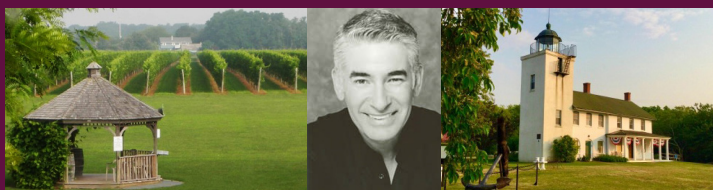


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BUS TRIP

NORTH FORK BUS TRIP TOUR WITH BRUCE MICHAEL

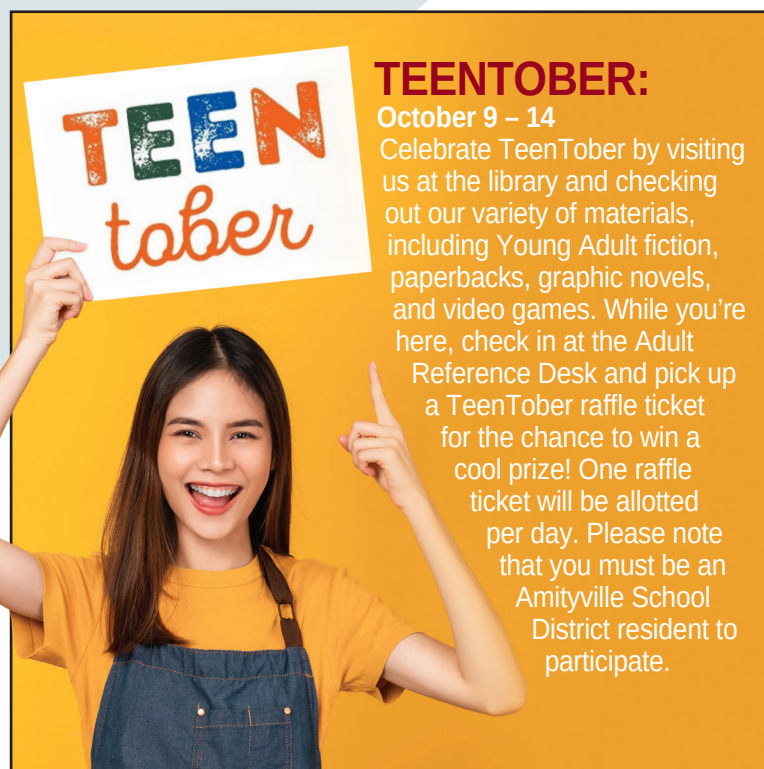
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Time: Departs the library at 7:45 a.m. then heads back to the library at 4:45 p.m.

Fee: \$92.00 per person - check or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library is due at registration

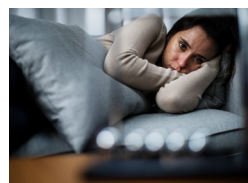
Come join us on our journey to the North Fork with our fabulous tour guide Bruce Michael! We'll start our tour by visiting the Southold Museum & Horton Lighthouse. The lower level of the Keeper's House was converted into Southold Historical Museum's Nautical Museum. Then we'll head over to the quaint little town of Greenport to walk around to see the shops and grab a bite to eat on your own. Then we'll make our way back on the bus to head to Osprey's Dominion which is comprised of 90 acres of Carmenere, Pinot Gris, and Sauvignon Blanc in the heart of Peconic Long Island, New York. We'll enjoy a wine tasting before heading onto the North Fork Chocolate Company. There we'll enjoy a chocolate tasting and allow time for you to peruse their shop. Then our last stop on our journey will be to Briermere Farms. It is a fruit farm and bakery on the North Fork of Long Island. After that, we'll start our journey home.

Registration for all Amityville Public Library cardholders will begin on Tuesday, August 29th at 9:00 a.m. and Tuesday, September 5th at 9:00 a.m. for all non-cardholders.



TEENTOBER:

October 9 – 14
Celebrate TeenTober by visiting us at the library and checking out our variety of materials, including Young Adult fiction, paperbacks, graphic novels, and video games. While you're here, check in at the Adult Reference Desk and pick up a TeenTober raffle ticket for the chance to win a cool prize! One raffle ticket will be allotted per day. Please note that you must be an Amityville School District resident to participate.



ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP

**Thursdays: September 13, 27,
October 11, 25,
November 8 & 22
2:00 to 3:00 p.m.**

Have you ever experienced or known someone who has experienced anxiety and depression? Come join a supportive group environment that will share and discuss the symptoms, signs, triggers and coping tools for anxiety and depression. This will be a 6-week program. **Catherine Rose, a Licensed and Board Certified Clinical Social Worker, will facilitate the group.**

PARTIAL SOLAR ECLIPSE



SOLAR ECLIPSE GLASSES

The Solar Eclipse is set to take place on **Saturday October 14, 2023. Starting October 2,** the Amityville Public Library will be giving away one pair of Solar Eclipse Glasses per card holder.



LATIN MIX DANCING

**Saturdays: September 9,
16, 23, 30, October 7, 14,
28 & November 4
11:00 to 12:00 p.m.**

If you've ever wanted to learn Latin dancing the easy way, this course is for you. These classes will cover Salsa, Merengue, Rumba and Cha Cha. In addition to simple and exciting Latin steps, this course will be covering styling, timing, and musicality. **Fee: \$10.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library is due at registration.**

CHILDREN'S Programs

👤 = In person 🖥️ = Virtual 👤🖥️ = Hybrid

- You must have an Amityville Public Library card to register for all programs.
- Please use the child's card to register for their individual programs whenever possible.
- Each program lists the age or grade requirements for the program.
- All registrants of our virtual programs will receive an e-mail pick-up time. Please pick up your kits within one week of the pick-up date.

BABY *and* TODDLER Programs

ZUMBINI FOR BABIES

Friday, September 29 (AMJF1)
Tuesday, October 10 (AMJF2)
9:30 to 10:15 a.m.
Ages: Infant- 3 yrs. (with parent)

BABY START -AMJF3

Monday, September 18
Friday, October 13
9:30 to 10:00 a.m.
Ages: Infant- 17 mos. (with parent) No older siblings please.

BABY SIGN LANGUAGE

Wednesdays: September 6 & 20th -AMJF4
Wednesdays: October 4 & 18th -AMJF5
9:30 to 10:00 a.m.
Ages: Infant- 3 yrs. (with parent)
Limit 15 participants.

INFANT MASSAGE-AMJF6

September, 20 & October 18
10:00 to 10:30 a.m.
Ages: 0 – pre-walker (with parent) Expectant mothers are welcome to join the class.
Limit 15 participants

TINY TOTS

Monday, September 18 (AMJF7)
Friday, October 13 (AMJF8)
10:00 to 10:45 a.m.
Ages: 18 mos. – 3 yrs. (with parent)

DANCE WITH ME

Friday September 15 (AMJF9)
Friday October 6 (AMJF10)
9:30 to 10:15 a.m.
Ages: 18 mos. to 35 mos. (with parent)

ICE CREAM (AMJF11)

Monday, September 11
9:30 to 10:15 a.m.
Ages: 2 – 4 years with parent

JUMP BUNCH

Tuesday, September 12 (AMJF12)
Tuesday, October 3 (AMJF13)
9:30 to 10:15 a.m.
Ages: 18 mos. to 36 mos. (with parent)

CLOUD PLAY DOUGH (AMJF14)

Tuesday, September 19
9:30 to 10:15 a.m.
Ages: 18 mos. – 4 years. (with parent)

READING GARDEN STORYTIME (AMJF15)

Friday September 22
10:30 to 11:15 a.m.
Ages: 2 ½ to 5 years. (with parent) Listen to some fun stories, dance, and sing!

APPLE SALSA MATH (AMJF38)

Friday October 20
10:30 to 11:15 a.m.
Ages: 3 - 5 with parent



COTTON BALL GHOSTS -AMJF16

Tuesday, October 17
9:30 to 10:15 a.m.
Ages: 2 – 4 years with parent

KIDS *and* TWEENS

CHILDREN CREATE AT OUR LIBRARY!

STAR TREK DAY -AMJF18

Wednesday, September 6
4:00 to 5:00 p.m.
Grades: 1-5
Join us for some fun Star Trek Activities and a game of bingo and win some prizes!

SPANISH FOR KIDS -AMJF19

Tuesdays: Sept. 12, 19, 26,
October 3rd and 10th.
Grades: 2-5
5:00 to 5:45 p.m.
Learn some basic Spanish.

ESL FOR KIDS

Tuesdays: September 12, 19,
26, October 3, 10, 17 and 24th.
Martes de septiembre 12, 19,
26, octubre 3, 10, 17, 24
and 31st.
Grades: K-4 / Grados: K-4
6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Learn some basic English in a fun and comfortable space at the library. Aprende algo de ingles basico en un espacio divertido y comodo en la biblioteca. No registration required/ No es necesario registrarse.

ART BLAZERS- ANDY WARHOL-AMJF20

Wednesday, September 13
4:30 to 5:30 p.m.
Grades: 3-5
Learn about Andy Warhol and create a layered painting in the style of Andy Warhol's silkscreen prints.

LEGO CLUB -AMJF21

Fridays: September 15
and 22nd
4:00 to 4:45 p.m.
Grades: 2-4

Create your own Lego creations and we will put them on display in the Children's department and the display case in the library.

S'MORES-AMJF22

Wednesday, September 20
Grades: K-2
4:00 to 5:00 p.m.
Create your own s'more campfire scene on a paper plate and make your own smores.

HIP HOP DANCE -AMJF23

Mondays, September 25
& October 2
6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Grades: 2-4
Learn some basic hip hop with Great South Bay Dance.



SENSORY STORY TIME -AMJF24

Wednesday, September 27

6:30 to 7:15 p.m.

Grades: 1-3

Join a time for kids for a fun 45 minutes of multi- sensory story time.



HOO LOVES FALL -AMJF25

Monday, September 18th

4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Grades: 2-4

Celebrate the season with this crafty canvas. This combines paint as well as other materials to make this canvas come alive.

SOLAR SYSTEM CRAFT -AMJF26

Thursday, October 5

4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Grades: 3-5

Learn about the solar system and create your own stained glass like mobile.

PUMPKIN PIE COOKIES -AMJF27

Wednesday, October 11

4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Grades: K-4

Please sign up one child per family for this program. Decorate your own cookies to look like pumpkin pie.

STUFF ANIMAL SLEEPOVER -AMJF28

Thursday, October 12

6:00 to 6:45 p.m.

Grades: Pre-k-2

Join us for some stories and a craft and your stuff animals will sleepover at the library.

PAPER PLATE MONSTER -AMJF29

Wednesday, October 18th

4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Grades: Pre-K-2

BOOK SNACK AND CHAT-AMJF30

Super Narwhal and Jelly Jolt

Monday, October 23

4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Grades: 2-4

Limit of 10 participants.

Join us for a book chat, snacks, and activities. Please pick up your copy of Super Narwhal and Jelly Jolt on Tuesday October 10th.

SPOOKY STORIES IN THE READING GARDEN -AMJF31

Monday October 30

Grades: Pre-k-2

5:00 to 5:45 p.m.

Listen to some fun Halloween stories in our reading garden.



bag. All bags will be donated to a local senior center.

THE GREAT GIVE BACK

Saturday October 21

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Come into the Children's Department and decorate a canvas

TAKE AND MAKE PROGRAMS

APPLE PICKING COOKIES -AMJF32

Monday, September 18

Grades: Pre-k-5

Please sign up one child per family for this program.



FALL LEAVES GLITTER MOSAIC -AMJF33

Friday, September 21

Grades: Pre-k-3

Create a fun fall decoration for your home.

MARBLE MAZE RUN -AMJF37

Tuesday October 4

Grade: 3- 5

Create your own maze using straws and other materials.



APPLE LOVIN HEDGEHOG -AMJF34

Tuesday, October 11

Grades: 1-5

Learn how to create an apple munching hedgehog on a canvas and decorate with autumn leaves and grass.

PUMPKINS -AMJF35

Monday, October 16

Grades: 2-5

Decorate your own pumpkins for your home for the fall.

TRICK OR TREAT BAGS -AMJF36

Monday, October 23

Grades: Pre-K-5

Decorate your own trick or treat bags.

TEEN Programs Grades 6-12

All teen programs are free, but online registration from our website (using the Programs tab) is essential!

If you have any questions, please email us at YA@amityvillepubliclibrary.org.



VIRTUAL/TAKE & MAKE PROGRAMS



PUMPKIN PATCH CUPCAKES - AMY326

Wednesday, September 13

Welcome autumn by creating your own adorable, delicious pumpkin-themed cupcakes!



MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE - AMY166

Wednesday, September 20

Create your own miniature message in a bottle that can be worn as a necklace.



GLOWING SPIDER WEB JAR - AMY171

Wednesday, October 25

Create an air of spookiness with this cool glowing jar. Learn to paint spiderwebs and hang spiders all around the jar, then finish with a ghoulish black ribbon and a battery tea light to light up the night.

TEEN Programs continued



IN LIBRARY PROGRAMS

Programs (except virtual/Take & Makes) will be held in our Community Room or Teen Loft. Please check the Teen Community Service section for additional in-person programs.



TEEN GAME NIGHT – AMY215
Wednesday, September 13
6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Enjoy fun multiplayer games on our Nintendo Switch, PS4, and Xbox One while enjoying tasty snacks!

brief clips of popular songs and guess their names. The winning team will earn glory and a cool prize.



CHICKEN & CHEESE QUESADILLAS – AMY327
Wednesday, October 18
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Make delicious chicken and/or extra cheesy quesadillas with yummy toppings to choose from.



DIY ANIME CDS – AMY167
Thursday, October 5
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Calling all anime fans! Learn how to make cool anime-themed CD art that can be hung on a wall.



NAME THAT TUNE – AMY216
Thursday, October 12
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Put your musical knowledge to the test by competing against other teens in a fun, friendly competition where you'll listen to



DRILLED JACK-O'-LANTERNS – AMY170
Wednesday, October 25
6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Boo! Using an awl and a hammer, carve your own unique jack-o'-lantern just in time for Halloween.

TEEN COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS *In person and Virtual*



HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH ART – AMY164
Thursday, September 7
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

In honor of Hispanic Heritage Month, draw and color flags of Hispanic countries, which will be displayed in our Teen Loft for all to enjoy. **Participating teens will receive 1 hour of community service.**



FRESH SMILES – AMY165
Wednesday, September 20
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

For 1 hour of community service, create a mini tie dye pattern on a toiletry bag and use the art of Zentangle to decorate a toothbrush holder. Completed projects will be given to those in need. **Teens who donate a toothbrush, toothpaste, or dental floss will receive an additional 30 minutes of community service.**



TEEN ADVISORY BOARD – AMY706
Thursday, September 28
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

For 1 hour of community service, help make the library a better place for teens by sharing your ideas on teen programs, services, materials, and our Teen Loft while enjoying tasty pizza.



TRICK-OR-TREAT BAGS FOR CHILDREN IN NEED – AMY168 (TAKE & MAKE)
Wednesday, October 4

Decorate a trick-or-treat bag that will be donated to a child in need. Return your completed bag at the Adult Reference Desk by **Wednesday, October 18** to receive 2 hours of community service.

day when teens in New York State can engage in meaningful, service-oriented experiences. This year, help bring cheer to nursing home residents by decorating and writing warm, caring messages on rainbow scratch-off bookmarks. **Return your completed bookmarks to the Adult Reference Desk by Saturday, November 4 to receive 2 hours of community service.**



HOOKED ON BOOKS 

Have you read any good books lately? Let us know! For

community service credit, write a review for any book that you've recently read. Email us at YA@amityvillepubliclibrary.org with "Hooked On Books" as your subject line & we will send you the details.



THE GREAT GIVEBACK: KINDNESS BOOKMARKS FOR SENIORS – AMY169 (TAKE & MAKE)
Saturday, October 21

The Amityville Public Library is participating in The Great Giveback, a

ADULT Programs

• Register for all programs **without a fee** by emailing us at adult@amityvillepubliclibrary.org, include the name of the program in the subject line and your full name in the body of the email. Please also send a separate email for each program you'd like to attend. You can also register by calling the library at 631-264-0567 or on our website <https://www.amityvillepubliclibrary.org/adult-programs>.

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• Register for all programs **with a fee** by coming to the Circulation Desk with cash, check or money order. Registration is required.
• **Registration for all in-person adult programs will begin on Tuesday, August 29th for all Amityville Public Library cardholders and Tuesday, September 5th for all non- cardholders.**

BOOK DISCUSSION



COFFEE, BOOKS, AND SNACKS @ ANCHOR COFFEE

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Tuesdays of
September 12 &
October 10
10:00 to 11:00 a.m.
Join us at Anchor

Coffee (215 Broadway Amityville, NY 11701) to drink delicious coffee, eat tasty, fresh baked snacks, and discuss your favorite recent reads with other members of the Amityville community!

CONCERTS



SMITHTOWN COMMUNITY BAND PRESENTS: TRANSITIONS SAXOPHONE QUARTET

Saturday, September 30
2:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Transitions Saxophone Quartet is proud to present "Sax Appeal," a musical performance/workshop. "Sax Appeal" will explore the origins, evolution and physical structure of the saxophone from its invention in the early 1840's to its development and eventual application in most music genres in the 20th and 21st centuries.

CRAFT & COOKING PROGRAMS



HELLO FALL WITH AR WORKSHOP (TAKE & MAKE)
Thursday, September 14
Limit: 15



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SUCCULENT PUMPKINS
Monday, September 18
6:30 to 8:00 p.m.
Limit 15

In this class, you will learn how to make these trendy succulent pumpkins. Perfect for your own autumn decor or to bring

as a gift. The best part is that they will continue to grow! **Fee: \$5.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library.**



PUMPKIN PAINT NIGHT WITH CANVAS CREATIONS

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Thursday, September 28
6:45 to 8:15 p.m.
Limit: 20

Join Kathy from Canvas

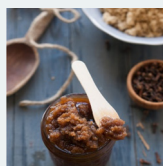
Creations and get into the fall season with her pumpkin paint night. **Fee: \$5.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library.**



HALLOWEEN SAND AND SEASHELL ART WITH ANNA

👤
Thursday, October 5
7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Limit: 15

Come join award winning mix media artist Anna Chan for an hour of fun crafting your own creepy crawler with black sand and seashells. Add your spin to Halloween and make it a spooky one! **Fee: \$5.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library.**



PUMPKIN SUGAR SCRUB (TAKE & MAKE)

Thursday, October 12
Limit: 20

Create a soothing body scrub with essential oils. **Fee: \$5.00**

check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library.



ESSENTIAL OILS WITH ANGELA

👤
Monday, October 16
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Limit: 20

Join Angela and make a Better Focus Essential oil to take home. **Fee: \$5.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library.**



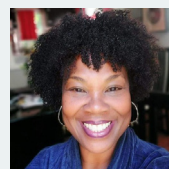
PUMPKIN STRING ART

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Monday, October 23
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Limit 20

Join Paint Party LI and make this

adorable 10x10 wood pumpkin decoration. **Fee: \$5.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library.**

WORK WITH WHAT YA GOT WITH RENEE JOSHUA-PORTER
👤
Thursday, October 26
7:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Limit 20



Join instructor, Renee Joshua-Porter, and learn how to "un-not" our minds and maximize ingredients to create healthy plant-based meals. Gain tools to use budget-friendly, non-toxic items in multiple ways, while protecting our families and peace of mind. **Fee: \$5.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library.**

DANCE PROGRAMS

BOLLYWOOD AND BHANGRA

👤
Thursdays: September 14, 21, 28, October 5, 12 & 19

6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Bollywood and Bhangra cardio dance classes that are high energy, include full body movement and are a ton of fun!

BEGINNER LINE DANCING WITH RINGO MONTANA

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Thursdays: September 21, 28, October 5, 12, 19 & 26

11:30 to 12:30 p.m.

Learn to dance to a mix of country and popular music. **Fee: \$10.00 check, cash or money order made payable to the Amityville Public Library is due at registration.**

DRIVING PROGRAMS

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

👤
Saturday, September 2

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Limit: 25 participants

Drivers who take the Defensive Driving Course will save 10% on their insurance and qualify for license point reduction.

Fee: \$30.00 check, or money order, made payable to the Empire Safety Council is due at registration. **Note: Only Amityville residents will be able to register for this class until Thursday, August 31st. After that, these classes will be open to everyone.**

AARP DEFENSIVE DRIVING

👤
Saturday, October 21

9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Limit: 25 participants

The AARP Smart Driver Course is the nation's largest classroom driver safety course and it's designed especially for drivers 50 and older.

Fee: \$30.00 (\$25.00 for all AARP members with an AARP membership card) check, or money order, made payable to AARP is required at the time of registration. **Note: Only Amityville residents will be able to register for these classes until Thursday, August 31st. After that, these classes will be open to everyone.**

GENERAL PROGRAMS

ONE-ON-ONE CAREER COACHING

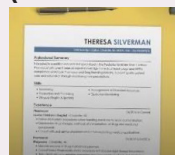
Phone OR 

Tuesday, September 12 and

Monday, October 16

6:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m.

(Choose one – 1 hour appointment)



Stephanie Jodlowski will help with resume writing, cover letters, career transition/direction advisement, job searching tips, job market analysis, mock interviewing /

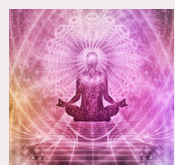
interview tips, LinkedIn profile creation or revision, etc. Registration is necessary so make an appointment with Stephanie as soon as possible! ***Note: Please let us know if you'd prefer a telephone or an in-person appointment when you register!**

DEPT. OF LABOR HIRING EVENT

Tuesday, September 5

6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Suffolk County Department of Labor will be recruiting for in-demand positions in Suffolk County. The HELP program is: Hiring for Emergency Limited Placement Program which temporarily waives Civil Service exam requirement for select titles. This is a unique chance for candidates to apply for civil service jobs without taking an exam.



VIRTUAL REIKI/ MEDITATION

Tuesdays: September 5, 19, October 3 & 17

7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Please join Reiki Master

Teacher & Meditation/Mindfulness Instructor, Nadia Mitchell for a Virtual Reiki-infused Meditation Class.

THE ABC'S OF MEDICARE

Thursday, September 7

3:00 to 4:30 p.m.

This educational series will answer all your Medicare questions by shedding light on eligibility, enrollment periods, supplements vs Medicare advantage plans, drug coverage, pharmaceutical assistance. Bring your questions and get ready to finally grasp the fundamentals of Medicare.

DIABETES SELF-MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Tuesdays: September 12, 19, 26

October 3, 10 & 17

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

With this 6-week program, participants will learn the tools to assist in managing their Type 2 diabetes, enabling them to get started on the path to improved health and well-being.

SHED THE MEDS (Main floor of library)

Friday, September 15

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

The Suffolk County Sheriff's Office hosts this safe way to properly dispose of unused medications. Proper disposal is essential to protect the environment and ensure that old drugs don't end up in the wrong hands. They are unable to collect non-liquid drugs/medications. All are welcome.

WESTERN SUFFOLK BOCES HOME STUDY PROGRAMS (Main floor of library)

Thursday, September 21

5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

High School Equivalency is designed for those who can speak, read and write in English, but unable to attend classes and would like to prepare for the GED exam.

English as a Second Language provides limited English-proficient students with a functional knowledge of the English language. Benefits of our programs include working at your own pace, picking up assignments at convenient locations including libraries. It's safe and convenient and at NO COST to qualifying students. For adults 21 and older.

NYS OF HEALTH MARKETPLACE-HEALTH INSURANCE ASSISTANCE

Wednesday, September 27

12:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Are you looking for health insurance? Health insurance enrollers will be at the library to help you shop for, compare, & enroll in health insurance coverage through the New York State of Health Marketplace. This program is in partnership with the New York State Department of Health. To make an appointment, please call 516-505-4426.

GROUP COACHING SESSIONS WITH NADIA

Tuesdays: August 1, 15, 29, September 12, 26 & October 10

7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Join Nadia for a 6-week mindset coaching session which is specific to your biggest challenge, combined with support and community. Be open and prepared to gain a new perspective and sharpen your intuitive cues.

ONE-ON-ONE CITIZENSHIP ONE HOUR APPOINTMENT



The Amityville Public Library will be offering free one-on-one informational appointments to discuss the general

citizenship process and how to prepare for the citizenship test. **Please note that no legal advice is given or offered at appointments. To set up an appointment for this program, please call Reference at 631-264-0567.**

HOW TO MAXIMIZE YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS IN RETIREMENT

Monday, September 18

6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Wes H. Triani, LUTCF, FSS, will facilitate this interactive workshop and will educate you on the various choices you're given when considering taking Social Security benefits. Spousal and divorce aspects of Social Security will also be discussed.

BEGINNER/REFRESHER CANASTA

Tuesdays: September 19, 26

and October 3

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Join instructor Jacqui Palatnik to learn or improve your Canasta skills. You will learn the strategies, and combinations of fun card games. Enjoy playing with the interaction of a partner.

HEALTH & FITNESS PROGRAMS

ZUMBA

Wednesdays:

September 13, 20, 27,

October 4, 11, 18, 25

10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Limit: 25 participants

Fee: \$20.00

Come take the "work" out of workout with our new instructor Danielle! We'll mix low-intensity and high-intensity moves for an interval-style, calorie-burning dance fitness party!



CHAIR YOGA WITH SANDRA

Wednesdays: September 6, 13, 20, 27,

October 4, 11, 18, 25

1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Limit: 25 participants

Fee: \$20.00

Chair yoga is a gentle form of yoga that is practiced sitting on a chair or standing using a chair for support. In addition to doing sitting and standing poses, the class will incorporate breathing techniques and ways of relaxation. **Note: Please bring a mat with you to place under the chair.**

MORNING INTERMEDIATE YOGA WITH JOLANTA

Thursdays: September 7, 14, 21, 28,

October 5, 12, 19, 26

10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Limit: 25 participants

Fee: \$20.00

Come join yoga teacher Jolanta as she leads you through a relaxing intermediate yoga class.

BEGINNERS YOGA WITH SANDRA

Thursdays: September 7, 14, 21, 28,

October 5, 12, 19, 26

5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Limit: 25 participants

Fee: \$20.00

This class incorporates Hatha Yoga poses at a slower, individualized pace.

QIGONG

Tuesdays: September 5, 12, 19, 26, October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Limit: 25 participants

Fee: \$20.00

Relaxing and invigorating, Qigong (pronounced chee kung) like Tai Chi, is a meditative movement practice that helps clear your mind of stress and anxiety. Bring a mat and water.

LANGUAGE CLASSES

ESL

Tuesdays: September 12, 19, 26, October 3, 10, 17 & 24

6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

This class mixes conversation as well as grammar facilitated by an instructor. Beginners and all levels of English are encouraged to join! Esta clase combina conversación y gramática facilitada por un instructor. ¡Se anima a los principiantes y todos los niveles de inglés a unirse!



LEARN SPANISH

Tuesdays: September 12, 19, 26, October 3, 10, 17 & 24

7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Learn basic Spanish in a relaxed, comfortable environment.

CONVERSATIONAL ENGLISH

Wednesdays: September 13, 20, 27, October 4, 11, 18 & 25

5:00 to 6:30 pm

Join this class at the library to practice your English conversation skills facilitated by instructors. All are welcome! Únase a esta clase en la biblioteca para practicar sus habilidades de conversación en inglés facilitadas por instructores. ¡Todos son bienvenidos!

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE

Thursdays: September 7, 14, 21, 28, October 5, 12, 19 & 26

7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

In this beginner class you will learn fingerspelling, numbers, vocabulary, and basic conversational phrases. Please let us know if you will be in-person or participating virtually.

MOVIES AND FILM LECTURES

CHICAGO: 1927 SILENT FILM PRESENTATION BY LOCAL FILM HISTORIAN JOHN CARPENTER

Friday, September 29

Starts at 1:00 p.m.

Local Film Historian John Carpenter is bringing to Amityville the first and very rare silent film version of a 1927 Broadway play. Set in the jazz era of the roaring 1920s this first film version captures authentically the era, the look, the atmosphere, and yellow journalistic cravings for the popularity of murder if done by a sexy flapper.

THE MOVIE MAN'S FRIDAY THE 13TH SCREAMS OF FEAR AND FUN FILMS

Friday, October 13

Starts at 1:00 p.m.

Film Historian John Carpenter has returned and has chosen on Friday the 13th to create his own Amityville Horror for us by delving into the catacombs of his Massapequa Park crypt to unearth and bring to life the likes of Laurel and Hardy, the Little Rascals, and the Three Stooges in comedies that with a 'Halloween' flavor will have all laugh watching them face terror face to face!

ABBOTT & COSTELLO MEET FRANKENSTEIN: A LARRY WOLFF LECTURE

Monday, October 30

7:00 to 8:30 p.m.



displaying on screen fright as "The Boys"

Learn about the making of the funniest horror film of all time and how it almost was never filmed! See why no one could top Lou Costello in

tangle with Universal's classic monsters as the monsters took a final screen bow - Frankenstein's Monster, The Wolfman, and the immortal Count Dracula! And learn about the monster that didn't make it into the film. Film highlights to be shown. An autograph, memorabilia and book display are included.

FRIDAY MOVIE MATINEE

Fridays: September 15 and October 20

Starts at 12:00 p.m.

Come enjoy a movie and some snacks! The movie to be shown will be announced as we get closer to the date since we want to show a newly released film if possible! Keep a lookout for flyers and on our website as well as social media. **No registration necessary.**

MUSIC CLASSES



VIRTUAL GUITAR

Mondays: September 11, 18, 25, October 2, 16, 23 & 30

7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Join Chris Fury, a professional guitarist, who will coach you through the basics live during this virtual class.



VIRTUAL UKULELE

Mondays: September 11, 18, 25, October 2, 16, 23 & 30

8:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Learn from the ground up how to play scales, melodies, chords, and your favorite songs in this fun beginner friendly ukulele class.

TECHNOLOGY



TECH TIME

Saturdays: September 9 and October 7

Meet with our tech and have all technology related

questions answered. Bring in your cell phone, laptop, iPhone, Android or any tech-related questions to help navigating this ever-changing world of technology Call or visit the Reference desk to schedule an appointment!

INTRODUCTION TO WINDOWS 11

Monday, September 11

6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

This hands-on class will provide an understanding of the brand-new operating system Windows 11 from Microsoft. You will learn about the new Windows 11 features; how to use the newly redesigned desktop, and the new applications available as well as how to download the free upgrade to your windows computer and much more. **Prerequisite - Comfort with your Windows computer.**

INTRODUCTION FOR 3D PRINTING

Thursday, September 14

7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

In this introductory workshop you will learn how a 3D printer works and print your own adorable fall-themed object.

INTRODUCTION TO MICROSOFT EXCEL

Monday, September 25

6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

In this hands-on class, learn the basics of the world's most popular spreadsheet program, including creating, editing, and formatting worksheets, formulas, and much more.

Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten and 1st Grade or equivalent.

CREATE A WINNING RESUME

Monday, October 2

6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

In this hands-on class, students will learn how to create a resume template, using designs, setting up indents, margins, formatting and much more. ****Please note this class will not assist students with the content on their resume. Prerequisite: Intro to Word or equivalent.**

INTRODUCTION TO CHAT GPT AND A.I.

Thursday October 5

6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

In this class, you will learn about the latest technology to hit mainstream; Chat GPT. Students will learn what Chat GPT is, how to use it safely, create an account and much more. **No prerequisites.**

WRITING PROGRAMS

CREATIVE WRITING

Mondays: September 11, 25, October 2, 23

10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Everyone has a story inside of them that they need to tell. Join our supportive group of writers as we bring our stories to light. Writing is therapeutic, rewarding and in some cases even profitable! Come check us out and bring out your inner writer!



ARTISTIC MEMBERS OF BACCA

Every month we have creative artwork on display at the library. We are pleased to present the following artists in the upcoming months:

SEPTEMBER

Carol Gandarillas

Ms. Gandarillas uses oils & watercolors to paint in a realistic style.

OCTOBER

Melissa Maiello

A popular artist whose art is created with charcoal & photography.

If you would like to have your artwork displayed, please contact the Reference Desk.

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Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sundays- Closed

Library will be closed

for the following holidays:

- Monday, September 4 for Labor Day
- Monday, October 9 for Columbus Day

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FREE HOMEBOUND DELIVERY AND PICKUP

Amityville Library District residents who are physically unable to come to the library due to illness, age, or disability are eligible for our homebound services. Please contact the Reference Desk at 631-264-0567 for more information.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN SOMEONE'S LIFE?

Become a literacy tutor!
Literacy Suffolk will train you

how to become a tutor and work with students to improve their reading skills for either Basic Literacy Learners or English Language Learners. Visit the Literacy Suffolk website at <http://literacysuffolk.org/> or ask for Adrienne at the Reference Desk for more information.



DIGITAL TALKING BOOKS SERVICE

If you or someone you know are unable to read regular print as a result of temporary or permanent

visual or physical limitations, ask a Librarian about the Library of Congress talking book program. Talking books and equipment are sent directly to the patron's home through the United States Postal Service and free of charge.



FCA'S ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVER SUPPORT PROGRAM

Thursdays of

September 14, 28, October 12, 26
2:00 to 3:30 p.m.

FCA's Alzheimer's Caregiver Support

Program offers free assistance and support to caregivers who are caring for a loved one with Alzheimer's disease or other dementias. We are funded by the Willing Hearts, Helpful Hands Program from Parker Jewish Institute for Healthcare and Rehabilitation. We support our families by offering care consultations by our licensed professionals in our support groups.

WILLING HEARTS, HELPFUL HANDS (Table Main Floor Library)

Thursday September 21
2:00 to 4:00 p.m.



Please visit the Willing Hearts, Helpful Hands outreach table!

They are here every month for 2 hours and are providing an array of free services for Caregivers of those with Alzheimer's or any other Dementia. WHHH provides free pamphlets, educational flyers, seminars too!



Nassau-Suffolk
Hospital Council

NASSAU-SUFFOLK HOSPITAL COUNCIL'S

MEDICAID ENROLLMENT
Mondays of September 18 and
October 23

12:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council's Medicaid Enrollment assistants will be in the library to provide Medicaid enrollment assistance to adults and children who are disabled or blind, and anyone over the age of 65. They can also answer any questions people may have regarding utilizing insurance, understanding their benefits, finding specialists, etc. .



HISPANIC COUNSELING CENTER, INC (Table Event) Mondays of September 18 & October 16

3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Hispanic Counseling Center, Inc provides community engagement, mental health wellness promotion, individual screenings for mental health conditions, brief counseling, and referrals to licensed mental health professionals, as needed. These services are free for the community and offered in both English and Spanish.



Catholic Health
Mobile Outreach Bus

CATHOLIC HEALTH BUS OUTREACH (Library Parking Lot)

Friday, October 20
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

This outreach program provides blood pressure, cholesterol, body mass index, and glucose screenings along with patient education and referrals as needed. No appointments are necessary for members of the community. Insurance is not required and there are no fees. The bus will be in the Amityville Public Library parking lot.