# **FOR ADULTS**

#### **Managing Life in Retirement**

(N) Tuesday, January 7, 11:00 a.m.

We all know that retirement has implications for our bank account. But, it is also a big change that can impact our relationships, our sense of purpose and identity, as well as our physical and emotional health. Join Kerri Reda, Human Development Specialist at Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County, to review the various stages of retirement and identify steps that can help navigate the most common challenges new retirees face. Registration is underway. **NENA019** 

#### Dance, Balance & Stretch

(N) Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23, February 6, 13, 12:00 p.m.

This class will help you get fit, balanced, and flexible! Learn exciting global dances set to great music, then cool down with balance exercises and relaxing stretches. Wear low-tread sneakers and have a water bottle on hand. Note: As with all exercise programs, please check with your healthcare provider before registering. In-person registration begins December 30 at the Northport Library. Open to Northport-East Northport Public Library card-holders only. **NENA034** 

#### **NAC Presents! Michael Serraino**



(N) Thursday, January 9, 7:00 p.m.

Michael is a pianist and vocalist trained in jazz, pop, and blues stylings and has performed at numerous libraries and other venues throughout Long Island. He is known for his musical interpretations of the Great American Songbook as well as pop artists and singer-songwriter greats like Billy Joel, Elton John, and Barry Manilow. Registration is underway. **NENA035** This program is cosponsored with Northport Arts Coalition.

# **Chef Rob Scott: Thai Lettuce Wraps and Glazed Shrimp**

(N) Friday, January 10, 6:00 p.m.

Chef Rob will be on hand to prepare Thai lettuce wraps with beef, scallions, carrots, and ginger, and glazed shrimp with Chinese plum sauce. Bring your appetite! A \$7 materials fee (cash or check payable to "Northport-East Northport Public Library") is due at the time of registration. In-person registration begins December 27. **NENA030** 

# Unlock Joy: Transform Your Life with the KonMari Method

(N) Sunday, January 12, 2:00 p.m.

Are you feeling overwhelmed by clutter, both in your space and in your life? Does the lack of organization leave you feeling stuck or unmotivated? In this transformative workshop, Patty Morrissey, Master Certified KonMari Consultant, will reveal how this method goes beyond merely tidying up; it is a tool for cultivating personal agency, gratitude, and joy. Registration is underway. **NENA020** This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Northport-East Northport Public Library.

#### **Native Plant Winter Sowing Workshop**

(N) Monday, January 13, 11:00 a.m.

Winter sowing is the easy way to grow healthy plants from seed. An educator from ReWild Long Island will show you how. Bring a one-gallon clear or translucent milk/water jug in a waterproof bag and go home with a mini-greenhouse with native plant seeds. When placed outside and ignored for the winter, they will grow into strong plants next spring. A \$10 materials fee (cash or check payable to "Northport-East Northport Public Library") is due at the time of registration. In-person registration begins December 27. **NENA036** 

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



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# **FOR ADULTS**

#### **Funeral Preplanning**

#### (N) Wednesday, January 15, 6:30 p.m.

New York State Licensed Funeral Director and New York State Funeral Director Association (NYSFDA) Board Member Mark Nolan will discuss how to preplan and prefund a funeral for yourself or a loved one, important documents to gather, types of accounts, and other pertinent details to consider. Registration is underway. **NENA037** 

#### Leisurama of Montauk

#### Tuesday, January 21, 12:00 p.m.

Let Our Hamptons Podcast co-hosts Esperanza Leon and Irwin Levy transport you to Montauk, circa 1964. Leisuramas were fully furnished (down to the silverware and toothbrushes) Montauk beach houses marketed and sold at Macy's flagship store at Herald Square and in Roosevelt Field. In 1960's America, anything seemed possible, even going to Macy's to buy a shirt and walking out with a beach house and a piece of the American Dream. Registration is underway. **NENA038**This program is cosponsored with the public libraries in the Town of Huntington.

#### **Envision Plum Island Preserved**

#### (N) Thursday, January 23, 7:00 p.m.

Plum Island, a federally-owned part of the Town of Southold only a mile and a half off the North Fork, is of national significance for its natural areas, wildlife and plant life, and history and cultural heritage. Louise Harrison, Long Island Project Manager and Senior Science Advisor at *Save the Sound*, will present a photographic tour of the island, the argument for preservation, and an update on the latest status of the campaign to preserve Plum Island in perpetuity once the Plum Island Animal Disease Center moves to its new quarters in Kansas. Registration is underway. **NENA039** 

#### Friday Night Board Game Meet-Up

#### (N) Friday, January 24, 6:00 p.m.

Looking for a space to spread out and set up your table-top campaign or board games? Bring your own games and join friends new and old for this monthly meet-up program for game enthusiasts. Registration is underway. **NENR595** 

#### **Legacy String Quartet**

#### (N) Sunday, January 26, 2:00 p.m.

The Legacy String Quartet carries forward a cherished musical tradition. Based in New York, this group of musicians is dedicated to reviving and sharing the timeless beauty of classical music. The quartet features Olga Turkina (Violin), Saki Uetsuhara (Violin), Drew Vella (Viola), and James Acampora (Cello) and brings masterpieces from the Classical and Romantic

eras to life. Registration is underway. NENA040

#### Falls Prevention: Parts 1 & 2

#### (N) Mondays, January 27 & February 3, 1:00 p.m.

Each year, more than one out of four adults 65 and older experience a fall. Falls and fall injuries are more common than strokes and can result in health problems that are just as serious. The good news is: Many falls can be prevented! Join us for this two-part workshop and learn simple changes you can make that may help reduce your risk of falling. Registration begins January 10. Open to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders only. **NENA041** 

#### Paper Flower Workshop—Roses

#### (N) Wednesday, January 29, 6:30 p.m.

Patrons 15 years and up; all abilities welcome

Join paper artist Casey Cunningham and learn how to create beautiful roses 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. Registration begins January 10. **NENA045** 

#### **Lost New York**

#### Wednesday, February 5, 2:00 p.m.

Behold a bygone New York! This presentation invites you to explore the landmarks, pastimes, monuments, communities, modes of transportation, and more that once defined the City. A docent from the New-York Historical Society will showcase treasures from the museum's trove of historical objects, highlight the dynamism of an ever-changing city, and help us recognize the importance of preserving pieces from the past. Registration is underway. **NENA042** 

#### **Blood Pressure Check**

Wednesday, January 8, (N) 9:30–10:30 a.m., and (EN) 11:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

#### **Defensive Driving Classes**

(N) Saturday, January 4, 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 only) is due at the time of registration. *In-person registration is underway*. Open to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders only. Limit two registrants per library card. **NENA015** 

#### (N) Saturday, February 8, 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 only) is due at the time of registration. *In-person registration begins January 13*. Open to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders only. Limit two registrants per library card. **NENA044** 

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.

# FOR ADULTS &





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

#### All Booked Up

(N) Thursday, January 9, 2:00 p.m. Join Librarian Deborah Formosa to discuss *The Stolen Child* by Ann Hood. Registration is underway. **NENR594** 

#### **Between the Lines**

(EN) Tuesday, January 14, 7:00 p.m.

Join Librarians Connor McCormack and Meagan White for a discussion of *Whale Fall* by Elizabeth O'Connor. Registration is underway. **NENR596** 

#### **Novel Ideas**

(N) Monday, January 27, 7:00 p.m. Join Librarian Candace Reeder to discuss *Real Americans* by Rachel Khong. Registration is underway. **NENA029** 

# REAL AMERICANS RACHEL KHONG

#### **Computer and Technology Classes**

#### Introduction to the iPad & iPhone



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. **NENC800** 

#### **Introduction to Android Devices**

Tuesday, January 14, 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. **NENC801** 

#### 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.

(N) Wednesday, January 15

1:00 p.m. NENC804 2:00 p.m. NENC806 1:30 p.m. NENC805 2:30 p.m. NENC807

#### **Introduction to Windows 11**

Tuesday, January 21, 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. **NENC802** 

#### All About Selling Online Locally

Tuesday, January 28, 7:00 p.m.

In this lecture and demonstration class, learn how to sell your items locally with websites and apps such as Facebook Marketplace, craigslist, and others. See how to use the apps, create an account, price your items, and use safe practices for selling locally. Registration is underway. **NENC803** 

# How to Manage Personal Finances Using Microsoft Excel

Tuesday, February 4, 7:00 p.m.

You can manage your personal finances with Microsoft Excel. Learn how to create a check register and format it for bank reconciliation, track investments and expenses, and create a simple database. Basic knowledge of Excel is required. Registration is underway. **NENC808** 









# **FOR ADULTS**

#### **Friday Films**

#### Bridget Jones's Diary

(N) Friday, January 3, 2:00 p.m. (EN) Friday, January 10, 2:00 p.m.

Starting on New Year's Eve, Bridget Jones is determined to improve herself while she looks for love in a year in which she keeps a personal diary. Starring Renée Zellweger, Hugh Grant, and Colin Firth. Rated R. 98 min.

#### White Bird

(N) Friday, January 17, 2:00 p.m. (EN) Friday, January 24, 2:00 p.m.

Struggling to fit in at his new school after being expelled for his treatment of another student, Julian is visited by his grandmother and is transformed by the compasionate and heroic story of her attempts to escape Nazioccupied France during WWII. Starring Helen Mirren. Rated PG-13. 121 min.



# Gallery Exhibits



#### Northport:

# Landscape Photography by Michael J. Rechter

"Capturing and sharing my experiences in the field can be emotional and therapeutic for both the photographer and the viewer to experience."

#### *Meet the Artist:*

(N) Friday, January 10, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

#### East Northport:

# Fragments of Thought by Josiah Otoo-Mensah

Charcoal and acrylic on eggshell paper.

#### Meet the Artist:

(EN) Friday, January 17, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

#### **Medicare Counseling**

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

(EN) Wednesday,	(N) Tuesday,
January 8	January 14
10:00 a.m. NENA046	10:00 a.m. NENA050
10:30 a.m. NENA047	10:30 a.m. NENA051
11:00 a.m. NENA048	11:00 a.m. NENA052
11:30 a.m. NENA049	11:30 a.m. NENA053

#### **The Versatile James Cagney**

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

James Cagney is best remembered as a tough guy and gangster in films such as *The Public Enemy* and *Angels with Dirty Faces*. He was also a terrific song and dance man, and critics and audiences alike have considered his Academy Award-winning performance as George M. Cohan in *Yankee Doodle Dandy* to be his best film. His career spanned from vaudeville, musicals, and revues on Broadway in the 1920s, to a forty-year career in films. Join lecturer Marc Courtade for a special remembrance of this unique and versatile performer.



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

# Language Learning & Literacy

#### **Dynamic English**

(EN) Thursdays, January 2, 9, 23, 30, February 13, 27, 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. **NENR597** 

#### **Pronunciation Practice**



Mondays, January 6, 13, 27, February 3, 10, 24, 7:00 p.m.

Come join our friendly pronunciation group led by a certified accent coach. Have fun learning how to get your point across using Standard American English. This class is intended for beginner and intermediate language learners. Registration is underway. **NENR599** 

#### **Quick Reads**



#### Tuesday, January 28, 7:00 p.m.

This informal reading group is designed for intermediate English language learners and for those who would like to improve 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. **NENR600** 

#### **Everyday Spanish**



Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11, 18, 25, 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 and is open to both newcomers and experienced speakers. Registration is underway. **NENR598** 

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# **FOR TEENS**

# Registration for the following <u>Teen Programs</u> begins January 3.

#### **LEGO Club: Speed Champions Race Car**

#### (N) Friday, January 10, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Build a race car-themed LEGO set with your fellow brick builders. NENY654

#### 2025 New Sticker Album

#### (N) Saturday, January 11, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Celebrate National Sticker Day (January 13) by starting a new 2025 album using different types of fun stickers. **NENY655** 

#### **Wallace & Gromit Clay Workshop**

#### (EN) Friday, January 17, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Make Gromit out of air-dry clay in this hands-on clay modeling class. **NENY656** 

#### **Star Night Light**

#### (N) Saturday, January 25, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Paint and add twinkle lights to a wooden star cutout and a small easel on which to display your star.

NENY657

# 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 31.* 

#### **Chinese New Year Snake**

Paint a wooden snake in honor of Chinese New Year 2025. **NENY658** 

#### **Custom Rubber Ducky**

Celebrate National Rubber Ducky Day (January 13) by turning a rubber ducky into modern art. **NENY659** 



#### Registration for the following <u>Teen Volunteer Opportunities</u> begins January 3. Open to students in grades 7–12.

All volunteer items are to be picked up from the Northport Teen Center by January 17 and returned by January 31 to earn community service credit. You may choose a maximum of **two** volunteer opportunities in addition to Teen Advisory Board.

#### **Chess Club Volunteers**

#### (N) Thursday, January 9, 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. **NENY663** 

#### **Pokémon Science Volunteers**

#### (N) Wednesday, January 15, 3:45-5:15 p.m.

Distribute materials as children learn science using their favorite Pokémon. **NENY664** 

#### **Anything Goes LEGOs Volunteers**

#### (EN) Friday, January 17, 3:45-5:00 p.m.

Assist children with LEGO projects. NENY665

#### **Wooden Heart Volunteers**

Using paint, decorate a wooden heart for a local senior center for Valentine's Day and earn 1.5 hours of community service credit. **NENY660** 

#### **Felt Heart Volunteers**

Stitch hearts for a local senior center and earn 1.5 hours of community service credit. **NENY661** 



#### **Birthday Cards for Older Adults Volunteers**

Create birthday cards for older adults for DOROT, a New York City-based organization that mails cards to older adults to alleviate social isolation. Complete four cards and earn one hour of community service credit (maximum of eight cards). Directions will be emailed after registration. **NENY662** 



#### **Teen Advisory Board: Seed Library Preparation**

(EN) Tuesday, January 21, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Help us divide and organize seeds and fill and label packets for our Seed Library this spring. **NENY666** 



#### 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 13, 27, February 3, 10:00 a.m. NENJ224 or 11:00 a.m. NENJ225 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 14, 21, 28, 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.) NENJ226

#### **Mother Goose Rhyme Time**

(N) Wednesdays, January 15, 22, February 5, 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.)
NENJ227

#### **Moms' Group**

(EN) Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23, 30, February 6, 13, 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 begins January 2. **NENJ228** 

#### 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

#### **Block Party!**

#### (N) Wednesday, January 8, 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) Wednesday, January 8, 7:00 p.m.

Children birth–5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Shake all your sillies out before bed in this evening family storytime. (30 min.) No registration required.

#### **Books a Poppin'**

(N & EN) Fridays, January 10, 17, 24, 31, 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.

#### The Bookmark Spot

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



# 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 Monday, February 3. Winners will be announced in the April Newsletter.



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 Families

#### Meet the Author: It's Chinese New Year, Curious George!

(N) Wednesday, January 29, 10:30 a.m.



Families with children 4 years and up

In this engaging and interactive program featuring a reading of the book and a craft, author Maria Wen Adcock will teach children about Chinese culture through the fun adventures of

Curious George. (60 min.) Registration begins January 2. NENJ229

### For School-Age Children

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

#### **MineCraft: Winter Sports**

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

Children in grades 3-6

Get creative and design your own winter sport. Construct a charming winter village to serve as the backdrop for your sporting events. After building your sport, create accommodations for players, then hit the ice for a thrilling game of hockey. (90 min.) NENJ230

#### **Chess Club**

(N) Thursday, January 9, 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.

#### Put in a Good Word

(N) Tuesday, January 14, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades 1-3

Wordless picture books have long been a favorite for young readers everywhere. Join us as we use our imaginations, flex our creative muscles, and give some wonderful illustrated tales words of our own. (45 min.) NENJ231

#### **Pokémon Science**

(N) Wednesday, January 15, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades 2-5

Children will have fun learning scientific concepts by exploring the unique characteristics and abilities of their favorite Pokémon. (60 min.) NENJ232

#### **Anything Goes LEGOs**



(EN) Friday, January 17, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades 1-5

Use the library's LEGOs to build your own creation that will go on display in the Children's Room. (45 min.) No registration required.

#### **Paws to Read**

(N) Tuesday, January 21,

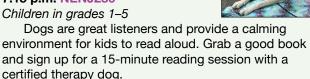
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7:15 p.m. NENJ236

Children in grades 1-5



#### Adventures in Art: Clay, Hooray!

(N) Wednesday, January 22, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades K-5

Explore famous clay art from around the world, including sculptures featuring the animals of the Chinese zodiac. Then have fun making your own clay creation. (60 min.) NENJ237

#### **After School Stories**

(N) Tuesday, January 28, 4:00 p.m.

Children in grades K-2

This storytime and craft program introduces schoolage children to a wide variety of literature including fantasy, humor, fables, and more. (45 min.) NENJ238

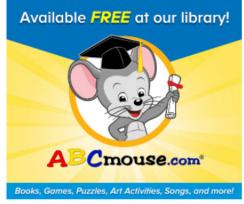
#### Graphic Novel Club: Super Boba Café

(N) Thursday, January 30, 7:00 p.m.

Children in grades 3-6

In the hills of San Francisco sits a sleepy independent boba café. Run by Jing Li and her granddaughter, Aria, it comfortably fades into the background. But inside the boba café, there is a secret. After registering

for the program, stop by the Northport Children's Room to check out a copy of the book. (60 min.) NENJ239



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Wednesday, January 15, 5:00 p.m. Quiet Study Room at East Northport All are welcome!

#### Free Federal and State 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, or in other situations where volunteers have not been trained. Tax-Aide volunteers cannot prepare returns if there was a sale of cryptocurrency or digital assets during the year, or if you were not a full-time resident of New York State for the entire year.

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.) 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 <u>January 8</u>. 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 5,

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