



The

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LIBRARY

The Newsletter of the Northport-East Northport Public Library

FOR ADULTS



Adult programs will be offered virtually through Zoom as well as in person at the Library. Please note the icon next to each program to determine the format. You may register on the library website, www.nenpl.org, or contact the Library at (631) 261-6930 or (631) 261-2313 for assistance.



In April, our Library joins other libraries across Long Island to celebrate the Long Island Reads 2022 pick: *The Living and the Lost* by Long Island resident Ellen Feldman. This illuminating historical drama follows a brother and sister who find refuge from the Nazis in America, then return to their native Germany in 1945 as the Allied occupation begins. Mostly set in a bombed-out, black market-driven, postwar Berlin, *The Living and the Lost* examines the lasting damage to society from a culture of hatred, as well as the profound consequences of war. The following adult programs explore the various themes contained in the book.

1945–1950: Liberation and the End of the War



Wednesday, April 6, 2:00 p.m.

This talk looks at the wave of liberation that swept across Nazi-controlled Europe in 1945, focusing on the liberation experience of survivors, the establishment of Displaced Persons camps, and how Jews were able to restart their lives in the wake of the Holocaust. Thorin Tritter, Ph.D., Museum and Programming Director of the Holocaust Memorial and Tolerance Center of Nassau County, will be presenting. Registration is underway. **NENA214**

Traditions of German-Jewish Cooking



Monday, April 11, 2:00 p.m.

Mother-daughter team Gabrielle Rossmar Gropman and Sonya Gropman, authors of *The German-Jewish Cookbook*, will discuss the journey which resulted in their cookbook, highlighting traditions, recipes, and culture. They include a special focus on German-Jewish cuisine as it existed in Germany prior to WWII and as refugees later adapted it in the US and elsewhere. Registration is underway. **NENA215**

Page Turners: Book Discussion



(N) Thursday, April 14, 2:00 p.m.

Join Page Turners leader Donna Diamond to discuss *The Living and the Lost* by Ellen Feldman (Long Island Reads 2022 selection). Registration is underway. **NENA216**

Recognizing and Dealing with PTSD



Thursday, April 28, 7:00 p.m.

Cassandra D'Accordo, Ph.D. with Northwell Health, will provide an overview of steps that may be taken to help cope in the aftermath of traumatic events. Registration is underway. **NENA217** This program is co-sponsored by the public libraries in the Town of Huntington.

Author Ellen Feldman will discuss *The Living and the Lost* at a dual virtual and in-person event hosted by Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library on Sunday, May 1, at 2:00 p.m. For information about attending, please check the Long Island Reads website: www.longislandreads.wordpress.com

Blood Pressure Check

Wednesday, April 6

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



A nurse from Visiting Nurse Service & Hospice of Suffolk provides free blood pressure checks on the first Wednesday morning of every month.



FOR ADULTS

Learn to Be . . . Tobacco Free

(EN) Mondays, April 4, 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9, 23, 6:00 p.m.



This free, multi-session program is offered by the Suffolk County Department of Health Services and is based on the CDC's Clinical Practice Guidelines for treating nicotine dependence. The cessation program provides important information about the three aspects of nicotine dependence: biological, psychological, and behavioral. The emphasis is on *preparing* to quit. Those who use all forms of tobacco products (including cigarettes, cigars, pipes, e-cigarettes, and chew tobacco) are welcome. To register, call Debora at the Suffolk County Office of Health Services, Office of Health Education, 631-853-2928, or email debora.rippel@suffolkcountyny.gov. **NENA213**

Keeping Abreast: An Introduction to Breast Implants, Breast Lifts, and Breast Reduction Surgery



Monday, April 4, 6:30 p.m.

Join Dr. Lauren Shikowitz-Behr, board-certified plastic surgeon with Northwell Health, to discuss the indications and outcomes of plastic surgery of the breasts. Special focus will be on breast augmentation with implants, breast lifts, and breast reduction procedures. There will be time for Q & A at the end of the presentation. Registration is underway. **NENA227** *This program is co-sponsored by the public libraries in the Town of Huntington.*

Fitness Fusion



Wednesdays, April 6, 13, 20, 27, 10:00 a.m.

Fitness Fusion introduces you to the healing arts of Qigong, Yoga, and Meditation. Qigong is a moving meditation that is both relaxing and invigorating. Yoga increases strength and flexibility. Meditation helps clear your mind and improve concentration. Beginners welcome! Please have a mat and water bottle available during class. *Note: Participant accepts responsibility for any potential injury associated with this class by proceeding through the Zoom link. As with all exercise programs, please check with your healthcare provider before registering.* Registration is underway. **NENA228**

Northport Native Garden Initiative



(N) Tuesday, April 12, 7:00 p.m.

Enjoy a fun and engaging look at native plants and their critical role within our community. Representatives from Northport Native Garden Initiative will discuss why these species are essential to supporting living landscapes across the US, and offer residents tips for creating their own native gardens. Registration is underway. **NENA230** *This program is co-sponsored by the Friends of the Library.*

Medicare Counseling

by phone:

Wednesday, April 13
10:00 a.m. **NENA219**
10:30 a.m. **NENA220**
11:00 a.m. **NENA221**
11:30 a.m. **NENA222**



in-person:

(N) Tuesday, April 19
10:00 a.m. **NENA223**
10:30 a.m. **NENA224**
11:00 a.m. **NENA225**
11:30 a.m. **NENA226**



Registration begins April 1.

The National Parks: America's Best Idea



(N) Wednesday, April 20, 2:00 p.m.

Help commemorate National Park Week 2022 and celebrate America's amazing treasures. Pat Summers will explain the creation of the park system, what criteria are used in designating parks, and how terrains differ from park to park. Famous sites will be explored as well as lesser-known gems often overlooked by visitors. Learn travel tips to use in planning your own National Park adventure! Registration is underway. **NENA231**

Leaves Fall, People Shouldn't! Falls Prevention Workshop



Thursdays, April 21 & 28, 12:00 p.m.

Every second of the day in the US, an older adult falls, making falls the leading cause of injury and deaths from injury among older Americans. Falls are also the number one reason older adults lose their independence. Join Lori Ginsberg, RN, MA with Northwell Health, to learn simple steps you can follow to help prevent falls. Registration is underway. **NENA232** *This program is co-sponsored by the public libraries in the Town of Huntington.*

Poetic Yoga and Meditation with Christina M. Rau



Thursday, April 21, 7:00 p.m.

Breathe and move to settle your thoughts and find some inspiration, then pick up a pen and write. Open to all levels of writers, meditators, and yoga practitioners. Participants may also simply listen. Christina M. Rau will be your guide. *Note: Participant accepts responsibility for any potential injury associated with this class by proceeding through the Zoom link. As with all exercise programs, please check with your healthcare provider before registering.* Registration is underway. **NENA233** *This program is co-sponsored by Northport Arts Coalition.*

Spring Concert with Piano and Harp



(N) Sunday, April 24, 2:00 p.m.

Olivia Lu, harpist and pianist, has performed in and directed concerts for 15 years. She will be performing duet pieces with Patricia Jones, pianist, and graduate of New York University. The two have collaborated for many concerts including performances at Carnegie Hall. Peace, joy, and love are the themes! Please join us for a wonderful musical afternoon of solos and duets encompassing a wide variety of popular and classical music. Registration is underway. **NENA235**

Coiled Paper Wreath



(N) Monday, May 2, 6:30 p.m.

Learn the art of paper quilling as you create a beautiful wreath to display for Mother's Day or any special occasion. Using colored paper strips, special tools, and glue guns, art instructor Bonnie Schwartz will take you through the steps. A \$5 materials fee (cash or check payable to "Northport-East Northport Public Library") is due at the time of registration. In-person registration begins April 15. **NENA236**

FOR ADULTS

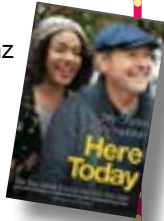
Friday Movies



Here Today

(N) Friday, April 1, 2:00 p.m.

When veteran comedy writer Charlie Burnz meets New York street singer Emma Payge, they form an unlikely yet hilarious and touching friendship that kicks the generation gap aside and redefines the meaning of love and trust. Starring Billy Crystal and Tiffany Haddish. PG-13. 117 min. Registration is underway. **NENR363**



Cry Macho

(N) Friday, April 15, 2:00 p.m.

A one-time rodeo star and washed-up horse breeder accepts a job to bring a man's young son home and away from an alcoholic mother. On their journey, the horseman finds redemption through teaching the boy what it means to be a good man. Starring Clint Eastwood. PG-13. 104 min. Registration begins March 28. **NENR364**



Annual Library Vote

Tuesday, April 5, 2022

9:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m.

Voting will be for two purposes:

The Board of Trustees has set the annual Library Vote for Tuesday, April 5, 2022. Voting will be for two purposes: to vote on the library budget for 2022/2023 and to elect two trustees: the first for a term commencing immediately upon election and ending on June 30, 2023; the second to a five-year term commencing July 1, 2022 and ending on June 30, 2027.

Candidates for Trustee:

**Judith Bensimon
Carolyn McQuade
Michelle Glennon**

Proposed Tax Rate Increase: 0.32%

Who Can Vote—Anyone who is

1. at least 18 years of age
2. a citizen of the United States
3. a resident of the Northport-East Northport School District #4 for at least 30 days
4. registered to vote

Where to Vote:

If you live **north of 25A** vote at
Northport Public Library, 151 Laurel Avenue

If you live **south of 25A** vote at
East Northport Public Library, 185 Larkfield Road

Library budget details were published in the March newsletter. Copies are available at the Library. Trustee candidate information is available at the Reference Desk. Budget details and candidate information are also available on the library's website at www.nenpl.org

Computer and Technology Classes



Introduction to Microsoft PowerPoint



Tuesday, April 5, 6:30 p.m.

Learn how to create presentations with Microsoft PowerPoint. This class covers the basics of designing a slideshow including editing, formatting, saving, animation, video, and more. Prerequisite: basic computer knowledge. Registration is underway. **NENC516**

Inside Your iPad and iPhone



Thursday, April 7, 7:00 p.m.

Learn about the Apple iPad and iPhone settings for apps, display options, privacy, managing battery life, and more. *Introduction to the iPad and iPhone* class or equivalent experience with your device is required. Have your device and Apple ID and password on hand, or just follow along. Registration is underway. **NENC517**

Introduction to Canva



Thursday, April 14, 7:00 p.m.

Learn how to create beautiful designs and professional graphics with Canva. Whether it is a photo, collage, logo, invitation, or poster, Canva makes online graphic design easy. Basic computer skills required. Registration is underway. **NENC518**

Microsoft Office Tips & Tricks



Thursday, April 28, 7:00 p.m.

Review the most popular Microsoft Office functions for Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. A general knowledge of Office programs is required for this class. Registration is underway. **NENC519**

All About Cloud Storage



Thursday, May 5, 7:00 p.m.

Learn about "cloud" storage options for your digital files and photos. Review popular cloud services including Apple iCloud, Google Drive, Google Photos, Microsoft OneDrive, and Dropbox. Registration is underway. **NENC520**

In the Northport Gallery

Annual Art Exhibit by the Students of the Northport-East Northport School District.



Inquiries about displaying your artwork in the Library Galleries are welcome. Please contact Kathryn Heaviside, Gallery Coordinator, 631-261-6930, ext. 319, or kathryn.heaviside@nenpl.org

FOR ADULTS

Language Learning & Literacy

Basic English for Spanish Speakers



(EN) Saturdays, April 2, 9, 16, 11:00 a.m.

Would you like to start developing basic English skills to use at work or to converse with your children's teachers, medical professionals, and with neighbors in your community? Join us to start practicing English in an informal, friendly, and relaxed environment. Come meet your neighbors and have fun while you learn. Registration is underway. **NENR350**

Inglés básico para hispanohablantes



(EN) Sábados, 2, 9, 16 de abril, 11:00 a.m.

¿Le gustaría comenzar a desarrollar habilidades básicas de inglés para usar en el trabajo o conversar con los maestros de sus hijos, profesionales médicos, y con los vecinos en su comunidad? Únase a nosotros para comenzar a practicar inglés en un ambiente informal, amigable, y relajado. Ven a conocer a sus vecinos y diviértese mientras aprende. Registro en curso. **NENR350**

Pronunciation Practice



Mondays, April 4, 11, 25, 6:00 p.m.

Registration is underway. **NENR352**

Mondays, May 2, 9, 16, 23, June 6, 13, 27, 6:00 p.m.

Registration begins April 11. **NENR366**

Improve your English pronunciation skills with a certified Speech Language Pathologist and Accent Modification Trainer. You will learn how to use Standard American English sounds and strategies that will help you to get your point across.

Dynamic English



Thursdays, April 7, 14, 28, 7:00 p.m.

Registration is underway. **NENR351**

Thursdays, May 5, 12, 19, 26, June 2, 9, 16, 23, 7:00 p.m.

Registration begins April 11. **NENR365**

Develop your English vocabulary, grammar, reading, and pronunciation with this friendly English conversation group.

Quick Reads



Tuesday, April 26, 7:00 p.m.

This informal reading group is designed for intermediate English language learners and for those who would like to develop their literacy skills. The reading selection will be emailed one week after registration. Registration begins April 1. **NENR372**

Everyday Spanish



Tuesdays, April 5, 12, 26, 4:00 p.m.

Registration is underway. **NENR354**

Tuesdays, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, June 7, 14, 4:00 p.m.

Registration begins April 11. **NENR367**

Spanish conversation with a focus on building listening skills, improving comprehension, and mastering key vocabulary to help you start conversing in Spanish immediately. Please note: this is not a traditional leveled Spanish language class.



Page Turners

(N) Thursday, April 14, 2:00 p.m.

Join Page Turners leader Donna Diamond to discuss *The Living and the Lost* by Ellen Feldman (Long Island Reads 2022 selection).

Registration is underway. **NENA216**

Novel Ideas

(N) Monday, April 25, 7:00 p.m.

Join Librarian Candace Reeder to discuss *The Personal Librarian* by Marie Benedict.

Registration is underway. **NENA218**

Between the Lines

(N) Tuesday, May 3, 7:00 p.m.

Join Librarians Connor McCormack and Meagan White for a discussion of *Finlay Donovan Is Killing It* by Elle Cosimano. Registration begins April 1. **NENR368**



These are some of the most popular books read by patrons during the 2022 Adult Winter Reading Club:



FOR TEENS

 Teen programs will be offered virtually through Zoom as well as in person at the Library. Please note the icon next to each program to determine the format. **All teen programs, Take and Make Kits, and volunteer opportunities are limited to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders only.** You may register on the library website, www.nenpl.org, using your library card barcode and password, or contact the Library at (631) 261-6930 or (631) 261-2313 for assistance.

Registration for Teen Programs and Volunteer Opportunities begins April 4.

Snack Around the World: South Korea

Friday, April 8, 7:00–8:00 p.m.

Discover the culinary delights of different countries in this club. We will sample two different international snacks and discuss our favorite international media. Pick up your participation packet at the Teen Center by April 8. **NENY971** Note: *Snack foods may contain potential allergens. Please review ingredients with a parent or guardian before eating this food.*

Mandala Suncatcher

(N) Tuesday, April 19, 7:00–8:00 p.m.

Make a colorful mandala suncatcher using acrylic paints mixed with glue to hang in your window or gift to someone you love. **NENY973**

Nintendo Night: New Games for 2022

Friday, April 29, 7:00–8:30 p.m.

Join your fellow gaming fans in this celebration of all things Nintendo! This month we will be discussing the upcoming game releases for 2022. **NENY974**

Clay Class: Star Wars Grogu

Saturday, April 30, 2:00–2:30 p.m.

Kick back, relax, and make something cool using air dry clay. This month we will make the adorable “Grogu” from the Mandalorian. Pick up your participation packet at the Teen Center by April 30. **NENY972**

TAKE AND MAKE KITS

Registration and pickup begin April 4.

Kits are to be picked up at the Teen Center. All materials are provided. Please note: *Your registration will be canceled if kit is not picked up by April 25.*



Earth Day Trinket Holder

Paint an Earth trinket holder in celebration of Earth Day. **NENY975**

Food Artist! Gummy Candy

Create your own pop art using a fantastic mix of different gummy candy. **NENY976** Note: *Snack foods may contain potential allergens. Please review ingredients with a parent or guardian before eating this food.*

Puzzle Cube

Decorate your own Rubik's Cube-inspired puzzle with permanent markers. **NENY977**

Teen Volunteer Opportunities

Open to students in grades 7–12

Registration for the following Teen Volunteer Opportunities begins April 4.

You may choose a maximum of **two** Volunteer Opportunities.

Cat Treats

Monday, April 18, 3:00–4:00 p.m.

Make a batch of cat treats to donate to the Town of Huntington Animal Shelter, and earn two hours of community service credit. Zoom attendance is mandatory to receive credit. Treats need to be turned in to the Teen Center by April 20. The recipe will be emailed upon registration. **NENY978**

Dino Wind Chimes Volunteers

(EN) Wednesday, April 20, 9:45–11:00 a.m.

Assist with making “dino-mite” dinosaur wind chimes. **NENY979**

Earth Day Tote Volunteers

(N) Friday, April 22, 2:45–4:00 p.m.

Help children make reusable tote bags in celebration of Earth Day. **NENY980**

Butterfly House


Butterfly lovers, get excited! Decorate a butterfly house that is perfect for our fluttering friends to enjoy, and a great addition to our community. Pick up this project in the Teen Center by April 20. Please send a photo of your completed house to teenvolunteer@nenpl.org by April 30 to receive two hours of community service credit. **NENY981**

Door Hangers

Pick up a door hanger at the Teen Center by April 20 and decorate it for a local senior citizen center. Return door hanger by April 30 to receive one hour of community service credit. **NENY982**

Photo Frame Volunteers

Decorate a wooden picture frame with colorful tissue paper and Mod Podge. This frame will bring much joy to our local senior citizens. Pick up your packet in the Teen Center by April 20. Return frame by April 30 to receive 1.5 hours of community service credit. **NENY983**

Authors Unlimited will take place on **Saturday, April 30** on Zoom. This free event celebrates reading by connecting teens and authors. Earn three hours of community service credit by attending the event and filling out a survey. Look for updates on our Twitter @AuthorsUnlim! or visit: authorsunlimited.org 

FOR CHILDREN

Children's and family programs will be offered in a variety of formats—in person, as prerecorded videos, and as kits. Please note the icon next to each program to determine the format. You may register for programs on the library website, www.nenpl.org, or contact the Library at (631) 261-6930 or (631) 261-2313 for assistance.



Registration for the following single and series programs is underway.
(One series program per child please)

Baby Signing Time

(N) Wednesdays, April 6, 13, 27, 10:00 a.m.

Children 6–23 months with adult; siblings welcome

Learn some basic signs with your baby to enhance their developing communication skills. (45 min.)

NENJ492



Babies Boogie

(EN) Thursday, April 7, 10:00 a.m.

Children 6–23 months with adult; siblings welcome

Your little musician will be singing and moving to songs from around the world and keeping the beat with props and musical instruments. (45 min.)

NENJ493



Toddlers Tango

(EN) Thursday, April 7, 11:00 a.m.

Children 2–4 years with adult; siblings welcome

Clap your hands and stomp your feet in this high-energy music and movement program. (45 min.)

NENJ494



Sing & Play

(EN) Mondays, April 11, 25, May 2,

10:00 a.m. NENJ506 or 11:00 a.m. NENJ507

Children 1–3 years with adult; siblings welcome

Have fun with Molly Mouse. Sing songs and rhymes while using scarves, bells, balls, and more. (30 min.)



Time for Tots

(N) Tuesdays, April 12, 26, May 3, 10:00 a.m.

Children 2–5 years with adult; siblings welcome

You and your child will enjoy fun and educational activities designed to encourage early reading, math, and school readiness skills. (60 min.)

NENJ508



Pajama Storytime: April Showers

(EN) Tuesday, April 12, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth–5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Scrub-a-dub-dub! Join us for an evening full of stories and songs about bath time. (30 min.)

NENJ509



1, 2, 3, Learn with Me

(N) Thursdays, April 14, 28, May 5, 12, 10:00 a.m.

Children 1–3 years with adult; siblings welcome

Child development experts are on hand to answer your questions while your children play with age-appropriate toys. An open-ended art activity and a circle time with stories and songs are also included. (60 min.)

NENJ510



Preschool Storytime

(EN) Thursdays, April 14, 28, May 5, 12, 1:30 p.m.

Children 4–5 years, not yet in kindergarten; independent

Children listen to stories, sing songs and rhymes, and participate in hands-on activities that increase vocabulary and letter knowledge. (40 min.)

NENJ542



Chocolate Bird's Nest

**Video available Friday, April 1–
Saturday, April 30**

Children in grades K–5

Build delicious nests using chocolate, pretzels, and jelly beans with step-by-step instructions from The Baking Coach. **Registrants will be emailed the recipe as well as a link to watch the video.** (30 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ511**



Sunday Family Special: BenAnna Band

(N) Sunday, April 10, 2:00 p.m.

Families with children 4 years and up

This high-energy duo will have the whole family dancing and singing along to new favorites and well-loved classics. (45 min.) Registration is underway.

NENJ512



Kids . . . Cast Your Vote for Your Favorite Fairy Tale

(N & EN) Tuesday, April 5, 9:00 a.m.–8:45 p.m.

Children 3 years and up

When parents come to the Annual Library Vote, kids will have the opportunity to cast their own vote in the Children's Room. Each young citizen exercising their right to vote will receive several election day goodies. Children are invited to vote for their favorite of these classic stories:

- **Goldilocks and the Three Bears**
- **Jack and the Beanstalk**
- **Little Red Riding Hood**
- **Puss in Boots**
- **Rapunzel**



FOR CHILDREN

Paws to Read

(N) Thursday, April 14,
6:30 p.m. NENJ513
6:45 p.m. NENJ514
7:00 p.m. NENJ515
7:15 p.m. NENJ516
Children in grades 1–5



Dogs are great listeners and provide a calming environment for kids to read aloud. Fetch a good book and sign up for a 15-minute reading session with a certified therapy dog. Registration is underway.

Take Home Craft: Nest Contest

Kit available Saturday, April 16
Children 3 years and up



Make a nest of paper birds and try to toss chenille stem worms into their mouths for a fun, springtime game. No registration required.

Super Soccer Skills

(N) Monday, April 18, 2:00 p.m.
Children in grades K–5



Coaches from Lil' Athletes lead kids in active games that help develop skills for playing soccer. Children of all experience levels are welcome. (45 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ517**

Sensory Fun

(N) Tuesday, April 19, 11:00 a.m.
Children 3–6 years with adult; siblings welcome



Participate with your child in an interactive storytime followed by a hands-on experience designed to stimulate the senses. (45 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ518**

Design-A-Bear

(N) Tuesday, April 19, 3:00 p.m.
Children in grades K–2



Use markers to give your fabric bear its own flare. (30 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ519**

Dino Wind Chimes

(EN) Wednesday, April 20,
10:00 a.m.



Children in grades K–2
 Create your own wild wind chimes to sing in the spring breeze. (45 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ520**

Pet Pals

(N) Thursday, April 21, 3:00 p.m.
Children in grades K–5



Meet some of the "pet pals" from the Suffolk County Farm and learn all about the many small animals you could choose for a pet. (60 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ522**

The Bookmark Spot

Stop by the Library and pick up the April bookmark by Alessandra Papanikolaou. A reading list compiled by Children's Librarians is on the back.



Earth Day Reusable Totes

(N) Friday, April 22, 3:00 p.m.
Children in grades 3–5



Celebrate Earth Day by designing your own reusable tote bag using puff paint and fabric markers. (45 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ523**

Graphic Novel Club: Doodleville

(N) Wednesday, April 27, 7:00 p.m.
Children in grades 3–5



This new monthly club features a book discussion, exploration of the illustrator's artistic process, and creation of your own comics. *Doodleville* by Chad Sell is the story of a young artist, Drew, and the doodles that escape from her sketchbook. After registering for the program, stop by the Northport Library Children's Room to check out a copy of the book. (60 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ521**

Adventures in Art: Nature Cut-Outs with Henri Matisse

(N) Thursday, April 28, 4:00 p.m.
Children in grades K–5



Take a deep dive into modern artist Henri Matisse's nature-inspired art, then create your own paper collage based on his work. (60 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ524**

Oodles of Obstacles

(N) Friday, April 29, 10:00 a.m.
Children 2–5 years with adult; siblings welcome



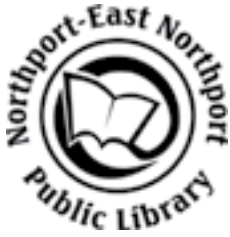
Preschoolers will have a blast navigating through a room filled with fun obstacles that will exercise their muscles and minds. (45 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ525**

Design-A-Bookmark Contest: Congratulations!

The Library is happy to announce the winners of our annual Design-A-Bookmark Contest. The winning designs will be featured in the library newsletter, on the website, and in the Children's Room each month.

Featured Month:

William Graziosi	March '22
Alessandra Papanikolaou	April '22
Justin Neknez	May '22
Savannah Sikes	June '22
Madilynn Laquidara	July '22
Liliana Pinello	August '22
Kayla Rose Daly	September '22
Joey Pansini	October '22
Sydney Johnson	November '22
Karter Kim	December '22
Chloe Smith	January '23
Amelia Eisenberg	February '23



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Board Meeting: (N) April 21, 10:00 a.m.

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Volunteer Fair

Thursday, April 7
4:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Northport Public Library

Come and speak with representatives from local organizations that are actively seeking volunteers.
Registration is underway. NENR362

Medicine Collection at the Library

(N & EN) Thursday, April 14, 3:30–6:30 p.m.

The Northport Police Department and the Suffolk County Sheriff's Office will collect unused or expired prescription and over-the-counter medications. Proper disposal of these items is essential for risk reduction and environmental protection. No questions asked and no personal information is required.

Only medications in pill form will be accepted and must be placed in a plastic bag before arrival. Contact the Library for information on ways to safely dispose of medical sharps.

This event is co-sponsored by the Northport-East Northport Community Drug and Alcohol Task Force.

**Boat America:
Boating Safety Classes**



(N) Tuesdays, May 10, 17, 24, 31, 6:00–8:00 p.m.

Representatives from the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary will present an 8-hour course on boating safety. This beginner boating class for ages 10 years through adult will give you the knowledge needed to obtain a boat license or safety certification. Many boat insurance companies will offer discounts to boaters who successfully complete *Boat America*. A \$40 fee (check only payable to "CGAUX Flotilla 22-02") is due at the time of registration. ***In-person registration at the Northport building only begins April 18. NENA237***

Defensive Driving Class

(N) Saturday, April 23, 9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

A representative from Empire Safety Council will conduct a 6-hour defensive driving class. A \$30 fee (cash or check payable to "Empire Safety Council") is due at the time of registration. ***In-person registration at the Northport building only begins April 1.*** This program is limited to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders. Space is limited.
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