**Frankenstein: The Man and the Myth**  
(N) Thursday, November 1, 7:00 p.m.  
A flash of lightning, a shout of “It’s alive!” and a lurch around the laboratory—Frankenstein’s monster has come to life—but author and creator Mary Shelley would not have recognized it. How did this interpretation of the Frankenstein story come to be? Join presenter Gary Lutz and explore the origins and early evolution of Frankenstein’s monster in print, on stage, and in film.

**Recipes for a Spectacular Fall Season**  
(N) Wednesday, November 7, 6:30 p.m.  
Simply Creative Chef Rob Scott will be here to prepare a delicious seasonal menu. The demonstration and tasting will include pork tenderloin with a spiced cranberry relish, roasted acorn squash with walnuts and cranberries, and pumpkin pie cannoli. A $7 nonrefundable materials fee is due at the time of registration. Registration is underway. Space is limited.  

**Northport Arts Coalition’s Do-ing Music presents Canta Libre Chamber Ensemble**  
(N) Friday, November 2, 7:30 p.m.  
Join the acclaimed Canta Libre Chamber Ensemble as they feature exciting new works for harp, flute, and strings by Vivaldi, Schulhoff, Vaughan Williams, and more. Post-concert reception to follow.

**Medicare Basics**  
(N) Friday, November 9, 10:00 a.m.  
A representative from the Health Insurance Information and Counseling Program (HIICAP), sponsored by the Retired Senior Volunteer Program, will provide Medicare eligible individuals with information about Medicare, including Parts A, B, C & D, Medicare Savings Programs, Extra Help, and EPIC.

**The Vic Vincent Group presents A Tribute to the Jersey Boys**  
(N) Saturday, November 10, 2:00 p.m.  
The Vic Vincent Group consists of Vic on keyboard/guitar, Jim on saxophone/trumpet, and Bill on drums. Together they will showcase the history and music of four guys from New Jersey (Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons) who attained worldwide fame with their unique sound. The songs of other great artists of rock & roll, doo wop, and pop from the 1950s and the decades that followed will also be featured.

**Spirituality: A Journey to Wholeness**  
(N) Tuesday, November 13, 2:00 p.m.  
Come join Kenneth Corbin, Program Director at Northwell Health’s South Oaks Hospital, pastoral minister, and licensed clinical social worker, and explore spiritual wellness—a topic that is universal to all. Understand the difference between religion and spirituality and how one can lead to and enhance the other. There will be time for an experiential journey within and also for discussion.
**FOR ADULTS**

**Northport Arts Coalition presents A Colorful Fusion of Ethnic Dance Performances**
(N) Wednesday, November 14, 7:00 p.m.
Enjoy a fusion of colorful, ethnic dance performances by Rori Yaari and her devoted student, Erica McFarland, the director and current choreographer of Inner Spirit Dance Company, and their students. Captivating and engaging, this show highlights the joy of a teacher inspiring her students to pass on the beauty of dance.

**How to Become a Suffolk County Police Officer**
(EN) Wednesday, November 14, 7:00 p.m.
The next Suffolk County Police Department exam is scheduled for summer 2019. Suffolk County Police Officer Thomas Joy will explain the process and requirements to become a Suffolk County Police Officer. Bring your questions. Registration begins November 1. (NENP168)

**FOR ADULTS**

**Current Events in Perspective**
(N) Thursday, November 15, 1:00 p.m.
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**FOR ADULTS**

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**Call for Northport High School Yearbooks!**
The Library maintains an archive of yearbooks available for viewing. However, there are a few years that are missing from our collection.

If you have a Northport High School yearbook that you would like to donate to the Library, please contact the Reference Desk in the Northport building. Yearbooks from any graduating year would be welcome; although, we are particularly in need of books from the years 1928-1934, 1968, 1973, and 1974.

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Friday Movies

Three Identical Strangers
Fridays, (N) November 2, and (EN) November 9, 2:00 p.m.
In 1980 New York, three young men who were all adopted meet each other and find out they are triplets who were separated at birth. Then they discover why. Rated PG-13. 96 minutes. (Note: This is a documentary film.)

Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again
Fridays, (N) November 16, and (EN) November 23, 2:00 p.m.
Five years after the events of Mamma Mia!, Sophie prepares for the grand reopening of the Hotel Bella Donna as she learns more about her mother’s past. Rated PG-13. 114 minutes. Closed captioning will be displayed.

Cinema at the Library:
BlacKkKlansman
(N) Wednesday, November 28, 6:30 p.m.
Join Cinema Arts Centre co-director Dylan Skolnick to view and discuss BlacKkKlansman. The film is about Ron Stallworth, an African-American police officer from Colorado who successfully manages to infiltrate the local Ku Klux Klan with the help of a white surrogate, and then becomes head of the local branch. (Note: Due to the length of the film, we will be starting at 6:30 p.m. sharp.) Rated R. 135 minutes.

Let’s Play: ESL Game Night
(EN) Mondays, November 5 & 19, 7:00 p.m.
Registration begins November 1. (NENR163)
(EN) Mondays, December 3 & 17, 7:00 p.m.
Registration begins November 26. (NENR164)
Looking to continue to practice and improve your English language skills? Join in a fun-filled evening playing games and making new friends. Registration is preferred, but drop-ins are welcome.

Dynamic English
(EN) Wednesdays, November 7, 14, 28, December 5, 19, 7:00 p.m.
Develop your English vocabulary, grammar, reading, and pronunciation with this friendly conversation group. Registration is preferred, but drop-ins are welcome. Registration begins November 1. (NENR169)

FOR TEENS

Wednesday Night Gaming:
“Hello Neighbor”
(N) Wednesday, November 7, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, or 7:00 p.m.
If you love Nintendo, you will not want to miss this monthly meet up. We will discuss Nintendo games new and old, make fun gamer crafts, and participate in gaming competitions for prizes! This month we will compete for prizes in a retro NES and SNES gaming competition. (NENY393)

Nintendo Night:
Retro Gaming Competition
(N) Friday, November 16, 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Learn how to make handmade tinkeit surprise balls out of paper streamers for gifts for the upcoming holiday season. (NENR170)

DIY Surprise Balls
(Saturday, November 17, 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Learn how to make handmade tinkeit surprise balls out of paper streamers for gifts for the upcoming holiday season. (NENR170)

Socrates Café
(N) Wednesday, November 28, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Our philosophy club is a great opportunity for teens to delve into life’s big questions in an enthusiastic atmosphere of free thinking, energetic exchange, and unique perspectives. Food for thought (refreshments) will be served. Newcomers are always welcome. (NENR393)

International Cooking: Italy
(Tuesday, November 13, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Learn how to make fun and easy Italian dishes. Make cannoli dip and bruschetta while exploring Italy’s food, beautiful landscape, and rich history. Buon appetito! (NENR391)

FOR ADULTS

Book Groups

Copies of the discussion books and short story selections are available at the Northport Library Circulation Desk.

Truth Be Told
(N) Thursday, November 1, 7:00 p.m.
Our nonfiction group will discuss Clarence Darrow: Attorney for the Damned by John A. Farrell.

Short Story Central
(N) Tuesday, November 6, 7:00 p.m.
This month we will discuss selections from Certain American States by Catherine Lacey.

Page Turners
(N) Thursday, November 8, 2:00 p.m.
The group will discuss News of the World by Paulette Jiles.

Novel Ideas
(N) Monday, November 26, 7:00 p.m.
The group will discuss The Swans of Fifth Avenue by Melanie Benjamin.

Family Service League
(EN) Tuesday, November 6, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Representatives from Family Service League (FSL) will be available to answer questions about the programs FSL provides from its various locations across Long Island.

Blood Pressure Check
Wednesday, November 7, (N) 9:30-10:30 a.m. & (EN) 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
A nurse from Visiting Nurse Service is available to provide a free blood pressure check.

Medicare Counseling
(EN) Wednesday, November 14, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, or 11:30 a.m. (NENR776)
(N) Tuesday, November 20, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, or 11:00 a.m. (NENR777)
A volunteer from the Health Insurance Information, Counseling, and Assistance Program (HICAP) will answer questions one-on-one about Medicare and supplementary insurance by appointment. Registration begins November 1.

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Critic Club Volunteers
(Tuesday, November 6, 2:45-4:00 p.m.
Assist at a children’s craft program and earn volunteer credit. (NENR394)

Teen Advisory Board:
Letters to the Troops
(EN) Thursday, November 8, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Help write holiday greetings to our troops overseas. Materials, ideas, and refreshments will be provided. (NENR396)

Superhero Origami Volunteers
(N) Wednesday, November 14, 3:45-5:15 p.m.
Assist young children and their families as they create their own superhero origami. (NENY397)

Newbery Club Author Visit:
Veera Hiranandani
(N) Tuesday, November 27, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
The author will talk about her Newbery contender The Alight Diary. In 1947, a half-Hindu, half-Muslim girl tries to make sense of the world as her country splits into India and Pakistan. This compelling, timely novel speaks to the plight of refugees as well as political and religious divide. Call the Library to reserve a copy of the book to prepare for the meeting. Teens in grades 7-12 will receive volunteer credit for attending. (NENR400)
FOR CHILDREN

Registration for the following Road to Reading series programs begins November 1. (One series program per child please)

**Books a Poppin’**
(N & EN) Fridays, November 2, 9, 16, 30, 10:00 a.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Stop by for this drop-in storytelling. We will read stories, sing songs, share rhymes and fingerplays, and have fun in this interactive program for families. (30 min.)

**Mouse Paint**
Dynamic Kids Movement Class
(EN) Saturday, November 3, 10:00 a.m.
Children 4-5 years; independent
Kids become the “mice” in the beloved Ellen Stoll-Walsh book and discover how primary colors make all the colors in the world. The mice will mix and stir their way through this fun and creative class using parachutes, giant tubs, ribbon sticks, props, and more. (45 min.) Registration is underway. (NENJ558)

**Critter Crafts**
(N) Tuesday, November 6, 3:00 p.m.
Children in grades K-2
Enjoy making both a toucan and a panda that can clip onto your backpack or notebook. (45 min.) Registration begins November 1. (NENJ570)

**Dinosaur Stomp**
(N) Tuesday, November 13, 10:00 a.m.
Children 2-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Get ready for a fun-filled hour of movement, listen- ing activities, puzzles, a dinosaur craft, and more! (60 min.) Registration begins November 1. (NENJ571)

**Pajama Storytime**
(EN) Tuesday, November 13, 7:00 p.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Get your body moving in this evening family storyline. Enjoy action rhymes and songs as well as stories! (30 min.)

**Superhero Origami**
(N) Wednesday, November 14, 4:00 p.m.
Children in grades 2-5
Celebrate your favorite superheroes with step-by-step folding instructions and special origami papers. (60 min.) Registration begins November 1. (NENJ575)

**For Children**

**Chess Club**
(N) Thursday, November 15, 7:00 p.m.
Children in grades 2-6
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 required. (45 min.)

**Paws to Read**
(F) Friday, November 16, 6:30, 6:45, 7:00, or 7:15 p.m.
Children in grades 1-5
Dogs are great listeners and provide a calming environment for kids to read aloud. Fetch a good book and sign-up for a 15-minute reading session with a certified therapy dog. Registration begins November 1. (NENJ572)

**Turkey Pretzels**
(EN) Saturday, November 17, 2:00 p.m.
Children in grades 2-5
Kids will gobble-gobble up the unique holiday treats they create with pretzel rods, chocolate, and candy corn. (75 mins.) Registration begins November 3. (NENJ573)

**Calm, Cool, and Connected**
(N) Tuesday, November 20, 4:00 p.m.
Children in grades 3-5
Children will enjoy learning simple mindfulness and relaxation techniques. Stress-reducing exercises help kids focus, develop better study habits, prevent boredom, and build self-esteem. (45 min.)

**Plaza Theatrical Productions Presents: Pinkalicious**
(N) Sunday, November 25, 2:00 p.m.
Children 4 years and up; adults and siblings welcome
The whole family will enjoy this fully-staged musical production of the bestselling picture book by Victoria Kann. (60 min.) Registration begins November 3. (NENJ579)

**Letters to Veterans**
Decorative stationary will be available in the Children’s Room throughout the month for kids to draw pictures or write letters to honor our troops. The Library will deliver all written messages to active duty service personnel.

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Children in grades 4 and up
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**Gingerbread Houses**
(N) Saturday, December 8, 11:00 a.m.
Children in grades K-5 with adult; siblings welcome
Guy Gagliano of Swan Bakery will inspire each family to decorate their own delicious gingerbread house. All materials will be provided. A nonrefundable fee of $10 (cash or check made out to the Northport-East Northport Public Library) must be brought to either library within 3 days of registration. Your REGISTRATION IS NOT COMPLETE until payment is received. Only one gingerbread house per family please. (60 min.) Registration begins November 17. (NENJ577)

**Into the Rainforest**
(EN) Monday, December 10, 10:00 a.m.
Children 2-4 years with adult; siblings welcome
Imaginations soar in this fun and active class as children tiptoe over bridges, tumble with monkeys, and play under the rainforest canopy while using a parachute, balance beam, props, and more. (45 min.) Registration begins November 17. (NENJ578)

**Make and Take Candle**
(N) Saturday, December 15, 10:00 a.m.
Children in grades 2-5
Create the perfect holiday gift from recycled wax while learning about the art of candle making. (60 min.) Registration begins November 17. (NENJ579)

**Road to Reading**
Children 1-3 years with adult; siblings welcome
Sing and Play
November 19, 26, December 3, 10:00 a.m. (EN) Mondays, November 19, 26, December 3, 10:00 a.m.
Children 1-3 years with adult; siblings welcome
Sing and Play
Children listen to stories, sing songs and rhymes that increase vocabulary and letter knowledge, and participate in hands-on activities. (40 min.) (NENJ564)

**Road to Reading**
Independent program
Preschool Storytime
(EN) Tuesdays, November 13, 20, 27, December 4, 1:00 p.m.
Children 4-5 years; independent
Children listen to stories, sing songs and rhymes that increase vocabulary and letter knowledge, and participate in hands-on activities. (40 min.) (NENJ564)

**Road to Reading**
Programs for families
1, 2, 3 Learn with Me
(EN) Wednesdays, November 14, 21, 28, December 5, 10:00 a.m.
Children 1-3 years with adult; siblings welcome
Children development experts are on hand to answer your questions while your children play with age-appropriate toys. An open-ended art activity and a circle time with stories and songs are included. (60 mins.) (NENJ589)

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(EN) Wednesdays, November 14, 21, 28, December 5, 10:00 a.m.
Children 1-3 years with adult; siblings welcome
Sing and Play
Children listen to stories, sing songs and rhymes that increase vocabulary and letter knowledge, and participate in hands-on activities. (40 min.) (NENJ564)

**Road to Reading**
Time for Tots
(N) Tuesdays, November 20, 27, December 4, 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 social readiness skills, and also create a craft. (60 mins.) (NENJ565)

**Road to Reading**
Program for children and accompanying adult: no siblings please
Mother Goose Rhyme Time
(N) Thursdays, November 29, December 6, 13, 10:00 a.m.
Children birth-23 months with adult; no siblings
Enjoy rhymes and songs with your young child in this program focusing on nursery rhymes. (30 mins.) (NENJ566)
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(EN) Wednesday, Nov. 14, 5:00 p.m.
All are welcome!

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**AARP Smart Driver Course**

(N) Saturday, November 3, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Registration is underway at the Northport Library only. \[NENA775\]
Fee: $20 for AARP members ($25 for nonmembers) payable to AARP by check or money order only at registration.

(EN) Wednesdays, December 5 & 12, 1:00-4:00 p.m.
Registration begins November 14 at the East Northport Library only. \[NENA779\]
Fee: $20 for AARP members ($25 for nonmembers) payable to AARP by check or money order only at registration.

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**Defensive Driving**

(EN) Mondays, November 19 & 26, 7:00-10:00 p.m.
Applications are currently available in both library buildings.
Fee: $36

(N) Saturday, December 1, 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
Applications will be available in both library buildings beginning November 10.
Fee: $36

Please 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.

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

(N) Saturday, December 15, 9:19 a.m.
Departure from Northport Station, Round Trip $12 per person
Take in the sights and sounds of New York City! 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.
Registration begins November 24 at either library. A nonrefundable $12 fee (cash or check payable to The Friends of the Library) is due at the time of registration. \[NENA779\]

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**Gallery Exhibits**

**Northport Gallery:**

Farfalle
by Elizabeth Fusco
Watercolor on paper.

**Art Talk**

(N) Friday, November 2, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

**East Northport Gallery:**

**Animated Art Collection**
by Donnamarie Blaustein
Signed and unsigned limited edition Warner Brothers animated art collection.