



WESTHAMPTON FREE ♦ LIBRARY

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Serving Westhampton Beach, Westhampton, East Moriches, Eastport, East Quogue, Manorville, Quogue, Remsenburg & Speonk

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Lona Rubenstein *see page 2*

ONGOING PROGRAMS:

No registration necessary.

French Club

Meets every Monday
2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Nicotine Anonymous

Meets every Wednesday
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Senior Aerobics

Every Friday at 9:00 a.m.

Library Hours

Monday - Friday
9:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Sat. 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sun. 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Now Open Fri. Evenings

TEEN PROGRAMS

FRIDAY NIGHT CINEMA - Visit the library and watch great movies with your friends while enjoying your favorite snacks.

- November 3rd, 5:00 PM.
Nacho Libre (Rated PG13).
Running Time: 1 hr. 32 min.
- November 17th, 5:00 PM.
Accepted (Rated PG13).
Running Time: 1 hr 33 min.
- December 8th, 5:00 PM.
Pirates Of The Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest (Rated PG13).
Running Time: 2 hr 30 min.
- December 15th, 5:00 PM.
Talladega Nights: The Ballad of Ricky Bobby (Rated PG13).
Running Time: 1hr. 48 min.

RUNESCAPE CLUB

Saturday November 4th & 18th, December 2nd & 23rd.
5:00 - 7:00 PM

You've seen all your friends play it, now try it yourself! We will open up the library just to play this "Massively Multiplayer Online Game"! Librarian Dave Jones will be there to help all beginners and even seasoned veterans!

VIDEO GAME CLUB

Friday November 10th & December 22nd.
5:00 - 7:00 PM

Come to the Library & play your favorite Xbox & PS2 games! Drinks & Snacks will be served!

SNOW FLAKE GIFT BOX!

Friday, December 8 7:00 - 8:00 PM
Create the perfect winter gift for yourself or someone special! Signup @ the Reference & Young Adult Desk.

MANGA CLUB

Tuesday, November 28 6:00 - 7:00 PM
Discuss the latest Japanese manga/anime and share your favorites. We will also be creating our very own manga series!

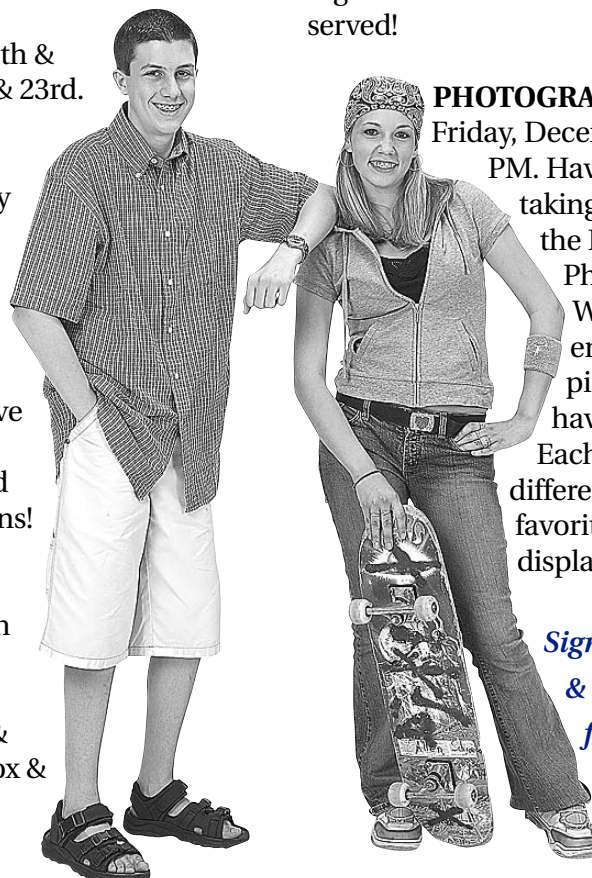
TAG (TEEN ADVISORY GROUP)

Tuesday, November 14th & December 12th 6:00 - 7:00 PM. Do you have overdue library fines? Then join the Teen Advisory Group & earn credit to pay them off! Not only will you get your fines reduced, but you can also make the library more exciting for teens! Drinks & Snacks will be served!

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Friday, December 1st 5:00 - 6:00 PM. Have an interest in taking pictures? Then join the Library's Teen Photography Club! We supply the cameras, you take the pictures, and then we have them developed. Each month we'll have a different theme with your favorite pictures being displayed in the library!

Signup @ the Reference & Young Adult Desk for These Programs



Games & Clubs



MAH JONG CLUB: Tuesdays 10:00 am – Noon (led by Leona Cohen): Thursdays 2:00 – 4:00 pm. All welcome. Registration suggested.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB: Tuesdays 1:00 – 4:00 pm Social. No master points. No director. Partner not required. For more information call Frank Ennis @ 325- 9042.

SUNDAY BRIDGE CLUB: Sundays from 1:00 – 4:00 pm. All welcome. No registration required.

FRENCH CLUB: Mondays from 2:30 – 5:00 pm. All welcome. No registration required.

NICOTINE ANONYMOUS: Wednesdays from 6:00 – 7:00 pm. No registration required.

NEEDLE CLUB: Wednesday November 29 from 11:00 am – 1:00 pm. Quilters led by Gloria Bleidner and Knitters led by Donna Trunk. All welcome. Registration requested.

BOOK CLUBS

MONDAY NIGHT BOOK CLUB:

Meets the last Monday of every month at 7:00 pm. Join us! Registration requested. Books available at circulation desk.

Monday November 27: Broken for You by Stephanie Kallos.

THURSDAY BOOK CLUB** led by Professor Frank Mosca meets from 2:00- 4:00 pm on:

Thursday November 16 to discuss *The Metamorphosis* by Franz Kafka.

AUTHOR VISITS

Saturday November 4 @ 4:00 pm:
Robert Banfield reads from his new book *The Teacher*.

Saturday November 18 @ 4:00 pm:
Lona Rubenstein reads from her new book *Getting Back in the Game: Finding the Fountain of Youth in Cyberspace*.

Registration for ALL PROGRAMS begins on Monday October 30th, 2006.

BUS TRIPS

HOLIDAY BUS TRIP TO BROADWAY to see LES MISERABLES! Saturday December 2nd. We have a few tickets left! \$158.00 non-refundable cost includes bus trip and orchestra seats. Bus leaves library @ 9:00 am for matinee @ 2:00 pm.



DO YOUR OWN THING BUS TRIP to New York City Wednesday December 6. \$20.00 non-refundable fee to register. Bus leaves library @ 9:00 am, leaves NYC @ 6:00 pm.

COMPUTER

****NEW! COMPUTER CLASSES ONE DAY INTENSIVE COURSE!**
(for Westhampton Library Members Only). Sign up required. Limited class size.



****COMPUTER SECOND GRADE FOR ADULTS:**
Tuesday November 28th @ 10:00 am

****COMPUTER THIRD GRADE FOR ADULTS:**
Tuesday November 28th from 1:00 – 3:00 pm.

****COMPUTER EN ESPAÑOL:** 11:30 am – 1:00 pm.
Sundays November 5 – December 10 (4 classes).
Registration required.**

Suffolk Historic Newspapers

Visit our web page and click on the link for Suffolk Historic Newspapers. Digitized and fully searchable historic newspapers are available for your perusal or research. If current news is more your speed, remember the library subscribes to Newsday, The New York Times and New York Times Historical online. Back issues and articles are available to you on our web page free of charge. Visit our Virtual Reference Collection to start utilizing these subscriptions today!



MI PRIMERA CLASE de COCINAR

TALLARINES DE AJONJOLF:

Jueves 29 de noviembre a las 4:30 de la tarde.

SOOPA Y POCILLO DEL MUÑECO DE NIEVE:

jueves 14 de diciembre a las 4:30 de la tarde.

Para niños de 5 a 8 años

Los pequeños cocineros podrán aprender a preparar una cena saludable con tallarines en Noviembre y un precioso regalo de Navidad en diciembre.

NINOS EN LA COCINA

Tortas de Taco Tejanas

Jueves 30 de noviembre a las 4:30 de la tarde

SOPA Y TAZA DEL MUÑECO DE NIEVE

Sabado 16 de Diciembre a las 11 de la mañana

Para niños del grado 3 a 5

Los niños podrán aprender a preparar tortas de taco en noviembre y un precioso regalo

Para Navidad en diciembre.

TALLER DE ARTE CON EL MUSEO ART PARISH

Todos los Sabados del 7 al 28 de octubre

de 12:00 a 1:00 de la tarde (4 sesiones)

el personal del Museo Parish Art estará

En la biblioteca para presentar una serie de tres

talleres (7, 14 y 21 de Octubre).

El ultimo taller se realizará en el Museo el Sábado 28 de octubre.



Homebound Service for Residents

Do you know anyone who cannot get to our library to borrow materials? The Westhampton Free Library provides Homebound Service for any resident who cannot get to the library for a variety of reasons. Some of our homebound clients are temporarily disabled, others have physical limitations, which preclude them from driving to our facility, and still others are of an advanced age that makes travel difficult. The service is offered free of charge to anyone in our district.

FOR SENIORS

TAI CHI FOR SENIORS with Sal Minardi. Thursdays @ Noon, November 9 – December 21 (6 classes). For ages 55 and older. Registration required.**

AARP DEFENSIVE DRIVING: Monday December 4 & Tuesday December 5 from 9:30 am – 1:30 pm both days. Registration required by CHECK ONLY payable to the AARP.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

WINTER CONCERT: THE LONG ISLAND SOUND CHORUS SWEET ADELINES.** Back by popular demand! Thursday December 7 @ 7:00 pm. All welcome. Registration requested.

GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATION:

Monday December 11 from 6:00 – 8:30 pm. Join in one of our most popular traditions and decorate your own gingerbread house! \$20.00 non-refundable fee for one house and up to 4 people.



ANNUAL HOLIDAY HIGH TEA:

Saturday December 9 @ 1:00 pm.

A holiday event you won't want to miss! \$5.00 non-refundable fee includes a delicious high tea. Limited space available.

BROWN BAG MOVIES



You bring lunch, we'll provide dessert & coffee.

First & second Friday of every month @ Noon

Friday November 3: Three Daring Daughters
starring Jeanette MacDonald

Friday November 10: The World's Fastest Indian
starring Anthony Hopkins

Friday December 1: The Man Who Came to Dinner
starring Bette Davis

Friday December 8: The Devil Wears Prada
starring Meryl Streep

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Ongoing Children's Programs

SPECIAL EVENTS

ART IS LIFE AND LIFE IS ART: CLASSES FOR CHILDREN

Tuesdays, November 7-28 at 4:30 pm
For children in Grades 3 & 4

Join artist and yoga enthusiast Amy Hess for 4 weeks of exploring the natural world. Children will keep personal journals, complete art projects, take nature walks and learn some basic yoga poses and stretches.

SCIENCE ON SUNDAYS

(for kids in grades k—5 and parents or caregivers)

MAD SCIENCE: UP, UP AND AWAY SHOW

November 12 at 2:30 pm

Does your kid think homework is pressure? Just wait until they learn about how the weight of earth's pressure pushes down on them with the force of two elephants! And you won't want to miss the finale of this exciting program that features a hovercraft!

MARVLOUS MARV'S MAGIC OF SCIENCE SHOW

December 10 at 2:30 pm

Thrill to the billiard-ball spinning sculpture as Marv explains the scientific process, from the art of experimenting to the creation of an invention. With simple experiments that kids can try at home, you'll learn about air pressure, carbon dioxide and the invention of the wheel. The Magic of Science draws a link between the work of artists and scientists, encouraging persistence and exploration.



COOKING FOR KIDS

MY FIRST COOKING CLASS

Wednesday, November 29 at 4:30 pm: Sesame Noodles
For children in Grades K-2

Little cooks can come and learn to prepare a healthy noodle dinner.

KIDS IN THE KITCHEN

Thursday, November 30 at

4:30 pm: Texas Taco Tarts

For children in Grades 3-5

Make some tasty tacos for dinner tonight!

COOK-A-GIFT WORKSHOP

Thursday, December 14

at 4:30 pm: for children in

Grades K-2

Saturday, December 16

at 11 am: for children in

Grades 3-5

Make a delicious and festive gift for someone special.



MORE KIDS PROGRAMS

JUNIE B. JONES PARTY

Saturday, November 25 at 2:30 pm

For children in Grades K-3

Fans of Junie B. Jones read up! You're invited to a party with cool games and activities including a yucky, blucky fruitcake and a graduation ceremony!

Reflections Exhibit and Reception

Saturday, November 18 at 1 pm

Reflection is a program of National PTA that provides students with an opportunity to use their talents by creating their own original works. Each year a new theme is selected and students are asked to interpret that theme by creating an original work in the art areas of: literature; visual arts; photograph; musical composition; dance choreography or film/video production. The entries from this year's competition at the Westhampton Elementary School will be exhibited in the Children's Room throughout November. On Saturday the 18th, the school's PTA will host a reception for participating students and their families.

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AMERICAN GIRL DOLL TEA

Saturday, December 16 at 2 pm

For children ages 5 –10

Do you have a favorite doll? Then bring him/her to tea at the library! Young ladies and young gentlemen are encouraged to wear their tea finery and bring a favorite doll to tea. Tea and sweets will be served. Parent volunteers are sought to act as hostesses/hosts for each table of children.

**FAMILY NIGHT: BOOK BINGO**

Thursday, December 28 at 6:30 pm

For children ages 4 – 10 with a parent or caregiver

Join us for an evening of bingo fun where everyone is a winner! Refreshments will be served.

REGULAR PROGRAMS

MOTHER GOOSE ON THE LOOSE

Mondays, November 6 – December 11 at 10 am

For children ages 18 months – 3 ? years with a parent or caregiver.

Little ones join us for a series of silly songs, romping rhymes, and simple dances. Parents and caregivers may join in the fun or clap on the sidelines, whichever they wish!

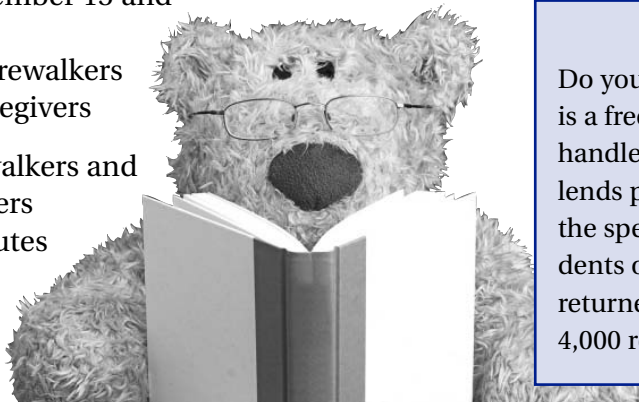
BABIES AND BOOKS

Wednesdays, November 15 and December 13

10 -10:20 am for prewalkers and parents or caregivers

11 -11:20 am for walkers and parents or caregivers

Join us for 20 minutes of books, nursery rhymes and fingerplays.

**SHOTS FOR TOTS**

Thursday, November 2 from 10 am to 1 pm

For children ages 2 months—18 years

Free immunization clinic offered by the Suffolk County Department of Health for children who are uninsured or whose insurance does not cover basic shots. Please bring your child's immunization record with you.

MUSICAL FUN WITH DARA: BEAR SONGS & TURKEY TUNES

Thursday, November 30 at 10 am

For children ages 1-5 and a parent or caregiver

MONTHLY LUNCH & A MOVIE FOR KIDS:

(at noon)

Saturday, November 25: "Ice Age 2"

Wednesday, December 27:

"How to Eat Fried Worms"

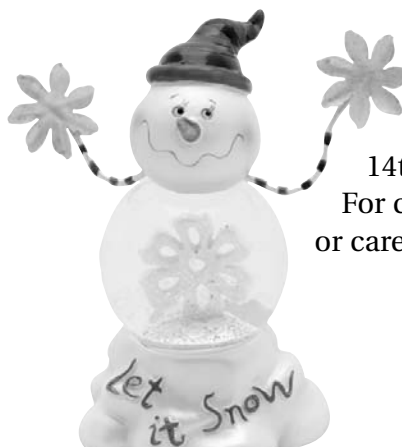
For children ages 5 –10

Pack your lunch and chow down at the library while we watch a just released movie!

**PIRATES AND PRINCESSES PRESCHOOL STORY AND CRAFT**

Thursday November 16th and Saturday November 18th at 10AM

For children age 3-5 with parent or caregiver.

**SNOWMAN STORIES**

Tuesday December 12th and Thursday December 14th at 10AM

For children age 3-5 with parent or caregiver.

Talking Book Library

Do you know the Long Island Talking Book Library (LITBL) is a free library service for individuals who cannot hold, handle or see well enough to use regular print books. LITBL lends professionally recorded books and magazines (and the special equipment needed to play them) to eligible residents on Long Island. Materials are sent to borrowers and returned by postage-free mail. LITBL currently serves about 4,000 readers, and lends over 100,000 talking books a year.

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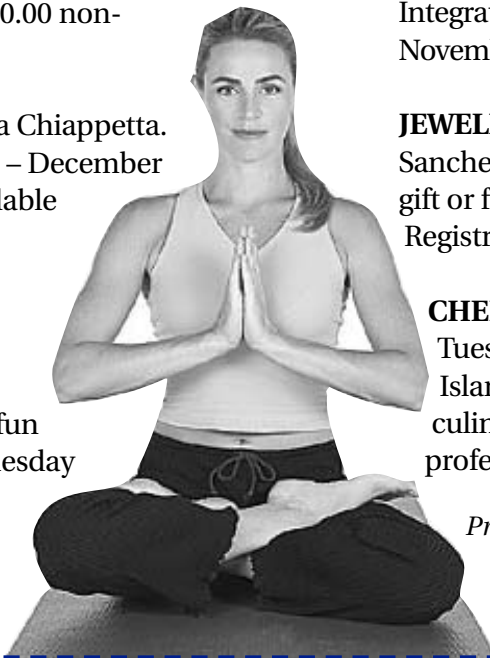
POSTAL CUSTOMER

ADULT PROGRAMS FOR NOVEMBER & DECEMBER

****YOGA FOR ALL** with Abby Dietrick.
Wednesdays 9:30 am – 10:45 am. November 15 -
December 20th. (6 classes). \$20.00 non-
refundable fee to register.

****PILATES FOR ALL** with Tricia Chiappetta.
Mondays @ 6:30 November 13 – December
4 (4 classes) \$15.00 non-refundable
fee to register. Limited space.

****JINGLE BELLIES:**
Special holiday belly-dancing
class extravaganza! Join in the fun
and get a fabulous workout! Tuesday
December 5 from 6:30 – 8:00
pm. Registration required.



AUTISM and SENSORY INTEGRATION presented by Tina
Mendoza, NYS Licensed Occupational Therapist, Certified
Integration Therapist and Pediatric Specialist. Thursday
November 16 @ 6:30 pm. Registration suggested.

JEWELRY MAKING IN SPANISH & ENGLISH: with Irene
Sanchez. Come make a beautiful piece of jewelry for a
gift or for yourself! Tuesday November 28 @ 6:30 pm.
Registration required.

CHEF'S NIGHT OUT:

Tuesday November 14 @ 7:00 pm. Join us for the Long
Island version of Kitchen Confidential as rising young
culinary stars, chefs and teachers dish about life in a
professional kitchen. Registration required.

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EVERYBODY NEEDS FRIENDS...ESPECIALLY THE LIBRARY!

*Please join and be a part of our continuing program of exciting events. All donations are tax deductible.
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- \$500+ Benefactor
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 \$50 Sponsor
 \$25 Family
 \$10 Individual

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