tuesday, June 22 at 7:00 PM

Learn all about iCloud Storage on your iPhone or iPad. In this class have your device handy along with your Apple ID and Password. We will discuss iCloud Back Up, iCloud Drive, Photo Library, what it all means, and how to use all their features. Prerequisites: Introduction to the iPad and iPhone or equivalent and comfort with your device. Please email: rs@bsbwlibrary.org for the ZOOM log-in.

REDUCING STRESS THROUGH MEDITATION via ZOOM



Wednesday, June 23 at 7:00 PM

The scientific community has recently been exploring the use of meditation as a healing modality. Join Umesh Bhatia, long time meditator as he discusses the extraordinary effect of meditation to reduce stress-related responses, improve concentration, and enhance clarity of thought and mental equilibrium. There will be a short meditation sitting as well.

VIRTUAL PAINT NIGHT



**July 23 and August 20
at 7:00 PM**

It's paint night with Key to My Art and the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Library! Get out your paints – acrylic is what we'll be working with – any craft, acrylic, even kids paint you have is fine! You'll also need some paint brushes, a cup of water and a rag. You can paint on canvas if you have it or you can paint on cardboard, fabric, or paper! To register: e-mail: rs@bsbwlibrary.org for Zoom log-in.



**Saturday, July 24
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

Bring all of your confidential documents for onsite shredding while you watch via closed circuit video. The shredding truck will be located outside in the Library parking lot. **You must wear a face covering or mask and remain at least 6' apart from other patrons and staff.**

PASTA AMORE

A delicious combination of aromatic spices, like coriander and cumin, sautéed vegetables and chicken over your favorite pasta, cooked to perfection. Truly one of the all time great pasta dishes. This program will air on the library website via YouTube in July.



FOURTH OF JULY- WHAT A BLAST!

Barbecue is back! This summer americans can return to backyard gatherings. To prepare, we have invited BBQ Pitmaster Brian Collins of Ma's Cue Crew to demonstrate how the techniques of low and slow cooking can be easily adapted to everyone's backyard equipment. Learn how to prepare ribs for smoking and side dishes to accompany them. Let the summer begin! This program will air on the library website via YouTube in July.



HOMEMADE BAKED EGGPLANT PARMESAN



Eggplant prepared this way can be a labor of love. Chef Dell' Amore shows you how to do it in half the time, by using your oven, with delicious results every time. Includes an easy, fabulous 30 minute marinara recipe. This program will air on the library website via YouTube in August.



SUMMER DISPLAYS

JULY

Outside Showcase:

Come see this month's display, "*Your Tickets to Summer Fun*", at the Library and what they offer patrons young and old this summer.

Inside Showcase:

Please call the Library for information.

Gallery:

This exhibit will feature the Art works of prominent artist Judith Davidson of Lindenhurst, with fellow artists, Jean Carpenter and the late John Traversa.

AUGUST

Outside showcase:

Bay Shore Beautification Society spotlights gardens from around town.

Inside showcase:

CERT or Community Emergency Response Teams are trained volunteers that can assist others in their community following a disaster when professional responders are not immediately available for help. This display is here to enlighten and also to encourage involvement.

Gallery:

Long-time Bay Shore resident Michael Warner began his foray into the world of photography in the 70's. His first love of subjects is the natural beauty. The pieces that will be on display in the gallery are representative of his artistic impulse to create images that reflect a bit of the beauty and joy that can be found all around, if one takes the time to look, stop, and see.

SEPTEMBER

Outside showcase:

Please call the Library for information.

Inside showcase:

Susan Forbes started decorating "good luck" horseshoes for gifts.

Gallery:

The recently published book *Parallel Perspectives: The Brush/Lens Collaboration* by Bay Shore resident, photographer Holly Gordon and Northport painter Ward Hooper, is a visual memoir of art and conversation mostly inspired by the Long Island landscape. Join them Tuesday, September 21st at 7:00 PM for a book talk and signing. If you've already purchased a book bring it in to be autographed. Additional books will be available.

FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS

SUMMER READING CLUB:



Get ready to read for Summer Reading Club starting June 28th!

Log on to ReadSquared and tell us all about the books you have been reading. For students up to 6th grade, you may also come in to report on your books in person. Earn prizes along the way for reading and completing missions! We are looking forward to a busy summer of reading!

SUNSHINE STORYTIME WEDNESDAYS

July 7, 14, 21, 28, August 4 & 11
10:30 - 11:00 A.M.



Our outdoor storytime is back! Join us on the Library lawn for a storytime and songs. We will continue to social distance outside and masks are required.

PROGRAMS, KITS AND ACTIVITIES:



Check out our website, Facebook page and YouTube channel for announcements and all of our activities. Monthly brochures and calendars are available on our website or stop in for a print version at the Children's Desk and find out about all our virtual and in-person activities.

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE:

www.bsbwlibrary.org

- HOMEWORK HELP
- ONLINE RESEARCH
- HOMESCHOOLING RESOURCES
- EBOOKS & AUDIO BOOKS
- MUSEUM PASSES
- HELPFUL PODCASTS



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FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS



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ANNOUNCE THAT TICKETS FOR
THE LONG ISLAND AQUARIUM
ARE NOW AVAILABLE. EACH
TICKET IS \$20 AND MAY BE
PURCHASED AT OUR
CIRCULATION DESK.



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SUMMER 2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

POSTAL CUSTOMER

LOCAL RESIDENT DELIVERY ONLY

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

**HAPPY
4TH JULY**
MONDAY, JULY 5
INDEPENDENCE DAY

LABOR DAY
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER, 6
LABOR DAY

Curbside Pickup



MONDAY-THURSDAY
10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM



HOURS

MONDAY-THURSDAY
9:30 AM - 9:00 PM
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

CLOSED SUNDAYS UNTIL
OCTOBER 3RD.