







Serving the communities of Cold Spring Harbor, Laurel Hollow & Lloyd Harbor | December 2020

# GOOGLE ... MORE THAN JUST A SEARCH ENGINE



Tuesday, December 8, 2:00pm

You probably use Google at least a few times a week to find information online. But do you know that Google offers services and information far beyond its search features? SeniorNet will demonstrate various

Google services, including Google Docs, Google Translate, video, maps, and Google Arts & Culture. Please register with an email address by Monday, December 7. The Zoom meeting link will be emailed to you on the morning of the program.

# HOLIDAY GUITAR LESSON WITH CHRIS FURY

Wednesday, December 9, 5:00-6:30pm

For kids in grades 7-12 & adults

Grab a guitar and learn the fundamentals, as we join our teacher Chris Fury and play a variety of songs fitting for the season.

## WINTRY FAMILY TRIVIA NIGHT

Monday, December 14, 7:00-8:00pm For all ages & families

Test your knowledge on all things wintry, from seasonal science to holiday television specials. The top three teams will win gift certificates to Sweetie Pies on Main. We recommend participants have two devices available to participate: one phone or TV on which to view the Zoom meeting, and one tablet or phone on which to answer the questions on AhaSlides. The Zoom chat will open at 6:45pm. Please plan to arrive early to address any technical issues you may have. The game will begin promptly at 7:00pm! Families can work together or compete against one another.

## TOYS FOR TOTS

This holiday season, we are pleased to be a U.S. Marine Corps Toys for Tots drop-off location. When you visit the library, please bring a new, unwrapped toy for a needy child on Long Island. This act of generosity will bring joy to both the giver and receiver.

# Library Hours

Monday – Thursday, 9:30am – 9:00pm Friday & Saturday, 9:30am – 5:00pm Sunday (September 13, 2020-June 13, 2021) 1:00 – 5:00pm

THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED Thursday, December 24 & Friday, December 25 (Christmas) Thursday, December 31 at 1:00pm & Friday, January 1 (New Year's Day)

# Library Board Meetings

All are welcome. Monday, December 7, 7:00pm Monday, January 4, 7:00pm

# Contact Us

Website: www.cshlibrary.org Phone: (631) 692-6820 Fax: (631) 692-6827

# Register for Programs Here!



www.cshlibrary.org

Visit the library's homepage and click on the calendar icon to register for library programs.

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Dear Residents,

The events of 2020 forced the Library to create new ways to provide service to the community. We were very pleased to see patrons taking advantage of our online resources and virtual programs. We also appreciate your cooperation in observing the various safety precautions put into place since our reopening.

I would like to thank the Friends Foundation for their generous donation of over \$37,000, which helped pay for books, eBooks, virtual programs, our free Museum Pass service, and our Summer Reading Club. Please see the enclosed letter from the Friends Foundation in this newsletter.

As we look forward to 2021 we will continue to offer a wide variety of virtual and outdoor programs for all ages. Please review this newsletter to find programs of interest to you and your family.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees and the Library staff, have a great holiday season and I look forward to seeing you at the library!

Sincerely, Dr. Roger Podell Executive Director

# ADULT & INFORMATION SERVICES

Register for adult programs at the Adult & Information Services Desk, online, or by phone at (631) 692-6820.

# Programs for Adults

All classes are online and are free and open to all. New classes in calligraphy, watercolor painting, and writing will begin in January. If you would like to receive the weekly emails about our events for adults, please email programs@cshlibrary.org.

#### YOGA FOR ALL LEVELS

#### Wednesdays, December 2, 9 & 16, 10:00am

Students at all levels of yoga practice are invited to participate in this all-inclusive class. A certified and experienced instructor, Nancy Kelly modifies her teaching to match each student's abilities.

#### **TOM & JESSE TALK MOVIES**

#### Wednesdays, December 2 & 16, 3:30pm

Join our resident movie experts Tom and Jesse for a free-ranging discussion on films new and old. Visit our website to see what films they will be discussing.

#### MEDITATION WITH LINDA CAFIERO

Thursdays, December 3 & 17, 3:00pm Come for a relaxing half hour of guided meditation.

#### HEART OF THE HARBOR BOOK DISCUSSION Thursdays, December 3, 10 & 17, 7:00pm

Looking to join a lively book discussion group? Join us as we explore different books each month. Visit our website for the titles we will be discussing!

#### TAI CHI

#### Fridays, December 4, 11 & 18, 10:00am

Tai chi is a low-impact, slow-motion, gentle exercise program that puts minimal stress on joints and muscles. The benefits of tai chi include improved flexibility, balance, and agility as well as increased muscle strength, energy, and stamina.

#### FITNESS FUSION

#### Mondays, December 7 & 14, 7:00pm

Taught by Dorothy Mandrakos, Fitness Fusion will introduce you to the healing arts of QiGong, yoga, and meditation. QiGong is a moving meditation that is both relaxing and invigorating. Yoga increases strength and flexibility. Meditation allows you to clear your mind and improve concentration. Please have a wall, sturdy chair, and a mat available during class. Beginners welcome!

#### NORTHWELL HEALTH LECTURE: HEALTHY HOLIDAY EATING Thursday, December 10, 3:00pm

The holidays are a time for friends, family, and food. Many of our traditional holiday dishes can be particularly decadent. In this lecture you will learn how to plan a healthy holiday meal, hear strategies for healthy eating at any dinner table or from any menu, and receive several delicious plant-based holiday recipes to wow your guests. Presented by Stephanie Schiff, CDE, RD of Northwell Health. Class limit: 12. This program is brought to you courtesy of your Town of Huntington Public Libraries.

#### **A NEW LIGHT ON TIFFANY**

#### Tuesday, December 15, 1:00pm

Explore the New-York Historical Society's collection of Tiffany lamps—one of the world's largest and most encyclopedic—and the intricate techniques that created them with this interactive virtual presentation. View masterpieces of this elegant American art form and hear the personal stories of head designer Clara Driscoll and her team of "Tiffany Girls," whose contributions were nearly forgotten by history. Class limit: 30.

> CHECK THE ONLINE CALENDAR AT WWW.CSHLIBRARY.ORG FOR MORE PROGRAMS

# Children's Programs

Registration required for all programs. For all online programs, a link will be emailed to you the day before the program.

For children ages 2-5

#### **TAKE-HOME CRAFTS**

Register online for your kit. New kits will be available on Mondays. Kits not picked up by Wednesday will go to a wait-listed child.

#### For children in grades K-5

Monday, December 7 – Wooden Peace Wall Hanging Monday, December 14 - Flower Pot Snowmen Monday, December 28 - New Year's Eve Noisemakers

For children ages 2-5 (Not yet in Kindergarten)

Monday, December 7 – Polar Bears Monday, December 14 – Paper Snow Globe Monday, December 28 - New Year's Eve Noisemakers

#### LIVE ZOOM: JUMP FOR JOY

Monday, December 7, 11:00am For children ages 2-5 This lively, interactive program will feature stories, music, dancing, and exercise, with an educational twist.

#### LIVE ZOOM: ADVENTURES IN ART FAMILY PORTRAITS WITH AUGUSTE RENOIR & MARY CASSATT

Wednesday, December 9, 4:00pm For kids in grades K-5

Take a deep dive into the paintings of these famous artists, then create your own family portrait inspired by what you have learned. Materials needed: paper, pencil, crayons/colored pencils/markers.

#### ONLINE GRAPHIC NOVEL BOOK DISCUSSION

Monday, December 14, 7:00pm For kids in grades 3-5 Join Jackie for a discussion of *Doodleville* by Chad Sell. Stop by the library to pick up a copy of the book to keep!

#### LIVE ZOOM: WINTER STORY & CRAFT

Join us for a winter-themed storytime and craft.

Thursday, December 17, 11:00am



#### WHAT'S COOKIN' WITH MISS ALLISON VIA ZOOM

Friday, December 18, 4:00pm For kids of all ages Create some delicious holiday treats! REINDEER CRUNCH INGREDIENTS: caramel corn, M&M's, dried cranberries, small pretzels, raisins, mini marshmallows, and corn chex. SCONES INGREDIENTS: flour, sugar, baking powder, salt, butter, eggs, and milk.

#### ONLINE DANCE PARTY MANIA

Tuesday, December 22, 4:00pm For kids of all ages Join us for a great time! Macarena, Chicken Dance, Hokey Pokey, and much more!

# FOR TEENS & TWEENS

#### TEENS TEACH: PYTHON BASICS WITH CHARLIE WOOD

Thursday, December 3, 7:00pm

For kids in grades 5-12 Want to learn how to code? Learn the basics of the coding language Python, as taught by our volunteer Charlie.

#### TAKE-HOME CRAFT: PEPPERMINT SUGAR SCRUB Monday, December 7, pickup from 10:00am-9:00pm For kids in grades 5-12 Make a sugar scrub for yourself, or to give as a gift.

TEENS TEACH: HOLIDAY BAKING WITH MEGGIE BAXTER & SOFIA MULADA Monday, December 7, 7:00pm For kids in grades 5-12 Join Meggie and Sofia in baking some winter-themed treats!

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### JUMP-START COLLEGE ADMISSIONS

Thursday, December 10, 7:00pm For teens & their parents

Learn how college admissions have changed during these difficult times and how to select and differentiate yourself to the right colleges. Conducted by Michael Binder, founder of Your College Navigator.

#### WINTRY GREETING CARD WORKSHOP Wednesday, December 16, 5:00-6:30pm For kids in grades 7-12

Learn how to make creative, wintry, pop-up greeting cards perfect for sending to friends, loved ones, and the community, with artist Chris Vivas. Teens who sign up for the take-home community service pickup on Monday, December 14 will be able to use the kit for this program-make sure to sign up for your kit; supplies are limited!

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# **TEEN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

#### FOR TEENS IN GRADES 7-12

We are pleased to be offering multiple opportunities to earn community service hours from home! Here are some ways you can earn community service hours from home:

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE CRAFT: WINTRY GREETING CARDS

#### Monday, December 14, pickup from 10:00am-9:00pm

Pick up a free kit of pop-up greeting card craft supplies to send to family and friends. Spread cheer in the community and send us a photo at teen@cshlibrary.org for one hour of community service. These kits can be used at our informational workshop on Wednesday, December 16 at 5:00pm. Register on our calendar at www.cshlibrary.org, and learn how to use your materials to create beautiful wintry cards this season! Reserves will be held until Wednesday morning.

#### TEEN BOOK CLUB: TWELVE HOLIDAY STORIES

#### Tuesday, December 15, 7:00-8:00pm

Join us on Zoom for a fun discussion of the short story compilation *My True Love Gave to Me: Twelve Holiday Stories*. Pickup your FREE copy of the book starting November 23 at the Circulation Desk. Number limited. Teens will earn one hour of community service for attending and participating in the discussion—reading is a community service!

#### TEEN VIRTUAL VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION

Thursday, December 17, 6:30pm Learn about the library's virtual volunteer opportunities.

#### TEEN LIBRARY COUNCIL

Thursday, December 17, 7:00-8:00pm

Hang out on Zoom and give us ideas and feedback regarding library services, collection development, and programs.