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LIBRARY HOURS:

Mon - Thurs 10-8 | Fri 10-6
Saturday 10-5 | Sunday 1-4

ADULT PROGRAMS

CONTINUED

Spring Book Sale Our annual Spring Book Sale will take place starting Saturday April 18 and continuing until Thursday, April 23. The library will begin taking donations of dust-free and mold free books and DVDs beginning April 1.

2020 Property TAX Assessment Grievance Workshop

Deputy Presiding Officer Howard J. Kopel is hosting this workshop for all homeowners who disagree with the assessed value of their homes as indicated on the 2021-2022 Tentative Notice of Assessment.
Thursday, March 26, 2020 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Yoga for All All are welcome to join registered yoga instructor Jeanette Richetti for an hour of gentle yoga that can be modified with the use of a chair. There is a fee of \$12 per class paid at the door. No registration is necessary, just come if you can.
Tuesdays @ 6:15 PM.

POP-UP STEAM

Calling East Rockaway & Lynbrook residents to "Get Your Craft On!" at our Make & Create Pop-Up Space. A great parent/child or friends activity. Make and create with:

- Button maker, bow and pompom makers
- Embroidery thread, yarns and knitting looms
- Scrapbooking punches, card making tools and stamps
- Paints, art supplies and much more

Friday, March 27 and Wednesday, April 15 from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM at LYNBROOK LIBRARY

Free, Registration not required

Make Your Own Mother's Day Giftwrap: A Make and Create Pop up Program

Make bows, tags, gift boxes, and pompoms using our tools. Use stamps, paints, and paper punches to decorate gift wrap and gift bags. Create your own cards and more!

Friday, May 8 from 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM at LYNBROOK LIBRARY. Free, Registration not required

ON-SITE SHREDDING AMERICAN SECURITY SHREDDING SATURDAY APRIL 25 10AM-1PM

East Rockaway and Lynbrook Residents only

FAMILY FUN

WATERCOLORS FOR EVERYONE

All ages are welcome to sign up. Ages 4 and under must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver. Experiment with watercolors here at the library. Creativity abounds! Monday, April 13 @ 2 PM.

FAMILY MOVIE Ages 4 and up with a caregiver. Come relax and enjoy a movie with your siblings and friends! Thursday, April 9 @ 2 PM. Registration begins March 23

FAMILY BINGO Ages 4 & up with a caregiver Wednesday, April 15 @ 7 PM. Registration begins March 30

LEGO MORNING Ages 4 and up with a caregiver Wednesday, April 15 @ 10:30 AM. Registration begins March 30

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

April 10	Good Friday; Close at 1:00 PM
April 12	Easter Closed
Sunday, May 10	Mother's Day Closed
Sunday, May 24	
& Monday May 25	Memorial Day Closed

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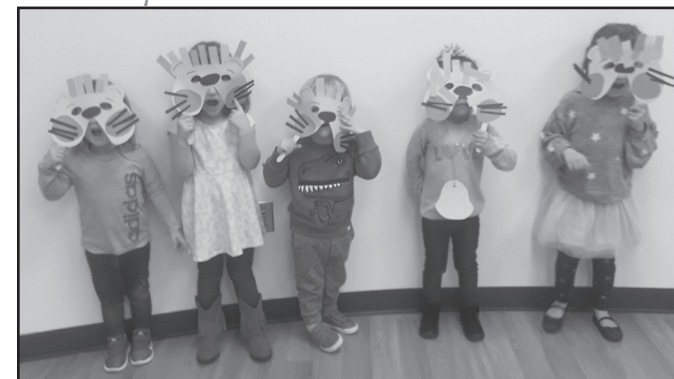
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CELEBRATE

National Library Week
Monday, April 20 - Friday, April 24

Come in and fill out a raffle ticket with your favorite book title. Raffles for kids, teens and adults! Also, stop by the Children's Room to design a heart that will be added to our I Love Reading collage which will be displayed for all to admire!



Our young library friends had a roaring- good time learning about different kinds of animals and making lion masks at Tot Time this winter.

Narcan Training Session

March 25, 2020 at 7 p.m.
East Rockaway Public Library

477 Atlantic Avenue, East Rockaway

Co-Sponsored by the Village of East Rockaway, East Rockaway Fire Department and the East Rockaway Schools Prevention Task Force.

Narcan Trainer: Councilman

Anthony D'Esposito,
NYPD Detective
& Ex-Chief Island Park Fire Department

Training includes:

- How to identify an overdose victim, administer the Narcan Kit, and contact emergency officials.
- Obtain a Narcan certification and a Narcan Kit.



**To celebrate National
Library Week, we are
continuing our seed
library!**

Stop in to check out some
seeds and make your
garden grow!

The library has MORE than books - DVDs,
Music CDs, Kindles, Nooks, cakepans,
paper punches, and SEEDS!

2020 CENSUS

The 2020 Census will primarily be completed online. The library is ready and willing to help. We will have dedicated devices for filling out the census form and will be offering assistance to anyone who needs help completing the form. Call or stop in if you have any questions. Make sure everyone in your household is counted!

CHILDREN'S

ORNER



NURSERY RHYME STORYTIME Babies 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.
Fridays @ 10:30 AM March 27 & April 3.
Registration begins March 9

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!
Wednesdays @ 10: 30 AM April 22 and 29.
Registration begins April 6

BABIES AND BOOKS Babies 18 months - 2.5 years with a caregiver
Children with their caregiver are invited to listen to stories, sing and play during this 30-minute program! Tuesdays @10:30 AM March 10 & 17. Registration begins February 24

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 @ 1:30 PM
March 5, 12 & 26 - Registration begins February 18
May 14 & 21 & 28 - Registration begins April 27

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!
Wednesdays @ 11 AM
May 6, 13 & 20 - Registration begins April 20



PICTURE BOOK TIME Ages 3.5 to 5 years old
Join us for 45 minutes of stories, songs, finger plays and crafts! Thursdays @ 1:30 PM
April 23, 30 and May 7. Registration begins April 6

MESSY MONSTERS Ages 3-5 years old with a caregiver
An afternoon of art featuring projects that are just right for little hands. Dress to make a mess! Mondays @ 1:30 PM
March 23 - Registration begins March 9
April 27 - Registration begins April 13
May 18 - Registration begins May 4

LITTLE ENGINEERS Children 2-5 years with a caregiver
Put on your hard hat and build something awesome!
Tuesdays @ 10:30 AM
March 3 - Registration begins February 18
April 7 - Registration begins March 23
May 5 - Registration begins April 20



MINGLING MUNCHKINS Ages 2-5 with a caregiver
Fridays @ 11 AM
March 13 - Registration begins February 24
April 17 - Registration begins March 30
May 15 - Registration begins April 27

PLAY HOORAY Children 18 months - 5 years old with a caregiver. Join Molly Mouse for some music, dance and fun for your little one!
Friday, April 24 @ 10:30 AM. Registration begins April 6

PLAY HOORAY BABIES Children 3 months - 2 years with a caregiver. Join Molly Mouse for some music, rhymes and more for your little one! Great opportunity for socialization!
Wednesday, March 11 @ 10:30 AM - Registration begins February 24
Monday, May 11 @ 10:30 AM - Registration begins April 27

BABY START Babies ages 3 months - 17 months with a caregiver. Bring your little one to Baby Start, a 30 minute program where your babies learn through play.
Tuesday, April 14 @ 10:15 AM. Registration begins March 30

TIME FOR KIDS Ages 18 months - 5 yrs with a caregiver.
Hear some stories and make a craft to take home!
Tuesday, April 14 @ 11 AM - Duck Craft. Registration begins March 30

KRAFTY KIDS Grades K-3
Join us for a craft and some stories after school!
Tuesdays @ 4 PM
March 31 - Registration begins March 16
April 21 - Registration begins April 6
May 26 - Registration begins May 11



KEVA BUILDERS AFTERNOON Grades 2 - 6
Bring your imagination and build something awesome!
Tuesday, April 14 @ 3 PM. Registration begins March 30

DESIGN A BOOKMARK! Grades K - 6
Come into the library anytime during April 8 - April 19 and design your own bookmark. The theme of the bookmark must be books, reading, your favorite characters or Spring. Once you've created a bookmark, please give it to the librarian in the Children's Room. Three winners will be selected and their bookmark will be printed for everyone to take. The winning bookmarks will also be displayed on the library's website for all to admire! Stop by the Children's Room for supplies. Have fun and get creative!

TWEEN AND TEEN PROGRAMS (GRADES 4 AND UP)

ART AFTERNOON Grades 4 and up
Create something amazing. Wednesdays @ 4 PM
March 25 - Registration begins March 9
April 22 - Registration begins April 6
May 20 - Registration begins May 4

LEGO CHALLENGE Grades 4-6 You're never too old to play with Legos! Come join in our afternoon of wacky Lego challenges. There will be prizes and snacks!
Thursday, April 16 @ 3 PM - Registration begins March 30

LITTLE LEARNERS VOLUNTEERS TRAINING SESSIONS
Attention teens entering 7th, 8th or 9th grade in September 2020. If you would like to earn community service hours while reading and helping preschoolers get ready for Kindergarten, then come to ONE of these training sessions!
Thursday, June 4 @ 3:30 PM OR Thursday, June 11 @ 3:30 PM
Registration begins May 18 - YOU ONLY HAVE TO ATTEND ONE TRAINING SESSION!!

TWEEN AND TEEN PROGRAMS (GRADES 4 AND UP)

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 (6:30 PM-7:30 PM 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!!! Anyone in grades 7-12 who is interested can sign up by emailing Heather at reference@eastrockawaylibrary.org or stopping by to talk to her!

ADULT PROGRAMS

Afternoon Book Club - Join at the Circulation Desk. Large print, regular print, and downloadable e-book copies are available. We meet on the first Tuesday of every month at 1 PM.
March 3 - *In Pieces* by Sally Field
April 7 - *The Keeper of Lost Things* by Ruth Hogan
May 5 - *The Ministry of Utmost Happiness* by Arundhati Roy

COOKbook Club *Saturday Brunch Edition*
We meet once a season to try different recipes from the same cookbook! Ask at the Front Desk to pick your recipe. We will make a copy for you, and no two members will be able to make the same thing! The book will be available at the Circulation Desk beginning March 1.
Cookbook Title: *Bubby's Brunch Cookbook* by Ron Silver with Rosemary Black. Saturday April 4 @11 AM

Resume Workshops (ONGOING) Make an hour-long appointment with our reference librarian to workshop your resume and see what resources the library has available to assist you. Morning and evening appointments available. Email reference@eastrockawaylibrary.org to make an appointment, call us or stop by.

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. Registration is now required with limited spots for each session. Local patrons given preference.
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM on the last Tuesday of the month.
March 31 - Registration begins March 17
April 28 - Registration begins April 14
May 26 - Registration begins May 12



Art for Adults Night Experiment with a different paint and materials and explore your use of color and unconventional applicators. We have the supplies and you have the creativity. Sign up with a friend and have double the fun!
March 4 - Gouche on white paper - Registration begins February 5
April 1 - Oil pastels - Registration begins March 4
May 6 - Gouche on black paper - Registration begins April 1

How to Download E-books and Audiobooks to your Phone or Tablet - The library subscribes to Overdrive (the Nassau Digital Doorway) with a large selection of the books you are looking for! If you want to learn how to sign up with the Overdrive or Libby app and download books to listen to or read, bring your

device and your library card.
Wednesday March 18 @ 10:30 AM Registration begins March 2.

How to Download Magazines to your phone or tablet The library subscribes to RB Digital Magazines with a vast array of titles and issues that you can download to your smartphone or tablet. Sit down for one-on-one help with downloading the app and accessing all different magazines! Bring your device and your library card.
Wednesday, March 25 at 10:30 AM. Registration begins March 9.

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 1 PM.
March 4 and March 18, April 1 and April 15, May 6 and May 20

Watercolors for Everyone All ages are welcome to sign up! Experiment with watercolors here at the library! Creativity abounds! Monday, April 13 @ 2 PM.
Registration begins March 30

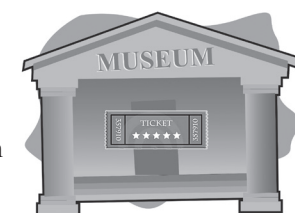
AARP Defensive Driving The library will be hosting AARP Defensive Driving on Monday, March 16 and Monday, April 6 from 10 AM - 4:30 PM. The cost for this class is \$20 for AARP members and \$25 for non-members. Please make checks payable to AARP. Your member number MUST be written on your check. Registration begins March 2.

On-Site Mobile Shredding Service at the Library Are you concerned about identity theft and unauthorized disclosure of private information? American Security Shredding will be in the library parking lot to shred important and sensitive documents that you no longer need. Paper documents in paper bags or boxes only. Papers in binders must be removed beforehand. Open to East Rockaway and Lynbrook library residents only.
Saturday, April 25 from 10 AM - 1 PM

Instagram for your Small Business Learn how to use Instagram for your small business. We'll talk about taking great pictures, creating a schedule, inspiration for posts, flatlays and when/where to put the work in! Bring a sample of your product or something that represents your business so we can crowdsource ideas.
Saturday, May 2 @10:30 AM. Registration begins April 20

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

Old Westbury Gardens
NY Hall of Science
Long Island Children's Museum
Cradle of Aviation
Intrepid Air & Space Museum
Old Bethpage Restoration Village
Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium
Brooklyn Botanic Garden
NYS Empire Pass
NY Transit Museum
Long Island Science Center



More information on how to reserve a pass and the duration of the loan is available on our website.