

BAY SHORE-BRIGHTWATERS Public Library

UPCOMING ONLINE PROGRAMS

We will use the Zoom platform to host these events. This works in most web browsers, and there is also a free app for your desktop computer or mobile device. You do not need to pay for an account to take part.

To receive the Zoom information please email: rs@bsbwlibrary.org
Zoom information will be emailed to you upon registration unless otherwise noted.

GENTLE YOGA WITH LAUREN via ZOOM

Mondays at 4:30 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.



BROADWAY: FROM BACK ROW TO BACKSTAGE! via ZOOM

Monday, January 10 at 7:00 PM

During this interactive presentation, theatre enthusiast Brian Stoll will discuss all things Broadway beginning with the history and importance of the Broadway Playbill. Brian will share with you several money saving tips on how to see Broadway shows for under \$50.00.



SCORE®

Counselors to America's Small Business

HOW TO START A BUSINESS ON A SMALL BUDGET via ZOOM

*Wednesday, January 12
7:00 PM*

Suggested attendees: individuals who are thinking about starting a new business.

- Basics of setting up a business
- Legal entity structures – Sole proprietor, Partnerships, Sub Chapter S, LLC and others
- Paying taxes
- Keeping financial records
- Insurance
- Business Plan introduction
- Marketing basics
- Financing a business

Please email herr6@msn.com to receive the ZOOM link.

YOUR CHILDREN DON'T WANT IT... WHAT CAN YOU DO? via ZOOM

*Thursday, January 27
6:00 - 7:30 PM*

We hear it every day. "My children don't want it. What can I do?". And it's happening all over America. In this session Mike will give you 15 tips and strategies designed not only to help you deal with your "children's stuff", but hopefully help you make some good money when selling it.



MEDICARE MADE CLEAR via ZOOM

Wednesday, January 5 at 1:00 PM

UNDERSTANDING

Medicare



Learn what Medicare Part A & B covers. Learn what is meant by Medicare Part C and learn why Medicare Part D is necessary to join as well. Learn the two philosophies in Medicare Health Insurance. Presented by Joy Poupko, Medicare Advisor with Senior Services of North America.

FIRESIDE BOOK DISCUSSION (In-Person or via Zoom)

The Book Discussion meets the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 7:00 PM. The group is currently meeting in-person or 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 please email us at: staff@bsbwlibrary.org

JANUARY 12

An Invisible Thread

by Laura Schoff
with Alex Tresniowski

FEBRUARY 9

The Personal Librarian

by Victoria Christopher Murray
and Marie Benedict

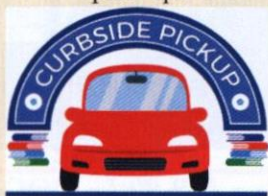
MARCH 9

The Paris Library

by Janet S. Charles

**ALL ABILITIES:
CURBSIDE CRAFTS
FOR ADULTS (BBA100)**

This craft is designed for older teens or adults with special needs to enjoy making at home. Registration takes place the Monday before the craft pick-up.



MOSAIC WINTER MITTEN

Register: January 24 @ 9:30 AM
Craft Pick-Up Starts:
January 31 @ 10:00 AM

HEART HEDGEHOGS

Register: February 7 @ 9:30 AM
Craft Pick-Up Starts:
February 14 @ 10:00 AM

ST. PATRICK'S DAY WREATH

Register: February 28 @ 9:30 AM
Craft Pick-Up Starts:
March 7 @ 10:00 AM

RAINBOW WINDSOCK

Register: March 14 @ 9:30 AM
Craft Pick-Up Starts:
March 21 @ 10:00 AM

**UPCOMING
IN-PERSON
PROGRAMS**

SENIOR ASSISTANCE

*Friday, January 21 or
Friday, March 18
10:00 AM – Noon*

Get answers to any questions you may have on Medicare entitlement programs and services for seniors, as well as explanations of federal, state and local programs available. You can get help with IT-214, HEAP and food stamp applications. Mr. John Bruno will assist you with any paperwork that you need filled out. Mr. Bruno's services are provided by the Suffolk County Office for the Aging. This service is offered on a first come first serve basis.

**THE MUSIC ELEMENTS
OF WINTER
Sunday, January 23 at 1:00 PM**



J.K. Hodge returns to the Library to help winter with its personality. Mr. Hodge will add depth to the season by having winter sound less complicated on the piano. The concert will provide an intimate atmosphere into relatable pieces the listener enjoys on the piano and original works that take the chill out of January.

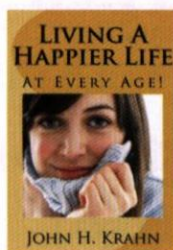
**THE CARA BAND
Sunday, March 13 at 1:00 PM**



Join us for an afternoon of authentic Irish music and songs performed by the Cara Band all the way from the old sod in recognition of St. Patrick's day.

**AUTHOR VISIT
John H. Krahn**

*Living a Happier Life at Any Age
Thursday, March 24 at 6:30 PM*



Who does not desire a little more happiness in their lives? I believe it is impossible for anyone to be too happy. There is so much today seeking to erode both our happiness and well being that a tune-up is welcome. We will consider different aspects of our lives where a better understanding and a different attitude will help us lead a happier life. Young and old will benefit from this presentation.

**THE VIC VINCENT BAND:
Songs from the
Carole King Songbook
Sunday, March 27 at 1:00 PM**

Experience this tribute to the #1 female song writer of the 20th century. The show will include hit songs she wrote and recorded, as well as songs she wrote for other artists, like The Beatles, James Taylor, Herman's Hermits, Bobby Vee, Andy Williams, Shirelles, Little Eva and the Drifters.

**MY LIFE AS A
LONG ISLAND BEEKEEPER
Thursday, March 31 at 7:00 PM**

Thomas Santorelli will discuss a brief thought provoking history of beekeeping. He is responsible for assisting Town of Islip's Councilman John Cochrane in sponsoring and passing new planning code rules making it mandatory for commercial developers to plant pollinating trees and shrubs. The Town of Islip is the only municipality in New York State to have such a code.

**AARP Foundation
TAX-AIDE**

Free tax assistance for those who need it most

Thursdays, February 3 - April 7

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide is a free tax counseling and preparation service, Helping low and middle-income taxpayers, with special attention to those ages 60 and older. AARP Tax-Aide volunteers cannot prepare returns that include rental property, military income, alternative minimum tax, or those with many stock transactions. Please note that some tax information, especially from brokerage firms, may not be sent to you until the end of February.

AARP Tax-Aide is administered by the AARP Foundation, in cooperation with the IRS. Free Electronic Filing (E-Filing) is included. Please bring your current tax records and copies of your last year's federal and state tax returns. If filing jointly, both must be present and all must bring a photo ID and a Social Security card.

Call 631-665-4350 for information and to make an appointment.

Appointments are required.

Celebrate Black History Month at the Library

We encourage you to view our book recommendations, attend virtual programs and visit the Library to browse the photo exhibition and Library Showcases. They will feature books, photos and artwork from Bay Shore resident and Library Board Trustee Elder Frances Bell.

The programs below will run during the entire month of February on YouTube. To view these pre-recorded programs on YouTube please visit www.bsbwlibrary.org anytime during the month of February.

You do not need a YouTube account to view these programs

ADVERSITY MAKES YOU STRONGER

Charles Clark, Motivational Speaker



With each level of success there is a higher degree of commitment involved and a lower threshold of excuses. Learn how to handle the magnitude of your responsibilities by doing the little things.

2022: A HOUSE DIVIDED

Professor Zebulon Miletsky



Professor Miletsky joins us with a program to help explain how we have functioned in America as a "house divided" and what brought us to this moment.

SONGS OF LIBERATION And LOVE

Celebrate the African-American experience with Rhonda Denet singing songs from the 1930s-70s.



ROOTS OF BLACK MUSIC IN AMERICA with Karlus Trapp

Join us for a century-long journey through the roots of African-American musical giants.

THE BLACK SPECTRUM THEATRE presents

2 TRAINS RUNNING

This play takes place in a Black owned restaurant in the 1960s just after the assassination of Malcolm X.

and

AN ARETHA STORY: Natural Woman

This is a tale about her journey from childhood to adolescence, from young woman to Queen.

SUGAR & SPICE MOTOWN REVUE

Sugar and Spice plays many Motown favorites and other classic 60's soul music.

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SLAVERY & THE JOHN JAY FAMILY: A SEVEN GENERATION STORY via Zoom

Thursday, February 10 at 7:00 PM

Founding Father John Jay was descended from three generations of slavers. This illustrated program, examines the arc of slavery through seven generations of the Jay family. A story that goes back almost to the introduction of slavery.

Virtual Author Lecture THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD ON LONG ISLAND via Zoom

Tuesday, February 15 at 7:00 PM

Author Kathleen Velsor will take us on a journey from the arrival of the Quakers in the seventeenth century to the enforcement of the Emancipation Proclamation. Long Island played an important role in the Underground Railroad's work to guide slaves to freedom.

GENEALOGY 101: RESEARCHING ANCESTORS OF COLOR via Zoom



Thursday, February 17 at 7:00 PM

Renate Yarborough Sanders, is an experienced and engaging speaker. She specializes in sharing knowledge and techniques for researching ancestors of color.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH TRIVIA NIGHT via Zoom

Thursday, February 24 at 7:00 PM

Face off against one another in a Zoom trivia game run by a host from NYC Trivia League! Join us as we quiz you in a fun game all about Black History Month. This hour long trivia game will be played as individuals on Zoom. Use your laptop or desktop computer for the optimal experience. Our host will explain the rest!

In-Person Author Lecture

CIVIL RIGHTS ON LONG ISLAND

**Saturday, February 12
2:00 PM**



Christopher Verga, will discuss his book *Civil Rights on Long Island*. Long Island has been in the corridors of almost all major turning points of American history, but Long Island has been overlooked as a battleground of the civil rights movement.

BOOK DISCUSSION PERSONAL LIBRARIAN

by Victoria Christopher Murray
Wednesday, February 9 at 7 PM
Belle denied her true identity in order to protect herself and her family from racial persecution. It speaks not only to her times but also to ours, a hundred years later. A very compelling story.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH FILMS

Wednesdays at 2:30 P.M.

February 2 GLORY (1989, R)

**February 9 DAUGHTERS
OF THE DUST
(1991, NR)**

**February 16 DREAMGIRLS
(2006, PG-13)**

**February 23 LOVING
(2016, PG-13)**

INSIDE & LOBBY SHOWCASES:

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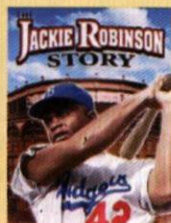
GALLERY:

Clarence Simpson-Photographer will be displaying his many photography works.

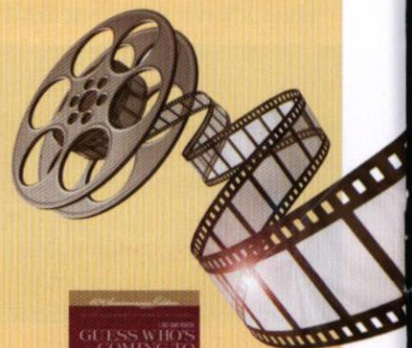
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON at the MOVIES

Presents

A CELEBRATION OF AFRICAN AMERICAN CINEMA

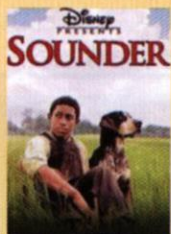


January 5 *IMITATION OF LIFE*
(1934, NR, 111 min)



January 12 *THE JACKIE ROBINSON STORY*
(1950, NR, 76 min)

January 19 *GUESS WHO'S COMING TO DINNER*
(1967, NR, 108 min)



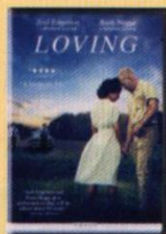
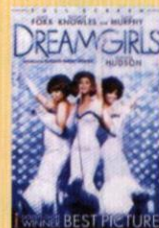
January 26 *Sounder*
(1972, PG, 87 min)

February 2 *GLORY*
(1989, R, 124 min)



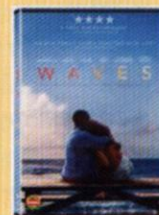
February 9 *DAUGHTERS OF THE DUST*
(1991, NR, 112 min)

February 16 *DREAMGIRLS*
(2006, PG-13, 131 min)



February 23 *LOVING*
(2016, PG-13, 123 min)

March 2 *WAVES*
(2019, R, 135 min)



All films are screened at 2:30 P.M. No registration necessary.

*This Library film series is curated and led by Penelope J. Periconi,
Part-time Reference & Adult Services and Local History Room Librarian.*

FREE CONCERT SERIES

Friends Performing Arts Series

CONCERTS ARE TENTATIVE DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS.
PLEASE NOTE ALL CONCERTS BEGIN AT 2:00 PM.
FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 631-665-4350.

SERENADE DUO



Sunday, March 20
2:00 PM

The award-winning ensemble Serenade Duo featuring flutist Michelle LaPorte and guitarist Gerry Saulter bring concert music of the world to life with their warm stage presence and engaging interpretations of diverse repertoire. As five time Artists International Distinguished Chamber Music Award Recipients the Duo has performed concerts at Carnegie Hall and Merkin Concert Hall in New York City. They are proud concert and recording artists.

RUSTY SPUR BAND

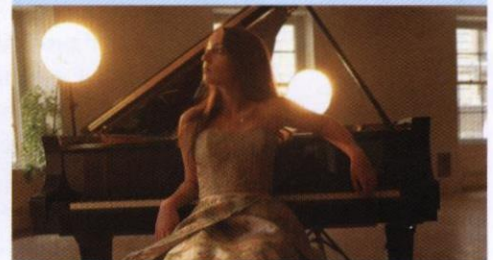


Sunday, April 3
2:00 PM

Rusty Spur is a unique country band blending both modern country songs with traditional country classics. Based out of New York City, the band features seasoned musicians and is fronted by female sensation Nicole Case and the dynamic and powerful voice of Pete Francescon. The band is a must see!

DANIELA LIEBMAN

PIANO



Sunday, May 22 at 2:00 PM

Nineteen-year-old Mexican pianist Daniela Liebman has rapidly established herself as an artist of eloquence, poise, and nuance. Since her debut at age eight with the Aguascalientes Symphony, Daniela has performed with more than twenty-five orchestras on four continents. Born in Guadalajara, Mexico, Daniela began piano studies at age five, and has studied with Dr. Tamás Ungár in Fort Worth, Texas from 2014 to 2021.

HELP SUPPORT THE

Friends of the Library Performing Arts Series



This series, begun in 1969, has brought numerous world-class performances to Suffolk County over the years. The Friends' of the Library is offering a FREE concert series after 50 years of high quality performances. Our performances are close to home and we hope to continue to present these special offerings to our community.

At this time the Friends' is offering some very attractive Land's End items for sale, to help support the Library's Performing Arts Series. Prices range from \$10.00 - \$35.00. The choices of Land's End Products with Library logo are: a medium size tan and navy tote, hanging travel kit, grilling apron, beach towel, 46" umbrella, bistro box cooler, 18 oz. stainless steel tumbler or twill cap. The items will be on display on the main floor of the Library and available for purchase at the Circulation Desk.



MUSEUM PASS PROGRAM

Our Museum Pass Program offers free passes to the following museums:



American Airpower Museum
Brooklyn Botanic Garden
Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum
Cradle of Aviation Museum
Empire Pass-NYS
Fire Island Lighthouse
Harbes Barnyard Adventures
Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum
L.I. Children's Museum of Garden City
New York Transit Museum
Old Bethpage Village Restoration
Sagtikos Manor
Vanderbilt Museum, Mansion & Planetarium

In addition to these free passes, the Library offers discounted tickets to the Bronx Zoo, Splish Splash and the Long Island Aquarium.

Please see the Library's Museum Pass Program Policy and Museum Pass Program User Agreement regarding guidelines for reserving passes, which is now available online. Reservations can be taken in person, over the phone or online **in advance of the date** you wish to attend.

Please call the Library at 631-665-4350 for further information and reservations.



WINTER DISPLAYS

JANUARY

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.

OUTSIDE SHOWCASE

The Pilot Club of Sayville will be exhibiting an informative display about Brain Awareness. We invite you to enjoy this detail oriented display.

GALLERY

West Islip resident Irina Gendler-Bulgak has been creating paintings using wool felting techniques for more than a decade. She is inspired by the tactile nature of the medium, which imbues her work with flowing, natural forms while tying the image and the viewer together. The upcoming exhibition will feature a collection of artworks inspired by Long Island landscapes and characters from classical mythology.

FEBRUARY

INSIDE AND OUTSIDE SHOWCASES:

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GALLERY

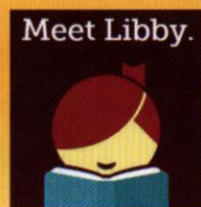
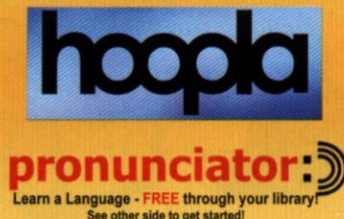
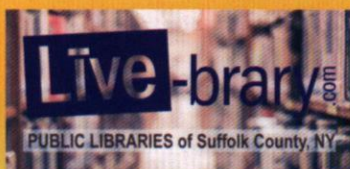
Clarence Simpson is an award winning Eastern Long Island Artist and Photographer. Mr. Simpson, a native New Yorker, has taken many images of Long Island's landscapes and seascapes. His work has been published in several magazines and other media. He has participated in many groups and also one-man photo and art exhibitions, as well as live performance and still photography for film production. Mr. Simpson holds Associate and Bachelor Degrees from SUNY Empire State College, Saratoga Springs, New York.

MARCH

OUTSIDE, INSIDE SHOWCASES & GALLERY

The Bay Shore Public Schools have been displaying the students' artwork for over 30 years. The elementary schools, grades K-2, will be first up. Come and be amazed!

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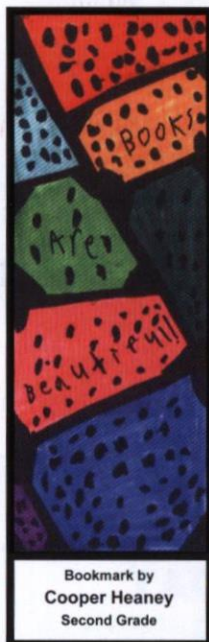
Congratulations to our 2021 Bookmark Contest Winners



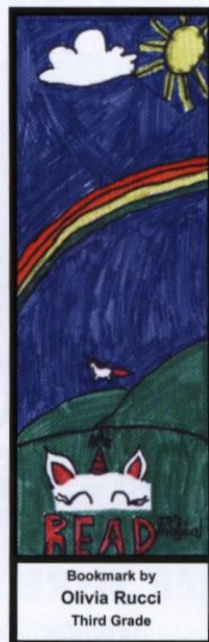
Bookmark by
Andrew McCarthy
Kindergarten



Bookmark by
Grace Niles
First Grade



Bookmark by
Cooper Heaney
Second Grade



Bookmark by
Olivia Rucci
Third Grade



Bookmark by
Antonella Anitra
Fourth Grade



Bookmark by
Morgan Heaney
Fifth Grade

CHILDREN AND TEENS

PROGRAMS, KITS AND ACTIVITIES:



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

GARDEN CLUB KITS

Check out our new kits from the Bay Shore Garden Club! Learn about seeds and how to grow them to start your own garden. Or read about birds to look for in your own backyard! Go on a nature hunt! Each bag contains two books and an activity.

Thank you to all who donated to our mitten tree this year. Throughout November and December, members of the community generously gave mittens, scarves, blankets, sweaters, and bags and bags of other warm clothing items. All items were distributed to local churches.



SAIL INTO KINDERGARTEN



Join our reading club for early learners! This program promotes the importance of reading aloud with children, starting in infancy. Register at the Children's Service desk. Read 50 books and complete a log sheet. Once you have finished your log sheet, bring it to a children's librarian and collect a prize from our treasure chest. You will receive another log sheet for a chance to win more prizes. After reading all 500 books, get a special reward.

SENSATIONAL SIBLING READER

Do you have an older child that loves to read to their younger sibling? Stop in and grab one of our Sensational Sibling Reader charts and start coloring! Every time your child reads to his/her younger sibling you can keep track of it on your chart. Once you have completed a chart, bring it in for a certificate and prize!

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE

www.bsbwlibrary.org
BRAINFUSE HOMEWORK HELP ONLINE

This online service is available 7 days a week, from 2:00-11:00 PM.

Help is available in the subject areas of language, math, science and social studies.



Check Out Our Winter Curbside Crafts



FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS



WINTER LIBRARY HOURS

Monday-Thursday
9:30 AM - 9:00 PM

Friday & Saturday
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Sunday
NOON - 4:00 PM

NO CURBSIDE



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OR email us at:

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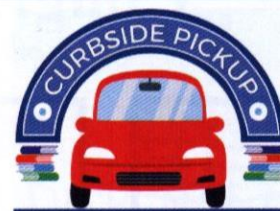
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MONDAY-THURSDAY
10:00 AM - 7:00 PM

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

**NO CURBSIDE ON
SUNDAYS**

**LOOK
WHAT'S
COMING
THIS
SPRING...**

**MARK
YOUR
CALENDAR!**



FREE SHRED DAY

Saturday, April 2
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. **Limit 2 bags of paper per vehicle. Only paper is shredded. No CD's, DVD's, Xrays, plastic, metal, large metal clips, etc.*

You must wear a face covering or mask and remain at least 6' apart from other patrons and staff.



Tuesday, April 12
10:00 AM - Noon

Meet HR recruiters and receive employment information.

Bring your resume and dress for success!

Please call the Suffolk County Department of Labor at:

(631) 853-6613
for more information.

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HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24
CHRISTMAS EVE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25
CHRISTMAS DAY

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31
NEW YEAR'S EVE

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1
NEW YEAR'S DAY

MONDAY, JANUARY 17
**MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
DAY**

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21
PRESIDENTS DAY

WINTER 2022 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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