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ADULT PROGRAMS (CONTINUE)

Canasta – Join instructor Jacqui Palatnik for Beginner or Refresher Canasta lessons. This card game, popular in the fifties, is making a big come back. Lots of fun and played by both women and men. Join us to learn or re-learn this amazing game. Bring a friend, or come and make new ones. There is a \$10 fee for this class. Space is limited
 Wednesdays, Nov 1, 8 & 22 12:30 – 2:30
 Registration begins Monday, October 16.

Community Craft Nights

Try your hand at painting, paper crafts, coloring, soap making and more! We'll have supplies for a few different crafts each month. Sign up with a friend and have double the fun! First Wednesday of the month at 6:30PM.
 September 6 - Registration begins August 23
 October 4 - Registration begins September 20
 November 1- Registration begins October 18

Town of Hempstead Receiver of Taxes. Don Clavin will be here to answer questions about exemptions, STAR, payment options, reminders, the grievance process and more.
 Thursday, September 28 at 7:00 PM. No registration necessary. Just come if you can.



The following **museum passes** are available for East Rockaway patrons:

- Old Westbury Gardens
- Long Island Children's Museum
- Cradle of Aviation
- Intrepid Air & Space Museum
- Old Bethpage Restoration
- Long Island Maritime Museum
- Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium

- New York Transit Museum
- Brooklyn Botanic Garden
- The Heckscher Museum of Art



For more information, refer to our museum pass policy available on our website or call 599-1664.

FAMILY FUN

DECORATE A HAUNTED GINGERBREAD HOUSE

Families with children ages four and up are invited to assemble and decorate a spooktacular haunted gingerbread house
 Friday, October 20 @ 4 PM.
 Registration begins October 2.



HALLOWEEN STORYTIME

Join us for our 3rd Annual Halloween Storytime! We'll read stories, sing Halloween songs, make a craft to take home and even get a treat! Please come in costume if you'd like!
 No Registration necessary
 All families welcome!
 Saturday, October 28 @ 10:30 AM



FAMILY MOVIE

Families with children ages 4 and up.
 Friday November 24 @ 2 PM - Registration begins November 6

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Sunday, Sept 3 & Monday, Sept 4 – Labor Day
 Monday, October 9 – Columbus Day
 Tuesday, November 7 – Election Day
 Friday, November 10 – Veteran's Day
 Thursday, November 23 – Thanksgiving
Our 10-5 Saturday hours will resume on September 9



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STAR WARS DAY!



Everyone had a blast at **Star Wars Day!** The children met the characters, made crafts, ate Star Wars snacks and more! Darth Vader, a Storm Trooper and an Imperial TIE Fighter Pilot even helped Mayor Bruno Romano check out a good book!

NEED HOMEWORK HELP? Do not despair! Available for Kindergarten through Adult learners!

Tutor.com is a subscription service that is available through our website. It is open from 2pm - 10pm EVERY DAY (including Sunday!) with LIVE tutors who help you with the toughest homework questions IN YOUR OWN HOME! Tutor.com supports STEAM and literacy needs as well as job assistance, test preparation, and language learning. Plus new services have been added in math, reading and language learning. You can submit your essays, resumes and math assignments for review, take assessment tests and SAT/ACT essentials! Visit our website and click on the E-Learning tab and select Tutor.com. Create an account using your library card and help is only a click away!



FALL DESIGN A BOOKMARK CONTEST

Grades K-6
 Come into the library anytime from October 16 - 22 and design a bookmark. The theme must be autumn, books, reading or your favorite character. One winner will be selected and their bookmark will be printed for everyone to take and will also be displayed on the library's website for all to admire.



CHILDREN'S

ORDER

BABIES - PRESCHOOL Birth - 5 years

NURSERY RHYME STORYTIME

Ages 10 weeks - pre-walkers with a caregiver
Introduce your baby to the library during this 30-minute program filled with rhymes, movement activities, stories and music. Please bring a blanket or play mat for your little one!
Tuesdays at 10:30AM October 10, 17 and 24 -
Registration begins September 25

BABY PLAYTIME - Babies who are walking - 18 months with a caregiver

Bring your baby to socialize and enjoy board books, lap time activities and play time during the 30-minute fun filled program!
Fridays @10:30AM September 1, 8 and 15 -
Registration begins August 14

BABIES AND BOOKS

Ages 18 months - 2.5 years with a caregiver
Children with a caregiver are invited to listen to stories, sing and play, play during this 30- minute program!
Wednesdays @10:30AM



September 13, 20 and 27
Registration begins August 28

TOT TIME - Ages 2.5 years - 3.5 years with a caregiver

Join us for 45 minutes of stories, songs, finger plays and create a craft to take home!
Wednesday @ 11AM
October 4 - November 8 - Registration begins September 18

PICTURE BOOK TIME - Ages 3.5 - 5 years old

Join us for 45 minutes of stories, songs, finger plays and crafts!
Thursdays @ 1:30PM October 12 - November 16
Registration begins September 25

MESSY MONSTERS - Ages 3 - 5 years old with a caregiver

Come enjoy a morning of art featuring projects that are just right for little hands. Dress to make a mess!
Mondays @ 1:30 PM
September 25 - Registration begins September 11
October 30 - Registration begins October 16
November 27 - Registration begins November 13

LITTLE ENGINEERS - Ages 2-5 years with a caregiver

Put on your hard hat and come build something awesome!
Tuesday, September 5 @ 10:30 AM
Registration begins August 21
Tuesday, October 3 @ 10:30 AM
Registration begins September 18
Monday, November 6 @ 10:30 AM
Registration begins October 23



PLAY HOORAY BABIES - Ages 3 months - 18 months with a caregiver

Join Molly Mouse for some music, rhymes and more for your little one! Great opportunity for socialization!
Tuesdays @ 10:30 AM
November 14 - Registration begins October 30
November 21 - Registration begins November 6

READ AND PLAY - Children 2 - 5 years with a caregiver
Join us for 45 minutes of stories, finger plays and fun activities—playdoh, puzzles and more!
Thursdays @ 1:30PM
November 30, December 7, 14 and 21 Registration begins November 13

K-3 CRAFT - Grades K - 3

Join us for a craft and some stories after school!
Tuesdays @ 4PM
September 19 - Registration begins September 5
October 17 - Registration begins October 2
November 14 - Registration begins October 30



TWEEN PROGRAMS GRADES 4-6

TWEEN CRAFT - All crafts start at 4PM.

September 13 - Registration begins August 28
October 11 - Registration begins September 25
November 8 - Registration begins October 30

TEEN PROGRAMS GRADES 7 & UP

TEEN BOOK BINGO

Come play a book-based Bingo game for Teen Read Week. You don't need to know the book, just be able to see if you have it on your board.
Tuesday, October 10 @ 7 PM. Registration begins September 25

TEEN READ WEEK RAFFLE

Come to the library between October 10-14th and fill out a raffle ticket with your favorite YA book for a chance to win a \$10 Amazon gift card.

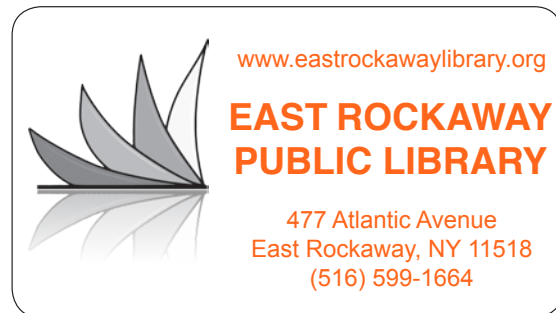
TEEN CRAFT

All crafts start at 4PM
September 20 - Registration begins September 5
October 18 - Registration begins October 2
November 15 - Registration begins October 30

TECH BUDDIES

We are looking for a few good teens! If you like using iPads, smartphones and other forms of technology, we'd love to train you to be one of our "tech buddies." You would commit to coming to the library for one hour a month (6:30PM-7:30PM the last Tuesday of every month) and assisting community members who want to learn how to use their devices! We will give credit hours for community service and it would look great on a college resume!!! Stop in and see Heather for details.

SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN UP MONTH



To find out how you can get a library card call or stop in today!

ADULT PROGRAMS

COOKBook Club - We meet once a season to try different recipes from the same cookbook. Come to the Reference Desk to pick your recipe. We will make a copy for you and no two members will be able to make the same thing. Try a new cookie recipe for this holiday season! The book will be available at the Circulation Desk starting 10/2.
Monday November 6 @ 6:30PM
Best of the Pillsbury Bake-Off: Cookies & Bars

Low Commitment Book Club - We only meet once a season!
The Year of Yes by Shonda Rhimes
Large and regular print copies will be available at the Circulation Desk starting September 18.
Monday, October 16 @ 7PM

Movies for Adults

We will be showing a feature film the first and third Wednesday of every month. Under 18 not admitted.
Movie titles TBA. All movies start at 1PM.
Wednesday, September 6 & 20
Wednesday, October 4 & October 18
FRIDAY, November 3 & Wednesday, November 15



"You're One In A Million" - With Dr. Peter Luecken, D.C.F.A.C.C. An explanation of the miraculous development of the body and function. An understanding of normal alignment that allows "Ease" and structural "Dis-ease", that develops painful conditions and leads to "Disease". A discussion of the holistic alternative therapies to relieve pain and achieve wellness.
Thursday, September 7 @ 1:30 PM.
Registration begins Monday, August 21.

Medicare Updates Seminar 2018

Josephine Vaglio will present information on Medicare Updates. There will be time for your questions and a raffle for a fruit basket!
Tuesday, September 19 @ 6:30PM
No need to register - just come if you can.

Identity Theft & Security Tips - Presented by Astoria Bank. Learn about identity theft, how to protect personal information and what to do if you are a victim. Tuesday, September 12 @ 6:30 and Tuesday, September 26 @ 2:00 PM. Registration begins Monday, August 28.

Job and Career Resources Seminar

Join library staff as they introduce you to some of our online and print resources for job searching, resume building and computer skills tutorials. No need to register - come if you can.
Wednesday, November 15 @ 7PM



B.Y.O.D. - Bring Your Own Device

Have questions about your Tablet, E-Reader, Smartphone? Maybe our tech buddies can help you figure it out! We cannot repair your items, but we can help you learn how to use them. No appointments necessary - just show up from 6:30PM-7:30PM on the last Tuesday of the month (October date is the 2nd to last Tuesday)
September 26 • October 24 • November 28

Chi Gong

Join instructor Marianna Farina for an ancient meditative practice that combines physical postures, breathing techniques and focused intention.
Thursdays @ 12:00 PM August 31- October 12 (no class 9/21)
There will be a \$10.00 commitment fee for this class.
Registration begins August 14.



Computers for Home Use by Sharper Training Solutions
Learn how to write a letter, create a newsletter and make a flyer or sign. Learn how to edit and format text, lay out a letter, work with graphics and much more.
Saturday, September 23 10:30 - 12:30.
Registration begins Tuesday, September 5

Independent Film Presentation - Dr. Anthony DiFranco will once again present one of his award-winning documentaries. "Roll Call: A Dance Story" is a 44-minute documentary about a group of young wheelchair-users who undertake to learn and perform ballroom dancing. It's a totally optimistic and uplifting movie that celebrates courage and unselfishness.
Saturday, October 21 @ 2:00 PM

Book Sale - Our annual Fall Book Sale will begin on October 21 and continue throughout the following week until Thursday, October 28, during regular library hours. We will begin accepting mold-free and dust-free donations beginning October 1.

AARP Defensive Driving - The library will be hosting two separate Fall AARP Defensive Driving classes. The cost for this class \$20 for members and \$25 for non-members. Checks should be made payable to AARP and your member number MUST be written on your check. For East Rockaway and Lynbrook residents ONLY.
Saturday, September 9 from 10:00AM-4:30PM
Registration begins August 21
November 11 from 10AM-4:30PM
Registration begins October 23

The AARP Foundation Tax-Aide program is looking for compassionate and friendly individuals to join their volunteer team for this upcoming tax season. **No tax or accounting experience is necessary, but a basic level of computer skills is necessary, as well as an email account.** You will be provided a laptop computer for use in preparing tax returns and you will receive training and support. The training is approximately three days per week, for three weeks in January. You must then pass an IRS test. Most new volunteers pass the test the first time.

As a new volunteer, you will learn a new skill and have the satisfaction of providing a valuable service and making a difference in your community. You will be joining a group of exceptional and dedicated people. Some volunteers have been providing this service for over 20 years.

If you are interested in helping us, please send an email to taxaideny@gmail.com. Please provide your name, address and phone number, and a Tax-Aide team member will contact you within 72 hours.

Eddie and Jean Costello's Trash or Treasure

Certified antiques appraisers Eddie & Jean Costello bring us a two hour program about antiques and collecting. Space is limited, and registered participants may bring one item for appraisal by the experts. Saturday, October 14 12 - 2 PM
Registration begins September 25.

Mystery Book Club

Join at the Circulation Desk. We have both large print and regular print copies available. We meet on the first Tuesday of every month at 1PM.
September 5 - *Runner* by Patrick Lee
October 3 - *The Life We Bury* by Allen Eskens
November 14 - *The Missing Place* by Sophie Littlefield

