

HALF HOLLOW HILLS

COMMUNITY LIBRARY

May/June
2023

Wow! **WHAT
A YEAR!**



Grand Opening
May 1, 2022



Circulation
207,474



**New
Library Cards**
3,105



**Number of
Patrons Who
Visited Us**
134,201



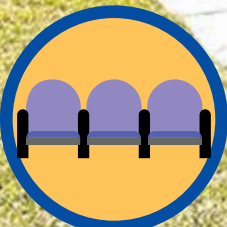
**Community
Groups**
1,563



Events
1,856



**Reference
Questions
Answered**
5,794



**Community
Group
Attendance**
13,707



**Event
Attendance**
47,099

April 2022 - February 2023

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All classes require a registration except for those on Facebook or otherwise stated. Zoom log-in information sent within 24 hours of class beginning via e-mail. Registration for May events begins on Tuesday, April 25 and June events begins Tuesday, May 30, at 10 AM, unless otherwise indicated.

Zoom In-Person Facebook

Fun Classes

Morse Code Bracelets

Tuesday, May 16 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist Elizabeth

Create a meaningful beaded bracelet with your own secret message. Learn about Morse Code, beading and stringing techniques.

Cost: \$5

Beaded Heart Pendant

Thursday, May 18 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist Donna Irvine

Customize your bead and wire choices to create this one-of-a-kind necklace. **Cost:** \$5



Crafternoon!

11:30 AM (DH)

May 23: Bee Kind Sign

June 23: Flip Flop Welcome



Paint Nite: Hat On a Fence

Thursday, June 1

6:45 PM (DH)

Presented by Canvas Creations

We supply the easels, canvas, paints (acrylic), brushes and step-by-step instructions; you supply the fun! **Cost:** \$5



Welcome Summer Sign

Monday, June 12

7 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist Pamela Trastelis

Create a fun sign for your porch. **Cost:** \$5



The More We Get Together

Presented by Instructor Doreen McIlwaine, these events are special needs-friendly

Beaded Clothespin Butterfly

Thursday, May 11 | 11 AM (DH)

Make beautiful butterflies to bring Spring into your home.

Butterfly Houses

Tuesday, June 20 | 11 AM (DH)

Paint and decorate a butterfly house.

Lavender

Tuesday, June 13 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist Casey Cunningham

Follow step-by-step instructions to create these flowers.



Lighthouse Lantern Ceramics

Thursday, June 15

6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor Rosemarie Attard

Paint a summer lantern! **Cost:** \$5

Afternoon BINGO

Monday, June 26 | 1 PM (DH)

Have fun and win prizes!



Creativebug

Available at hhhlbrary.org

for free with your library card.

Join your neighbors who have

taken thousands of classes. Enjoy unlimited access to thousands of online art & crafts classes. Watch anytime, anywhere. Since they never expire, you can start and stop projects at your own pace.

Book Discussions for Adults

Copies are available for download on your computer/mobile device. It's simple, visit hhhlbrary.org and click on [Download & Stream](#) or call us for assistance.



Libby

Thousands of eBooks and audiobooks have been downloaded since January 2022! Available at hhhlbrary.org for free with your library card.

Lunch Time Talk

Fridays | 12 PM (M)

Leader: Margie Hartough, Branch Librarian

May 5: *This Tender Land* by William Kent Krueger (author will join on Zoom)

June 2: *The House of Eve* by Sadeqa Johnson

July 7: *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt



Reader Selects

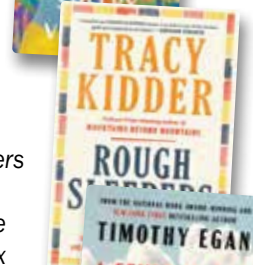
Tuesdays | 7 PM

(M)

Leader: Chris Garland, Librarian

May 16: *Rough Sleepers* by Tracy Kidder


June 20: *A Fever in the Heartland: The Ku Klux Klan's Plot to Take over America, and the Woman Who Stopped Them* by Timothy Egan



What's Cooking

Recipes posted at hhlhlibrary.org. Registration required to receive a Grab & Go kit. Due to high demand, kits limited to one per person per class. Classes are resident only and take place in the Teaching Kitchen on Floor 3.


Black Bean Taco

Thursday, May 4 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by The Baking Coach

Make tortilla from scratch to use for a black bean taco. Bring rolling pin and large bowl.


Spinach Curry with Tofu

Friday, May 5 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by Certified Nutrition Coach & Certified Dietary Manager Geetu Makin

Discover a healthy vegetarian Indian recipe that can be made in 30 minutes.

Wrap That Burrito


Monday, May 8 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by Maria's Mexican Cooking

Convert a fajita into a burrito!! Learn to make delicious Mexican red rice and refried beans.


Sloppy Joe Tacos

Tuesday, May 9

4 PM OR 6:30 PM (DH) 

Presented by Chef Rob Scott


Coronation Tea

Wednesday, May 17 | 2 PM (DH) 

Presented by Cookbook Author Margaret M. Johnson

Celebrate Britain's first coronation ceremony in nearly 70 years with traditional British teatime treats and a sparkling beverage. For a festive touch, bring your own teacup and saucer.


Cookies!

Thursday, May 18 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by A Mano Baking Company

A Mano's Signature 1/4 LB Cookies Nominated for Best of Long Island! Say no more!

Whiskey 101: Everything you Need to Know

Thursday, May 25 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by Author Bob Lipinski

Discuss the 10 major types of whiskey, including history, ingredients, distillation, aging, label terminology and trivia.




Spice Up Your Life

Register for our monthly Spice Club. Pick up your kit that includes a recipe and the spices needed from Melville Circulation. Tag us on Facebook and/or Instagram with pictures of your dish or e-mail them to events@hhlhlibrary.org. One kit per registrant.

May 12: Indian

June 9: Lebanese

Cannolis

Friday, June 2 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by A Mano Baking Company

Learn A Mano's secret family recipe! Bring an electric hand mixer.


Summer Salads

Monday, June 5 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by The Baking Coach

Grasp making a classic macaroni salad and cucumber salad.


Homemade Chorizo

Friday, June 9 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by Maria's Mexican Cooking

Learn to make your own chorizo using pork or beef.

Cavatelli Bolognese


Tuesday, June 20 | 6 PM (DH) 

Presented by Knead Sprinkle Stitch

Master making cavatelli pasta while learning how to make the perfect Bolognese sauce.

Old-Fashioned

Ice Cream Sandwiches

Thursday, June 22 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by The Baking Coach

Make waffles and ice cream from scratch.


Seed Library



Pick out your seed packets at the card catalog near the Dix Hills Public Service Desk and start growing your garden! We have a variety of flower, vegetable and herb seeds that are

open-pollinated, some are heirloom... all you need is your library card. Send pictures of your garden and tag us [#imaginyourgardenhhlh](https://twitter.com/imaginyourgardenhhlh)

Tomatoes & More

Thursday, May 18 | 2 PM (DH) 

Presented by Horticulturalist Paul Levine

Discover the best techniques, fertilizer, soil, watering and more for the best tomatoes.

Defensive Driving

Saturday, May 6 | 10 AM-4 PM (DH) 

OR Monday, June 5 **AND** Tuesday, June 6 6 PM-9 PM (DH) 

Presented by Suffolk Safety Program

Participants must arrive on-time for class. Late arrivals will not be permitted according to NYSDMV rules & regulations, no exceptions. Register online or in-person with valid library card. **Cost:** \$35

Introducing Hold Pickup at Dix Hills

Where is My Book? Hold Pickup

Checkin: 3/9/23 2:18 PM
Pickup by: Thu Mar 16 2023

Bring
your library
card!

Last Name

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First Name

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Last 4 digits
of barcode

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**Look for your hold next to
the Public Service Desk.**



Lectures

Great Duets From Broadway Musicals

Thursday, May 11 | 2 PM (DH)

Presented by Mel Haber

View videos of duets from such great composers as Richard Rodgers, Stephen Sondheim, Cole Porter, and Irving Berlin. Among the many duets are "If I Loved You," "Tonight," "The Lady is a Tramp," and more.

Inside the Tony Awards with a Tony Awards Insider

Tuesday, May 23 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Author Robert Viagas

Preview the 2023 Tony Award nominations, discuss the races in the major categories, the main conflicts, predictions, things to watch for, etc.

Behind the Scenes: Double Indemnity

Thursday, June 15 | 2 PM (DH)

Presented by Film Historian Larry Wolff

Discover the back story: how the writers did not get along, the stars were unsure of playing characters and the censors had a heavy hand in the pre-production planning. See the movie in its entirety on Monday, June 12, at 11 AM; see page 8.



Healthy Living

Shed the Meds

Monday, May 1

10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Properly dispose of unused or expired prescription and over-the-counter medications. No questions asked and no personal information is required. All medication must be emptied into plastic Ziploc bags before arrival or it can not be accepted. **Additional locations, dates and times can be found at hhhlibrary.org.**



One-On-One Medicare Counseling & Assistance

Monday, May 8 | 10 AM–1 PM (DH)

Presented by Suffolk County Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)

Register for a half-hour appointment.

Get Your Body Back After Baby

Monday, May 15 | 3 PM

Presented by Physical Therapists, Pelvic Health Experts, Dr. Shaden Ghattas & Dr. Jennifer Helft

Learn the best exercise you can do to get yourself feeling better quicker. Discover the exercises to focus on, the ones to avoid, how to do pelvic floor exercises and more.

Sleep Apnea Essentials

Tuesday, May 23 | 6:30 PM

Presented by South Shore University Hospital Sleep Lab Director Dr. Gary Wohlberg

Discuss sleep apnea including its causes, diagnosis, and treatment options. Bring your questions.

Menopause: Definition, Symptoms, Diagnosis and Treatment

Wednesday, May 24 | 11 AM

Presented by Director of Menopausal Health Catholic Health Services Dr. Frank Bonura

Uncover what menopause is and how to navigate it.

Benign Prostate Disease: The Latest Innovations in Treatment

Monday, June 5 | 3 PM

Presented by Medical Director, Robotic Surgery Program at St. Catherine of Siena Hospital Dr. Alexander Epelbaum

Learn about the latest breakthrough treatments including multiple medical and surgical treatment options and Aquablation Robotic Therapy.

Hearing Loss

Wednesday, June 14 | 7 PM

Presented by Department of Otolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery, Long Island Jewish Medical Center, Dr. Stan Pelosi

Everything you need to know about hearing loss: ways it can develop, signs and symptoms, risk factors, when to see a physician and how this condition is treated.

Social Worker

Thursdays | 12:30 PM–4:30 PM **AND** on-call Monday-Friday until May 25

Welcome Breanna, our Social Work Intern from Stony Brook University. Breanna is available to assist the Half Hollow Hills community with information regarding:



- Mental health
- Finding employment opportunities
- Résumé building
- Government services and forms
- Locating support groups
- So much more



988 has been designated as the new three-digit dialing code that will route callers to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.

Fitness Classes (DH)

Online and in-person registration for residents with valid library card begins 4/24, unless noted. Non-resident registration begins 4/25. Patrons may choose to attend in-person or virtual classes. Registering for in-person classes reserves a spot in the class. Due to space, virtual registrants cannot be permitted in-person. Due to high demand, one registration per person per class. See pg. 16 for more information.

Pilates

Tuesdays, May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27 | 10:45 AM

Instructor Melissa Levine

Resistance band, Pilates ring and 2-3 pound weights are needed.

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

CardioFit

Wednesdays, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, June 7, 14, 21, 28 | 10 AM

Instructor Evelyn Regan

Heart-healthy aerobics and low-impact movements that focus on building upper-body and core strength plus cardio endurance. **Cost:** \$45 (9 classes)

Body by Melissa

Fridays, May 5, 12, 19, 26, June 2, 9, 16, 30 (no class 6/23) | 10:45 AM

Instructor Melissa Levine

Mix of strength training, cardio and Pilates. **Cost:** \$40 (8 classes)

Arthritis Exercise

Wednesdays, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, June 7, 14, 21, 28 | 12:30 PM

Instructor Eden Bennett

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Evening Zumba

Mondays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, June 5, 12, 19, 26 (no class 5/29) | 5:45 PM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Wednesday Zumba

Wednesdays, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, June 7, 14, 21, 28 | 5:30 PM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Thursday Zumba

Thursdays, May 4, 11, 18, 25, June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 10:30 AM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Saturday Zumba

Saturdays, May 6, 13, 20, 27, June 3, 10, 17, 24 | 10:30 AM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Evening Yoga

Mondays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, June 5, 12, 19, 26 (no class 5/29) | 6:45 PM

Instructor Cathy Adamo

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Yoga

Mondays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, June 5, 12, 19, 26 (no class 5/29) 2 PM

Instructor Evelyn Regan

Bring a yoga mat, blocks and a yoga strap.

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Afternoon Yoga

Fridays, May 5, 12, 19, 26, June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 | 2 PM

Instructor Cathy Adamo

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Chair Yoga

Thursdays, May 4, 11, 18, 25, June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 12:30 PM

Instructor Eden Bennett

Enjoy the mobility and vitality that regular yoga provides while feeling supported. Alternate standing with seated poses. Modifications available. No floor work.

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)


NEW


Memory Fitness

According to a renowned brain expert quoted in *The New York Times* on July 6, 2022: there are a few simple things we can do to prevent memory decline as we age.

And your library offers every one!

Memory Fitness

Tuesdays | 2 PM 

Wednesdays | 2 PM (M) 

Have fun exercising your brain with puzzles, games, arts & crafts (Wednesdays only) and more.

Weekly Online Newsletter

Filled with activities to help exercise your brain. Includes trivia, puzzles, games, brain teasers, an arts & crafts activity, as well as helpful community and library resources. To subscribe, please contact us at memoryfitness@hhhlibrary.org or call us at 631-498-1234.

All
WELCOME!



English Classes



For more language learning opportunities, please contact Kristina Kalin, HHHCL Outreach Librarian: kkalin@hhhlibrary.org or 631-498-1234.

All
WELCOME!


New English Speakers Conversation Café

Tuesdays | 10 AM (DH)  

Join us for casual conversation, practice English vocabulary and reading skills, learn about different cultures and make new friends.

Find A Hobby


Beginners Bridge

Thursdays, May 4, 11, 18, 25, June 1, 8, 15, 22 | 6 PM–8 PM (DH) 

Presented by American Contract Bridge League Accredited Bridge Teacher Dr. Susan J. Fishbein

Designed to introduce the game of bridge to adults. Learn bidding and playing developed by the American Contract Bridge League [ACBL].
Cost: \$25

Knitting Circle


Wednesdays, May 3, 10, 17, 24, June 7, 14, 21, 28 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by Instructor Cheryl Westerfeld

Learn to knit, brush up on your skills, get help with current projects, learn finishing techniques and get suggestions for new projects. Beginning knitters should bring worsted weight (#4) yarn and US size 8 needles to the first session.




Dungeons & Dragons

Tuesdays, May 9, 23, June 13, 27
6 PM (DH) 

Presented by Game Master James Nevola

Learn how to play in a casual, fun environment while having an adventure that is only limited by your imagination.


Stitch-In

Wednesday, May 10, June 14 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by Embroiderer's Guild of America

Master embroidery, brush up on your skills, get help with current projects and get suggestions for new projects. Bring standard sized packaged cross-stitch fabric, assorted colored flosses and size 24 or 26 tapestry needles for stitching guidance.

The Long Island Writers' Guild Workshop: Got Words? Give 'Em Life

Tuesdays, May 9, June 13
2 PM–4 PM (DH) 

Improve your writing skills while enjoying the community of other motivated writers. Read works-in-progress, offer constructive critiquing, receive writing prompts and more.




Presented by Huntington-based Songwriter and Performer Toby Tobias

Songwriter Workshop

Thursdays, May 11, June 8
7 PM (DH) 


Bring copies of the lyrics of a new song that has been started or finished. Each songwriter will have the chance to perform the song in front of their peers and receive feedback.

Open Mic Night

Thursdays, May 25, June 29
7 PM (DH) 

Welcome to all singer-songwriters of varying skill levels and those who just love live original music.


Spa Therapy at Home

Wednesday, May 17 | 7 PM (DH) 

Presented by New York Academy of Make-Up


Uncover each step of the facial, how to create one at home with household ingredients, the benefits and more.

Coffee & Coloring

Wednesdays, May 31, June 28
10 AM (DH) 

Need to de-stress? Take a break and color! We supply the materials or bring your own. All ages welcome.

Canasta

Wednesdays, May 31, June 7, 14, 28 (no class 6/21) | 10 AM–12 PM (DH) 


Presented by Instructor Jacqui Palatnik

Learn or re-fresh the card game that has fascinated people for so many years with its strategies, sequences and combinations.

Concert Hall

Pre-registration is recommended for auditorium seating.

Music of Our Generation


Sunday, May 21 | 2 PM (DH) 

Presented by Copperline

Sing along to hits from The Eagles, Queen, Paul Simon, Fleetwood Mac, Tom Petty, James Taylor, Carole King and more.




50+ Comedy Tour!

Sunday, June 4 | 2 PM (DH) 

Featuring top comedians with one thing in common they are all over the age of 50! This show is for mature audiences.


HHHCSD Piano Recital

Tuesday, June 6 | 6:30 PM (DH) 

Presented by the Half Hollow Hills Fine Arts Department

Half Hollow Hills student recital.

Tony Bennett & Bill Evans: The Legendary Recordings

Sunday, June 11 | 2 PM (DH) 

Presented by The Joel Zelnick Trio

Highlights the collaboration of Bill Evans & Tony Bennett during 1975 and 1977, which yielded some of the best recordings in the history of jazz.


HHH Community Library &
The John & Alice Coltrane Home
Present

Performance Pop-Up

Thursday, May 18 | 6 PM (DH) 

Look for a special guest announcement from the The John & Alice Coltrane Home!

A Musical Journey

Monday, June 19
7 PM (DH) 

Presented by Dezron Douglas, Bassist

An American jazz double bassist, composer and producer. He has produced for Louis Hayes and Brandee Younger.



For more information, visit
thecoltranehome.org/events/. RSVP
required, e-mail info@thecoltranehome.org.

Tech Classes



Sharper Training
Solutions, Inc

Your Computer: The Possibilities!

10:30 AM–12:30 PM (DH)

*Presented by
Sharper Training Solutions*

In these hands-on classes, learn how to use your computer to accomplish popular applications for home use. Prerequisites: basic computer knowledge.

Using Text

Wednesday, May 10

Learn to write a letter, create a newsletter and make a flyer or sign with text and graphics.

Personal Finance Management Wednesday, May 17

Learn how to create a check register, keep track of investments, expenses and more.

Understand and Use E-mail Wednesday, May 24

Learn to send, receive and forward e-mail, create and use the address book, attach files and more.

Photography

Wednesday, June 14

Learn to edit pictures, such as changing size, cropping, adjusting brightness, removing red eye, printing and more.

3D Printing

Saturday, May 6 | 2:15 PM–3:30 PM (DH)

Learn about the process of 3D printing and its utilitarian uses. Attendees receive an IMAGINE 3D printed keychain!

Oculus Hours

Thursday, May 18 | 10:30 AM–12:30 PM (DH)

Enjoy an immersive experience with our Virtual Reality system! (Must be at least twelve years old). No registration required.

Cricut Corner

Wednesday, June 7 | 6 PM–8 PM (DH)

Have a design that you want to try out on the Cricut? Drop in for assistance as you try out this automated cutting machine. No registration required.

Engraver Engagement

Friday, June 16 | 6 PM–8 PM (DH)

Learn about the process of engraving. Attendees will see the start of the process while receiving engraved picture frames with their last name!

Tech Tuesdays

Every Tuesday | 10 AM–1 PM (DH)

Need cell phone help? Or assistance with your tablet or laptop? Drop in for one-on-one assistance with your device. Each session is 30 minutes and is first come, first serve.



Wireless Printing Now Available

Send your print jobs to the library from anywhere by downloading the "Printer On" app, using its web browser or sending an e-mail. Call the library for more information.

Business



Job Coach

Thursdays, May 11, 25,
June 8, 22 (DH)
Appointments from
5:30 PM–8:30 PM
(last appointment at 8 PM)

Not sure what career path to take after high school or college? Need help finding a job? Get assistance from MaryAnn Verdolino, certified career counselor. Visit hhlibrary.org or call a librarian at 631-498-1234 to schedule a half-hour appointment.

Reserve a Room

Requests for July and August room reservations begin June 1 at 10 AM

- Visit hhlibrary.org to review our Use of Facilities Policy before requesting a room.
- Room requests must be made by an adult district resident, 18 years or older using the online form at hhlibrary.org and click on "Reserve a Room."
- Groups may not book more than one reservation per week.



Reserve a Room

Once the library has reviewed your request, you will receive an e-mail confirming the reservation. Please contact the library at 631-421-4530 or 631-421-4535 with any questions.



Brainfuse JobNow

Looking for a new career? Have an important interview coming soon? JobNow, free

with your library card, provides various tools to help with every step of the job search including live résumé assistance, career planning, live career coaching, and live interview preparation. Visit hhlibrary.org to get started or ask a librarian for assistance.



Going On Vacation?

We have the solution!

Reserve a T-Mobile hotspot up to six months in advance. Call us at 631-421-4530 to place a reservation. Must be a HHHCL resident.



Small Business Counselor

Tuesdays, May 2, 16, June 6, 20 (DH)
Appointments from 4:30 PM–7:30 PM
Presented by SCORE

To make a one hour appointment, register online or call us at 631-498-1234.

SCORE, a resource partner with the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), is a non-profit dedicated to helping small businesses form, grow and succeed. This counseling and mentoring is free of charge.

Streaming Movies

Watch the movie available from either Hoopla or Kanopy, for free with your library card at hhlibrary.org. Then register to join a lively discussion!

Art House Film Discussion

Moderator: Chris Garland, Librarian

Wind River (2017) Rated R. 107 minutes. Hoopla and Kanopy.

Wednesday, May 24

6:30 PM (M)  

Riders of Justice (2021) Not rated. 116 minutes. Hoopla and Kanopy.

Wednesday, June 28

6:30 PM (M)  




Monday Matinees


Join us on Monday in our new auditorium for a special movie presentation. There will be a mix of classics and recent films for you to enjoy as well as refreshments!

Everything Everywhere All at Once (2022)


Rated R. 139 minutes.

May 8 | 11 AM (DH) 


The Whale (2022) Rated R. 117 minutes.

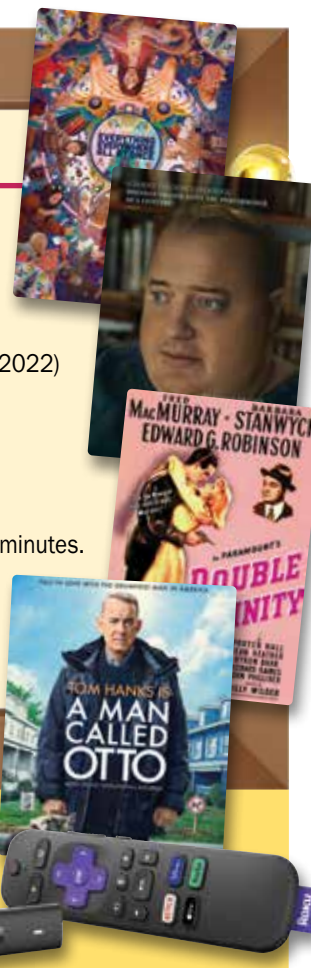
May 22 | 11 AM (DH) 

Double Indemnity (1944) Not rated. 107 minutes.

June 12 | 11 AM (DH) 

A Man Called Otto (2022) Rated PG-13. 126 minutes.

June 26 | 11 AM (DH) 



Take home our new Roku sticks equipped with an impressive lineup of streaming services. Check out for free with your library card for 21 days. Available at Dix Hills and Melville.



In the Gallery

This Is How I See It

May 1 - May 30

Photographer Don Thiergard



A special exhibit highlighting images representing a variety of subjects. Many of the photos are accompanied with a brief comment on why the photo was taken or the inspiration.

Reception

Saturday, May 6

2 PM-4:30 PM (DH) 

Meet the Photographer

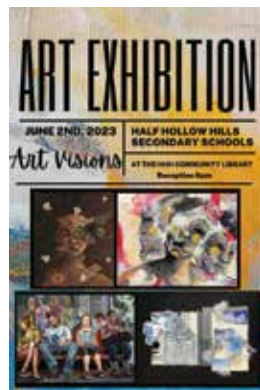
Saturdays, May 13, 20, 27

2 PM-4:30 PM (DH) 

Art Visions

June 2 - June 10

Half Hollow Hills Fine Arts Department



Student framed artwork and 3D sculptures. Film and video presentations in Lecture Room during reception.

Reception

Friday, June 2

6 PM (DH) 

Streaming with Your Library Card

Download the app or visit hhlibrary.org.



Hoopla Digital

Since January 2022, more than 10,000 titles in music, movies, shows, eBooks, comics and audiobooks are being enjoyed by your neighbors 24/7 with their library card.



Kanopy

More than 14,000 residents are streaming the world's finest cinema for free. View over 30,000 documentaries, classic and indie films.

Events for All Ages

Veterans



Veterans Testimonial Project

Be a part of your Community's rich history. Share your military experiences with future generations. We are looking for U.S. Veterans to share their memories and stories. All interviews will be recorded and added to the Library's collection and archived with the Veterans History Project at the Library of Congress. To participate in this important initiative, call our librarian, Joe Brown, at **631-498-1234**, or e-mail jbrown@hhhllibrary.org.

Veterans Conversation Café

Thursday, June 15 | 11 AM 

Make new friends and chat about your service, interests or families! Often includes a guest speaker. A virtual meet-up with fellow veterans moderated by your Librarians. Registration is required.

All
WELCOME!

Veterans Testimonial Project Open House & Reception


Saturday, May 13

10:30 AM–12:30PM (DH)

Pay tribute to our local Veterans who participated in the Veterans Testimonial Project in 2023. Family, friends and members of the community are invited to attend. There will be representatives from several Veterans Resource based agencies sharing information about available resources. Refreshments will be available following the program.

All Together Now Summer Experience

Summer Kickoff Carnival

Thursday, June 22 | 4:30 PM–6:30 PM (M) 

Come one, come all to our summer kick off! Have fun with carnival games under the tents, DJ, crafts, carnival food, live animals and much more! Expecting sunny skies, but otherwise it will move indoors.

Children

Entering K through grade 5 in Fall 2023

- Register online, in person or via phone from June 22 through August 31.
- Beginning on June 26 pick up your registration prize and BINGO card in Dix Hills.
- Complete 6 or more activities on the BINGO card, return it to the library by August 31. All completed cards will be sent to your child's school in September.
- Stop by each week to enter a weekly raffle featuring prizes and much more!
- Details can be found at hhhllibrary.org/services/children beginning June 1.

Teens

Entering grades 6-12 in Fall 2023


- Register online, in person or via phone from June 22 through August 31.
- Beginning on June 26, visit Dix Hills to pick up your Summer Experience starter pack. Included will be lots of goodies and your BINGO card.
- Earn a raffle ticket for each activity completed on the BINGO board. Complete the whole board and receive a prize pack!
- More information can be found at hhhllibrary.org/services/teen beginning June 1.

Adults

Ages 18 and up

- Register online, in person or via phone from June 22 through August 31.
- Beginning on June 26 pick up your registration packet and BINGO card in Dix Hills. Earn raffle tickets for prizes and get the chance to win a Kindle Paperwhite at the end of the summer.
- Details can be found at hhhllibrary.org/services/adults beginning June 1.

Books & Cooks

Saturday, May 20
12:30 PM–3:30 PM (DH) 

More details at hhhlibrary.org!

Authors

Billy Lamont, Poet

12:30 PM–1:15 PM: Meet the Author

1:30 PM–2:30 PM: Poetry Workshop

Robert Schechter, Children's Author

2 PM–3 PM

The Red Ear Blows Its Nose

Kara Thomas, YA & Adult Author

1 PM–2:30 PM

Out of the Ashes

Bob Shea, Children's Author

1 PM–2 PM

Chez Bob

On The Menu

1. Live Music
2. Giveaways
3. Food Trucks
4. Crafts
5. Author Visits



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 = In-Person

- District Residents only.
- Please list your child's name, grade and school name in the note field when registering online. For children not yet in school, please include their birthdate. Children must meet the minimum age or grade listed by the first day of class.
- We reserve the right to deny admittance ten minutes after start time. At which point, if there is availability, waitlisted members may be allowed in.
- If your child has any food allergies, please let a children's librarian know or note it when registering.
- Please dress yourself and your child appropriately for the class.
- Programs may be photographed/ videotaped for library publicity. Notify library staff if you prefer not to be included.



Early Childhood


Baby Starts

Tuesday, May 2 **AND/OR** Thursday, May 25 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH) 
Birth-17 months

A Time for Kids makes early language development a blast with songs and play.


Hooray for Mother's Day!

Tuesday, May 2 | 11 AM–11:45 AM (DH)

 Ages 18 months-5 years


Join A Time for Kids and celebrate Mom with music, movement, fine and gross motor development.

Babies Boogie

Friday, May 12 **AND/OR** Tuesday, May 17 **AND/OR** Wednesday, June 7 **AND/OR** Monday, June 19 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH)  Birth-age 23 months


Wiggles, giggles and songs with Nicole Sparling.

Toddler's Tango

Friday, May 12 **AND/OR** Tuesday, May 17 **AND/OR** Wednesday, June 7 **AND/OR** Monday, June 19 | 11 AM–11:30 AM (DH)  Ages 24-48 months


Clap your hands, stomp your feet and wiggle to the beat with Nicole Sparling.

1, 2, 3 Play With Me

Mondays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, June 5 | 10 AM–11 AM (DH) 
Ages 12-36 months


Parents and children spend time together, play, experience art activities and meet new friends. Community Resource Specialists discuss child development, speech and hearing, nutrition, play and movement.

Always Sunny Play Group

Mondays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, June 5 | 11:30 AM–12:30 PM (DH) 
Ages 12-36 months


Meet with friends at this self-directed play-time for your little ones. Connect with caregivers, socialize, play and make new friends.

Mother's Day Card

Thursday, May 11 | 11 AM–11:45 AM (DH)  Ages 2-5 years


Paint a "Love you bunches" thumbprint card for that special person.

Stories, Songs and Motor Skills

Tuesday, May 16 **AND/OR** Tuesday, June 13 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH) 
Birth-age 3 years

Read books, sing songs, rhyme & enjoy finger-plays.

Tots Night Out

Thursday, May 18 **AND/OR** June 15 | 6:30 PM–7:15 PM (DH) 
Ages 18 months to 5 years


Enjoy singing, dancing, storytelling and a fun craft with A Time for Kids.

Baby Sign Time: STEM

Friday, May 19 **AND/OR** Friday, June 9 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH)  Birth-age 23 months


Learn about bugs! Move your bodies through songs and activities including sign language!

Toddler Sign Language Basics

Friday, May 19 **AND/OR** Friday, June 9 | 11 AM–11:30 AM (DH) 
Ages 24-28 months

Join Ms. Jessie on a communication exploration! Use songs, toys and activities to boost your child's ability to communicate with the addition of American Sign Language!

Zumbini

Monday, May 22 | 12 PM–12:45 PM (DH)  Birth-age 4 years

Zumbini is an early childhood educational program that uses original music and movement to promote cognitive, social, fine/gross motor skill, and emotional development for children.

1000 Books Before Kindergarten Birth-age 5

Welcome back 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten! Why Early Literacy is important for your child:

- Reading improves brain development
- A love of reading creates a love of learning
- Reading leads to improved communication skills

Stop by the Children's Department to sign up today!

1KB4K Monthly Raffle Baskets

For those enrolled in the program. Stop by the Dix Hills Children's Department to fill out a raffle ticket. Winners announced at the end of each month.



May Flowers

Thursday, May 25 | 11 AM–11:45 AM

(DH) 🧑🏻 Ages 18 months-5 years

Join A Time for Kids to celebrate spring with music, movement, storytelling and a craft.

Evening Babies & Books

Wednesday, May 31 | 6 PM–6:30 PM

(DH) 🧑🏻 Birth-age 23 months

It is never too early for your little one to start learning their early literacy skills and nurture their love of books. Share board books, rhymes, songs and bubbles to stimulate their cognitive, social and emotional development.

Baby Fun!

Friday, June 2 **AND/OR** Tuesday,

June 27 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH) 🧑🏻

Birth-age 17 months

Songs, music and fun with A Time for Kids.

Hip, Hip Hooray for Father's Day

Friday, June 2 | 11 AM–11:45 AM (DH)

🧑🏻 Ages 18 months-5 years old

Join A Time for Kids to celebrate Dad with music, movement, fine and gross motor development.

Little Ones' Prom

Monday, June 12 | 12 PM–1 PM (DH) 🧑🏻

Ages 2½-5 years

Celebrate the beginning of summer with a party! Put on your dancing shoes and a fancy outfit if you chose and dance to fun music.

A snack will be available.

Amazing Athletes: Multi-Sport Based Fitness Class

Saturday, June 17 | 12 PM–12:30 PM

(M) 🧑🏻 Ages 3-5 years

Warm-ups, obstacle courses, agility ladder, educational flash cards, a fun sport activity and a cool down. Weather permitting it will be outside on the lawn.

Please be aware that because of safety concerns, no younger siblings will be allowed to participate in this programs

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YouTube Page

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Birds in a Nest

Tuesday, June 27 | 11 AM–11:45 AM

(DH) 🧑🏻 Ages 18 months-5 years

Interactive story time with books, songs and a bird craft.

Families

Ariel Meet & Greet

Saturday, June 3 | 12 PM–1 PM (DH) 🧑🏻

Children of all ages

Come meet the Little Mermaid while she is a part of our world!

Sunshine Craft

Tuesday, June 20 | 6:30 PM–7 PM (DH)

🧑🏻 Ages 3-5 years

Start of Summer! Bring on the sunshine and celebrate the beginning of the summer season!

Pet Parade

Monday, June 26 | 4 PM–5 PM (DH) 🧑🏻

Children of all ages

Show off your pet at our first Pet Parade! There will be fun photo opportunities and a chance for your pet to win prizes such as "Best Costume" or "Best Trick". One pet per family and pets must remain on a leash or in a carrier.

School Age

Puppy Tales

Tuesday, May 2 **AND/OR** June 6

6 PM–7 PM (DH) 🧑🏻 Grades K-5

Share a story with a therapy dog! Read for 10-15 minutes. Bring a favorite book or choose one from the library.

Homework Help!

Wednesdays, May 3 - June 21 | 5 PM–

6 PM **OR** Saturdays, May 6 - June 17

2 PM–3 PM (DH) 🧑🏻 Grades K-5

High school students will assist with homework assignments. Please bring homework or reading assignments to the session.

Stories for You!

Wednesdays, May 3 - June 28

6 PM–6:30 PM (M) 🧑🏻

Families with children ages 4-6

Join Ms. Joan for fun stories every week.

No registration required.

Fancy Flower Gift

Wednesday, May 3 | 6:30 PM–7 PM

(DH) 🧑🏻 Prekindergarten-grade 2

Create beautiful gifts for someone special in your life!

Heart Bookmarks

Wednesday, May 10 | 6:30 PM–8 PM

(DH) 🧑🏻 Grades 1-5

Learn how to hand sew just in time to make a thoughtful gift for that special someone.

Golden Hunny Slime

Wednesday, May 24 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

🧑🏻 Grades K-5

Mix and create a homemade slime that looks just like the delicious, golden, sticky substance that is honey. Keep it in an adorable honey jar provided.

Go Fly A Kite

Wednesday, May 25 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM

(M) 🧑🏻 Grades K-5

Create a colorful "stained glass" kite to brighten up your days.

Aquarium Terrarium

Friday, May 26 | 5:30 PM–6:30 PM (DH)

🧑🏻 Grades 1-5

Make an aquarium without the responsibilities of feeding the fish.

Faux Hamburger & Fries

Wednesday, June 7 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM

(DH) 🧑🏻 Grades 1-5

Join the Baking Coach and make two burger cupcakes with a side of cookie French fries using buttercream icing, candy and sprinkles.

Imagine Packs To Go

Stop by the Children's Room in Dix Hills & Melville to check out a pack filled with crafts and activity sheets. Limited to one per family. Perfect for children in Pre-K.



Sewing Machine STEM

Wednesday, June 14 | 6:30 PM–8 PM

(DH) 🧑🏫 Grades 1-5 with a parent or caregiver

Need a new wallet in time for summer? Learn how to sew and make a new one.

Meet Aesop's Fables

Thursday, June 15 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM

(M) 🧑🏫 Grades 2-5

Read and listen to the short animal stories of Aesop and make a related craft.

Thank a Teacher

Friday, June 16 | 5:30 PM–6:30 PM

(DH) 🧑🏫 Grades K-5

Create a gift to tell your teacher thank you for all they have done for you this year.

Sports Based Skills Class

Saturday, June 17 | 12:45 PM–1:15 PM

(M) 🧑🏫 Ages 6-10 years

The class contains a warm-up, fitness relays, nutrition discussion and a sport based game.

Please be aware that because of safety concerns, no younger siblings will be allowed to participate in this programs.

Goldfish Nightlight

Wednesday, June 21 | 5:30 PM–6:30 PM

(DH) 🧑🏫 Grades 1-5

Turn an ordinary night light into a fun goldfish bowl using decoupage!

Cold Spring Harbor Museum Presents: Summer Solstice

Thursday, June 29 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)

🧑🏫 Grades 1-5

Explore the Sunlight Zone in the sea and the unique creatures that live there, then create a colorful summer lantern to brighten your home!

Guessing Jars May 1-June 30

Stop at the Children's Desk at either Dix Hills or Melville and guess how many pom poms are in the jar!

The four closest guesses will win a prize!

Events for Children & Teens

Mindfulness Month: Grab & Go's

May 1-31 (DH) 🧑🏫 Grades 4-12

Each week visit the Dix Hills Teen Department to pick up a mindfulness craft to help relieve your stress. First come, first serve; while supplies last. No registration required.

Tweens' Night Out: Pop Tarts

Tuesday, May 2 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 🧑🏫

Grades 4-8

Let your taste buds explode with a pop tart taste test!

Tween Golden "Hunny" Slime

Wednesday, May 3 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

🧑🏫 Grades 4-8

Mix and create a homemade slime that looks just like the delicious, golden, sticky substance that is honey. Keep it in an adorable honey jar provided.

Star Wars Tumblers

Thursday, May 4 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 🧑🏫

Grades 4-8

Create a tumbler from a galaxy far, far away using stickers from our Cricuts and enjoy out of this world snacks on Star Wars Day!

Tween Book Club:

Nic Blake and the Remarkables

Tuesday, June 6 | 4 PM–5 PM (DH) 🧑🏫 Grades 4-8

Join us as we read and discuss Angie Thomas' new book *Nic Blake and the Remarkables: The Manifestor Prophecy*. There will be crafts and a snack!



Museum Passes

We offer passes to these great museums and so many more! Call **631-421-4530** or **631-421-4535** for more information and to reserve your museum pass.



Mini Umbrella Wreath

Thursday, June 8 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 🧑🏫

Grades 4-8

Make a fun and tropical wreath out of mini cocktail umbrellas and enjoy a summertime snack!

Computer Deconstruction

Wednesday, June 21 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM

(DH) 🧑🏫 Grade 4-12

Children/Teens take apart an AiO computer at the guidance of Digital Services.

Summer Kickoff Carnival

Thursday, June 22 | 4:30 PM–6:30 PM

(M) 🧑🏫 All ages

Come one, come all to the Children's Department Summer Kickoff! Have fun with carnival games under the tents, DJ, crafts, carnival food, live animals and much more! Expecting sunny skies, but otherwise it will move indoors.

Tweens' Night Out: Movie & Pizza

Tuesday, June 27 | 6 PM–8 PM (DH) 🧑🏫

Grades 4-8

We're all in this together... to eat pizza and watch *High School Musical*!

Outdoor Family Film *Beauty and the Beast*

(1991) Rated G; 84 minutes.

Friday, June 16
6:30 PM (DH) 🧑🏫

Be our guest and join the beloved, independent Belle and the Beast with the soul of a prince as they cast an enchanting spell like never before. Light refreshments will be available. Bring your own blanket or lawn chair!



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Summer Experience

For teens entering grades 6-12 in Fall 2023

See page 9 for details.

Pokémon GO Family Meetup

Heckscher Park
Saturday, June 10 | 9 AM–11 AM

Throw down some lures, trade Pokémon and possibly win a raid or two. Children must be accompanied by adults. No registration required; presented by the Huntington area libraries.

LEGO Swap Meet

Huntington Public Library - Main Branch

Saturday, June 10 | 12 PM–4 PM

Bring your new or gently used LEGO sets to make a trade. Complete sets only. All trades are between participating attendees; no cash may be exchanged. No registration required; presented by the Huntington area libraries.

D&D Adventures

Elwood Park on Cuba Hill Road
Wednesdays, June 14, 21, 28
7 PM–8:30 PM

Use D&D mechanics, with a focus on storytelling, for character development. No registration required; presented by the Huntington area libraries.

Escape the Room

Huntington Public Library - Main Branch

Tuesday, June 20 | 7 PM–8 PM

Use your knowledge of pop-culture to solve clues, find keys, open locks and escape the room. No registration required; presented by the Huntington area libraries.

Pokémon GO Raid

Elwood Park on Cuba Hill Road
Wednesday, June 28
5:45 PM–7 PM

Take on some of the toughest legendary and mythical Pokémon. No registration required; presented by the Huntington area libraries.

Community Service

All community service events will award 1 hour of community service, unless otherwise stated in the event description. This community service is for district residents only in grades 6-12. Please allow up to one week for a response via e-mail with community service certificates.

International Cooking

Monday, May 1 | 5:30 PM–6:30 PM

(DH) 


Learn how to make some delicious dishes and earn some community service!

Mindfulness May: Body Image

Monday, May 8 | 4 PM–5 PM (DH) 

Promise Pathways will be presenting on body image and the mental representations an individual creates of themselves. Earn community service while learning about this important topic!

Veterans Reception Volunteers

Saturday, May 13 | 10 AM (DH) 

Help volunteer at our Veterans Reception.


Bookmark Contest Reception Volunteers

Saturday, May 20 | 12:30 PM–1:30 PM

(DH) 


Help volunteer at our Bookmark Contest Reception.

Books & Cooks Volunteers

Saturday, May 20 | 12 PM–4 PM (DH) 


Help volunteer at the library's first-ever Books & Cooks event! Teen volunteers will help at our children's craft tables.

Pins for Pride Month

Thursday, May 25 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 

Help make pins to give out to the community for Pride Month in June!

Summer Kickoff Carnival Volunteers

Thursday June 22 | 4 PM–7 PM (M) 

Help volunteer at this year's Summer Kickoff Carnival at our Melville branch.

Tech Time


3D Printing

Saturday, May 6 | 2:15 PM–3:30 PM

(DH) 

Learn about the process of 3D printing and its utilitarian uses. Attendees receive an IMAGINE 3D printed keychain!


Cricut Corner

Wednesday, June 7 | 6 PM–8 PM (DH) 

Have a design that you want to try out on the Cricut? Drop in for assistance as you try out this automated cutting machine. No registration required.


Just for Fun

Design Your Own Gems

Friday, May 5 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 


Design your own gemstones!

Hanging Air-Plant Terrariums

Monday, May 8 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 

Create hanging terrariums using air plants, a species of flowers that doesn't need soil to grow.

Faux Hamburger & French Fries

Thursday, May 9 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 

Make two burger cupcakes with a side of cookie French Fries using buttercream icing, candy and sprinkles!

Stitch-In


Wednesdays, May 10, June 14 | 7 PM

(DH) 

Presented by Embroiderer's Guild of America


Master embroidery, brush up on your skills, get help with current projects and get suggestions for new projects.

Candle Workshop

Thursday, May 11 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 


Learn how to make a candle by spooning layers of colored and scented wax into a pre-wicked candle glass!

Flower Wreaths

Friday May 12 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 


Design a floral wreath to help May bloom in your corner of the world.

Pop-up Mother's Day Cards

Saturday, May 13 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH) 


Create a pop-up card with Chris Vivas!

Mario Kart Tournament

Monday, May 15 | 7 PM–8 PM (DH) 

Compete against friends to see who will win the Grand Cup in our Mario Kart tournament with Mr. Po!


Fizzy Bath Bombs

Tuesday, May 16 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 

Take time for self-care by making some fruit-scented, fizzy bath bombs!

Battle of the Books Interest Meeting




Thursday, May 18 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH) 

Grades 6-9


Love to read? Are you competitive? Learn about this Suffolk County wide book competition and hear about this year's Battle titles!

Sushi Candles

Monday, May 22 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 


Using beeswax strips, create sushi-inspired candles. Enjoy candy sushi snacks!

Donut Soaps

Friday, June 2 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 


Celebrate National Donut Day by making some sweet-smelling donut soaps and partake in a donut taste test.

No-Bake Blueberry Cheesecakes

Monday, June 5 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 


Assemble no-bake blueberry cheesecakes.

Soccer Ball Cupcakes

Friday, June 9 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 


Decorate cupcakes to look like a soccer ball. Make three cupcakes using buttercream icing, black food dye and a pastry bag!

Spice Blends for Father's Day

Monday, June 12 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) 

Mix up some tasty spice blends to gift to someone special on Father's Day.

Trivia & Trail Mix

Thursday, June 15 | 7 PM–8 PM (DH) 


Play summer-themed trivia, listen to music and make delicious trail mix with Theresa!

Butterfly Tree

Friday, June 16 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH) 


Make a butterfly tree!

Board Game Tournament

Monday, June 19 | 7 PM–8 PM (DH) 

Mr. Po created a heart-stopping, fast paced, speed motivated board game tournament designed to see who has what it takes to win before the clock runs out!

Sculpey Mythological Creatures

Monday, June 26 | 7 PM–8 PM (DH) 

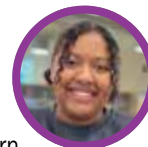
Create fantastical mythological creatures using sculpey clay with Chris Vivas!

Teen Chat Group

Thursdays, May 4, 11, 18, 25

2:30 PM–3:30 PM (DH) 

Connect with our Social Work Intern, Breanna, from Stony Brook University. Join her each week for a different topic; i.e. résumé building, job searching, anxiety, etc or any topics you'd like to discuss.




Career Prep



Job Coach

Thursdays, May 11, 25,

June 8, 22 (DH) 

Appointments from

5:30 PM–8:30 PM

(last appointment at 8 PM)

Not sure what career path to take after high school or college? Need help finding a job? Get assistance from MaryAnn Verdolino, certified career counselor. Visit hhhllibrary.org or call a librarian at 631-498-1234 to schedule a half-hour appointment.

Employment Workshop

Wednesday, May 17

6 PM–7 PM (DH) 

Learn tips and tricks for landing that summer job!

Student Rules

If staff sees you doing the following, you will be asked to leave the library.



- Swearing/loud talking
- Being disrespectful towards fellow students & staff



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Board Meetings

Monday, May 22 | 6:30 PM

Tuesday, June 20 | 6:30 PM

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- Photo ID is required.
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- If the document requires a witness, you must provide your own.
- No deeds, mortgages, (or other real estate documents,) wills, living wills, trusts, codicils, powers of attorney or depositions.

How To Register

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- We reserve the right to deny admittance once class has begun.
- Register online at hhlibrary.org, in-person or by calling the library.
- Registration limited to district residents for Children's and Teen programs.
- Payment for programs with fees can be made online with a credit card. Stop by the Circulation Department at Dix Hills or Melville to pay by check, credit card or cash. **Fees are nonrefundable.**
- Pre-registration is required for auditorium seating.
- Doors open 15 minutes before events.
- Opinions presented by speakers are those of the speakers' and do not reflect an endorsement by the Library.
- Programs may be photographed/videotaped for library publicity. Notify library staff if you prefer not to be included.
- Programs for adults are for ages 18 and up, teen programs are for grades 6-12 and children's programs are as noted. See Children's Services section for registration information.

Thank you for your cooperation.