

NEWSLETTER

September 1992



The most important school supply of all.

CAREER CENTER UPDATE

For job search needs, for career change information, for selecting a college or vocational school, your library's Career Center has what you are looking for. Books, pamphlets, newspapers, computer software, videos and audiocassettes will assist in your career decisions. Career center resources include:

- Civil Service Announcements
- Civil Service Test Preparation Books
- Annual Reports on Microfiche
- National Business Employment Weekly
- Federal Jobs Digest
- The Chief
- Contract Employment Weekly
- Technical and Trade School Directories
- Campus Clips tour college campuses on video
- Job Search Videos . . . and much more.

HOW TO ANSWER HELP WANTED ADS

Tuesday, September 15, 7:30 p.m.

Why be the one who is confused or frustrated? This "nuts and bolts" seminar by John Kothe will show you how to write action letters that will get an employer's attention. You will discover:

- Ben Franklin Strategy Supplying ONLY YES's to the employer's problems
- Solutions to the fear-ridden question of SALARY REQUIREMENTS — to send or not to send?
- Selected "sure-fire" ways to close your response letters and to ask for the allimportant interview.

All are welcome.

KNITTING WORKSHOP

Thursdays, September 3, 10 & 17, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Discover the design possibilities of knitting a sweater from cuff to cuff. Try to mix different yarns, stitches, colors, and cables. Patterns will be available at registration, which begins now.

PORCELAIN PAINTING WORKSHOP

Wednesdays, September 16 & 23, 7:00 p.m.

Elisabeth Schaefer, whose work is on display at the Northport Library during the month of September, will conduct this two-part workshop. Participants will paint a floral design or landscape on a tile. Open to adults and older teens (age 13 and up). Class size is limited. Registration begins September 2. Materials fee: 50¢

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Monday, September 21 & Tuesday, September 29 7:00-10:00 p.m. Fee: \$40

Applications for this six-hour course may be picked up at either library beginning September 8.



MERIDIAN ARTS ENSEMBLE

Friday, September 25 8:30 p.m.

Fast developing a reputation as one of America's finest young brass quintets, the Meridian Arts En-

semble is the only ensemble to win the Concert Artists Guild Competition in the last seven years. With a repertory spanning six centuries, the Meridian Arts Ensemble has won special praise for its performances of 20th century music in styles ranging from Hindemith to Jazz.

Tickets, which go on sale Sept. 11 are \$1.00 for adults 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and disabled persons.

MEDICARE/MEDICAID ASSISTANCE

(EN) Thursday, September 3, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

(EN) Fri., Sept. 4, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon (N) Fri., Sept. 11, 9 a.m. - 12 noon (N) Thurs., Sept. 24, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Call 261-6930 to make an appointment in Northport, or 261-2313 to make an appointment in East Northport with AARP-trained representatives Tom Henry and Stu Goldblatt.

GET THE MOST OUT OF YOUR CAMCORDER Wednesday, September 30, 7:30 p.m.

Bring your camcorder and instruction book to this hands-on workshop with Vincent Fasano. In addition to the technical aspects of shooting, lighting, audio, and set-up, participants will learn operational technique, composition an how to interface SVHS, VHS and 8mm formats with existing home equipment. All are welcome.

September is Library Card Sign-up Month!

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Become a member!

Library cards are issued free to residents or taxpayers of the Northport-East Northport School District. Just come to the library with identification and current proof of residency (e.g. driver's license, phone bill). Children under the age of 12 must have the registration form signed by a parent or guardian.

You will receive your library card in the mail within one week. You may, however, borrow materials immediately.

Your library has both a main building and a branch. Materials that are checked out at one location may be returned to the other. Present your card each time you wish to borrow library materials.

BOOK-A-TRIP coming in October... to Ellis Island New York City Opera's Monday, September 21, 1992 Departure: 8:00 a.m. Return: 6:00 p.m. The Magic Flute Saturday Matinee from the Middleville School Parking Lot. October 31, 1992 Cost: \$35.00 per person (checks only; payable to Day Dream Tours; non-refundable) Sharp-witted and profound, fairy \$47.00 (includes transporation) tale and morality play, Mozart's blissful and majestic opera Itinerary: Visit to Ellis Island followed by full Call 261-6930 for details course luncheon at Paesanos Restaurant in reveals the full spectrum of the composer's genius Little Italy. Register in person beginning Sept. 3 at the Northport Library.



Northport-East Northport Public Library

Calendar of Events September 1992

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Registration begins for Mommy & Me	Registration begins for Porcelain Painting Workshop on 9/16 & 9/23 Free Blood Pressure & Weight Check (N) 1-3 pm; (EN) 3:15-5 pm	Ticket sales begin for Book-A- Trip to Ellis Island on 9/21 Registration begins for (YA) P.S.A.T. Preparation Program *Knitting Workshop (N) 10 am Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (EN) 1 pm - 4 pm by appt.	Registration begins for Duck Day on 9/11 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (EN) 9 am - 12 noon by appt.	5 Registration begins for YA P.S.A Preparation Program
6 Library Closed	7 Labor Day - Library Closed	Registration begins for Defensive Driving on 9/21 & 9/29	9 Great Books (N) 8 pm	10 *Knitting Workshop (N) 10 am	Ticket sales begin for Meridian Art Ensemble on 9/25 Registration begins for Music Magic on 9/18 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 9 am - 12 noon by appt. *Duck Day (N) 10 am	12 NORTH
13 Library Open 1-5 pm	Registration begins for Preschool Storytime Fall Session *Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am Lyme Disease Support Group (N) 7 pm	*Mommy & Me (N) 10 am & 11 am How to Answer Help Wanted Ads (N) 7:30 pm	*Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Mommy & Me (N) 1:30 am *Porcelain Painting Workshop (N) 7 pm	*Knitting Workshop (N) 10 am Library Board of Trustees Meeting (N) 7 pm	*Music Magic (N) 10 am	Cow Harbor Race - Library buildings open at 10 am
20 Library Open 1-5 pm	*Book-A-Trip to Ellis Island departs 8 am *Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm *Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm	*Mommy & Me (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 11 am	*Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Mommy & Me (N) 1:30 pm *Porcelain Painting Workshop (N) 7 pm Great Books (N) 8 pm	*Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 11 am Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 1 pm - 4 pm by appt. *(YA) P.S.A.T. Preparation Program (N) 7 pm	*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am	26
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Note: Italic type indicates Children's Programs. N = Northport Library EN = East Northport Library

Enrollment in our programs is limited, with preference given to district residents.

— Children's Services —



PRESCHOOL STORYTIME (Ages 31/2-5)

Registration begins Monday, Sept. 14.

Northport

Mondays begining Sept. 21, 10:00 a.m. & 3:30 p.m. Thursdays begining Sept. 24, 10:00 a.m. & 3:30 p.m.

East Northport

Tuesdays beginning Sept. 22, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Fridays beginning Sept. 25, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Fall sessions begin the week of September 21 and continue through the week of October 26.



MOMMY & ME

(Ages 2-3 with parent or caregiver) Registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 1.

Northport

Tuesdays beginning Sept. 15, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Wednesdays beginning Sept. 16, 1:30 p.m.

East Northport

Mondays begining Sept. 14, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Wednesdays beginning Sept. 16, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Fall sessions begin the week of September 14 and continue through the week of October 5. Participants may attend only one series of this program.

DUCK DAY FOR TODDLERS

(Ages 2-3 with parent or caregiver)
Registration begins Friday, Sept. 4.
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(Northport) Friday, September 11, 10:00 a.m. An hour of fun, games, music, and crafts.

MUSIC MAGIC

(Ages 3-5 with parent or caregiver) Registration begins Friday, Sept. 11.

(Northport) Friday, September 18, 10:00 a.m.

Forty-five minutes of music, movement, and sing-a-long.

— Young Adult Services —

New to the YA Corner:

Zillions — A "consumer reports" magazine geared to the interests and buying patterns of pre- and early teens.

P.S.A.T. PREPARATION PROGRAM

(4 sessions) Thursdays, September 24, Oct. 1, 8 & 15, 7:00-10:00 p.m.

Fee: \$40.00 (includes text and materials; checks payable to Willis Osborn)

In preparation for the October P.S.A.T. examination, the library is offering a 4-part mini-series designed to sharpen your math and verbal skills. Instructors Willis L. Osborn (verbal) and Maryann Martinucci (math) have successfully tutored scores of students in preparation for the S.A.T. and P.S.A.T. examinations. Registration begins September 5.

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BE A LIBRARY-SMART PARENT

Let's get acquainted and work together to show your children how library materials and services can help them discover and develop a lifelong love of books and learning.



What's available for my infant, toddler, and preschooler?

From infancy children can be encouraged to develop an interest in reading and learning. Preschoolers' Door to Learning, through its carefully constructed progression of programs, for children and for parents and children together, aims to develop pre-reading concepts as well as listening, viewing, and thinking skills. Register your child for:

MOTHER/INFANT DISCUSSION GROUP

(Ages 2-12 months with their mother) Mothers discuss infant development in a social environment with other mothers.

LAPTIME (Ages 12-18 months with a parent)* With your child on your lap, share fingerplays and songs.

MOTHER GOOSE (Ages 18-24 months with a parent)* Through play, children interact with other children outside the home.

PARENT/CHILD WORKSHOP $(Ages 2-2^{1}/2 years)^{*}$ Play with your child and explore a different child-related topic each week with a guest specialist.

(Ages 2-3 years)* MOMMY & ME

Stories for listening, songs for singing, puppets for playing all in preparation for the next step: "on my own" at storytime!

TODDLER TIME (Ages $2^{1}/2-3^{1}/2$ years)

A first "on my own" storytime, featuring flannel board stories, books, music, crafts, puppets and games.

(Ages $3^{1}/2-5$ years) PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Storytime adventures with books, music, crafts, flannel board stories, and puppets.

FUN FOR PRESCHOOLERS (Ages $3^1/2-5$ years)

An early step to nursery school with music, crafts, stories, and games presented by a certified nursery school teacher.

*parent/caregiver

A Preschoolers' Door to Learning brochure listing the dates and times of these programs for the year is available in the Children's Department. All Preschoolers' Door to Learning programs are also announced each month in the library Newsletter.

What's available for my elementary school child? What's available for my young adult?

Our friendly children's librarians assist your child in locating and selecting books and materials. They will also encourage your child to develop independent research skills, work up to potential, and enjoy the learning experience. Did you know that the Children's Room has its own extensive Reference Collection? We also offer magazines, videos, audiocassettes, filmstrips, cassette books, and computer soft-

Become aware of the wide variety of programs and activities in which you child can participate:

STORY PARADE (Grades K-4) A story and craft program.

HOMEWORK HELP WORKSHOP

Offers elementary students help in organizing their study

WRITE NOW! CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION

Your child may enter a juried competition and have a winning entry published.

CRAFT WORKSHOPS

A variety of creative activities are offered throughout the year for every age group.

COMPUTER HELP

The library offers youngsters computer assistance and instruction.

SUNDAY FAMILY SPECIALS

Concerts and live performances provide entertainment and cultural enrichment for children of all ages.

SUMMER READING CLUBS

Designed for children who read on their own as well as children who have books read to them.

BOOKWORMS

A book reviewers group for 5th and 6th graders which meets during the summer.

A lively, attractive YA CORNER draws teenagers to new books, paperbacks and magazines. Nearby is the HOMEWORK CENTER, an area equipped with basic reference tools as well as School Assignment Alert materials. PC STATION offers a collection of young adult and careeroriented computer programs. The young adult librarians and the reference librarians are always available to help in the use of the library's varied resources.

Our professional commitment is to assist your teen in becoming a well-rounded, independent learner and thinker. We offer informative and entertaining programs with an emphasis on youth participation. Watch for:

YOUNG ADULT BOOK REVIEWERS GROUP (Grade 6-up)

An informal monthly gathering of teens talking about books they like — and don't like. Their reviews are included in our spring publication, Journey Into Books.

WRITE NOW! CREATIVE WRITING **COMPETITION**

(Grades 6-8)

Your teen may enter a juried competition and have a winning entry published.

SPEAKING OF WRITING

Each May the library invites a prominent author in the field of Young Adult literature to speak to community youngsters in grades 6 through 8.

FOCUS ON YOUR IMAGINATION

A juried photography competition and show for young adults in grades 9-12.

and Concerts and Live Performances Creative Workshops PSAT/SAT Preparation Courses Summer Reading Programs College and Career Bound Programs

The Library also publishes specialized booklists and graded readings lists.

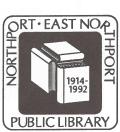
THERE'S A COLLECTION FOR PARENTS TOO!

Parenting issues and child development concerns, prenatal through adolescence, can be thoroughly explored in books, videos, magazines, pamphlets, and more! Our Parents' Collection is housed in the Children's Department.









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9 to 9 Monday thru Friday 9 to 5 Saturday 1 to 5 Sunday (Northport only) Calendar September 1992

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