

NEWSLETTER

October 1992



— Adult Services —



THE OTHER VIC THEATRE COMPANY presents COME BLOW YOUR HORN

Friday, October 16,
8:00 p.m.

This Broadway and film hit is pure Neil Simon. Harry Baker, owner of the largest artificial fruit business in the East, has two sons of different generations and personalities. When the

innocent younger son, Alan, moves in with his playboy brother, Buddy, Harry and Mom come in hot pursuit. Comic complications arise in this portrayal of family differences.

Tickets, which go on sale Oct. 3, are \$1.00 for adults, 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and disabled persons.

WINTERIZING YOUR GARDEN

Wednesday, October 14, 7:30 p.m.

Do you know what to plant, prune, fertilize, and mulch this fall? Horticulturist Sara Annunziata will discuss careful winter protection, mulching, lifting and dividing overgrown perennials, cleaning and fertilizing vegetable and herb gardens, and other vital chores. All are welcome.

THE VANDERBILTS: LONG ISLAND'S "ROYAL FAMILY"

Wednesday, October 21, 7:30 p.m.

Raymond and Judith Spinzia return to discuss another aspect of the Gold Coast era on Long Island: the roles played by members of the Vanderbilt family. The Spinzias will relate the follies of the Vanderbilts while presenting slides of the various Vanderbilt estates, including Oakdale, Sands Point, Wheatley Hills, and Centerport. All are welcome.

FAUX FINISHING WORKSHOP

Monday, October 26, 7:30 p.m.

Professional tile designer Esther Tollen will teach the fundamentals of acrylic/waterbase faux stone finishing. Each participant will complete a wooden shaker box decorated with faux marble. A \$7.50 materials fee (non-refundable) is payable at registration, which begins Oct. 13.



STAMP COLLECTING: THE WORLD'S #1 HOBBY

Thursday, October 22, 7:30 p.m.

A new hobby awaits you no further away than your mailbox or nearest post office. Join I. J. Farber, owner of a stamp and cover company and member of the American Stamp Dealers Association, and see for yourself why so many people all over the world choose stamp collecting as their favorite hobby. Mr. Farber will tell you how to start a stamp collection, types of issues to look for, and tips on building your investment. Stamp collectors of all ages are welcome.

In celebration of National Stamp Collecting Month, the Library has arranged with a private collector to present examples of the art and artistry of philately in the Northport Library display case.

FAMILY MATTERS

Thursday, October 29, 7:30 p.m.

Project C.A.R.E. (Community, Action, Reinforcement and Empowerment) is offering a workshop for parents to enhance their ability to open the lines of communication with their children. The workshop will explore techniques for building self-esteem, and talking so your children will listen. All are welcome.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Tuesday, October 13 & Wednesday, October 28
7:00-10:00 p.m. Fee: \$40

Applications for this six-hour course may be picked up at either library beginning Oct. 1.



NOVEL IDEAS

Friday, October 16, 1:00 p.m. &
Monday, October 19, 7:30 p.m.

We begin our new season with a discussion of *Crown of Columbus* by Michael Dorris and Louise Erdrich. If you are interested in joining this group, please call Dodie Gillman, Reference Librarian, at 261-6930.

BOOK & SANDWICH (W)RAP (EN) Thursday, October 1, 1:00 p.m.

The short story discussion group reconvenes for the fall with a visit to the land where Columbus first set foot in the New World, exploring the settings and stories of the Caribbean. Join us! For additional information, contact Nancy Kruse, Reference Librarian, 261-6930.



ALL ABOUT ARTHRITIS

Tuesday, October 27, 7:00 p.m.

To highlight Arthritis Awareness Month, John Marshall, M.D., board certified rheumatologist, will discuss advances in treatment, the role of diet and exercise, and specific rheumatic diseases such as Lupus, Lyme Disease, Rheumatoid Arthritis and Osteoarthritis. No registration is necessary for this program which is sponsored by the Long Island Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation.



55/ALIVE MATURE DRIVER PROGRAM

Mondays, October 19 & 26, 10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

(half-hour break; please bring your lunch, beverages will be provided)

AARP's two-part course is open to anyone 50 years of age or older. Register Oct. 5 at the Northport Library. There is a \$10 fee payable at registration.



MEDICARE/MEDICAID ASSISTANCE

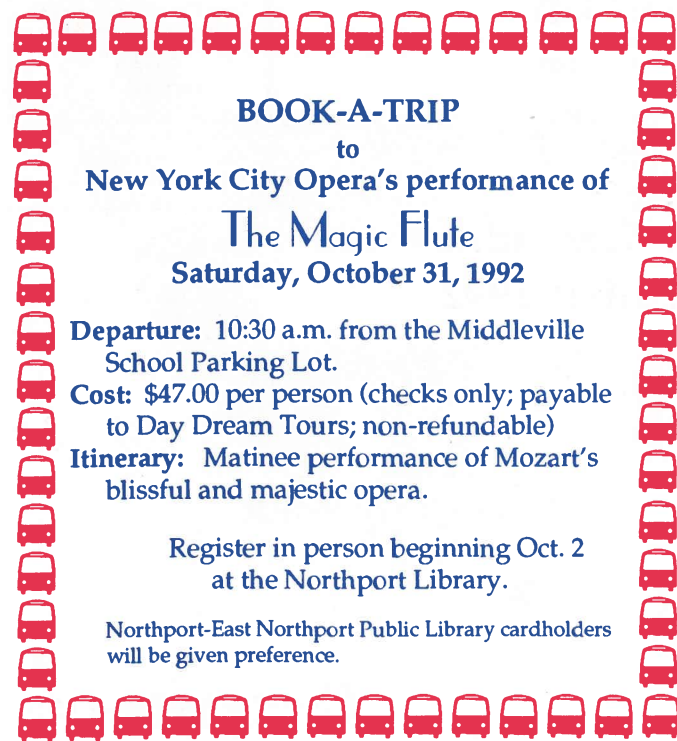
(EN) Fri., October 2, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

(EN) Thursday, October 8, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

(N) Friday, October 9, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon

(N) Thurs., October 29, 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.



BOOK-A-TRIP

to

New York City Opera's performance of

The Magic Flute

Saturday, October 31, 1992

Departure: 10:30 a.m. from the Middleville School Parking Lot.

Cost: \$47.00 per person (checks only; payable to Day Dream Tours; non-refundable)

Itinerary: Matinee performance of Mozart's blissful and majestic opera.

Register in person beginning Oct. 2 at the Northport Library.

Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders will be given preference.

Voter registration forms and absentee ballot applications are available at the Reference Desk.

Northport-East Northport Public Library

Calendar of Events

October 1992

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Northport Adult — Paintings of JoAnn Corretti Case — Stamp Collection (Anonymous) East Northport Adult — "Eternity" Fine art photography of Carolyn Mello Floral Decorations: (Northport) Shirley Geller of the Northport Community Garden Club with materials donated by Flower Basket (East Northport) Linda Gruhn of the Larkfield Community Garden Club			1 Registration begins for Mother/Infant Discussion Group — Fall Session Registration begins for Story Parade — Fall Session Registration begins for Defensive Driving on 10/13 & 10/28 Registration begins for (YA) Columbus Day Feast on 10/12 *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm *Book & Sandwich (W)rap (EN) 1 pm *(YA) P.S.A.T. Preparation Program (N) 7 pm	2 Ticket sales begin for Book-A-Trip to <i>The Magic Flute</i> on 10/31 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (EN) 9 am - 12 noon by appt. *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am	3 Ticket sales begin for <i>The Other Vic's Come Blow Your Horn</i> on 10/16 Registration begins for <i>Mother Goose</i> — Fall Session
4	5 Registration begins for 55/Alive Mature Driver Course on 10/19 & 10/26 Registration begins for Toddler Time — Fall Session *Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm	6 *Mommy & Me (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am	7 *Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Mommy & Me (N) 1:30 pm Free Blood Pressure & Weight Check (N) 1-3 pm; (EN) 3:15-5 pm Great Books (N) 8 pm	8 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (EN) 1 pm - 4 pm by appt. *Mother/Infant Discussion Group (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm *(YA) P.S.A.T. Preparation Program (N) 7 pm	9 Registration begins for Parent/Child Workshop — Fall Session Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 9 am - 12 noon by appt. *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am (YA) Book Reviewers Group (N) 4 pm	10 *Mother Goose (N) 10 am
11	12 Columbus Day - Library Closed *(YA) Columbus Day Feast (Maxxa Luna Restaurant) 10 am	13 Registration begins for Faux Finishing Workshop on 10/26 *Toddler Time (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Story Parade (N) 4 pm *Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm	14 *Toddler Time (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Toddler Time (N) 1:30 pm Winterizing Your Garden (N) 7:30 pm	15 *Mother/Infant Discussion Group (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm *(YA) P.S.A.T. Preparation Program (N) 7 pm Library Board of Trustees Meeting (N) 7 pm	16 Registration begins for Chess Workshop *Parent/Child Workshop (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Novel Ideas (N) 1 pm *The Other Vic Theatre's <i>Come Blow Your Horn</i> (N) 8 pm	17 *Mother Goose (N) 10 am *Art in Nature Workshop (N) 3 pm
18	19 *55/Alive Mature Driver Program (N) 10 am *Toddler Time (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm Lyme Disease Support Group (N) 7 pm *Novel Ideas (N) 7:30 pm	20 *Toddler Time (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Story Parade (N) 4 pm	21 *Toddler Time (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Toddler Time (N) 1:30 am The Vanderbilts: Long Island's Royal Family (N) 7:30 pm Great Books (N) 8 pm	22 *Mother/Infant Discussion Group (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm Stamp Collecting (N) 7:30 pm	23 *Parent/Child Workshop (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Chess Workshop (N) 5:15 pm	24 *Mother Goose (N) 10 am *Art in Nature Workshop (N) 3 pm
25	26 *55/Alive Mature Driver Program (N) 10 am *Toddler Time (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm *Faux Finishing Workshop (N) 7:30 pm	27 *Toddler Time (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Story Parade (N) 4 pm All About Arthritis (N) 7 pm	28 *Toddler Time (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Toddler Time (N) 1:30 pm *Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm	29 *Mother/Infant Discussion Group (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 1 pm - 4 pm by appt. *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm Family Matters (N) 7:30 pm	30 *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Chess Workshop (N) 4:15 pm	31 *Mother Goose (N) 10 am *Book-A-Trip to <i>The Magic Flute</i> departs 10:30 am

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.

*Pre-registration or tickets required for this program. Occupancy of our meeting room is limited.





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Imagine the time well spent . . .

Imagine a book that reads itself aloud. Not just mechanically but passionately, intimately, as if the author/narrator were sitting right there beside you.

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Thomas Harris
John Grisham
John Irving
Tom Wolfe

Dances With Wolves
Silence of the Lambs
The Firm
The World According to Garp
The Right Stuff

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P.D. James
Stephen King
Bram Stoker

A Murder at the Vicarage
Under Siege
Live and Let Die
Slay Ride
Devices and Desires
Needful Things
Dracula

Westerns . . .

Larry McMurtry	<i>Lonesome Dove</i>
Zane Grey	<i>Riders of the Purple Sage</i>
<i>Best of the West: Classic Stories from the American Frontier</i>	

Classics . . .

Thomas Hardy	<i>Tess of the D'Urbervilles</i>
Paul Scott	<i>Jewel in the Crown</i>
William Shakespeare	<i>Hamlet</i>
Evelyn Waugh	<i>Brideshead Revisited</i>
H.G. Wells	<i>War of the Worlds</i>
Tennessee Williams	<i>Streetcar Named Desire</i>
Herman Wouk	<i>The Caine Mutiny</i>

Private lives . . .

Arthur Gold	<i>Divine Sarah</i>
Harold Hayes	<i>Dark Romance of Dian Fossey</i>
Fred Howard	<i>Wilbur and Orville</i>
Chuck Yeager	<i>Yeager: An Autobiography</i>
Russell Baker	<i>The Good Times</i>

The world in perspective . . .

Daniel J. Boorstein	<i>The Americans: the Colonial Experience</i>
Ron Chernow	<i>The House of Morgan</i>
Stephen W. Hawking	<i>A Brief History of Time</i>
Barbara Tuchman	<i>The Guns of August</i>

Audio Info

- Audio Books circulate for 28 days.
- Be sure to check the collections in both the Northport and East Northport libraries. The collections are different and equally special.
- A complete listing of all the Northport and East Northport audio books can be found in the AV drawers of the card catalog under "Books."
- If you want to "read" a specific audio book and it is not on the shelf we will gladly reserve it for you.
- Road Readers: For your listening pleasure, start your audio cassette only after your car is warm.



— Young Adult Services —



Monday
October 12
Maxxa Luna Restaurant
6005 Jericho Turnpike, Commack
Chef Hector Graciano Canete of Maxxa Luna will lead a cooking demonstration and tasting, and 15 lucky teens will join us for this field trip and gourmet experience. Each participant will roll out the dough and assemble a gourmet pizza. Chef Hector will prepare a few pasta dishes, and everyone will sample the results! Registration begins Oct. 1.

YOUNG ADULT BOOK REVIEWERS GROUP

Friday, October 9, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Join us for soda and cookies and talk about books you've recently read!

- All the newest Young Adult books are displayed each month at our monthly meetings. This is your chance to talk about books you like — and don't like — about books that interest you.
- The reviews you contribute each month will be included in our publication, *Journey Into Books*, Spring 1993.
- As book reviewers, you will be invited to a special spring luncheon with a noted Young Adult author. Come and join the fun!



STAMP COLLECTING
Thursday, October 22, 7:30 p.m.
see under adult programs

— Children's Services —

STORY PARADE

(N) Tuesdays, Oct. 13, 20, 27, Nov. 3, 10, 17, 4:00 p.m.
(EN) Thursdays, Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5, 12, 4:00 p.m.
Stories and crafts for children in grades K-4. Registration begins Oct. 1.

ART IN NATURE WORKSHOP

(N) Saturdays, October 17 & 24 (two parts)
3:00-4:30 p.m. Grades 3-up
Bring in your favorite objects from nature and work with Cynthia Davidson to create your own collage and other fall fantasies. Registration begins Oct. 10.

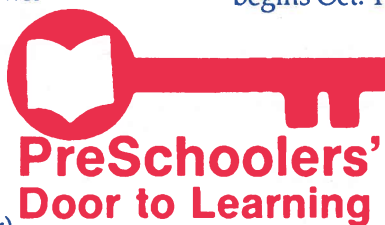
CHESS WORKSHOP

(Northport) 8 sessions: Fridays, October 23, 30, November 6, 13, 20, December 4, 11, 18
4:15 p.m. (5:15 pm on Oct. 23 only)
Grades 4-up. Fee: \$1.00

Emmalee Lacy Dyling, a member of the U.S. Chess Federation, will use official chess federation materials to assist children with no previous knowledge of chess in learning the game. Registration begins Oct. 16.



Registrations for



MOTHER GOOSE — FALL SESSION

(Ages 18-24 months with parent/caregiver)
Registration begins Saturday, October 3.
Northport
Saturdays, October 10, 17, 24, 31, 10:00 a.m.

TODDLER TIME — FALL SESSION

(Ages 2¹/₂-3¹/₂)
Registration begins Monday, October 5.
Northport
Tuesdays, October 13, 20, 27, November 3, 10, 17
10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Wednesdays, October 14, 21, 28, November 4, 18
1:30 p.m.
East Northport
Mondays, October 19, 26, November 2, 9, 16
10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Wednesdays, October 14, 21, 28, November 4, 18
10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

MOTHER/INFANT DISCUSSION GROUP — FALL SESSION

(Infants 2-12 months with their mother)
Registration begins Thursday, October 1
Northport
Thursdays, October 8, 15, 22, 29, November 5, 12
10:00 a.m.

This 6-part series conducted by Jan Sheinkopf encourages mothers to socialize with other mothers while discussing child growth and development. Older children are also welcome, and will have their own special area to interact.

PARENT/CHILD WORKSHOP — FALL SESSION

(Ages 2-2¹/₂ with parent or caregiver)
Registration begins Friday, October 9.
Northport
Fridays, October 16, 23, November 6, 13, 20, December 4
10:00 a.m.



The East Northport Branch celebrates New York Archives Week (October 11-17) with a photography exhibit of present-day East Northport. In July participants in the YA/Reference Departments' program "Be a Working Photographer," documented the Larkfield business district with their cameras. Over 300 photographs of the area were added to the library's Historical Collections. A selection of these photos is on display through October in the East Northport Branch.

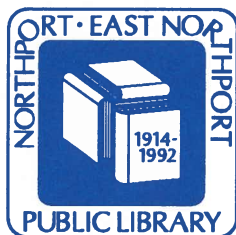


Then: Looking toward Larkfield Road from the Northport Train Station. Winter 1934. Photographer: Carl Hoschel



Now: The new park at the Northport Train Station. Summer 1992. Photographer: Erin Farrelly

The generous donation of two sets of maps of the Northport-East Northport area, dating from 1837 to 1917, is another new addition to the Historical Collections. They are now available for viewing in both buildings.



Northport-East Northport Public Library

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Calendar October 1992

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