## **ELECTION DAY EVENTS**

#### **AMNESTY DAY**

Bring us your long-overdue items and all fines will be waived.

#### **CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES**

CUPCAKE DECORATING

10:00 a.m.-8:30 p.m., for children of all ages Come into the library and decorate cupcakes to take home and enjoy. No need to register; just stop by!

## THE JESTER JIM SHOW

4:30 p.m., for children with their families
This is not your ordinary juggling show! With a trunk
full of props and a looping machine, Jester Jim takes
the stage and starts his show. Young and old will be
glued to his every sound as he performs his amazing
beatbox intro. Kids and adults alike will be talking
about Jester Jim's wild antics for weeks!

### **TEEN PROGRAMS**

TEEN SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH PROGRAM POSTER PRESENTATIONS 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Students involved with Mr. Raudsepp's research classes at the Cold Spring Harbor Junior/Senior High School will present their research posters at the library! Community members are encouraged to meet with these budding scientists.

## **ADULT PROGRAMS**

Masters in our Midst: Long Island's Great Artists 7:00 p.m.

Join the former Chief Curator of the Nassau County Museum of Art, Franklin Hill Perrell, for a presentation on Long Island's famous artists, both legendary and contemporary. Non Profit Organization U.S. Postage Paid Permit #8 Cold Spring Harbor, NY

Cold Spring Harbor Library
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# Come on in...



Budget Vote &
Trustee Election
Tuesday, April 14, 2015
9:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
@ Your Library

"The library is an A+ institution in this community."

David Pennetta, Cushman & Wakefield

Cold Spring Harbor Library 95 Harbor Road Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724 Phone: 631-692-6820 www.cshlibrary.org **Q.** Where can I find more information about the 2015-16 budget?

**A.** Complete details will be mailed. They will also be available at the Circulation Desk and on our website, www.cshlibrary.org, after March 1.

Q. Where do I vote?

**A.** You vote in the library on Tuesday, April 14, from 9:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

**Q.** Who is eligible to vote?

**A.** All residents of the CSH School District who are registered to vote in the school district's annual budget vote are eligible to vote in the CSH Library election. Call Election Clerk Susan Tyska at (631) 692-6820, x501 for details.

**Q.** I will be away on April 14. Can I get an absentee ballot?

**A.** Yes, if you are unable to vote in person, you may apply for an absentee ballot. Applications will be available at the Circulation Desk and on our website after March 1.

**Q.** Does the budget comply with the tax cap?

**A.** Yes, the State Comptroller's Office sets the maximum percentage increase and the budget is in compliance.

Dear Residents,

Local resident Henry H. Johnston put it best when he said, "I see [the library] as a community center that is a site for educational lectures as well as a meeting place for various clubs and social groups. I see it as a place where our children and grandchildren are taught to love reading and have it become part of their lives, a very necessary factor that will make them active and socially involved adults in the future. And, of course it is a great place to go to sit, read and enjoy the view."

We are happy to provide you with all of this and so much more. With the advancement of the digital age, even the manner in which people learn and connect with one another has altered. Ebooks and online databases are just a few of the many resources available through your library.

This budget proposal reflects the Cold Spring Harbor Library Board's long-standing commitment to provide exceptional services to the community. The proposal for fiscal year 2015-2016 complies with the Governor's Tax Cap of 1.62% and will enable us to maintain the collections and services you expect and deserve.

On April 14, 2015, please take a few minutes to visit the library and participate in the budget vote and trustee election. We invite you to avail yourself of our special programming throughout the day.

**TOTAL** 

Bond Payment 11 of 20

TOTAL TAX LEVY

We hope to see you soon.

Diane Scinta Interim Director

EXPENSES	<b>Approved 2014/2015</b>	Proposed 2015/2016
Salaries & Benefits	\$1,321,554	\$1,352,530
New Materials	\$204,512	\$212,712
Technology	\$69,600	\$71,800
Events & Museum Passes	\$45,150	\$45,750
Continuing Education	\$11,500	\$12,000
Building & Grounds Maintenance	\$86,000	\$86,000
Insurance, Legal & Accounting	\$98,185	\$102,385
Operations	\$167,850	\$168,050
Capital Reserve	\$14,000	\$14,700
TOTAL	\$2,018,351	\$2,065,927
REVENUE	Approved 2014/2015	Proposed 2015/2016
Tax Levy	\$1,952,828	\$1,995,770
Fees & Fines	\$12,300	\$9,300
Interest	\$3,000	\$1,000
Donations	\$33,408	\$43,042
Fund Balance Transfer	\$15,000	\$15,000
NYS Library Aid	\$1,815	\$1,815

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