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Summer Reading Experience for All Ages

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All classes require a registration unless otherwise stated. Zoom login information sent within 24 hours of class beginning via e-mail. Registration for July events begins on Tuesday, June 24 and August events begins Tuesday, July 29, at 10 AM, unless otherwise indicated. All classes will take place in-person with the location specified unless noted as follows:  Zoom

Fun Classes

Supplies are limited to in-class participation only.



Crafternoon!

11:30 AM (DH)

Wednesday, July 9: Summer Candle

Monday, August 4: Paper Parasol Wreath

Art with Us

Fridays, July 11 & 25

August 8 & 22

11 AM–12:30 PM (DH)

Get step-by-step instructions on drawing, sketching, painting, sculpting, printing, etc.

Tie-Die Crewneck

Tuesday, July 15 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by To Tie-Dye For Clothing

Follow step-by-step instructions to tie-dye a crewneck. Please dress for a mess.

Must indicate size in note field when registering. Cost: \$5

Decoupage Shell

Thursday, July 17

6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor Danielle Masztal

Using hand-selected shells and papers, create a beautiful trinket dish.



Feather Pour

Wednesday, July 23 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor Jennifer Mariotti

Make a paint pour feather using a palette knife and paper towels. **Cost: \$5**



Party-Game Fun

Have fun and win prizes!

BINGO

Thursday, July 24 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Trivial

Thursday, August 14 | 6:30 PM (DH)



The More We Get Together

Presented by Instructor

Doreen McIlwaine

These events are geared for adults with special needs.

Button Art

Thursday, July 17 | 11 AM (DH)

Create a beautiful turtle out of buttons.

Mason Jar Watermelon/Pineapple

Friday, August 29 | 11 AM (DH)

Paint and decorate a mason jar to look like either a watermelon or pineapple.

Textured Pumpkin Plate

Monday, August 4

6 PM (DH)

Presented by

Majestic Mud-Handmade Pottery LLC

Make a food-safe plate with rolling clay.

Instructor will take items to fire and glaze. Patrons will be notified - approximately 4 weeks after the class - for pickup. **Cost: \$5**



Solar Orbs

Monday, August 11 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor

Lucrezia Levanti

Create an outdoor orb with glass beads and solar lights. **Cost: \$5**



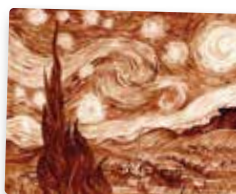
Starry Night

Tuesday, August 12 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist

Bonnie Schwartz

Follow step-by-step directions to paint a masterpiece using only water and coffee. **Cost: \$5**



Suncatcher

Wednesday, August 13

6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor

Danielle Masztal

Create a suncatcher using crystals and glass beads. **Cost: \$5**



Paint Nite: Docked Boat

Tuesday, August 26

6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Canvas Creations

Have fun painting a canvas.

Please wear appropriate attire for painting. **Cost: \$5**



Lectures

Beginner Backyard Birding

Tuesday, July 22 | 2 PM (DH)

Presented by Long Island Birding

Dianne Taggart

Learn about the hobby of bird watching. Explore how to bird in the field, how to enjoy the birds in your backyard and what birds you might see.

How to Look: The Dutch Golden Age of Painting

Tuesday, August 19 | 2 PM (DH)

Presented by Art Historian Jay Schuck

Survey the art of the 17th century Dutch Republic. Explore the different genres of painting through the works of Rembrandt van Rijn, Johannes Vermeer, Jacob van Ruisdael and more.



Wednesdays

10:15 AM (DH) & 

Visit hhlibrary.org for information on events in partnership with the Greens' Men's Group.

What's Cooking

Payment must be made in-person or online at time of registration, no exceptions.

Empanadas

Thursday, July 10 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Maria's Mexican Cooking

Learn how to make traditional empanadas made of masa. Enjoy a taste of the empanadas filled with ground beef or chicken and cheese topped with choice of lettuce, Mexican sauce, sour cream and cotija cheese.

Cost: \$5

Greek Bread

Wednesday, July 16 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by A Mano Baking Company, LLC

Quick and easy no-knead bread with the delicious Greek flavors of spinach, dill, feta and more. Must bring mixing bowl and a utensil. **Cost:** \$5



Floral Cake

Thursday, July 17 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by The Baking Coach

Decorate a single layer round cake using candy flowers and buttercream leaves. **Cost:** \$5



Pizza Making 101

Monday, July 21 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Gaetano Giordano

Discover the history of pizza. Followed by a pizza dough recipe demonstration, instructions on how to cook a delicious pizza at home and a tasting. **Cost:** \$5

Sambhar

Tuesday, July 29 | 5 PM (DH)

Presented by Certified Nutrition Coach & Certified Dietary Manager Geetu Makin

Enjoy a flavorful lentil curry made with vegetables, spices and tamarind, typically served with rice, idli or dosa. **Cost:** \$5

No Bake Pies

Tuesday, August 5 | 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by The Baking Coach

Assemble three different flavors of no-bake pies! Everyone takes home a 4 inch round mini pie of each flavor: vanilla crème, chocolate crème and cheesecake. **Cost:** \$5

Crazy Shakes

Thursday, August 7 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Them's The Breaks Chocolate

Make a fun shake with icing, sugar, crystals, sprinkles and more. Top it off with a decorative skewer (cookie, candy, cupcake or fruit). **Cost:** \$5

Stuffed Funfetti Surprise

Monday, August 11 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by A Mano Baking Company, LLC

Follow instructions to make a quarter pound of cookies loaded with sprinkles, baking morsels and a sweet surprise. Must bring a mixing bowl and utensil. **Cost:** \$5



Just A Taste!

Tuesday, August 12 | 10:30 AM (DH)

Presented by Librarian Antonietta

Enjoy a seasonal demo, tips and tasting of garden tomato, cucumber and red onion salad.

Indian Veggie Pulao

Tuesday, August 26 | 5 PM (DH)

Presented by Certified Nutrition Coach & Certified Dietary Manager Geetu Makin

Enjoy a flavorful one-pot Indian rice dish made with basmati rice, mixed vegetables and aromatic spices. **Cost:** \$5

Tomato Bruschetta

Thursday, August 28 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Knead, Sprinkle, Stitch

Enjoy an evening of making and sampling delicious bruschetta. Must bring a knife and cutting board. **Cost:** \$5

SUMMER COURTYARD CONCERT SERIES

The following outdoor concerts will be held in the library courtyard. In case of inclement weather, the concert will be moved to the Lecture Room.

Foreign Journey

Friday, July 11
7 PM (DH)

Bringing you back to all eras of Foreigner's and Journey's careers. Foreign Journey will encompass their

biggest hits as well as fan favorites with the high energy, nostalgia and authenticity of two of the world's most iconic bands!



Just 60s

Friday, July 18
7 PM (DH)

From Sweet Caroline to Build Me Up Buttercup, sing along to #1 hits from

dozens of different artists including Jefferson Airplane, The Monkees, Janis Joplin and more.

All are welcome!
No registration required.



The Ronald Reagans Big 80s Show

Friday, July 25
7 PM (DH)

With big hair and bodacious '80s-inspired costumes, this family friendly show brings the most radically awesome decade to life. Listen to pop, new wave and rock chart toppers.



Dancing is encouraged!

B.Y.O.S.
Bring your own seating! (chair, blanket, etc.)

Book Discussions for Adults

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

Lunch Time Talk

Fridays | 12 PM

(DH) & 

Leaders: Jill Rowley & Laura McKinley, Librarians

July 11: *The God*

of the Woods by Liz Moore

August 8: *On Fire*

Island by Jane L. Rosen

September 5: *Three Days in*

June by Anne Tyler



Open for Discussion

Thursdays | 11:30 AM (DH)

Leader: Joe Brown, Librarian

Sign up for a literary journey as we discover under-the-radar genre-bending novels. Read debut authors, hidden gems and titles that may not have received mainstream attention.

July 10: *The Memory Collectors*

Author Dete Meserve will be joining us via Zoom

August 14: *The Original Daughter*

by Jemimah Wei



20s & 30s Book Club

Wednesdays | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Leaders: Kasey Doherty & Karissa Durler, Librarians

A book club for twenty & thirty-somethings focusing on fantasy & contemporary fiction made popular on BookTok and Bookstagram. Read with us and see if the books are worth the hype! Books are reserved for registrants.

July 30: *Listen for the Lie*

by Amy Tintera

August 27: *Babel: Or the Necessity of Violence: An Arcane History of the Oxford Translators' Revolution* by R. F. Kuang



Reader Selects

Tuesdays | 7 PM 

Leader: Chris Garland, Librarian

July 15: *Taking Manhattan:*

The Extraordinary Events That Created New York and Shaped America by Russell Shorto

August 19: *The Sirens' Call:*

How Attention Became the World's Most Endangered Resource by Chris Hayes



Donation Corner

School Supplies

August 1 – August 15

Donate a new backpack and/or school supplies to be given to Reach CYA for students in need. New supplies needed include: new backpacks, pencils, pens, notebooks, folders, lunch boxes.

Better World Books

Drop off gently used books in the green box located in the parking lot of the Melville Branch. Better World Books donates thousands of books to non-profit organizations around the world.



Island Harvest

Your library in Dix Hills has a permanent food donation drop box. This drop is labeled for nonperishable food donations to help fight food insecurity on Long island.



In the Gallery



GREENS MEN'S GROUP
Photography Club
OPEN TO ALL RESIDENTS

Starting Points

Presented by Greens Men's Group Photography Club

July 1 – August 25 (DH)

Featured Artists:

Richard Gardner, Ellis Koch, Harvey Rock, Hal Rosen and Joseph Vespe

Active in both professional and amateur photography, the photography club was formed to share knowledge and expertise—because you're never too old to learn something new. Enjoy a small sample of the artists' accumulated lifetimes in photography, marking a "Starting Point" for their new, continued adventure into honing their craft.

Reception: Tuesday, July 1 | 6 PM (DH)



OUTREACH SERVICES

Outreach Delivery Service/ Homebound

If you or a loved one cannot visit the library, we will come to you! This free service is for Half Hollow Hills Community Library residents with a permanent or temporary impairment, making it difficult to get to the library. For more info or to register, please contact us at **631-421-4530** and ask for the Outreach Librarian.

Fitness Classes (DH) &

Online and in-person registration for residents with valid library card begins 6/23, unless noted. Non-resident registration begins 6/24. 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 page 16 for more information.

Check your e-mail or the website for a list of supplies needed for class and class descriptions.

Pilates

Tuesdays, July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
August 5, 12, 19, 26 | 10:45 AM

Instructor Melissa Levine

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Arthritis Exercise

Wednesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 30
August 6, 13, 20, 27 (no class 7/23)

12:30 PM

Instructor Eden Bennett

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

CardioFit

Wednesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
August 6, 13, 20, 27 | 10 AM

Instructor Evelyn Regan

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Body by Melissa

Fridays, July 11, 18, 25, August 1, 8, 15,
22, 29 | 10:45 AM

Instructor Melissa Levine

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)



Pilates

Thursdays, July 3, 10, 17, 24,
31, August 7, 14, 21, 28 | 5 PM

Instructor Melissa Levine

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Evening Yoga

Mondays, July 7, 21, 28, August 4, 11,
18, 25 (no class 7/14) | 7 PM

Instructor Ann McDermott

Cost: \$35 (7 classes)

Yoga

Mondays, July 7, 14, 21, 28
August 4, 11, 18, 25 | 2 PM

Instructor Evelyn Regan

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Afternoon Yoga

Fridays, July 11, 18, 25
August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 2 PM

Instructor Cathy Adamo

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Chair Yoga

Thursdays, July 3, 10, 17, 31, August 7,
14, 21, 28 (no class 7/24) | 12:30 PM

Instructor Eden Bennett

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Evening Zumba

Mondays, July 7, 14, 21, 28
August 4, 11, 18, 25 | 5:45 PM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Wednesday Zumba

Wednesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
August 6, 13, 20, 27 | 5:30 PM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Thursday Zumba

Thursdays, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
August 7, 14, 21, 28 | 10:30 AM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Saturday Zumba

Saturdays, July 5, 12, 19, 26
August 2, 9, 16, 23 | 10:30 AM

Instructor Adriana Molinelli

Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Bus Trip



Culinary Institute Of America & Hyde Park

Tuesday, October 14 | Bus leaves at 7:30 AM (M)

Enjoy a gourmet lunch at the award-winning Italian Restaurant, Caterina de Medici Restaurant, at the world's premier Culinary College. After lunch, visit the FDR Mansion Historic Site, as well as the FDR Presidential Library & Museum. Cost includes 3-course lunch, all admission fees, guided tour of the FDR Mansion & Historic Site, self guided tour of FDR Presidential Library, deluxe motorcoach and gratuities. Registration begins 6/24 for residents and 6/25 for non-residents at 10 AM. **Cost:** \$190 (nonrefundable)

* Bus trip is rain or shine *

2025-2026

LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE & TRUSTEE ELECTION RESULTS

Thank you for your support!

Yes: 476 **No:** 82

Congratulations!

Gregory Laub has been re-elected as Library Trustee.

Find A Hobby



**Presented by Huntington-based
Songwriter and Performer
Toby Tobias**

Songwriter Workshop
Thursdays, July 24
August 21 | 7 PM (DH)

Bring copies of the lyrics to 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.

Line Dancing

Tuesdays, July 1, 8, 15, 22 | 6 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor Elena Austin

Learn and practice steps/combinations for line dances at an easygoing pace.

Knitting Circle

Wednesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

August 6, 13, 20, 27 | 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.

Joy of Journaling

Thursdays, July 3, August 7

6:30 PM–8 PM (DH)

Build journaling habits such as bullet journaling, junk journaling and more. Stencils, markers and materials will be available.

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

Tuesdays, July 8, August 12

2 PM–4 PM (DH)

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

Magic The Gathering: Jumpstart

Tuesdays, July 8, 22, August 12, 26
6 PM (DH)

Presented by Game Master James

Learn to play this trading card game or bring your own deck to play various versions of the game. Participants will receive 2 jumpstart packs and earn a booster pack for each win.

Scrapbooking

Tuesdays, July 8, 22, August 5, 19
7 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor Danielle Masztal

Learn basic watercoloring, folding, handlettering and tool techniques such as embossing, stamping, letterpress, cutting, etc. Bringing own photos is encouraged but not necessary.

Intro to Cricut

An introductory class to Cricut and Design Space that focuses on projects you can make with different materials. **Prerequisites:** Basic computer skills

Cardstock

Wednesday, July 23 | 11 AM (DH)

Vinyl

Wednesday, August 13 | 11 AM (DH)

Coffee & Coloring

Wednesdays, July 30

August 27 | 10 AM (DH)

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

Defensive Driving

Saturday, July 12 | 10 AM–4 PM (DH)
OR

Wednesday, August 6 **AND**

Thursday, August 7 | 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 a valid library card. **Cost:** \$35

English Classes



For more language learning opportunities, please contact the HHHCL Outreach Librarian: outreach@hhhlbrary.org.

New English Speakers Conversation Café

Tuesdays | 10 AM (DH)

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

In Need of a Notary?

The library offers a free Notary Public service. Please thoroughly review our policy at hhhlbrary.org. Call the library at 631-421-4530 to be connected with the notary and to schedule an appointment. Appointments are required.




LIBRARY of Things

Looking for a congratulatory lawn sign? How about cornhole for your next BBQ? Maybe you want to start bird watching but don't have a kit? Explore the exciting collection of "Things" that can be loaned to Half Hollow Hills district residents! For more information or to reserve an item visit <https://www.hhhlibrary.org/library-of-things>.

Throwback Theater

(500) Days of Summer (2009) Rated PG-13.

95 minutes.

Thursday, August 21 | 11 AM (DH)



Monday Matinees



Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy (2025)

Rated R. 124 minutes.

Monday, July 14 | 11 AM (DH)

Nonnas (2025) Rated PG. 111 minutes.

Monday, July 28 | 11 AM (DH)

You're Cordially Invited (2025)

Rated R. 109 minutes.

Monday, August 11 | 11 AM (DH)

Moving On (2022) Rated R. 85 minutes.

Monday, August 25 | 11 AM (DH)

Streaming Movies



Watch these movies, 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

Madeleine Collins (2021) Not rated. 106 minutes.

Kanopy.

Wednesday, July 23 | 6:30 PM

The Lunchbox (2013) Rated PG. 105 minutes. Kanopy.

Wednesday, August 27 | 6:30 PM

Outdoor Family Film

Paddington in Peru

(2024) Rated PG. 106 minutes.

Thursday, July 31 | 8 PM (DH)

Bring blankets or chairs and enjoy the evening with your neighbors and friends. The event will be moved indoors in the case of inclement weather. Registration is required.



Roku
Channel

HBO
max

Disney+
kanopy

hulu
hoopla

Take home our 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.

**NEW
SERVICE**

Proctoring Services at the Library

Do you need to take an exam that requires proctoring services? The library may be able to help! Please visit our website and fill out the Proctor Request Form. District residents only. For more information, please contact Librarian Jill Rowley at **631-421-4530** ext. 1255, or e-mail proctoring@hhlibrary.org

Healthy Living

Memory Fitness

Wednesdays | 2 PM (M)

Have fun exercising your brain with games, puzzles and trivia, as well as optional creative arts and crafts projects. Learn ways to help keep your brain healthy. **Note:** An interactive class, not a lecture.

Weekly Online Newsletter

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

Senior Brain Challenge

Mondays | 10:30 AM (M)

Join your peers on Zoom for a fun brain workout with puzzles, quizzes and games.



Alzheimer Disease Resource Center

Mondays, July 14

August 11 | 5:30 PM (M)

A monthly caregiver support group for community members who are impacted by having a loved one living with Alzheimer's Disease or other dementias. Support groups provide family care partners with the emotional support, education and guidance they need to better understand the disease.

Diabetes Prevention

Thursday, July 24 | 2 PM (DH)

Presented by Suffolk County Department of Health Services

Type 2 diabetes is a growing epidemic in the US with 1 out of 10 people diagnosed with the disease. Learn about the risk factors, health consequences, prediabetes and ways to reduce your risk. Discover the Diabetes Prevention Program and review eligibility requirements and benefits.

Mindfulness Part 1

Tuesday, August 5 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Licensed Acupuncturist Donna Nesteruk, L. Ac.

Mindfulness allows one to develop consciousness to be in the present moment and aware of their surroundings. During this workshop, you will practice mindful meditations.

Meditation: A Priority In Today's World

Wednesday, August 20 | 7 PM (M)

Presented by Meditator Gaurav Singh

Discover meditation's benefits, including stress reduction, improved focus, emotional balance, better health, calmness and more. Try a simple, time-tested meditation technique.



Suffolk County Public Libraries Summer Tour!

With your free Suffolk Summer Tour booklet, visit public libraries all around Suffolk County any time from July 1 through August 31. When you visit, be sure to find that library's color swatch and then locate their Stamp Station to receive a stamp in your booklet. After 5, 15, and 25 library visits you will be entered into fun raffles.

At your 25th library you will officially be a Summer Tour

Library Artist and receive a special commemorative patch (while supplies last)!



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. Refreshments available.



Veterans Peer Support Project

Mondays, July 21, August 18

12 PM-2 PM (DH)

Stop by to speak with a peer mentor about free programs and services.

- Joseph P. Dwyer Veterans Peer Support Project
- Northport VA Medical Center
- Paws of War
- Long Island State Veterans Home
- Long Island Cares Inc. The Harry Chapin Food Bank
- Northwell Health Unified Behavioral Health Center for Military Veterans and their Families

Long Island State Veterans Home
AT STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY





Seed Library

Seed Library

Pick out your seed packets at the card catalog near the Dix Hills Public Service Desk (limit 3

packets per visit) 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 [#imagineyourgardenhhcl](https://www.instagram.com/imagineyourgardenhhcl).

Late Bloomers: What Late Starters Can Plant Right Now!

Wednesday, July 9 | 7 PM (DH)

**Presented by Seedower Farm
Regina Dlugokencky**

Off to a late start? Fret not, and welcome to the club! Learn about succession planting, the unknown benefits of that late start and some quick start methods to get growing, so that you can enjoy homegrown produce this year!

The Ever Changing & Exciting World of Hydrangeas

Monday, July 14 | 2 PM (DH)

**Presented by Horticulturist
Vincent Simeone**

Hydrangeas are one of the most popular and beloved garden plants. Uncover the diverse selection of hydrangeas to enhance the garden. Specific information on cultivation requirements, pruning and landscape use of hydrangeas will also be discussed.

Tech Classes

Open Makerspace

Thursdays, July 10, August 7
10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Grades K-5 must be accompanied by an adult

Show off your creativity! Learn how the 3D printers, laser engraver, Cricut and other items work. Have a project in mind? We can help. Some projects such as laser and Cricut require patrons to bring their own materials.

Makerspace Services

By appointment only (DH)

Visit <https://www.hhhlibrary.org/makerspace-services> for more information, to review our policy and see the equipment available for use!



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 [hhhlibrary.org](https://www.hhhlibrary.org) to get started or ask a librarian for assistance.

Tech Tuesdays

Tuesdays (no session 7/29)

10 AM–1 PM (DH)

Need cell phone help or assistance with your tablet or laptop? Stop in for one-on-one assistance. Sessions are 30 minutes and are first come first serve.



Online Job Search

Thursday, July 17 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Discover how to use the Internet to find that perfect job! Learn how to create accounts, search for employment opportunities with online job sites, complete applications, discuss industry do's and don'ts and much more.

Create a Winning Résumé

Thursday, July 24 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Learn powerful techniques to create a résumé that stands out to potential employers. Uncover how to create, style and format your résumé using MS Word. **Prerequisites:** Online Job Search and/or Basic Computer Knowledge.



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.

Introduction to Microsoft Excel Thursday, August 14 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Master the basics of the world's most popular spreadsheet program, including creating, editing and formatting worksheets, formulas, and much more. **Prerequisites:** Computer Kindergarten and 1st Grade or equivalent.

Intermediate Microsoft Excel Thursday, August 28 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

A hands-on class highlighting the world's most popular spreadsheet program, including functions, working with ranges, macros, charting and much more. **Prerequisites:** Computer Kindergarten, Computer 1st Grade and Introduction to Microsoft Excel or equivalent.

Events for All Ages

IMAGINE
HALF HOLLOW HILLS
COMMUNITY LIBRARY

SUMMER EXPERIENCE COLOR OUR WORLD™ JUNE 28 - AUGUST 14

SUMMER READING EXPERIENCE FOR ALL AGES

ADULTS Ages 18 and up

- Register online or in-person from June 28 through August 14.
- Beginning on June 30, pick up your registration packet and Coloring Wheel Card in Dix Hills or Melville.
- Earn raffle tickets for prizes, and get the chance to win the Grand Prize, a Cricut Explore 3 Bundle, at the end of the summer.
- For more information and to download the Summer Experience app, visit hhlibrary.org/services/adults.
- "🎨" denotes special Summer Experience events.

TEENS Entering grades 6-12 in Fall 2025

- Register online or in-person from June 28 through August 14.
- Visit Dix Hills to pick up your Summer Experience starter pack with an Art Card and a fun sign-up prize.
- Earn a raffle ticket for each activity completed on the Art Card. Complete all the activities and receive a mini LED desk lamp.
- For more information and to download the Summer Experience app, visit hhlibrary.org/services/teens.

CHILDREN Birth-age 5 and entering K-grade 5 in Fall 2025

- Register online or in-person from June 28 through August 14.
- Beginning on June 30, pick up your Adventure Card in Dix Hills or Melville.
- Complete your Adventure Card and return it to the library by August 30.
- Stop by each week to complete an activity to earn fun prizes!
- For more information and to download the Summer Experience app, visit hhlibrary.org/services/children.

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END OF SUMMER CARNIVAL

Thursday, August 14

4 PM-6 PM (DH)

Families with children of all ages

Come one, come all to celebrate the end of our reading program! Enjoy carnival games, music, crafts, food and more! Expecting sunshine; if not the event will be indoors.

No registration required!

Events for All Ages

Museum Passes

Pick-up Museum Passes

Reserve in advance at hhhlbrary.org for the day of your visit and pick up at the Dix Hills Building after 3 PM the day before your visit.

Print-On-Demand (POD) Museum Passes

Reserve in advance at hhhlbrary.org for the day of your visit and print from any computer.

Empire Pass

Borrow it for free! Bring as many friends as your vehicle holds! We offer the following:
x3 Empire Two-Week Passes
x6 Empire One-Day Passes



Featured Museum Passes



The Frick
Collection



Quogue
Wildlife &
Nature Kit



Sagtikos
Manor

Discount Tickets

Please call 631-421-4530 (DH) or 631-421-4535 (M) for details and availability.



Adventureland
\$31.50 per ticket



Long Island Aquarium
\$39 per ticket for adults
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AMERICAN MUSEUM
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American Museum of Natural History
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Bronx Zoo
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Watch Hill Ferry

\$16 per ticket for adults

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Round-trip ferry passage from Patchogue, NY to Watch Hill, Fire Island.



Viking
Fleet

Whale Watching Tours CRESLI

\$50 per ticket for adults

\$25 per ticket for children (ages 5-12)

Patrons can pick up a unique discount code at the library and purchase tickets directly from CRESLI.

Children's Services

Registration for July events begins on Tuesday, June 24 and August events begins on Tuesday, July 29 at 6 PM, unless otherwise stated.

- District Residents only.
- Please list your child's name, grade and school name in the note fields when registering online. For children not yet in school, please include their birth date. 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

Bilingual Storytime

Tuesday, July 1 (Spanish) | 11 AM–11:30 AM (DH) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver

Explore new words, new cultures and new languages with your bilingual librarians.

Capybara Celebration!

Thursday, July 3 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Make a craft and hear a story with Mr. Zack.

Fantastic Fingerplays

Mondays, July 7 AND/OR August 4
10:30 AM–11 AM (DH) Birth-5 years with a parent or caregiver
Have fun with Ms. Nicole and get your fine and gross motor skills working. Singing along is encouraged.

Shark Week Sea-lebration

Tuesday, July 8 | 11 AM–11:30 AM (DH)
Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Dance, sing and make a craft about sharks with Ms. Emily!

Button Watermelon Craft

Wednesday, July 9 | 10:30 AM–11 AM (DH) Ages 3-5 with a parent or caregiver
Stories and crafts with Ms. Grace.

Children's Services



Totally Tots

Thursdays, July 10 **AND/OR** August 7
10 AM–10:30 AM **(DH)** Ages 2-3 with a
parent or caregiver

Books and crafts with Ms. Michele.

Colors, Shapes and Numbers

Friday, July 11 | 10:30 AM–11:15 AM
(M) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Music, stories and art with "A Time for Kids".

Playdough Fun

Saturday, July 12 | 11 AM–11:30 AM
(DH) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Have fun with Ms. Michele and playdough.

Painting with Cars

Monday, July 14 | 10 AM–10:30 AM
(DH) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Paint using cars, trucks and more with
Mr. Zack! **Dress for a mess.**

Babies Boogie

Tuesdays, July 15 **(M)** **AND/OR**
August 12 **(DH)** | 10 AM–10:30 AM
Birth-23 months with a parent
or caregiver
Giggles and songs with Ms. Nicole Sparling.

Toddlers Tango

Tuesdays, July 15 **(M)** **AND/OR**
August 12 **(DH)** | 11 AM–11:45 AM
Ages 24-48 months with a parent
or caregiver
Wiggle to the beat with Ms. Nicole Sparling.

Sign Language Basics

Wednesday, July 16 **AND/OR**
Friday, August 22 | 10 AM–10:30 AM
(DH) Ages 3 months-5 years with a
parent or caregiver
An interactive class featuring gestures, spo-
ken words, American Sign Language vocabu-
lary, music and more.

Friendly Frog

Saturday, July 19 | 10:30 AM–11 AM
(M) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Stories and a froggy craft with Ms. Donna.

Stories, Songs & Motor Skills

Mondays, July 21 **AND/OR** August 18
10:30 AM–11 AM **(DH)** Birth-5 years
with a parent or caregiver
Enjoy books, songs, rhymes and fingerplays
with Ms. Nicole.

Baby Bonanza

Thursdays, July 24 **AND/OR** August 21
10 AM–11 AM **(DH)** Birth-18 months
with a parent or caregiver
Come to a grownup and baby playdate with
music, friends and age-appropriate toys!

The Colors of My Feelings

Monday, July 28 | 11 AM–11:45 AM
(DH) Ages 2-4 with a parent or caregiver
Explore feelings and colors through stories
and a craft with Ms. Eileen.

Messy Active Play

Tuesday, July 29 | 10:30 AM–11:30 AM
(M) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Messy play allows for hand strengthening and
developing eye-hand coordination. Play with
sand, finger paint, shaving cream and more
with Ms. Donna. **Dress for a mess!**

Let's Get Ready for Preschool

Friday, August 1 | 10:30 AM–11:15 AM
(DH) Entering preschool in September
with a parent or caregiver
Listen to stories about entering preschool,
sing songs and make a craft with "A Time
for Kids."

National S'mores Day

Tuesday, August 5 | 10 AM–10:30 AM
(DH) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver
Enjoy a treat and a craft with Mr. Zack!

Bouncing Babies

Friday, August 8 | 10:30 AM–11:15 AM
(M) Birth-14 months with a parent
or caregiver
Stories, songs and rhymes with Ms. Donna.

Sheep in the Meadow Finger Painting

Wednesday, August 13 | 11 AM–
11:30 AM **(DH)** Ages 2-5 with a parent
or caregiver
Enjoy storytime and finger painting with Ms.
Grace! **Dress for a mess.**

Possum Pals

Friday, August 15 | 11 AM–11:45 AM
(DH) Ages 2-4 with a parent or caregiver
Learn, sing and dance with Ms. Eileen.

Stay and Play

Saturday, August 16 | 10:30 AM–
11:30 AM **(M)** Ages 1-5 with a parent
or caregiver
Meet new friends and have fun with toys
during this playdate with Ms. Donna.

Let's Get Ready for Kindergarten

Wednesday, August 20 | 10:30 AM–
11:15 AM **(M)** Entering kindergarten in
September with a parent or caregiver
Listen to stories about entering Kindergarten,
sing songs and make a craft with "A Time
for Kids."

Bloom Boom!

Wednesday, August 27 | 10:30 AM–
11 AM **(M)** Ages 3-5 with a parent
or caregiver
Stories and a flower craft with Ms. Donna.

Families

Stories for You!

Tuesdays, July 1, 8, 15, 29, August 5,
19, 26 **AND/OR** Thursdays, July 3, 10,
17, 24, 31, August 7, 14, 21, 28
6 PM–6:30 PM **(M)**
Join Ms. Eileen on Tuesdays and Ms. Joan
on Thursdays for fun stories every week.
No registration required.

Super Storytime

Wednesdays, July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30,
August 6, 13, 20, 27 | 6 PM–6:30 PM
(DH)

Hear stories and songs with your friends and favorite librarians. **No registration required.**

Read with Max

Tuesdays, July 22 **AND/OR** August 12
5:30 PM–7:30 PM (M)

Share a story with Max, Ms. Eileen's therapy dog. **Register for one 15-minute session of time.**

School Age

Jack and the Beanstalk

Wednesday, July 2 | 10:30 AM–11 AM
(M) *Grades PreK-5*

Read *Jack and the Beanstalk* and plant beans with Ms. Donna.

Chess Buddies

Saturdays, July 5 **AND/OR** August 9
11 AM–12 PM (DH) *Grades 2-5*

Play chess and advance your current skills with local teen buddies.

Chalk Art

Saturday, July 5 **AND/OR** August 9
1 PM–2 PM (DH) *Grades K-5*

Color your world with this chalk-a-palooza!

Sewing Machine Basics

Monday, July 7 **AND** Tuesday, July 8,
Wednesday, July 9 | 3:30 PM–4:30 PM
(DH) *Grades 4-6 only*

Learn the basics of setting up a sewing machine, sewing and make a craft with Mr. Erik. Class is limited to 12 kids sharing machines. **Must take the July 7 sewing machine basics safety class to participate in the rest of the classes.**

A Lot of Axolotls

Tuesday, July 8 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)
Grades K-4

Learn about this creature and make crafts with Ms. Nicole.

Escape The Crayon Factory!

Wednesday, July 9 | 6 PM–6:45 PM
(DH) *Grades K-5*

Solve puzzles and crack codes to escape the room with Mr. Zack and friends.

Open Makerspace

Thursdays, July 10, August 7 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH) *Grades K-5 must be accompanied by an adult*

Learn how our 3D printers, laser engraver, Cricut and other items work.

Colorful Chameleons

Friday, July 11 | 6:30 PM–7:15 PM (DH)
Grades PreK-2

Stories and a craft with Ms. Victoria.

Introduction to Sign Language and Deaf Culture

Wednesday, July 16 **AND/OR** Friday,
August 22 | 11 AM–12 PM (DH)
Grades K-5

Learn about Deaf culture and beginner signs to start your ASL knowledge.

Meet and Greet: Rapunzel

Friday, July 18 | 1 PM–2 PM (DH)
Grades PreK-3

Meet Princess Rapunzel and make a craft. **Please register 1 spot per family and indicate number attending in the note field.**

Lego Buddies

Saturdays, July 19 **AND/OR** August 30
1 PM–2 PM (DH) *Grades K-5*

Build a theme-based creation with a teen.

Maker Monday

Monday, July 21 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM
(DH) *Grades K-5, must be accompanied by an adult*

Explore the latest gadgets and technologies.

Edible Rainbow Snack

Tuesday, July 22 | 2 PM–2:30 PM (DH)
Grades K-3

Make a rainbow snack with Ms. Michele.

Adventures in Musical Keyboarding

Wednesday, July 23 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)
Grades K-2

Let your hearts sing as your feet dance on our floor keyboards.

Funfetti Teddy Creation

Friday, July 25 | 3 PM–3:45 PM (DH)
Grades PreK-3

Build a friend, listen to music and a story with Ms. Nicole.

Here Comes the Sun

Saturday, July 26 | 11 AM–12 PM (DH)
Grades 2-5

Learn about the sun's energy with Ms. Karen by making projects including a solar light.

Rainbow Balloon Painting

Thursday, July 31 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)
Grades K-5

Paint with the color palette. **Dress for a mess!**

Faux Stained Glass Craft

Thursday July 31 | 6 PM–6:45 PM (DH)
Grades K-5

Craft a stained glass picture with Ms. Mary.

Make a Splash with Art

Monday, August 4 | 2 PM–2:45 PM
(DH) *Grades K-5*

Learn painting basics by making straw blowing ocean art with Ms. Emily!

Advanced Sewing Machine

Monday, August 4 | 5:30 PM–8:30 PM
(DH) *Grades 4-6 only*

Create an advanced sewing machine craft with Mr. Erik. This class is limited to 12 kids sharing machines. **Must have taken the sewing machine basics classes to participate.**

Meet and Greet: Dorothy

Tuesday, August 5 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)
Grades PreK-3

Meet Dorothy and make a craft. **Please register 1 spot per family and indicate number attending in the note field.**

Color BINGO & Craft

Wednesday, August 6 | 3 PM–3:45 PM
(DH) *Grades K-3*

BINGO and a craft with Ms. Michele.

Lighthouse Builders

Wednesday, August 13 | 6 PM–6:45 PM
(DH) *Grades K-5*

Design and construct a lighthouse craft with Mr. Zack.

Stories from the Stage - Seussical

Friday, August 15 | 6:30 PM–7:15 PM
(DH) *Grades PreK-2*

Enjoy stories, songs and games with Ms. Karen.

Gem Colored Bookmarks

Tuesday, August 19 | 2 PM–2:45 PM

(DH) Grades K-3

Design a bookmark with Ms. Michele.

DIY Stamped Pencil Cases

Tuesday August 19 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades K-5

Decorate a pencil pouch using stamps with Ms. Grace.

Koi Fish Celebration

Saturday, August 23 | 11 AM–11:45 AM

(DH) Grades K-5

Create colorful koi fish designs with Mr. Zack.

Back to School BINGO

Tuesday, August 26 | 3 PM–4 PM (DH)

Grades K-5

Enjoy a game of BINGO to win prizes for school with Ms. Nicole.

Pencil Toppers

Thursday, August 28 | 6 PM–6:30 PM

(DH) Grades K-5

Create pencil toppers for school with Ms. Mary.

Events for Children & Teens

Battle of the Books

Tuesday, July 1

3:30 PM–4:30 PM

(DH) Grades 6-9

Review the battle schedule, books and more at this first meeting of the Suffolk County wide book trivia contest. Contact Ms. Amanda at ahayman@hhhllibrary.org with questions.

This year's books:

- *The Area 51 Files* by Julie Buxbaum
- *Mr. Lemoncello's Very First Game* by Chris Grabenstein
- *The Next Great Paulie Fink* by Ali Benjamin
- *Onyeka and the Academy of the Sun* by Tolá Okogwu
- *Slugfest* by Gordon Korman
- *The World-Famous Nine* by Ben Guterson



Tweens Afternoon Out:

DIY Sunglasses

Wednesday, July 16 | 3 PM–4 PM (DH)

Grades 4-8

Create sunglasses using charms & beads.

The Great Wave

Monday, July 21 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades 4-8

Create your own version of *The Great Wave off Kanagawa* by Katsushika Hokusai using watercolor and oil pastels.

Percy Jackson Party

Friday August 8 | 4 PM–5:30 PM (DH)

Grades 4-8

Celebrate all things Percy Jackson!

Kawaii Party

Friday, August 15 | 3 PM–4 PM

(DH) Grades 4-12

Celebrate this Japanese word for cute with bubble tea and crafts!



Teens

Registration for July events begins on Tuesday, June 24 and August events begins Tuesday, July 29 at 6 PM, unless otherwise stated. Programs for teens entering grades 6-12. Unless otherwise stated. All classes require a registration.

Community Service

Submissions may be used on our social media channels. 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.** This is a virtual submission community service: for more information, examples and guidelines, visit hhhllibrary.org/services/teens.

Online

Teen Book Reviewers

Visit <https://www.hhhllibrary.org/form/teenbookreviewers> to fill out our Teen Book Reviewer Request form.

Database Reviews

Learn about the library's resources and earn community service! Visit <https://www.hhhllibrary.org/form/teendatabasereviewers> to fill out an interest form.

In-Person

Letters for Veterans

Teens can earn community service by writing letters for local veterans. Teens earn 1 hour per three letters written, with up to six submissions per month. Must be done in person.

School Supplies

August 1 – August 15

Donate a new backpack and/or school supplies to be given to Reach CYA for students in need. Receive an hour for donating a new, unused backpack and/or an hour for new, unused school supplies, for up to two hours earned.

Chess Buddies Volunteers

Saturdays, July 5 **AND/OR** August 9

11 AM–12 PM (DH) Grades 8-12

Play and teach a player in grades 3-5.

Rapunzel Meet and Greet Volunteers

Friday, July 18 | 1 PM–2 PM (DH)

Assist with crafts and activities.

Lego Play Volunteers

Saturdays, July 19 **AND** August 30

1 PM–2 PM (DH)

Assist children in grades K-5.



Caturday

Thursday, July 24 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH)

Create at least 3 different toys for cats.

Dorothy Meet and Greet Volunteers

Tuesday, August 5 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)

Assist with crafts and activities.

End of Summer Carnival Teen Volunteers

Thursday, August 14 | 4 PM–6 PM (DH)

Assist with various activities during the carnival.

Dogust

Thursday, August 14 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH)

Create a collage of adoptable shelter dogs.

Back-to-School Bookmarks

Saturday, August 16 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)

Decorate bookmarks.

New School, New Me?

Moving up to Middle School

Wednesday, August 20 | 5 PM–6 PM

(DH) *Entering grade 6*

Enjoy a casual chat about Middle School while crafting with Family & Children's Association.

Just for Fun

Teen Summer Photo Contest

July 1 – July 24

Capture the theme "Color our World in Half Hollow" and submit a photo to teenservices@hhhllibrary.org by July 24. Submit one entry as either a JPEG or PNG file. For more information pick up a flyer in the Teen Department or ask a librarian.

Bedazzled Book Covers

Monday, July 7 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Bring a book from home and use our bedazzler to create a sparkling book cover!

Teen Cricut Crafters

Tuesdays, July 8, 22, August 5, 19

3 PM–4:30 PM (DH)

Create crafts with our Cricut Machines.

Mangonadas

Friday, July 11 | 6 PM–7 PM

(DH) *Entering grades 6-12*

Make refreshing Mangonadas.



Throwback Arts & Crafts

Monday, July 14 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Entering Grades 6-12

Brush up on your Kindergarten art skills with finger painting, macaroni art and more!

Industrial Wind Chime

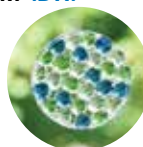
Tuesday, July 15 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH)

Use up-cycled hardware to assemble a wind chime.

Glass Bead Suncatchers

Thursday, July 17 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Create suncatchers using glass beads!



Fiber Arts

Friday, July 18 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Explore the world of fiber arts inspired by nature through color, texture and pattern.

Video Game Music

Tuesday, July 22 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Listen to your favorite video game soundtracks and create instrumental duets and character moves to music including *Minecraft*, *Mario Kart*, *Plants vs. Zombies* and more.

Ceramic Tile Painting

Wednesday, July 23 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH)

Create a permanent design on ceramic tiles.

Nailed It: Summer Challenge

Friday, July 25 | 3 PM–4:30 PM (DH)

Recreate desserts for a chance to win prizes!

Chana Masala: Chickpea Curry

Monday, July 28 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH)

A chickpea curry packed with protein, fiber and flavor.



FC25 Open Play

Monday, July 28 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Play FC25 on our Nintendo Switch!

Wooden Floral Bouquet

Tuesday, July 29 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Create a permanent floral bouquet by painting wooden flowers cut with our Laser Engraver!

Sound Sculpture

Wednesday, July 30 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH)

Create a kinetic sculpture inspired by the artist, Jean Tinguely.

Ice Cream Party

Monday, August 4, 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Celebrate summer with ice cream treats!

DIY Polaroid Frame

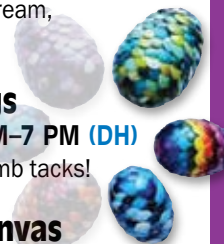
Tuesday, August 5 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Print your favorite photo with our Instax Printer and decorate a frame.

Colors of Summer: Individual Fruit Trifle

Wednesday, August 6 | 5 PM–6 PM (DH)

Assemble a trifle using fruit, cream, custard and sponge cake.



Rainbow Dragon Eggs

Thursday, August 7 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Create dragon eggs using thumb tacks!

Ocean Paint Pour Canvas

Monday, August 11 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

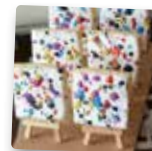
Make beach art using paint pouring.

Jackson Pollock Cookies

Tuesday, August 12

5 PM–6:30 PM (DH)

Use cookies as a canvas to create a design with icing.



Decoden Phone Cases

Wednesday, August 13

3 PM–4 PM (DH)

Create kawaii decoden phone case with various charms! **Must list phone model in notes.**



Bad Art Competition

Monday, August 18 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Compete for the title of "Worst Artist" as we recreate classic art pieces.

Music Escape Room

Tuesday, August 19 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Solve a series of music-themed puzzles and challenges using your problem-solving skills and musical knowledge to escape.

Sphero Night

Wednesday, August 20

6:30 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Race our spheros and do other fun activities.

Geode Art

Thursday, August 21

6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Have fun with gemstones and paint.





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Monday, August 18 | 6:30 PM

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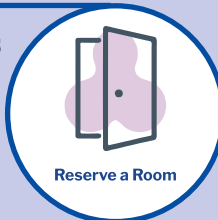
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Reserve a Room

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

- Visit hhlibrary.org to review our Use of Facilities Policy before requesting a room.
- Room requests must be made using the online form at hhlibrary.org and clicking on "Reserve a Room."
- Groups may not book more than one reservation per week.

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.



Community Legal Help Project



Wednesday, July 9 | 3 PM–6 PM (DH)

Do you need help with a legal problem? Call **631-822-3272** for information or to schedule an appointment with an attorney. Walk-ins welcomed. Services provided by Legal Aid Society of Suffolk County, Nassau Suffolk Law Services, Suffolk County Bar Association,

Touro Law Center and volunteer attorneys. Free limited legal information and referrals to Suffolk County residents on topics including:

- Family (Child Support, Visitation, Custody, Order of Protection)
- Matrimonial
- Criminal
- Immigration
- Bankruptcy
- Mortgage Foreclosure

How To Register

- **Registration for July events begins on Tuesday, June 24 and August events begins Tuesday, July 29, unless otherwise indicated in Dix Hills and Melville buildings. Registration for adult events begins at 10 AM and Children/Teen events begin at 6 PM.** By registering, you are guaranteed a spot in the class.
- We reserve the right to deny admittance once a 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/debit card. Stop by the Public Services Department at Dix Hills or Melville to pay by cash, check or credit/debit card. **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.