



Sayville Library

March/April 2022

HAPPENINGS

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REIMAGINE YOUR LIBRARY

Spring Cleaning

On-Site Personal Document Shredding

SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM In-Person

On-site Personal Document Shredding in our Greeley Avenue parking lot! Up to 3 bags or 3 boxes of documents. First come, first served.



Electronic Waste Collection Event

SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

In-Person

Bring your e-waste for recycling (Greeley Avenue parking lot) and help keep our environment clean. Check our online events calendar for this event, or stop by the Adult Services desk for a list of acceptable items.

Vintage Jewelry Sale Presented by the Friends of the Sayville Library

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 6:00 – 8:00 PM

SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

In-Person

Taking place in the Library lobby, the Friends of the Sayville Library is happy to present our first Vintage Jewelry Sale! This event is a great opportunity to purchase a special gift for a friend or family member just in time for Mother's Day! To donate jewelry for the sale, contact Lorraine Martin at 631-589-4965.



Little Free Food Pantry Drive In-Person



Since last year our library has been helping people in our community with food from our little free food pantry outside our front entrance. We are trying to replenish our stock. We are looking for donations of ready-to-eat, grab-n-go style

foods. Examples include, granola bars, protein bars, peanut butter, single serve applesauce, pop-top single serve soups, oatmeal, ready to heat single serve meals and more! Thank you for your support and donations!

Growing with Your Library!

Seed Library is Back! The Sayville Seed Library is open for business! Stop on by and pick up some vegetable, fruit or flower seed packets today! Have seeds you'd like to donate? Drop them off at Adult Services and we'll add them to the Seed Library for others to take. *Limit 5 packets per visit.*

Get your Garden Ready for Spring! Presented by the Sayville Garden Club

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 7:00 – 8:00 PM In-Person

Get your gardening tips from the local experts! Sayville Garden Club will tell us how to get our gardens ready for a beautiful and fruitful season of growing!

Coming Soon! Propagation Swap Station

If you're looking for new plants to add to your collection, come see our new *Propagation Swap Station*. This swap station is the perfect place to "leaf" new plant cuttings for others and grab an all new variety for yourself! Located on the Adult Services floor.

Cupsogue Beach Seal Walk

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 7:00 – 8:30 AM

In-Person

Join Dr. Arthur Kopelman of the Coastal Research and Education Society of Long Island for a seal walk at Cupsogue Beach! Meet at Cupsogue Beach County Park (at the western end of Dune Road in Westhampton Beach) The walk will depart from the area near the fence at the western end of the parking lot. The walks are approximately 1.2 miles round trip and take about 1-1.5 hours. **Fee: \$5 check, money order or credit card.**



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News from the Friends

The Friends were happy to donate the funds to purchase two new sewing machines for the Library! To learn how to use these machines, inquire at the Adult Services desk.

Taking place in the Library lobby, our first Vintage Jewelry Sale will take place on April 29 & 30. See front page for details! This event is a great opportunity to purchase a special gift for a friend or family member just in time for Mother's Day! To donate jewelry for the sale, contact Lorraine Martin at 631-589-4965.

Our Annual Bake Sale is back! Taking place on June 3rd at the Fire Island Ferries terminal, we hope to see you stop by to purchase a yummy treat and support the Friends!

A Bike Safety Program, for children 5-12 years of age is planned for Spring, date to be announced.

The Friends of the Library meet at the Library on the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00PM. New members welcome.

Did you know you can become a member of the Friends by joining online?

Visit <https://www.sayvillelibrary.org/sayvillefriends> to sign up today!

Thank you for your support,

Friends President,
Lorraine Martin



ADULT PROGRAMS

Virtual Technology Programs

Tech Talk: Intro to Chromebooks

THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 3:00 – 4:30 PM Online via Zoom
New to Chromebooks or just want to learn more about them? Join us for an introduction to Google's amazing, lightweight operating system. Beginners welcome.



Video Editing with Openshot

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 6:30 – 8:00 PM Online via Zoom
Take your videos to the next level with OpenShot, a fantastic, *FREE* video editing program for Macs, PCs and Linux computers. Download it at gimp.org or just watch and take notes. Beginners welcome.



Tech Talk: Intro to Windows PCs

FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 3:00 – 4:30 PM Online via Zoom
Whether you're computer illiterate or just need some brushing up, this class is for you. We'll cover all the basics of your Windows computer. Beginners welcome.



Lord of the Rings Rune Bookmark

FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 3:30 – 5:00 PM Online via Zoom
It's National Tolkien Day! We're celebrating by designing our own custom 3D printed bookmarks with Lord of the Rings runic script!

Tech Talk: Intro to Macs

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 3:00 – 4:30 PM Online via Zoom
Learn the ins and outs of the Mac operating system. We'll cover apps, settings, computer basics, and everything in between. Beginners welcome.



3D Printed Self-Portraits

MONDAY, APRIL 11, 6:30 – 8:00 PM Online via Zoom
Convert your self-portrait photo into 3D embossed artwork using free online tools! Then, why not have it built with our 3D printer?

Ticking Tax Time Bomb in Your IRA

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 7:00 – 8:30 PM In-Person
Register for this educational workshop to discuss the ticking time bomb that sits in your retirement accounts and learn how you can plan now to prevent whiplash when that bomb goes off!

PROGRAM REGISTRATION

- You can register for Library programs listed in this newsletter (unless otherwise indicated) by visiting the Library's website EVENTS CALENDAR.
- Registration for all programs begins on Tuesday, February 22, 2022 unless otherwise indicated.
- You can also sign up for programs by calling the Library at 631.589.4440 or stopping by.
- Programs that are presented on Zoom can be attended online and, in some cases, via telephone.
- The URL and phone number for the "meeting" will be emailed to all registrants before the program.
- Please check the Sayville Library's social media accounts and Library's website EVENTS CALENDAR for updates to events and/or materials lists for specific programs.

Food & Drink

Teatime in Ireland

SUNDAY, MARCH 6, 2:00 – 3:30 PM In-Person

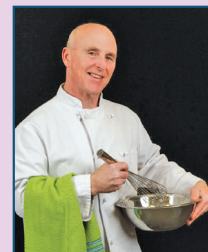
Join Margaret M. Johnson, author of *Teatime in Ireland*, for a program that includes Irish tea history, teatime recipes and innovations on afternoon tea! A formal tea — sandwiches and savories, scones and tea breads, decadent sweets, and a sparkling beverage — will be served, and Ms. Johnson's new cookbook will be available for sale and signing. Bring your own fancy teacup! **Nonrefundable Fee \$5 check, money order or credit card.**



Chef Rob Scott's Penne with Shrimp & Basil Sauce

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 6:30 – 8:00 PM In-Person

Join Chef Rob for this demonstration of two of his recipes: Penne with a shrimp and basil sauce and a grilled flatbread with a white bean dip! As always, tastings will be included! **Nonrefundable Fee: \$7 check, money order or credit card.**



Fitness

Monday Morning Yoga

MONDAYS, APRIL 18, 25 MAY 2, 9, 16, 23, JUNE 6, 13

10:30 – 11:30 AM **In-Person**

Certified Yoga Teacher, Diane Aronsen, will introduce you to the breathing techniques and series of postures that make up yoga. Yoga can be an effective method for reducing stress, and toning your body. All abilities are welcome. Please bring a yoga mat. **Nonrefundable Fee: \$20 check, money order (payable to Sayville Library) or credit card.**

Create & Learn

Teacup Flower Arrangement

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 7:00 – 8:00 PM **In-Person**

Create a spring flower arrangement using a teacup, moss and fresh flowers! **Nonrefundable Fee: \$5 check, money order or credit card.**

Get to Know Your Sewing Machine

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 3:00 – 4:30 PM **In-Person**

Have you received a new sewing machine this past holiday season or have one laying around that you'd love to learn more about? Join Librarian Kristina to learn the basics of your machine and maybe even sew your first stitches! Please bring your sewing machine, manual, and thread as this will be hands-on!

Cricut Basics

THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 7:00 – 8:00 PM **In-Person**

Learn about how to use Cricut Design Space and the Cricut Explore Air 2 in this introductory program to all things Cricut!

Learn to Play Mah Jongg

FRIDAYS, APRIL 22, 29, MAY 6, 13, 20, 27, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM **In-Person**

Learn the basics of this popular Chinese tile game with help from experienced Mah Jongg instructor, Sue Greanleaf. Bring your own 2022 Mah Jongg card with you (they can be ordered for \$9 by calling 212-246-3052 or online at www.nationalmahjonggleague.org).

Fee: \$20, check, money order or credit card.

Our Animal Friends!

Hoppy Hour for Adults!

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 7:00 – 8:00 PM **In-Person**

Experience this opportunity to connect with a young bunny while it is still dependent on its mother in a safe and calm environment. There will be stories told, plenty of lap time, bunnies on the floor time and, of course, question and answer time!



Seals in New York

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 7:00 – 8:00 PM **In-Person**

This workshop is an introduction to the different species of seals seen in New York waters. As NY's only rescue and rehabilitation facility for these animals, you will have the chance to learn about the New York Marine Rescue Center and their efforts to help these animals in need. You will also find out how you can get involved in helping to protect and preserve our local marine environment.

Music & Entertainment

Oscar Picks Competition

MARCH 1 – 27 **Online**

Yes, that's right, it's Oscar season once again! Visit the Library's website, sayvillelibrary.org and fill out your ballot by picking who you think will win each category at this year's Academy Awards. Guess the most correct and win a special prize! Ballots must be turned in before the Oscars air on Sunday, March 27th!



The Avengers: Virtual Escape Room

APRIL 1 – 30 **Online**

In celebration of the 10th anniversary of the release of The Avengers, we've made a virtual escape room that reimagines the thrilling story of the film. Think you've got what it takes to stop Loki? Visit the Library's website, sayvillelibrary.org to try it out!

Concert for Seniors:

Swing into Spring with Irish Flavor

FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 2:00 – 3:00 PM **In-Person**

Don't miss this engaging vocal concert with vocalist Dayle Friedman, consisting of Swing era tunes and Irish songs and tales. Geared to put a spring in your step and a smile on your face. Sponsored by Luxor Nursing and Rehab at Sayville and Sunrise Senior Living. Light refreshments will be served.

Drive: A Tribute to the Cars

SUNDAY, MARCH 27, 2:00 – 3:00 PM **In-Person**

The Cars are responsible for some of the most memorable hits of the 80's. Join local Cars tribute band Drive for this tribute to the band featuring some of their most popular hits as well as hits from other popular artists from the 80's!

Classic Hits with 4 Ways from Sunday

SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 2:00 – 3:00 PM

In-Person

4 Ways from Sunday present a lively program of time-tested classic hits from the 60s, 70s and 80s. They

recreate many memorable tunes, making each song their own through a combination of unique vocals, terrific harmonies and great music. Don't miss it!



Afternoon Movies

Come down to the Library to enjoy a movie and snacks. Bring a friend!

No Time to Die (2021)

FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 2:00 PM

House of Gucci (2021)

MONDAY, MARCH 28, 2:00 PM

Dune (2021)

FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 2:00 PM

Ghostbusters: Afterlife (2021)

MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2:00 PM





ADULT PROGRAMS Continued



Defensive Driving

Senior Defensive Driving

**SATURDAY, MARCH 26,
10:00 AM – 4:00 PM**
In-Person

Take this class at a discounted rate and save money on your auto insurance. You must be fifty years of age or older.

Space is limited, and registration is required. **Fee: \$25 is due on the day of class, cash or money order payable to Suffolk Safety Program only.**



Suffolk Safety Defensive Driving

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM
In-Person

Take this class at a discounted rate and save money on your auto insurance. Space is limited, and registration is required. **Fee: \$35 is due on the day of class, cash or money order payable to Suffolk Safety Program only.**

5-Hour Pre-Licensing Course

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 4:00 – 9:00 PM
In-Person, Ages 16+

Getting ready to take your road test? Take this five-hour class required by the Department of Motor Vehicles about driving techniques and highway safety. Bring your Learners Permit and \$55.00 in cash on the day of the class. *Please bring exact change.*

Trips

Cupsogue Beach Seal Walk

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 7:00 – 8:30 AM
See front cover for full details.

Long Island Railroad Trip to New York City

SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 8:40 AM

Sayville Train Station Enjoy discounted train tickets through the library! On the day of the train trip, all patrons must leave from the Sayville Station on the 8:50 AM train and be in the first car (transfer at Jamaica). You will arrive at Penn Station at 10:21 AM and you can return home on any train prior to midnight. Limit six (6) tickets per patron. Registration for tickets ends on Friday, April 15 at 12:00 PM – or whenever tickets run out, whichever comes first. **masks may still be required on train** **Nonrefundable Fee: \$10.25, check or money order (payable to Sayville Library) or credit card.**

Seniors

Medicare Counseling & Assistance Program

WEDNESDAYS, MARCH 9 & APRIL 13, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM
In-Person

Meet in person with an RSVP Suffolk volunteer from the Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program to get information about Medicare health insurance and benefits. By appointment only; call the reference desk for a half-hour appointment.

Game Night with Teens

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 7:00 – 8:00 PM In-Person

You'll be paired up with a local teen for a game night with some music and snacks!

Chair Yoga

TUESDAYS, APRIL 5, 12, 19,

MAY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 1:00 – 2:00 PM In-Person

Joy Walker leads you through a Chair Yoga Session! Intended for those who want to do yoga, but can't get down on the floor. Registration is limited. **Nonrefundable Fee: \$20 check, money order (payable to Sayville Library) or credit card.**

Senior Fitness

THURSDAYS, APRIL 7, 14, 28,

MAY 5, 12, 19, 26, JUNE 2, 1:00 – 2:00 PM In-Person

Workout with Joy Walker in this basic weight training and body toning class. Chairs are used for upper and lower body work—don't have weights? Use soup cans or water bottles! **Nonrefundable Fee: \$20 check, money order (payable to Sayville Library) or credit card.**

Cellphone Clinic

THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 7:00 – 8:00 PM In-Person

Teen volunteers will be available to help you learn basic cellphone skills. Please bring your mobile phone with you to the clinic.

Book Discussions

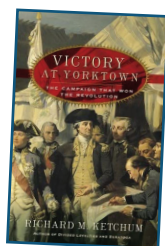
Afternoon Book Discussions

In-Person

**TUESDAY, MARCH 29,
3:00 PM**

Book: *Victory at Yorktown* by Richard Ketchum

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1:00 PM
Book: Long Island Reads: *The Living and the Lost* by Ellen Feldman



Meet Cute:

A Romance Book Discussion

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 3:00 PM

In-Person

Join fellow romance readers as we read and discuss *Rosaline Palmer Takes the Cake* by Alexis Hall which follows Rosaline Palmer as navigates the competition on TV's hottest baking show but will she win more than money?



Local History

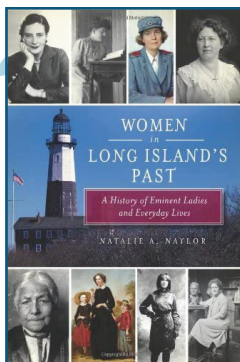
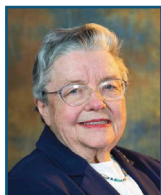
Women in Long Island's Past

TUESDAY, MARCH 22, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

In-Person & Facebook Live

Join us for this special program in celebration of Women's History Month!

Although they are nearly invisible in most accounts, women have been an important part of Long Island's history. Nationally notable and local women leaders have all left their mark on Long Island's past. Even "ordinary" women have played important roles throughout history including civic-minded women in the Sayville Village Improvement Society. Join Dr. Natalie Naylor, author of *Women in Long Island's Past: A History of Eminent Ladies and Everyday Lives* as she discusses the role Long Island women played in our history. This program will be held in person and also streamed live on our Facebook page.



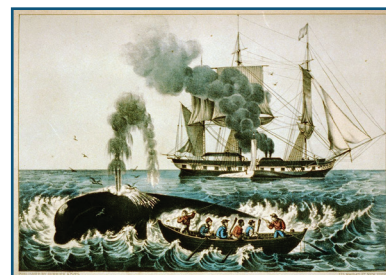
Invisible Labor:

LI Women Behind the Whaling Industry

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 7:00 – 8:30 PM

Online via Zoom

Join local historian, Erin Boris for this talk discussing the role Long Island native women played in the whaling industry. Long Island was at the heart of commercial whaling, the USA's 5th most profitable industry in the 19th century, and LI native women ensured industry success by their labor and the methods of survival they built while men were at sea.



COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The Community Outreach Department has a new home! Located conveniently just inside the main entrance, be sure to stop by and say hello!

NEW! SMART Recovery Group

THURSDAYS, MARCH AND APRIL, 7:30 – 9:00 PM **Online via Zoom**

Self-Management and Recovery Training (SMART) is a global community of mutual-support groups. At meetings, participants help one another resolve problems with any addiction. Participants develop the power within themselves to change and lead fulfilling and balanced lives guided by this science based, 4-Point Program. Click on our programs and events calendar at sayvillelibrary.org for the zoom link.

Stony Brook Healthy Libraries Program

TUESDAYS, MARCH 8, 29, 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM **In-Person**

The Healthy Libraries Program (HeLP) consists of students who are currently training in the fields of social work, public health, library science, and nursing. They are available at the library to provide blood pressure screenings, to answer questions and provide reliable, evidence-based information on a wide variety of health topics. The team can also direct patrons to community resources, help fill out paperwork for social services, find housing, assist with finding a healthcare provider and scheduling appointments.

Personal Financial Education, Parts 1 and 2

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 6:00 – 7:00 PM

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 6:00 – 7:00 PM

In-Person

Join us in this workshop where you will learn simple strategies on how to jumpstart a personal financial plan. Attending both sessions is encouraged but not required.

Stop the Bleed!

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 7:00 – 8:30 PM **In-Person**

Join the medical team from Good Samaritan Hospital to learn how to "Stop the Bleed" in emergency situations and increase the chance that more people will survive injuries. During this workshop, participants will learn three quick techniques to control bleeding. Participants will receive a class certificate upon completion.

Operation Medicine Cabinet

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM

In-Person

Safely, anonymously clean out your medicine cabinet of expired, unwanted prescription drugs. Suffolk County Police Department will be here to collect them!

Career Advising

WEDNESDAYS MARCH 23 & APRIL 20, 1:00 – 4:00 PM **In-Person**

A Long Island Cares Career Development Program representative will be on-site to assist you with your resume, cover letter and interview skills, or give you direction on a new career path, and help you navigate the ever-changing world of job searching. Registration required for a 45-minute appointment. Appointments are at 1pm, 2pm and 3pm.



Memory Loss, Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 7:00 – 8:00 PM **In-Person**

Concerned about Dementia? Not sure where to get answers about the facts and myths regarding memory loss? This session offers an understanding of the causes and types of dementia and when to speak with your doctor.

Access to Resources for Developmental Disabilities Benefits and Eligibility

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 7:00 – 8:00 PM

In-Person

A seminar for families with a developmentally disabled child. In this program we will review how to apply for eligibility through OPWDD (Office for people with developmental disabilities) and programs that are available through UCP at no cost to the family.

Basic First Aid with Community Ambulance Company

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 7:00 – 8:30 PM **In-Person**

Join Community Ambulance Company as they teach us about basic first aid! Build your skill set and be ready to help!

Movies

Flicks & Food

FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 6:15 – 8:30 PM

In-Person

Join us in Teen Central for an evening of pizza, fun, and the movie *Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings*.

This movie is rated PG-13.



FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 6:30 – 8:30 PM **In-Person**

Join us in Teen Central for an evening of pizza, fun, and the movie *Ghostbusters: Afterlife*.

This movie is rated PG-13.

Crazy for Animals?

Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies!

TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 6:30 – 7:15 PM

In-Person

The bunnies are BACK! Our friend Judy Wilson will be here to teach us all about rabbits. There will be stories told, a time for questions and answers, and of course, plenty of opportunities for bunny cuddles!



Cupsogue Beach Seal Walk

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 7:00 – 8:30 AM

See front cover for full description.



5-Hour Pre-Licensing Course

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 4:00 – 9:00 PM **In-Person** • Ages 16+

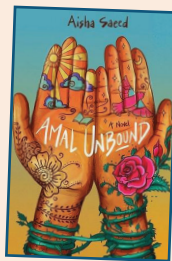
Getting ready to take your road test? Take this five-hour class required by the Department of Motor Vehicles about driving techniques and highway safety. Bring your Learners Permit and \$55.00 in cash on the day of the class. **Please bring exact change.**

Avid Readers & Pizza Eaters

Join us for a new book club while we chat and eat pizza! It's ok if you don't finish the book; we're busy too. Just finish as much as you can. Books will be given out after registration opens.

MONDAY, MARCH 21
6:30 – 7:15 PM **In-person**

For the month of March read, *Amal Unbound*, by Aisha Saeed.



THURSDAY,
APRIL 28, 6:30 – 7:15 PM

In-person

For the month of April read, *Poached* by Stuart Gibbs.



Get Creative

Clay Gnome

FRIDAY, MARCH 18 **Grab & Go**

Use polymer clay to create a cute little mini gnome.



Spring Painting with Kristen

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 7:00 – 8:00 PM **In-Person**

Join local artist, Kristen Duer, and create a spring flower painting with acrylics on canvas, using fresh flowers as inspiration.

Get to Know Your Sewing Machine

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 3:00 – 4:30 PM **In-Person**

See page 3 for full description.

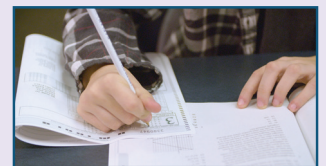
SAT Review

SAT Math & English Prep

TUESDAYS, MARCH 15, 22, 29, APRIL 5, 12,
AND 26, 6:00 – 8:00 PM

GRADES 11 & 12 **In-Person**

Study with local teachers Ms. Gennosa and Mr. Berman for this in-person 6-week SAT Test Prep class. ELA and Math covered. The total fee is \$200 cash, due on the first day. Test prep materials will be provided. **Please note there will be no class on April 19.**



Practice SAT

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM **In-Person**

Take a practice SAT test, have it graded with a full description of the results, and receive a phone call from the teacher to discuss where you need to focus your studying. This class has a \$40 cash fee, paid directly to the instructor (Mr. Berman). **Please bring your own writing utensils and a calculator.**

community Service

Homemade Head Warmers

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 6:00 – 7:30 PM In-Person

Join Miss Debbie for this involved community service project. We will crochet simple head warmers together which will be donated to *Mercy Center Ministries*, a community based, nonprofit organization that has been serving Suffolk County runaway/homeless youth since 1983. Beginners and experienced crocheters welcomed.

Game Night THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 7:00 – 8:00 PM In-Person

Earn community service credit hanging out in Teen Central! You'll be paired up with a local senior citizen for a game night with some music and snacks!

Seals in New York

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 7:00 – 8:00 PM In-Person

See page 3 for full description.

Cellphone Clinic THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 7:00 – 8:00 PM In-Person

Earn community service credit hanging out in Teen Central and helping our local senior citizens with basic assistance on their cell phones.

Authors Unlimited 2022

SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM Online via Zoom

Authors Unlimited 2022 will be taking place on Saturday, April 30th online through Zoom! It's a free program that celebrates reading by connecting teens and authors. Attendees will get the chance to hear from dynamic authors of young adult literature first at a panel and then in solo sessions. Attendees can earn three hours of community service credit for attending and then filling out a survey at the end of the day. Look for updates on our Event Calendar and Twitter @AuthorsUnlim!

Follow us on Instagram, Facebook, or Tik Tok!

Here's a quick and easy way to earn community service credit! We want you to follow us on Instagram, Facebook, or Tik Tok. Send us a private message to each account with your name, email address, and grade. Earn another credit if you tag us in a post.

Reviews Submit a review of a book you recently read, a video game played, or a movie you watched. Review any of our materials found in the Library or through one of our digital services: Libby, Overdrive, Hoopla, or Kanopy. Reviews may be used in the teen section of our website, in our newsletter, or as part of a display at the Library. Email reviews to teens@sayvillelibrary.org. There is a limit of 5 reviews per month.

Mission on the Move: Grab & Go

Mission on the Move is our Grab and Go style community service. Pick up on a Monday and return the following Monday. Complete at your own pace. You must register for each week you want to participate so that enough kits are made available. Supplies are limited.

Bunny Craft

PICK-UP ON MONDAY, MARCH 14 Grab & Go

We want to provide The Town of Islip's Home Delivery Meal Service with 250 crafted bunnies, which will be delivered to seniors along with their Easter meal. Please help us get this done! Teens will get 3 hours of community service credit for making 10 bunnies.

Posters

PICK-UP ON MONDAY, MARCH 28

Grab & Go

Create posters for the Friends of the Sayville Library's upcoming vintage jewelry sale. These posters will be hung up around town advertising the April 29th & 30th sale at the Library.

Love for Our Elders

PICK-UP ON MONDAY, APRIL 11

Grab & Go

Write a handwritten letter (or letters) which will be mailed out to elders in senior communities across the globe. Tell them about yourself, maybe say a joke or a riddle and let them know that they are loved.

Food

Food Feast With Chef Rob Online via Facebook Live

Join Chef Rob as he cooks a feast that will feed a family of four! Ingredients will be posted on Facebook and our online calendar closer to the date of the program, so you can cook along with him.

March Food Feast SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 3:00 – 4:30 PM

Spring is off to a very tasty start! Today's menu: Avocado and chickpea salad. Spring green onion and sour cream biscuits. Spring asparagus and mozzarella cheese angel hair pancakes.

April Food Feast SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 3:00 – 4:30 PM

Today's menu: Grilled salmon tacos with avocados and yellow peppers. Chicken piccata meatballs over egg noodles. Spring lemon cake with crumb topping and lemon glaze.

Chef Rob Scott's Cooking Class

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 4:00 – 5:00 PM In-Person

Cook along with Chef Rob as he makes a Grandma Style Spaghetti Pie.

Grab & Go Cooking

Recipe and all nonperishable ingredients provided. You must register as food kits are limited. If you do not pick up by the following Monday, the waitlist will be contacted.

Irish Soda Bread Muffins

PICK-UP ON FRIDAY, MARCH 11 Grab & Go

Pick up all the nonperishable ingredients for Chef Rob's Irish soda bread muffins. Make 8-10 large muffins perfect for breakfast or with your upcoming corned beef and cabbage dinner. This recipe will include a video.

Bunny Butt Sugar Cookies

PICK-UP ON FRIDAY, APRIL 15

Grab & Go

Take home the ingredients to make adorable and delicious bunny butt sugar cookies from gourmet dessert Chef Kristyn of Fanny Cakes.





CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

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BIRTHDAY BAGS!

Having a birthday? Let the Library help you celebrate! Parents, if your child has a birthday in January or February, email kids@sayvillelibrary.org (put *Birthday Bag* in the subject line) with their name, birthday, and age they will be turning so we can put together a personalized birthday bag for you to pick up! Available for children age 12 and under.

KINDERGARTEN/UNIVERSAL PRE-K SCREENING AT SAYVILLE LIBRARY

Sayville Schools Kindergarten screening is scheduled to take place during the week of May 9.
UPK screening is scheduled for Thursday, May 19. Call 631-244-6505 for more information.

Baby, Toddler & Pre-School

Space is extremely limited. Register all age-appropriate children individually for each class. If bringing siblings outside the age group of the class, please include that information in the *Special Notes* field when signing up online.

Shamrock Silliness

TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 6:30 - 7:15 PM

Online via Zoom

Ages 18 Months-5 Years w/Caregiver

Join A Time for Kids live from your own living room to get in the St. Patrick's Day spirit with fun and a seasonal craft.

This program will be broadcast to a closed group via Zoom and includes a kit to make the craft at home. **Kits will be available to pick up in the Children's Department the day before the class.**



Baby Games

SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 10:00 AM

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 10:00 AM

Online: Pre-Recorded
Ages Birth-12 Months
w/Caregiver

Join Library favorite Kathy Roeder for a video version of the baby program you've come to know and love!



Toddler Fun

SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 11:00 AM

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 11:00 AM

Online: Pre-Recorded
Ages 13-35 Months w/
Caregiver

Join Kathy Roeder for a video version of this fun and interactive program.



March Lion

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1:30 - 2:30 PM

In-Person

Ages 18-35 months w/Caregiver

Visit the library for music, movement, and a seasonal craft as the last roars of winter give way to early spring.

Babies Boogie

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 10:15 - 11:00 AM

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 10:15 - 11:00 AM

In-Person

Ages 3-17 Months w/Caregiver

Children will sing and bounce to music from around the world, using instruments, props, and developmentally appropriate movements.



Toddlers Tango

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 11:15 AM - 12:00 PM

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 11:15 AM - 12:00 PM

In-Person Ages 18-35 Months w/Caregiver

Clap your hands, stamp your feet and wiggle with the beat with great songs and toy musical instruments!

Tiny Tots

THURSDAYS, MARCH 24 - APRIL 14,

10:30 - 11:15 AM

In-Person

Ages 24-35 Months w/Caregiver

Join us each week for stories, songs, a craft, and a book-based movie!



Wind Songs

MONDAY, MARCH 28, 10:30 AM

Online: Pre-Recorded Ages Birth-5 Years

Pinwheels are turning, kites are flying, and the clothes on the clothesline are bopping to the breeze. Sing along with Miss Dara as we set the wind to music!

Storytime for 3-5 Year Olds

TUESDAYS, MARCH 29 - MAY 3, 1:30 - 2:00 PM OR

FRIDAYS, APRIL 1 - MAY 6, 10:30 - 11:00 AM

In-Person

Ages 3-5 Years
w/Caregiver

Join us each week for stories, songs, and a book-based movie!



- You can register for Library programs listed in this newsletter (unless otherwise indicated) by visiting the Library's website **EVENTS CALENDAR**.
- **Unless otherwise noted, registration for all March programs begins on Tuesday, February 22 and registration for all April programs begins on Monday, March 21.**
- You can also sign up for programs by calling the Library at 631.589.4440 x5 or stopping by. We recommend signing up on the first day of registration.
- Please register each child individually for each program.
- A parent/guardian's name, email address & phone number are required for each child's registration.
- Please check the online Events Calendar for updates to events and/or materials lists for specific programs.

- In-Person, Virtual programs via Zoom, and Grab & Go kits are for Sayville Library cardholders only.
- Patrons will receive Zoom links via email upon registration.
- Patrons will receive pre-recorded video links via email on the day and time listed. Links will be available to watch for at least 1 week after the original program date.
- Attendance for all In-Person programs is *extremely limited*. Please use the cancellation feature in our online Events Calendar if you will be unable to attend to give patrons on the Wait List an opportunity to come.
- Please let us know in advance if you require any special accommodations because of a disability. Thank you for your cooperation.

Due to high demand of programs, if you are more than 5 minutes late to a program and have not called ahead to save your child's spot, we will assume you are not coming and give available spaces to other patrons waiting in the Library. Parents/Caregivers of children under age 10 must remain in the building while their children attend programs.

Baby, Toddler & Pre-School (Continued)

Circus Fun

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 6:30 - 7:30 PM

In-Person

Ages 18 months-5 Years w/ Caregiver

Come clown around at the library with some big top fun that includes music, movement, and a circus craft.

Roseland Music and Movement

MONDAY, APRIL 4

Ages 18-35 Months w/ Caregiver,

10:15 - 11:00 AM OR 11:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Ages 3-5 Years w/ Caregiver,

1:00 - 1:45 PM

In-Person

Roseland School of Dance leads this class focusing on body awareness, strength, balance, and motor skills.



Hungry, Hungry Hippos

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 4:30 - 5:30 PM

In-Person

Ages 3-5 Years w/Caregiver

Rumble and tumble into the library for this hippo-themed program and make a fun craft to take home.



Mother Goose

THURSDAY, APRIL 28

Ages Birth-12 Months w/Caregiver, 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Ages 13-23 Months w/Caregiver, 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

In-Person

Learn and enjoy Mother Goose songs and rhymes both familiar and new.

School-Age

Leprechaun Door (PLEASE CHOOSE ONE)

In-Person SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 10:30 - 11:30 AM

OR

Grab & Go Pickup MONDAY, MARCH 7

Grades K-3

Get ready for the leprechaun's arrival on St. Paddy's Day by painting and decorating your very own wooden door for them to come through! For those who would rather participate at home, you can register for the **Grab & Go** option (includes kit w/materials and instructions). Supplies are limited. **Kits will be available to pick up on Monday, March 7. Please register for only one of these options.**

Elementary Science with A Time for Kids

THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 4:30 PM - **Leak-Proof Bag**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 4:30 PM - **Foaming Snake Bubbles**

Online: Pre-Recorded

Grades K-2

Practice the early scientific processes of planning, observation, and investigation using everyday items to conduct experiments in your very own home! See the individual descriptions in our online calendar for materials lists specific to each video.

Story Crafternoon

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 4:30 - 5:15 PM -

Shamrock Wreath

MONDAY, APRIL 11, 4:30 - 5:15 PM -

Flower Power

In-Person **Grades K-2**

Join Miss Michele for some stories and a simple craft!



Over the Rainbow

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

Grab & Go

Grades K-2

This St. Patrick's Day, create a 3D rainbow that never fades away. Each child in the family must be registered individually.

Kits will be available to pick up on Wednesday, March 16 in the Children's Department.



School-Age Programs continued on next page

School-Age (Continued)

Art Teacher Amy - Colored Pencil Bunnies

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 4:30 - 5:30 PM

In-Person

Grades K-5

Let your creativity shine and learn to create your own colored pencil drawing of adorable bunnies in flower pots.



Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies

TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 4:30 - 5:15 PM OR 5:30 - 6:15 PM

In-Person

Grades K-5

The bunnies are BACK! Our friend Judy Wilson will be here to teach us all about rabbits. There will be stories told, a time for questions and answers, and of course, plenty of opportunities for bunny cuddles!

April Fools' Faux Sushi with The Baking Coach

FRIDAY, APRIL 1

Grab & Go

Grades K-5

It's a Take-Out Fake-Out for April Fools' Day! Make this candy sushi and enjoy it with chopsticks and chocolate syrup soy sauce! Kits include all ingredients and an instructional video link. Each child must be registered individually. Supplies are extremely limited. **Kits will be available to pick-up on Friday, April 1 in the Children's Department.**



Dandy Daffodils

FRIDAY, APRIL 15

Grab & Go **Grades K-2**

Create your own garden of paper daffodils. Each child in the family must be registered individually. **Kits will be available to pick up on Friday, April 15 in the Children's Department.**

Blocks Over Break

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20,

2:30 - 3:00 PM OR 3:30 - 4:00 PM

In-Person

Grades K-5

School may be closed this week, but at the library, it's still full STEAM ahead toward learning fun! Bring your inner artist and engineer together and build anything you want out of our Legos during this relaxed class.



Tweens (Grades 3-5)

Paper Strip Shamrocks

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

Grab & Go

Grades 3-5

Bring some of the luck of the Irish into your home this St. Patrick's Day with these simply stunning shamrock decorations. Each child in the family must be registered individually. **Kits will be available to pick up on Wednesday, March 16 in the Children's Department.**



Cherry Blossom Windsock

FRIDAY, APRIL 15

Grab & Go

Grades 3-5

Celebrate the beauty of the cherry blossom season with this simple craft. Each child in the family must be registered individually. **Kits will be available to pick up on Friday, April 15 in the Children's Department.**



Family Programs/All Ages

Shamrock Man Grab & Go Craft

FRIDAY, MARCH 11

Grab & Go

All Ages - Family Program

Create a silly seasonal character that totally sham-rocks! Each child in the family must be registered individually. Supplies are limited. **Kits will be available to pick-up on Friday, March 11 in the Children's Department.**



Rainy Day Grab & Go Craft

FRIDAY, APRIL 8

Grab & Go

All Ages - Family Program

The report on this craft is cloudy with a chance of fun! Each child in the family must be registered individually. Supplies are limited. **Kits will be available to pick-up on Friday, April 8 in the Children's Department.**



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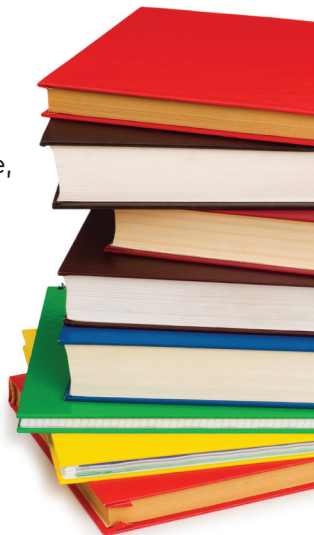
**Sustainable
Libraries
Initiative**

Initiative. As we work towards becoming a more sustainable library, we will keep the community updated in the *Happenings* and the Library's website. Here are some sustainable actions the Library already has taken:

- Conversion of all fluorescent lighting to LED lighting
- Updated solar panels on roof
- Installation of two vegetable garden beds

Customized Book Bundles

Let us know what kind of books your children like and we'll provide you with a book bundle specially chosen by one of our librarians. To request your bundle, call the Children's Desk at 631-589-4440 Ext. 5, email kids@sayvillelibrary.org and put **Book Bundle** in the subject line or request using the Library website's chat. Once your bundle is assembled, a staff member will contact you to arrange a day and time for pick up.



BrainFuse Online Tutoring - now with EXPANDED Hours

Did you know that with your Sayville Library card that you have access to FREE online tutors for all grade levels? This invaluable service is now available from 10AM - 11PM. These expanded hours make online tutors

available to students in our community for assistance during the school day and during times when tutors, students, and homeschoolers can best utilize this resource.



One-on-One Tech Help!

Did you know that you can request one-on-one tech help with our staff? Make an appointment today or in-person or over zoom!

To schedule, call, stop by or fill out the form here: Sayvillelibrary.org/techhelp

Blood Pressure Monitor Kits now available for loan!

Sayville Library is offering our patrons the opportunity to borrow a blood pressure monitor for a period of 28 days. Thank you to our partners at *Stony Brook Medicine* and the *American Heart Association* for their assistance with this program! Take control of your cardiac health and try monitoring your blood pressure with one of these free loaner kits!



SpringFest!

Presented by the Greater Sayville Chamber of Commerce
SATURDAY, APRIL 9 (RAIN DATE: SUNDAY, APRIL 10)

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Visit with the Easter Bunny, stop by the Sayville Library table, enter the bonnet contest (make your bonnet ahead of time at home) & check out the scavenger hunt, music, raffles and egg hunts (scheduled by age groups) in *Kay Porter Park* on Railroad Avenue. Roads, shopping and parking will be open. Questions: please call 631.567.5257 for more info.



Repair Café

SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 1:00 - 4:30 PM In-Person

IT'S BACK! If you've been hanging on to that small something that's broken and can't bring yourself to throw it away, come to our Repair Café and see if it can be fixed! Repair Volunteers are needed! We are looking for volunteers able to fix any of the following: small to mid-size electronics, small engines, jewelry, bikes, scooters, or clothing! Contact the Adult Services Department if you would like more info.





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Please note that Board Meetings may be held virtually. Call Library for further details.

MONDAYS, MARCH 14 & APRIL 11
ALL MEETINGS START AT 7:00 PM

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LITTLE FREE FOOD PANTRY

The Library is collecting "grab and go" food donations for our Little Free Pantry. Donation box is located in the Library lobby. For those in need, please help yourself at the Little Free Food Pantry.

Library Hours:

MONDAY – FRIDAY, 10:00 AM – 9:00 PM
SATURDAY, 9:30 AM – 5:00 PM
SUNDAY, 1:00 – 5:00 PM

Holiday Closing Schedule:

FRIDAY, APRIL 15 GOOD FRIDAY
(CLOSE AT 6PM)
SUNDAY, APRIL 17 EASTER SUNDAY

24/7 Pick-up Locker Service Available

Can't make it to the Library during regular hours? Pick up your items 24/7. Let us know and we will have your items ready for you in one of our pickup lockers located on the outside of the Library building.

Curbside Pick-Up Hours:

MONDAY – FRIDAY, 10:00 AM – 8:30 PM
SATURDAY, 10:00 AM – 4:30 PM
SUNDAY, 1:30 – 4:30 PM

Conveniently pick up your items from a locker located in the Library's vestibule. Call ahead for details.

Online Chat Service Hours:

MONDAY – FRIDAY, 10:00 AM – 9:00 PM
SATURDAY, 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM
SUNDAY, 1:00 – 5:00 PM



2022-2023 Library Trustee Election and Budget Vote

Petitions available in the School District Office for Library Trustee seat for a term of five (5) years currently held by incumbent Joseph Loughren.

Monday, April 18 by 5:00 PM
Nomination Petitions & Candidate Information Forms due
Office of the School District Clerk

Tuesday, April 19, 10:00 AM
Drawing to determine placement of Trustee candidates on the ballot (if more than one)
Office of the School District Clerk

Tuesday, May 10, 4:30 – 7:30 PM
Evening Voter Registration
Sayville School Administration Building

Tuesday, May 10, 7:30 PM
School & Library Budget Hearing
Sayville School Administration Building

Tuesday, May 17, 7:00 AM – 9:00 PM
School & Library Budget Vote and Trustee Election
Suffolk Community College Sayville Center

Display and Exhibits

Lobby Display Case:

MARCH:
Sayville Student Art

APRIL:
Cartoon Sculptures by Henry Clausner

Adult Services Display Case:

MARCH:
Sayville Student Art

APRIL:
Cartoon Sculptures by Henry Clausner

Art Gallery:

MARCH: Sayville Student Art
APRIL: Art Without Walls