

# NEWSLETTER

September 1993

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in your family  
has a library card.  
Make sure  
they use it.

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## — Adult Services —

### HOW TO PROMOTE YOURSELF THROUGH NETWORKING

Thursday, September 9, 7:30 p.m.

Constance Hallinan Lagan, Executive Director of The Entrepreneurial Center for Small Business Development, will provide you with a clear understanding of what the term "network" means, tips on successful networking, and will offer real-life examples of just how networking has helped others. Ms. Lagan, whose byline appears in *Entrepreneur*, *Income Opportunities*, and *In Business*, has presented seminars for the NYS Department of Economic Development; the towns of Brookhaven and Babylon; Suffolk and Nassau County agencies. All are welcome.



### JOHN J. AUDUBON: HIS ART, HIS LIFE & HIS PLACE IN HISTORY

Friday, September 17, 7:30 p.m.

Howard Boltson, a member of the Huntington chapter of the Audubon Society, and known locally as the "birdman of Sunken Meadow," evokes the ghost of John James Audubon and entertains us with vignettes of Audubon's life and works. Mr. Boltson, who has extensively researched Audubon's work, distinguishes among the various sizes and styles of Audubon's published paintings and then makes visual comparisons with other avian artists, both pioneer and contemporary. Required attendance for artists and bird lovers alike! All are welcome.

### EUCALYPTUS SWAG WORKSHOP

Tuesday, September 28, 7:30 p.m.

Beautify any room or decor with this fragrant eucalyptus swag. Instructor Barbara Thompson will show you how to create one in the color scheme of your choice. See a sample swag at the library when you register (\$9.00 fee) on Sept. 14.

## — Young Adult Services —

Attention Class of 1995 . . . prepare for the *new* PSAT!

### PSAT PREPARATION PROGRAM

Thursdays, September 23, 30, October 7 & Tuesday, October 5, 7:00-10:00 p.m.

Fee: \$40 includes text and materials, checks payable to Willis Osborn. Bring your calculator.

For the first time in twenty years, the PSAT and SAT examinations will change, reflecting current trends in academic thinking. The Class of 1995 will be the first to take the newly-revised tests, beginning with the PSAT in October. To help you prepare, the library is offering a four-session course designed to sharpen your math and verbal skills. Instructors Willis L. Osborn (verbal) and Maryann Martinucci (math) have successfully tutored scores of students in preparation for these two standardized tests. Registration, which will be limited, begins September 2 in both library buildings.



### PASTA PASSION

Wednesday, September 22, 7:30 p.m.

At the base of the new food pyramid, pasta is a strong staple in our balanced diets. Weight management expert Marilyn Siegel introduces you to simple, sensational, and savory pasta dishes. She'll focus on healthy toppings for pasta and she'll cook up a few in the microwave oven, using vegetables, poultry, and seafood. Satisfy your pasta passion the healthy way. Registration begins Sept. 8.



Monday, September 27 & Wednesday, September 29  
7:00-10:00 p.m. Fee: \$40

Applications for this six-hour course may be picked up at either library beginning Sept. 13.



### 55/ALIVE MATURE DRIVER PROGRAM

Mondays, September 13 & 20, 10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

AARP's two-part course is open to anyone 50 years of age or older. Register September 1 at the Northport Library. There is an \$8 fee payable at registration.



### HEALTH INSURANCE INFORMATION, COUNSELING & ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Fri., Sept. 10 (EN) & Sept. 17 (N), 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon  
Thurs., Sept. 23 (EN), 1:00-4:00 p.m.

The Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program, previously sponsored by the AARP, has been replaced by a Health Insurance Information and Counseling Program sponsored by the New York State Office for the Aging. Tom Henry and Stu Goldblatt will continue to serve our patrons as HIICA certified counselors. Call 261-6930 to make an appointment in Northport, or 261-2313 to make an appointment in East Northport.



### BOOK-A-TRIP

to  
Ellis Island

Tuesday, September 21, 1993

Departure: 8:00 a.m. from the Middleville School Parking Lot.

Cost: \$36.00 per person (checks only; payable to Day Dream Tours; non-refundable)

Itinerary: Visit to Ellis Island followed by full-course luncheon at Paesanos Restaurant in Little Italy.

Return: 7:00 p.m.

Register in person (limit 2 on first day of ticket sale) at the Northport Library beginning Sept. 1.

Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders will be given preference.



NEW!



## SUNDAY STUDY HALL

Anyone who has visited the library recently shouldn't have to be convinced of the need for more space. There are not enough seats in the library and not enough quiet, secluded areas for serious study and research. Overcrowding and noise are common with "standing room only" on Sundays. This fall we're introducing *Sunday Study Hall* in an effort to provide additional seating and quietude for library users. So if the computers, printers, copy machines, and lots and lots of people looking for information and entertainment are diverting your attention from your studies, quiet will reign in the Community Room during *Sunday Study Hall*. Patrons may sign out reference materials for use in the *Study Hall*. Check the calendar for the Sundays designated for *Study Hall* from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

ADMIT ONE

New York City Opera's  
performance of

CARMEN

She's a woman who enjoys her own strength, who glories in her power over men, who knows the risk of the game she plays but loves it all the more. Come see the New York City Opera's Carmen and her Don Jose. Says *Newsday* critic Peter Goodman, "It's an opera that almost plays itself."

Sunday Matinee  
October 31, 1993  
\$47.00

(includes transportation)  
Call 261-6930 for details

# Northport-East Northport Public Library

## Calendar of Events

### September 1993

*Exhibits*

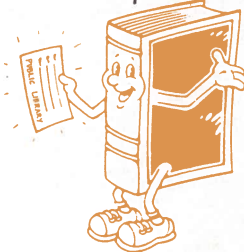






**Northport**

Adult & Case — "Beauty & The Beast" - Animal motifs are the common threads weaving together fashion and fine art in this special exhibition by Rick Reason, animal portrait painter, and Mei-Ling Louie-Reason, product designer.

*Exhibits*

**East Northport**

Adult — "From Northport to the Adirondacks:" the photography of Richard J. Nowicki  
 Children — Uncle Remus characters from the doll collection of Grace Hanley

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>Library Closed</b></p>			<p><b>1</b></p> <p>Registration begins for 55/Alive Mature Driver Program on 9/13 &amp; 9/20</p> <p>Ticket sales begin for Book-A-Trip to Ellis Island on 9/21</p> <p>Free Blood Pressure &amp; Weight Check (N) 1-3 pm; (EN) 3:15-5 pm</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>Registration begins for (YA) PSAT Preparation Program</p> <p> <i>Movie: Homeward Bound</i> (N) 11 am, 3:30 pm &amp; 7 pm 84 min.</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>Registration begins for <i>Magic and Movement Under the Big Top</i> on 9/10</p> <p> <i>Movie: The Love Bug</i> (EN) 3 pm 108 min.</p>	<p><b>4</b></p>
<p><b>5</b></p> <p><b>Library Closed</b></p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p><b>Labor Day - Library Closed</b></p>	<p><b>7</b></p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p>Registration begins for Pasta Passion on 9/22</p> <p>Great Books (N) 8 pm</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>How to Promote Yourself Through Networking (N) 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>*Health Insurance Information, Counseling &amp; Assistance (EN) 9 - 12 noon by appt.</p> <p>*<i>Magic and Movement Under the Big Top</i> (N) 10 am</p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p><i>Preschoolers' Door to Learning Fall registrations begin at the Northport and East Northport buildings</i></p>
<p><b>12</b>  <b>Library Open 1-5 pm</b></p> <p>Sunday Study Hall 1:30-4:30 pm</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>Applications available for Defensive Driving on 9/27 &amp; 9/29</p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*55/Alive Mature Driver Program (N) 10 am</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>Registration begins for Eucalyptus Swag Workshop on 9/28</p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (N) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (N) 1:30 pm</p>	<p><b>16</b></p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>*Health Insurance Information, Counseling &amp; Assistance (N) 9 - 12 noon by appt.</p> <p>John J. Audubon: His Art, His Life &amp; His Place in History (N) 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p> <b>Cow Harbor Race Library Buildings open at 10 am</b></p>
<p><b>19</b>  <b>Library Open 1-5 pm</b></p> <p>Sunday Study Hall 1:30-4:30 pm</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am &amp; 3:30 pm</p> <p>*55/Alive Mature Driver Program (N) 10 am</p> <p>Lyme Disease Support Group (N) 7 pm</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>*Book-A-Trip to Ellis Island departs 8 am</p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (N) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>Library Board of Trustees Meeting (N) 7 pm</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (N) 1:30 pm</p> <p>*Pasta Passion (N) 7:30 pm</p> <p>Great Books (N) 8 pm</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am &amp; 3:30 pm</p> <p>*Health Insurance Information, Counseling &amp; Assistance (EN) 1-4 pm by appt.</p> <p>*(YA) PSAT Preparation Program (N) 7 pm</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p>	<p><b>25</b></p>
<p><b>26</b></p> <p><b>Library Open 1-5 pm</b></p> <p><b>Cow Harbor Day</b></p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am &amp; 3:30 pm</p> <p>*Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (N) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*Eucalyptus Swag Workshop (N) 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (EN) 10 am &amp; 11 am</p> <p>*<i>Mommy &amp; Me</i> (N) 1:30 pm</p> <p>*Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>*Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am &amp; 3:30 pm</p> <p>*(YA) PSAT Preparation Program (N) 7 pm</p>	<p> <b>Floral Decorations:</b>                  (East Northport) Moira Conally of the Larkfield Community Garden Club                  (Northport) Sheila Geller of the Northport Community Garden Club with materials donated by Flower Basket</p>	

Note: Italic type indicates Children's Programs.

N = Northport Library  
 EN = East Northport Library

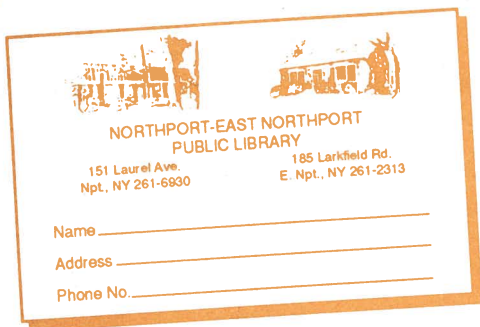
Enrollment in our programs is limited, with preference given to district residents.

The Northport-East Northport Public Library encourages all residents to participate in programs and activities. Please let us know in advance if you require any special accommodations because of a disability.

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



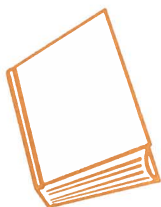
# YOUR LIBRARY



## VALUE-PACKED

It's small enough to fit in your wallet and powerful enough to change your life. It's your passport to a better life. According to the July issue of *McCall's Magazine*, it's the "single greatest bargain in the world today." It's your library card. Here are just some of the values it affords you.

### For Your Day-to-Day Decisions



- \$ *Consumer Reports*
- \$ *NADA used car price guides*
- \$ *USA zip code directory*
- \$ *Reproducible tax forms*
- \$ *A Chilton's auto repair manual*

**\$404. Total Value**

### For Your Health Concerns

- \$ *PDR (Physicians Desk Reference)*
- \$ *Merck Manual*
- \$ *ABMS Directory of Board Certified Medical Specialists*
- \$ *Weight Watchers Magazine*
- \$ *An online computer search of Medline on Dialog*

**\$430. Total Value**

### For Your Keyboarding Capabilities

- \$ *Lotus 1-2-3*
- \$ *Compton's Multimedia Encyclopedia*
- \$ *WordPerfect 5.1*
- \$ *A Field Trip to the Rainforest*
- \$ *Rocket Factory*
- \$ *College Cost Explorer Fund Finder*
- \$ *Where in America's Past is Carmen Sandiego?*



**\$1843. Total Value**

### For Your Family — Fun and Fact

- \$ *Mother/Infant Discussion Group*
- \$ *The Parent's Desk Reference*
- \$ *Family Fun Magazine*
- \$ *The Secret Garden video*
- \$ *Nutcracker Sunday Family Special*

**\$262. Total Value**

### And for the Kids

- \$ A Ballerina Bunnies Workshop
  - \$ *The Mighty Ducks* feature film
  - \$ A volume of *World Book* to check out
  - \$ A Puppet Art Troupe show
  - \$ *Missing May*, a Newbery Award-Winner
- \$132. Total Value**



### For Your Career Choices

- \$ *National Business Employment Weekly*
  - \$ *Help Wanted USA*
  - \$ Annual Reports from Company Profile Resources
  - \$ College Catalogs on Microfiche
- \$2403. Total Value**

### For Your Business Pursuits

- \$ *Official Airline Guides*
  - \$ *McKinney's Consolidated Laws of New York State*
  - \$ *Crain's New York Business*
  - \$ *Standard Rate and Data Service*
- \$1170. Total Value**

### For Your Investment Decisions

- \$ *Value Line*
  - \$ *Wall Street Journal*
  - \$ *Investor's Business Daily*
  - \$ *Moody's Manuals*
  - \$ *Morningstar Mutual Funds*
- \$5228. Total Value**



### For Your Listening Pleasure

- \$ *Madame Butterfly*
  - \$ *Crazy For You*
  - \$ *Tom Sawyer*, audio book
  - \$ *A Decade of Steely Dan*
  - \$ *Little Richard The Specialty Sessions*
- \$145. Total Value**



Former President Jimmy Carter recently said, "The best kept secret in our country is what libraries have to offer." So have your library card and use it —

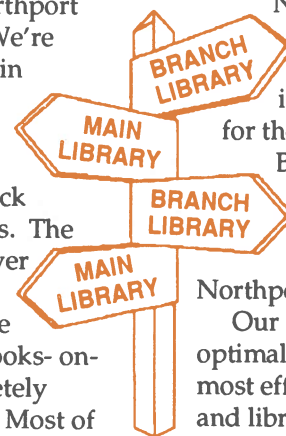
**YOUR BORROWING POWER  
IS GREATER THAN YOU THINK.**

## We're Connected — "It's At The Branch"

On Larkfield Road, 1.5 miles south of the Northport Library, is the East Northport Branch Library. We're connected, and while there is some duplication, in many respects each collection is unique.

The East Northport Branch Library has an extensive collection of books for gardening and culinary pursuits, as well as an enticing paperback collection of the latest titles and all-time favorites. The East Northport Branch has the resources to answer basic reference questions while the Northport Library is prepared to support your more intense research needs. The video, compact disc, and books-on-tape collections for the two buildings are completely distinct. You'll see familiar faces at each library. Most of our staff members serve the public at both buildings and are ready to help you locate the library materials you need regardless of where they may be housed.

When browsing the card catalog at the main library in



Northport, you will see some cards marked with an **EN** indicating that the item is housed at the branch library. The East Northport card catalog includes books housed at Northport and the cards for those titles are marked with an **N**. If you frequent the Branch and want an item from the Northport building, a librarian will call to have that item transferred to the Branch. The same is true, if you are at Northport and want an item from East Northport. This is a next-day service.

Our central concern is to provide our patrons with optimal library service. While a branch library is not the most efficient way to accommodate changes technology and library materials, it allows us to divide the collection in a manner that utilizes the available space between the two buildings. Until a solution is derived for the space shortages experienced in both buildings, we appreciate your endurance when you hear, "It's at the Branch."

## — Children's Services —



Registration for *Preschoolers' Door to Learning* programs begins at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 11, 1993 at both buildings. Participation in these programs is determined by a Northport-East Northport Library card and the child's birthdate. Please check the schedule and corresponding birthdates below to determine the programs your child is eligible to attend. First time registrants should bring a copy of the child's birth certificate.

For the late Fall sessions of Toddler Time and Preschool Storytime preference will be given to those children who were unable to participate in the early Fall sessions. You will be notified by mail of your child's placement in these programs.

Our 1993-94 *Preschoolers' Door to Learning* brochure is available in both buildings. The children's librarians in both buildings are also available to answer any questions regarding these programs.

### Registration begins Saturday, September 11

	Birthdate Eligibility
MOTHER/INFANT	Oct. 7, 1992 - Aug. 7, 1993
LAPTIME	June 2, 1992 - Dec. 2, 1992
MOTHER GOOSE	Oct. 9, 1991 - April 9, 1992
PARENT CHILD	April 8, 1991 - Oct. 8, 1991
MOMMY & ME	Sept. 13, 1990 - Sept. 13, 1991
TODDLER TIME	Fall I April 13, 1990 - April 13, 1991
	Fall II May 2, 1990 - May 22, 1991
PRESCHOOL STORYTIME	
	Fall I April 29, 1990 up to Kindergarten
	Fall II June 23, 1990 up to Kindergarten



### MAGIC AND MOVEMENT UNDER THE BIG TOP

(N) Friday, September 10, 10:00 a.m.  
(Ages 2-3 years with a parent or caregiver)  
Registration begins Friday, September 3.

Children learn about the circus through dramatic play, stories, songs, dance, and crafts.



### PRESCHOOL STORYTIME FALL SESSION I (Ages 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-5 years)

#### Northport

Mondays, September 20, 27, October 4, 18, 25  
10:00 a.m. & 3:30 p.m.  
Thursdays, September 23, 30, October 7, 14, 21, 28  
10:00 a.m. & 3:30 p.m.

#### East Northport

Tuesdays, September 21, 28, October 5, 12, 19, 26  
10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Fridays, September 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29  
10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.



### MOMMY & ME - FALL SESSION (Ages 2-3 years with a parent or caregiver)

#### Northport

Tuesdays, Sept. 14, 21, 28, Oct. 5, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Wednesdays, Sept. 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 1:30 p.m.

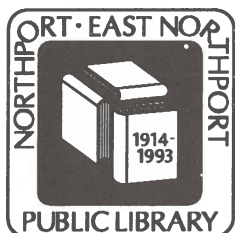
#### East Northport

Mondays, Sept. 13, 20, 27, Oct. 4, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Wednesdays, Sept. 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 10:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.



### MOVIE MARQUEE (Gr. K-up)

(N) Thursday, September 2  
11:00 a.m., 3:30 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.  
*Homeward Bound*. 84 min.  
(EN) Friday, September 3, 3:00 p.m.  
*The Love Bug*. 108 min.



## Northport-East Northport Public Library

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East Northport, N.Y. 11731  
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## Calendar September 1993

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1 to 5 Sunday, Sept. 12 thru June 12 (Northport only)

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