



The

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LIBRARY

The Newsletter of the Northport-East Northport Public Library

FOR ADULTS

Four-Star Library

Library Receives National Recognition for Eighth Year!

For the eighth consecutive year, The Northport-East Northport Public Library has earned a four-star rating in *Library Journal's* 2015 Index of Public Library Service, a national rating system designed to recognize and promote America's public libraries.

The four-star rating is awarded on the basis of four measures of service—patron visits, material circulation, program attendance, and Internet usage. This year, 39 libraries were awarded Star status in New York State, the highest number for any state.

Sargent: Portraits of Artists & Friends

(N) Tuesday, January 12, 2:30 p.m.

Explore the friendships between Sargent and his artistic sitters, including artist Claude Monet and writer Robert Louis Stevenson. Take an in-depth look at a recent exhibition with art historian and independent curator Professor Mary Vahey. No registration required.

Physical Fitness for Brain Fitness

(EN) Wednesday, January 13, 2:00 p.m.

Learn exercises and stretches to maintain the body's range of motion and help keep your mind active and alert. Safety and injury prevention will also be discussed. No registration required.

Current Events in Perspective

(N) Friday, January 22, 10:00 a.m.

Join Michael D'Innocenzo, professor of history at Hofstra University, to explore significant national and international developments. All attending are welcome to share their views. No registration required.



3D Technology at the Library!

During the month of January, a MakerBot 3D Printer and Digitizer will be on display in the lobby of the Northport Library. The equipment is on loan from Live-brary, a cooperative project of the public libraries in Suffolk County. Stop by and see this amazing process in action!

Revitalize Your Resume

(N) Wednesday, January 13, 3:00 p.m.

Make your resume a dynamic reflection of your skills and accomplishments. Career counselor Maureen Provost Ryan will discuss effective resume strategies for both recent graduates and experienced job seekers, including techniques for completing online applications. Bring your resume and it will be collected and critiqued by Ms. Ryan. Registration begins January 4 at either library building or online. (NENA545)

Northport Arts Coalition presents Ragas of India

(N) Wednesday, January 13, 7:00 p.m.

Our first destination for this year's theme, *Explore Other Worlds*, is inspired by India. Multi-stringed instrumentalist and guitarist Dee Harris will perform North Indian Classical music using his custom-made 20-string Indian slide guitar. No registration required.



Poetry Readers

(EN) Thursdays, January 14, 21, 28, 2:30 p.m.

For many, a new year brings a new perspective. Consider the varied perspectives poets old and new bring to the human condition, including love, joy, and sorrow. No registration required.

Winter Birds of Long Island

(N) Tuesday, January 19, 2:00 p.m.

Join wildlife educator Sue Krause to discover the types of birds that call Long Island home in the winter. In addition to our backyard avian friends, we will discuss birds along the coast, inland lakes, and marshes. No registration required.



Creative Winter Brunch

(N) Wednesday, January 20, 3:00 p.m.

Join Chef Rob as he demonstrates how to make spinach and muenster pie, morning melon berry, and cinnamon raisin panini with roasted apples, brie, and pecans. A non-refundable \$5 fee is payable at registration, which is underway at either library building. (NENA544)

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Bus Trip to Philadelphia Flower Show

(N) Thursday, March 10 (NENA547)

Departure: 6:45 a.m. at the William J. Brosnan building parking lot (across from Northport Library); **Return:** 8:00 p.m.

Cost: \$79 per person (checks only, non-refundable, payable to Northport-East Northport Public Library)

Itinerary: The world's largest indoor flower show celebrates 100 years of the National Park Service with the theme "Explore America." Enjoy lunch on your own at the Convention Center or at nearby shops.

Registration: Register in person beginning Saturday, January 16, 9:00 a.m. at the Northport Library. Ticket limit: 2 per patron. NENPL Library card required. *Seats are limited as this trip is co-sponsored by the Friends of the Harborfields Public Library.*

Blood Pressure Check

Wednesday, January 6,

(N) 9:30-10:30 a.m. & (EN) 11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

A nurse from the Visiting Nurse Service is available at both library buildings to provide a free blood pressure check. No registration required.

Medicare Counseling

(N) Tuesday, January 19, 9:30-11:30 a.m. by appt.

A volunteer HIICAP counselor will answer questions about Medicare and supplementary insurance. Registration begins January 4 at either library building or online. (NENA546)



Do-ing Music presents

Eric McKeever and

Frances Roberts

(N) Friday, January 29, 7:30 p.m.

Celebrated baritone Eric McKeever, accompanied by renowned pianist Frances Roberts will perform song arias from composers Handel, Verdi, Rossini, Ravel, Mahler, and more. Meet the performers and enjoy refreshments after the performance. No registration required.



Township Theatre presents *Going Places*

(N) Sunday, January 31, 2:00 p.m.

An entertaining collection of four short plays—*Traffic Jam*, *Love is a Four Letter Word*, *The New World Ain't Cheap*, and *Stations in Life*—about interrupted journeys and the ways in which the people involved are affected. No registration required.

AARP Tax-Aide (Registration required)

(N) Fridays, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon (NENA548)

February 5 - April 15

(EN) Thursdays, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon (NENA549)

February 18 - April 14 (no appointments February 4 & 11)

AARP Tax-Aide is a free service for low and middle income taxpayers, with special attention to seniors. Prepared tax forms will be filed electronically. Please bring current tax records and copies of your last filed federal and state tax returns. All persons listed on the tax return must be present, provide photo ID, and their Social Security card. **Registration for all February appointments begins February 1 at either library or online.**

LEARN

Introduction to Windows 10

(N) Wednesday, January 6, 7:00 p.m.

This hands-on class provides an overview of the latest version of Windows 10, and shows you how to access and install your own free copy. Learn how to use the desktop to work with files, folders, and applications. Also learn how to use the new start menu, help and search features, and much more. Prerequisite: Basic computer knowledge. Registration is underway at either building or online. (NENC131)

Introduction to Android

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

In this lecture class you will receive an introduction to the Android hardware, learn how to access the Internet and email, understand the settings, learn how to search and download apps, and discover tips and tricks. Bring your own device or just come and listen. No registration required.

Twitter and Instagram for Beginners

(EN) Wednesday, January 20, 7:00 p.m.

If you're wondering what a hashtag is, this is the class for you! You will learn about tweeting, posting pictures online, finding friends, following your interests, and more. No registration required.

Mac Computer, Hands-On

(N) Wednesday, January 27, 7:00 p.m.

Learn about Apple's Mac computer in this hands-on class which will include how to navigate the desktop, the elements of the computer, tools and toolbars, and how to get online. Registration begins January 4 at either building or online. (NENC098)

Traveling with Your iPad

(N) Monday, February 8, 7:00 p.m.

Time to get away? You will be glad to have your iPad along for the trip. Apple-certified trainer John Budacovich will demonstrate how to book flights, rooms, activities, and how to find your way around your destination. See how to shoot, edit, share pictures and videos, and learn about location and translation services. Bring your iPad. No registration required.

FOR ADULTS



Short Story Central returns on April 12

Copies of the books are available at the Northport Library Circulation Desk.

Truth Be Told

(N) Thursday, January 7, 7:00 p.m.

Our nonfiction group will discuss *The Fish That Ate the Whale: The Life and Times of America's Banana King* by Rich Cohen.

Page Turners

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

Our group will discuss *All the Light We Cannot See* by Anthony Doerr.

(N) Tuesday, February 2, 2:00 p.m.

The group will discuss *The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd.

Novel Ideas

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

We will discuss *On the Road* by Jack Kerouac.



Hot Reads for Cold Nights

Read your way through winter and enter for a chance to win a Kindle Fire! You can join our Adult Winter Reading Club anytime between January 11 and March 11. For complete details please ask a Reference Librarian or click on the Adult Winter Reading Club link at www.nenpl.org.

Expanding Access for All

Homeward Bound Program

Our Homeward Bound Program is available to all Library district patrons who are unable to visit the library due to a temporary or permanent condition. Applications are available at www.nenpl.org or in both library buildings.

The Merlin Elite HD Magnifier with OCR

This full-color closed circuit television system (CCTV) machine allows patrons to magnify printed material and also uses Text-to-Speech (OCR) Technology that will read printed material aloud.

ZoomText

ZoomText is a magnification and screen reading software program. It is available on all public computers in both library buildings.

Let's Talk: English Conversation

(EN) Fridays, January 8 & 22, 7:00 p.m.

Practice your English with our informal conversation group. No registration required.

Quick Reads

(EN) Friday, January 29, 7:00 p.m.

This informal reading group is designed for intermediate English language learners. Pick up this month's reading selections at the Circulation Desk.

English Language Learning

Defensive Driving

(EN) Wednesday, January 13 & Thursday, January 14, 7:00-10:00 p.m.

Fee: \$36

Applications are available at both library buildings.

(N) Tuesdays, February 2 & 9, 7:00-10:00 p.m.

Fee: \$36

Applications are available January 5 at both library buildings.

AARP Smart Driver Course

(N) Thursdays, January 21 & 28, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Registration begins January 9 at the Northport Library only. (NENA543)

Fee: \$20 for AARP members (\$25 for non-members), payable to AARP by **check or money order only** at registration.

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

Defensive Driving

Talking Books

Talking Books is a service available to U.S. citizens whose low vision, blindness, or physical handicap makes it difficult to read a standard printed page. Applications are available in both library buildings.

The Victor Reader*

The Victor Reader is a small, easy-to-use device that allows the user to listen to books that have been downloaded from the National Talking Books Service. *This device is sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Large Print Keyboards

Large Print keyboards are available at the Reference desk in both library buildings.

SARA Machine

SARA (Scanning And Reading Appliance) can be used to scan and read printed materials or to listen to books on CD. It is available in the Northport building.

To find out if the Library is closed for inclement weather:

- call the Library for a recorded message
- check the Library website at www.nenpl.org
- tune in to Cablevision News 12 or radio station WBAB at 102.3 FM

Library Display Tables

Northport: 3D Printer

East Northport: Read Box

Gallery Exhibits

Northport:
Knifed Still Lifes & Landscapes
by Greg Oleanik



Northport artist Greg Oleanik studied at the Art Students League and the New York Institute of Technology. He is motivated by the expressive qualities of impressionism. This exhibit features still life oil on canvas using only palette knives.

East Northport Gallery:

Portraits II by Linda Watson

East Northport artist Linda Watson studied at the School of Visual Arts in New York City. Her varied interests include painting, murals, and photography. This show is a follow-up to her November 2013 portrait show at the Northport Library.

Art Talk

(EN) Wednesday, January 6, 7:00 p.m.

Linda Watson will be available in the East Northport Library to discuss her work.

Calendar Key

- Green = Adult Programs
- Blue = Teen Programs
- Purple = Children's Programs

N = Northport Library

EN = East Northport Library

***** = Preregistration or tickets required
Program Notes

Registration for Children's and Teen Programs is limited to Northport-East Northport Library cardholders. Preference is given to NENPL Library cardholders for Adult programs and Children's drop-in programs.

If you require any special accommodations because of a disability, please let us know.

Library staff may take photographs or recordings at programs for promotional or publicity purposes. Please inform us if you do not want photos taken of you or your child.

		2016 January 2016						
		Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<p>Scarf, Hat, and Mitten Drive through January 8 All sizes, children through adult, are accepted at the Reference Desk in either library building. Items may be new, gently used, or handmade. Donations will be given to the Family Service League.</p>		<p>Friday MOVIES for Adults</p> <p>Mission: Impossible - Rogue Nation (N) Friday, January 8, 2:00 p.m. (EN) Friday, January 15, 2:00 p.m. Ethan and team take on their most impossible mission yet—eradicating the Syndicate. Rated PG-13. 131 min.</p> <p>Infinitely Polar Bear (N) Friday, January 22, 2:00 p.m. (EN) Friday, January 29, 2:00 p.m. A father works to win back his wife by taking care of their two young daughters. Rated R. 90 min.</p>			<p>1 New Years Day- Library Closed</p> 	<p>2 Registration begins for Long Island Native Americans on 1/16 Design a Bookmark a Bookmark Contest forms available</p>
3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
	<p>Registration begins for Revitalize Your Resume, Medicare/HIICAP appt., and Mac Computer, Hands-On</p> <p>Registration begins for Teen Programs and Volunteer Opportunities</p>	<p>Applications available for Defensive Driving 2/2 & 2/9</p> <p>Newbery Book Club (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>Blood Pressure Check (N) 9:30-10:30 am (EN) 11 am-12:00 noon</p> <p>Introduction to Windows 10 (N) 7 pm</p> <p>Art Talk (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>Registration begins for Moms' Group, Mother Goose Rhyme Time, Preschool Storytime, 1, 2, 3, Learn with Me, Sing & Play, Smart Cookie Kids, Story Parade, Paws to Read, Toddlers Tango, Super Circus Stuff, Fantastic Classics</p> <p>Registration begins for Teen SAT Preparation Workshop</p> <p>Truth Be Told (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>Movie: Mission: Impossible - Rogue Nation (N) 2 pm</p> <p>*Go Global: Mexico (N) 4 pm</p> <p>Let's Talk (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>Registration begins for AARP Smart Driver Course 1/21 & 1/28</p>		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
	<p>Adult Winter Reading Club begins</p> <p>*Teen Advisory Board: Project Linus (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>Sargent: Portraits of Artists and Friends (N) 2:30 pm</p> <p>Hello Snow! PJ Storytime (EN) 7 pm</p> <p>Introduction to Android (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>Physical Fitness for Brain Fitness (EN) 2 pm</p> <p>Revitalize Your Resume (N) 3</p> <p>Northport Arts Coalition: Ragas of India (N) 7 pm</p> <p>Defensive Driving (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>Page Turners (N) 2 pm</p> <p>Poetry Readers (EN) 2:30 pm</p> <p>*Chess Club Volunteers (N) 6:45 pm</p> <p>Chess Club (N) 7 pm</p> <p>Defensive Driving (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>Movie: Mission: Impossible - Rogue Nation (EN) 2 pm</p> <p>*Fandom Friday: Legend of Zelda (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>Registration begins for Bus Trip to Philadelphia Flower Show on 3/10</p> <p>*Long Island Native Americans (N) 2 pm</p>		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
	<p>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day- Library Closed</p>	<p>*Medicare/HIICAP (N) 9:30-11:30 am by appt.</p> <p>*Mother Goose Rhyme Time (N) 10 am</p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am or 1 pm</p> <p>Winter Birds of Long Island (N) 2 pm</p> <p>Tricks of the Trade (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>*Moms' Group at the Library (EN) 10 am</p> <p>Creative Winter Brunch (N) 3 pm</p> <p>Friends of the Library (EN) 3 pm</p> <p>*Story Parade (N) 4 pm</p> <p>*Crafts for a Cause (EN) 4 pm</p> <p>Twitter and Instagram for Beginners (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>Library Board of Trustees Meeting (N) 10 am</p> <p>*1, 2, 3 Learn with Me (N) 10 am</p> <p>*AARP Smart Driver Course (N) 1 pm</p> <p>Poetry Readers (EN) 2:30 pm</p>	<p>Current Events in Perspective (N) 10 am</p> <p>Books a Poppin' (N&EN) 10 am</p> <p>Movie: Infinitely Polar Bear (N) 2 pm</p> <p>*Paws to Read (N) 6:30, 6:45, 7, 7:15 pm</p> <p>Let's Talk (EN) 7 pm</p>	<p>*Toddlers Tango (EN) 10 am</p>		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30		
<p>*Super Circus Stuff (N) 2 pm</p>	<p>*Sing & Play (EN) 10 or 11 am</p>	<p>*Mother Goose Rhyme Time (N) 10 am</p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am or 1 pm</p>	<p>*Moms' Group at the Library (EN) 10 am</p> <p>*Smart Cookie Kids (N) 10:30 am</p> <p>*Story Parade (N) 4 pm</p> <p>Mac Computer, Hands-On (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>*1, 2, 3 Learn with Me (N) 10 am</p> <p>*AARP Smart Driver Course (N) 1 pm</p> <p>Poetry Readers (EN) 2:30 pm</p> <p>*SAT Preparation Workshop (N) 6:15 pm</p>	<p>Registration begins for Go Global: Thailand 2/12</p> <p>Books a Poppin' (N&EN) 10 am</p> <p>Movie: Infinitely Polar Bear (EN) 2 pm</p> <p>Block Party (N) 7 pm</p> <p>*Guitar Jam Group (N) 7 pm</p> <p>Quick Reads (EN) 7 pm</p> <p>Do-ing Music: Eric McKeever and Frances Roberts (N) 7:30</p>			
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<p>Township Theatre presents <i>Going Places</i> (N) 2 pm</p>	<p>*Socrates Cafe (N) 7 pm</p> <p>Novel Ideas (N) 7 pm</p>							

FOR TEENS

Registration for Programs and Volunteer Opportunities begins January 4 at either library building or online.

Fandom Friday: Legend of Zelda

(N) Friday, January 15, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Join your fellow fandom fans to help celebrate all things Legend of Zelda! (NENY795)



Socrates Cafe

(N) Monday, January 25, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Come share your thoughts on various topics and thought-provoking questions guaranteed to blow your mind! Food for thought (refreshments) will be served. (NENY796)



Guitar Jam Group

(N) Friday, January 29, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Are you learning how to play the acoustic guitar? Join fellow teen guitar players and share skills, songs, and stories. (NENY797)

SAT Preparation Workshop

(N) Thursdays, January 28, February 4, 11, 25, 6:15-8:45 p.m.

Students in grades 10-12

Registration begins January 7 at either library or online.

(March 3 will be held as a make-up date if a class needs to be cancelled due to inclement weather).

Students can prepare for the redesigned SAT exam with teachers Barbara White and Jay Berger. A non-refundable check for \$114 payable to the Northport-East Northport Public Library must be paid within three days of registration. Payment includes the workbook for the new SAT exam, *The Official College Board SAT Study Guide for 2016*. You will receive your book at the first class. Your class placement is not complete until payment is received. (NENY798)

Teen Volunteer Opportunities

Open to students in grades 7-12

You may choose **one** Volunteer Opportunity this month.

Teen Advisory Board: Project Linus

(N) Monday, January 11, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Join us as we make no-sew blankets for Project Linus, an organization that provides new, handmade, washable blankets, to be given as gifts to seriously-ill children. Please note registration is limited. (NENY799)

Chess Club Volunteers

(N) Thursday, January 14, 6:45-8:00 p.m.

Earn volunteer credit while you help children learn how to play chess. A basic knowledge of the game is required for all volunteers. (NENY800)

Crafts for a Cause

(EN) Wednesday, January 20, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Use your crafting skills for a good cause! Help us make crafts that will be shared with the community. (NENY801)

FOR CHILDREN



Design a Bookmark Contest

Children in grades K-5 are invited to submit their original designs for our annual Design a Bookmark Contest. Entry guidelines and forms are available in the Children's Room. Twelve winning designs will be selected to decorate monthly bookmarks for the upcoming year. The deadline for entries is February 8. Winners will be announced in the March newsletter. All participants are invited to a reception on March 21 at 7:00 p.m. to celebrate their creativity and get drawing inspiration from a visiting art teacher.

The Bookmark Spot

Stop by the Library and pick up the January bookmark by Maggie Taylor. A reading list compiled by Children's Librarians is on the back.



Maggie Taylor



Moms' Group at the Library

(EN) Wednesdays, January 20, 27, February 3, 10, 24, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth-3 years with mother; siblings welcome

This is a weekly discussion series for moms and their children. Part of Mom*mentum, a national association of mothers' centers led by a trained facilitator, this program will introduce various topics and activities that celebrate and explore motherhood while your children play with toys. (90 min.) Registration begins January 7. (NENJ722)

FOR CHILDREN

Registration for the following series programs begins January 7. (One series program per child)

Mother Goose Rhyme Time

(N) Tuesdays, January 19, 26, February 2, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth-23 months with adult; no siblings

Enjoy rhymes and songs with your young child in this program focusing on nursery rhymes. The natural rhythm of the language encourages an awareness of the sounds that are the building blocks of words which are so important for language development and early literacy. (30 min.) (NENJ723)

Preschool Storytime

(EN) Tuesdays, January 19, 26, February 2, 9:00 a.m. (NENJ724) or 1:00 p.m. (NENJ725)

Children 4-5 years; independent

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

1, 2, 3, Learn with Me

(N) Thursdays, January 21, 28, February 4, 11, 10:00 a.m.

Children 1-3 years with adult; siblings welcome

Chat and learn with child development experts while your children play with age-appropriate toys in a safe environment. This program includes an open-ended art activity and a circle time with stories and songs. (60 min.) (NENJ726)

Sing & Play

(EN) Mondays, January 25, February 1, 8, 10:00 a.m. (NENJ727) or 11:00 a.m. (NENJ728)

Children 1-3 years with adult; siblings welcome

Sing rhymes and songs while using scarves, bells, balls, and hoops that engage children in musical and physical activity to reinforce early literacy skills and foster a love of language. (30 min.)

Smart Cookie Kids

(N) Wednesdays, January 27, February 3, 10, 10:30 a.m.

Children 2-4 years with adult; siblings welcome

Help spark your child's curiosity in this fun and engaging hands-on program that will explore literature, music, art, and math concepts. (45 min.) (NENJ729)

Newbery Book Club

(N) Tuesday, January 5, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 4 and up

Members of the Newbery Club have been busy reading books published in 2015. This year we will hold our 10th Annual Mock Newbery Election. The ballot of books under consideration is available on the Newbery Club webpage at www.nenpl.org. Come to the election prepared to defend your favorite books. (90 min.) No registration required.



Hello Snow! PJ Storytime

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

Children with adult

Get moving and warm up in this active family storytime about winter weather with stories, music, and more. Wear your pajamas and bring your favorite teddy bear or stuffed animal. (30 min.) No registration required.



Chess Club

(N) Thursday, January 14, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 3-6

Playing chess can help children enhance their creativity, improve their power of concentration, develop and expand critical thinking skills, and boost memory and retention. Join us and have some fun, improve your game, and practice good sportsmanship! (45 min.) No registration required, however space is limited.

Long Island Native Americans

(N) Saturday, January 16, 2:00 p.m.

Children in grades 3-5

Examine authentic artifacts and discover how Native Americans used Long Island's natural resources to survive. Each child will mold their own clay pot to take home. (60 min.) Registration begins January 2. (NENJ730)



Tricks of the Trade

(EN) Tuesday, January 19, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 3-5

Uncover the secrets behind baffling illusions and meet other kids who love magic in our monthly magic club. If you'd like, bring in a magic trick and get performance tips from a professional magician. (45 min.) No registration required, just appear at the door!



Story Parade

(N) Wednesdays, January 20, 27, February 3, 10, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades K-2

A creative, hands-on activity enhances this storytime series that introduces school-age children to a wide variety of literature including fantasy, humor, and folklore. (45 min.) Registration begins January 7. (NENJ731)



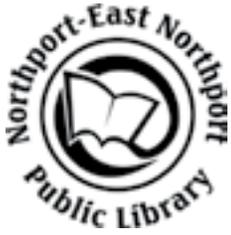
Books a Poppin'

(EN) Fridays, January 22, 29, 10:00 a.m.

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Children birth-5 years with adult

Stop by for this drop-in storytime. We'll read stories, sing songs, share rhymes and fingerplays, and have fun in this interactive program for families. (30 min.) No registration required, however space is limited.



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FOR CHILDREN

Paws to Read

(N) Friday, January 22

Children in grades 1-5



Read to a certified therapy dog! These dogs love to listen to kids practice reading aloud. Children can choose a book from the Library's collection, or bring a book from home. Choose one 15-minute session:

6:30-6:45 p.m. (NENJ732) **7:00-7:15 p.m.** (NENJ734)

6:45-7:00 p.m. (NENJ733) **7:15-7:30 p.m.** (NENJ735)

Registration begins January 7.

Toddlers Tango

(EN) Saturday, January 23, 10:00 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.)

Registration begins January 7. (NENJ736)

Super Circus Stuff

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

Children in grades K-5;

adults and siblings welcome

Enjoy professional circus routines up close and personal: juggling, plate spinning, wire walking, boomerangs, and much more. (45 min.) Registration begins January 7. (NENJ737)



Block Party

(N) Friday, January 29, 7:00 p.m.

Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome

Children learn to use their minds as well as their muscles while having fun building with blocks and playing with other children. (45 min.) No registration required.



Go Global: Thailand

(N) Friday, February 12, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades K-2

In February we will travel all the way to Thailand, "The Land of Smiles," through stories, music, games, and art. (45 min.) Registration begins January 29. (NENJ738)

Fantastic Classics

(N) Tuesday, February 16, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 3-6

Enjoy a lively discussion of the fantasy classic *The Phantom Tollbooth* by Norton Juster. Readers will appreciate the author's clever wordplay, brainteasing puzzles, and enthusiastic attitude toward life. Upon registration, please place a request for the book through the online catalog or at the library. (60 min.) Registration begins January 7. (NENJ739)







The Number Nook

Come visit an interactive financial literacy station. Kids will enjoy operating the cash register and super-market conveyor belt, counting play money, weighing gold nuggets, and more.