FOR ADULTS

William Starkweather: Artist, Author
The Bookmark
March 1, 10:30 a.m.
In this session, Northport artist and author William Starkweather will share his work in paintings, drawings, and books, and his research into the art of William de Bra an der (1866-1932) a German painter known for his impressionistic landscapes. William Starkweather was born in 1945 in Northport, NY. He is a prolific painter and artist, who has exhibited his work at the Grange Hall Gallery in Northport, and is a member of the Northport Arts Coalition. (N)

How to Read Food Labels
Prevent Chronic Disease Mini Series at the Library
March 4, 10:00 a.m.

AARP Driver Safety Program
March 9, 9:30 a.m.
This program will provide an overview of the AARP Driver Safety Program, which is available in various locations. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. No registration required, however space is limited. Preference is given to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders for Adult and Teen programs. Registration for Children’s Programs is limited to Northport-East Northport Public Library cardholders. *Pre-registration or tickets required for this program.

FOR CHILDREN

Preschool Storytime
(N) Wednesdays, March 9, 16, 23, 30, 4:00 p.m.
Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. No registration required. Adults and siblings welcome.

Short Story Central
(EN) Thursdays, March 10, 17, 24, 31, 4:00 p.m.
Short stories will be shared and children will participate in a related hands-on activity. (45 min.) Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. Adults and siblings welcome. 

Crayons, Scissors, and Glue, On, On
(N) Friday, March 11, 1:30 p.m.
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GALLERIES EXHIBITS

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Story Parade
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### Getting into the Adults are Welcome. (NENY198)

#### College and Find Themselves

- Teens and counselor helps seven kids find the right acceptance: a legendary guidance

#### Wi-Fi

- How libraries stack up
- Americans turn to libraries when searching for DVD rentals at outlets and spend over $22 million in a general, school, or library election, 99,789 people in the community asked by adults for free Wi-Fi.
- 9,999 requests for information were made in a month.
- 11,829 people in the community have a library card and spend over $22 million in a general, school, or library election.
- 121,441 computers were available to the public at libraries.

#### How Libraries Stack Up

- **12,000**
  - Books
  - Magazines
  - Audio Books

- **11,000**
  - Audio CDs
  - Video CDs

- **1,300**
  - Teen/Adult Programs

- **3,000**
  - Special Collections

#### About the Northport-East Northport Public Library

- **146,660**
  - Reference questions answered by adults

- **158,650**
  - Items were interlibrary loan

#### How to Read Food Labels

- **98%**
  -Americans turn to libraries when searching

#### The Library is an Integral Economic Engine of the Community

- **1.3 billion**
  - U.S. sporting events

- **2.2 million**
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- **12,000**
  - Libraries offering free Wi-Fi.

#### Total Fines & Fees

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### Library's Applications

- **9,320,300**
  - Library's applications for free Wi-Fi.

### Library's Buildings

- **15,000**
  - Library's buildings.