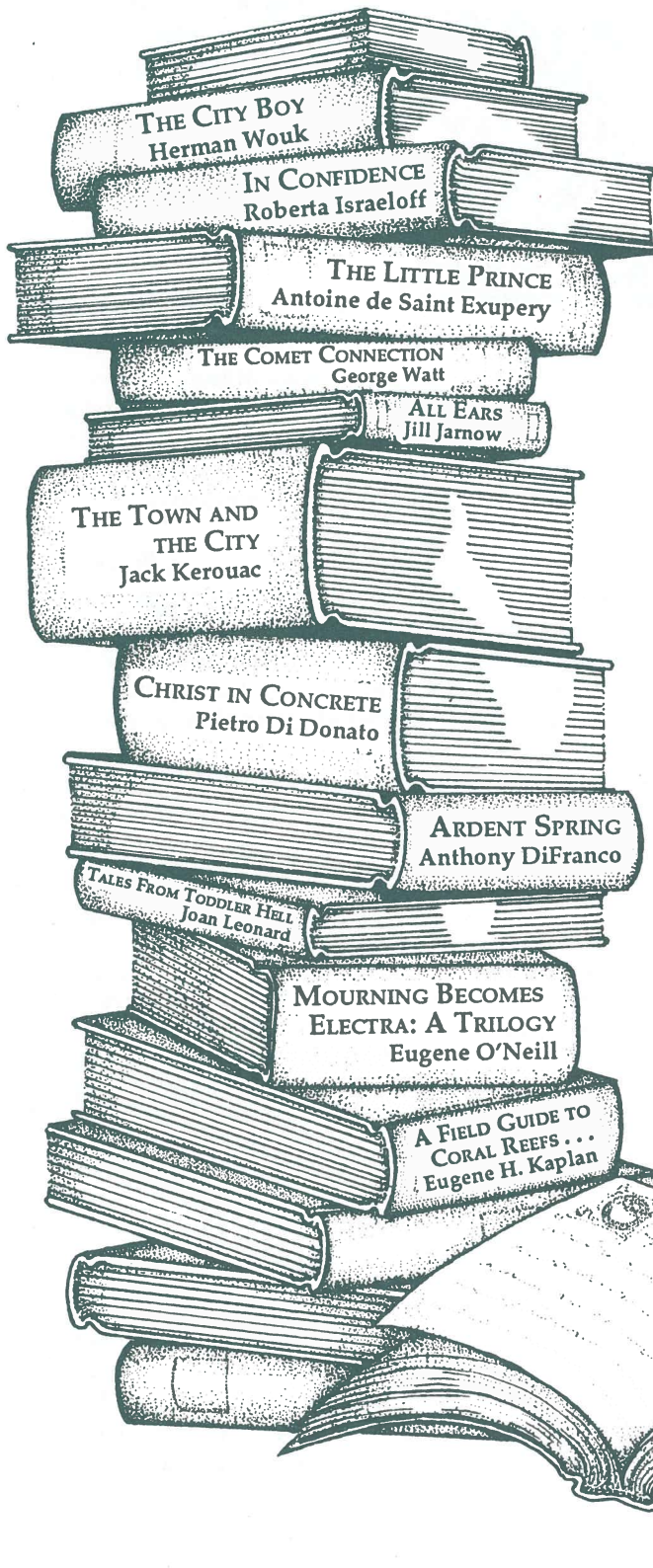


NEWSLETTER

October 1993



Introducing *Literary Beacons* of the Northport-East Northport Community

Our Local Author Collection

"This has been a haven for writing – the best place I have ever had anywhere in my life."

Antoine de Saint Exupery

"We think of Northport as a place of quiet, of flowering trees, and early wedded happiness."

Herman Wouk

"This is a real village, by the way. Ain't it? . . . It looks a lot like, you know . . . looks like New England, yeah."

Jack Kerouac

"We are settled comfortably here in a small house easy to run, plenty of ground and privacy, a nice clean private beach to bake on. I am beginning to relax and rest already . . ."

Eugene O'Neill

We celebrate
National
Archives Week
October 10-16, 1993

For details on our
"Literary Beacons" local author
collection, see the back cover.

— Adult Services —

THE OTHER VIC THEATRE COMPANY presents *Brighton Beach Memoirs* Friday, October 8, 8:00 p.m.

Here is the first of the trilogy of Neil Simon's autobiographical memory plays, a portrait of the writer as a Brooklyn teenager in 1937 living with his family in crowded, lower-middle-class circumstances. Eugene, the narrator (the young Neil Simon) comically uses the family idiosyncrasies to raise such enduring issues as sibling resentments, guilt-ridden parent-child relationships, and the hunger for dignity.

Tickets, which are on sale now, are \$1.00 for adults, 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and disabled persons.

TOLE & DECORATIVE PAINTING WORKSHOP

Monday, October 11, 7:30 p.m.

Experience the art of the decorative brush stroke and handpaint your own folk art floral design. Artist Esther Tollen will guide you. A non-refundable materials fee of \$8.50 includes wooden shaker box, brush pattern and paints, and is payable at registration which begins Oct. 1.

DEMYSTIFYING THE PERSONAL COMPUTER In recognition of Computer Education Month

Thursday, October 21, 7:30 p.m.

You've come to the library to use the public computers, but where do you go from the menu? What does "shift F7" mean? How do you format a disk? Ron Richards from Computerworks of Northport has the answers and explains the basics of personal computing. In layperson's terms, he'll discuss software, hardware, operating systems, and windows applications. If you're a computer beginner or have just a bit of computer know-how this program is a "must attend." All are welcome.



Tuesday, October 25 &
Wednesday, October 27
7:00-10:00 p.m. Fee: \$40

Applications for this six-hour course may be picked up at either library beginning Oct. 11.



ALL ABOUT ARTHRITIS

Wednesday, October 20, 7:30 p.m.

To highlight Arthritis Awareness Month, Mark Tan, M.D., board certified rheumatologist, will discuss advances in treatment, the role of diet and exercise, and specific rheumatic diseases such as Lupus, Lyme Disease, Rheumatoid Arthritis, and Osteoarthritis. No registration is necessary for this program which is sponsored by the Long Island Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation.



THE DEREK SMITH TRIO

A Jazz Concert in
Memory of

Judith P. Tracey

Friday, October 22
8:00 p.m.

The famed Derek Smith Trio visits the library to perform the Judith P. Tracey Memorial Jazz Concert.

Judy loved jazz. Through the years, Judy Tracey's great love for jazz music found her enjoying the many Friday night jazz concerts at the

library. Following Judy's untimely death this past March, her colleagues at the Northport Rotary presented the library with a gift of matching funds toward sponsorship of an annual jazz concert, in memory of Judy Tracey. This memorial gift enables the library to continue to seek and attract some of the more accomplished musicians in the jazz arena.

Judy Tracey was a member of the Northport Rotary Club, Asharoken Garden Club, Huntington Anglers, Junior League of Long Island, past president of the Board of Senior Day Care at St. James, and a jazz aficionada. Judy is also being remembered through the ongoing Judith P. Tracey Scholarship Fund at the Northport High School.

When the Derek Smith Trio performs at the library this month, Judy will be in the audience in spirit only. Derek Smith has recorded with stars such as Burt Bacharach, Dionne Warwick, and Dizzy Gillespie, and has performed with a roster of notable singers, from Placido Domingo to Frank Sinatra.

Tickets, which go on sale Oct. 9, are \$1.00 for adults, 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and disabled persons. Preference will be given to Northport-East Northport library patrons.

Presented by International Art of Jazz, Inc., and sponsored by the Northport-East Public Library and Northport Rotary Club with special funding to IAJ from the New York State Council on the Arts, corporate, and private sources.



HEALTH INSURANCE INFORMATION, COUNSELING & ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

(EN) Thurs., Oct. 7, & (N) Thurs., Oct. 28, 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. Call 261-6930 to make an appointment in Northport, or 261-2313 to make an appointment in East Northport.

BOOK & SANDWICH (W)RAP

(EN) Thursday, October 7, 1:00 p.m.

Three recent "O. Henry" prize winners are on our agenda. Copies are available at the reference desks in both buildings. Call Nancy Kruse, reference librarian, 261-6930.



NOVEL IDEAS

(N) Friday, October 15, 1:00 p.m. &

(N) Monday, October 18, 7:30 p.m.

We begin our new season with a discussion of *The English Patient* by Michael Ondaatje. To join this group, contact Dodie Gillman, reference librarian, at 261-6930.

King Arthur: Looking at the Legend

An exhibition: October 1 - 31, 1992

A traveling exhibit, "King Arthur: Looking at the Legend," will be on display at the Northport Library during the month of October. This exhibition celebrates both the popularity of the Arthurian legend, which has been retold in a wide variety of countries and languages, and its longevity, which can be attributed in part to the fact that artists and writers have adapted the themes of the story to the changing conditions of their times.

Consisting of 16 panels containing text and images, this display was adapted from a major exhibition originally held at the New York Public Library.

The King Arthur Legend: A Closer Look

Tuesday, Oct. 26 & Tuesday, Nov. 9
7:30 p.m.

Dr. Aaron Kramer, professor emeritus of English at Dowling College, returns to lead a two-part lecture/discussion on the thematic development of the Arthurian legend. Professor Kramer has, in previous sessions at our library, stimulated patrons with discussions of playwrights from Sophocles to Stoppard.

Tues., October 26 *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight*

Tues., November 9 *The Idylls of the Kings*

Register and pick up your copies of the reading materials beginning Oct. 1.

Exhibits

Northport

Adult — Handpainted photographs by Cheryl Machat Dorskind

Case — Stamp Collection (Anonymous) in recognition of National Stamp Collecting Month

East Northport

Adult — "From Northport to the Adirondacks:" the photography of Richard J. Nowicki




Children — Girl Scout Memorabilia from the Suffolk County Girl Scouts

Northport-East Northport Public Library Calendar of Events October 1993



Floral Decorations:

(East Northport) Marilyn DeLuca of the Larkfield Community Garden Club
(Northport) Sally Hara of the Northport Community Garden Club with materials donated by Fashions in Flowers

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<p>"Take Charge & Do The Right Thing" — Recycle Your Batteries The Northport and East Northport library buildings are serving as collection sites for household battery disposal. The Town of Huntington has placed special bins in the lobbies of each library for residents to dispose of non-rechargeable, rechargeable, and button household batteries. Over the past few years, battery manufacturers have reduced most of the harmful metals in alkaline batteries. We can continue that effort by doing our part to remove as many batteries as we can from Huntington's waste stream. Car batteries and medical and safety instrument batteries are not included in this recycling program.</p>				<p>1 Tickets available for <i>Brighton Beach Memoirs</i> on 10/8 Registration begins for <i>Tole & Decorative Painting Workshop</i> on 10/11 Registration begins for <i>The King Arthur Legend: A Closer Look</i> on 10/26 & 11/9 Registration begins for <i>CPR</i> on 10/12 & 10/13 *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am Knitters' Circle (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>2 Registration begins for <i>Story Parade</i></p>
<p>3  Sunday Study Hall 1:30-4:30 pm</p>	<p>4 *Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm Lyme Disease Support Group (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>5 *Mommy & Me (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am</p>	<p>6 *Mommy & Me (EN) 10 am & 11 am Free Blood Pressure & Weight Check (N) 1-3 pm; (EN) 3:15-5 pm *Mommy & Me (N) 1:30 pm Great Books (N) 8 pm</p>	<p>7 *Mother/Infant Discussion Group (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm Book & Sandwich (W)rap (EN) 1 pm *Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance (EN) 1-4 pm by appt.</p>	<p>8 *Parent/Child Workshop (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am Young Adult Book Reviewers (N) 4 pm Knitters' Circle (N) 7 pm *The Other Vic Theatre Company presents <i>Brighton Beach Memoirs</i> (N) 8 pm</p>	<p>9 Tickets available for <i>The Derek Smith Trio</i> on 10/22 *Mother Goose (N) 10 am</p>
<p>10 Sunday Study Hall 1:30-4:30 pm</p>	<p>11 Applications available for Defensive Driving on 10/25 & 10/27 *Tole & Decorative Painting Workshop (N) 7:30 pm</p>	<p>12 *Toddler Time (N) 10 am & 11 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am *CPR (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>13 *Toddler Time (EN) 10 am & 11 am *Toddler Time (N) 1:30 pm *Story Parade (N) 4 pm *CPR (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>14 *Mother/Infant Discussion Group (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (N) 10 am & 3:30 pm *Story Parade (EN) 4 pm</p>	<p>15 *Parent/Child Workshop (N) 10 am *Preschool Storytime (EN) 10 am & 11 am Novel Ideas (N) 1 pm Knitters' Circle (N) 7 pm</p>	<p>16 *Mother Goose (N) 10 am</p>
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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.

R378 *Index of Majors and Graduate Degrees*
.73 Lists 580 programs and 2,900 accredited institu-
Col tions, by state, offering majors at undergraduate
and graduate levels.

R378 *The Insider's Guide to the Colleges*
.73 Glimpses life at more than 300 colleges and
Ins universities in the United States and Canada,
based on the opinions of students. Schools are
selected by academic quality, and the excellence
and breadth of their offerings.

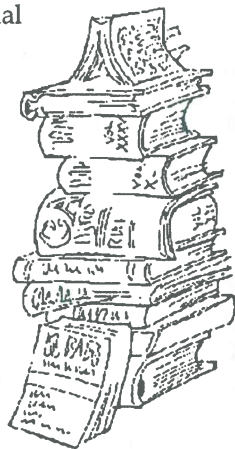
R371 *The K & W Guide to Colleges for the Learning*
.9047 *Disabled - A Resource Book for Students, Parents,*
Kra *and Professionals*
Identifies and explores appropriate colleges and
universities equipped to deal with students'
special needs.

R378 *Lovejoy's College Guide*
.73 A unique career curricula index directs you to
Lov two-year and four-year colleges and universities
offering common and not-so-common majors.
Includes special interest programs as well as
graduate and professional schools.

R378 *Peterson's Colleges with Programs for Students*
.73 *with Learning Disabilities*
Pet Profiles nearly 1,000 two-year and four-year
colleges that offer LD programs. A checklist helps
you compare programs and services.

R378 *Peterson's Guide to Four-Year Colleges*
.73 Contains up-to-date data on every accredited
Pet U.S. and Canadian four-year college
and university. Has many special
indexes including majors, cost
overview, and "entrance
difficulty."

R378 *Peterson's Guide to Two-Year*
.1543 *Colleges*
Pet Profiles more than 1,400
accredited U.S. two-year
colleges. Entries include admis-
sion requirements, part-time
programs, computer facilities,
and graduation and transfer
statistics.



Look for "College Chaos 102" in the November newsletter.

COLLEGE ESSAY WRITING WORKSHOP

Wednesday, November 3, 7:30 p.m.

Learn how to write a college essay that will make admissions officers take notice. Instructor Nina Wolff will show you how. Use your college essay to showcase your special talents and strengths. It can be the deciding factor in your acceptance to the college of your dreams. All are welcome.

— Children's Services —

STORY PARADE

A story/craft series for children in grades K-4.
Registration begins Saturday, October 2.

Northport

Wednesdays, October 13, 20, 27, November 3, 10, 17
4:00 p.m.

East Northport

Thursdays, October 14, 21, 28, November 4, 18
4:00 p.m.

CPR COURSE

(N) Tuesday, October 12 & Wednesday, October 13
7:00-9:00 p.m. Fee: \$5.00 For adult family members.

Learn CPR, a lifesaving skill developed by the American Heart Association, and earn American Red Cross certification. Instruction includes mannequin practice in performing one "rescuer" CPR. This course will be taught by Rick Burchenthall, a certified Red Cross instructor from the Northport Police and Fire Department. Registration begins Oct. 1.



3-D KIDS enjoy their "just desserts" at an end-of-summer Book Banquet Celebration.

— Young Adult Services —

YOUNG ADULT BOOK REVIEWERS

Friday, October 8, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

See your name in print! Become a book reviewer for the library, and your reviews will be included in the library's publication, *Journey Into Books, Spring 1994*.

The YA Book Reviewers meet monthly from October through May. If you like to read and talk about the books you've read, this is the place for you! Also, the newest YA books are available at each meeting. Be the first to read them!

The YA Book Reviewers are invited each spring to a luncheon with a noted YA author, as part of the library's *Speaking of Writing* program.

So join us for soda and cookies in the Community Room at the Northport Library building. If you have any questions, please call Mrs. Romer, Young Adult Librarian, at 261-6930.



YOUNG ADULTS ACT OUT during a Dynamic Dramatics performance at the YA Summer Festival.

coming soon!

CAREER CLINIC

Lynn Johnson, Career Development and Training Specialist with the Human Resource Office at SUNY Stony Brook, will conduct this four-part series on career planning.

THE EMPLOYMENT MARKET: FINDING THE JOB YOU WANT

Saturday, November 6, 10:00 a.m.

and watch for . . .

"A FOOT IN THE DOOR" — RESUMES & COVER LETTERS

RESUME REVIEW — INDIVIDUAL RESUME COUNSELING

and

THE ART OF BEING INTERVIEWED

. . . future programs in this series

BOOK-A-TRIP

to

Radio City Music Hall's "Holiday Spectacular"

Thursday, December 2, 1993

Departure: 11:00 a.m. from the Middleville School Parking Lot.

Cost: \$62.00 per person (checks only; payable to Northport Public Library; non-refundable)

Itinerary: Full course lunch at Top of the Sixes followed by matinee performance.

Return: 8:30 p.m.

Register in person (limit 2 on first day of ticket sale) at the Northport Library beginning Nov. 5.

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

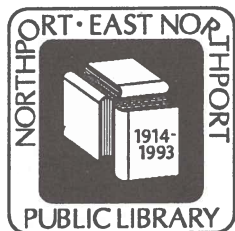


Literary Beacons

The Local Author Collection

Watt, Wouk, Kaplan, Kerouac . . . the works of the writers among us in the Northport-East Northport community will be designated as part of the "Literary Beacons Collection." The formalization of this comprehensive collection of published books by authors who are living in or who have lived in the Northport-East Northport Library District recognizes and encourages writers in the community by highlighting their achievements. "LBC" book spine labels make books by local authors immediately visible on library shelves. Books are interfiled in the circulating collection and cards in the card catalog indicate "local author" book titles. The development and maintenance of the local author collection, which falls under the domain of the Historical Collection, is the responsibility of Reference Librarian Barbara Johnson. We applaud Mrs. Johnson for her recent appointment as Northport Village Historian. In this role she will add to the knowledge, understanding, and appreciation of the entire Northport-East Northport community's history.

Literary Beacons, our new local author collection, is the first of many projects which will highlight our past as we enter a year-long Northport Centennial.



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