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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 30 and June events begins Tuesday, May 28, at 10 AM, unless otherwise indicated. All classes will take place in-person with the location specified unless noted as follows: Zoom Facebook

Fun Classes

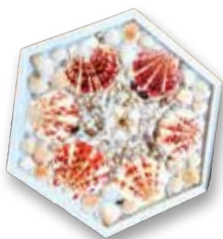
Color Me A Crafter

Fridays, May 3, 17, June 7, 21
11 AM–12:30 PM (DH)

Join us for a fun filled morning of arts and crafts. No previous experience necessary. Registration required for each session.
Note: supplies are limited to in-class participation only. See website for descriptions.

Crafternoon!

11:30 AM (DH)
May 7: *Candle Making*
June 6: *Sailor's Valentine*



Afternoon Fun

Wednesdays | 4 PM (DH)
Have fun and win prizes!
May 8: *BINGO!*
June 12: *Trivia*

Paint Nite: Welcome!

Thursday, May 9
6:30 PM (DH)
Presented by *Canvas Creations*



Follow instructions to create a canvas painting. **Cost:** \$5

Summer Door Round

Tuesday, May 14 | 7 PM (DH)
Presented by Instructor *Lucrezia Levanti*

Paint a wooden round wall hanging. Add ribbons and a simple welcome phrase in the middle. **Cost:** \$5



Shell Heart Earrings

Thursday, May 23 | 6:30 PM (DH)
Presented by Instructor *Maryann McAlpin*

Follow step-by-step instructions to make beautiful earrings. **Cost:** \$5



The More We Get Together

Presented by Instructor *Doreen McIlwaine*. These events are geared for adults with special needs.

Mosaic Butterfly

Monday, May 20 | 11 AM (DH)

Create a beautiful butterfly using mosaic pieces for your garden.

TV Caddy

Monday, June 24 | 11 AM (DH)

Paint and decorate a caddy perfect to store remotes in.

Flower Wreath

Tuesday, June 18
7 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist *Pamela Trastelis*

Follow step-by-step instructions to create a beautiful wreath.



Eco Printed Scarf

Wednesday, June 19
6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist *Oksana Danziger*

Make a scarf using an eco print of leaves and flowers. **Cost:** \$5



Creativebug

Available at hhhlibrary.org for free with your library card. Enjoy unlimited access to a plethora of online arts & crafts classes. Watch anytime, anywhere. Since the classes never expire, you can start and stop projects at your own pace.

Museum Passes

All physical museum passes will be available for pick-up & drop-off at the Public Service Desk in Dix Hills **only**, Monday through Sunday. Print-on-demand passes can be printed from home or at either Dix Hills or Melville library locations. Call 631-421-4530 or 631-421-4535 for more information.

NEW
Pick-up
Location

Pick-up Museum Passes

Reserve in advance at hhhlibrary.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 hhhlibrary.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!

Discount Tickets

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



Adventureland
\$27.50 per ticket



American Museum of Natural History
\$10.00 per ticket



Bronx Zoo
\$31.50 per ticket



Long Island Aquarium
\$27.00 per ticket



Long Island Science Center
\$10.00 per ticket

What's Cooking

For budgetary reasons, a nominal fee is required. Payment must be made in person or online at time of registration, no exceptions.

Enchiladas Rojas

Thursday, May 2 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Maria's Mexican Cooking

Learn to make these authentic enchiladas.

Cost: \$5

Strawberry Shortcake

Monday, May 6 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by The Baking Coach

We supply 2 - 5 inch round cakes. You will make homemade whipped cream and add fresh strawberries. Take home a cake in a bakery box that feeds up to 4 people.

Cost: \$5

Ultimate Chocolate Oatmeal Cookie

Saturday, May 11

11 AM OR 12:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Chef Rob Scott

Bring a large bowl, a medium bowl, a whisk and cookie sheet. **Cost:** \$5

Prosciutto & Provolone Bread

Monday, May 13 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by A. Mano Baking, Co.

Bring a large mixing bowl and spoon or spatula. **Cost:** \$5

No Bake Pies

Thursday, May 16 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by The Baking Coach

Make and take home a 4 inch round mini pie of each flavor: Vanilla Crème, Chocolate Crème, Cheesecake. **Cost:** \$5

Introduction to Tea Appreciation

Tuesday, May 21 | 12 PM (DH)

Presented by The Pleasures of Tea & Infuse Tea Bar

An introduction to the world of loose leaf tea. Taste and discuss three teas. Topics covered include: health benefits, preparation tips, storing, purchasing and more. **Cost:** \$5

Caponata

Thursday, May 30 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Knead, Sprinkle, Stitch Judy Boshnack

Learn to make this Sicilian dish consisting of chopped fried eggplant/auergine and other vegetables. **Cost:** \$5

Carrot Cake

Tuesday, June 4 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by A. Mano Baking, Co.

Single layer carrot cake -- sweet, spiced, and positively loaded with carrots. Bring a large mixing bowl and spoon or spatula. **Cost:** \$5

Raspberry Pound Cake

Tuesday, June 11 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by The Baking Coach

Take home a pound cake to bake. **Cost:** \$5

Bow Tie Primavera

Monday, June 17 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Knead, Sprinkle, Stitch Judy Boshnack

Learn how to make fresh pasta from scratch. Watch a demonstration on how to make a simple primavera. **Cost:** \$5

Fudge Bottom Cake

Tuesday, June 18 | 11:30 AM (DH)

Presented by The Baking Coach

Make and take home a cake ready for the oven. **Cost:** \$5

In The Gallery

Humanity in People, Places and Things

May 1 - May 24

Oil Paintings by Carol Burst



For more information on Carol and her artwork, please visit <https://www.behance.net/carolburstoil>

HHH Secondary Art Exhibition

May 29 - June 16

Half Hollow Hills Fine Arts Department

Student framed artwork and 3D sculptures.

Film and video presentations in Lecture Room during reception.



Reception

Thursday, May 30

6 PM (DH)



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.

Need a Library Card?

Apply Online

Sign up for a temporary card to get immediate access to your library's digital resources and services. Residents of the Half Hollow Hills School District can apply for a 30 day digital card. Go to hhhlibrary.org/services/card.

Once you receive your temporary card via e-mail, we will contact you about a permanent one. Questions? Call **631-421-4530**.

Already Have a Library Card?

Just a reminder, your library card **expires** every three years (homeowner) or yearly (renter). Make sure you are up-to-date. Visit the Public Service Desk at either building to renew so you won't miss out on your favorite services.



Book Discussions for Adults

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

Lunch Time Talk

Fridays | 12 PM

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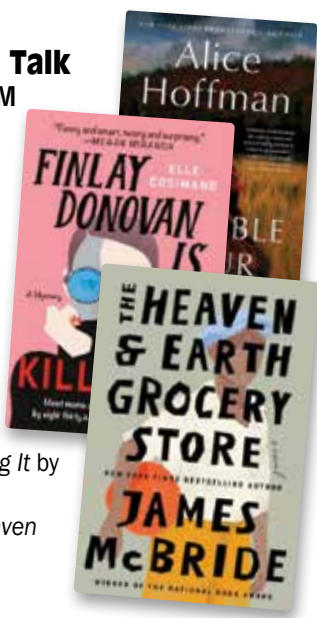
Leaders:

Jill Rowley and Laura McKinley, Librarians

May 3: *The Invisible Hour* by Alice Hoffman

June 7: *Finlay Donovan Is Killing It* by Ellie Cosimano

July 12: *The Heaven & Earth Grocery Store* by James McBride



Reader Selects

Tuesdays | 7 PM

Leader: Chris Garland, Librarian

May 21:

People's Hospital: Hope and Peril in American Medicine by Ricardo Nuila

June 18: *Liliana's Invincible Summer*

A Sister's Search for Justice by Christina Rivera Garza



20s & 30s Book Club

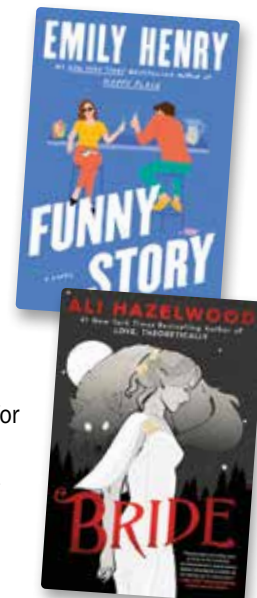
Wednesdays | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

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.

May 29: *Funny Story* by Emily Henry

June 26: *Bride* by Ali Hazelwood



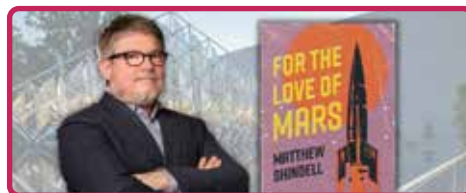
Virtual Author Talks

Registration required to receive Zoom log in at <https://library.org/hhlibrary/upcoming>



Wednesday, May 1 | 3 PM

Genius, Power, and Deception on the Eve of World War I - An Author Talk with Douglas Brunt



Monday, June 3 | 2 PM

For the Love of Mars: A Human History of the Red Planet with Smithsonian Curator Matt Shindell



Wednesday, May 8 | 7 PM

A Murder Mystery, Family Story, & Love Letter to Strong Women Everywhere: Author Talk w/ Nina Simon



Thursday, June 13 | 8 PM

Psychological Thrillers and the Queen of Twists - An Author Talk with Freida McFadden



Tuesday, May 21 | 7 PM

Asian American Representation in Literature: An Author Talk with Rebecca F. Kuang



Thursday, June 20 | 2 PM

Unpacking a History of Systemic Racism in the American Education System with Tiffany Jewell

ADVENTURE
— BEGINS AT —
YOUR LIBRARY

**Summer Experience:
The Adventure Begins**
Register online, in person or via phone
from June 22 through August 22
See page 10 for details.

Free with Your Library Card



Libby

Thousands of ebooks, audiobooks, movies and documentaries have been downloaded. Visit hhlibrary.org.



Hoopla Digital

More than 10,000 titles in music, movies, shows, ebooks, comics and audiobooks are being enjoyed 24/7. Visit hhlibrary.org.

Fitness Classes (DH) &

Online and in-person registration for residents with valid library card begins 4/29, unless noted. Non-resident registration begins 4/30. 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 14, 21, 28
June 4, 11, 18 (no class 6/25)
10:45 AM
Instructor Melissa Levine
Cost: \$30 (6 classes)

CardioFit

Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
June 5, 12, 19, 26 | 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 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
June 7, 14 (no class 6/21 & 6/28)
10:45 AM
Instructor Melissa Levine
Mix of strength training, cardio and Pilates. Cost: \$35 (7 classes)

Arthritis Exercise

Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
June 5, 12, 19, 26 | 12:30 PM
Instructor Eden Bennett
Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Evening Zumba

Mondays, May 6, 13, 20, June 3, 10, 17, 24 (no class 5/27) | 5:45 PM
Instructor Adriana Molinelli
Cost: \$35 (7 classes)

Wednesday Zumba

Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 29, June 5, 12, 19, 26 (no class 5/22) | 5:30 PM
Instructor Adriana Molinelli
Cost: \$40 (8 classes)

Thursday Zumba

Thursdays, May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
June 6, 13, 20, 27 | 10:30 AM
Instructor Adriana Molinelli
Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Saturday Zumba

Saturdays, May 4, 11, 18, 25
June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 10:30 AM
Instructor Adriana Molinelli
Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Evening Yoga

Mondays, May 6, 13, 20, June 3, 10, 17, 24 (no class 5/27) | 6:45 PM
Instructor Cathy Adamo
Cost: \$35 (7 classes)

Yoga

Mondays, May 6, 13, 20, June 3, 10, 17, 24 (no class 5/27) | 2 PM
Instructor Evelyn Regan
Cost: \$35 (7 classes)

Afternoon Yoga

Fridays, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
June 7, 14, 21, 28 | 2 PM
Instructor Cathy Adamo
Cost: \$45 (9 classes)

Chair Yoga

Thursdays, May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
June 6, 13, 20, 27 | 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)

Please check your e-mail or the website for a complete list of supplies needed for class.

Seed Library



Pick out your seed packets at the card catalog near the Dix Hills Public Service Desk and start growing your garden! Limit 3 packets per visit. 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

Want Butterflies?

You Need Host Plants

Tuesday, May 28 | 2 PM (DH)
Presented by KMS Native Plants LLC
Want butterflies? You need host plants. Learn about native butterflies and moths, their life cycle and discover the best host plants.

Herbs & More

Thursday, June 13 | 2 PM (DH)
Presented by Horticulturalist Paul Levine
Discover the best techniques, fertilizer, soil, watering and more for growing herbs.

English Classes



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

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



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

Songwriter Workshop

Thursdays, May 9, June 6
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 23, June 20
7 PM (DH)

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

Landscape Watercolor

Tuesdays, May 7, 14, 21, 28
June 4, 11 6:30 PM (DH)

Presented by Artist Oksana Danziger

This fun and approachable course is great for students of all levels. Learn the fundamentals of watercolor painting. **Cost: \$10**

Beginner Bridge

Thursdays, May 9, 16, 23, 30
June 6, 13, 20, 27 | 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 8, 15, 22, 29
June 5, 12, 19, 26 | 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.

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

Tuesdays, May 14, June 11
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.

Dungeons & Dragons

Tuesdays, May 14, 28
June 11, 25 | 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.

Learn to Crochet:

Granny Squares

Tuesdays, May 21, 28
June 4 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Instructor Cheryl Westerfeld

Versatile, colorful Granny Squares are building blocks for many fun and useful projects. Explore different designs and patterns using basic crochet skills. Required skills: single crochet and double crochet. Bring practice yarn in two colors and appropriate crochet hook.

Coffee & Coloring

Wednesdays, May 28, June 26 | 10 AM (DH)

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

Defensive Driving

Wednesday, May 1 **AND**

Thursday, May 2 | 6 PM–9 PM (DH)
OR

Saturday, June 22 | 10 AM–4 PM (DH)

Presented by Suffolk Safety Program

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

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.

Legislator at Your Library

Thursday, May 9
11 AM–1 PM (DH)

Suffolk County Legislator Tom Donnelly will be having office hours at the Dix Hills building!

Meet your legislator, share concerns, get documents notarized free of charge and receive Senior ID cards. The Suffolk County Sheriff's Office will be providing Suffolk County Medical IDs and "Operation Safe Child" IDs. No registration necessary. For more information, call **631-854-4433**, or e-mail suffolkdo17@gmail.com.



Tech Classes



Inside Your iPad and iPhone

Wednesday, May 15 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Discuss settings for certain device apps, display options, protecting your device with privacy settings, which settings can impact battery life, and much more. Bring your device and your questions. Prerequisites: Introduction to the iPad and iPhone or equivalent/comfort with your device. Please bring your Apple ID and Password.

Introduction to the iCloud

Wednesday, May 22 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Bring your device and discuss iCloud Backup, iCloud Drive, Photo library, what it all means and how to use all their features. Prerequisites: Introduction to the iPad and iPhone or equivalent/comfort with your device. Bring your Apple ID and password.

Working with Photos on your iPad and iPhone

Wednesday, May 29 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Bring your Apple device and learn how to take amazing pictures, organize them on your device, learn how to share and edit photos, such as cropping and resizing and much more. Prerequisites: Comfort with your device. Bring your Apple ID and password.

Intro to the Apple Smartwatch

Wednesday, June 5 | 10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Learn how to use all the capabilities of your Apple Watch, such as making calls, checking email, sending texts, how to connect and sync to your iPhone, how to use the digital button to navigate as well as how to download additional apps. Please bring your smartwatch to class. No prerequisites.

Tech Tuesdays

Tuesdays | 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.

Lectures

An Evening with "The Commish"

Tuesday, May 7 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Former Chairman of the New York State Athletic Commission, Journalist, Sportscaster and Author Randy Gordon

Boxing is one of the most exciting sports in the world. Hear inside stories and see videos highlighting greats like Muhammad Ali, Joe Louis, Lennox Lewis, Sugar Ray Robinson, Rocky Marciano and more.

Seen Behind the Scenes

Thursday, May 9 | 2 PM (DH)

Presented by Producer, Writer and Director Steven Taub

Take a look at the inner workings of television, documentaries, comedy and film. The most successful sitcom in history, "Seinfeld," almost never aired. Learn how streaming altered viewing habits and more.

The Major Musicals of Lerner & Loewe

Thursday, June 20 | 2 PM (DH)

Presented by Dr. Mel Haber

Explore their lives and review some of their major hits: *Brigadoon*, *My Fair Lady*, *Gigi*, *Camelot* and more as well as songs such as *It's Almost Like Being in Love*, *I Could Have Danced All Night* and *Get Me to the Church on Time*.

Wednesdays
10:15 AM (DH) &

Visit hhlibrary.org for information on events in partnership with the Greens' Men's Group. Is your community-based organization interested in partnering with the library? Contact us at events@hhlibrary.org.

Concert Hall

Pre-registration is recommended for auditorium seating.

Solo Flute Recital

Sunday, May 5 | 2 PM (DH)

In conjunction with the Long Island Flute Club, we present world renowned flutist, Tara Helen O'Connor in concert. A native Long Islander, Ms. O'Connor is a charismatic flutist noted for her artistic depth, brilliant technique and colorful tone. She has won numerous grants, prizes and is a two-time Grammy nominee.



Dementia Man:

An Existential Journey

Thursday, May 16 | 6:30 PM (DH)

In collaboration with the Alzheimer's Association, Samuel Simon takes the stage as a man facing his own diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease in this fully autobiographical, award winning performance.

Stagecoach

Sunday, May 19 | 2 PM (DH)

Hear the best Country and Southern rock music on Long Island. Their harmonies and world class fiddle player, distinguish them from your average Country band.



Radio Flashback

Sunday, June 2 | 2 PM (DH)

Rewind time and be immersed in iconic tunes from the 70s and 80s. From Journey, Aerosmith, Boston, Foreigner to Simple Minds and Grand Funk, ELO, Meat Loaf and more.

HHHCSO Piano Recital

Tuesday, June 4 | 6 PM (DH)

Presented by the Half Hollow Hills Fine Arts Department

Half Hollow Hills student recital.

The Marsh Mellows

Sunday, June 9 | 2 PM (DH)

Take a trip down memory lane with unique renditions of favorite rock and folk tunes from the 50s to the 70s.

Healthy Living

Senior Brain Challenge

Mondays | 10:30 AM 

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

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@hhlhlibrary.org or call us at 631-498-1234.

Willing Hearts Helping Hands Outreach Table

Thursdays, May 2, June 6
10 AM–12 PM (DH)

Serving caregivers of older adults by connecting them with a circle of help that includes trained volunteers who provide an array of respite services. Stop by to learn how this program can help you.

One-On-One Medicare Counseling & Assistance

Mondays, May 6, June 3
10 AM–1 PM (DH)

Presented by Suffolk County Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)

Register for a half-hour appointment.



Alzheimer Disease Resource Center

Mondays, May 13
June 10 | 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. For additional information about ADRC's services and programs, call 631-580-4416.

Nutrish with Mish


Mondays, May 20, June 3, 10
(no class 5/27) | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Nutrition Coach/Health Coach Michelle Frieder

Learn the importance of healthy eating, the role of diet in disease prevention, weight loss and more! A recipe book will be provided.

May is Mental Health Awareness Month

Talk Saves Lives

Tuesday, May 14 | 7 PM 

Presented by American Foundation for Suicide Prevention

Uncover risk factors, warning signs and what we can all do to fight suicide.

Association for Mental Health & Wellness

Tuesday, May 21 | 12 PM–2 PM (DH)

Stop in to learn about free programs and services for you or a loved one.



Suicide & Crisis Lifeline

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

Social Worker

Mondays | 1:45 PM–5:45 PM (DH)
Tuesdays | 4 PM–7 PM (DH)

May 20 - June 26:

Mondays | 5 PM–7 PM (DH)
Tuesdays | 9:30 AM–4:30 PM (DH)
Wednesdays | 5 PM–7 PM (DH)

Ellie, our Social Work Intern from Stony Brook University is available to assist with information regarding mental health, finding employment opportunities, government services and forms and locating support groups. **To make an appointment, e-mail socialworker@hhlhlibrary.org.**

Shed the Meds

Wednesday, May 22
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.



Stony Brook Medicine

Healthy Libraries One-on-One Virtual Appointments

Do you or a loved one need help: finding resources in your community, getting reliable health information, filling out paperwork for social services or finding housing? Have questions about medications or a health problem? Meet virtually with students training in public health, nursing and social work. Contact 631-216-8220 to schedule an appointment.

For more information visit the SBM Help website: https://publichealth.stonybrookmedicine.edu/healthy-libraries_program

Donation Corner

Long Island Coalition for the Homeless Pantry Drive

LICH is in need of non-perishable food items and toiletries, including shampoo, toothpaste, toilet paper, cereal and more. Donations are accepted at our Dix Hills library location.



The Boutique

Help support the Long Island Coalition for the Homeless Boutique by bringing in an item of casual/business attire and/or other essential work attire during May. Ask a librarian for a list of items or visit hhlhlibrary.org.



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

Tori and Lokita (2022) Not rated. 89 minutes. Kanopy.

Wednesday, May 29 | 6:30 PM

A Taxi Driver (2018) Not rated. 137 minutes.

Hoopla & Kanopy.

Wednesday, June 26 | 6:30 PM

Monday Matinees



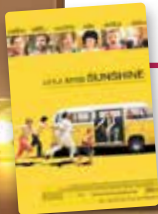
The Zone of Interest (2023) Rated PG-13. 106 minutes.
Monday, May 6 | 11 AM (DH)

Anatomy of a Fall (2023) Rated R. 152 minutes.
Monday, May 20 | 11 AM (DH)

The Iron Claw (2023) Rated R. 132 minutes.
Monday, June 3 | 11 AM (DH)

One Life (2023) Rated PG. 109 minutes.
Monday, June 24 | 11 AM (DH)

Throwback Theater



Little Miss Sunshine (2006)
Rated R. 101 minutes.
Thursday, May 16 | 11 AM (DH)

Outdoor Family Film



Beauty & The Beast (1991) Rated G.
84 minutes. See page 12.
Friday, May 31 | 7:30 PM (DH)



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.

Business

Job Coach

Thursdays, May 2, 16

June 6, 13 (DH)

Appointments are preferred, but walk-ins are welcome from

5:30 PM–8:30 PM

(last appointment at 7:30 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 one hour appointment.

SCORE Small Business Counselor

Wednesdays, May 1, 15, June 5, 19 (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.

Landing Your First Job Out of School

Tuesday, June 4 | 7 PM (DH)

Presented by Job Search & Career Expert Pat Fierro

Writing a résumé and preparing for an interview is one of the best ways to ensure that—at the very least—we appear relaxed and confident. Uncover tips on how to prepare and land your first job.

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A Summer Experience for Everyone

Adults ages 18 and up

- Register online, in person or via phone from June 24 through August 22.
- Beginning on June 25, pick up your registration packet and Adventure Card in Dix Hills.
- Earn raffle tickets for prizes and get the chance to win a Grand Prize, a GoPro Hero II, at the end of the summer.
- More information can be found at hhlhlibrary.org/services/adults beginning June 1.

Teens entering grades 6-12 in Fall 2024

- Register online, in person or via phone from June 24 through August 12.
- Visit Dix Hills to pick up your Summer Experience starter pack with lots of goodies and your Adventure Card.
- Earn a raffle ticket for each activity completed on the Adventure Card. Complete the whole card and receive a Squishmallow!
- More information can be found at hhlhlibrary.org/services/teen beginning June 1.

Children birth-age 5 and entering K-grade 5 in Fall 2024

- Register for this year's Summer Experience online in person or via phone from June 24 through August 12.
- Beginning on June 25, pick up your registration prize and Adventure Card in Dix Hills.
- Complete your Adventure Card, return it to the library by August 31 to receive a completion prize. All completed cards will be sent to your child's school in September.
- Stop by each week to complete a guessing jar activity and earn a fun gift!
- More information can be found at hhlhlibrary.org/services/children beginning June 1.

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@hhlhlibrary.org.

Veterans Support Mondays, May 20, June 17 12 PM–2 PM (DH)

The Joseph P. Dwyer Veterans Peer Support Project was created to assist veterans, service members and their families to achieve and sustain personal health, wellness and purpose in their post-service lives through the support of trained veteran peers. Stop by and speak with a peer mentor to learn about free programs and services for Long Island Veterans of all eras.



Veterans Testimonial Project Open House & Reception

**Saturday, May 18
10:30 AM–12:30 PM (DH)**

Pay tribute to our local Veterans who participated in the Veterans Testimonial Project in 2024. 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.

Registration for May events begins on Tuesday, April 30 and June events begins Tuesday, May 28 at 6 PM, unless otherwise stated.

- 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 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, wait listed 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 Fun

Wednesday, May 1 | 10 AM–10:30 AM
(M) Birth-age 17 months with a parent or caregiver

Music, fingerplays and movement with A Time for Kids.

Hooray for Mother's Day!

Wednesday, May 1 | 11 AM–11:45 AM
(M) Ages 18 months-5 years with a parent or caregiver

Sing some songs and make a cute Mother's Day craft with A Time for Kids.

Zumbini

Thursday, May 2 | 1:30 PM–2 PM (DH)
Birth-age 4 with a parent or caregiver

Presented by Zumbini, this program uses music and movement to promote social, fine and gross motor skills.

1,2,3 Play With Me

Mondays, May 6, 13, 20, June 3, 10
10 AM–11:15 AM
(DH) Ages 12 months-3 years with a parent or caregiver

Parents and children spend time together and play, experience different art activities and meet new friends. Community resource specialists will answer your questions on topics such as child development, nutrition, speech and hearing.



Sign Language Basics

Tuesdays, May 7, June 11 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH) Ages 3 months-5 years with a parent or caregiver

Ms. Jessie takes us on a communication exploration! Use sign language and evoke your senses for a fun class.

Sing, Sign & Science

Tuesdays, May 7, June 11 | 11 AM–11:30 AM (DH) Ages 24 months-4 years with a parent or caregiver

Ms. Jessie helps us to learn about animals! Move your body through songs and activities including sign language.

Babies Boogie

Thursday, May 9 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (M)
Friday, May 24 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH)
Friday, June 7 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH)
Tuesday, June 25 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH)
Birth-age 23 months with a parent or caregiver

Wiggles, giggles and songs with Ms. Nicole.

Toddlers Tango

Thursday, May 9 | 11 AM–11:45 AM (M)
Friday, May 24 | 11 AM–11:45 AM (DH)
Friday, June 7 | 11 AM–11:45 AM (DH)
Tuesday, June 25 | 11 AM–11:45 AM (DH)
Ages 24-48 months with a parent or caregiver

Clap your hands, stomp your feet and wiggle to the beat of Ms. Nicole.

Butterfly Fun

Friday, May 10 | 11 AM–11:30 AM (DH) Ages 1-3 with a parent or caregiver

Sing and read about butterflies plus have a snack.



Bugs, Butterflies & Beautiful Days

Tuesday, May 14 | 6 PM–6:30 PM (DH)
Ages 3-5 with a parent or caregiver

Create simple spring crafts! No registration required.

Rainbow Fish

Wednesday, May 15
10:30 AM–11:15 AM (M)
Ages 18 months-5 years with a parent or caregiver

Decorate a Rainbow Fish while learning about the kindness of sharing.



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!



Stories, Songs & Motor Skills

Thursday, May 16 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (DH)

Monday, June 17 | 10 AM–10:30 AM (M)

Birth-age 3 with a parent or caregiver

Enjoy books, songs, rhymes and fingerplays to work on our motor skills together.

Crafternoon

Saturday, May 18 | 11 AM–11:45 AM

(DH) Ages 5 and up with a parent or caregiver

Make a fun craft.

Totally Tots

Wednesdays, May 22, June 12

10 AM–10:30 AM (DH)

Ages 2-3 with a parent or caregiver

Listen to a fun story and make a craft.

Baby Starts

Thursday, June 6 | 10 AM–10:30 AM

(DH) Birth-age 17 months with a parent or caregiver

A Time for Kids makes literacy and early language development a blast.

Father's Day Fun

Thursday, June 6 | 11 AM–11:45 AM

(DH) Ages 18 months-5 years with a parent or caregiver

Celebrate Fathers and make a craft with A Time for Kids.

Jump for Joy... It's June!

Thursday, June 13 | 6 PM–6:30 PM (DH)

Ages 3-5 with a parent or caregiver

Make some easy, jumpy, jolly crafts!

Playdough Fun

Saturday, June 15 | 11 AM–11:45 AM

(DH) Ages 5 and under with a parent or caregiver

Have fun with playdough!

Mr. Frog's Number Train

Tuesday, June 18 | 10:30 AM–11:15 AM

(DH) Ages 18 months-5 years with a parent or caregiver

Chug along with A Time for Kids for a fun Frog story, dancing and making a train craft.

Flavors of the Rainbow

Thursday, June 20 | 11 AM–11:30 AM

(DH) Ages 2-5 with a parent or caregiver

Taste test healthy snacks in a variety of colors, flavors and textures to find your favorite bite!



Vox is a permanently attached reader that transforms an ordinary print book into an all-in-one read-along. Children simply push a button to listen and read!

Families

Stories For You!

Tuesdays, May 7, 14, 21, 28, June 4, 11, 18, 25 | 6 PM–6:30 PM (M)

Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, June 6, 13, 20, 27 | 6 PM–6:30 PM (M)

Join Ms. Eileen on Tuesdays and Ms. Joan on Wednesdays for fun stories every week. No registration required.

Toddler Prom

Monday, June 17 | 11 AM–12 PM (DH)

Families with children ages 18 months-5 years

Please note how many will be coming in the note field

Dress to impress and put on your dancing shoes! Light refreshments available.

The Quest for the Kakapo

Saturday, June 29 | 11 AM–11:45 AM

(DH) Families with children birth-grade 5
Register in note field how many are coming

Join the Caterpillar Hunter on an exciting adventure as he travels around the world to rescue a rare endangered parrot, known as the Kakapo, from New Zealand. Presented by Traveling Lantern Theatre Company.

Beauty and the Beast
Outdoor Family Film
Beauty and the Beast
(1991) Rated G; 84 minutes.

Friday, May 31 | 8 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. Bring some blankets, 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.**

Meet Belle
Friday, May 31 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Outdoor Games

Crafts

Refreshments Available

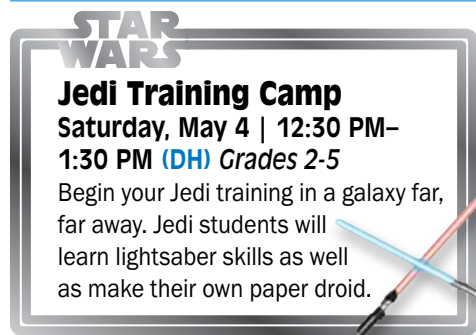
Second Annual Pet Parade

Saturday, June 15 | 12 PM–2 PM (DH) Families of all ages

Please let us know your pet(s) name and join the parade with your favorite pet(s). All pets must be on a leash or in a cage/container. All participants are responsible for cleaning up after their pet(s).

Raindate: Monday, June 24 | 2 PM–4 PM (DH)

School Age



Jedi Training Camp

Saturday, May 4 | 12:30 PM–1:30 PM (DH) Grades 2-5

Begin your Jedi training in a galaxy far, far away. Jedi students will learn lightsaber skills as well as make their own paper droid.

Maker Monday

Mondays, May 6, June 3

6:30 PM–7:30 PM (DH) Grades K-5

Explore the latest gadgets and technology. Must be accompanied by an adult.

Mother's Day Gift Creation

Tuesday, May 7 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades K-5

Prepare for Mother's Day by making gifts for the special mother in your life.

Skip the Seat Learning: Strong Mind, Strong Body Presented by Actions Speak

Thursday, May 9 | 6:30 PM–7:15 PM

(DH) Grades 2-5

Developed by a PT, OT & SLP team. Activities focus on confidence building. Geared toward children of all abilities.

Campfire Cookies

Friday, May 24 | 4 PM–4:45 PM (DH)

Grades K-3

These are fun cookies to make even if you aren't going camping!

3D Printed Bubble Wands

Friday, May 24 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades 2-5

Design a bubble wand and we will print it out on the 3D printer. Prints will be available for pick-up at a later date.



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grade 5 in Fall 2024
See page 10 for details!

The Suffolk County Farm:

Butterflies

Friday, May 31 | 2 PM–3 PM (M)

Ages 3-5 years with a parent or caregiver

Learn about butterflies, their habitats and their life cycle. Get to see butterflies up close.

National Best Friends Day

Saturday, June 8 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)

Grades 2-5

Make a craft for your best friend.

Thank A Teacher

Tuesday, June 11 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades K-5

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

Swiftie Sing Along

Friday, June 21 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Grades K-5

Celebrate Taylor Swift's half birthday with crafts and sing along to your favorite Taylor Swift songs.

Suffolk County Farm: Pet Pals

Monday, June 24 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)

Grades K-5

Learn about small pets you can have in your home or classroom with a visit from "pet pals" such as a rabbit, guinea pigs, hamsters, gerbils or mice for a fun hands-on experience.

No More School

Ice Cream Party

Wednesday, June 26 | 6 PM–6:45 PM

(DH) Grades K-5

Congratulations on your successful school year! Kick off the summer with ice cream, toppings and friends!

Teddy Grahams

Rice Krispies Treats

Thursday, June 27 | 4 PM–4:30 PM

(DH) Grades K-3

Have a blast creating this adorably fun treat!

Events for Children & Teens

Dirt Cake

Wednesday, May 22 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades 4-9

Assemble yummy ingredients for this no-bake dessert.

Tweens Night Out:

Oreo Taste Test

Friday, May 24 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades 4-8

Taste a variety of different Oreo flavors and vote on your favorite!

Decorate a Chef Apron

Wednesday, June 5 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades 4-9

Design and decorate a chef apron.

Tweens Night Out:

Summer Bingo

Friday, June 21 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades 4-8

Play bingo for some fun prizes!



Got Homework?

Connect with a live tutor and get help with your homework. Free, real-time online tutoring with qualified teachers.

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Community Service

All community service events will award 1 hour of community service, unless otherwise stated in the event description. Submissions may be used on our social media channels. Community service opportunities are for district residents only in grade 6-12. **Please allow up to one week for a response via e-mail with community service certificates.** For more information about the online opportunities, examples and guidelines, visit [hhhlibrary.org/services/teens](https://www.hhhlibrary.org/services/teens).



In-Person

Veterans Heart Plaque

Thursday, May 2 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Grades 9-12

Create heart-shaped plaques to give to the veterans we are honoring at our annual Veterans Reception.

First Responder Kits

Wednesday, May 8 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Decorate canvas bags and add needed items for First Responders at Stony Brook University.

Veteran's Reception

Saturday, May 18 | 10 AM–1 PM (DH)

Grades 9-12

Volunteer at our annual Veterans Reception.

Kindness Rocks

Thursday, May 30 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Create kindness rocks to decorate the outside of the library.

Are You Kitten Me Beach Frames

Wednesday, June 12 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Get crafty and design beach frames for the Babylon Animal shelter. Adorable pictures of kittens will be framed & given to the new owners!

Drop-In

Teacher Appreciation Week

May 6-10

Stop by the Teen Room any time between Sunday, May 5 to Saturday, May 11 to create a card thanking your teachers for all that they do! A maximum of 2 cards, for 2 hours of community service, may be submitted for the month of May.

Donation Drive: The Boutique

Help support the Long Island Coalition for the Homeless by bringing in an item of clothing and/or other essential items in the month of May. Ask a librarian for a list of items or visit [hhhlibrary.org](https://www.hhhlibrary.org).

Decorate a Place Mat

Visit the Teen Room any time during the month of June to decorate a placemat for Meals on Wheels. A maximum of 2 placemats, for 2 hours of community service, may be submitted for the month of June.

Color-A-Smile

Saturday May 11 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)

Color artwork to deliver to individuals in need of a smile.

Online

Teacher Appreciation Week

Every year, educators are celebrated during Teacher Appreciation Week. Between May 1-31, create a Google slide telling us about your favorite teacher and letting us know how they have been a positive influence in your life. After we receive your submissions, we'll pass your nice words along to the spotlighted teachers! Submissions must be emailed to teenservices@hhhlibrary.org on/before Friday, May 31. A maximum of 1 slide, for 1 hour of community service, may be submitted for the month of May.

Say Something Nice

June 1 is National Say Something Nice Day! Between June 1-30, create a Google slide with a nice saying, quote or word of advice for your peers. Submissions must be e-mailed to teenservices@hhhlibrary.org on/before Sunday, June 30. All entries must be e-mailed to teenservices@hhhlibrary.org on/or before Sunday, June 30 to receive your certificate. A maximum of 1 slide, for 1 hour of community service, may be submitted for the month of June.



100 Books Before Graduation

Sign up for the Teen Department's 100 Books Before Graduation challenge! Log every book you read on the library's website and receive a prize for every 20 books you complete. When you finish, you'll receive your 100 book prize, a spot on our "Wall of Fame," and entry into our yearly grand prize drawing for a new Amazon Kindle Paperwhite. To sign up and start logging your reads, visit <https://www.hhhlibrary.org/services/teens/100bb4g>.

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 hhlibrary.org or call a librarian at 631-498-1234 to schedule a half-hour appointment.

College Prep

Digital SAT

Tuesday, May 7 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)
Grades 9-12

The Digital SAT Information Session will cover the format of the test, changes from the old SAT, adaptive nature of the new test, and new strategies when taking the DSAT! High school students and their parents are welcome.

Just for Fun

Take & Make: Mindfulness May

May 1-31 (DH)
Pick up a mindfulness kit from the Teen Department.

Half Hollow Novel Box Registration begins April 30

Join the Novel Box fun and sign up to receive one hand selected book to check out from our collection, something to eat, and some fun swag to keep. Fill out the interest form to help us pick a book for you! May's theme is Mystery May. Pick up your box beginning May 28.



Chicken Curry & Rice

Wednesday, May 1 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Learn how to cook this dish and enjoy the meal together.

Fairy Doors

Friday, May 3 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Design your own fairy door for spring!

Star Wars Galactic Goodies

Saturday, May 4 | 2 PM–3 PM (DH)

Celebrate May 4 with out-of-this-galaxy snacks and watch a Star Wars movie of the groups choice.

Chocolate Olympics

Monday, May 6 | 6 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Do you have what it takes to be the chocolate champion? Compete in sorting, stacking, relays and other games involving chocolate to see who will take home the sweetest prize!

DIY Pizza Night

Friday, May 10 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Make pizzas using unexpected ingredients.

Paper Floral Art

Monday, May 13 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Follow instructions to create a painting.



Battle of the Books Interest Meeting

Thursday, May 16 | 6 PM–7 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!

Pizza and a Movie:

**The Hunger Games:
The Ballad of Songbirds
and Snakes (PG-13)**

Friday, May 17
6 PM–8:30 PM (DH)

Celebrate National Pizza
Party Day with a movie!



Just Dance Competition

Monday, May 20 | 6 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Test your dancing skills with a video game competition.

Maker Monday

Mondays, May 20, June 24 | 6:30 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Explore the latest gadgets and technology.

Babysitting Workshop

Tuesday, May 28 | 6 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Facilitated by Project Excel of The Huntington Youth Bureau, get an introduction to babysitting, first aid, fire safety and caring for children. Receive a certificate at the completion of the course.

Rainbow Açai Bowls

Monday, June 3 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Create a delicious rainbow Açai bowl with fresh fruits. Please let us know of any allergies when registering.



Donut Day

Thursday, June 6 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH) Grades 6-12

Decorate a donut and make some glow-in-the-dark donut-themed wall art!

Sour Candy Wars

Friday, June 7 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Celebrate National Candy Month by trying a variety of sour candies and voting for your favorite!

Hand-Painted Clocks

Monday, June 10 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Hand paint a wooden clock to decorate your room!

Summertime Swiftie Soirée

Tuesday, June 18 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

School's out & so is a new album! Paint vinyl records, celebrate all things Taylor Swift and listen to music!

Pancakes and Pokémon

Thursday, June 20 | 6 PM–7 PM (DH)

Watch classic Pokémon while eating pancakes.



Overcooked!

Monday, June 24 | 6 PM–7:30 PM (DH)

Play Overcooked 2 on our Switch! The game where you make virtual food, beat the clock and complete orders.



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**Around the World Fair
Summer Kickoff**
Friday, June 28 | 6 PM–8 PM (DH)
Have fun with activities and food from around the world.



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 September is June 9)

55 Vanderbilt Parkway
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Board Meetings

Tuesday, May 28 | 6:30 PM
 Monday, June 24 | 6:30 PM

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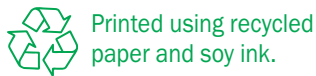
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 May 26-27 for Memorial Day

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Notary Services

The library offers a free Notary Public service. Please thoroughly review our policy at hhlibrary.org. It is recommended that you call the library at **631-421-4530** to check on availability and schedule an appointment.

Mondays 10 AM–11:30 AM (DH)
Tuesdays 10 AM–11:30 AM (DH)
 6:30 PM–8 PM (M)
Wednesdays 10 AM–11:30 AM (DH)
Thursdays 2:30 PM–4 PM (DH)
Fridays 2:30 PM–4 PM (DH)

Community Legal Help Project

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

Wednesdays, May 8, 22, June 5 | 3 PM–6 PM (DH)

How To Register

- **Registration for May events begins on Tuesday, April 30 and June events begins Tuesday, May 28, 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 card. Stop by the Circulation Department at Dix Hills or Melville to pay by cash, check or credit 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.