

NEWSLETTER

January 1989

A MERRYE MEDIEVAL ENTERTAINMENT

Sunday, January 8, 2:00 p.m.

Groves Consort, three medieval troubadours, will transport us to the courtly life of the Middle Ages. Making use of instruments like viols, recorders, psaltry, krummhorn, gemshorn, and bells, the trio will present a program of music, songs, humor, and stories popular from the 1200's to the 1500's. The program will also include a dance demonstration, juggling, and "hands on" participation by children. Don't miss this merrye afternoon's entertainment. Free tickets are now available.

BAROQUE DUO

Friday, January 27, 8:30 p.m.

The Baroque Duo, featuring Arthur Haas on the harpsichord and Martha McGaughey on the viola da gamba, will present a program including works by J.S. Bach and 17th Century French music by Marin Marais and Jean Henry D'Anglebert. Tickets, which go on sale Jan. 14 are \$1.00 for adults, 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and handicapped persons.



FLY WITHOUT FEAR

Tuesday, January 10, 7:30 p.m.

Recent air accidents, "near misses," and terrorist incidents have made more people anxious about flying. For many, this anxiety has become a phobia which requires professional therapy to overcome. Carol Cott Gross of Travel and Fly Without Fear, will present a program to help travel phobics overcome the fear of flying and other fears such as claustrophobia, fear of heights, parkways, etc. The lecture will explore what causes people to become phobic of flying, what personality traits such people have in common, relaxation techniques to control anxiety, and techniques to develop positive images of flying. As a writer, lecturer, and T.V. talk show expert, Carol Cott Gross has helped millions of people understand and control aviophobia. No registration is necessary for this program.

VISIT TO THE SOUTH PACIFIC

Tuesday, January 31, 7:30 p.m.

Our magic carpet is waiting to fly you "down under" to the islands of French Polynesia and the island continent of Australia. Visit Tahiti, Bora Bora, and the Australian cities of Melbourne, Canberra, and Sydney. Milt Rashkin will take us to see all these wonders by means of his lovely color slides with informative narration. No registration is necessary.

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THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS

LAST OF THE RED HOT LOVERS

Friday, January 13, 8:30 p.m.

Neil Simon's comedy concerns Barney Cashman who, at the age of 42, wants to join the sexual revolution before it's too late. But Barney is a gentle, sober soul with a wife of twenty years and absolutely no experience in adultery. His blundering attempts with the neighborhood sexpot, a kooky actress, and finally, his wife's best friend, make for a hilarious evening. Tickets, which are on sale now, are \$1.00 for adults, 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and handicapped persons.

ARTHUR MILLER

ENSEMBLE

Friday, January 20

8:30 p.m.

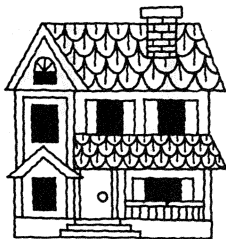
Jazz clarinetist Arthur Miller and his ensemble will present a program of music covering a diverse spectrum of jazz forms. Mr. Miller, whose style has been compared to Lester Young, Artie Shaw, and Benny Goodman, has appeared in concert at the Museum of Modern Art, the Overseas Press Club, Carnegie Recital Hall, Tami Hall, and the Jazz Festival on the River as well as on radio stations throughout the Tri-State area. Tickets, which go on sale Jan. 7, are \$1.00 for adults, 50¢ for students, senior citizens, and handicapped persons.



PRICING RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE IN TODAY'S MARKET

Wednesday, January 11, 7:30 p.m.

Elizabeth Kelly, Gerald Greenberg, and Pat Cahalan of Merrill Lynch Realty will present a program on determining the value of your home. Topics will include factors that can increase or reduce value, home improvements that pay off (and those that don't), and the effect of market conditions on pricing a home. Alex McIlwraith, Manager of Relocation Property for Merrill Lynch Realty, will also join the discussion. No registration is necessary.



NOVEL IDEAS

Friday, January 13, 1:00 p.m.

The Man Who Owned Vermont by Bret Lott will be discussed at this month's meeting. Please call Ms. Gillman, Reference Librarian, at 261-6930 if you would like to join this group.

DANCE EXERCISE (For Seniors Too!)

A new series of dance exercise classes begins on Monday, January 16 and continues through March 13. Classes meet on Monday mornings from 10:00-11:00 and from 11:00-12:00 noon. The 10:00 a.m. class is for adults. The 11:00 a.m. class is especially for senior citizens, with exercises and pace geared to this age group. There is a \$20 fee for the series. Registration begins January 9.

MICROWAVE OVEN COOKING

Monday, January 9, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, January 18, 7:30 p.m.

Sharon Renswieg returns with two delectable microwave cooking demonstrations. She will discuss how microwave ovens work, cooking techniques, maintenance, and of course, some delicious recipes. No registration is required.

PLANNING FOR THE NURSING HOME

Tuesday, January 17, 7:30 p.m.

George Roach, chief attorney with the Senior Citizen Division of the Legal Aid Society of Suffolk County, will discuss the legal and financial issues that face every family admitting a relative to a nursing home. He will explore such topics as transfer of residence, separation of liquid assets, the Medicaid Qualifying Trust, life insurance, power of attorney, and wills. No registration is necessary.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

Monday, January 23 & Tuesday, January 24
7:00-10:00 p.m.

Mr. David Decker of the National Safety Council will present a six-hour Defensive Driving Course. Completing the course will qualify motorists for a reduction of 10% on their motor vehicle insurance premium for collision and liability each year for three years, as well as a reduction of three points on their driving record. Registration applications may be picked up at the library beginning January 7, and there is a \$35 fee.

MEDICARE/MEDICAID ASSISTANCE

Health insurance coverage has become increasingly complicated for older Americans. The library provides one-to-one assistance through Jim McManus, an AARP-trained representative, on Friday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Northport Library. Mr. McManus will answer questions about Medicare and supplemental Medicare health insurance. He will also help fill out Medicare claims and appeals, help determine Medicaid eligibility and refer beneficiaries with complex Medicare problems to the appropriate resources for assistance. Please call the Northport Library to make an appointment with Mr. McManus.

Exhibits

Northport

Adult — Primitive Oil Painting by Ginny Morgan
Display Case — Transcontinental Railroad and Railroad Lanterns from the Collection of Mr. Caldiero

Children's Room — Wintertime Reading

East Northport

Adult — Oils by Laurel Ballinger
Children's Room — Stuffed Animals from the Collection of MaryEllen Moll

East Northport Branch News



BOOK & SANDWICH (W)RAP

Our short story discussion group will meet this month on Thursday, January 5, 1:00 p.m., at the East Northport Library. This month we will discuss a short story and view a video film based on that story. New participants are always welcome. Call Molly Schoen at 261-2313, or come to the East Northport Library to register.

Northport-East Northport Public Library

Calendar of Events

January 1989

AT YOUR SERVICE

The Northport-East Northport Public Library seeks to inform, educate and culturally enrich the entire community. In addition to books and other library materials, programs and facilities, we provide reference services of the highest quality. We welcome all residents from infancy through the senior years.

Your library has been cited as one of the foremost libraries in Suffolk County for its consistently high volume of circulation and innovative programming and services. Our aim is to keep it one of the best.

- Books, newspapers, magazines and microfilm
 - Videos, compact discs and audio cassettes
 - Computers and computer software
 - Plays, concerts, lectures and workshops
 - Large print books
 - Exhibits and displays
 - Community meeting room
 - Outreach programs and services
 - Book discussions
 - Young Adult programs and college bound services
 - Infant, toddler, preschool and parenting programs
 - Children's storytimes, reading clubs and special events
 - Photocopy machines
- and*
- **A professional staff to assist you with your every need.**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 New Year's Day — Library Closed	2 Library Closed	3 Registration begins for Young Adult Program — Put On A Beautiful Face on Jan. 14	4	5 Book & Sandwich (W)rap (EN) 1 pm	6 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 9-12 noon by appt. <i>*Story Parade (EN) 4:00-4:45 pm</i> (YA) <i>*The Dungarees In Concert (N) 9 pm</i>	7 <i>*Mother Goose Time (N) 10:00-11:30 am</i> Ticket sales begin for Arthur Miller Ensemble on Jan. 20 Registration begins for Defensive Driving Course
8 <i>*A Merrye Medieval Entertainment (N) 2 pm</i>	9 <i>*Preschool Storytime (N) 10:15 & 11:15 am</i> <i>*Toddler Time (EN) 10:30 am</i> Registration begins for Dance Exercise Classes Microwave Oven Cooking (N) 7:30 pm	10 <i>*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am</i> <i>*Toddler Time (N) 10:15 & 11:15 am</i> <i>*Story Parade (N) 4:00-4:45 pm</i> Fly Without Fear (N) 7:30 pm	11 <i>*Toddler Time (N) 1:30 pm</i> <i>*Toddler Time (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am</i> Pricing Residential Real Estate in Today's Market (N) 7:30 pm Great Books (N) 8 pm	12 <i>*Preschool Storytime (N) 10:15 & 11:15 am</i>	13 Medicare/Medicaid Assistance (N) 9-12 noon by appt. <i>*Preschool Storytime (EN) 10:15 & 11:15 am</i> Novel Ideas (N) 1 pm <i>*Story Parade (EN) 4:00-4:45 pm</i> <i>*Play — Last of the Red Hot Lovers (N) 8:30 pm</i>	14 <i>*Mother Goose Time (N) 10:00-11:30 am</i> Young Adult Program - Put On A Beautiful Face (N) 1:30 pm Ticket sales begin for Baroque Duo on Jan. 27
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Note: Italic type indicates Children's Programs.

N = Northport Library
 EN = East Northport Library

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

Anniversary "Calendar" Bookmark

This year marks the 75th Anniversary of the Library in the community. We're sharing its history with you on this "Calendar" Bookmark.

YOUR loyalty to us is the most important part of our history.

Children's Programs

MOTHER GOOSE TIME

(Northport) Saturdays, January 7, 14, 21 & 28
10:00-11:30 a.m.

Linda Dennis Szeglin will present this innovative library program for children between 18 and 24 months of age, accompanied by a parent or caregiver. Nursery rhymes, music, art, and fingerplays will be featured. Children must be 18 months old by Jan. 7. Registration began Dec. 17.



PARENT-CHILD WORKSHOP

(Northport)

These workshops introduce children 2 to 2¹/₂ years of age to the pleasures of the library, offering them their first storytime experience and a chance to interact with other children. Parents will talk with specialists on topics relating to child development. Space is limited; participants in previous sessions of this workshop are not eligible for this series. Please bring proof of child's age when registering.

Sessions will be held as follows:

Fridays, February 3, 10, 17 and March 3 & 10

10:00-11:00 a.m. Registration begins Jan. 27

Saturdays, February 4, 11, 18 and March 4 & 11

10:00-11:00 a.m. Registration begins Jan. 28.

SPECIAL STORYCRAFT PROGRAM

(Northport) Sundays, January 22 & 29, February 5 & 12
2:00-2:45 p.m.

Carolyn Burton will host this special Sunday story-craft series for children ages 3¹/₂-8 accompanied by a parent or caregiver. No registration is necessary.

SUNDAY FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT

See page 1 for full details of
A MERRY

MEDIEVAL ENTERTAINMENT
on Sunday, January 8, 2:00 p.m.



YEAR OF THE YOUNG READER

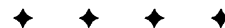
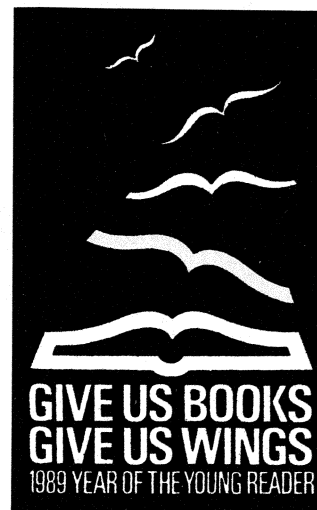
Books and reading are the basic nourishment of a growing mind. Developing children into readers today is the best way to ensure a literate and informed Nation of Readers tomorrow. To remind Americans of the joys and importance of books for children and young adults, the Librarian of Congress, James H. Billington, has designated 1989 as The Year of the Young Reader.

Initiated by the Center for the Book and the Children's Literature Center in the Library of Congress, this national, year-long campaign provides families, parents, guardians, and concerned individuals, as well as schools, libraries, businesses and other organizations, with a unifying theme to support reading activities. Our common goal is to give young people the gift and the promise of reading.

1989 — The Year of the Young Reader is a theme for everyone to use, adapt, or imitate. By working together we can stimulate a love of reading among our young people that will last all their lives; we also can create new attitudes that will enable good children's books and young minds to flourish. The Librarian of Congress states the case succinctly: "The enterprise of reading is of central importance to the health of the Republic. In this country we have an urgent need to bring more young people into creative contact with books, reading, and libraries."

Ideas For Families

- Read books aloud to each other
- Talk about the books you read
- Keep books and magazines around the home
- Give books and magazine subscriptions as gifts
- Encourage a child to get a library card
- Make regular family visits to the library
- Help a child compile and illustrate a book
- Reread a book you loved as a child, then share it with a child
- Make the bedtime story a regular family event
- Visit a bookstore with a child
- Help a child set up a personal library
- Help children choose books *they* want to read
- Use television and radio to encourage reading
- Encourage a child to write — stories, a diary, letters to friends
- Plan a summer reading program
- Set family reading goals



CONGRATULATIONS TO ...



The Young Adult Creative Writing Contest attracted nearly 100 participants. The winners are:

Dana Long	Poetry	6th Grade
Chris Telfer	Poetry	7th Grade
William Byrne	Poetry	8th Grade
Ellen Fusaro	Short Story	6th Grade
James Lanzisero	Short Story	7th Grade
Margaret O'Rourke	Short Story	8th Grade
Danielle Spinella	Essay	6th Grade
Jason Fusaro	Essay	8th Grade

Honorable Mention was awarded to the following students:

Holly Kantin	Thomas Kessler
Jaclyn Streit	Kelly Lay
Michael Rudy	Jason Rudy
Nicky Beer	Cory Brust
Eric White	Kim Kretzer

Pick up a free copy of the winning works, available at both the Northport and East Northport libraries.

Young Adult Programs

THE DUNGAREES IN CONCERT

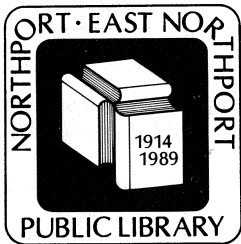
Friday, January 6, 9:00 p.m.

An exciting evening of doo-wop and 50's music will be presented by this talented a cappella singing quintet. Featured are Northport High School students Roland Tomforde, Bob Padgett, Joe Roseto, Keith Correia, and Ken Maag. The Dungarees sing regularly at Gatsby's Pub in Westbury and may be remembered for their outstanding performance on Cow Harbor Day. Free tickets will be available at the Northport and East Northport libraries beginning December 19.

PUT ON A BEAUTIFUL FACE

Saturday, January 14, 1:30 p.m.

Back by popular demand — a free personalized make-up workshop for teens, ages 13-18. Join us and learn how to contour your face like a professional model, zero in on your lips, skin tone, and eye color. Hypoallergenic make-up will be used and you will receive an individualized face chart to take home. Please register at the Northport Library beginning January 3.



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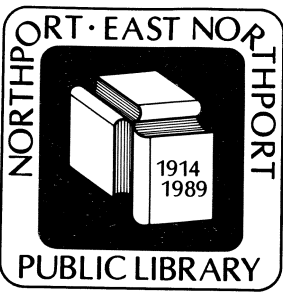
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9 to 9 Monday thru Friday
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Anniversary Year

**Northport-East Northport
Public Library**

*Looking Back on
Three Quarters of a Century*

- 1880 - Northport Literary and Social Union.
- 1888 - Northport Literary and Library Union.
- 1914 - Northport Public Library receives New York State Charter and Andrew Carnegie Grant.
- 1915 - Northport Library dedicates building at 215 Main Street.
- 1939 - Library Association of East Northport established.
- 1945 - Fire destroys East Northport Public Library building.
- 1949 - East Northport opens new library building.
- 1950 - Northport Library enlarges Main Street building.
- 1956 - Separate Children's Rooms open in the Northport and East Northport buildings.
- 1966 - New 20,000 sq. ft. building opens on Laurel Avenue. East Northport expands.
- 1967 - Tops in circulation in Suffolk County for the next three years.
- 1971 - Northport Library opens on Sundays.
- 1975 - Purchase of land adjacent to Northport building on Laurel Avenue.
- 1989 - Our Diamond Jubilee!

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