



Serving the communities of Cold Spring Harbor, Laurel Hollow & Lloyd Harbor | March 2021

COLD SPRING HARBOR LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE & TRUSTEE ELECTION

On Tuesday, April 6 we will hold our annual Budget Vote and Trustee Election. The vote will take place at the Library from 9:30am to 9:00pm.

On Monday, March 15 we will hold our Budget Meeting and Meet the Candidates Night at 7:00pm via Zoom. We will post the Zoom meeting information on the Library website prior to the meeting.

We will also be sending out a budget mailer and posting that information on our website. The mailer will include a breakdown of the proposed budget and a comparison to last year's budget. The proposed budget includes a 1.90% tax levy increase, which complies with the New York State tax cap. This amounts to an average increase of under \$20 per household annually.

There were unusual costs in 2020. We maintained staff and salaries during the closure, as Library employees worked from home to provide virtual programs, participate in online chats, produce videos for Facebook and YouTube, check on patrons by phone, and coordinate online services. We also faced increased costs for cleaning supplies, PPE, and plexiglass so that the patrons and staff could all use the Library safely.

We were pleased to see that the community was able to use the Library's resources during the pandemic. Although we were unable to host in-person programs, our virtual programs have been very well attended by children, teens, and adults. Over 10,000 patrons attended programs during 2020. By reopening in June, patrons were able to borrow print materials again, and eBook usage increased by 52% in 2020 compared to the previous year.

Thank you again for your continued support of the Library.
--Roger Podell, Library Director

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

Library Board Meetings

All are welcome.

Monday, March 1, 7:00pm

BUDGET MEETING & MEET THE

CANDIDATES: Monday, March 15, 7:00pm

Monday, April 5, 7:00pm

Contact Us

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Long Island Reads 2021

The Vanishing Half



The 2021 Long Island Reads Selection Award event will honor Brit Bennett, author of *The Vanishing Half*, on Sunday, April 11 at 2:00pm. Bennett will receive her

award at a live virtual ceremony on Crowdcast. Tickets are free of charge and will be available beginning Monday, March 1 at 9:30am through www.longislandreads.wordpress.com and www.longislandreads2021.eventbrite.com.

HORNBLOWER MEMORIAL EVENT: WILD LONG ISLAND

Thursday, March 4, 7:00pm

Learn about the fascinating wildlife that can be found on the land, in the air, and in the waters of Long Island with Chris Paparo.

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Letter from the Director

Dear Residents,

We have numerous programs this month of interest to all ages! Please read through this newsletter to find the right programs for you and your family.

We have programs specifically designed for teens, and several volunteer opportunities for teens in grades 7-12. Our children's programs include online and take-home crafts, and our adult programs feature topics including health, history, movies, and the local environment.

Our free Museum Pass Program offers indoor options for bad weather and outdoor venues for good weather—no doubt March will bring us some of each! Please take advantage of this free service.

As always, please be assured that we will continue to make every effort to keep the Library a safe place to visit, through social distancing, extensive cleaning, and mask requirements for both staff and patrons.

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 programs will be held online via Zoom or GoToMeeting. Register by the evening before in order to receive the meeting links. Please log on to the meetings 5-10 minutes before the start of the program. If you would like to receive weekly emails about our events for adults, please email programs@cshlibrary.org.

NEW CLASS: CHAIR YOGA

Five Mondays, March 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29, 10:30-11:30am

Chair yoga is a low impact yet well-rounded alternative yoga practice. Instructor Nav Bal will lead this class designed to improve your strength, flexibility, and overall quality of life, using a chair to provide stability and safety.

LIVING HEALTHY WITH BETTER CHOICES

Six Thursdays, March 4, 11, 18 & 25 and April 1 & 8, 11:00am

Join us for a six-week workshop series that will empower older adults and their caregivers to take charge of their chronic conditions. Presented by RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program). Limit: 12.

MEDITATION WITH LINDA CAFIERO

Thursday, March 4, 3:00pm

Come for a relaxing half hour of guided meditation.

TOM & JESSE TALK MOVIES: MARTIN SCORSESE

Wednesdays, March 10 & 24, 3:30pm

March is the month of Martin Scorsese. Tom & Jesse will be discussing *Bringing Out the Dead* (streaming on Prime Video), followed by *After Hours* (streaming on Hulu, HBO Max, and Prime Video). Both films are also available through the library. Check our weekly emails for program updates.

HEART OF THE HARBOR BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Thursdays, March 11 & 25, 7:00pm

Join Librarians Carolyn and Scott on March 11 as they host local author Meryl Ain! Hear about her new career as an author, the process of writing a novel, and the inspiration for her debut novel, *The Takeaway Men*. Q&A to follow.

COLON CANCER AWARENESS 2021

Thursday, March 11, 7:00pm

Dr. Rivadeneira, a Northwell Health Huntington-based colorectal surgeon and Director of the Northwell Health Cancer Institute at Huntington, will discuss preventing, diagnosing, and treating colorectal cancer, as well as explain the differences between colon and rectal cancer.

HISTORY HIGHLIGHTS: ROSALIE GARDINER JONES & THE LONG ISLAND SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT

Tuesday, March 16, 7:00pm

In a new historical series, Librarian Scott will present various topics in pre-recorded programs on our YouTube channel. This month's presentation will focus on Rosalie Gardiner Jones of Cold Spring Harbor, who played a significant role in Long Island's contribution to the last decade of the women's suffrage movement. If you have any suggestions for future programs, please email askref@cshlibrary.org.

VISUAL JOURNALING

Tuesday, March 16, 7:00pm

Using guided meditations, gentle movement, and visualizations with simple art materials, Linda Cafiero will help you connect with the wisdom of your soul and rediscover your true nature. No artistic skills are necessary, just a playful spirit and willingness to explore! Minimal supplies needed. Check website for details. Limit: 25.

CLANCY BROTHERS & TOMMY MAKEM: THE EARLY DAYS

Monday, March 22, 7:00pm

Join us for this presentation on one of the most beloved and influential Irish folk groups of the past century, The Clancy Brothers and Tommy Makem. Singer and radio broadcaster Kevin Westley will share stories, music, and videos of their early recordings, performances on *The Danny Thomas Show*, *The Ed Sullivan Show*, and much more. You may even get a chance to sing along! Limit: 14.

Classes in Intermediate Watercolor and Broad-Edge Pen Calligraphy also start this month, in addition to our regular fitness programs. Visit our online calendar at www.cshlibrary.org to view our full listing of offerings.



Children's Programs

Registration required for all programs. All programs are online.
A link will be emailed to you the day before the program.

WEEKLY STORYTIMES

Tuesdays, 11:00am

For children ages 2-5 with adult

Join our children's librarians online for a weekly storytime. The storytime will also be recorded and the link will be sent out after the program to view at a more convenient time!

BEGINNER WATERCOLOR PAINTING FOR CHILDREN

Thursdays, March 4, 11, 18 & 25, 4:00pm

For children in grades K-5

Learn the basics of watercolor and create your very own beautiful watercolor paintings. Watercolor kits can be picked up starting Monday, March 1!

VOLUNTEERS FOR WILDLIFE PRESENTS: MEET THE ANIMALS

Wednesday, March 10, 11:00am

For children ages 2-5 with adult

Learn about the different classes of animals and their characteristics. Meet our cold-blooded reptiles, our furry mammals, and our feathered birds in this easygoing presentation. Funded by the William Hornblower Memorial Fund.

ADVENTURES IN ART LIVE: HENRI MATISSE

Wednesday, March 10, 4:30pm

For children in grades K-5

Discover the colorful cutouts of modern artist Henri Matisse, then make your own paper collage inspired by what you have learned. Materials: several sheets of colored paper, scissors, and glue. The program will be recorded and posted on our Facebook and YouTube accounts to view at a more convenient time!

COOKIN' WITH MISS ALLISON: RAINBOW TREATS

Friday, March 12, 4:00pm

For children in grades K-5

Join Miss Allison and make some delicious treats. We will be making rainbow cupcakes and a rainbow fruit skewer! Can't make it? The program will be recorded and posted on our Facebook and YouTube accounts to view at a more convenient time!

ST. PATRICK'S DAY STORY & CRAFT

Tuesday, March 16, 11:00am

For children ages 2-5 with adult

Join Miss Lisa for a fun program with St. Patrick's Day stories and songs.

ONLINE GRAPHIC NOVEL BOOK CLUB

Monday, March 22, 7:00pm

For children in grades 3-5

Join Miss Jackie for a discussion of *Camp* by Kayla Miller. Stop by the library and pick up a copy of the book to keep!

MINECRAFT MANIA

Wednesday, March 24, 3:45pm

For children in grades K-5

Join Minecraft Mania for a fun hour building in Minecraft!

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.

Save the planet! If possible, please return your bags so they can be reused after being quarantined.

For children in grades K-5

Monday, March 8 – Rainbow Boxes

Monday, March 22 – Cherry Blossom Egg Carton

For children ages 2-5

Monday, March 8 – Rainbow Wall Hanging

Monday, March 22 – Make a Doily Lion and Doily Lamb

GRAB & GO CRAFT: POT OF GOLD

Available March 1 through the end of the month, while supplies last!

For children of all ages

Pick up a kit to create your very own Pot of Gold paper craft. Available at the Circulation Desk while supplies last! No registration required.

FOR TEENS & TWEENS

ONLINE: BEGINNERS GUITAR

Mondays, March 1-29, 5:00pm

For kids in grades 5-12 & adults

Join this five-week course to build a foundation in guitar playing with instructor Chris Fury. Zoom link will be sent prior to first meeting.

ONLINE: CALLIGRAFFITI

Tuesdays, March 9-30, 4:00pm

For kids in grades 5-12

Learn to mix calligraphy and graffiti with instructor Helen Murdock-Prep! Suggested materials: Tombow Dual Brush markers, Dual Brush markers by Artist's Loft (found at Michaels) in assorted colors, any size black Micron markers, and any white gel pen. Program sponsored by the Town of Huntington Public Libraries.

TAKE-HOME CRAFT: ST. PAT'S CAKE POPS

Monday, March 15, pick up 10:00am-9:00pm until Wednesday at noon.

For kids in grades 5-12

Kits make six pops and include assorted sprinkles, cake, frosting, and candy. An instructional video from the Baking Coach will also be sent. Register now, supplies are limited!

ONLINE: CHANGES TO THE SAT INFO MEETING

Wednesday, March 10, 6:00pm

For high school students & parents

With the recent announcement by the College Board that the SAT Subject Tests will no longer be offered, and that the SAT Essay will not be offered after June 2021, join us in this virtual meeting with Mindy Lampert from C2 Education. She will discuss what "SAT Test Optional" means and how students can position themselves well to gain college admission, secure scholarship funds, and be placed in the right course level once they start attending. Program sponsored by the Town of Huntington Public Libraries.

ONLINE: THE NEW RULES OF COLLEGE ADMISSIONS

Thursday, March 25, 7:00pm

For teens planning for college

Following up on our fall program, learn about the new rules, changes, and things to prepare for getting admitted to college. Get better results and maximize your impact when applying. Program presented by Michael Binder, Your College Navigator.

**Check the online calendar at
www.cshlibrary.org for more programs.**



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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:

ONLINE: WILD LONG ISLAND

Monday, March 4, 7:00pm

For teens in grades 7-12 & adults

Learn about the fascinating wildlife that can be found on the land, in the air, and in the waters of Long Island with Chris Paparo, the manager of Stony Brook University's Marine Sciences Center. Teens who attend the event will earn one hour of community service credit. Please register by the evening before the program in order to receive the link to attend. This program is made possible by the William Hornblower Memorial Fund.

COMMUNITY SERVICE CRAFT: PINE CONE BIRD FEEDERS

Monday, March 8, pick up 10:00am-9:00pm until Wednesday at noon.

Craft a DIY pine cone bird feeder to help the animals usher in warmer weather with a full stomach! No peanut butter used; kit includes suet (a fat mix), a pine cone, pipe cleaner, and instructions. Teens will receive 1.5 hours of community service credit for building the feeder, taking a photo of it hanging up outside for the birds, and emailing it to teen@cshlibrary.org.

ONLINE: TEEN LIBRARY COUNCIL

Thursday, March 18, 7:00pm

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

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