

Newsletter



A COMMUNITY CENTER FOR INFORMATION, LEARNING, INSPIRATION AND ENJOYMENT FOR ALL.

From the Director's Desk

SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH!

September is a time when the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries nationwide join together to remind parents, caregivers and students that signing up for a library card is the first step towards academic achievement and lifelong learning.

The Incredibles are Honorary Chairs for Library Card Sign-up Month 2018! The Incredibles are here to remind families in Franklin Square that students and people of all ages can sign up for a library card and take a great step toward a super lifestyle. FSPL offers fun and informative resources and programs to help you pursue your passions and succeed in school.



Did you know that with your library card, you can not only check out books, audiobooks and DVDs but also Museum Passes. You can download eBooks and eAudiobooks, learn a language with Pronunciator, read a magazine with RBDigital, prep for a test using Learning Express, use your library card to sign on to FSPL's Internet computers and use the Library's printers, as well as get online tutoring with Tutor.com, where kids can get live help from qualified subject-area tutors.

With your library card in hand, you're ready to explore everything your library has to offer. But wait...did you know your card can give you access to other collections as well? FSPL is part of the Nassau Library System and you can use your Library Card to check out in other Nassau Libraries as well. A Library Card is an incredible thing!

MaryAnn Tweedy
Library Director



FRIENDS

OF THE
FRANKLIN SQUARE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Invite you to the

FALL BUS TRIP

DINNER AND A SHOW!

MAN OF LA MANCHA

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2018

NOON - 7 PM

AT THE JOHN W. ENGEMAN THEATER AT NORTHPORT
FOLLOWED BY DINNER
AT SPAGHETTINI TRATTORIA IN MINEOLA.

TICKETS are \$140/person
Includes transportation, theater, dinner and gratuities.

SIGN UP AT THE REFERENCE DESK TODAY!

AARP DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Kindly register in person. Registration is ongoing.

Classes this fall are from 9 AM to 4 PM.

Classes will be held on the following dates on Wednesdays:

September 19; October 17;

November 7; December 5

The cost is \$20 for AARP members (membership number must be noted on your check) and \$25 for non-members. Check or money orders only!

Non-district residents may register for any remaining spaces beginning September 19.

SORRY, NO REFUNDS!

Adult Programs

HEALTH & WELLNESS

ZUMBA

Tuesday, September 11, 18, 25,
Oct. 2

5:45 - 6:30 PM

Latin dance combined with aerobic exercise equals a FUN & EASY way to get in shape. *Registration begins Tuesday, September 4.*

STRETCH AND FLEX

Wednesdays, September 26, October 3, 10, 24, 31,
November 14, 21, 28

12:30 - 1:30 PM

Come enjoy sensible, safe exercises to ease tension and strengthen your body. A short meditation session at the end of class will deepen your state of well-being. Be sure to wear comfortable clothing. *Registration begins Monday, September 10 for district 17 cardholders and Monday, September 17 for all others.*

STRESS FREE LIVING

Saturday, September 29

2 - 3:30 PM

Join Global Harmony House and learn about self-empowerment. Change the pattern of the thoughts that hold you back. Goodbye negative habits and lazy thinking! Hello positivity and heart healthy feelings.

INTRODUCTION TO MEDITATION

Monday, October 15

Saturday, December 1

2 - 3:30 PM

Come learn the basics of meditation.

TECH HELP WITH TEENS

Wednesday, October 17

Friday, December 28

2 - 4 pm

Let our tech savvy teens show you a thing or two!

MILL NECK HEARING VAN

Friday, October 19

10 AM - 1 PM

Stop by for a free hearing check-up!

THE ABCD'S OF MEDICARE

Monday, October 22

2 PM

Come learn all you need to know about medicare! Find out what medicare A & B covers, who is eligible, when to enroll, what a Medicare Advantage plan is and much more.

DNA TEST: WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?

Monday, November 5

6 - 8 PM

Join Patricia Ann Kellner as she explores what you can learn from your DNA test results. DNA tests, such as AncestryDNA and 23andMe, are a great tool to use in your quest to find your family and its origins. She will also show you how to gain health insights by uploading your DNA test results to other sites.

POSITIVE THINKING

Monday, November 19

6:30 - 8 PM

Join Global Harmony House and learn about the theory and practice of Positive Thinking. This presentation includes group participation and discussion to engage participants in a creative and stimulating process as a way of embracing practical life skills.

ARTS AND CULTURE

Carol Burnett - Grand Dame of Comedy

Friday, October 12

2 - 4 PM

Join Keith Crocker as he recounts the history of Carol Burnett, from her troubles with alcoholic parents to her success in television, Broadway and movies. See clips from TV shows, interviews with Carol and the cast!

Interpreting the Pre-Raphaelites

Tuesday, November 13

2 PM

Join Louise Cella Caruso for an art history trip through the Pre-Raphaelite Brotherhood.

Barbra Streisand

Tuesday, December 11

2 PM

Join Jack Scnur for an audio visual presentation about the life and career of Barbra Streisand.

Beginning Crochet

Thursdays, October 4, 11, 18, 25

6:30 - 8 PM

Join April Diane and learn the basics of crocheting. Please bring a crocheting hook and some yarn. *Registration begins Sept. 24.*

DECLUTTER, DOWNSIZE, DOMINATE YOUR DOMAIN

Thursday, September 27

7 PM

Come learn how to get from clutter to control with The Expert Organizer.

CANASTA

Friday, November 2, 9, 16

2 - 4 PM

Join Jacqui Palatnik and learn the basics of canasta!

TOH PASSPORT VAN

Wednesday, November 14

10 AM - 12 PM

STREAMING SERVICE OR CABLE:

WHICH IS RIGHT FOR YOU?

Thursday, November 8

6:30 - 8:30 PM

With the internet, there are many other ways to access TV or movies other than through a cable provider. You will learn all about streaming services, what's included, what is a subscription and much more.

Monday, September 24

7 PM

An American Marriage
by Tayari Jones

Tuesday, October 30

7 PM

*Can't We Talk About
Something More Pleasant?*
by Rob Chast

Thursday, November 29

7 PM

Bruno, Chief of Police by Martin Walker

Crafty Readers! Make a wine coaster based upon the book.





SUNDAY CONCERTS

@ 2 PM

Tickets are needed to attend all Sunday programs. Our highly professional Sunday programs are best enjoyed by our adult patrons. The parking lot door on the side of the building will be open to facilitate seating (the main doors of the library are not open on Sundays). The Sunday programs start promptly at 2 PM; please arrive on time. District 17 Residents may pick up tickets for the Sunday programs starting the Monday two weeks prior to the event. If any tickets remain, they will be available to all on a first-come, first-served basis at the door on the afternoon of the performance.

NEW YORK EXCEPTIONS



Sunday, September 30

Dave Scotti and his doo-wop band captivate you playing favorite oldies music from the 50s, 60s and 70s.

ALL THE WAY FRANCINE AND JOEL



Sunday, November 4

This show features a wide swath of musical styles including Rock, Broadway, and The Great American Songbook. Favorites include tributes to Elton John, The Jackson Five, Noel Coward, Frank Sinatra, The Carpenters, Bill Evans, and much more!

THE VIC VINCENT BAND

Sunday, November 18

Rock, Pop, and Doo-Wop from the Movies! Join the band and hear your favorite songs from movies.



MUSIC THROUGH THE AGES AND AROUND THE WORLD WITH ELLIOT GOLDBERG

Sunday, November 25



Elliot Goldberg, the “one man band”, is an accomplished vocalist/musician who performs with and without recorded accompaniment. Enjoy American Standards (40s-80s), rock & roll, as well as music of various ethnicities (Italian, Jewish, Spanish)

YESTERDAY ONCE MORE

Sunday, December 2

Join us for memories of the 40s, 50s & 60s for a “feel-good” afternoon of music.

MOVIES

THURSDAYS AT 2 PM

SEPT. 6	OVERBOARD	112 MIN.
SEPT. 13	CHAPPAQUIDDICK	106 MIN.
SEPT. 20	SAME KIND OF DIFFERENT AS ME	119 MIN.
SEPT. 27	THE COMMUTER	105 MIN.
OCT. 4	BOOK CLUB	104 MIN.
OCT. 11	THE LEISURE SEEKER (R)	112 MIN.
OCT. 18	THE HURRICANE HEIST	103 MIN.
OCT. 25	WINCHESTER	99 MIN.
NOV. 1	NOVEMBER CRIMINALS	85 MIN.
NOV. 8	I FEEL PRETTY	110 MIN.
NOV. 15	I CAN ONLY IMAGINE	110 MIN.
NOV. 29	FINDING YOUR FEET	109 MIN.
DEC. 6	GOODBYE, CHRISTOPHER ROBIN	107 MIN.
DEC. 13	BASMATI BLUES	106 MIN.
DEC. 20	ALL SAINTS	108 MIN.

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Meet ups @ the Library

Library Board Meetings are normally held the last Tuesday of the month at 7 PM. The public is cordially invited.

The Quilter's Group meets the first and third Friday of the month at 10 AM.

The Friends of the Library meet on the third Thursday of the month at 10:15 AM.

The Bridge Club meets Tuesdays at 1 PM.

KNITTING AND CROCHETING GUILD

Meets the second and fourth Wednesday of the month
All are welcome. Come knit with us.

Selected work will be displayed in the glass cases this fall

Angela's



Tuesdays @ 10:30 am

An American Marriage by Tayari Jones with Sarah Siegel October 2

The Broken Girls by Simone St. James November 6

Before and Again by Barbara Delinsky December 4
FaceTime with the author

TAKE A TRIP TO A MUSEUM ON US!

The Franklin Square Public Library is pleased to add the following museums to our growing collection of passes available for loan to SD#17 cardholders:

Empire Pass

Old Bethpage Village Restoration

Oyster Bay Railroad Museum

RESERVE YOUR PASS TODAY

franklinsquarepl.org/museum

COOK THE BOOK

A Bookclub with Taste

We pick the cookbook, you select and make a recipe from that cookbook, then we share the finished products. The cookbook is available at the Reference Desk (so claim your recipe today) and we'll sample the items on the following dates:

Smitten Kitchen Every Day by Deb Perelman 2 PM
Saturday, September 15

Jamie Oliver's Christmas Cookbook by Jamie Oliver 2 PM
Saturday, December 8

TEEN PROGRAMS!!

FOR TEENS GOING INTO GRADES 7 - 12

*All programs are free of charge.
Registration is required for all programs
(unless noted).*

COLORING CLUB

SEPTEMBER 10TH, 19TH

NOVEMBER 23RD, DECEMBER 28TH

2 PM

T.A.G.

6PM

Need Community Service Hours? Come work on small projects once a month and receive 1 hour of community service for your time.

BOOKMARKS

OCTOBER 10TH

for children and seniors

THANKSGIVING

COOKIE JARS

NOVEMBER 14TH

for a local pantry

SHARPIE MUGS

DECEMBER 12TH

to donate

GO HIGH-TECH:

WEDNESDAY

OCTOBER 17TH

4 - 6 PM

FRIDAY

DECEMBER 28TH 2 - 4 PM

Teach adults/seniors how to use technology. Receive 2 hours of community service for your time.

CELEBRATE BANNED

BOOKS WEEK WITH US!

SEPTEMBER 23RD-29TH

Try and guess what banned book we put in a jar! Don't forget to check out a Banned Book!

TEEN READ WEEK CONTEST!

OCTOBER 7TH-13TH

Help us design a new bookmark to promote our TEEN Instagram Page: fslyabooklook

Hand in your bookmarks before Friday, October 5th. Bookmarks will be displayed during Teen Read Week and voted on throughout the week. A winner will be picked on **Monday, October 15th!**

HOCUS POCUS

INTERACTIVE MOVIE NIGHT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26TH

6 PM

Come in costume!

FINANCIAL PLANNING /SAVING FOR COLLEGE

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

6:30 PM

Join Chris Eschman of Edward Jones for an informative seminar on how to plan financially for college costs in the future.

FORTNITE/DANCE NITE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16

7 PM

Let's Dance! Compete against your fellow gamers and see who emotes the best. Choose from Swipe It, The Floss, Orange Justice and more. Winners will get prizes! Sign up at the Reference Desk.

ZOMBIE MAKE-UP

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27TH

10 AM - 12 PM

This hands-on workshop will teach teens the step by step process to turn themselves into Zombies!

INTERNATIONAL GAMES WEEK

NOVEMBER 4TH - 10TH

(TEENS/ADULTS)

Join us for an **ESCAPE ROOM** Board game Tournament! Pick one of the four escape room challenges and try to escape within 1 Hour. Sign up with your teammates (3-5 players' works best) for one of our time slots. Winning teams for each game will be chosen the following week.

DRAGON EGGS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH

4 PM

Celebrate the release of Fantastic Beasts 2 by making your own dragon eggs!

UGLY SWEATER PARTY

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21ST

6 - 8 PM

DIY Ugly sweater contest, decorate ugly sweater cookies, photo booth, games and much more!

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Please register in person for library programs.



Fall Story Time

October 9 - November 19

Registration begins on Wednesday, October 3.

18-24 Months: Wednesdays at 10:30 AM

Class is limited to 15

2 year-olds: Thursdays at 10:30 AM

Class is limited to 15

3-4 year-olds: Mondays or Tuesdays at 10:30 AM

Class is limited to 25

4-5 year-olds: Tuesdays at 4 PM

Class is limited to 25

“Just 2 Fun”

A special program designed just for 2 year-olds where they make simple crafts and play together.

Registration for all classes begins on Wednesday, October 3.

Friday, October 26	10:30 AM
Friday, November 16	10:30 AM
Friday, December 7	10:30 AM
Friday, January 11	10:30 AM



READ TO DOGS

Do you have a struggling or reluctant reader? Help your child gain confidence by signing him/her up to read to a certified Therapy Dog from Therapy Dogs International (10 - 15 minute intervals). Please see the Children's Librarian for availability and scheduling.

Craft Programs

All crafts begin at 4 PM. Each class is limited to 25. There is a \$1 fee for materials which is to be paid at the time of registration.

GLITTER MOSAIC

Monday, October 22

Grades K-2

Make a black cat with foam glitter pieces.

Registration begins in Wednesday, October 3.

FLOWERPOT GHOST

Wednesday, October 24

Grades 3-6

Turn flower pots into a ghost.

Registration begins on Wednesday, October 3.

THANKSGIVING CUPCAKE

Monday, November 19

Grades K-2

Decorate a foam cupcake for Thanksgiving.

Registration begins on Thursday, November 1.

TURKEY SUNCATCHERS

Wednesday, November 21

Grades 3-6

Paint your sun catcher with glass stain. This product stains, please wear old clothes.

Registration begins on Thursday, November 1.

Story Craft

Ages 3 - 6 years old

Classes are held on Saturdays at 2 PM.
Class is limited to 25

October 20

Registration begins October 3

November 17

Registration begins November 1

December 15

Registration begins December 3

TWEEN CRAFTS

All crafts are held on Tuesdays at 7 PM. Each craft is limited to 20 students in grades 5-8. There is a \$2 fee for materials which is to be paid at the time of registration.

TOMBSTONES

October 23

Decorate a wooden tombstone with ghosts, cobwebs and bats. *Registration begins on October 3.*

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

November 20

Weave a basket to put on your table. *Registration begins on November 1.*

WOODEN SANTAS

December 11

Paint a wooden Santa. *Registration begins on December 3.*

Special Programs

Please register in person.

CRAFTY AFTERNOON

Saturday, September 22, 2 - 4 PM

Grades K-6

Come in to see what crafts are available. This is a free program with no registration.

STEM PROGRAMS

All Sessions, 4 PM

Grades K-2 will work together to make structures.

Grades 3-6 will use Ozobots, Little Bits and other fun items.

Each class is limited to 25.

Tuesday, September 25

Grades K-2

Thursday, September 27

Grades 3-6

Registration for both sessions begins on September 5.

Wednesday, October 17

Grades K-2

Thursday, October 18

Grades 3-6

Registration for both sessions begins on October 3.

Wednesday, November 14

Grades K-2

Thursday, November 15

Grades 3-6

Registration for both sessions begins on November 3.

Wednesday, December 19

Grades K-2

Thursday, December 20

Grades 3-6

Registration for both sessions begins on December 3.

BACKPACKS AND HUMPBACKS

Friday, September 28, 4 PM

Grades 1-5

The Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum will teach you about humpback whales. You will do a whale craft. Class limit is 25. *Registration begins on September 5.*

BUILD IT

Wednesday, October 3, 4 PM

Grades 1-5

The Long Island Children's Museum will show you how to build structures with different materials. Class limit is 25.

Registration begins on September 5.

MARINE SCIENCE

Thursday, October 25, 4:30 PM

Grades 3-7

Johnda Ferrari will be doing experiments related to things that live in the ocean. Class limit is 25.

Registration begins on Wednesday, October 3.

WILD LONG ISLAND

Thursday, November 1, 4 PM

Grades K-7

Tackapausha Nature Preserve will be bringing a variety of animals that live on Long Island. Class limit is 50.

Registration begins on Wednesday, October 3.

MATTER OF FACT

Thursday, November 8, 4 PM

Grades 2-5

Mad Science will teach everyone about solids, liquids and gases. Class limit is 20. *Registration begins on Wednesday, October 3.*

PRESCHOOL WORKSHOPS

Mondays, November 26,

December 3 and 10, 10:30 AM

18 months-4 years

A Time for Kids will be doing a series of workshops featuring music, movement and crafts. Please plan on being here all three weeks. Class limit is 20.

Registration begins on Thursday, November 1.

CAKE DECORATING

Tuesday, December 4, 7 PM

Grades 5-8

Chef Mary will be doing a cake decorating class. The fee for materials is \$3. Class limit is 20.

Registration begins on Thursday, November 1.

HOLIDAY CRAFT DAY

Wednesday, December 5, 10:30 AM - 5 PM

All Ages

Come make a holiday or winter craft. We have something for everyone. This is a free program with no registration.

PLAYHOORAY

Wednesday, December 12, 10:30 AM

18 months-4 years

Preschoolers will be enjoying music, movement and other activities. Class limit is 20.

Registration begins on Monday, December 3.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS Continued

BOOK DISCUSSIONS GALORE!

The library has book discussions for every reading level and all books chosen are "AR". Upcoming dates:

- Grades K-1, Friday, October 12** 3:30 PM
- Grades 2-3, Friday, October 19** 3:30 PM
- Girls Book Discussion, Monday, October 22** 6:30 PM
- Boys Book Discussion, Friday, October 26** 3:30 PM

Books will be available upon registration. *Registration for all book discussions begins Monday, September 17.*

A VERY SWEET MOTHER-DAUGHTER BOOK DISCUSSION

Monday, October 15 6:30 PM Grades 4-6

One sweet topic...two books. Mothers and daughters will each get their own book and we will discuss both. There will also be a craft involving sweets...yum. *Books will be available upon registration on Monday, September 17.*

A VERY WINTERY MOTHER-DAUGHTER CRAFT

Monday, November 26 6:30 PM

Winter is coming, but please don't go into hibernation just yet. Mothers and daughters come join us at the library for this program where you will do some lovely wintery crafts. A glue gun is necessary, so this is not a program for very young girls. There is a \$2 materials fee. *Registration begins Monday, November 5.*

P.J. MASKS SUPER SATURDAY

Saturday, December 8, 10:30 AM Ages 3-6

6 year-olds by day...superheroes by night! They put on their pajamas and activate their animal amulets to turn into their alter egos...Catboy, Owlette and Gekko. We will read stories, play games and do a craft all based on this popular show. *Registration begins Monday, November 12.*

LEARN COMPUTER SKILLS



Computer Kindergarten to Computer 4th Grade

Saturday September 22, 29

October 6, 13, 20 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Registration for this 5-part series begins on *Monday, September 10* for District 17 residents. The fee for the series is \$25 due at registration. You may not register without paying in full. Sorry, no refunds. Class size is limited to 24. 12 laptop computers are provided with 2 people per laptop.

Quickbooks:

Introduction, Intermediate and Advanced

Saturday, November 3, 10, 17 10:30 AM-12:30 PM

Add Quickbooks to your resume! Come learn the basics, including setting up and customizing QB for your business, creating and editing the Chart of Accounts and much more! *Registration begins Monday, October 22.* There is a fee of \$15 which must be paid at the time of registration.

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