FOR ADULTS

"NAC's Wednesday" presents Jazz Pianist Ranny Reeve

(N) Wednesday, August 17, 7:30 p.m.

The Northport Arts Coalition, in partnership with the Library, presents an evening of jazz standards, original pieces, and improvisations performed by jazz pianist Ranny Reeve, Paul Mitchell on bass, and guest artists. Free tickets for this performance are available beginning August 1 at both library buildings.

Planets & Life Beyond Our Solar System

(N) Thursday, August 4, 7:30 p.m.

With the recent discovery of extra solar planets and continuing research into amino acids, the building blocks of life, scientists now believe that one day we may discover life beyond our solar system. In this lecture presented by The Science Club of Long Island, Dr. Steve Lawrence from Hofstra University's Astronomy Department will discuss the exciting possibility of life on other planets. All are welcome.

Defensive Driving

(N) Monday, August 22 & Wednesday, August 24, 7:00-10:00 p.m. Fee: \$35

Applications for this point/insurance reduction safety course are available August 1 in either library building.



non-refundable)

Book-A-Trip **North Fork** Designer Showhouse

& Pindar Winery Tuesday, October 25, 2005

Departure: 9:30 a.m. from the Laurel Ave. School parking lot (across from Northport Library)

Return: 6:00 p.m. Cost: \$75 per person (checks only; payable to Northport-East Northport Public Library;

this restored Victorian home.

Itinerary: We begin the day with a tour and tasting a Pindar Winery in Peconic. Following lunch at the Soundview Inn, we will visit the 2005 Designer Showhouse set in the 1860s Jamesport mansion of Captain Jedediah Hawkins, Twenty prominent designers and landscape architects have decorated

Ticket sale: Saturday, August 20, 10:00 a.m. at Northport Library. Ticket limit: 2 per library patron on the first day of sale. Library card required.

Internet User Group

(N) Wednesday, August 3, 7:30 p.m. Learn how to do advanced

searches using the Internet Explorer, Firefox, and Opera browsers. All are welcome.

Computer Second Grade

(N) Thursday, August 11, 10:00 a.m.-12 noon Register August 1 at Northport Library.

Learn how to create spreadsheets and workbooks input and edit data, use formulas and functions, and work with columns and rows. There is a non-refundable \$5 fee, payable at registration.

Computer Third Grade

(EN) Tuesday, August 16, 7:00-9:00 p.m. Register August 2 at East Northport Library.

This workshop covers multi-tasking, working with graphics, and using drawing and painting tools. There is a non-refundable \$5 fee payable at registration.

AARP Driver Safety Program

(N) Monday August 29 & Tuesday, August 30. 6:30-10:30 p.m.

Register August 6 at Northport Library. (N) Monday, September 12, 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Register August 27 at Northport Library. AARP's program is a refresher course designed especially for motorists age 50 and older. There is a \$10 fee payable to AARP by check or money order at

registration. A Library card is required for registration.



Short Stories: Long on Enjoyment!

(N) Wednesday, September 21, 7:30 p.m.

Have you ever read a short story? Are you aware of how it differs from a novel? The short story is a genre in its own right and possesses its own unique characteristics. Join Reference Librarian Deborah Formosa in a discussion of the short story, and discover the allure of this distinctive writing format. All are welcome.

FOR ADULTS

GALLERY EXHIBIT

Northport Gallery:

"Monsters, Magic & Mayhem" Fantasy & Adventure Illustration by Jeff A. Menges

The work of Northport resident Jeff A. Menges has appeared in print for 20 years. His illustrations feature imaginative and adventurous themes from books, games, and the recesses of his own mind.

A 1987 Graduate of Parsons School of Design. Mr. Menges' career has meandered through art direction, design work, and editing—but illustration remains a constant. His clients have included such companies as TSR (Dungeons and Dragons) and Wizards of the Coast (Magic; The Gathering), and many other companies in the game industry. Having done work on role-playing games, collectible card games, and traditional board games, Mr. Menges created his first book cover for Dover Publications, where he currently works as a cover designer. In that position he has illustrated covers for R. L. Stevenson, Poe, Burroughs, and others. Many of these will be displayed in this show.

Mr. Menges has also had work published in the form of stickers, temporary tattoos, and in coloring books. He is very active with Dover in republishing works of Golden Age illustrators and Victorian painters. The month of August will mark the beginning of his next pursuit—an MA in Illustration from the Fashion Institute of Technology.

Art Talk

(N) Tuesday, August 9, 7:30 p.m.

Join illustrator Jeff Menges in the Northport Library Gallery. Refreshments will be served.



(N) Friday, August 5, 1:30 p.m.

Will Smith and Kevin James star in this hilarious comedy about New York City's greatest matchmaker. Rated PG-13. 118 min.

"Miss Congeniality 2"

(N) Friday, August 19, 1:30 p.m.

In this hilarious sequel to "Miss Congeniality," Federal Agent Gracie Hart (Sandra Bullock) goes undercover in Las Vegas to rescue the Miss United States Pageant winner. Rated PG-13. 115 min.



at the Library

Today's complex business environment demands superior skills and access to the latest information. The Library can help give you a competitive edge.

Our extensive print and online business resources cover a range of topics relevant to industry projections, company analyses, market performance, and investment discussions.

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Keep up with the news of business. Read about market makers and market matters in the business news. The Library receives the current editions of Investor's Business Daily, The Wall Street Journal, and the Financial Times.

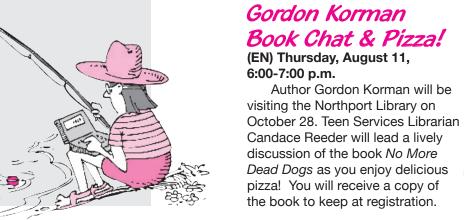
Every Way

Business magazines, newsletters, reference books, and in-library databases merge at the Library. Online indexes to articles allow you to pinpoint a particular passage, conduct in-depth research, track trends, and prepare business plans. The Library subscribes to print and online data from a variety of publishers that you can depend upon. Value Line, Morningstar, Mergent, Standard & Poors, Dun and Bradstreet, and Weis Publications can all be found in the business collection. Check out the magazine shelf for current and past copies of Business Week, The Economist, Harvard Business Review, Advertising Age, Survey of Current Business and more. **Working Overtime**

Access the Library's Virtual Reference Collection from computers in the library or 24/7 from your home computer. Check out the "business" category for comprehensive, online information on companies, industries, and market trends. The Business and Company Resource Center includes company histories and industry projections.

Need some navigational assistance? Contact the "Live Librarian," a Reference Librarian who is on duty Monday through Thursday, 3 p.m.-11 p.m. Workout! Visit your Library today, in person or at

www.nenpl.org.





Come alone or with a friend and learn the basics of hair braiding with Jill W. from Cactus Salon. Please bring your own brush and comb.

Study Smarts

Teen Summer Reading Club

Our Summer Reading Club for Teens entering grades 6-12

This summer you can Tune In @ Your Library and attend great

a brief Read and Rate Slip, and start collecting your

7:15-8:15 pm.

Registration for the following programs is now

Beaded Anklet Workshop

(EN) Thursday, August 4, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

(EN) Monday, August 8, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

display your treasures or to give as a gift.

payable at registration.

underway. Your Library card is required at registration

Jewelry maker Jill Bullwinkle will assist you in

creating a sterling silver anklet using beautiful beads

and crystals. There is a non-refundable \$8 materials fee

"Tray" Chic—Mosaic Workshop

Join Teen Services Librarian Erin Cressy as she

helps you decorate a wooden tray with colored paper to

create a one-of-a-kind mosaic design. Use your tray to

programs, find interesting books, and win fantastic prizes. Earn one

"Book Buck" for every book that you read. Come to the Reference

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Fill Your Summer with

Music and Reading!

For students entering grades 6-12 (EN) Tuesday and Wednesday, August 23 & 24, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

An experienced classroom teacher will prepare you to take notes, read for detail, and study for tests. Let this two-part program help you greet the school year with confidence.



Preparation Workshop

(EN) Thursdays, September 15, 22, 29, & October 6, 6:15-8:45 p.m.

High school students will prepare for the PSAT/SAT exams with teachers Barbara White and Donald Loeffler. Both math and verbal skills will be reviewed to reflect the changes in the newly formatted exams. When you register bring your Library card and a non-refundable check for \$100 payable to the Northport-East Northport Public Library. The fee includes McGraw-Hill's SAT I Review Book. Registration begins August 25 at the East Northport Public Library.

Teen Volunteer Opportunities:

Board Game Bonanza II

(N) Wednesday, August 3, 3:15-4:45 p.m. Earn credit while you teach children to play

board games. Registration is now underway at the East Northport Library.

Reading Buddies

(N) Wednesday, August 17, 3:15-4:15 p.m.

Read to a child or listen as a child practices reading to you. Registration is underway at the East Northport Library.

FOR CHILDREN

Monday-Friday

June 20-August 5

10 a.m.-8 p.m.

animals. (60 min.)

Paiama Movie Time

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

(N) Wednesday, August 17, 3:30 p.m.

(EN) Thursday, August 18, 2:00 p.m.

(N) Thursday, August 18, 7:00 p.m.

Adventures in Rhythm

(Rated G) (88 min.)

Children ages 4-8

Book Buddies

Magic Workshop

Children entering grade 5

magician. (45 min.)

(45 min.)

All are welcome; suggested for ages 4 and up

(N) Monday, August 15, 2:00 p.m.

How To Choose the Right Pet

Kids will get to meet interesting reptiles,

Pet describe the care involved in owning these

Come in your PJs and watch The Country Bears,

Teen volunteers will read specially selected books

with your child one-on-one or in small groups. (45 min.)

Learn to perform amazing tricks from Children's

Librarian James Plath, who is also an accomplished

March to a Different Drum

Children ages 3-6 with adult; siblings welcome

Music educator Dara Linthwaite leads the

march for an evening of musical family fun. (45 min.

Children birth-42 months with adult; siblings welcome

Join early childhood educator Cathy Robinson for a

morning full of music and hands-on rhythm instruments.

(N) Friday, August 19, 10:00 a.m. or 11:00 a.m.

Disney's live-action musical comedy based on the

Disney World attraction The Country Bears Jamboree

rodents, and birds as pet experts from Peticular

Children entering grades K-6; adults & siblings welcome

June 25-August 6

10 a.m-4 p.m.

Reading Be sure to fill out and re Be sure to fill out and return your Summer Reading Club clocks by Saturday, August 6. Complete the Reading Club to receive prizes, stickers, a certificate, and tickets to

Registration for the following programs begins Monday, August 1 at the Northport Library. Limit of one program per child on the first day of registration. Your Library card is required at registration.

Magic Workshop Children entering grade 4

(EN) Thursday, August 11, 2:00 p.m.

Children's Librarian and professional magician James Plath teaches kids amazing tricks they can perform themselves. (60 min.)

Books Alive

Children ages 2-5 with adult; siblings welcome (N) Friday, August 12, 10:00 a.m. or 11:00 a.m.

Professional musician Lee Knight makes books come alive through original and traditional songs. (45 min.)

Jazz Collage

Children entering grades 2-5 (EN) Saturday, August 13, 10:00 a.m.

Art Educator Elissa Theiss will help kids create their own masterpiece in the style of celebrated collage artist and jazz enthusiast Romare Bearden. (60 min.)

Mother Goose

Children birth-12 months with adult, no siblings (EN) Monday, August 15, 10:00 a.m

Children's Librarian Louise Limbacher will engage you and your child with stories, songs, and rhymes. (30 min.)

A note about program attendance: Our goal is to maximize attendance and thereby offer as many children as possible the opportunity to enjoy library programs. To that end:

- Please notify us if you will not be able to attend a program
- Plan to arrive ten minutes before the beginning of a program If you have not arrived by the start time of a program, your child's place will be given to someone on the waiting list
- If you call to tell us that you will be late, your place will be held

The Newberv Medal Club (N) Thursday,

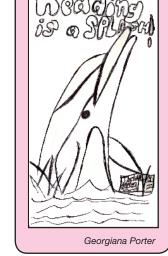
August 25, 7:00 p.m. Children in grade 3 and up; adults welcome Join Mrs. Gebel, Head of our Youth

Services Department, at the Newbery Medal Club which will meet once a month throughout the year to discuss new books. You will be among the first to read the new books of 2005.

and pick up August's ookmark by Georgiana Porter. A reading list, ompiled by our Children's Librarians is on the back.

Bookmark Spot

Stop by the Library



11:00 a.m.

SCIENCE

FIRE AND ICE

Monday, August 8, Tuesday, August 9 3:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, August 10, 7:00 p.m.

All shows held at the Northport Library (60 min.)

Witness the amazing properties of fire, then cool off with the "Big Burp," the "Screwdriver Sizzle," and the famous "Mad Science Bath"

as you explore the science behind frozen gas. This entertaining and interactive show makes

science a blast for kids of all ages!

Stuart Goldblatt
East Northport
What are you reading?
Strange Affair
by Peter Robinson

How did you pick this book?
It was recommended by Jane, my wife.

What will you read next?

Are you enjoying it? Very much. What's the last book you read:

What will you read next?

Checked It Out at the Library!

I Checked It Out at the Library!

What are you reading? Other readers want to Share the books you've been enjoying lately

with the rest of the community in our Library newsletter's new feature. We will be printing photos of readers—adults, teens, and children—and what they are currently reading.

If you wish to participate please fill out the brief form below or pick up a form at the Library. Examples of readers who have already contributed are on the front of this newsletter.

___ East Northport ___ Northport Resident of

What are you reading? (title & author)

How did you pick this book?

Are you enjoying it?

What's the last book you read?

What will you read next?

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(Signature of parent/guardian if under 18 years of age)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Registration begins at Northport for Children's Summer Programs which take place August 11-19 Tickets available for Jazz Pianist Ranny Reeve on 8/17 Applications available for Defensive Driving on 8/22 & 8/24 Registration begins at Northport for Computer Second Grade on 8/11 *Open for Discussion: Parent/Child Book Group (N) 7:30 pm	Registration begins at East Northport for Computer Third Grade on 8/16 *Mother Goose (N) 10 am *Bug Box (EN) 3 pm Pajama Storytime (EN) 7 pm	Blood Pressure Check (N) 9:30-10:30 am (EN) 11 am-12 noon *I Love Trains Storycraft (EN) 10 am & 11:30 pm *Teen Volunteer Opportunity: Board Game Bonanza II (N) 3:15 pm *Board Game Bonanza (N) 3:30 pm *Contract Bridge for Beginners (EN) 7 pm Internet User Group (N) 7:30 pm	*The Dog (and Cat) Days of Summer (N) 10 am & 11 am *Scrapbooking (EN) 3 pm *Beaded Anklet Workshop for Teens (EN) 7 pm Planets and Life Beyond Our Solar System (N) 7:30 pm	*Adventures in Rhythm (N) 10 am & 11 am Movie: Hitch (N) 1:30 pm *Beneath the Sea (EN) 4 pm	Registration begins at Northport for AARP Driver Safety Program on 8/29 & 8/30 *Classical Cradle (N) 10 am & 11:30 an Summer Reading Club Ends
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Library Closed	*Summer Reading Club Show: Mad Science—Fire & Ice (N) 3 pm & 7 pm *"Tray" Chic—Mosaic Workshop for Teens (EN) 4 pm	*Summer Reading Club Show: Mad Science—Fire & Ice (N) 11 am Art Talk with Jeff A. Menges (N) 7:30 pm	*Contract Bridge for Beginners (EN) 7 pm *Summer Reading Club Show: Mad Science—Fire & Ice (N) 7 pm	*Computer Second Grade (N) 10 am *Magic Workshop (EN) 2 pm *Gordon Korman Book Chat & Pizza for Teens (EN) 6 pm Teen "Book Buck" Prizes available (EN) 7:15-8:15 pm	*Books Alive (N) 10 am & 11 am	*Jazz Collage (EN) 10 am
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Library Closed	*Mother Goose (EN) 10 am *How to Choose the Right Pet (N) 2 pm *Hair Braiding Workshop for Teens (EN) 3:30 pm	Library Board of Trustees Meeting (N) Pajama Movie Time (N) 7 pm *Computer Third Grade (EN) 7 pm	*Teen Volunteer Opportunity: Reading Buddies (N) 3:15 pm *Book Buddies (N) 3:30 pm *Contract Bridge for Beginners (EN) 7 pm *"NAC's Wednesday" presents The Ranny Reeve Quartet (N) 7:30 pm	*Magic Workshop (EN) 2 pm *March to a Different Drum (N) 7 pm	*Adventures in Rhythm (N) 10 am & 11 am Movie: Miss Congeniality 2 (N) 1:30 pm	Ticket sale begins 10 am at Northport for Book-A-Trip to North Fork Designer Showhouse & Pindar Winery on 10/25
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Library Closed		*Book-A-Trip to Connecticut River Cruise departs 8 am *Study Smarts for Teens (EN) 4 pm	*Study Smarts for Teens (EN) 4 pm *Contract Bridge for Beginners (EN) 7 pm	Registration begins at East Northport Library for PSAT/SAT Preparation Workshop beginning 9/15		Registration begins at Northport for AARP Driver Safety Program on 9/12
	*Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm	Otady Smarts for feetis (EN) 4 pm	*Defensive Driving (N) 7 pm	Newbery Medal Club (N) 7 pm		
28 Library Closed	*AARP Driver Safety Program (N) 6:30 pm	*AARP Driver Safety Program (N) 6:30 pm	31	Registration for the fall sessions of Preschoolers' Door To Learning will be held on Saturday, September 10, 9:00 a.m. in the Community Room of the Northport Library. A program schedule will be available at the end of August.		

N = Northport Library EN = East Northport Library Italic type indicates Children's Programs.

*Pre-registration or tickets required for this program. Occupancy of our meeting room is limited. Enrollment in our programs is limited, with preference given to library card holders.

The Northport-East Northport Public Library encourages all patrons to participate in programs and activities. If you require any special accommodations because of a disability, - 7 - please let us know.

Audiobooks for the Whole Family: Let Someone Else Do the Reading

A road trip or a relaxing day at the beach are often enhanced by a good book that someone else reads to you! Although most of these audiobooks are found in the Teen and Children's Rooms they are great family reads and have sometimes been found coming out of the earphones of an adult.

Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day by Judith Viorst

The Hidden Grail: Because of Winn-Dixie Sir Percival and the by Kate DiCamillo Fisher King

by Odds Bodkin The Blossom Tree: Tales from the Far East Hoot by Odds Bodkin by Carl Hiaasen

The Evergreens: Gentle Tales of Nature by Odds Bodkin

by Linda Sue Park

by Sharon Creech

by Lloyd Alexander

Gypsy Rizka

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by Sterling North Stuart Little

Jacob Have I Loved by Katherine Paterson

Little House in the Big by Laura Ingalls Wilder

A Long Way from Chicago by Richard Peck

Love that Dog by Sharon Creech

by Roald Dahl

Harry Potter and the

Sorcerer's Stone

by J.K. Rowling

My Father's Dragon by Ruth Stiles Gannett

Rascal

by E.B. White

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We hope you enjoy "reading" your audiobooks. If you have a problem with the cassette or disc that you are listening to, please let our Library staff know when you return the item. Sometimes tapes can get stuck or sound garbled, and discs

that are scratched can freeze or skip. The Library would like to repair or replace these items so that the next listener can enjoy them as much as you have. Please help by letting us know.

Tuck Everlasting

by Natalie Babbitt

by Tomie De Paola

The Wizard of Oz

by L. Frank Baum

26 Fairmount Avenue

And please remember—audiobook cases can melt in extreme heat, so be careful not to leave them in the sun or in a parked car. Also, keep in mind that the Library's SelfCheck machines damage audiobooks.

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What are you reading?

Are you enjoying it?

Italy. Very good.

Suggestions?

How did you pick this book?

It was recommended by Jane,

What's the last book you read:

Since I was leaving for a visit to

Dibdin, the locale of which is

What will you read next?

Italy, I chose Vendetta by Michael

East Northport

Strange Affair

my wife.

Very much.

by Peter Robinson

Be Here

Your Name

What are you reading?

Emma by Jane Austen How did you pick this book?

Are you enjoying it?

What will you read next?

Are you enjoying it? I am enjoying it a lot . . . I really like her style of writing. What's the last book you read?

What's the last book you read? Pride and Prejudice.

What will you read next? An American Childhood by Annie Dillard and also the next Harry Potter book.

Darla Rose Gutierrez

What are you reading?

How did you pick this book?

I recently read Pride and Preju-

dice. I enjoyed it very much and

wanted to read more of Austen's

Northport

What Have You Checked Out Lately?

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