



The

January 2024

LIBRARY

The Newsletter of the Northport-East Northport Public Library

FOR ADULTS

Paper Flower Workshop— Hellebore Blooms

(N) Thursday, January 4, 6:30 p.m.

Patrons 12 years and up; all abilities welcome

Join paper artist Casey Cunningham and create your own hellebores—lovely flowers that bloom through winter into spring—out of crepe paper. All supplies are provided. A \$5 materials fee (cash or check payable to “Northport-East Northport Public Library”) is due at the time of registration. In-person registration is underway. **NENA719**

Capturing the Moment: A Journey Through Painting and Photography



Tuesday, January 9, 2:00 p.m.

From the expressive paintings of Pablo Picasso to striking photographs by Jeff Wall, you will see how these two distinct mediums have shaped each other over time. Professor and art historian Mary Vahey will lead a visual conversation about some of the greatest painters and photographers of the modern era, exploring how the brush and the lens capture moments in time. Registration is underway. **NENA720**

Chandelier Earrings

(N) Wednesday, January 10, 11:00 a.m.

Jewelry designer and instructor Donna Irvine teaches wire wrapping techniques to make these vintage-style earrings. Participants will customize their own creation by choosing from various wire and bead colors. A \$5 materials fee (cash or check payable to “Northport-East Northport Public Library”) is due at the time of registration. In-person registration is underway. **NENA721**



NAC Presents! Jack’s Waterfall



(N) Thursday, January 11, 7:00 p.m.

Jack’s Waterfall is the musical adventure of singer, songwriter, and musician Jack Licitra.

Pop, blues, gospel, and global influences all meet at The Waterfall. Whether performing solo or with an ensemble, Jack always projects a unique energy of inclusiveness. Registration is underway. **NENA762**
This program is co-sponsored by Northport Arts Coalition.

Now & Then

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



Featuring vocalist Esther Beckman, this easy listening trio plays standards, swing, Latin, country, and the most memorable soft pop. Registration is underway. **NENA764**

Defensive Driving Classes



(N) Friday, January 12, 9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

A representative from Empire Safety Council will conduct a 1-day, 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 is underway at the Northport building.** This program is open to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders only. Limit two registrants per library card. **NENA706**

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

A representative from Empire Safety Council will conduct a 1-day, 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 begins January 8 at the Northport building.** This program is open to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders only. Limit two registrants per library card. **NENA763**

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.

To find out if the Library is closed due to inclement weather:

Call either library building for a recorded message:

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or check the library website: www.nenpl.org

*In the event of a library closure,
all scheduled programs—in-person
and virtual—are canceled.*

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Long Island Weather Discussion with *Islandwide Weather*

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

Join weathermen Glen and Don of Facebook's *Islandwide Weather* team to discuss what we can expect this winter. The two have a combined forty years of meteorology experience. Glen and Don have gained thousands of followers and are a reliable go-to source for forecasts of weather systems that impact Long Island. Registration is underway. **NENA765**

Avoiding Home Hazards

(N) Wednesday, January 17, 1:00 p.m.

A panel of presenters from the National Aging in Place Council of Long Island will discuss how to avoid hazards in the home by utilizing planning and modification techniques. Registration is underway. **NENA766**

Starting Your Organic Vegetable Garden

(N) Saturday, January 20, 10:00 a.m.

Now is the perfect time to think about your vegetable garden. There is nothing more satisfying than growing healthy food right in your own backyard. Learn about laying out your growing locations; building raised beds; irrigation systems; selecting, starting, and saving seeds; growing techniques; and garden maintenance. Registration is underway. **NENA767**



Broadway Showstoppers

(N) Sunday, January 21, 2:00 p.m.



Broadway Showstoppers is bringing the best of Broadway to the Library! Tiger Fried Productions returns with a new musical revue featuring highlights from some of the most popular shows ever produced. Enjoy songs from *Cabaret*, *The Phantom of the Opera*, *My Fair Lady*, *Carousel*, *The Sound of Music*, and so many more, all performed by an extraordinary cast along with live accompaniment. Registration is underway. **NENA768**

Optimizing Your LinkedIn Profile

(EN) Monday, January 22, 7:00 p.m.

Experienced human resource leader Pat Fierro will share how to optimize your LinkedIn profile to help you get the job you want and effectively develop your career. Discover how recruiters use LinkedIn to find candidates, and learn how you can leverage your LinkedIn profile to attract and grow your professional network. Registration is underway. **NENR531**



Solutions to Acid Reflux

Tuesday, January 23, 2:00 p.m.

Do you suffer from acid reflux? Join us for an informative lecture presented by one of the region's top minimally invasive surgeons, Arif Ahmad, MD. Learn about options for how to reduce or eliminate acid reflux symptoms and become less dependent on medications. Registration is underway. **NENA769** *This program is co-sponsored by the public libraries in the Town of Huntington.*

Explore Uepi Island with the "Fish Guy"

(N) Wednesday, January 24, 7:00 p.m.

Travel halfway around the world to go diving with the "Fish Guy" off of a small, tropical island that is perched on the edge of the longest lagoon in the world. Enjoy beautiful photography and video footage as you learn about the underwater wildlife of Uepi Island in the Solomon Islands. Registration is underway. **NENA770**



Chicken Pot Pie

Thursday, January 25, 11:00 a.m.

Follow along with The Baking Coach and learn how to make a chicken pot pie from scratch. This is the perfect comfort food for a cold winter's day! Recipe will be emailed to registrants before the program. Registration is underway. **NENA771**

Dungeons & Dragons RPG Group

(N) Friday, January 26, 7:00 p.m.

Join this new group of fellow tabletop RPG/*Dungeons & Dragons* enthusiasts for monthly one-shot RPG adventures. All skill levels are welcome, especially beginners. We will provide dice, pencils, and paper. Registration begins January 2. **NENR536**

A Savory and Sweet Menu by Chef Rob

(N) Tuesday, January 30, 6:00 p.m.

Chef Rob will warm you up with a demonstration and tasting of vegetarian Moroccan sweet potato lentil soup, followed by toasted coconut hot chocolate with almond whipped cream. Please bring two 12-ounce mugs to the program. A \$7 materials fee (cash or check payable to "Northport-East Northport Public Library") is due at the time of registration. Registration begins January 8. **NENA772**

Broadway on a Budget!

(N) Wednesday, January 31, 11:00 a.m.

Theater enthusiast Brian Stoll discusses all things Broadway. Listen as he shares the history and importance of the Broadway *Playbill*, and learn a variety of money-saving tips on how to see Broadway shows for under \$60 per ticket. Registration is underway. **NENA773**

Chinese Brushwork Painting Workshop

(N) Thursday, February 1, 1:00 p.m.

Join artist Kathleen Deyo for a celebration of Chinese brushwork painting. You will learn the basic marks, how to use rice paper, and all about Chinese brushes and ink. As you paint, hear the history of this ancient art form. All materials are supplied. Participants are encouraged to wear old clothes or bring smocks. A \$5 materials fee (cash or check payable to "Northport-East Northport Public Library") is due at the time of registration. Registration begins January 8. **NENA774**

Note: All library programs will be held in-person except for those indicated by a Zoom icon.



FOR ADULTS

Book Groups

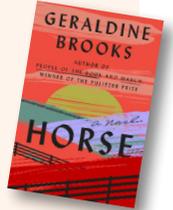
Print copies of the books will be available for pick up at the Northport Adult Reference Desk. You may also access a copy of the ebook or audiobook on the library Downloads page: www.nenpl.org/downloads

“Page Turners” is now . . .

All Booked Up

(N) Thursday, January 11, 2:00 p.m.

Join Librarian Deborah Formosa to discuss *Horse* by Geraldine Brooks. Registration is underway. **NENR530**



Novel Ideas

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

Join Librarian Candace Reeder to discuss *Kitchens of the Great Midwest* by J. Ryan Stradal. Registration is underway. **NENA718**




Northport-East Northport Public Library presents the

Adult Winter Reading Club 2024

January 8 - March 8, 2024

open to all Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders, 18 or older

How do I Participate?

- Choose a book. Any format will do—print, eBook, or audiobook.
- Fill out a “Winter Reading Club” form, which includes the book title, author, and a brief review or comment from you about the book.
- Submit your “Winter Reading Club” form in person at the library or online.
- When the Winter Reading Club ends, a drawing will be held for a Grand Prize.

How do I Get Started?

Beginning January 8, visit the Reference Desk at either library building to pick up your “Winter Reading Club” form(s), or access the forms online, and start reading.

The more books you read, the more chances you have to win!



Computer and Technology Classes

Introduction to the iPad & iPhone



Thursday, January 4, 7:00 p.m.

Learn all about your device’s hardware, settings, operating system, internet applications, and more. Have your device on hand, or just observe. Registration is underway. **NENC700**

SeniorNet: One-On-One Tech Help

Do you need help with your iPhone, Android phone, iPad, laptop, or other computer device? Technology coaches from SeniorNet will be on-site to provide personalized, one-on-one tech assistance. Bring your device, your account and password information, and your questions. Registration for 30-minute sessions is underway. Space is limited; one session per patron, please.

(EN) Wednesday, January 10

10:00 a.m. NENC727
10:30 a.m. NENC728
11:00 a.m. NENC729
11:30 a.m. NENC730

(N) Wednesday, January 24

1:00 p.m. NENC731
1:30 p.m. NENC732
2:00 p.m. NENC733
2:30 p.m. NENC734

Introduction to Android Devices



Thursday, January 11, 7:00 p.m.

Learn all about your device’s hardware, settings, operating system, internet applications, and more. Have your device on hand, or just observe. Registration is underway. **NENC701**

Introduction to the Apple Watch



Thursday, January 18, 7:00 p.m.

Learn about the features of your Apple Watch including making calls, checking email, and sending texts. See how to connect and sync your iPhone, use the digital button, and download and run apps. Have your watch, Apple ID, and password on hand, or just follow along. Registration is underway. **NENC702**

Introduction to Windows 11



Thursday, January 25, 7:00 p.m.

This class presents everything you need to get started with the new Microsoft Windows 11 operating system. If you have not downloaded the upgrade yet, we will provide an outline of that process as well. Registration is underway. **NENC703**

Cool Apps for the iPad and iPhone



Thursday, February 1, 7:00 p.m.

Learn how to use the App Store to find free apps as well as discover new and indispensable ones. Have your device, Apple ID, and password on hand, or just follow along. Registration is underway. **NENC706**



FOR ADULTS

Friday Films

What Happens Later

(N) Friday, January 5, 2:00 p.m.

(EN) Friday, January 12, 2:00 p.m.

Ex-lovers reunite when they both become stranded in an airport overnight. They find themselves drawn together to revisit their past and discuss what could have been and what may happen in the future. Rated R. 100 min.

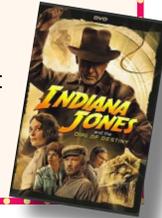


Indiana Jones and the Dial of Destiny

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

(EN) Friday, January 26, 2:00 p.m.

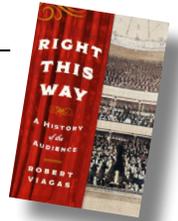
Archaeologist Indiana Jones races against time to retrieve a legendary artifact that can change the course of history. Starring Harrison Ford. Rated PG-13. 154 min.



Right This Way: A History of the Audience

(N) Wednesday, January 10, 2:00 p.m.

Right This Way: A History of the Audience—just published in the fall of 2023—is longtime *Playbill* editor Robert Viagas' pop history of audiences through the ages, packed with popular culture references. His lecture sheds light on fascinating stories from the past and issues that shape our lives today: everything from the ancient Greeks, the audience that saw Abraham Lincoln get assassinated, the history of booing, the appeal of horror movies, group reactions at sporting events, right up to binge-watching Netflix.



The Library is glad to provide reasonable accommodations for patrons with special needs.

Gallery Exhibits

Northport:

The Light of Day Gallery by Steve Caputo

Landscape/seascape photography, primarily on Long Island. One series entitled "Paned Expressions" uses reclaimed windows.

Meet the Artist:

(N) Friday, January 19, 7:00–9:00 p.m.

East Northport:

Nothing Is Static by Christine Donnelly

Mixed media abstracts.

Meet the Artist:

(EN) Friday, January 5, 7:00–9:00 p.m.

Blood Pressure Check

Wednesday, January 3,

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



Medicare Counseling

A volunteer from the Health Insurance Information Counseling and Assistance Program (HIICAP) will answer your questions about Medicare in a one-on-one appointment. Registration begins January 2.

(EN) Wednesday,
January 10

10:00 a.m. NENA777

10:30 a.m. NENA778

11:00 a.m. NENA779

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(N) Tuesday,
January 16

10:00 a.m. NENA781

10:30 a.m. NENA782

11:00 a.m. NENA783

11:30 a.m. NENA784

Language Learning & Literacy

Dynamic English

(EN) Thursdays, January 4, 11, 18, 25, February 1, 7:00 p.m.

Develop your English vocabulary, grammar, reading, and pronunciation with this friendly English conversation group. This class is intended for intermediate English language learners. Registration is underway. **NENR532**

Pronunciation Practice

Mondays, January 8, 22, 29, February 5, 12, 26, 7:00 p.m.

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. Registration is underway. **NENR535**

Quick Reads

Tuesday, January 23, 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 before the meeting. (Print copies are available at the East Northport Reference Desk.) Registration is underway. **NENR533**

Everyday Spanish

Tuesdays, January 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 5:15 p.m.

This Spanish conversation workshop focuses 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, but is open to both newcomers and experienced speakers. Registration is underway. **NENR534**

FOR TEENS

Registration for the following Teen Programs begins January 3.

LEGO Club: Drone

(N) Friday, January 12, 7:00–8:00 p.m.

Build a LEGO set with your fellow brick builders. **NENY438**



Nintendo Club: Indie Games

(N) Friday, January 19, 7:00–8:00 p.m.

Play Nintendo games and participate in fun activities. **NENY439**

Taylor Swift: 1989

(N) Friday, January 26, 7:00–8:00 p.m.

Come join other Taylor Swift fans to discuss the new recording of *1989* and make a beaded bracelet for the love of the fandom! **NENY440**

Winter Woodland 3D Wall Decor

(N) Saturday, January 27, 2:00–3:00 p.m.

Create a tiny winter wonderland 3D wall decoration to celebrate the season. **NENY441**

TAKE AND MAKE KITS

Registration and pickup begin January 3.

Pick up all kits at the Northport Teen Center. All materials are provided. *Please note: Your registration will be canceled if your kit is not picked up by January 26.*

String Art

Use colorful string and nails to create a fun pattern. *Note: A small hammer or mallet is needed for this craft.* **NENY442**

Color Scratch Art

Create fun designs on rainbow scratch art board. A couple of geometric templates are included. **NENY443**



Registration for the following Teen Volunteer Opportunities begins January 3.

Open to students in grades 7–12

You may choose a maximum of *two* volunteer opportunities in addition to Teen Advisory Board.

Chess Club Volunteers

(N) Wednesday, January 10, 6:45–8:00 p.m.

Earn community service credit while you help children learn how to play chess. A basic knowledge of the game is required for all volunteers. **NENY448**

Sphero Robotic Sports Volunteers

(EN) Tuesday, January 16, 6:45–8:15 p.m.

Assist children using the Sphero Robot in a coding soccer challenge. **NENY449**

Teen Advisory Board

(N) Monday, January 22, 7:00–8:00 p.m.

Join us and help make care packages for those experiencing homelessness. We will also make a no-sew hat to include in our care packages. Learn about teen programming and give us feedback on future programming ideas. **NENY450**

Winter Fairy Tale Ball Volunteers

(N) Saturday, January 27, 10:15–11:45 p.m.

Volunteers will be assisting with fairy tale-themed crafts. **NENY451**



Bookmark Volunteers

Design and make bookmarks for local senior center book clubs. Pick up your packet at the Northport Teen Center by January 19. Paper, die cuts, and instructions are included in the packet. Create three bookmarks and return them by January 31 to receive 1.5 hours of community service credit. **NENY444**

Spring Door Hanger Volunteers

Decorate door hangers for a local senior center. Pick up materials at the Northport Teen Center by January 19. Return completed projects by January 31 to receive 1.5 hours of community service credit. **NENY445**

Tulle Wreath

Using a wire frame and an assortment of different colors of tulle, make a decorative wreath for Town of Huntington senior residents. Pick up your wreath kit at the Northport Teen Center by January 19. Return completed wreaths by January 31 to receive three hours of community service credit. **NENY446**

Valentine's Day Canvas Volunteers

Decorate a canvas with Valentine's Day wishes for a local senior center. Pick up your packet at the Northport Teen Center by January 19. Return completed canvas by January 31 to receive three hours of community service credit. **NENY447**



FOR CHILDREN

NENPL cardholders may register for children's programs online or in person. Please use your child's library card to register.



Registration for the following series programs begins January 2.
One series program per child, please.

Sing & Play

(EN) Mondays, January 8, 22, 29,
10:00 a.m. NENJ980 or 11:00 a.m. NENJ981

Children 1–3 years with adult; siblings welcome

Sing along with Molly Mouse while using scarves, bells, balls, and more. (45 min.)

Time for Tots

(N) Tuesdays, January 16, 23, 30, 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.) **NENJ982**

Mother Goose Rhyme Time

(N) Wednesdays, January 17, 24, 31, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth–18 months with adult; no siblings, please

Enjoy rhymes and songs with your young child in this program focusing on nursery rhymes. (30 min.)

NENJ983

Moms' Group

(EN) Thursdays, January 11, 18, 25,
February 1, 8, 15, 10:00 a.m.

For mothers with children birth–3 years

This is a weekly discussion for moms and their children. Led by a trained facilitator, this program will introduce various topics and activities that celebrate and explore motherhood while your children play with toys beside you. (90 min.) Due to the unique nature of this program, we will not be able to accommodate drop-ins. Registration is underway. **NENJ984**



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 ten 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.
- Unregistered children will be admitted, as space permits, in the following order: waitlist, standby NENPL cardholders, and non-district patrons.

For Preschool Children

Registration for the following programs begins January 2 unless otherwise noted.

Block Party!

(N) Thursday, January 4, 10:30 a.m.

Children 1–4 years with adult; siblings welcome

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



Pajama Storytime

(EN) Tuesday, January 9, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth–5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Get your body moving in this evening family storytime. Enjoy action rhymes and songs, as well as stories. (30 min.) No registration required.



Books a Poppin'

(N & EN) Fridays, January 12, 19, 26, 10:00 a.m.

Children birth–5 years with adult; siblings welcome

Pop in for storytime! We will read stories, sing songs, share rhymes and fingerplays, and have fun in this interactive program. (30 min.) No registration required.



Library Playdate

(N) Saturday, January 13, 10:30 a.m.

Children birth–4 years with adult; siblings welcome

Meet other families and learn about the library's programs and services for children while your little ones play at various toy stations. (45 min.) **NENJ994**

For Families

Winter Fairy Tale Ball

(N) Saturday, January 27, 10:30 a.m.

Children 3 years and up with adult; siblings welcome

Join us for a morning of songs, crafts, and a special visit from fairy tale princesses Cinderella and Snow White. Children are welcome to come in costume or fancy party attire. (60 min.) Registration begins January 2. **NENJ985**



The Northport-East Northport Public Library is designated as a Family Place Library. This nationwide network of libraries embraces the fact that literacy begins at birth, and children's librarians can help build healthy communities by nourishing healthy families.

FOR CHILDREN

For School-Age Children

Registration for the following programs begins
January 2 unless otherwise noted.

Chess Club

(N) Wednesday, January 10, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades K-5

Chess teaches children foresight, helps to expand self-confidence, and sharpens their ability to focus. All skill levels are welcome, but a basic knowledge of the game is recommended. (45 min.) No registration required.



Open for Discussion: *The Labyrinth of Doom*

(N) Friday, January 12, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 3 and up with adult

Children and their adults will take part in a discussion of *The Labyrinth of Doom* (Book 2 in the *Once Upon a Tim* series), by bestselling author Stuart Gibbs. Tim and his friends must face the Labyrinth of Doom on their latest quest. After registering for the program, stop by the Northport Children's Room to check out a copy of the book. A surprise snack will be served. *Please inquire if food allergies are a concern.* (60 min.) Registration is underway. **NENJ995**



Sphero Robotic Sports

(EN) Tuesday, January 16, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 1-5

Learn about coding, then break into teams to see who can score the most goals with their Sphero Robot! (60 min.) **NENJ986**

Adventures in Art: Musical Colors with Sonia Delaunay

(N) Thursday, January 18, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades 1-5

Dive into the colorful paintings of Ukrainian-born modern artist Sonia Delaunay and discover how music and sound inspired her art. Then create your own painting set to music. (60 min.) **NENJ987**

Paws to Read

(N) Tuesday, January 23,

6:30 p.m. **NENJ988**

6:45 p.m. **NENJ989**

7:00 p.m. **NENJ990**

7:15 p.m. **NENJ991**

Children in grades 1-5

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



After School Stories

(N) Thursday, January 25, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades K-2

This storytime and craft program introduces school-age children to a wide variety of literature including fantasy, humor, fables, and more. (45 min.) **NENJ992**

Graphic Novel Club: *Katie the Catsitter*

(N) Wednesday, January 31, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 3-6

Katie gets a job catsitting for her mysterious upstairs neighbor, Madeline, who has 217 cats! Soon Katie wonders why Madeline is always out when the city's most notorious villain commits crimes. Is it possible that Katie's upstairs neighbor is really a supervillain? After registering for the program, stop by the Northport Children's Room to check out a copy of the book. (60 min.) Registration begins December 27. **NENJ993**



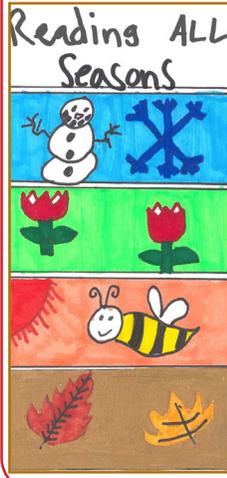
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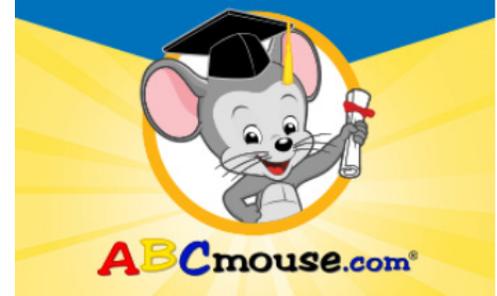
Children in grades K-5 are invited to submit their original designs for our annual Design a Bookmark Contest. Entry guidelines and forms are available in the Children's Room. Twelve winning designs will be selected to decorate monthly bookmarks for the upcoming year. The deadline for entries is Monday, February 5. Winners will be announced in the April Newsletter.

The Bookmark Spot

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



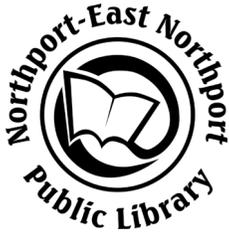
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Wednesday, January 17, 5:00 p.m.
(via Zoom)
All are welcome!

*Please contact the Community Services Department
for Zoom log in information.*

Free State and Federal Income Tax Preparation

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide is a free tax counseling and preparation service helping low- and middle-income taxpayers, with special attention to those ages 60 and older. This service is administered by the AARP Foundation in cooperation with the IRS. Free electronic filing (e-filing) is included. Note: AARP Tax-Aide volunteers cannot prepare returns that include rental property, military income, alternative minimum tax, crypto currency, or multiple stock transactions.

Appointments are required. All appointments will be held on Wednesdays at the East Northport library building, February through April. Please bring your current tax records and copies of last year's Federal and State tax returns, a photo ID, and a Social Security card or another form of Social Security verification. (Be advised that some tax information, especially brokerage statements, may not be sent until the end of February.) In addition, bring a copy of your property tax bill; you may qualify for a New York State credit. If filing jointly, both parties must be present.

To expedite the preparation process, you must pick up an **Intake/Interview Form (#13614-C)** at the Adult Reference Desk upon registering and bring the completed form to your appointment.

Registration for all February appointments begins January 10. Register online or in-person at the Adult Reference Desk in either library building. (Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders *only* for the first week of registration.)

(EN) Wednesday, February 7,
9:00 a.m. **NENA722**
10:00 a.m. **NENA723**
11:00 a.m. **NENA724**
12:00 p.m. **NENA725**

(EN) Wednesday, February 14,
9:00 a.m. **NENA726**
10:00 a.m. **NENA727**
11:00 a.m. **NENA728**
12:00 p.m. **NENA729**

(EN) Wednesday, February 21,
9:00 a.m. **NENA730**
10:00 a.m. **NENA731**
11:00 a.m. **NENA732**
12:00 p.m. **NENA733**

(EN) Wednesday, February 28,
9:00 a.m. **NENA734**
10:00 a.m. **NENA735**
11:00 a.m. **NENA736**
12:00 p.m. **NENA737**

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Non-perishable Food Collection for Ramon's Place Food Pantry

Contributions of non-perishable food items are being accepted for Ramon's Place Food Pantry at Northport High School. Collection boxes are located in the lobby of each library building.

Specific needs include: cereal, juice boxes, coffee/tea, shelf-stable milk, ramen noodle soups, mayonnaise, ketchup, black beans (canned or bagged), tomato products (diced, crushed, puree, sauce). Ramon's Place Food Pantry is stocked by the community, for the community. Bring donated items to the Library through January 31.

