

Join one of our SUMMER READING CLUBS!

Reading is for Everyone!

Registration For All Reading Clubs Begins Monday, June 13



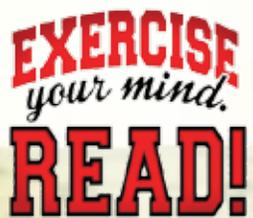
Children's Summer Reading Club

Register using the link on our home page (www.isliplibrary.org) with your child's Islip library card (infants, too), or register at the Library. Win prizes for commenting on books between Monday, June 27 and Saturday, August 20. A Read-to-Me Club is available for infants through pre-Kindergarten.



Teen Summer Reading Club

Read and win prizes all summer! Get all the details when you sign up at the Adult Reference Desk.



Adult Summer Reading Club

Submit short reviews (online or on paper) of the books you read and earn raffle tickets to win prizes! You'll receive a surprise gift after submitting 2 reviews — audio books count too! You'll receive an invitation to attend our **End-of-Summer Reading Club Party** once you have submitted your first 3 book reviews!

PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Adults / Computers / Teens

REGISTRATION BEGINS
TUESDAY, MAY 3:

- In-person 6:00 pm, May 3rd
- Online 9:00 pm, May 3rd
- Telephone 9:00 am, May 4th

An asterisk (*) indicates you must have current Islip Library card to register.

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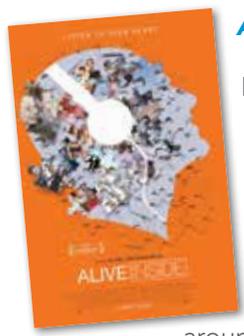


ADULT PROGRAMS

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MAY

Celebrate Older Americans Month in May by attending some of our special programs for Older Americans!



Alive Inside: Documentary Film ISA145
Friday, May 6 2:00 pm
OR Tuesday, May 10 7:00 pm

Alive Inside is a joyous cinematic exploration of the capacity of music to reawaken our soul and uncover the deepest part of our humanity. Filmmaker Michael Rossato-Bennett chronicles the astonishing experiences of individuals around the country who have been revitalized through the simple experience of listening to music. His camera reveals the uniquely human connection we find in music and how its healing power can triumph where prescription medication falls short. This stirring documentary follows Dr. Dan Cohen, social worker and founder of *Music and Memory*, a nonprofit organization, as he demonstrates how music can help combat memory loss and restore a deep sense of self. Rossato-Bennett visits family members who have witnessed the miraculous effects of personalized music on their loved ones, and offers illuminating interviews with experts including late renowned neurologist and best-selling author, Oliver Sacks (*Musicophilia: Tales of Music and the Brain*), and musician Bobby McFerrin (*Don't Worry, Be Happy*). An uplifting cinematic exploration of music and the mind, this film's inspirational and emotional story left audiences humming, clapping, and cheering at the 2014 Sundance Film Festival, where it won the Audience Award. Come to either one of the screenings at the Library and see what the *Music and Memory* program is all about!

AARP Defensive Driving ISA106
Saturday, May 7 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
OR Saturday, June 11 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Fee: **\$20.00 AARP members**
\$25.00 non-AARP members

AARP sponsors this one-day course geared for drivers aged 50 and over. A fee of \$20 (AARP members) or \$25 (non-members) check or money order, payable to AARP, is due upon registration. **No cash accepted. You must register in person for this class; a separate check or money order is required for each registrant and a valid Islip Library card must be presented.** You need to have a NYS Driver's License to be eligible; please bring it to the class. Registration for Islip Library cardholders begins on Tuesday, May 3 at 6:00 pm. **Space allowing, non-district residents may register beginning Wednesday, May 4 at 9:00 am.** Please arrive to the program on time, otherwise you will not be admitted.

Senior Advocate 9:30 am – 12:00 noon
Monday, May 9

An advocate from the Suffolk County Office of the Aging will be available to answer your questions regarding various programs and services for seniors. You can receive help in filling out forms and applications, and get referrals to agencies that may be of further assistance. *No registration is necessary for this one-on-one, walk-in service.* Anyone with questions regarding services to seniors is welcome. This service is available every other month at the Library. Senior Advocates are also available at various other locations and times; enquire at the Adult Reference Desk for more information.

Senior Fitness ISA125
8 Wednesdays: May 11, 18, 25; 9:30 – 10:30 am
June 8, 15, 22, 29 & July 6 (No class on June 1)
Fee: **\$45.00**

Seniors, have fun and get fit while learning basic weight training and body-toning with Elynn Seltzer, an AFAA Certified Personal Trainer. Please check with your physician before beginning any workout program.

Medicare Made Easy for Open Enrollment ISA182
Wednesday, May 11 7:00 pm

This seminar, presented by an expert in the field, is designed to help you choose from all the available options to make the best choices. The basics of Medicare will be reviewed: supplementary insurance, advantage plans, prescription drug plans, the "donut hole," eligibility requirements, and enrollment windows. There are frequent changes in Medicare plans and pricing — attend this program and get informed!

ESL Class Series ISA210
5 Thursday mornings: 10:00 am – 12:00 noon
May 12, 19, 26, June 2, 9
Fee: **\$15.00 (for book)**

Diane Mami, ESL Instructor, continues the English as a Second Language Class Series. The same book that was used in the last session will be used in this class with additional worksheets supplied for students at varying levels. If you already have the book, there is no fee. You do not need to have a library card to register for the class; all adult students of ESL are welcome to attend.



Concert: Just 'n Time
Sunday, May 15

ISA218
2:00 pm

Celebrate *Older American's Month* with *Just 'n Time*, a vocal/piano duo featuring music from the past decades. Sing and dance along to some well-known songs with vocals by Richie V – with Frankie D on piano. Join us for an afternoon of great music and even some group participation!



Aboard Pope Francis' Plane
Tuesday, May 17

ISA219
7:00 pm

Bart Jones joins us to share his experience of traveling with Pope Francis as part of the Vatican Press Corps. Bart was selected from hundreds of journalists to be aboard Pope Francis' plane for his historic Cuba and U.S. trip in September 2015. He traveled from Rome, Havana, the U.S. and back to Rome with the Pope. Mr. Jones is *Newsday's* religion writer and was at the Pope's Mass in Havana, inside the Oval Office when President Obama met with the Pontiff, and at Madison Square Garden for the Pope's Mass.

Living Healthy Series for Older Adults **ISA220**
Fridays: May 20, 27; June 3, 10, 17, 24 **10:00 am – 12:00 pm**

Put some life back in your life. Living Healthy is a six-week workshop series conducted by RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) that empowers older adults and their caregivers to take charge of chronic conditions such as diabetes, arthritis, high blood pressure, heart disease, chronic pain, obesity, and anxiety. Topics will include developing healthy food choices, maintaining strength and flexibility, evaluating new health treatments, managing fatigue and pain, and practicing positive thinking. This program is provided through a grant from *Suffolk County Office for the Aging*. Limited registration. *Please Note: this program meets weekly for 6 consecutive weeks; participants should plan to attend the full series to get the full benefit of the workshop.*

Living Long Term: Protect Your Quality of Life **ISA221**
Tuesday, May 24 **7:00 pm**

Vincent DeSantis, a Long Term Care Professional, will discuss various long term care options as well as the New York State Partnership for Long Term Care Planning.

St. Francis Hospital Mobile Bus
Tuesday, May 31 **10:00 am – 2:00 pm**



The St. Francis Hospital Mobile Bus, staffed by medical professionals, will be in the Islip Library parking lot for *free* health screenings. The screenings will include a

brief cardiac history, blood pressure, and a simple blood test for cholesterol as well as diabetes screenings. All tests are non-fasting. Patient education and referrals will be provided as needed. *No registration or appointment is necessary for this service; all are welcome.*



Downton Abbey **ISA217**

Join us on Tuesday evenings and/or Friday afternoons to watch seasons 4-6 on our big screen, state-of-the-art sound system!

SEASON FOUR

Season 4; Episodes 1, 2
Friday, May 13 **1:00 pm**

Season 4; Episodes 3, 4, 5
Friday, May 20 **1:00 pm**

Season 4; Episodes 6, 7, 8
Friday, May 27 **1:00 pm**

Season 4; Episode 9
Tuesday, May 31 **6:30 pm**

SEASON FIVE

Season 5; Episodes 1, 2
Friday, June 3 **1:00 pm**

Season 5; Episodes 3, 4
Tuesday, June 7 **6:30 pm**

Season 5; Episodes 5, 6, 7
Friday, June 10 **1:00 pm**

Season 5; Episodes 8, 9
Tuesday, June 14 **6:00 pm**

(please note the earlier start time)

SEASON SIX

Season 6; Episodes 1, 2
Friday, June 17 **1:00 pm**

Season 6; Episodes 3, 4, 5
Tuesday, June 21 **6:00 pm**

(please note the earlier start time)

Season 6; Episodes 6, 7, 8
Friday, June 24 **1:00 pm**

Season 6; Series Finale & Party
Tuesday, June 28 **6:30 pm**

Join us for a *Downton Abbey* Party after the Season Finale! We'll serve a variety of desserts that were popular during the time period. Get in the spirit and attend dressed in 1920s attire if you wish!

ADULT PROGRAMS

JUNE



*Lotus Flower Painting Program ISA222

Wednesday, June 1 7:00 pm
Fee: \$5.00

Join artist and teacher Laura Goetz to paint a beautiful lotus flower blossom on the water. Beginners are welcome. Materials (paints and heavy paper) are included in the fee. *Please note: During the month of June, we will display the class participants' paintings in our Gallery Hallway.*

On-Your-Own LIRR Trip to NYC

ISA173

Date: Saturday, June 4

Cost: \$10.00/person for round-trip ticket

Cash, check, or money order payable to Islip Public Library

Meet at the Islip Train Station: 8:50 am

Travel at group discount on the Long Island Railroad, departing from the Islip train station. With your ticket you can return home ANYTIME the SAME DAY. On the day of the trip, please arrive at the Islip train station by 8:50 am where you will be issued your return ticket(s) by a Library staff member. Please make sure that you receive your return ticket(s) before you board the train. Everyone will board the 9:02 am train as a group and must sit in the FIRST CAR from Islip to Jamaica and from Jamaica to Penn Station (change trains in Jamaica). Then you're on your own! Come home anytime that day (before midnight). *Please note: Last day to register is Tuesday, May 31 at 9:00 pm.*

*Alignment Yoga and Yoga Nidra/ Guided Meditation

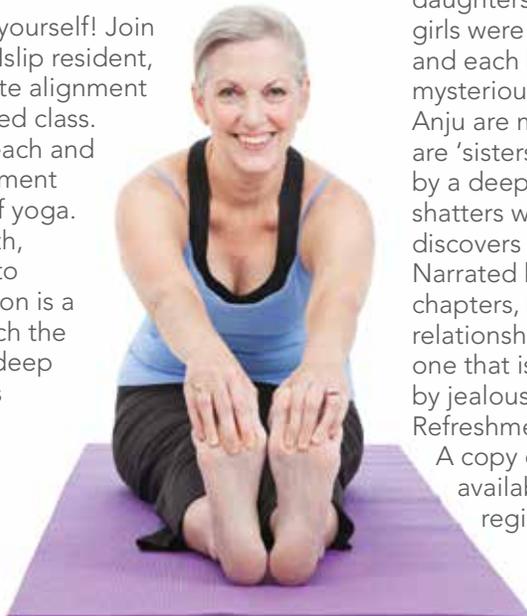
ISA188

Wednesdays June 8, 15, 22 & 29

7:00 – 8:30 pm

Fee: \$25.00

Take some time to replenish yourself! Join certified yoga instructor and Islip resident, Shazia Luqman for a 90-minute alignment yoga and yoga nidra combined class. Alignment yoga focuses on each and every pose with correct alignment to achieve greater benefits of yoga. It helps to create better health, to strengthen the body, and to avoid injury. Guided meditation is a prolonged meditation in which the mind and body move into a deep state of relaxation. Beginners welcome.



*Adult Summer Reading Club Begins Monday, June 13th This Year's Theme:

ISA223

EXERCISE
your mind.
READ!

Submit short reviews (online or on paper) of the books you read, and enter raffle tickets to win prizes! There's a surprise gift after submitting 2 book reviews (audio books count too). You'll receive an invitation to attend our End-of-Summer Reading Club Party once you have submitted your first 3 book reviews.

American Red Cross First Aid/CPR/AED

ISY260

Saturday, June 25

9:00 – 5:00 pm

Certification helps participants recognize and respond appropriately to cardiac, breathing, and first aid emergencies. This program teaches skills that participants need to know in order to give immediate care to a suddenly injured or ill person until more advanced medical personnel can arrive and take over. Be sure to wear comfortable clothes so that you can move freely – this is an all-day class. Bring your lunch with you. We'll supply beverages and snacks. Teens and adults are welcome at this program.

Book Discussion: *Sister of My Heart*

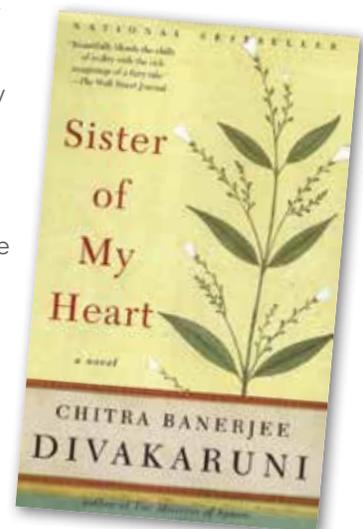
ISA224

Thursday, June 30

7:00 – 8:30 pm

Join librarian Carol Curtis for a discussion of this novel by Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni. It's the story of two cousins, daughters of sons in an upper-caste Calcutta family. The girls were born on the same day, and each loses her father in one mysterious accident. Sudha and Anju are more than cousins, they are 'sisters of the heart,' bound by a deep love. That bond shatters when one of the girls discovers a dark family secret. Narrated by each girl in alternate chapters, it is the tale of their relationship over the years – one that is almost destroyed by jealousy and family secrets. Refreshments will be provided.

A copy of the book will be available to check out upon registration.





BUS TRIPS: EXPLORE NEW YORK CITY!

Tastings at the Tenement Museum **ISA452**
Date: **Friday, June 17**
Bus departs East Islip Library parking lot: **9:45 am**
Bus departs Islip Library parking lot: **10:00 am**
Fee: **\$100.00**
Check or money order payable to: **Islip Public Library**
Registration begins: **Tuesday, May 3 at 6:00 pm**
 for Islip cardholders (up to 3 guests); Wednesday, May 4
 for out-of-district residents, Space allowing
Registration ends: **Tuesday, May 17 at 9:00 pm**

No refunds will be given after Tuesday, May 17 unless your seat can be filled by someone else.

We will begin our day with a stop at the Highline and Chelsea Marketplace (located next to the Highline) where you will have time on your own to have a bite to eat and walk the Highline. Afterwards, our step-on tour guide, Justin Ferate will meet us for a 3 ½ hour Ethnic New York bus and walking tour. This enlightening tour (mostly by bus) will focus on New York's various immigration histories, and the visible impact on the landscape of New York. We'll view Castle Garden and Ellis Island – two of New York's three most important Immigration Depots. We'll discover a "lost" Irish cathedral, an intact Irish shanty, and the remarkable Irish Hunger Memorial. We'll stroll the streets of Chinatown and discover some of the neighborhood's remarkable landmarks. We'll view Italian churches, shops, and thoroughfares. We'll also discover remnants of the era when New York's Lower East Side was home to the largest Jewish community in the world. The tour will be mostly by bus, except for the walk in Chinatown. Following the tour it's off to the Lower East Side Tenement Museum for "Tastings at the Tenement." We'll taste a variety of foods from the neighborhood while exploring the influence of immigrant culture on what Americans eat. We will begin with a visit to 97 Orchard Street and then continue with a sit-down tasting meal in their private, air-conditioned dining room overlooking Delancey Street. As we taste the flavors of the Lower East Side past and present, you'll hear stories about memorable culinary experiences, and watch interviews with the local food shop owners. Menu consists of: *First course:* pretzels with an assortment of mustards, German potato salad; *Second course:* pickled cucumbers, green tomatoes, and pineapple; *Third course:* soppressata-wrapped parmesan, prosciutto, olives; *Fourth*

course: Cheddar cheese, Queso blanco with guava paste; *Fifth course:* Cubano Sandwiches, maduros; *Sixth course:* peanut noodles; *Seventh course:* fried pork-and-chive dumplings, boiled vegetable dumplings; *Eighth course:* Dan Tat's chocolate-covered pretzels, halvah.

Approximate return time: 9:30 pm

New York City Celebrity Bus Tour **ISA453**
Luncheon at Becco Restaurant

Date: **Saturday, July 30**
Bus departs East Islip Library parking lot: **8:45 am**
Bus departs Islip Library parking lot: **9:00 am**
Fee: **\$105.00**
Check or money order payable to: **Islip Public Library**
Registration begins: **Tuesday, May 3 at 6:00 pm**
 for Islip cardholders (up to 3 guests) Wednesday, May 4
 for out-of-district residents, space allowing
Registration ends: **Tuesday, July 5 at 9:00 pm**

No refunds will be given after Tuesday, July 5 unless your seat can be filled by someone else.

Our day will begin with a three-hour bus and walking tour with writer, television actor, and tour guide Jim Dykes. Joan Rivers called Jim Dykes the "celebrity" tour guide of New York City and during our tour Jim Dykes will tell us about various addresses in uptown neighborhoods near Central Park, and newer "trendy" areas downtown. See the homes of famous people - past and present - and learn about the rising prices of real estate as the neighborhoods have changed. Hear about the Vanderbilts, Rockefellers, Jackie Onassis, Martha Stewart, Tom Hanks, Denzel Washington, Hugh Jackman, Ralph Lauren and many more! At 2:00 (following our tour) we'll enjoy lunch in a private room at Becco Restaurant, located on New York's famed Restaurant Row. Lidia Bastianich and her son Joe have been providing outstanding service here since they opened 1993. Our meal will include unlimited servings of the three daily pastas, as well as a variety of entrees served family style. Unlimited coffee, tea, soft drinks, espresso, and cappuccino included. Following lunch at Becco, the coach bus will drop us off at *Central Park**, where you will have some time on your own.

**In the event of rain, an alternate location will be determined.*

Approximate return time: 7:00 pm



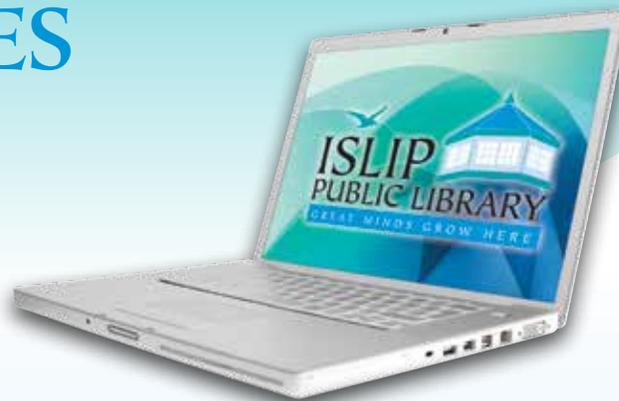
COMPUTER CLASSES

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*Book a Librarian

ISA560

Schedule a 30-minute one-on-one appointment with a librarian to assist you with your computer or device: e-downloads, online databases, and other library services. Fill out the online form on our website (isliplibrary.org), or come to the Adult Reference Desk, or call us at (631)-581-5933. *Please Note: This service is available only to Islip Library cardholders.*



MAY

*Introduction to Microsoft Excel: Part 1

ISA511

Wednesday, May 18

6:30 – 8:30 pm

OR Wednesday, June 8

Join librarian Matt Wuthenow in this hands-on workshop about Microsoft Excel. Excel is a software program used to create and manage spreadsheets. During this workshop you will learn the basic features of Microsoft Excel: how to input data into cells, add formulas, and how to format the sheet. *This program is intended for those who already have basic computer knowledge.*

*Introduction to QuickBooks

ISA571

Saturday, May 21

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

In this lecture and demo class with an instructor from *Sharper Training Solutions*, you will learn the fundamental basics of QuickBooks: setting up and customizing QuickBooks for your business, creating and editing the chart of accounts, working with centers, understanding items, using asset, liability, and equity accounts, creating estimates and invoices, entering and paying bills, and creating reports.

*Introduction to Microsoft Excel: Part 2

ISA512

Wednesday, May 25

6:30 – 8:30 pm

OR Wednesday, June 15

Join librarian Greg Klein in this hands-on workshop about Microsoft Excel. During this workshop you will learn how to create charts, graphs, and advanced formulas. *You must have taken Introduction to Microsoft Excel: Part 1 class, or have good knowledge of Microsoft Excel before you take this class.*

*Introduction to the Internet

ISA545

Friday, May 27

10:00 – 12:00 pm

Learn the basics of web browsers, visiting websites, and searching on the Internet. Join librarian Greg Klein in this hands-on computer class about surfing the web. *This program is intended for those who have some basic computer knowledge.*

JUNE

*Brain Fitness Computer Games

ISA531

Friday, June 17

10:00 – 11:30 am

Do you feel like your memory is not what it used to be? Do you have trouble multitasking, focusing on challenging projects, or remembering where you left your keys? Join librarian Greg Klein for a hands-on workshop about exercising your brain to reduce the risks of age-related dementia.

*Computer Security & Online Shopping

ISA566

Wednesday, June 22

6:30 – 8:30 pm

Join librarian Greg Klein in this hands-on class to discuss what you can do to protect yourself and your computer online. You will learn about different types of malware that can infect your computer, how to research security software, the basics of online shopping, and how to make safe purchases online. *You must have taken the Introduction to the Internet class, or have basic knowledge of computers and the Internet before taking this class.*



CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



Please Note:
Tween Programs for
grades 4-6 are now
listed with programs for
younger children.

For all programs you may register in person with a valid Islip Public Library card. You may register only members of your immediate family. A district resident may register non-district family members (infant, toddler and pre-K only) for a program requiring an accompanying adult, provided that the district resident attends the program with the child(ren). Children too young for a program may attend with older preschool-aged siblings when a caregiver is required, with the exception of large family programs. If you are more than 5 minutes late for a program and have not called to have your child's spot held, we will assume you are not planning to attend and will allow patrons in the library to fill available spots. If you do not want us to use a photo/video of your child, please tell the Library staff member coordinating the event before the program.

Registration begins:

- In-person 9:00 am Wednesday, May 4
- Online 🌐* 12:00 noon Wednesday, May 4
- Telephone 9:00 am Thursday, May 5

* Please use your child(ren)'s library card and password, and enter all required information (age or grade).

MAY

Mother's Day Plaque: Doreen and Ellen ISJ742🌐
Thursday, May 5 5:00 – 5:45 pm
Grades K – 3

Using buttons and other art materials, children can make a beautiful plaque for Mom or Grandma.

Mother's Day Balloon Craft: ISJ743🌐
A Time for Kids
Friday, May 6 1:30 – 2:30 pm
Ages 18 months – preschool age with caregiver

Get ready for an hour's worth of fun, filled with a craft, listening activities, movement, music, puzzles, and more.



PlayHooray®

Let's Move ISJ744🌐
with PlayHooray
Tuesday, May 10
6:30 – 7:15 pm
Ages infant – preschool age with caregiver

Have a groovy time playing, dancing, marching, and Playing Hooray!

Tween Advisory
Thursday, May 12
Grades 4 – 6

ISJ745🌐

7:00 – 8:00 pm

Are you counting down the days for a certain book, movie, music CD, or video game to be released? Do you have some creative suggestions for upcoming library programs? Share your ideas and sample our newest releases while snacking with your friends. You will receive volunteer credit for attending this program.



Caregiver and Me Signing, Opposites: ISJ746🌐
Lisamarie Curley

Friday, May 13 10:30 – 11:15 am
Ages infant – preschool age with caregiver

You can learn to sign at any age. Preschoolers who sign are learning a second language. Babies who learn sign language have the ability to tell you what they want before they can talk. Help your child develop future literacy. We sing, we play, and we sign. Come have fun with us.



Lego Block Party
Monday, May 16
Grades K – 6

ISJ747🌐

5:00 – 5:45 pm

Are you ready to build? Come to our Lego program and build something grand. The best creations will be featured on our Library's Facebook page.



JUNE

Straw Bridges: 12 Months of Making Monday, May 16 – Thursday, May 19 Grades 4 – 6

This activity is available any time the Library is open, except one hour before closing.

Use your engineering skills to construct a weight-bearing bridge with drinking straws. *Children aged 9 and under need to be accompanied by an adult as per Library policy.*

Bubble Pop: LI Children's Museum ISJ748 Saturday, May 21 36 months – 1st grade with caregiver Grades 2 – 5 10:30 – 11:00 am 11:15 am – 12:15 pm

Become a bubble scientist and learn more about the unique physical properties of bubbles. For example, why is a bubble round? Discover bubble wands, bubble prints, and bubble shapes. Explore bubble colors as you try out our three interactive stations.



3, 2, 1, Blast Off: Tots' Night Out ISJ749 Wednesday, May 25 6:30 – 7:30 pm Ages 18 months – preschool age with caregiver

Get ready for an hour's worth of fun, filled with a craft, listening activities, movement, music, puzzles, and more.

May Mania: Doreen and Ellen ISJ750 Thursday, May 26 Ages 30 months – preschool age with caregiver 1:30 – 2:15 pm

Celebrate the month of May with crafts and stories.

Shake 'N Make Music, Amazing Animals: ISJ751 Heather Welkes

Wednesday, June 1
Ages infant – preschool age with caregiver
1:30 – 2:15 pm

Using original music as well as familiar tunes, Miss Heather turns it up a notch, using shaker eggs, rhythm sticks, teddy bears, and pompoms to get kids up and moving.

Pen/Pencil Holder: Doreen and Ellen ISJ752 Thursday, June 2 Grades K – 3 5:00 – 5:45 pm

Using a variety of paper tube shapes, create a pen/pencil holder to decorate Dad's or Grandpa's desk.

Drop-in Craft: Summertime Saturday, June 4 Ages 36 months – grade 6 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Drop in and create a unique summer-themed craft with a variety of materials while supplies last. *Children aged 9 and under need to be accompanied by an adult as per Library policy.*

ReesSpecht the Water ISJ753 Saturday, June 4 Ages infant – 5 years with caregiver 10:30 – 11:15 am

Parents/caregivers are invited to listen to Bobby from *ReesSpecht the Water, End Drowning Now* while your children play with our educational toys. Bobby's mission is to educate and teach safe behavior to caregivers and children about the dangers and risks associated with being in, on, or near water. Information booklets and bags will be provided.

We Love Dad: Doreen and Ellen ISJ754 Monday, June 6 Ages 30 months – preschool age with caregiver 6:30 – 7:15 pm

Join us for a special story time designed to celebrate Dads and Grandpas everywhere.



CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



Morning Movies

Thursday, June 9

Ages 30 months – preschool age with caregiver

Come and watch a series of short movies based on some of your favorite books.

ISJ755

10:00 – 10:30 am



Summer Reading Club registration begins on Monday, June 13th!

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Book Buddies

ISJ756

Wednesday, June 15

5:00 – 5:30 pm

Ages 48 months – grade 3

Teen volunteers will be on hand to read, and to listen as kids practice reading. Share some special reading time with a big kid. Enjoy reading unique non-circulating pop-up books.



Roaring Lion: Tots' Night Out

Thursday, June 16

Ages 18 months – preschool age with caregiver

Get ready for an hour's worth of fun, filled with a craft, listening activities, movement, music, puzzles, and more.

ISJ757

6:30 – 7:30 pm

Wild Animal Book Ends: Susan Rus

Saturday, June 18

Ages 36 months – 5 years with caregiver

Choose a favorite wild animal to hold your best loved books or DVDs in place. Decorate your animals by painting and adding fun details! You'll add a basic color to small weighted boxes covered with papier mache. Add fine details like stripes or polka dots and wiggle eyes to tigers, monkeys, zebras, and more.

ISJ758

10:30 – 11:15 am

Animal Olympics: Sweetbriar Nature Center

Monday, June 20

Grades 4 – 6

Grades K – 3

4:30 – 5:25 pm

5:30 – 6:25 pm

Are you faster than a mite, or stronger than an ant? Can you jump higher than a flea or farther than a kangaroo? Find out just how well you fare against the animal kingdom. Meet some of the Nature Center's resident 'Olympians': an owl whose hearing is incredible, a tarantula whose web is stronger than steel, a turtle that can sometimes live over one hundred years, and a surprise mammal whose fur is so thick that fleas and ticks cannot reach its skin!

ISJ759

Colors and Shapes: A Time for Kids

Tuesday, June 21

Ages 18 months – preschool age with caregiver

Get ready for an hour's worth of fun, filled with a craft, listening activities, movement, music, puzzles and more.

ISJ760

1:30 – 2:30 pm

Drop-in Craft: Independence Day

Friday, July 1

Ages 36 months – grade 6

Drop in and create a unique Independence-themed craft with a variety of materials while supplies last. Children aged 9 and under need to be accompanied by an adult as per Library policy.

10:00 am – 4:00 pm



NEXT REGISTRATION WILL BE ON
THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2016

TEEN PROGRAMS



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MAY



***Pizza and Movie Night:** **ISY220**
Star Wars Episode VI: The Force Awakens
Monday, May 9 6:00 – 8:30 pm

Enjoy free pizza with your friends while you watch *Star Wars Episode VI: The Force Awakens*. Luke Skywalker has vanished, and both the Resistance and the sinister First Order are searching for him. Ace pilot Poe Dameron obtains a clue to his whereabouts, but when everything goes wrong, a droid called BB-8 becomes the center of the search, along with scavenger Rey, and Stormtrooper deserter FN-2187.



***Decorated Travel Mugs** **ISY238**
Monday, May 16 6:30 – 8:30 pm

You'll start with a metal travel mug and glue on various charms, sequins, and stones. You can also stencil and paint your mug! There'll be different colors of mugs to choose from.

Pre-Drivers 5-Hour Class **ISY242**
Wednesday, May 18 4:00 – 8:30 pm

Learn the rules of the road. Completion of a five-hour class (or Driver's Ed) is required in order to take your test. *You must have your learner's permit to enroll in this class. \$35.00 (cash, check, or money order) is due upon program registration.*

***Point and Shoot Digital Photography** **ISY239**
Monday, May 23 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Do you want to learn to take great images? Capture memories of family, friends, vacations, holidays and special events? Would you like to learn how to use your point and shoot digital camera? Then this course is for you! Learn more about the features of your camera and how to make the most of them, as well as photo techniques to create memorable digital images.



JUNE

***Paint Night and Snack** **ISY240**
Monday, June 6 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Melissa Digiose of MD Design will instruct you step-by-step as you create your own original piece of art to take home with you. All equipment and snacks will be provided. No painting experience is necessary. Get in touch with your creativity and have some fun!

***Fish Cake Bowl Cake Pops** **ISY241**
Monday, June 13 7:00 – 8:00 pm

Create three 'fish bowl' cake pops using white chocolate that's been tinted blue, fruit flavored taffy candy shaped into seaweed and a fish, and sprinkles for a dash more color. Create these works of edible art to take them home in a bakery box.

TEEN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

***Book Buddies** **ISY224**
Wednesday, June 15 4:45 – 5:30 pm

Be a book buddy by reading to young children and listening while they practice their reading with you! Enjoy reading special non-circulating pop-up books. Training, prep-time, and clean-up included. You will receive a certificate that day stating the number of hours you've earned.

***Garden Club** **ISY226**
Monday, May 16 5:00 – 5:45 pm

Join the Teen Garden Club! Help us plan, plant, and maintain our box garden in the Library courtyard. We'll be planting beans, peppers, herbs, and tomatoes. We will also give the courtyard area a spring spruce-up. Volunteers will be needed to weed and pick the produce all summer!



*Book Club: Best First Lines

ISY212

Monday, June 20

7:00 – 8:00 pm

Join us for snacks with your friends as we share some of our favorite first lines of books. Can you guess how the story will end just by the first line? Can you guess the title of book just by reading the first line? Does the author grab your interest from the get-go? Discover some new books to read!

American Red Cross First Aid/CPR/AED

ISY260

Saturday, June 25

9:00 – 5:00 pm

Certification helps participants recognize and respond appropriately to cardiac, breathing, and first aid emergencies. This program teaches skills that participants need to know in order to give immediate care to a suddenly injured or ill person until more advanced medical personnel can arrive and take over. Be sure to wear comfortable clothes so that you can move freely – this is an all-day class. Bring your lunch with you. We'll supply beverages and snacks. Teens and adults are welcome at this program.

*Getting Ready to Babysit

ISY214

Monday, June 27

5:00 – 8:30 pm

Learn how to become an effective and responsible babysitter in this three-hour class. You will get a short break; snacks provided. All teens in attendance will receive a certificate of participation. Teens entering grades 6-12 this September may take this course.

*Introduction to Coding

ISY261

Tuesday, June 7

6:30 – 8:30 pm

Learn the basics of computer language, code structure, and implementation. *This class is for those who have intermediate or advanced knowledge of computers and keyboarding and want to learn more about coding.*

GET IN THE GAME READ

Teen Summer Reading Club

ISY282

Sign-up begins on Monday, June 13!

Read and Win Prizes all Summer!

Get the full details when you sign up at the Adult Reference Desk.

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Please be aware that permission of a parent or guardian is not required for teens to access Library PCs and the Internet in our Adult and Teen areas.

If you have any concerns in that regard, please contact the Library Director or speak with a librarian at the Adult Reference Desk.

Free Magazines



FLIPSTER, our digital magazine service available through Live-brary, has added additional eMagazine titles including:

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Volunteer Success!

Our first Volunteer Fair was held on Monday, March 14th. Over 100 patrons attended and 17 organizations participated. Thank you!

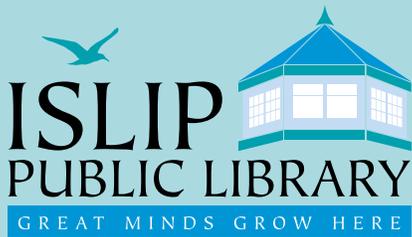


Display Cases & Gallery Hallway

May — Our Display Cases and Gallery Hallway will feature various forms of multi-media artwork created by members of the **Brookhaven Arts Council**.

June — Our Display Cases will feature the watercolor paintings of **Richard Anderson**. Our Gallery Hallway will feature lotus flower blossom paintings created by **our patrons** in the June 1 class with local artist and teacher, **Laura Goetz**.

Do you have a special collection, or artwork that you would like to share? The Library welcomes individuals and community groups to exhibit their items in our Display Cases and/or in our Gallery Hallway. The Library Display Cases are located in the Lobby of our Main Entrance. The Gallery Hallway is the hallway leading to our smaller meeting room. Call the Library at 581-5933 to speak with us about setting up an exhibit.



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2nd Thursday of the Month at 6:30 pm

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FROM THE HELM

Mary Schubart, Library Director



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It is with regret that the Library Board recently accepted the resignation of our Board President, Peter LaSpina, who has served since 2007. Peter’s background as a business owner, educator, musician, and theater artist uniquely prepared him for his role as Library Trustee. Throughout his tenure, Peter was committed to the notion that exceptional customer service separates the ordinary from the unforgettable, and he inspired the Board and the staff to think differently about service delivery to the community. He demonstrated a knack for seeing the details while never losing sight of the big picture or the need to bring a project home. “Let’s put this baby to bed,” was one of his favorite quips. During our 2011 renovation, Peter showed a real flair for design that blended tradition with whimsy. He left an indelible mark on the successful main floor project, and his special brainchild – our “living artwork aquarium” is especially beloved by the community. Although Peter has stepped down, his indelible mark on the Library, its history and my own leadership style remain. The Board joins me in wishing Peter and his wife, Diane, well in their new adventures in their new home.

As we say farewell to one Trustee, we welcome Kevin Ford, who was elected on April 5th. With his roots in Islip, desire to give back, and unique professional career, Kevin has been warmly received by the Board. We are all excited to begin working together on behalf of the community.

