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All Together Now



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2023 Dennis Cannataro Family Summer Concert Series



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| July 20 | One Step Ahead (Greatest Hits) |
| July 27 | Penny Lane (Beatles) |
| August 3 | Boardwalk Nights (Jersey Shore Tribute) |
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LONG ISLAND'S LARGEST LIBRARY - SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF SMITHTOWN:
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CHILDREN

Registration is required for these programs unless otherwise indicated • All program fees are non-refundable • Register online at www.smithlib.org

Children's Program Registration Information

In person, online and telephone registration begins at 9:30am for **Commack on Wednesday, May 31, Kings Park on Friday, May 26, Nesconset on Tuesday, June 6** and **Smithtown on Tuesday, May 30**. Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise indicated. Check the Library's calendar or contact your local Children's Department for availability. A complete list is also available on the Library's website at www.smithlib.org.

Please note: Each child must have his/her own Library card to register for programs. Priority is given to Smithtown residents for program registration. Children's programs are created with the needs, abilities and interests of the age groups listed. To make programs enjoyable for the children and their caregivers, please register for programs that correspond with the child's age. Programs that include food may not be suitable for those with food allergies.

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LearnLab
Program

Design a Bookmark Contest

Monday, June 19-Saturday, August 5
(Entering Grade K-5)

Do you want to see your artwork in print? Enter our Design-a-Bookmark contest. Visit the Children's Department of any building to pick up an entry form. Twelve winning designs will be chosen to decorate our monthly bookmarks during 2024. Be creative; celebrate your favorite books, the adventure of reading or the Library. Use your imagination and have fun.



Baby Playground

C-Friday, June 23 • 10:30-11:15am

(Birth-12 months with parent/caregiver)

Enjoy free-play and language-based activities with other babies in a relaxed, friendly environment.

Baby Games

N-Tuesday, June 27 • 10:00-10:30am

(Birth-12 months with parent/caregiver)

Sign, sing and play with your little one. Babies will be introduced to simple signs, engage in age appropriate games and learn new fingerplays.

Children's Summer Reading Programs

June 19-August 5

All Together Now

Join in the summer fun at The Smithtown Library! All readers and pre-readers from age 3 through 5th grades are invited to participate in this year's Children's Summer Reading Program, **All Together Now**. The program starts on Monday, June 19 and continues through Saturday, August 5. Visit your local Library Building to join. Participants will earn prizes for the books they read.

First Step to Reading

Read to your baby and build your baby's early literacy skills.

Babies and toddlers from birth through 35 months can participate in this summer program. Stop by the Children's Department of your local Library Building beginning on **Monday, June 19** to register and pick up a chart. As you complete 25 activities with your little one they will earn small prizes and receive a certificate upon completion.



Baby Band

K-Saturday, June 10 • 10:30-11:00am

(Birth-18 months with parent/caregiver)

Join us for a morning of fingerplays, instruments, music and movement for even the littlest rockers.

Nursery Rhyme Time

C-Saturday, June 17 • 10:30-11:00am

C-Wednesday, June 28 • 10:30-11:00am

K-Thursday, June 1 • 3:30-4:00pm

K-Friday, June 23 • 10:30-11:00am

N-Monday, June 12 • 10:30-11:00am

N-Saturday, June 17 • 10:00-10:30am

N-Friday, June 30 • 10:00-10:30am

S-Thursday, June 8 • 4:00-4:30pm

S-Wednesday, June 21 • 10:00-10:30am

S-Saturday, June 24 • 10:00-10:30am

S-Saturday, July 1 • 10:00-10:30am

(Birth-35 months with parent/caregiver)

Enjoy a traditional time of nursery rhymes and songs for baby.

Beach Babies

N-Thursday, June 15 • 10:00-10:45am

(3-18 months with parent/caregiver)

Join us for songs, fingerplays and stories with your beach baby. Stay to play afterwards and make an adorable summer-themed keepsake using your little one's footprint.



Lions Club Vision Screening for Children

S-Friday, June 30 • 10:00am-1:00pm

(6 months-8 years with parent/caregiver)

The Lions Club will be offering FREE vision screenings for children at the Library! It will only take a few minutes, just stop by the Children's Room during these hours to have your child's vision screened. We hope to see you there! *No registration required.*

Wonderful Ones

C-Friday, June 9 • 11:00-11:45am

K-Monday, June 5 • 10:30-11:15am

N-Friday, June 16 • 11:00-11:45am

S-Monday, June 12 • 4:00-4:45pm

S-Thursday, June 29 • 10:00-10:45am

(12-23 months with parent/caregiver)

This action-packed program engages little ones in language-based activities; includes free play, stories and fun.

Story Tots

C-Tuesday, June 20 • 11:00-11:30am

(12-23 months with parent/caregiver)

Unplug and unwind with your little ones. Engage in stories, fingerplays, rhymes and musical activities. Siblings are welcome.

Rock and Rhyme

N-Friday, June 9 • 10:00-10:30am

(12-30 months with parent/caregiver)

Early literacy fun with your little one! Our rocker babes will jam out with upbeat tunes, groovy stories and musical props.

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Rockin' Tots

K-Friday, June 16 • 10:30-11:00am

(12-30 months with parent/caregiver)

Join us for stories, fingerplays, songs and dancing in an engaging and social atmosphere.

Time for Twos

C-Friday, June 30 • 11:00-11:45am

K-Monday, June 26 • 10:30-11:15am

N-Monday, June 26 • 10:00-10:45am

S-Tuesday, June 13 • 10:00-10:45am

(24-35 months with parent/caregiver)

Enjoy building social skills in a relaxed, friendly environment; includes free play, songs, stories and a craft.

Where's Spot

C-Friday, June 2 • 11:00-11:30am

(2-3 years with parent/caregiver)

Where can Spot be? Come and enjoy some sweet stories about that adorable little puppy. Have fun making a cute puppy craft.



Twinkle Twinkle Little Star

C-Tuesday, June 13 • 3:00-3:30pm

(2-3 years with parent/caregiver)

Twinkle twinkle little star! Calling all little stars to the Library for this special storytime about the night sky. Enjoy stories and a fun craft.

Farm Friends

C-Friday, June 16 • 10:30-11:00am

(2-3 years with parent/caregiver)

"Old MacDonald had a farm..." Enjoy stories and a craft about your favorite farm animals.

Library Playdate

S-Monday, June 5 • 10:00-10:45am

(2-4 years with parent/caregiver)

Seize the play and keep the mess at our place. Meet other children and families while playing with toys and creating an art project.

Art Starts

S-Tuesday, June 6 • 10:00-10:45am

(2-4 years with parent/caregiver)

Different crafts encourage children's hand-eye coordination and gross and fine motor skills development; includes storytime. Dress to make a mess.

Beach Tots

N-Thursday, June 8 • 10:30-11:15am

(2-4 years with parent/caregiver)

Soak up the sun and play in the sand at our library beach party. Don't forget to bring your favorite beach towel for a tropical storytime.

Construction Zone

K-Friday, June 9 • 11:00-11:45am

N-Wednesday, June 21 • 10:00-10:45am

S-Wednesday, June 14 • 10:00-10:45am

(2-4 years with parent/caregiver)

Put hard hats on and bring your little construction workers to build with all types of blocks.

Friday Funday

S-Friday, June 23 • 10:00-10:45am

(2-4 years with parent/caregiver)

Join us in our Children's Craft Room for fun-filled creative play.

I Scream for Ice Cream

K-Thursday, June 29 • 10:30-11:00am

(2-4 years with parent/caregiver)

We will read stories about this favorite dessert and then make a "cool" paper ice cream craft!



Let's Build Forts

S-Thursday, June 29 • 2:30-3:30pm

(2-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Nothing is more imaginative than building forts and nothings more magical than playing in forts! Bringing in old sheets is welcomed and encouraged, the more the better.

Terrific Threes

K-Friday, June 2 • 10:30-11:15am

S-Wednesday, June 28 • 10:00-10:45am

(36-47 months with parent/caregiver)

Enjoy free play, stories, crafts and circle time.

Twist and Shout Storytime

C-Saturday, June 3 • 10:30-11:00am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Be prepared to move and groove in this interactive storytime.

Dinosaurs Roar

C-Tuesday, June 6 • 3:00-3:30pm

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Can you roar like a dinosaur? Come and enjoy some dino-mite stories and crafts.

Mini Makers

K-Tuesday, June 6 • 4:00-4:45pm

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Discover and explore STEAM concepts through play with other little learners. Dress to make a mess.

Buzzing Bees

C-Wednesday, June 7 • 3:30-4:00pm

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Buzz down to the Library for stories and a craft.

Loveable Llamas

K-Thursday, June 8 • 10:30-11:00am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Join us for stories about our favorite llama and his mama and enjoy making a craft.



Family Trees

N-Saturday, June 10 • 10:00-10:45am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Love grows and creates families. Celebrate your loved ones and craft an art project that will become a lasting memory.

We're Buggin'

C-Saturday, June 10 • 10:30-11:00am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Summer is filled with fun, sun and bugs! Come down to the Library to hear some creepy crawly stories and create your very own and very cute bug to take home.

All Aboard at the Library

K-Monday, June 12 • 10:30-11:15am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Calling all young engineers and conductors. If you love trains, then hop aboard and join us for this fun-filled adventure. We will have a short storytime and then play with plenty of trains.



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Preschool Dance Party

N-Tuesday, June 13 • 2:30-3:00pm

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Move and groove to the beat. Put on your dancing shoes for an afternoon of music and movement fun.

Don't Let the Pigeon Take Over Storytime

C-Wednesday, June 14 • 3:30-4:00pm

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Enjoy listening to some funny **Pigeon** stories and making cute Pigeon crafts.



The Magical World of Science

S-Thursday, June 15 • 2:30-3:15pm

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

This program is an opportunity for your little one to become engaged in the wonderful world of science! With fun hands-on experiments that are perfect for beginners, it will bring out your little Einstein. Dress to make a mess.

Outdoor Classroom-Moon

K-Monday, June 19 • 10:30-11:15am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

We'll read about the moon and its phases while making our own lunar chart. Dress to make a mess. In case of rain, this program will meet in the Community Room.

Read, Sing and Play

C-Tuesday, June 27 • 11:00-11:30am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Join **Miss Wendy** for some funny stories, songs, silly dancing and games.

Storytime Safari

N-Wednesday, June 28 • 11:00-11:45am

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Wild characters abound when you open a book. Treat your mind to an adventure with stories and an art project.

Kindness Kids

N-Friday, June 30 • 3:00-3:45pm

(3-5 years with parent/caregiver)

Throw kindness around like confetti. Join us for crafts, read-alouds and songs all about getting along.

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Pajama Storytime

S-Wednesday, June 7 • 7:00-7:30pm

(3-6 years with parent/caregiver)

Want to come to the Library in your pajamas? Join us for stories and songs and bring a favorite stuffed animal if you'd like!

Family Sing-Along

C-Monday, June 26 • 10:30-11:15am

(3-8 years with parent/caregiver)

Bring your voices and join **Adam King** while he plays his guitar and ukulele and leads us in a fun sing-along!

Little Book Buddies

K-Tuesday, June 27 • 4:15-5:00pm

(4-7 years)

Book Buddies is a program in which a child is paired with a teen for a rewarding reading experience.

Mixed Media Summer Painting

N-Saturday, June 17 • 11:30-12:15pm

(5-7 years)

Let's celebrate the start of summer with fun in the sun stories. Use different art mediums and textures to create your very own beach scene.



Mermaid Parade

S-Saturday, June 17 • 3:00-3:45pm

(5-7 years)

Let's celebrate the arrival of the summer season with our own mermaid parade! Come dressed in merperson garb for crafts, storytime and a parade around the Library.

Honeybee Storytime

S-Saturday, June 24 • 2:30-3:15pm

(5-7 years)

Join us for this buzzing storytime all about bees! Create your own beehive mobile to bring home.

Beach Treasure Art

N-Thursday, June 29 • 3:00-3:45pm

(5-7 years)

Relax and unwind at the Library while decorating shells and other natural beach treasures using different art supplies.

Blast Off!

K-Tuesday, June 13 • 4:15-4:45pm

(5-8 years)

Enjoy making a rocket craft after we listen to stories about the stars and sky.

Little Game Buddies

K-Monday, June 5 • 4:15-5:00pm

(5-9 years)

If you love playing board games, then this program is for you! Children will be paired with a teen buddy for an afternoon of playing some of your favorite board games.

Celebrate Juneteenth

C-Monday, June 19 • 2:00-4:00pm

(5-10 years)

June 19 is **Juneteenth!** Stop by the Library during these hours to celebrate this important holiday with a colorful craft. *No registration required.*

LEGO® League

K-Saturday, June 24 • 11:00-11:45am

S-Friday, June 30 • 7:00-7:45pm

(5-10 years)

Calling all master builders. Bring your imaginations to this block party and construct your own creations using our collection of LEGO® bricks.

Make It Monday

S-Mondays • 6:30-8:30pm

(5-12 years)

Come to the Children's Craft Room during these hours to tinker, build and play with a variety of STEAM challenges, toys and projects. *No registration required.*

The Jester Jim Show

N-Wednesday, July 5 • 7:00-7:45pm

(5-12 years with parent/caregiver)

Jester Jim is back with his hilarious plungerific show, filled with juggling, balancing stunts and beatboxing.



All the Colors of the Rainbow

C-Saturday, June 10 • 3:30-4:00pm

(6-8 years)

Colors are popping up all around us. Let's enjoy some colorful rainbow crafts. Dress to make a mess.

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Out of This World Father's Day Cards

C-Friday, June 16 • 4:15-4:45pm
(6-8 years)

Join us for some crafting time to make space-themed cards for **Father's Day**.



Laser Engraved Father's Day Puzzle

S-Thursday, June 8 • 5:00-5:45pm
(6-10 years)

Celebrate this **Father's Day** by making a laser engraved puzzle for a special grownup in your life! In the LearnLab, we'll draw our own custom designs, then see the Glowforge laser engraver in action.



Outdoor Classroom-Motion

K-Wednesday, June 28 • 3:30-4:15pm
(6-11 years)

Have fun experimenting with gravity and other forces of motion. Dress to make a mess. In case of rain, this program will meet in the Community Room.

Art in Motion

N-Saturday, June 24 • 10:00-10:45am
(6-12 years)

Learn how to create a drawing full of energy and emotion inspired by the work of famous pop artist **Keith Haring**, who used his art to spread love, kindness and knowledge.

All Around the World

K-Monday, June 26 • 7:00-7:45pm
(7-8 years)

Join us to explore stories about friends from all around the world and make your own unique craft.

Reading Rainbows

K-Wednesday, June 21 • 3:30-4:15pm
(7-11 years)

Learn about the history of the rainbow flag as we make a colorful craft.



Cricut Crafts-Summer Picnic Lanterns

S-Saturday, June 17 • 10:00-10:45am
(7-12 years)

Cool off in the LearnLab and make a paper lantern with the Cricut cutting machine!



Puzzle Showdown

S-Tuesday, June 27 • 10:00-10:45am
(8-12 years)

Join us in the LearnLab to play with puzzles, brain teasers and games that were all made using technology in the room. Challenge your mind and explore our makerspace in this fun-filled program!



Zine and Heard

N-Wednesday, June 28 • 2:30-3:15pm
(8-12 years)

What do you mean a zine? Create your own mini books filled with art, stories and ideas to share, trade and collect.

Take Me Out to the Ball Game

C-Friday, June 30 • 3:30-4:15pm
(8-12 years)

Join us as we listen to stories about one of our favorite summer pastimes. Have fun decorating a baseball cap.



Ice Cream Mason Jars

C-Tuesday, June 27 • 3:30-4:15pm
(9-12 years)

Get ready for summer by designing a mason jar to look like ice cream.

Creation Station

C-Saturday, June 3 • 10:00am-3:00pm
K-Saturdays, June 3, 10 & 17 • 10:00am-3:00pm
S-Saturdays • 10:00am-3:00pm
(Families)

Are you looking for something to do on Saturday? Come to the Library during these hours and complete some cool crafts. *No registration required.*

Cricut Cards-Father's Day

S-Friday, June 9 • 3:00-7:00pm
(Families)

Join us in the Children's Craft Room during these hours to create some extra special **Father's Day** cards, prepared with technology from our LearnLab! *No registration required.*

Stay and Play

S-Friday, June 9 • 7:00-8:30pm
(Families)

Stop by the Children's Craft Room during these hours for fun family gaming! Enjoy a variety of board games. *No registration required.*

Lawn Party

S-Saturday, June 10 • 2:30-3:15pm
(Families)

Let's kick off summer with a lawn party! We'll have giant bubbles, sidewalk chalk, dancing and games on our front lawn. In case of rain, the program will be held in the Community Room.

Juneteenth Picnic

K-Wednesday, June 14 • 7:00-7:45pm
(Families)

Celebrate **Juneteenth**, a holiday that marks the end of slavery in the United States, with a story and a craft. A small snack will be served.



Create and Celebrate-Juneteenth

S-Friday, June 16 • 3:00-7:00pm
(Families)

June 19 is **Juneteenth**! Stop by the Library during these hours to celebrate with crafts and activities while you learn all about this holiday. *No registration required.*

Family Movie Night

S-Friday, June 16 • 6:00-8:00pm
(Families)

Smurfs-The Lost Village

Rated PG; runtime 90 minutes.

Enjoy a movie with your family while you share time together. Watch our family-oriented featurefilm on the big screen.

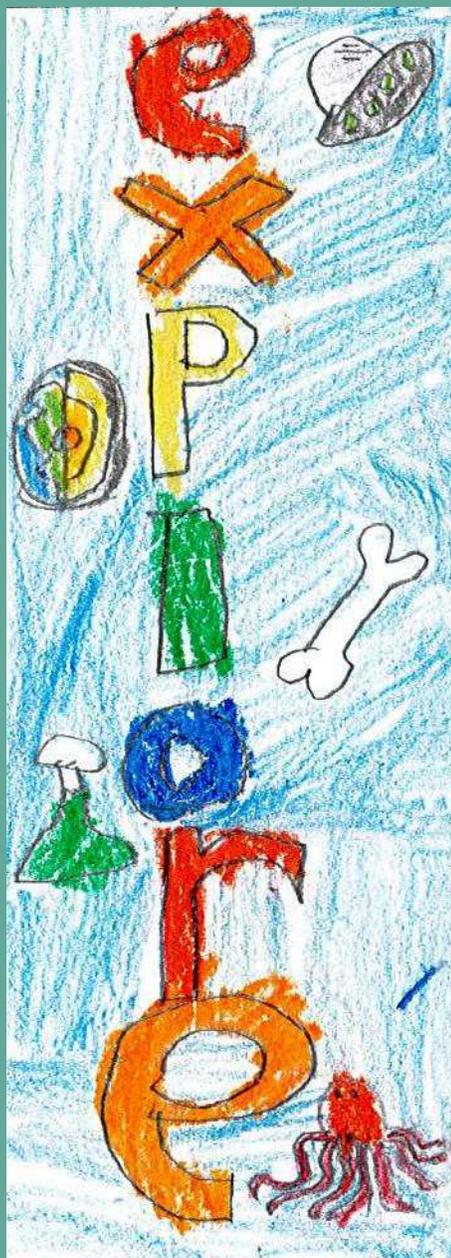
Family Bingo

S-Tuesday, June 27 • 3:00-3:45pm
(Families)

Come to the Library to enjoy bingo card fun. Sure to be fun for the whole family!

CHILDREN TEEN SCENE

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**JUNE BOOKMARK
CONTEST WINNER**
Gavin M.
2nd GRADE
 PINES ELEMENTARY

Teen Services Program Information

In person, online and telephone registration for **June** program registration began **Monday, May 8**. **July** program registration begins **Monday, June 12**. Registration is required unless otherwise noted. Programs that require fees can be paid in person by credit card, cash, check or money order to The Smithtown Library. Credit card payments are also accepted through our online payment system. If paying in cash, please bring exact change only. Program fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. Teen Services programs are open to those in grades 6-12 (up to age 18) unless otherwise noted. When registering online, please indicate name and grade in the note field. Check the Library's calendar or contact the Library for availability. Programs that include food may not be suitable for those with food allergies.

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TEEN SUMMER READING PROGRAM

June 19-August 11

Teens entering grades 6-12 (up to age 18) are invited to join the Summer Reading Program online or in person. The more books you read and activities you complete; the more raffle tickets you will earn. Raffle tickets can be used to win one of our awesome prizes!



Sweet Summer Sign

N-Monday, June 19 • 3:30-4:30pm

Get in summer mode by creating a watermelon button sign.



Battle of the Books

S-Mondays, June 19, 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 & August 7 • 3:30-5:00pm

C-Wednesdays, June 21, 28, July 5, 12, 19, 26, August 2, 9 & 16 • 3:30-5:30pm

N-Tuesdays, June 20, 27, Monday, July 3, Tuesdays, July 11, 18, 25, August 1 & 8 • 3:30-5:00pm

K-Thursday, June 22, 29, July 6, 13, 20, 27, & August 3 • 3:30-5:00pm

The Battle of the Books is a county-wide competition for young adults who wish to represent their public library. The competition will take place on **Saturday, August 12**. Teams will answer trivia questions based on six different books and score points for their team with each correct answer. To be eligible to participate, you must be entering grades 6-9; you must be able to attend meetings and must be ready for a summer of reading fun.



Retro Game Night

K-Wednesday, June 21 • 7:00-8:00pm

Kick it old school with a night of retro video and board games. Pizza and snacks will be provided.

Totes Ready for Summer

C-Tuesday, June 27 • 7:00-8:00pm

Get ready for beach days and campfires with these rad totes that you will design yourself.

Patriotic Tulle Wreath

N-Tuesday, June 27 • 7:00-8:00pm

Celebrate the **4th of July** and create your own patriotic wreath to hang anywhere in your home.

Taste Test Challenge

S-Wednesday, June 28 • 7:00-8:00pm

Can you taste the difference between store brand and name brand cookies, soda and other snacks? Can you guess the different flavors of chips just by taste alone? Come put your taste buds to the test to become the ultimate Taste Test Champion.

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ADULTS

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Puzzle Canvas Art

N-Thursday, June 29 • 7:00-8:00pm

Create a unique tree using puzzle pieces and paint.

Getting Ready to Babysit

S-Friday, June 30 • 6:30-8:30pm

Join **Cornell Cooperative Extension** in this course designed to help teens develop the skills necessary for the responsibility of being a sitter - child safety, developmental stages of children and how to plan activities that are age appropriate. Course certification will be given at the completion of the training.

Volunteer Opportunities
 EACH TEEN WILL RECEIVE
 COMMUNITY SERVICE CREDIT FOR
 THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS

Coupons for Troops Volunteers

N-Thursday, June 1 • 7:00-8:00pm

Clip and organize coupons for military families and our soldiers overseas.

Pride Pin Volunteers

C-Friday, June 2 • 4:00-5:00pm

N-Wednesday, June 14 • 4:30-5:30pm

Celebrate **Pride Month** by creating buttons for community events and organizations.



Game Buddies Volunteers

K-Monday, June 5 • 4:00-5:00pm

Play fun board games with a younger child.

Teen Scene Decorating Volunteers

S-Tuesday, June 6 • 4:30-5:30pm

Help us decorate the Teen Scene for our Summer Reading Program! We will paint beautiful window art inspired by this year's theme: **ALL TOGETHER NOW**. Meet us in the teen room and wear old clothes or bring a smock.



Bookmark Volunteers

N-Saturday, June 10 • 2:30-3:30pm

Teen volunteers are needed to design and make bookmarks. Bookmarks will be sent to patrons who are enjoying The Smithtown Library's Homebound Mail Service.

Library Decorating Volunteers

C-Monday, June 12 • 4:30-5:30pm

Help get our Commack Children's Room ready for the Summer Reading Program by creating a bulletin board mural for children to enjoy.

Notes and Totes Volunteers

N-Friday, June 16 • 4:30-5:30pm

Let's decorate note cards and tote bags for patrons in local group homes to use when they visit the Library.

Green Teens Volunteers

S-Thursday, June 22 • 10:00-11:00am

S-Thursday, June 29 • 10:00-11:00am

Help aid local food pantries by planting, tending and harvesting vegetables in the Library's garden bed. Meet us in the lobby to head out to the garden together. In the event of rain, this program will be held in the Community Room.



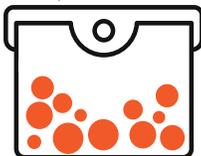
Book Buddies Volunteers

K-Tuesday, June 27 • 4:00-5:00pm

Read to a younger book buddy. It is a rewarding experience that you won't want to miss.

Teen Volunteer Opportunity in a Box

Can't fit our volunteer opportunities into your schedule? The Smithtown Library now offers one-hour volunteer sessions by appointment! Teens may schedule up to two time slots per month. For more information or to schedule a session, contact any Reference Desk.



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June 19-August 25

Summer Reading isn't just for kids! Adults are invited to sign up for this year's Summer Reading program online at www.smithlib.org, or by visiting the Reference Desk at your local Smithtown Library building. You'll earn chances to win great prizes by reading all summer long.



SMITHTOWN UNDERGROUND'S SUMMER BLOCKBUSTER CHALLENGE

Join us as we count down the hot days of summer with the **Smithtown Underground's Summer Blockbuster Challenge**. Watch movies to complete challenges and receive raffle tickets for a chance to win prizes. Stop by the Adult Reference Desk to sign up beginning Monday, June 19 and receive the list of challenges.

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Take and Make-Barbecue Apron

Take home a bag filled with supplies needed to create a unique apron, perfect for a **Father's Day** gift! *Online and in person registration begins on June 1 and ends on June 14. Supply bags can be picked up from the building of your choice beginning June 16. When registering online, please indicate pick up building. Fee: \$8.00 per person.*



Take and Make-Hot Sauce

Take home a bag filled with supplies needed to create two bottles of your own hot sauce; you supply your vinegar of choice. *Online and in person registration begins on June 5 and ends on June 19. Supply bags can be picked up from the building of your choice beginning June 23. When registering online, please indicate pick up building. Fee: \$10.00 per person.*



Commack Game Day

Wednesdays • 12:00-2:30pm

We provide the space, tables, chairs and a variety of games. Meet friends here or make new ones. *No registration required.*

Visiting National Parks

Monday, June 5 • 7:00-8:15pm

Join **Bill** and **Caleb** for insider tips for visiting America's National Parks. They have traveled over 35,000 driving miles visiting more than 270 national parks in 49 of the 50 states and have a wealth of knowledge and experience to share. Learn the difference between national parks, historic sites, memorial sites and more.

Women of the Bible

Fridays, June 9 & 16 • 12:30-2:30pm

Join historian **Tom O'Reilly** for discussions of the women in the Bible and how they functioned at home and in society. Ruth and Esther are some of the women highlighted.

Commack Continued One-On-One Medicare Counseling and Assistance

Tuesday, June 13 • 10:00am, 10:45am, 11:30am OR 12:15pm

Register for an appointment to meet individually with a Suffolk County **RSVP** (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) volunteer from **HIICAP** (Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program) to answer questions and provide information specific to your own needs regarding your Medicare health insurances and benefits, Medicare Savings Programs and EPIC.

If Life Gives You Lemons-Etched Glasses

Saturday, June 17 • 1:00-2:30pm

Etch two 18 oz. tall glasses with an "If life gives you lemons, make lemonade" design.

Fee: \$10.00 per person



Going Through the Change-Menopause

Wednesday, June 21 • 10:00-11:00am

Join **Dr. Bonura**, Director of Menopausal Health at St. Catherine of Siena Medical Center to find out more about the definition, symptoms, diagnosis and natural and drug therapies for menopause.

Kings Park Game Day

Mondays • 12:30-2:30pm

We provide the space, tables, chairs and a variety of games. Meet friends here or make new ones. *No registration required.*

Jellyfishing for Answers-Understanding the Role of 'Jellies' in Our Local Waters

Thursday, June 1 • 7:00-8:30pm

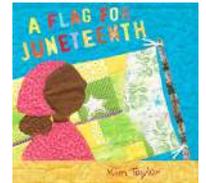
Although a natural predator in our waters, jellyfish seem to turn everybody (from swimmers for their painful stings, to fisherman for their net-clogging tendencies) against them. Join **Dr. Marianne E. McNamara** to find out why jellyfish are a growing concern among scientists and swimmers alike, and how local research is helping us understand the role of this natural predator in Long Island waters.



Kings Park Continued Celebrate Juneteenth

Tuesday, June 6 • 7:00-8:00pm

Kim Taylor, author of *A Flag for Juneteenth*, will explore and celebrate the significance of this historic event. Books will be available for sale and signing. Books will be available for sale and signing; cash only.



Basic Life Support (BLS) Provider Course

Thursday, June 8 • 4:00-8:30pm

Join AHA certified BLS instructors **Lea** and **Gianni Dato** for the Basic Life Support training course and receive AHA BLS certification, Provider ecard and 4.0 CEU/CME. The American Heart Association (AHA's) BLS course trains participants to immediately recognize life-threatening emergencies, give high-quality chest compressions, deliver appropriate ventilations and provide early use of an AED. Recommended for lifeguards, healthcare professionals, first responders, babysitters, security guards and lay rescuers. *Please note: cash payment only is due to the instructor at the beginning of class. Fee: \$95.00 per person.*

All Abilities Game Day

Thursday, June 22 • 10:00-11:00am

Join us playing some fun games. This program is geared towards patrons 18 years and older with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum or those who have other specific needs. *Registration begins on May 31.*

Lotus Flower Lantern Craft

Wednesday, June 28 • 6:30-8:00pm

The members of **Korean Spirit and Culture Promotion Project** will be here to help you make a lovely lotus flower lantern using colorful paper and wire frames. You'll also learn about the meaning of the lotus flower and Korean artistic tradition. *Fee: \$5.00 per person.*



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Game Day

Mondays • 12:00-3:00pm

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One-On-One Medicare Counseling and Assistance

Thursday, June 1 • 12:00, 12:45, 1:30 OR 2:15pm

Register for an appointment to meet individually with a Suffolk County **RSVP** (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) volunteer from **HIICAP** (Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program) to answer questions and provide information specific to your own needs regarding your Medicare health insurances and benefits, Medicare Savings Programs and EPIC.

Career Counseling

Thursday, June 1 • 4:00, 4:45, 5:30 OR 6:15pm

Career advisor **Richard Gluck** will assist you one-on-one with your resume, give direction on a new career path and help you navigate the ever-changing world of job searching.

All Abilities Game Day

Friday, June 2 • 10:00-11:00am

Join us playing some fun games. This program is geared towards patrons 18 years and older with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum or those who have other specific needs. *Registration begins on May 31.*

Michael Serraino in Concert-The Magical Library Tour

Saturday, June 3 • 2:00-3:00pm

Michael Serraino is a Long Island-based jazz pianist and vocalist who adds the swing style to the pop standards and jazz repertoire. Hear favorites from Billy Joel, Eric Clapton, Elton John, Barry Manilow, Frank Sinatra and Tony Bennett to name a few. Don't miss this afternoon of great music!



Nesconset Continued

Morning Bingo for Adults

Tuesday, June 13 • 10:00-11:30am

Join us for a morning of action-packed bingo excitement. Refreshments will be provided and prizes will be awarded.

All Abilities Sensory Movie

Wednesday, June 14 • 9:30am-12:00pm

Aladdin

Rated PG; runtime 128 minutes.

Join us for our sensory friendly movie. This program is geared towards patrons 18 years and older with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum or those who have other specific needs. *Registration begins on May 31.*

Firecracker Sign

Wednesday, June 14 • 6:30-8:30pm

Join us to make a festive summer sign with everyone's favorite frozen treat! *Fee: \$15.00 per person.*



Casablanca Film Lecture and Discussion

Wednesday, June 21 • 6:30-8:30pm

Join film historian **Larry Wolff** as he presents the backstory behind the film and why it was such a rousing hit. Great acting, current world events, great direction, real-life drama and touches of film noir make this one of the most-watched films in Hollywood history and a film you won't forget. Soundtrack music is included as well as a memorabilia, autograph and book display and select film highlights.



Defensive Driving

Thursday, June 22 • 9:30am-4:30pm

Telephone, online and in person registration begins two months prior to program date. Classes are open to Smithtown Library cardholders only until one week prior to the program, when, space permitting, all individuals regardless of library district are welcome to register. Open to all adult drivers regardless of age. Please bring your license to class. Must have a library card to register; one registration per library card. *Please note: cash payment only is due to the instructor at the beginning of class. Fee: \$30.00 per person.*

Nesconset Continued

All Abilities Butterfly Clip Magnets

Thursday, June 29 • 10:00-11:00am

Create a cute multipurpose clip that looks like a butterfly! This program is geared towards patrons 18 years and older with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum or those who have other specific needs. *Registration begins on May 31.*

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Art Group

Tuesdays • 12:00-2:15pm

Fulfill your passion for art. Bring your supplies and work on your current project while you share ideas and learn new techniques from others in a relaxed atmosphere. *No registration required.*

Game Night

Thursdays • 6:30-8:30pm

We provide the space, tables, chairs and a variety of games. Meet friends here or make new ones. *No registration required.*

Game Day

Fridays • 11:00am-1:30pm

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Chair Yoga

Fridays, June 2, 9, 16 & 23 • 10:00-11:00am

Join **Donna Landini** for this gentle form of yoga that is performed sitting in a chair or standing and using the chair for support. Chair Yoga is a relaxing fitness class, perfect for beginners and seniors. *Fee: \$12.00 per person.*

Film and Discussion

Friday, June 2 • 6:30-8:30pm

Join **Joyann Cirigliano** of the Four Harbors Audubon Society for a viewing and discussion of *Living in the Future's Past*.

All Abilities Gnomes

Tuesday, June 6 • 7:00-8:00pm

Using paint or markers decorate a cute little welcome gnome. This program is geared towards patrons 18 years and older with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum or those who have other specific needs. *Registration begins on May 31.*

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Adult Writers Group

Tuesday, June 6 • 7:00-8:30pm

Meet with our local group to share ideas and get feedback on your latest writing efforts. *No registration required.*

Winning Coaching Styles

Wednesday, June 7 • 6:30-7:30pm

Dr. Matthew Raidbard author of *Lead Like A Pro: Effective Leadership Styles For Athletic Coaches* will impart the knowledge and tools required to effectively coach a team, manage the athletes and parents and deal with any unexpected conflicts or tensions that arise during the season. Books will be available for sale and signing.

Catholic Health Services Health Screening

Tuesday, June 13 • 10:00am-2:00pm

Visit the traveling community outreach bus in our parking lot courtesy of **Catholic Health Services**. This outreach program provides free blood pressure, cholesterol, body mass index and glucose screenings along with patient education and referrals as needed; first come, first served. *No registration required.*

How to Choose Quality Day Care

Wednesday, June 14 • 11:00am-12:30pm

Join **Sal D'Angelo** a retired licenser and inspector for the NYS Office of Children and Family Services, as he discusses what to look for in a quality child care program. Learn to evaluate the quality of care, how to find and understand inspection reports, how to deal with complaints or concerns and more. This program is for prospective day care users as well as those who are already utilizing services. Bring your questions!

Getting Started with Excel

Wednesday, June 14 • 7:00-8:00pm

Thursday, June 15 • 11:00am-12:00pm

Microsoft Excel is a powerful program used to store, organize and analyze data. Come learn about Excel and its basic functions, including creating and formatting worksheets, using formulas and functions and creating basic charts and graphs.

Smithtown Continued

Bingo Night for Adults

Thursday, June 22 • 7:00-8:30pm

Join us for an evening of action-packed bingo excitement. Refreshments will be provided and prizes will be awarded.

Bakery-Style Snickerdoodle Muffins with Chef Rob Scott

Friday, June 23 • 6:30-8:30pm

Learn to make snickerdoodle muffins in this hands-on class with **Chef Rob Scott**. Each person will make 18-24 mini muffins. Please bring two 12 count muffin pans or a 24 count mini muffin pan, large bowl, whisk and a rubber spatula to class. *Fee: \$12.00 per person.*

The Korean War

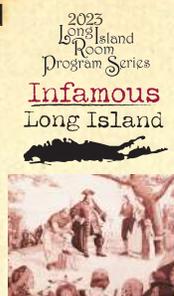
Monday, June 26 • 7:00-8:30pm

The Korean War remains one of the least understood conflicts of modern times. Former intelligence analyst **Richard Pena** provides a detailed presentation on the origin of the war, the United Nations response to North Korean aggression and the subsequent military disaster after Chinese intervention. The presentation takes you through the battles and behind the scenes decision making in Washington, Seoul and Tokyo and the far reaching aftermath of a conflict that nearly started World War 3.

Pirates, Raiders and Rumrunners

Tuesday, June 27 • 7:00- 8:30pm

Long Island is a body of land surrounded by water. Over time, that proximity to the ocean, the sound, the bays and estuaries has proven to be both a blessing and a curse to the island's inhabitants. While these waterways have sustained Long Islanders for centuries, they were also exploited through the years by a motley crew of pirates, privateers, midnight raiders and Prohibition era rumrunners. Learn about this notorious band of marauding swashbucklers as historian **Noel Gish** highlights some of the most colorful characters to visit Long Island's shores.



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Friends and Family CPR

Thursday, June 29 • 6:30-8:30pm

This program teaches the lifesaving skills of adult hands-only CPR, child CPR with breaths, adult and child AED use, infant CPR and relief of choking in an adult, child or infant. This course is appropriate for people who want to learn CPR but do not need a course completion card in CPR. *Please note: cash payment only is due to the instructor at the beginning of class. Fee: \$35.00 per person.*



Virtual Programs

Recent Advances in Radiation Treatment for Breast Cancer

Wednesday, June 7 • 11:00am-12:00pm

Dr. Renu Hausen, radiation oncologist at Northwell Health will discuss recent findings in breast cancer radiation treatment – less is more. *Presented via Zoom and streamed on Facebook www.facebook.com/thesmithtownlibrary. The Zoom link will be sent to your registration email address the day before the program.*

Stonewall National Monument

Thursday, June 22 • 11:00-11:45am

Join **Stonewall National Monument** park rangers for a virtual program exploring the dramatic history of the 1969 Stonewall Uprising and its lasting impact on the LGBTQ+ civil rights movement, as well as the complexities of caring for and interpreting a historic site with a story still actively unfolding. *This program will take place via Zoom. A link to join the Zoom program will be sent to the email address associated with your library card the day before the program.*



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Movies at the Library

Commack

Thursday Movie of the Week

- Thursday, June 1 • 1:30pm
Women Talking
Rated PG-13; runtime 104 minutes.
- Thursday, June 8 • 1:30pm
Vengeance
Rated R; runtime 108 minutes.
- Thursday, June 15 • 1:30pm
80 for Brady
Rated PG-13; runtime 98 minutes.
- Thursday, June 22 • 1:30pm
Holy Gap
Rated PG-13; runtime 100 minutes.
- Thursday, June 29 • 1:30pm
Confess, Fletch
Rated PG-13; runtime 98 minutes.



Kings Park

Friday Movie of the Week

- Friday, June 2 • 2:15pm
All Quiet on the Western Front (2022)
Rated R; runtime 147 minutes.
- Friday, June 9 • 2:15pm
Marlow
Rated R; runtime 110 minutes.
- Friday, June 16 • 2:15pm
The Lost King
Rated PG-13; runtime 108 minutes.
- Friday, June 23 • 2:15pm
Knock at the Cabin Door
Rated R; runtime 100 minutes.
- Friday, June 30 • 2:15pm
80 for Brady
Rated PG-13; runtime 98 minutes.

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New Movie Matinee

- Wednesday, June 21 • 1:00pm
The Whale
Rated R; runtime 117 minutes.

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Friday Movie Matinee

- Friday, June 2 • 2:00pm
Everything Everywhere all at Once
Rated R; runtime 139 minutes.
- Friday, June 9 • 2:00pm
80 for Brady
Rated PG-13; runtime 98 minutes.
- Friday, June 16 • 2:00pm
Living
Rated PG-13; runtime 102 minutes.
- Friday, June 23 • 2:00pm
Anything Goes
Rated NR; runtime 159 minutes.
- Friday, June 30 • 2:00pm
Summerland
Rated PG; runtime 99 minutes.

Friday Night Movie

- Friday, June 9 • 6:15pm
80 for Brady
Rated PG-13; runtime 98 minutes.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS Copies of the books are available at the Circulation Desk of their respective buildings. Book discussion groups denoted with an asterisk (*) will take place both in person as well as on Zoom. Login information for Zoom, if applicable, will be sent to the email address associated with your library card on the day of the event.

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Commack Book Discussion Group *

- Monday, June 12 • 12:00-1:00pm
Surviving Savannah by Patti Callahan

Kings Park

Killer Reads Book Discussion Group *

- Tuesday, June 13 • 11:00am-12:00pm
The Last House on the Street by Diane Chamberlain

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Tea-rrific Reads Book Discussion Group

- Tuesday, June 20 • 2:00-3:00pm
The Lost for Words Bookshop by Stephanie Butland

Night Owl Cafe Book Discussion Group

- Thursday, June 22 • 7:00-8:00pm
Sister Stardust by Jane Green

Sports Pages Book Discussion Group

- Monday, June 5 • 10:30am-12:30pm
A Moveable Feast by Ernest Hemingway

Clue-A Mystery Book Discussion Group *

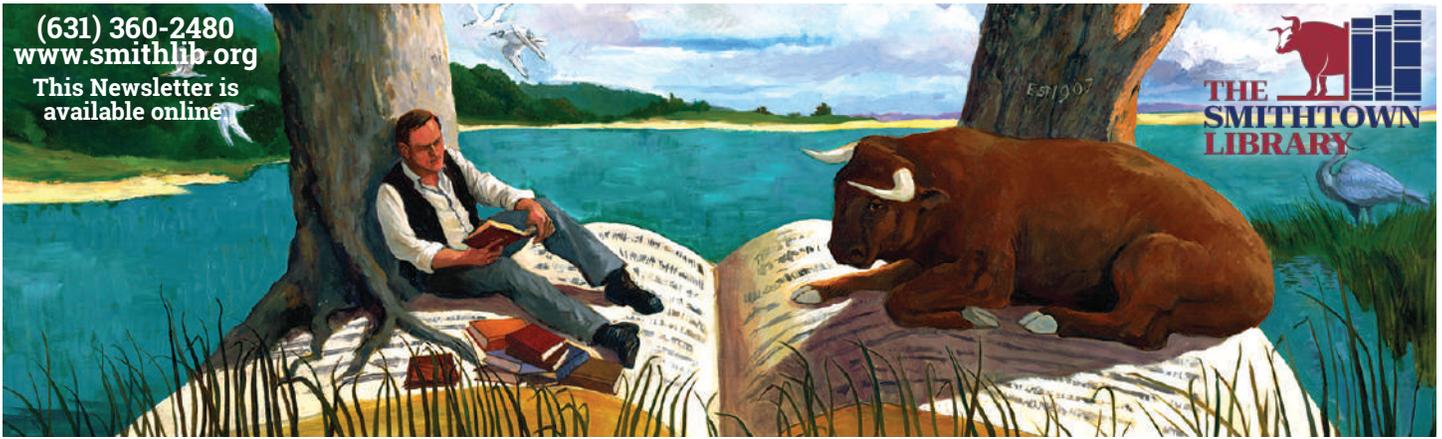
- Wednesday, June 14 • 2:30-3:30pm
Her Royal Spyness by Rhys Bowen

Smithtown Book Discussion Group

- Thursday, June 15 • 10:45am-12:45pm
River of Doubt by Candice Millard



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3 Indian Head Road
Commack, New York 11725

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SUNDAY CLOSED

Our Smithtown and Commack Buildings will re-open on Sundays beginning September 10.

In Exhibit
Do you have an exhibit you would like to share with your community? We would love to hear from you. Please call:
Gina Ferreira
(631) 360-2480 ext. 235

**Smithtown
Community Room**
Richard Kramer
View a collection of Zen Art drawings.



**Infamous
Long Island** 2023 Long Island Room Exhibit

Through the years, Long Island has played host to its share of shocking crimes and scandals, tragic man-made disasters and controversial locations and communities. To illustrate this, the Long Island Room has assembled a collection of materials that will reveal the history behind some of Long Island's most infamous people, places and events. This exhibit will be on view through December 2023.

Board of Trustees Meeting
Tuesday, June 20 • 6:30pm
Community Room at the
Nesconset Building
The public is welcome.

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- The Library is glad to provide reasonable accommodations for patrons with special needs. Please call us two weeks prior to a program to make arrangements.
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