FOR ADULTS

Organizing and Decluttering
(EN) Thursday, August 1, 11:00 a.m.
Sometimes our collections of “stuff” start to clutter our homes and we do not know what to do about it. This presentation by the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) will provide simple guidelines to help you sort through your possessions—including important papers—and take action.

Lawn Lunacy
(N) Thursday, August 1, 7:00 p.m.
Tamson Yeh, a turf and land management specialist with the Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County, will address the common questions about Long Island lawn care including selecting the right grass types, crabgrass, irrigation, fertilizer laws and timing, mowing, shade tips, and more.

Tick Bite Prevention (lobby table)
(N) Tuesday, August 6, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
(EN) Wednesday, August 7, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
A representative from Suffolk County Department of Health Services will be offering information about the variety of ticks found in Suffolk County, diseases caused by ticks, protective measures that can be taken to prevent tick bites, proper tick removal techniques, and steps to be taken if bitten by a tick. Stop by to pick up tweezers for tick removal, tick identification cards, and handouts.

Tick-Borne Disease—What You Need to Know
(EN) Monday, August 19, 6:30 p.m.
Chances are that you or someone you know has been diagnosed with Lyme or another tick-borne disease. Dr. Anna-Marie Wellins, a member of the Medical Advisory Panel of Stony Brook Southampton Hospital’s Regional Tick-Borne Disease Resource Center, will speak about the types of diseases that are carried by the different species of ticks found on Eastern Long Island and the symptoms, diagnostic tests, and treatment options that are available. Each attendee will receive a free tick removal kit.

Summer Blood Drive
(EN) Monday, August 12, 1:00-7:00 p.m.
Did you know every donation helps save up to three lives? The Library will host a summer blood drive cosponsored by New York Blood Center and Assemblyman Andrew Raia.
Eligibility Criteria:
• A Donor Card or ID with signature or photo
• A minimum weight of 110 pounds
• No tattoos within the past 12 months
• Age 16-75 (16 year olds must have signed parental permission; age 76 and older require a doctor’s note)

For questions concerning medical eligibility, call 800-688-0900. Appointments are preferred, however walk-ins are welcome. Visit: http://bit.ly/2LpzGQH to schedule your appointment.

Changing Brains:
New Therapies in Migraines
(N) Tuesday, August 13, 11:00 a.m.
Headache disorders are among the most common causes of disability worldwide. Migraines affect nearly 12% of the population. Dr. Noah Rosen of Northwell Health will discuss the different types of headaches, review the current understanding of migraines, and update participants on the latest treatments available.

Northport Arts Coalition presents Lois Morton: Many Faces
(N) Wednesday, August 14, 7:00 p.m.
This versatile, award-winning performer shares favorite moments from a variety of her shows: her most popular comedic songs of social commentary, as well as songs of Edith Piaf, a dash of Marlene Dietrich and Sophie Tucker, and one or two traditional Jewish songs from the heart.

Inside: More Programs for Adults, Teens, and Children
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Nuno Felting Technique
(N) Thursday, August 15, 6:30 p.m.
Felting is a user-friendly technique that is simple to learn. Using a needle tool, participants will meld wool fibers onto felt to create a colorful pattern. Artist Oksana Danziger will guide each patron in creating a beautiful felted flower to take home. A nonrefundable materials fee of $10 is payable at the time of registration. Registration begins August 1. (NENA845)

Empanada Party!
(N) Friday, August 16, 6:00 p.m.
Sweet or savory, everyone loves this flaky pastry that melts in your mouth. Make authentic empanadas to take home and cook to perfection. Chefs Andrea and Jason Moss of Get Stuffed will discuss recipes and variations and provide tastings. A nonrefundable materials fee of $5 is payable at the time of registration. Registration begins August 1. (NENA841)

Watercolor Workshop
(N) Wednesday, August 21, 10:00 a.m.
Enjoy painting with watercolor! Get creative and have fun with artist Victoria Beck in this introductory class. All supplies are provided, and each participant goes home with a completed painting. A nonrefundable materials fee of $5 is payable at the time of registration. Registration begins August 1. (NENA843)

Waffle Ice Cream Sandwiches
(N) Thursday, August 22, 2:00 p.m.
Come create a perfect summer sensation with the Baking Coach. Patrons will make homemade waffles and place ice cream in between. Add assorted sprinkles, syrups, whipped cream, and enjoy a classic waffle and ice cream treat! Registration begins August 1. (NENA842)

Songbirds of the Fifties: A Musical Salute to Doris Day and Patti Page
(N) Friday, August 23, 7:00 p.m.
Join Dr. Diane Cypkin for a trip back in time to the fabulous ‘50s when two of the leading ladies on the radio were Doris Day and Patti Page. Dr. Cypkin will sing the hits of these iconic artists, including such songs as Tennessee Waltz, Mockingbird Hill, and Secret Love, as well as share some of their personal stories.

Alaska Travel Adventures with the Fish Guy
(N) Monday, August 26, 7:00 p.m.
Chris Paparo of Fish Guy Photos will discuss his multiple trips to Tanaku Lodge in Elinf Cove, Alaska. Hear tales of fishing for giant halibut, rockfish, and salmon while surrounded by awe-inspiring scenery and “Nat Geo” wildlife encounters.

Hiking Long Island’s Greenbelt Trails
(N) Wednesday, August 28, 7:00 p.m.
The Long Island Greenbelt Trails Conference is a unique, nonprofit grassroot organization that has created more than 200 miles of hiking paths on Long Island. Member Tom Casey will present information on the trails available to the public as well as add his own hiking tips.

Judicial Power and Democracy: Can We Have Both at the Same Time?
(N) Wednesday, September 4, 7:00 p.m.
Among democracies, America is alone in the degree to which judges are granted what is effectively lawmaking power by our system. David Green, professor of political science at Hofstra University and winner of Hofstra’s Distinguished Teaching Award, will examine the history and philosophy behind this unique approach where unelected (and unremovable) judges—not democratically elected representatives—govern.

Apple Strudel
(N) Saturday, September 7, 11:00 a.m.
Celebrate the coming fall season by creating a classic apple strudel ready to take home and bake in your own oven! Registration begins August 17. (NENA844)

Chair Yoga
(N) Mondays, September 9, 16, 23, 30, 9:30 a.m.
Chair yoga is a gentle yoga class practiced while seated in a chair, or standing using the chair to help with balance. This class is wonderful for all ages and abilities, but especially beneficial for seniors or those recovering from injuries. You will gain strength, balance, flexibility, and confidence. Dress for comfort and bring a water bottle. As with all exercise programs, please check with your healthcare provider before registering. Registration begins August 17. (NENA846)

An Optimistic Approach to Job Seeking
(EN) Monday, September 9, 6:30 p.m.
Career coach Constance Lagan will provide job seekers with the skills to approach a job search with an optimistic attitude. Promote yourself with positive success during the search, interview, and negotiation process to secure a position you love, and earn a wage that reflects your market value. Registration begins August 19. (NENR213)

ESL Game Night
(EN) Wednesday, August 14, 7:00 p.m.
Would you like to practice and grow your English language skills? Join in a fun-filled evening playing games and making new friends. Registration is preferred, but drop-ins are welcome. Registration begins August 1. (NENR210)

Quick Reads
(EN) Monday, August 20, 7:00 p.m.
This informal reading group is designed for intermediate English language learners and for those who would like to develop their literacy skills. Pick up this month’s reading selection at the East Northport Circulation Desk.

An Online Spanish Conversation Class
(EN) Tuesdays, August 6, 13, 20, 27, 4:00 p.m.
This Spanish conversation course will focus on mastering key vocabulary words to help you start conversing in Spanish immediately—great for both beginning and intermediate Spanish language learners. Registration is underway. (NENR211)

Meditation: The Art of Mindfulness
(N) Monday, August 26, 7:00 p.m.
This is a hands-on class to learn about mindfulness meditation. This class will focus on the practice of meditating for 20 minutes to help you find inner peace. Registration is underway. (NENR212)

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Learn to Be . . . Tobacco Free
(EN) Thursdays, September 12, 19, 26, October 10, 17, 24, November 14, 6:00 p.m.
This free, multi-session program is offered by the Suffolk County Office of Health Education and is based on the CDC’s Clinical Practice Guidelines for treating nicotine dependence. The emphasis is on preparing to quit. Those who use all forms of tobacco are welcome. Call Debora Rippel at the Suffolk County Office of Health Education at 631-853-2928 to register.

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Everyday Spanish
(EN) Tuesdays, September 3, 10, 17, 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 4:00 p.m.
This fun program will help you develop your Spanish language skills by listening to and deciphering the words of popular songs known throughout the Spanish-speaking world. Registration begins August 19. (NENR216)

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All About Streaming Services
(N) Thursday, August 8, 7:00 p.m.
There are ways to access TV or movies other than using a cable provider. In this lecture and demonstration class, you will learn about Internet-based streaming and the services available from various providers. Registration is underway. (NENC305)

Introduction to Etsy
(EN) Thursday, August 15, 7:00 p.m.
Learn how to use the popular Etsy.com website to buy or sell handmade goods, vintage items, arts and crafts, and more. Topics include creating an account, checking reliability of sellers and buyers, and online safety. Registration begins July 22. (NENC304)

Computers for Home Use: Microsoft Word
(N) Tuesday, August 20, 7:00 p.m.
In this hands-on class, learn how to write a letter, make a flyer, and create a newsletter using Microsoft Word. Learn how to create tables and documents, manipulate graphics, and use other features. Registration begins July 22. (NENC307)

Introduction to Microsoft Access
(N) Tuesday, September 10, 7:00 p.m.
In this hands-on class for intermediate and advanced computer users, you will learn the basics of database design and management using Microsoft Access. Topics include planning and defining a database, working with fields, records, tables, queries, and more. Registration begins July 22. (NENC306)

Book Groups

- Beach Bag Books

Catch up on your reading while you catch some sun at the beach! Grab a book from the Library’s Beach Bag Books kiosks at Town of Huntington beaches at Crab Meadow, Asharoken, and Hobart.
FOR TEENS

Music, 3D + Animation, education, and more. Courses include web design, photography, Audio + Levels. Learn technology, creative, and business skills. Online video tutorials & training courses for all education, writing and publishing, and more.

Defensive Driving
(N) Mondays, August 12 & 19, 7:00-10:00 p.m.
Applications are available at both library buildings beginning July 22. Fee: $36

AARP Smart Driver Course
(EN) Saturday, September 14, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Registration begins August 24 at the East Northport Library only. NENA848
Fee: $20 for AARP members ($25 for nonmembers) payable to AARP by check or money order only at registration.
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.

Blood Pressure Check
Wednesday, August 7
(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.

Medicare Counseling
(EN) Wednesday, August 14, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, or 11:30 a.m. NENA847
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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 August 1.

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Friday Movies
The Aftermath
Fridays, (N) August 2, and (EN) August 9, 2:00 p.m.
Post World War II, a British colonel and his wife are assigned to live in Hamburg during the reconstruction, but tensions arise with the previous German owner of the house. Rated R. 109 minutes.

POMS
Fridays, (N) August 16, and (EN) August 23, 2:00 p.m.
POMS is a comedy about a group of women who form a cheerleading squad at their retirement community, proving that you are never too old to "bring it!" Rated PG-13. 92 minutes.

Thief in the Night
EN) Tuesday, August 13, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
In the wake of the previous owner's mysterious death, a woman discovers a few different piping techniques, using a frosting bag and frosting tips, and take home one of your creations in a bakery box. NENY567

Alien Clay Buddies
(N) Wednesday, August 14, 3:00-4:30 p.m.
Create cool extraterrestrial buddies out of clay. NENY567

Nintendo Night: Fire Emblem
(N) Friday, August 16, 7:00-8:30 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! NENY568

Wednesday Night Gaming: Toejam and Earl
(N) Wednesday, August 21, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, or 7:00 p.m.
Help alien buddies Toejam and Earl rebuild their broken spaceship in this Nintendo Switch adventure game. NENY570

SAT Preparation Workshop
(N) Thursdays, September 12, 19, 26, & October 3, 6:15-8:45 p.m.
Students in grades 10-12. Registration begins August 15. Students can prepare for the fall PSAT/SAT exams with teachers Jason Bernstein and Jay Berger. A nonrefundable check for $114 payable to the Northport-East Northport Public Library must be paid within three days of registration. Payment includes the workbook for the SAT exam. Your class placement is not complete until payment is received. NENY571

In the Northport Gallery: Cosmic Whispers
Acrylic paintings on canvas by Ronnie Valerio, featuring bright, bold colors, graphic shapes, patterns, and imaginary characters.

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Coastal Letter on Canvas
(EN) Thursday, August 8, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
End creating a beach-style letter on canvas. Sand, mini shells, and acrylic paints will remind everyone that we live on Long Island. NENY564

Dealing with Stress Workshop
(N) Tuesday, August 20, 9:30-11:30 a.m.
Create a stress poster. NENA841

Getting Ready for Middle School
(EN) Thursday, August 1, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Gain the skills you will need to "make the grade" in middle school. Learn tips and strategies to make your transition into middle school successful. NENY555

Breakout EDU
(N) Thursday, August 1, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Using a story, time limit, and series of puzzles, teens will work together to break into a tightly locked box before the timer runs out. NENY556

Mod Podge Votives
(EN) Monday, August 5, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Make a Mod Podge votive candle holder to keep as a decoration or give as a gift. NENY557

Night Sky Ring
(EN) Tuesday, August 6, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Design an original piece of jewelry. Work with pliers and cutters to fashion this classic ring made of copper wire and a blue agate gemstone bead. NENY558

Intro to LEGO BOOST Robots II
(N) Saturday, August 3, 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Learn how to build and program a robot out of LEGOs in this collaborative workshop. NENY559

Teen Summer Programs 2
Registration is underway for the following programs and limited openings may be available:

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Safeguarding Your Social Security
(EN) Tuesday, August 6, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Learn the ins and outs of Social Security and what it means for you. NENY560

Superheld, Inc.
(EN) Wednesday, August 7, 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Learn about the fantastic comic book company. NENY561

Three-Panel Comic Workshop
(N) Wednesday, August 7, 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Turn your funny ideas into a three-panel comic with Superheld, Inc. (NENY562)

Cupcake Piping for Beginners
(N) Tuesday, August 13, 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Discover a few different piping techniques, using a frosting bag and frosting tips, and take home one of your creations in a bakery box. NENY567

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FOR CHILDREN

Summer Reading Club—A Universe of Stories!

**Hours:**
- Mondays-Fridays through August 2
  - 10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.
- Saturdays, through August 3
  - 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

**Summer Reading Club ends August 3**
Children (preschool through grade 6) get prizes for the books they read at home when they join the Summer Reading Club with their Library card at either building or online through August 3.

Registration for the following programs is underway. Programs identified with this symbol do not require registration.

**FOR CHILDREN**

### Mother Goose Olympics
**(N)** Thursday, August 1, 11:00 a.m.
Children 2-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Enjoy a room full of nursery rhyme activities and earn an Olympic medal for each event. (45 min.) *(NENJ765)*

### Chopped: Space Edition
**(EN)** Thursday, August 1, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 3-6
Teams will compete against each other in three “space-tacular” food challenges. (60 min.) *(NENJ763)*

### Ramblin’ Dan Jam
**(N)** Friday, August 2, 10:30 a.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Ramblin’ Dan will have families dancing and jamming along to children’s favorites and his own high-energy original music. (45 min.) *(NENJ762)*

### Tick Bite Prevention (lobby table)
**(N)** Tuesday, August 6, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
(EN) Wednesday, August 7, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
A representative from Suffolk County Department of Health Services will be in the lobby to discuss the types of diseases carried by ticks on Long Island, proper tick removal, treatment options, and ways to prevent tick bites for you and your family.

### Imagination Playground
**(N)** Wednesday, August 7, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Exercise your imagination and your muscles while you build a galaxy with giant blue blocks! (60 min.) *(NENJ765)*

### Paws to Read Meet & Greet
**(N)** Thursday, August 8, 2:00 p.m.
(EN) Wednesday, August 7, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Children 4-10 years with adult; siblings welcome
Stop by anytime between 2:30 and 3:00 p.m. to meet some friendly therapy dogs and get information about our popular Paws to Read program. (60 min.) *(NENJ765)*

### Chess Club
**(N)** Thursday, August 8, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 2-6
Improve your game by playing matches with other kids and teen volunteers. Players may enter a raffle for a chess set made using our 3D printer! (45 min.) *(NENJ765)*

### Shake, Rattle, and Read
**(EN)** Friday, August 9, 10:00 a.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Have fun reading stories, singing songs, and sharing rhymes and fingerplays in this interactive program for families. (30 min.) *(NENJ765)*

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 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: waitlist, standby NENL cardholders, and non-directory patrons.
- Please inquire if food allergies are a concern.

### Rocket & Rollin’
**(N)** Friday, August 9, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Come have a blast join with a Long Island Children’s Museum educator as we explore the science of rockets and take part in a lunar lander building challenge. (60 min.) *(NENJ770)*

### Life-Size Candy Land
**(N)** Monday, August 12, 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! As you own game piece, move along all the way to the Candy Castle. (90 min.) *(NENJ772)*

### Block Party!
**(N)** Saturday, August 3, 3:00 p.m.
Children 1-4 years with adult; siblings welcome
Children learn to use their minds as well as their muscles while having fun building with blocks. (45 min.) *(NENJ769)*

### Newbery Club
**(N)** Tuesday, August 13, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 4 and up
Be the first to read advance copies of new books and participate in informal book discussions. (60 min.) *(NENJ773)*

### Wing-It Wednesday
**(N)** Wednesday, August 14, 3:30 p.m.
Children 3-10 years with adult; siblings welcome
Enjoy a room full of art supplies and craft projects. (60 min.) *(NENJ773)*

### Books Taste Good
**(EN)** Tuesday, August 13, 11:00 a.m.
Children 4-6 years; independent
Devour some stellar stories and create an out-of-this-world edible craft. (45 min.) *(NENJ773)*

### Indoor Field Day
**(N)** Tuesday, August 13, 3:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 1-5
Join us for some traditional field day activities including tug-of-war, egg races, and much more. Please wear sneakers. (45 min.) *(NENJ773)*

### An Evening with Molly Mouse
**(EN)** Wednesday, August 14, 7:00 p.m.
Children entering grades 5-8; siblings welcome
Enjoy stories, rhymes, and movement activities in this fun family storytime. (45 min.) *(NENJ773)*

### Out-Of-This-World Storytime and Craft
**(EN)** Thursday, August 15, 11:00 a.m.
Children 7-9 years
After a fun storytime, children will create a beautiful piece of space-themed sand art. (45 min.) *(NENJ776)*

### Tots and Toys
**(EN)** Friday, August 16, 10:30 a.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Enjoy an open-ended play environment as your child explores a variety of toy stations. (60 min.)

### Blast-Off Breakout
**(N)** Friday, August 16, 8:30 p.m.
Children entering grades 3-6
Children will work together to solve a series of interconnected puzzles in this space-themed version of the popular escape room game. (45 min.) *(NENJ779)*

### Road to Reading Program for Families

**Time for Tots**
**(N)** Tuesdays, September 10, 17, 24, 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 min.) Registration begins August 20. *(NENJ753)*

### Baby Signing Time
**(N)** Monday, August 5, 7:00 p.m.
(EN) Friday, August 16, 7:00 p.m.
Children birth-23 months with adult; siblings welcome
Using stories and songs, learn some basic signs with your baby to enhance their communication with you before their language skills develop. (45 min.) Registration begins August 29. *(NENJ791)*

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

#### Casey Carle’s BubbleMundo!
**(N)** Monday, August 5, 4:00 p.m.
(EN) Monday, August 5, 7:00 p.m.
(N) Tuesday, August 6, 4:00 p.m.
(EN) Tuesday, August 6, 7:00 p.m.

**FOR CHILDREN**

### Galactic Storytime
**(N)** Thursday, August 15, 7:00 p.m.
Children birth-5 years with adult; siblings welcome
Join us for a cosmic experience with song, dance, and storytelling. (30 min.)

### The Bookmark Spot
**Stop by the Library and pick up the August bookmark by Avery McArdle. A reading list compiled by Children’s Librarians is on the back.**

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**Congratulations to Your Growing Family!**

Bond with your baby before birth by reading, talking, and singing to your little one. Your unborn baby can hear your voice as well as sounds outside the womb. Help his or her early literacy and language learning skills by developing a reading routine from the very beginning. Log 50 five-minute read-alouds before baby arrives and receive a gift for your newborn. Ask a Librarian for more information, or get started by downloading the log from the library website at www.nenpl.org.

**Outdoor Movie in the Library Courtyard: Dumbo**

(N) Friday, August 30, 7:30 p.m.
(rain date Friday, September 6, 7:30 p.m.)

Join us in our Courtyard as we view *Dumbo* (2019) on a jumbo inflatable screen. A young elephant, whose oversize ears enable him to fly, helps save a struggling circus. But when the circus plans a new venture, Dumbo and his friends discover dark secrets beneath its shiny veneer. Rated PG. 111 minutes. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Our giant chess set will be available in the Northport Library Courtyard every Thursday, weather permitting. A waterfall discovery wall, giant checkers, and giant Connect Four will be making guest appearances throughout the month.

Look for the Library table at Northport Harbor Family Nights
Tuesdays, August 6 & 13, 6-9 pm