



The

July 2017

LIBRARY

The Newsletter of the Northport-East Northport Public Library

Concerts in the Library Courtyard

The following outdoor concerts do not require registration. Those showing a NENPL Library card will be seated first. In the event of inclement weather, the performance will be held in the Community Room.



B Side Bandits

(N) Tuesday, July 11, 7:30 p.m.

Northport's own B Side Bandits play rock, rhythm and blues hits and B-sides from the 60's through the current day. Come sing and dance with family and friends to the songs you have been missing by artists including Natalie Merchant, Sting, The Pretenders, Elton John, Steely Dan, and many more.

The Acoustix

(N) Tuesday, July 25, 7:30 p.m.

This talented six member cover band will have you dancing in the aisles with their high energy performance featuring music from The Beatles, America, The Doobie Brothers, Chuck Berry, The Hollies, and more. The Acoustix have successfully captured the original sound, mood, and harmonies of many iconic musicians, and this is a performance not to be missed.



The Banjo Rascals

(N) Tuesday, July 18, 7:30 p.m.

Since 1968, the Banjo Rascals have been delighting audiences of all ages with a variety of distinctive toe-tapping music. Their musical range includes 1890's ragtime all the way up to 1950's, 60's, and 70's rock and roll. Come enjoy listening to these amazing musicians/entertainers as they play America's music.



Northport Arts Coalition presents

Do-ing Music: The Sound and the Light Ensemble

(N) Friday, July 28, 7:30 p.m.

The Sound and the Light Ensemble performs a mix of music from a range of traditions and time periods. This concert will put original works and arrangements of everything from medieval to world music next to traditional repertoire, and the latest music from today's leading and under-represented composers, including innovative use of electronic sound. Meet and greet reception to follow the performance.



Join us for more great concerts in July! Please note registration details for each program.

Me and You Music

(N) Friday, July 7, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult;
siblings welcome.
See page 6 for details.

NAC presents Armenian Songs from My Heart

(N) Wednesday, July 12, 7:00 p.m.

Open to all.
See page 2 for details.

Summer Sing-Along

(N) Monday, July 17, 7:30 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult;
siblings welcome.
See page 7 for details.

FOR ADULTS



On-Your-Own Train Trip to New York City

Saturday, July 22, 9:18 a.m., departure from Northport Station. Round trip: \$12 per person

Take in the sights and sounds of New York City with reduced-rate group tickets on the Long Island Rail Road. You will meet a Library staff member at the station house at 8:55 a.m. (transfer at Huntington). Your return ticket is good on any Northport-bound train that leaves Penn Station before midnight. **Register in person at either building beginning July 1.** Tickets are limited. A non-refundable \$12 fee (cash or check payable to The Friends of the Library) is due at the time of registration. (NENA666)

Open to all Blood Pressure Check Wednesday, July 5

(N) 9:30-10:30 a.m., and (EN) 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

A nurse from Visiting Nurse Service is available to provide a free blood pressure check.

Open to all Joseph P. Dwyer Veterans Peer Support Project



(EN) Wednesday, July 5, 12:00-2:00 p.m.

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. Stop by and speak with a peer mentor to learn about free programs and services for Long Island veterans of all eras.

Open to all Water Quality on Long Island (EN) Wednesday, July 5, 7:00 p.m.

Marshall Brown, cofounder and president of the nonprofit Save the Great South Bay, will be on hand to present a lecture on Long Island's water problems and the environmental dilemmas we are facing.

Mixed Media Coral Reef Scene

(N) Monday, July 10, 3:00 p.m.

In this relaxing art workshop, you will draw inspiration from the colorful, flowing beauty of ocean coral reefs. Artist Lauren Singer will be your guide as you create a layered seascape using frottage (rubbing techniques), resist, and watercolor. Registration begins July 1. (NENA667)

Medicare Counseling

(EN) Wednesday, July 12, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

(NENA669)

(N) Tuesday, July 18, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

(NENA670)

A volunteer from the Health Insurance Information, Counseling, and Assistance Program (HIICAP) will answer questions about Medicare and supplementary insurance in a one-on-one appointment. Registration begins July 1.

Open to all Northport Arts Coalition presents Armenian Songs from My Heart

(N) Wednesday, July 12, 7:00 p.m.

Soprano Ruthann Turekian returns to share songs of love and country from her Armenian heritage. With a piano accompaniment by Daniel Ragone, she will feature works by Gomidas, Alemshah, Hekimian, Suni, Khachaturian, and Toshiagian.

Narcan Training

(N) Thursday, July 13, 7:00 p.m.

Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, Inc. (LICADD) will conduct Narcan training for interested adults 18 years and older. This program is cosponsored by the Northport-East Northport Drug and Alcohol Taskforce. Registration begins July 1. (NENR118)

Defensive Driving

(EN) Saturday, July 15, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Applications are available at both library buildings beginning July 1. Fee: \$36

Please note: These courses promote safe driving and help participants maintain their driving skills. Check with your insurance company about the specific premium and point reductions available to you.

Open to all Route 25: Long Island's Route 66 (N) Wednesday, July 19, 7:00 p.m.

Route 25 stretches from the very western part of Manhattan all the way to Orient Point at the far eastern tip of the North Fork. This iconic thoroughfare has had different names but one purpose: to stitch together the communities of Long Island and provide a direct route for commerce and town identity. Enjoy a multimedia tour presented by Eco-Photo Explorers.

Open to all The Fire Island Lighthouse: Long Island's Welcoming Beacon

(N) Monday, July 31, 7:00 p.m.

Local author Bill Bleyer will present his latest book which is the first complete history of the national landmark. Spanning from colonial times to the present, Mr. Bleyer's comprehensive narrative will be of interest to all who know and love the Fire Island Lighthouse. Books will be available for purchase and signing.

Fitness Fusion

(N) Mondays, August 7, 14, 21, 10:00 a.m.

Instructor and healing arts specialist Dorothy Mandrakos will guide you in this three-part class exploring the techniques of QiGong, yoga, and meditation. Please bring a mat and water bottle. Registration begins July 24. (NENA668)

In the Northport Gallery:

Scales and Feathers:

Framed photographs by Chris Paparo showcasing Long Island's fish & birds.



FOR ADULTS

Adult Summer Reading Club

June 19-August 5

Open to NENPL cardholders 18 or older

How do I participate?

- Read a book in any format—print, eBook, or audiobook.
- Fill out a "Summer Reading Club" form, which includes the title, author, and your brief review of the book.
- Submit your "Summer Reading Club" form at the Reference Desk or online. Each form you submit entitles you to one raffle ticket.
- When the Summer Reading Club ends, a drawing will be held for a Grand Prize.



**Novel Ideas, Page Turners,
Short Story Central, and Truth Be Told**
These groups will return in the fall.

Veterans Book Club

Share your reading enjoyment with fellow veterans. Using the nationally recognized Next Chapter Book Club model, a trained facilitator from Literacy Nassau will help foster understanding, community, and camaraderie. To participate, pick up a form at the Reference Desk at either library.

Next Chapter Book Club

The Next Chapter Book Club provides a rewarding learning program for adults 18 years and older with developmental disabilities in a relaxed, community setting while forming friendships through reading and talking about books. Members will be supported by a trained literacy specialist from Literacy Nassau. To participate, pick up a form at the Reference Desk at either library.

Friday Movies

(Closed captioning will be displayed)

The Last Word

Fridays, (N) July 7 and (EN) July 14, 2:00 p.m.

Harriet is a retired businesswoman who tries to control everything around her. When she decides to write her own obituary, a young journalist takes up the task of finding out the truth resulting in a life-altering friendship. Rated R. 108 min.

Table 19

Fridays, (N) July 21 and (EN) July 28, 2:00 p.m.

After being unceremoniously dumped by the best man, maid of honor Eloise decides to attend the wedding anyway. She finds herself seated with five fellow unwanted guests at the dreaded Table 19. Rated PG-13. 87 min.

Open to all Introduction to Craigslist

(EN) Wednesday, July 12, 7:00 p.m.

In this lecture and demonstration class, learn how to create a free Craigslist account, search for items and services, list items and services for sale, and more. Online safety tips will be emphasized.

Open to all SeniorNet: Google— More than Just a Search Engine

(EN) Thursday, July 20, 2:00 p.m.

Google's search engine is widely used to find information online. However, Google also offers services and information far beyond its search function. Join us for a demonstration of the various Google services. Topics include maps, video, Google Docs, Google Translate, and Google Arts & Culture.

Hands On Organize Your Windows 10 Computer

(N) Thursday, July 27, 7:00 p.m.

This class provides an understanding of the Windows 10 file management structure. Learn how to create, copy, move, and delete folders and files. Understand the Windows desktop, create shortcuts, work with backgrounds, the Recycle Bin, and more. Prerequisite: basic computer knowledge. Registration begins July 13. (NENC210)

Open to all iPad & iPhone: Questions & Answers

(N) Thursday, August 10, 7:00 p.m.

Apple-certified trainer John Budacovich will answer any questions you have regarding your iPad and iPhone. Key features of the Apple operating system will be discussed. Bring your device and your questions.

ESL for Adults, Let's Talk: English Conversation, and Quick Reads

English
Language
Learning

These groups will return in September.

Open to all Elegance: Fred Astaire

(N) Monday, July 3, 2:00 p.m.

Gene Kelly states that "the history of dance film begins with Fred Astaire." Astaire's influence extends beyond film and television to classical dancers and choreographers. Highly regarded by his colleagues, he was never anything less than elegant. This talk by lecturer Marc Courtade will feature many film clips that show the genius of Fred Astaire.

Open to all Cinema at the Library

(N) Wednesday, July 26, 6:30 p.m.

Join Cinema Arts Centre co-director Dylan Skolnick to discuss *A United Kingdom*. This film is the story of King Seretse Khama of Botswana and how his loving but controversial marriage to a British white woman, Ruth Williams, put his kingdom into political and diplomatic turmoil. Rated PG-13. 111 minutes.



FOR TEENS

Build a Better World

June 19-August 5

For students entering grades 6-12

Summer is the time to read whatever you want, learn new skills, and have fun with friends. "Build a Better World" is our Teen Summer Reading Club and for each book review submitted, you will receive a raffle ticket to put toward one of our 12 prize baskets. All teens will receive a sport bag and water bottle upon completion of their first book review, and they may be picked up at the Northport Teen Center or East Northport Adult Reference Desk (while supplies last).

Thank you to the Friends of the Library for generously sponsoring three Prize Baskets.



Teen Summer Reading Club 2017

How do I participate?

- Choose an age-appropriate book to read.
- Obtain a "Read, Rate, and Raffle Form" in the Teen Centers or at www.nenpl.org/teens.
- For each book you read, you will earn one raffle ticket. Books with more than 250 pages will qualify for two raffle tickets. Make sure to indicate on your "Read, Rate, and Raffle Form" which prize basket you would like to be entered in to win.
- A prize board with photos of the raffle baskets will be on display in both Teen Centers. The prize basket drawing will be held at the end of Summer Reading Club and winners will be notified by phone the week of August 7.



Prize
Basket
Themes:

- Build a Better World
- Fun in the Sun
- Geek Out! Best in Pop Culture
- Get Creative! DIY Crafts
- The Great Outdoors
- Hack It! Invention Kit
- It's a Great Story!
- Kawaii: Cute Stuff and More
- Let's Play! Video and Board Games
- Spa/Beauty Package
- Sports and More
- Zombie Apocalypse

Teen Summer Programs Registration 2

Registration for the following teen summer programs begins Tuesday, July 11.

Acoustic Open Mic Night

(N) Friday, July 21, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Come and enjoy local talent during our teen open mic night. If you are entering grades 9-12 and are interested in performing, please contact the Teen Services Department at (631) 261-6930 ext. 358 by July 5. This event is co-sponsored by YDA, your local community youth agency.

Creative Pastry Wars

(N) Monday, July 24, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Think you have what it takes to make three different pastry creations? Bring your talent and creativity to this program. (NENY131)

Mosaic Stepping Stone



(N) Tuesday, July 25, 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Using glass, tile, shells, and mirrors, you will create a decorative stepping stone to display outdoors. (NENY132)

Sharpie Shells and Stones

(N) Tuesday, July 25, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Join us as we decorate beach stones and shells with Sharpie markers. Make inspirational stones, creative designs, comic faces . . . your choice! (NENY133)

DIY Herb Planters

(EN) Wednesday, July 26, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Make your own herb planter! We will be painting and designing personal herb planters. Come and distress to impress! (NENY134)

Custom Wayfarer-Style Sunglasses

(EN) Thursday, July 27, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Get ready for summer and customize your own pair of white Wayfarer-style sunglasses using Sharpies and duct tape. (NENY135)

Teen Writing Workshop

(EN) Monday, July 31, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Are you a creative writer who loves to write, share, and listen to stories? Find your voice and share your talent! (NENY136)



Teen Beat Drumming

(N) Tuesday, August 1, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Learn the art of natural rhythm while participating in this interactive drum circle. (NENY137)

Summer Smoothies 2

(N) Wednesday, August 2, 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Use a blender to create a variety of delicious and nutritious smoothies. (NENY138)

Introduction to Coding

(EN) Thursday, August 3, 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Learn the basics of computer language, code structure, and implementation. (NENY139)

Veggie Quesadillas

(EN) Monday, August 7, 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Have fun making a yummy quesadilla with the Baking Coach. Bring your appetite! (NENY140)

FOR TEENS

Sunset Beach Wall Clock

(EN) Tuesday, August 8, 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Create a beach themed wall clock using paint, sand, shells, and small pebbles. (NENY141)

Cupcake Wars

(N) Wednesday, August 9, 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Teens will get creative using marshmallow fondant to decorate cupcakes in an "Iron Chef" type competition. (NENY142)

Fandom Friday

(N) Friday, August 11, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Come join your fellow fans as we celebrate the best in geek culture. (NENY143)

Super Smash Bros Competition

(N) Saturday, August 12, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Join your friends in this Super Smash Brothers Wii U competition. Prizes for the top three players. (NENY144)

SAT Preparation Workshop

Registration begins August 16 at either library or online. Be sure to check the August newsletter for more information.

Teen Volunteer Opportunities Registration 2

Teen volunteer opportunities are open to students entering grades 7-12. You may choose one volunteer opportunity from July 27-August 18.

Registration begins Thursday, July 13.

Marble Maze

(EN) Thursday, July 27, 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Earn volunteer credit while helping children create their own marble maze. (NENY148)

Summer Salon for Kidz

(N) Thursday, July 27, 3:15-4:30 p.m.

Have fun and earn volunteer credit while you polish a little one's fingernails and toenails. (NENY149)

Candyland Volunteers

(N) Friday, July 28, 1:45-3:45 p.m.

Assist children as they play a life-size candyland game. (NENY150)

Kaleidoscope Volunteers

(EN) Monday, July 31, 3:15-4:45 p.m.

Help children create their own kaleidoscope to bring home. (NENY151)



Book Swap Volunteers

(EN) Tuesday, August 1, 3:15-5:15 p.m.

Help children choose books at our book exchange. (NENY152)

Wing-It Wednesday

(EN) Wednesday, August 2, 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Volunteers will assist children with a variety of arts and crafts projects. (NENY153)

Fuse Bead Pixel Art Workshop

(EN) Monday, August 14, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Create your favorite pixelated characters out of fuse beads. (NENY145)

Fun with Paper Airplanes

(N) Tuesday, August 15, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Learn how to fold a variety of paper airplanes and see whose can fly the furthest. (NENY146)



Socrates Café

(N) Wednesday, August 16, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Our philosophy club is a great opportunity for teens to delve into life's big questions in an enthusiastic atmosphere of free thinking, energetic exchange, and unique perspectives. Food for thought (refreshments) will be served. Newcomers are always welcome. (NENY147)

Picture Book Art Volunteers

(N) Thursday, August 3, 2:45-4:00 p.m.

Assist children as they create art in the style of a children's book illustrator. (NENY154)

Science and Stories Volunteers

(N) Wednesday, August 9, 10:15-11:45 a.m.

Have fun while you assist children design and build a flying contraption. (NENY155)

Ship in a Bottle Volunteers

(EN) Wednesday, August 9, 6:45-8:15 p.m.

Earn volunteer credit as children explore art created during sea voyages and help them make a ship-in-a-bottle craft. (NENY156)

Crafty Teens

(N) Tuesday, August 15, 10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Assist children as they create a decorative wind spinner. (NENY157)

Lego Volunteers

(EN) Tuesday, August 15, 2:45-4:00 p.m.

Volunteers will assist children entering grades 1-5 to create Lego projects. (NENY158)

Chess Club Volunteers

(N) Tuesday, August 15, 6:45-8:00 p.m.

Earn volunteer credit as you help children play chess. A basic knowledge of the game is required. (NENY159)

Family Bingo Volunteers

(N) Friday, August 18, 6:45-8:15 p.m.

Enthusiastic bingo callers needed! You will help run a bingo game for children and their families. (NENY160)

FOR CHILDREN



Summer Reading Club Hours

Mondays-Fridays, June 19-August 4

10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

Saturdays, June 24-August 5

10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.



Children (preschool through grade 6) get prizes for the books they read at home when they join the Summer Reading Club with their Library card at either building or online from June 19-August 5.

Registration for the following programs is underway.

 indicates no registration required.

Family Build It

(N) Wednesday, July 5, 3:00 p.m.

Children 4 years and up with adult; siblings welcome
Families are welcome to come and build with materials of all sizes and textures. (60 min.)

Newbery Club

(N) Wednesday, July 5, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 4 and up
Be the first to read advance copies of new books, participate in informal book discussions, and vote for the best book of the year. New members are always welcome. (60 min.)

Jumbo Speed Stacking

(N) Thursday, July 6, 4:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 2-5

Children will compete in teams to see who can get the fastest time in a jumbo version of the popular cup stacking game. A watermelon snack will be provided. Please wear sneakers (60 min.) (NENJ229)

Chess Club

(N) Thursday, July 6, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 3-6

Learn new strategies to improve your game while playing with other kids and teen volunteers. (45 min.)

Me and You Music

(N) Friday, July 7, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

The music of singer-songwriter Keri Wirth will calm and inspire young families in this fun, interactive show. (45 min.) (NENJ231)

Read to Your Baby! Summer Reading Club

July 1-July 31

Babies and toddlers birth-2 years

Read 20 books with your baby or toddler and record the titles. Bring the completed reading record to a Children's Librarian at either building from August 1-19. Your child will receive a special prize for completing the club. (NENJ216)



Take Home Crafts

Craft packets to make and enjoy at home will be available at both library buildings beginning on the following dates:

July 10: Build-a-Bot July 17: Tools of the Trade
July 24: Ricochet Rocket July 31: DIY Surprise

Registration for the following programs begins
Thursday, June 29.

Crayons, Scissors, and Glue, Oh My!

(EN) Monday, July 10, 3:00 p.m.

Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome

Enjoy a room full of art supplies and craft projects. (60 min.)



PlayHooray Families

(N) Monday, July 10, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

The whole family will enjoy this interactive class with lots of music and instruments to play-along. (45 min.) (NENJ233)

Budding Boat Engineers

(N) Tuesday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.

Children 3-6 years with adult; siblings welcome

Little builders will explore what floats, sinks, and sails away in this hands-on program. Design your own boat to take home. One project per family. (60 min.) (NENJ234)

Crafty Kids: Key Wind Chime

(EN) Tuesday, July 11, 4:00 p.m.

Children 6-8 years

Make your own wind chime to enjoy at home using recycled keys and yarn. (45 min.) (NENJ235)

Shake, Rattle, and Read

(EN) Wednesday, July 12, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Have fun reading stories, singing songs, and sharing rhymes and fingerplays in this interactive program for families. (30 min.)

FOR CHILDREN

Tall Ships and Pirate Tales

(N) Wednesday, July 12, 3:30 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5; adults and siblings welcome

Ahoy! Come along for some thrilling storytelling on the high seas while witnessing the science behind clouds, combustion, air pressure, and more. (45 min.) (NENJ236)

Sensory Fun

(N) Thursday, July 13, 11:00 a.m.

Children 3-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Partner with your child in a creative environment to explore fun activities that will stimulate their senses. (60 min.) (NENJ237)

Finger Knitting

(EN) Thursday, July 13, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 3-6

Learn how to knit a scarf, headband, toy snakes, and more, without using needles. All yarn is provided. (60 min.) (NENJ238)

Jump Bunch Games

(N) Friday, July 14, 3:00 p.m.

Children 5-7 years

Wear your sneakers for this exciting mix of active games. (60 min.) (NENJ239)

Stuffed Animal Sleepover

(N) Friday, July 14, 7:00 p.m.

Children 4 years and up with adult; siblings welcome

Bring your stuffed animal for a special storytime and leave him in the Library overnight for a slumber party. Pick up your furry friend anytime on Saturday after 1:00 p.m. and find out how they spent their night! (30 min.)

Seashore Safari

(N) Monday, July 17, 3:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5

We're bringing the beach to the Library! Learn about local marine life in this hands-on program featuring sea stars, shellfish, hermit crabs, snails, and horseshoe crabs. (50 min.) (NENJ240)



Summer Sing-Along

(N) Monday, July 17, 7:30 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Enjoy the kid-friendly music of singer-songwriter Rory Michelle in this summer-inspired family concert in the Library Courtyard. (30 min.) (NENJ241)

Minecraft Play Space

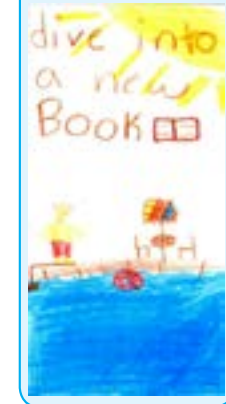
(EN) Tuesday, July 18, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5

Fans of the popular game will enjoy crafting their own figures and background out of paper and cardboard. (60 min.) (NENJ242)

The Bookmark Spot

Stop by the Library and pick up the July bookmark by Fiona Holt. A reading list compiled by Children's Librarians is on the back.



Inclusive Family Magic

(EN) Wednesday, July 19, 11:00 a.m.

Children entering grades 1-5 with adult; siblings welcome

Magic can be a great way to help develop interactive social skills. A professional magician will give close-up demonstrations that include the audience and reveal the secrets behind certain magic tricks. (60 min.) (NENJ243)

Improv 4 Kids

(N) Wednesday, July 19, 3:00 p.m.

Children entering grades K-5; adults and siblings welcome

Be ready to laugh in this high-energy show featuring stories, skits, songs, and dance based on suggestions from the audience. (60 min.) (NENJ244)

Hey Diddle Diddle

(N) Thursday, July 20, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth-23 months with adult; siblings welcome

Enjoy books, fingerplays, nursery rhymes, and special time with your little one. (30 min.) (NENJ245)



SMART Board "Win, Lose, or Draw!"

(N) Thursday, July 20, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 4-6

Try to get your teammates to guess what you draw on the electronic SMART Board in this fast and furious game of Pictionary. Prizes will be awarded to the winning team! (60 min.) (NENJ246)

Dr. Seuss Party!

(N) Friday, July 21, 11:00 a.m.

Children 4-6 years

Celebrate the many characters of beloved author Dr. Seuss with crafts, games, and stories. (60 min.) (NENJ247)



Pajama Storytime: Fun in the Sun

(N) Friday, July 21, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Join the fun as we share stories about summer in this active family storytime with fingerplays, music, movement, and more! (30 min.)

Tots & Toys

(EN) Saturday, July 22, 10:00 a.m.

Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome

Kids will have a great time in this open-ended play environment as they explore a variety of educational toy stations. (60 min.)

Open for Discussion: *Because of Mr. Terupt*

(N) Thursday, August 10, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 4 and up with adult

Rob Buyea's riveting novel is about seven kids, one amazing teacher, and the school year that changed their lives. Parents and children will enjoy a lively discussion as well as refreshments. Please pick up a copy of the book in the Children's Room to keep. (75 min.) (NENJ248)

FOR CHILDREN

Registration for the following programs begins
Tuesday, July 11.

Build a Veggie Bicycle

(N) Monday, July 24, 4:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5

Use your imagination and build a bicycle out of fresh vegetables and fruit. (60 min.) (NENJ249)

PlayHooray Kids

(N) Tuesday, July 25, 10:00 a.m.

Children 18 months-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Get ready to sing and dance while playing with hula hoops, maracas, and more. (45 min.) (NENJ250)

Magic Workshop

(EN) Tuesday, July 25, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 3-5

A professional magician will unveil the secrets behind many popular magic tricks. (60 min.) (NENJ251)

Imagination Playground

(N) Wednesday, July 26, 3:30 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5

See what you can build with giant foam blocks. (60 min.) (NENJ252)



Wednesday Night Movie & Craft: The LEGO Batman Movie

(EN) Wednesday, July 26, 6:30 p.m.

Children 5 years and up with adult;
siblings welcome

Create a craft and munch on snacks while watching Batman and Robin defeat the villains of Gotham City. Rated PG. (105 min.)



Marble Maze

(EN) Thursday, July 27, 11:00 a.m.

Children entering grades 3-5

Use a box top and straws to design and create your own marble maze to take home. (45 min.) (NENJ253)

Summer Salon Day

(N) Thursday, July 27, 3:30 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5

Make an appointment to have your fingernails and toenails polished by our teen volunteers. Be sure to wear open-toed shoes. (45 min.) (NENJ254)

A Note About Program Attendance:

Our goal is to maximize attendance and thereby offer as many Northport-East Northport children as possible the opportunity to enjoy Library programs.

- Please arrive 10 minutes before the start of a program.
- If you have not arrived by the start time, your child's place may be given to someone waiting.
- Your place will be held if you call to tell us that you will be late.
- Children will be admitted, as space permits, in the following order: waitlist, standby NENPL cardholders, and non-district patrons.

Books Taste Good

(EN) Friday, July 28, 11:00 a.m.

Children 4-6 years

Kids will devour some great stories and create an edible craft. Please inquire if food allergies are a concern. (45 min.) (NENJ255)



Life-Size Candyland

(N) Friday, July 28, 2:00 p.m.

Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome

Stop by anytime between 2:00 and 3:30 p.m. to experience the classic board game as you never have before! Move along as your own game piece from the Peppermint Forest, through the Lollipop Woods, and all the way to the Candy Castle. (90 min.)



Block Party

(N) Friday, July 28, 7:00 p.m.

Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome

Children will learn to use their minds as well as their muscles while they have fun building with various blocks and playing with others. (60 min.)

What Do You See?

(EN) Monday, July 31, 3:30 p.m.

Children entering grades 2-5

Have some fun with mirrors as you create incredible reflections and construct your own kaleidoscope to bring home. (60 min.) (NENJ256)

Jump Bunch Parachute Fun

(N) Tuesday, August 1, 10:00 a.m.

Children 2-4 years with adult;
siblings welcome

Little ones and their grownups will make the parachute wave and soar in this fun, active program. (45 min.) (NENJ257)



Book Swap

(EN) Tuesday, August 1, 4:00 p.m.

Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome

Come in anytime between 4:00 and 5:00 p.m. to trade books from your home library for swap dollars and "purchase" pre-owned, new-to-you books. (60 min.)



Pajama Storytime: Bouncing Bedtime Stories

(EN) Tuesday, August 1, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Join the fun as we share stories about animal bedtimes in this active family storytime with fingerplays, music, movement, and more! (30 min.)



Wing-It Wednesday

(EN) Wednesday, August 2, 11:00 a.m.

Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome

Enjoy a room full of art supplies and craft projects. (60 min.)

FOR CHILDREN

Registration for the following programs begins
Wednesday, July 26.

Science and Stories: Clorinda Takes Flight

(N) Wednesday, August 9, 10:30 a.m.

Children 4-6 years

After reading the story of how Clorinda develops the perfect flying machine, use a trial and error approach to build and design your own flying contraption. (60 min.) (NENJ264)



Ship in a Bottle Workshop

(EN) Wednesday, August 9, 7:00 p.m.

Children 7-11 years

Explore why and how seafarers created art during their voyages at sea, and engineer a kid-friendly ship in a bottle to take home. (60 min.) (NENJ265)

The 60-Second Challenge

(N) Thursday, August 10, 3:30 p.m.

Children 7-10 years

Kids get only one minute to complete each fun and challenging activity as they try to lead their team to victory. Please wear sneakers. (45 min.) (NENJ266)



Block Party

(N) Friday, August 11, 10:00 a.m.

Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome

Children will learn to use their minds as well as their muscles while they have fun building with various blocks and playing with others. (60 min.)

Bridges Brixology

(N) Monday, August 14, 3:30 p.m.

Children entering grades 2-6

Young engineers will put their minds to work as they test different designs trying to build the strongest bridge using LEGOs. (60 min.) (NENJ267)

PlayHooray Families

(EN) Monday, August 14, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

The whole family will love this interactive class with lots of music and instruments to play along. (45 min.) (NENJ268)

Crafty Kids: CD Wind Spinner

(N) Tuesday, August 15, 11:00 a.m.

Children 4-5 years

Transform an old CD using sequins and gems to create a decoration for your yard. (45 min.) (NENJ269)



Anything Goes Legos

(EN) Tuesday, August 15, 3:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5

Use the Library's LEGOs to build your own creation that will go on display in the Children's Room. (45 min.)

Binary Bracelets

(N) Wednesday, August 2, 3:30 p.m.

Children entering grades 4-6

Learn how computers communicate and make a personalized bead bracelet displaying your initials in binary code. (45 min.) (NENJ258)

Hey Diddle Diddle

(EN) Thursday, August 3, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth-23 months with adult; siblings welcome

Enjoy books, fingerplays, nursery rhymes, and special time with your little one. (30 min.) (NENJ259)

Picture Book Art: Maybe Something Beautiful

(N) Thursday, August 3, 3:00 p.m.

Children 4-6 years

Get inspired by the neighborhood in F. Isabel Campoy's modern favorite and bring your own cityscape to life. (45 min.) (NENJ260)



Newbery Club

(N) Thursday, August 3, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 4 and up

Be the first to read advance copies of new books and participate in informal book discussions. (60 min.)



Shake, Rattle, and Read

(N) Friday, August 4, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Have fun reading stories, singing songs, and sharing rhymes and fingerplays. (30 min.)



Rainforest Art Adventure

(EN) Friday, August 4, 3:00 p.m.

Children 4-6 years

Through step-by-step instructions, young artists will create a beautiful parrot using watercolors. (60 min.) (NENJ261)

Jaguar Art Adventure

(EN) Friday, August 4, 4:30 p.m.

Children 7-11 years

Get your creative juices flowing while you learn how to draw a jaguar and add color using oil pastels. (60 min.) (NENJ262)

Go Wild about Llamas

(N) Saturday, August 5, 10:00 a.m.

Children 5-10 years; adults and siblings welcome

Learn about this gentle animal while taking a glimpse into South American culture. Includes a visit with two live llamas in the Library Courtyard. (60 min.) (NENJ263)



School Supply Donation Drive

Children can help kids in need by donating new pencils, paper, crayons, notebooks, and other school supplies. Family Service League donation bins will be available in the Children's Room in both library buildings beginning July 24.



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FOR CHILDREN



Chess Club

(N) Tuesday, August 15, 7:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 3-6

Learn new strategies to better your game while playing matches with other kids and teen volunteers. (45 min.)



Friday Family Bingo

(N) Friday, August 18, 7:00 p.m.

Children 4-10 years with adult; siblings welcome

Enjoy a picture version of the familiar game of Bingo with the whole family. Everyone wins a prize! (60 min.)



Shake, Rattle, and Read

(EN) Wednesday, August 16, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Have fun reading stories, singing songs, and sharing rhymes and fingerplays in this interactive program for families. (30 min.)

Catapult Launches

(N) Wednesday, August 16, 3:00 p.m.

Children 7-11 years

Come explore a variety of tools we can use to send an object soaring through the air. Design and build your own unique system for launching marshmallows at your neighbor's castle. (60 min.) (NENJ270)

Kinetic Sculptures

(EN) Thursday, August 17, 3:00 p.m.

Children entering grades 1-5

Experiment with gears and motion while you construct your own piece of modern sculpture that comes to life through movement. (60 min.) (NENJ271)

Hey Diddle Diddle

(N) Friday, August 18, 2:00 p.m.

Children birth-23 months with adult; siblings welcome

Enjoy books, fingerplays, nursery rhymes, and special time with your little one. (30 min.) (NENJ272)



Summer Reading Club



Finale Show

Tickets to one of the four show times are issued to children who have completed the Summer Reading Club requirements.

Goowin's Balloowins

Enjoy a truly unique performance by madcap storyteller and balloon artist Allynn Gooen, who will fill the stage with extraordinary balloon creations with help from children in the audience.

(N) Monday, August 7, 4:00 p.m.
(N) Monday, August 7, 7:00 p.m.
(N) Tuesday, August 8, 4:00 p.m.
(N) Tuesday, August 8, 7:00 p.m.