The following outdoor concerts do not require registration. In the event of inclement weather, the performance will be held in the Community Room. (Those showing a NENPL card will be seated first.)

All outdoor concerts are held at the Northport Library

**Northport Arts Coalition presents Sabori—The Salsa & Latin Jazz Band**

*Wednesday, July 11, 7:30 p.m.*

Sabori—The Salsa & Latin Jazz Band plays the music of Latin giants such as Tito Puente, Johnny Pacheco, Willie Colon, and many others. Their spicy blend of salsa and Latin Jazz, fueled by a fiery rhythm section, brings back the great Latin sounds of the 1970s.

**The New Vintage Orchestra**

*Tuesday, July 24, 7:30 p.m.*

The New Vintage Orchestra reproduces 1930s and '40s sounds using original arrangements from Benny Goodman, Glenn Miller, and Harry James, and with special arrangements written by Brian Lewis. They also play the hits of Cherry Poppin’ Daddies, The Brian Setzer Orchestra, and Big Bad Voodoo Daddy.

**The Little Wilson Band**

*Tuesday, July 17, 7:30 p.m.*

The Little Wilson Band has been entertaining audiences in the Long Island area for almost 40 years. Their authentic approach to the rhythm and blues music of the 1940s through the 1970s is guaranteed to bring a smile to your face and a skip to your step.

**Mary Lamont Band**

*Tuesday, July 31, 7:30 p.m.*

Newsday called Canadian-born Mary Lamont the “Queen of Long Island Country!” The band will perform traditional country selections as well as upbeat original songs.

Join us for more great music programs in July:

**Ramblin’ Dan Jam**

*(N) Monday, July 16, 10:30 a.m.*

Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome. See page 7 for details.

**The Making of Yankee Doodle Dandy**

*(N) Saturday, July 21, 2:00 p.m.*

For adults. Open to all. See page 2 for details.

**Teen Acoustic Open Mic**

*(N) Friday, July 27, 7:00 p.m.*

For teens entering grades 9-12. See back cover for details.
**FOR ADULTS**

**On-Your-Own Train Trip to New York City**

Saturday, July 21, 9:18 a.m., departure from Northport Station. Round trip: $12 per person

Take in the sights and sounds of New York City with reduced-rate group tickets on the Long Island Rail Road. You will meet a Library staff member at the station house at 8:55 a.m. (transfer at Huntington). Your return ticket is good on any Northport-bound train that leaves Penn Station before midnight. Register in person at either building beginning July 2. Tickets are limited. A nonrefundable $12 fee (cash or check payable to The Friends of the Library) is due at the time of registration. (NENA753)

**Gardening in a Warming World**

(EN) July 11, 2:00 p.m.

Master gardeners from the Cornell Cooperative Extension will teach you how to adapt your garden to our changing climate conditions. Learn how to integrate new plant varieties into your landscape and pursue sustainable gardening practices that help the environment and keep more resources in your yard.

**The High Line: New York’s Park in the Sky**

(Saturday, July 14, 2:00 p.m.)

Architectural historian and preservationist Jane Cowan will discuss the history of the High Line, including the abandonment of the original property and its subsequent rediscovery and redevelopment. Learn the inspirational story of how a grassroots effort turned this piece of industrial archaeology into one of New York City’s most beloved parks.

**Film and Discussion: Obit. Life on Deadline**

(N) Monday, July 9, 10:00 a.m.

What makes a life newsworthy? Who decides? Where does information come from, often on short notice? These questions and more are addressed in the acclaimed 2017 documentary about reporters, editors, and researchers who tell the life stories of the recently departed in the news.

**Emergency Preparedness Program**

(EN) Tuesday, July 17, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Representatives from the New York Army National Guard will provide information on how to prepare for large scale man-made or natural disasters in our area. Topics will include developing a family emergency plan, stocking up on supplies, preparing the home for evacuation, and recovering from an event.

**Medicare Counseling**

(EN) Wednesday, July 25, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, or 11:30 a.m. NENA752

(N) Tuesday, July 17, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, or 11:00 a.m. NENA753

A volunteer from the Health Insurance Information, Counseling, and Assistance Program (HICAP) will answer questions about Medicare and supplementary insurance. Registration begins July 2.

**In the Northport Gallery:**

Still Life Is Still Alive!

Traditional oil paintings on canvas by Robert Mehlung.

Art Talk: Friday, July 6, 7-9 p.m.

Novel Ideas, Page Turners, Short Story Central, and Truth Be Told: These book groups meet up in the fall.

**Top 10 Things to Consider for Yourself or an Aging Loved One**

(N) Wednesday, July 11, 11:00 a.m.

This interactive program presented by Gurwin Family of Healthcare Services reviews the many challenges and changes we face as we age and offers suggestions on guidance and navigation. If you are caring for an aging spouse, loved one, friend, or neighbor, you will benefit from this informative program.

**Siamese Mah Jongg**

(N) Thursday, July 12, 10:00 a.m.

Join instructor Jacqui Palatnik and learn a brand new game—Siamese Mah Jongg! This two-handed version of Mah Jongg is stimulating, challenging, and lots of fun. Singles are welcome, or sign up with a partner. If you have your own Mah Jongg set, please bring it with you. Basic knowledge of Mah Jongg is required. Registration begins July 2. (NENA754)

**Summertime Savvy:** Healthy Summer Entertaining

(N) Wednesday, July 18, 11:00 a.m.

Certified health coach Lisa Zimmermann will describe ways to grill and what dishes to bring on picnics and to the beach. Find out about the best seasonal vegetables and fruits and how to prepare scrumptious salads and dressings. Learn about using sassy water and delicious smoothies to quench your thirst. Recipes will be available to take home.

**The Making of Yankee Doodle Dandy**

(N) Saturday, July 21, 2:00 p.m.

Come enjoy a red, white, and blue celebration! Relive the fascinating backstory of James Cagney’s award-winning portrayal of George M. Cohan in the 1942 beloved musical Yankee Doodle Dandy. Lecturer Salt St. George will show selected clips and discuss the movie that won Oscars in several categories including Best Actor and Best Musical Score.

**Lessons from the Vietnam War**

(N) Tuesday, July 24, 1:30 p.m.

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the Tet Offensive, a military operation that played a vital part in weakening U.S. public support for the Vietnam War. Join historian Martin H. Levinson to discuss that event and the impact that the war in Vietnam had on our nation.

**Open to NEPL cardholders 18 or older**

**How do I participate?**

- Read a book in any format—print, eBook, or audiobook.
- Fill out a “Summer Reading Club” form, which includes the title, author, and your brief review of the book.
- Submit the “Summer Reading Club” form at the Reference Desk or online at www.nenpl.org. Each form you submit entitles you to one raffle ticket.
- When the Summer Reading Club ends, a drawing will be held for a Grand Prize.

**Sun Safety:** Voting Yourself from Skin Cancer and Dehydration

(Friday, July 27, 11:00 a.m.)

With the summer months upon us, it is timely to review a few key rules regarding sun safety. This presentation by Northwell Health physician Dr. Penny Stern will take a look at how you can have fun in the sun without increasing the risk for skin cancer. A discussion on proper hydration in the summer and all year round will be included.

**Advanced Microsoft Excel**

(EN) Thursday, August 7, 7:00 p.m.

Learn the basics of this popular spreadsheet program including formulas, functions, macros, charting, and more. Prerequisite: Basic Windows computer knowledge. Registration begins July 5. (NENC256)

**Let’s Talk:** English Conversation

(EN) Tuesdays, July 10, 17, 31, August 7, 14, 21, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Meet new friends and practice your English conversa-
tions in a relaxed and friendly environment. Register-
ation is preferred but drop-ins are welcome. Registration begins July 2. (NENC151)

**Friday Movies**

**The 15:17 to Paris**

(Fridays, July 6 and (EN) July 13, 2:00 p.m.

Rated PG-13. 94 min.

**Gosford Park**

(Fridays, July 20 (EN) and July 27, 2:00 p.m.

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**Introduction to Microsoft Excel**

(EN) Thursday, July 19, 7:00 p.m.

Learn the basics of this popular spreadsheet program including formulas, functions, macros, charting, and more. Prerequisite: Basic Windows computer knowledge. Registration begins July 5. (NENC257)

**Intermediate Microsoft Excel**

(EN) Thursday, July 26, 7:00 p.m.

Learn more about this popular spreadsheet program including formulas, functions, macros, charting, and more. Prerequisite: Introduction to Microsoft Excel or equivalent. Registration begins July 5. (NENC258)

**Introduction to Windows 10**

(EN) Monday, July 9, 7:00 p.m.

This hands-on class provides an understanding of the latest version of Windows and learn how to use the desktop to work with files, folders, applications, and more. Prerequisite: Basic computer knowledge. Registration begins June 25. (NENC259)

**SeniorNet: Cloud Demystified**

(EN) Wednesday, July 18, 2:00 p.m.

Until recently, most programs and files existed solely on your home computer. Cloud computing allows storage and access to files through the Internet. Join us to learn about the Cloud, what it might mean to you, and which companies are offering Cloud services.

**Healthy Summer Entertaining**

(N) Thursday, July 30, 2:00 p.m.

Presenter Louise Celli Bergroth will delight you with a slideshow/lecture on the life and work of painter William Sidney Mount. A Stormy Brook resident, Mount was labeled “absolutely American” in his portrayals of country folk, rural activities, social arrangements, and the powder keg political issues of the 19th century.

**Rock ‘n Roll Staycation: Cool Music Landmarks of New York**

(N) Thursday, August 2, 7:00 p.m.

Film historian and author Clive Young will take you on a visual trip through the rock ‘n roll history of New York and the Tri-State area. Discover where classic album covers by Bob Dylan, Simon and Garfunkel, Neil Young, Beastie Boys, and others were photographed. Where is the lost studio where Bruce Springsteen recorded Born to Run? Get all the answers to these questions and more in this fast-moving program. For teens and adults.

**Defensive Driving**

(N) Tuesday, August 14 & 21, 7:00-10:00 p.m., Fee: $36

Applications are available July 24 at both buildings.

Please note: These courses promote safe driving and help participants to improve their driving skills. Check with your insurance company about the specific insurance and point reduction available to you.

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FOR TEENS

**Libraries Rock!**

June 18-August 4
For students entering grades 6-12
Summer is the time to read whatever you want, learn new skills, and have fun with friends. “Libraries Rock!” is our Teen Summer Reading Club and for each book review submitted you will receive a raffle ticket to put toward one of our 12 prize baskets. All teens will receive a sport bag and earrings upon completion of their first book review, and they may be picked up at the Northport Teen Center or East Northport Adult Reference Desk (while supplies last).

Thank you to the Friends of the Library for generously sponsoring three prize baskets.

**Teen Summer Reading Club**

How do I participate?

- Choose an age-appropriate book to read.
- Obtain a “Read, Rate, and Raffle Form” in the Teen Centers or at www.nenpl.org/teens.
- For each book you read, you will earn one raffle ticket. Books with more than 250 pages will qualify for two raffle tickets. Make sure to indicate on your “Read, Rate, Raffle Form” which prize basket you would like to be entered in to win.
- A prize board with photos of the raffle baskets will be on display in both Teen Centers. The prize basket drawing will be held at the end of Summer Reading Club and winners will be notified by phone the week of August 5.

**Prize Basket Themes**

- Fashion Re-Do
- Fun in the Sun
- Geek Out! Best in Pop Culture
- Get Creative! DIY Crafts
- Hack It! Invention Kit
- It’s a Great Story
- Let’s Play! Video and Board Games
- Music Lovers
- Silly and Squishy Kit
- Spa/Beauty Package
- Sports and More
- The Great Outdoors

**“Newsies” Field Trip to The John W. Engeman Theater**

(N) Wednesday, August 8, 6:45-8:30 p.m.
Drop off and pick up at the John W. Engeman Theater (250 Main Street, Northport)
Join teens from other area libraries for a discounted performance of the Broadway hit musical Newsies. A Teen Services Librarian will meet the teens and chaperone the event. All those attending must arrange their own transportation to and from the theater. A nonrefundable check for $25 payable to the Northport-East Northport Public Library must be paid within 3 days of registration. This program is limited to teens entering grades 6-12 and space is extremely limited. One ticket per teen with a Northport-East Northport Public Library card may be purchased. Registration begins Monday, July 2 (NENY339).

**Teen Programs Registration 2**

Registration for the following teen summer programs begins Wednesday, July 11.

**Fingerprinting Workshop**

(EN) Monday, July 23, 7:30-9:00 p.m.
Join retired NYC detective John Whipple and explore the world of fingerprint analysis. (NENY340)

**Teen Summer Writing Workshop**

(N) Monday, July 23, 7:30-9:00 p.m.
Are you a creative writer who loves to write, share, and listen to stories? Find your voice and share your talent. (NENY351)

**Zentangle: Guitar**

(EN) Tuesday, July 24, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Design a fabulous Rock ‘n’ Roll Guitar using Zentangle, the art of drawing to relax. (NENY347)

**S’more Sushi**

(EN) Wednesday, July 25, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Be ready to roll all this program! The Baking Coach will provide ingredients for you to roll your own s’more sushi rolls. (NENY342)

**Summer Smoothies 2**

(N) Thursday, July 26, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Use a blender to create a variety of delicious and nutritious smoothies. (NENY343)

**Teen Acoustic Open Mic**

(N) Friday, July 27, 7:00-9:00 p.m.
See back cover for details!

**Teen Volunteer Opportunities Registration 2**

Teen volunteer opportunities are open to students entering grades 7-12. You may choose one volunteer opportunity from July 25-August 16. Registration begins Thursday, July 12.

**Team Challenge Volunteers**

(N) Wednesday, July 25, 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Assist children in mastering an obstacle course. (NENY329)

**Crafty Teens**

(EN) Friday, July 27, 10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Assist children with a musical craft. (NENY330)

**Edible Xylophone Volunteers**

(EN) Wednesday, August 1, 10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Help children create a yummy edible xylophone! (NENY331)

**Chess Club Volunteers**

(N) Thursday, August 2, 6:45-8:00 p.m.
Help children learn to play chess. A basic knowledge of the game is required. (NENY332)

**Crafty Teens 2**

(N) Friday, August 10, 10:45-4:15 p.m.
Help children at a variety of craft stations. (NENY333)

**Candyland Volunteers**

(N) Tuesday, August 14, 10:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.
Assist children as they play a life-size Candyland game. (NENY334)

**Scrapbooking Volunteers**

(EN) Tuesday, August 14, 2:45-5:15 p.m.
Help children create scrapbook pages using their favorite photos. (NENY335)

**Summer Salad for Kids**

(N) Thursday, August 16, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Learn how to make a salad from the garden or your own kitchen! (NENY336)

**S.A.T. Preparation Workshop**

Registration begins August 15 at either library or online. Be sure to check the August newsletter for more information.
Read to Your Baby! Summer Reading Club June 18-August 4 Babies and toddlers birth-2 years Read 30 books with your baby or toddler and record the titles. Bring the completed reading record to a Children’s Librarian at either building to receive a special prize. (NENJ444)

Take Home Crafts
Craft packets to make and enjoy at home will be available at both buildings beginning on the following dates:
- July 2: Red, White & Blew
- July 9: Music in the Air
- July 16: Bug Buzzer
- July 23: Clucking Chicken

Registration for the following programs begins Thursday, June 28.

Sylvie Story and Craft (EN) Monday, July 9, 9:30 a.m. Children 3-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Children and adults will listen to the picture book Sylvie by Jennifer Gordon Sattler before creating their very own colorful collection of flamingos. (45 min.) (NENJ469)

Indoor Field Day (N) Monday, July 9, 3:00 p.m.
Children entering grades K-3
Join us for some fun field day activities including tug-of-war, egg races, and more. Please wear sneakers. (45 min.) (NENJ470)

SMART Board “Win, Lose, or Draw!” (N) Monday, July 9, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 4-6
Try to get your teammates to guess what you draw on the electronic SMART Board in this first and fun game of Pictionary. Prizes will be awarded to the winning team! (60 min.) (NENJ477)

Come Sail Away (N) Tuesday, July 10, 10:00 a.m.
Children 2-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Children will play and learn through stories, music, movement, and fun activities. Create a sailboat craft to take home. (60 min) (NENJ472)

Summer Wind Chimes (EN) Tuesday, July 10, 10:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Create a musical decoration by stringing beads, sequins, and bells onto wire. (60 min.) (NENJ482)

JumpBunch Football Fun (N) Monday, July 2, 10:30 a.m.
Children 2-4 years with adult; siblings welcome
Little ones will love this class filled with age-appropriate football drills. (45 min.) (NENJ468)

The Library Rocks Party (N) Monday, July 2, 4:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Join Chef Rob for some musical games and make a delicious summer parfait. (60 min.) (NENJ465)

Crafty Kids: Dragon Gizmo (EN) Thursday, July 5, 3:00 p.m.
Children 7-9 years
Create your own movable dragon complete with clomping jaws! (45 min.) (NENJ467)

Shake, Rattle, and Read (EN) Friday, July 6, 10:00 a.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Drop in to enjoy some musical games and make a delicious summer parfait. (60 min.) (NENJ468)

The Glow Show (N) Friday, July 6, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Learn about the shark’s amazing super-senses, touch a shark jaw, and create a shark tooth necklace of your own. (60 min.) (NENJ475)

An Evening with Molly Music of Ramblin’ Dan! (EN) Thursday, July 12, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades K-5
Join in to enjoy some music, movement, and fun activities. Create a sailboat craft to take home. (60 min.) (NENJ477)

Book Swap (EN) Friday, July 13, 11:00 a.m.
Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome
Come in to trade books from your home library for swap “purchase” pre-owned books. (60 min.) (NENJ480)

Animals Rock! (N) Friday, July 13, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades K-5 and siblings welcome
Meet and touch a variety of amazing small animals. (60 min.) (NENJ474)

Ramblin’ Dan Jam (N) Monday, July 16, 10:30 a.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Clap, dance, sing, and jam along to the high energy music of Ramblin’ Dan! (45 min.) (NENJ481)

Breakfast for Dessert (N) Monday, July 16, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Create old-fashioned ice cream sandwiches using homemade waffles and toppings. (60 min.) (NENJ485)

Guitar Pastel (EN) Tuesday, July 17, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Children and adults will use oil pastels to create their own still-life masterpiece. (60 min.) (NENJ485)

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Children entering grades 1-5
Have fun reading stories, singing songs, and sharing rhymes and Fingerplays. (30 min.)

The Glow Show (N) Friday, July 6, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Explore the properties of light and discover all the amazing things that glow in the dark. Take home your very own mystery writer. (60 min.) (NENJ468)

A Note About Program Attendance:
Our goals: a maximum attendance and thereby offer as many Northport-East Northport children as possible the opportunity to enjoy Library programs. Please arrive 10 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.
Unregistered children will be admitted, as space permits, in the following order: walk-in, standby, NENPJ, cardholders, and non-district patrons. Please inquire if food allergies are a concern.
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FOR CHILDREN

Registration for the following programs begins Tuesday, July 10

Tots and Toys
(EN) Monday, July 23, 10:30 a.m.
Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome
Enjoy an open-ended play environment as your child explores a variety of play stations. (60 min.)

Imagination Playground
(EN) Monday, July 23, 2:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
See what you can build with giant foam blocks. (60 min.)

Global Tots
(EN) Tuesday, July 24, 10:00 a.m.
Children 2-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Travel to fun, imaginary places in this musical movement program. (45 min.)

Good Night, Gorilla Story and Craft
(EN) Tuesday, July 24, 3:00 p.m.
Children 3-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Children and adults will listen to the picture book Good Night, Gorilla by Peggy Rathmann before creating their own zoo scene. (45 min.)

Team Challenge
(N) Wednesday, July 25, 11:00 a.m.
Children entering grades 2-5
Teams will work together as they try to master a challenging obstacle course. (45 min.)

Magic Workshop
(EN) Wednesday, July 25, 4:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 3-5
A professional magician will unveil the secrets behind many popular magic tricks. (80 min.)

An Evening with Molly Mouse
(N) Wednesday, July 25, 7:00 p.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Enjoy stories, rhymes, and movement activities together in this fun family storyline. (45 min.)

Hop to It!
(N) Thursday, July 26, 11:00 a.m.
Children 3-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
You and your child will hear a great story, make a craft, and pet a live bunny. (45 min.)

Music for the Mind
(EN) Thursday, July 26, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades K-5; adults and siblings welcome
Children will experience music as an outlet for energy and creativity, along with an introduction to the value of mindfulness from music educator Jack Licitra. (60 min.)

Crafty Kids: MandoHarp
(EN) Friday, July 27, 11:00 a.m.
Children 4-6 years; independent
Decorate a handheld instrument that you can actually strum. (45 min.)

The 60-Second Challenge
(N) Friday, July 27, 3:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 2-5
Get only one minute to complete each fun and challenging activity as they try to lead their team to victory in this exciting, fast-paced contest. Please wear sneakers. (60 min.)

Banana Split Kebobs
(N) Monday, July 30, 4:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Hang out with Chef Rob and make a sweet snack with bananas, strawberries, marshmallows, and brownies on a stick—covered in chocolate. Yum! (60 min.)

If You're a Monster and You Know It, Make a Craft!
(N) Tuesday, July 31, 11:00 a.m.
Children 4-6 years; independent
Enjoy stories and use your imagination to create a monster of your own design. (45 min.)

The Buzz about Bees
(EN) Tuesday, July 31, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-3
Touch, smell, and see the different products of a bee hive with bee keeping expert Beira Alexander. View a traveling hive, weather-permitting. (80 min.)

Edible Xylophone
(EN) Wednesday, August 1, 11:00 a.m.
Children 4-6 years; independent
Devour some musical stories and create an edible xylophone out of graham crackers and M&M’s. (45 min.)

Sonic Sounds
(N) Wednesday, August 1, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Discover the science of sound waves and how they are used to create cool special effects. Take home your very own Mad Science talking horn! (60 min.)

Newbbery Club
(N) Wednesday, August 1, 1:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 4 and up
Be the first to read advance copies of new books and participate in informal discussions. New members are always welcome! (60 min.)

Crafty Mouse in the House
(EN) Thursday, August 2, 10:00 a.m.
Children 4-6 years; independent
Siblings welcome
Enjoy this active storyline with plenty of music and fun. (45 min.)

Fool the Eye Ice Cream Cone
(N) Thursday, August 2, 2:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Trick your friends and family with this cool creation that looks like a melting ice cream cone. (60 min.)

Chess Club
(N) Thursday, August 2, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 2-6
Improve your game by playing matches with other kids and teen volunteers and enter a raffle for a chess set made by our 3D printer! (45 min.)

Pajama Storytime: Ukelele Dreams
(F) Friday, August 3, 7:00 p.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Dance, read, and jam in your jammies as a Children’s Librarian plays the ukelele. (30 min.)

Registration for the following programs begins Wednesday, July 25.

FOR CHILDREN

School Supply Donation Drive
Please help kids in need by donating new pencils, crayons, notebooks, and other school supplies. Family Service League donation bins will be available in both library buildings beginning July 2.

Fool the Eye Ice Cream Cone
(N) Thursday, August 2, 2:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Siblings welcome
Enjoy an open-ended play environment as your child explores a variety of toy stations. (60 min.)

Life-Size Candyland
(N) Tuesday, August 14, 11:00 a.m.
Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome
Stop by anytime between 11:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. to experience the classic board game as you never have before!

Paws to Read Meet and Greet
(EN) Wednesday, August 15, 11:00 a.m.
Children 4-10 years with adult; siblings welcome
Stop by anytime between 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. to meet some of our Paws to Read certified therapy dogs.

Family Craft Night: Lighthouse
(N) Wednesday, August 15, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Siblings welcome
Families will use paint, sand, and seashells to build a beautiful cardboard lighthouse. Each family will make one craft. (60 min.)

Summer Salon Day
(N) Thursday, August 16, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Make an appointment to have your fingernails and toenails polished by our teen volunteers. Be sure to wear open-toed shoes. (45 min.)

Shake, Rattle, and Read
(F) Friday, August 17, 10:00 a.m.
Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome
Have fun reading stories, singing songs, and sharing rhymes in this interactive program for families. (30 min.)

Summer Reading Club Finale Show
Tickets to one of these show times are issued to children who have completed the Summer Reading Club requirements.

Steve Petra’s Musical Zoo!!
(N) Monday, August 6, 4:00 p.m.
(N) Tuesday, August 7, 4:00 p.m.
(N) Wednesday, August 8, 7:00 p.m.
(N) Thursday, August 9, 7:00 p.m.
(N) Friday, August 10, 7:00 p.m.
(N) Saturday, August 11, 10:00 a.m.
(N) Sunday, August 12, 11:00 a.m.
Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome
An educator from the Suffolk County Farm will teach kids about the life cycle, anatomy, and habitats of native butterfly species. (60 min.)

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Paint with Me
(N) Wednesday, August 8, 11:00 a.m.
Children 2-4 years with adult; siblings welcome
With the guidance of the Art Nanny, little ones and their caregivers will create a framed watercolor painting to be treasured for years to come. (45 min.)

Cool Confidence Craft
(EN) Wednesday, August 8, 3:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 2-5
Explore all that is great and unique about you while creating a cupcake craft and enjoying a tasty treat. (45 min.)

Crafty Morning
(EN) Thursday, August 9, 11:00 a.m.
Children 4-6 years; independent
Siblings welcome
Listen to stories featuring unicorns and dragons and enjoy a fun craft. (45 min.)

Spoon Family Man Show
(N) Thursday, August 9, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades K-5; adults and siblings welcome
Come get “spooned” during this interactive comedy show that features impressions, a sing-along competition, and a “spoonful of family fun!” (60 min.)

Crayons, Scissors & Glue
(N) Friday, August 10, 3:30 p.m.
Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome
Be creative in a room full of art supplies and craft projects. (60 min.)

Molly Mouse in the House
(EN) Monday, August 13, 10:30 a.m.
Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome
Enjoy an open-ended play environment as your child explores a variety of toy stations. (60 min.)

Tots and Toys
(EN) Monday, August 13, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
An educator from the Suffolk County Farm will teach kids about the life cycle, anatomy, and habitats of native butterfly species. (60 min.)
**From The Friends of the Library**

**Long Island Aquarium Tickets**

The Friends of the Library are offering discount tickets to the Long Island Aquarium in Riverhead. The $20 ticket covers admission to the Aquarium and includes Butterflies, Bugs & Birds. These discounted tickets can be used anytime. Tickets are nonrefundable and can be purchased at the Circulation Desks at both library buildings while supplies last. Please pay by cash or check payable to The Friends of the Library. While supplies last. [NENA745]

**Blood Pressure Check**

Wednesday, July 11
(N) 9:30-10:30 a.m., and
(EN) 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

A nurse from Visiting Nurse Service is available to provide a free blood pressure check.

**Family Service League**

(EN) Tuesday, July 24, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Representatives from Family Service League will be available to answer questions about the programs FSL provides from its various locations across Long Island.

**Discount tickets to the**

**The New York Botanical Garden**

$15.00

Now available for purchase at the Circulation Desks at both library buildings. While supplies last. [NENA740]

**Our giant chess set will be available in the Northport Library Courtyard every Thursday, weather permitting. Giant checkers and giant Connect Four will be making guest appearances throughout the summer.**

**Teen Acoustic Open Mic**

(N) Friday, July 27, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Come and enjoy local talent during our teen open mic night (to be held in the Library Courtyard, weather permitting). If you are entering grades 9-12 and are interested in performing, please contact the Teen Services Department at (631) 261-6930 ext. 358 by July 6. This event is co-sponsored by Youth Directions & Alternatives (YDA), your local community youth agency.

**League of Women Voters**

**Voter Registration**

(EN) Tuesday, August 7, 4:00-6:00 p.m.
(N) Wednesday, August 8, 4:00-6:00 p.m.

The League of Women Voters will be staffing voter registration tables in both buildings. You may register to vote in either location if you are:
1) A citizen of the United States, and
2) At least 18 years old.