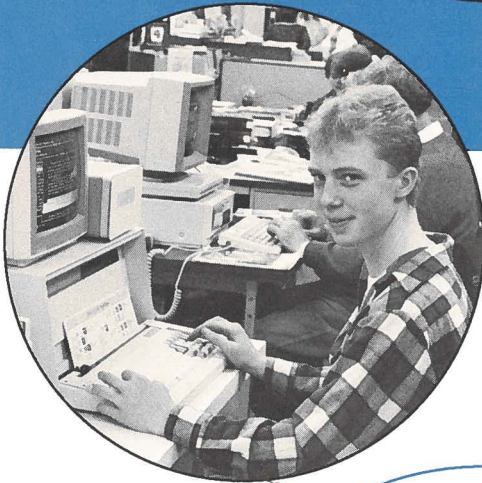
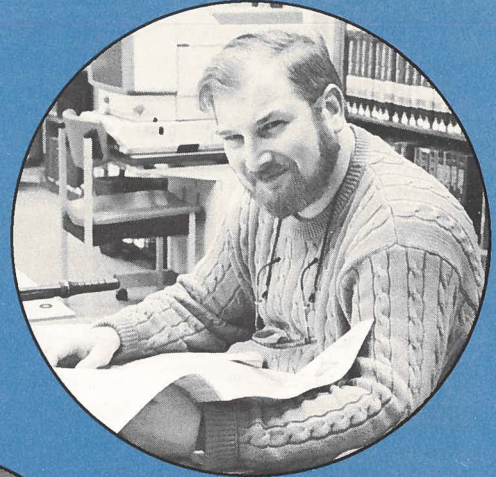


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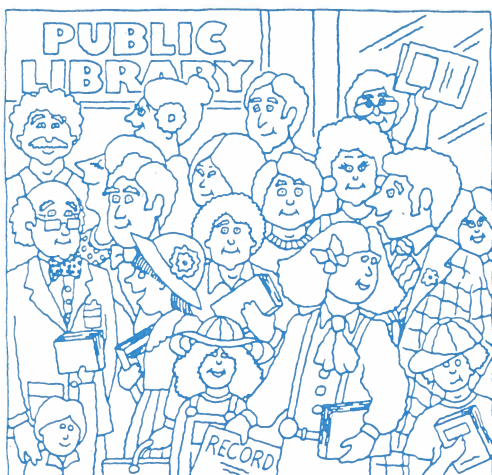
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19,095
new materials added
35,320
patrons attended programs
42,313
reference questions answered
467,026
materials borrowed
527,423
individuals visited the library





Annual Library Vote

**Monday
April 2, 1990**

9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Voting will be for two purposes: to vote on the library budget for 1990/91 and to elect one trustee (5 year term).

**Vote will take place at the
Northport Public Library,
151 Laurel Ave., Northport.**

YOU MAY VOTE in the library election if:

1. You are at least 18 years of age.
2. You are a citizen of the United States.
3. You have been a resident of the Northport-East Northport School District for at least 30 days.
4. You are registered to vote. (You are registered if you have voted within the last two years, in a general, school or library election.)

NOTE: Additional parking is available across the street in the Northport Junior High School parking lot.

Handicapped voters please use library side ramp.

Northport-East Northport Public Library

Your Community Library

Proposed Library Budget 1990/91

	BUDGET <u>1989/90</u>	PROPOSED BUDGET <u>1990/91</u>
SALARIES		
Professional	677,964	777,142
Clerical	571,468	656,963
Pages	92,211	109,497
Sunday Service	34,952	39,546
MATERIALS & PROGRAMS		
Books & Periodicals	281,731	289,331
Video & Audio Cassettes, CDs	41,000	51,000
Other Non-Books	3,500	4,800
Plays, Lectures, Recitals, Displays	27,600	30,600
LIBRARY OPERATIONS		
Equipment	17,117	20,485
Computer Hardware & Software	23,650	24,523
Bookbinding	2,000	2,000
Audio-Visual Rental	1,975	1,975
Office & Library Supplies	23,614	28,614
Telephone	22,308	23,308
Postage & Freight	19,481	19,495
Publicity & Printing	28,660	30,160
Conference & Travel	5,200	6,200
Circulation Control	47,254	58,652
Professional Fees	25,140	24,980
BUILDING & MAINTENANCE		
Fuels & Utilities	51,929	51,929
Maintenance Supplies	11,940	11,776
Repairs to Buildings & Grounds	10,000	5,000
Insurance	23,886	23,861
Custodial & Equipment Services	199,777	211,685
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS		
Retirement, Social Security	272,657	215,580
Disability, Group Life & Unemployment Insurance	15,225	18,901
Health Insurance	93,402	115,795
DEBT SERVICE		
Principal & Interest	25,859	25,111
TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET	\$2,651,500	\$2,879,909
Less Other Revenues (i.e. fines, debt service, grants, interest)	172,959	119,131
TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION	\$2,478,541	\$2,760,778
Tax Rate Per \$100	3.06	3.38 (Est)
Cost Per \$4,000 Assessed Valuation	122.40	135.20 (Est)

The increase in the library tax rate will be 32¢ per \$100 of assessed valuation, or \$1.07 per month more than last year. This means that using \$4,000 as an average assessed valuation, library services will cost each family \$11.27 per month or \$135 per year.

DANCE EXERCISE (For Seniors Too!)

A new series of dance exercise classes begins on Monday, April 16 and continues through June 11. Classes meet from 10:00-11:00 and from 11:00-12:00 noon. The 11:00 a.m. class is especially for senior citizens, with exercises and pace geared to this age group. There is a \$20. fee for the series. Registration begins April 2.

ANXIETY AND PHOBIA CARE

Wednesday, April 4, 7:30 p.m.

Dr. Julian M. Herskowitz, a licensed psychologist who specializes in the treatment of anxiety disorders and phobias, will present this lecture on the latest research concerning the symptoms, causes, and treatment of agoraphobia. No registration necessary.

COPING WITH STRESS

Tuesday, April 24, 7:30 p.m.

Imagine yourself with fewer headaches, lower blood pressure, less muscle tension, and a good night's sleep. Jodie Dardia, R.N. will conduct this popular workshop to help you learn basic relaxation techniques. Strategies will be discussed to help you effectively deal with the pressure of daily living. In order to provide personal instruction, registration is limited, and begins April 3.

MEDICARE/MEDICAID ASSISTANCE

(East Northport) Friday, April 6, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

(Northport) Fridays, April 20, 27, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Please call 261-6930 to make an appointment in Northport, or 261-2313 to make an appointment in East Northport with AARP-trained representatives Jim McManus and Tom Henry.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK-UP

A registered nurse is at the library on the first Thursday of each month to record your blood pressure. This service is available at the Northport Library from 1:00-3:00 p.m., and at the East Northport Library from 3:15-5:00 p.m. As a special service on the evening of the Annual Library Vote — Monday, April 2 — blood pressure check-ups will be done from 5:30-8:30 p.m. outside the Community Room.

HOME IMPROVEMENTS

Monday, April 23, 7:30 p.m.

Master carpenter Chris Callahan and real estate agent Deborah Borra will focus on quick and inexpensive improvements you as a homeowner can do to make your house more appealing to the prospective buyer. No registration is necessary.

IMPROVE YOUR POSTURE; STRENGTHEN YOUR BACK

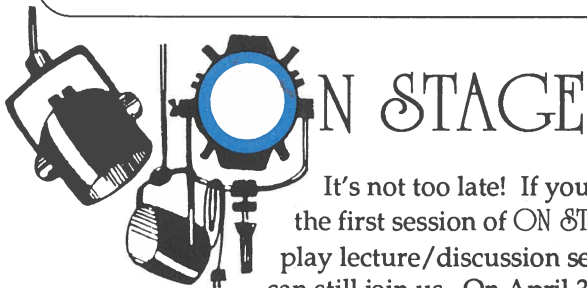
Monday, April 30, 7:30 p.m.

Poor posture is established at an early age, leading to chronic back pain, tension, and painful joints. Marjorie Dorfman, a certified teacher of the Alexander Technique, will demonstrate this hands-on method designed to recognize, examine, and change postural habits. No registration is necessary.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Monday, April 16 & Wednesday, April 18
7:00-10:00 p.m.

David Decker of the National Safety Council will present this six-hour Defensive Driving Course. Applications may be picked up at either library beginning April 7. There is a \$40 fee.



It's not too late! If you missed the first session of ON STAGE, our play lecture/discussion series, you can still join us. On April 3 Dr. Aaron

Kramer will lead a discussion of Shakespeare's *Hamlet* and Tom Stoppard's *Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead* and on April 17 Dr. Kramer and the group will discuss Bertolt Brecht's *Mahagonny*. Register and pick up your books at either library.

BOOK & SANDWICH (W)RAP

Our short story discussion group will meet this month on Thursday, April 5 at 1:00 p.m. at the East Northport Library. If you would like to join this group, come to the East Northport Library or call Molly Schoen at 261-2313.

NOVEL IDEAS

Friday, April 6, 1:00 p.m. or
Wednesday, April 18, 7:30 p.m.

Eva Luna by Isabel Allende will be the subject of this month's meeting. Because the library is closed on the afternoon of April 13, the afternoon group will meet this month on Friday, April 6. Please call Reference Librarian Dodie Gillman at 261-6930 if you would like to join in this roundtable discussion.

ANTIQUES APPRAISAL CLINIC

Thursday, April 19, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Certified appraiser W. Cora Dubin will evaluate your antiques and collectibles. A \$1.00 ticket must be purchased for each item to be appraised. Tickets are available April 5.



MEET THE MUSICIAN: BEETHOVEN

Sunday, April 22, 2:00 p.m.

The Library's Meet the Musician concert series continues, with pianist Dennis Kobray returning to interpret the person and the music of Ludwig van Beethoven. No registration is necessary for this family program.

AN AFTERNOON WITH GILBERT & SULLIVAN

Sunday, May 6, 2:00 p.m.

The Gilbert & Sullivan Light Opera Company of Long Island presents a potpourri of songs — including at least one song from every Gilbert & Sullivan production — guaranteed to entertain aficionado and newcomer alike. Tickets, which go on sale April 21, are \$1.00 for adults, 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and handicapped persons.

— Young Adult Services —



FOCUS ON YOUR IMAGINATION

Photography Contest & Exhibit.

Reception:
Monday, May 7
7:00-8:00 p.m.

We are pleased to announce our 8th annual

Juried Photography Show for young adults. This contest is open to residents of the Northport-East Northport School District in grades 9-12. Entries will be exhibited in the Northport Library during the month of May. Further information and entry forms may be obtained from the Northport or East Northport Library or from the Northport High School photography teachers. Entries must be submitted by April 6.

JOURNEY INTO BOOKS

In celebration of National Library Week, a new edition of our Young Adult book reviewers' publication, *Journey Into Books*, is coming out on April 23. Find out what books other teens are reading, and what they think about them. The Young Adult Book Reviewers' Group meets monthly to review and discuss books. If you would like to join this group, please call Mrs. Hunt at 261-6930.

Northport-East Northport Public Library

Calendar of Events

April 1990

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
1	2 Library Budget Vote (N) 9 am - 9 pm Register for Dance Exercise Tickets available for "Night of 7,000 Stars" on 4/25 Register for Preschool Storytime *Toddler Time (EN) 10:30 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10:15 & 11:15 am Blood Pressure Check-up (N) 5:30-8:30 pm Baseball Card Club (N) 7:30 pm	3 Registration begins for Coping With Stress on 4/24 *Toddler Time (N) 10:15 & 11:15 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am *Story Parade (N) 4 pm Gr. K-4 *On Stage (N) 7:30 pm	4 Registration begins for Make Your Own Puzzle Workshop on 4/11 *Toddler Time (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am *Toddler Time (N) 1:30 pm *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm Gr. K-4 Anxiety And Phobia Care (N) 7:30 pm	5 Ticket sale begins for Antiques Appraisal Clinic on 4/19 *Preschool Storytime (N) 10:15 am & 3:30 pm *Book & Sandwich (W)rap (EN) 1 pm Free Blood Pressure Check-Up (N) 1-3 pm (EN) 3:15-5 pm S.A.T. Preparation Course (N) 7 pm	6 Deadline for entries in Focus On Your Imagination Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (EN) 9-12 noon by appt. AARP Tax Assistance (EN) 9 am-1 pm *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am Novel Ideas (N) 1 pm	7 Registration begins for Defensive Driving on 4/16 V.I.T.A. (N & EN) 9-12 noon	
8	9	10	11 *Make Your Own Puzzle Workshop (EN) 10:15 am Lyme Disease Education Support Group (N) 7 pm Great Books (N) 8 pm	12	13 AARP Tax Assistance (EN) 9-1 pm Library Closes at 1:00 p.m.	14 Registration begins for Northport session of Tiny Chefs & Chefettes on 4/21 V.I.T.A. (N & EN) 9-12 noon Saturday Afternoon Movie Time: Egg-ceptional; Ugly Duckling; Rabbit Hill (EN) 2:30 pm	
15 Easter Sunday - Library Closed	16 *Dance Exercise (N) 10 am & 11 am *Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm	17 *On Stage (N) 7:30 pm	18 *Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm Novel Ideas (N) 7:30 pm Library Board of Trustees Meeting (N) 7:30 pm	19 *Antiques Appraisal Clinic (N) 11 am - 2 pm S.A.T. Preparation Course (N) 7 pm	20 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 9-12 noon by appt. Registration begins for Story Parade on 4/27 Registration begins for Spring Parent/Child Workshop Series	21 Ticket sales begin for Gilbert & Sullivan on 5/6 Registration begins for East Northport session of Tiny Chefs & Chefettes on 4/28 *Tiny Chefs (N) 11 am *Chefettes (N) 12:30 pm	
22 National Library Week Meet the Musician (N) 2 pm	23 Registration begins for Mommy & Me Series *Dance Exercise (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10:15 & 11:15 am Home Improvements (N) 7:30 pm	24 Registration begins for Story Parade on 5/1 *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am *Coping With Stress (N) 7:30 pm	25 "Night of 7,000 Stars" with Peter Catalano (N) 7:30 pm Great Books (N) 8 pm	26 *Preschool Storytime (N) 10:15 am & 3:30 pm S.A.T. Preparation Course (N) 7 pm	27 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 9-12 noon by appt. *Parent/Child Workshop (N) 9:45 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm Gr. K-4	28 *Tiny Chefs (EN) 11 am *Chefettes (EN) 12:30 pm Saturday Afternoon Movie Time: Amazing Bones; Really Rosie; The Cap (N) 3 pm	
29	30 *Dance Exercise (N) 10 am & 11 am *Mommy & Me (EN) 10:30 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10:15 & 11:15 am Improve Your Posture; Strengthen Your Back (N) 7:30 pm	20th Annual Art Exhibit by the Students of the Northport-East Northport School District March 21 - April 5 Northport Adult — Northport High School Students of Marie Baldwin & Elizabeth Konop Middleville Middle School Students of Louise Millmann & Elizabeth Konop Children's Room — Dickinson Avenue School Students of Sue Hoaglund East Northport Adult — Northport High School Students of Nancy Palmer & Doris Rowe Children's Room — Bellerose Avenue School Students of Susan Beyer					April 6 - April 27 Northport Adult — Northport High School Students of Pam Waldroup, Richard Nunziato, Ken Nygren & Ted Chereskin Children's Room — Norwood Avenue School Students of Nancy Wine East Northport Adult — East Northport Middle School Students of Alice Tenenbaum & Ken Nygren Children's Room — Fifth Avenue School Students of Lori Kepler

Note: Italic type indicates Children's Programs.

N = Northport Library
EN = East Northport Library

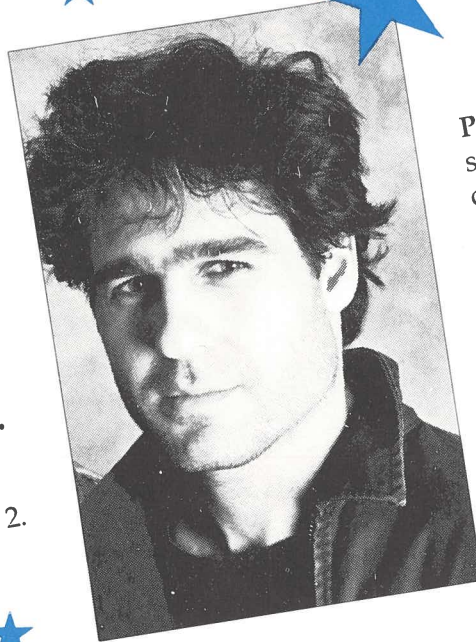
Enrollment in our programs is limited, with preference given to district residents.

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

Night of 7,000 Stars

Wednesday, April 25
7:00 p.m.

Seating is limited. Tickets
available beginning April 2.



PETER CATALANOTTO, a rising star in the exciting world of children's book publishing, will share an evening of his talent.

A native of the Northport area, Mr. Catalanotto is the author of *Dylan's Day Out* and the illustrator of *All I See* and *The Soda Jerk*.

Join the 1989 Publisher's Weekly Cuffies Award-winner for Most Promising New Artist as he explores his world of art, books, and readers. This most imaginative program will delight children of all ages.

Door prizes
Refreshments

This family program is brought to you in honor of National Library Week.

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MAKE YOUR OWN PUZZLE

(EN) Wednesday, April 11, 10:15-11:00 a.m. Gr. 2-4
Registration begins Wednesday, April 14.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON MOVIE TIME

Grades K-6

(EN) April 14, 2:30 p.m. 72 min.

Egg-ceptional; Ugly Duckling; Rabbit Hill

(N) April 28, 3:00 p.m. 63 min.

Amazing Bones; Really Rosie; The Cap

TINY CHEFS & CHEFETTES

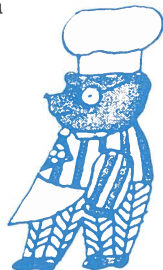
(N) Saturday, April 21 Registration begins April 14

(EN) Saturday, April 28 Registration begins April 21

Tiny Chefs: 3¹/₂-5 year olds, 11:00-12:00 noon

Chefettes: Grades K-3, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Linda Dennis Szeglin returns to conduct these popular workshops in which children are introduced to basic culinary skills and nutrition. \$1.00 Fee



STORY PARADE Grades K-4

(N) Tuesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29 at 4:00 p.m.

Registration begins April 24

(EN) Fridays, April 27, May 4, 11, 18, and 25 at 4:00 p.m.

Registration begins April 20

Registrations For Preschoolers' Door To Learning

PARENT/CHILD WORKSHOP: SPRING SESSION

Registration begins April 20.

Toddlers 2-2¹/₂ years old with a parent or caregiver

(N) Fridays, 9:45-10:45 a.m.: April 27, May 4, 11, 18, 25

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME:

SPRING SESSION Registration begins April 2.

3¹/₂-5 years old

(Northport)

Mondays: April 23, 30, May 7, 14, 21, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.

Thursdays: April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 10:15 & 3:30 p.m.

(East Northport)

Tuesdays: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.

Fridays: April 27, May 4, 11, 18, 25, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.

MOMMY & ME Registration begins April 23.

Toddlers 2-3 years old with a parent or caregiver

(Northport)

Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.; Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m.

(East Northport)

Mondays at 10:30 a.m.; Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

Sessions begin week of April 30 and continue through week of May 21.

COMING IN 1990/91:
Videos at East Northport
Data Base Searching
Computers for Young Adults
& Prime Timers
and more!

PROGRESS REPORT NO. 76

This year, as in each of our 76 years, usage has increased, services have expanded, and collections have broadened. Responding to your changing needs, we have grown to become the information and cultural hub of the community. With your support we will continue this tradition as we educate, entertain, and enrich your lives.



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