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ADULT PROGRAMS

Program registration for **Bayport-Blue Point Library patrons** begins on **Saturday, January 8 at 9am**. **Registration is required for all programs listed unless otherwise noted**. Patrons can register online, by phone, or in person. Patrons who register for programs that require fees have one week before each program begins to pay, otherwise their spot will be released. **Program registration for non-residents will begin on Monday, January 10 at 9am**.

Winter Wreath with Laurie Monday, January 10, 6:30pm

Laurie will be back in the library to help create a beautiful winter wreath. Participants will use deco mesh ribbon to create a nice winter piece to brighten up your door for the winter months. Fee: \$10 payable by check or credit card. Registration required.



Disaster Planning on Long Island Thursday, January 20, 7pm

Here on Long Island we are prone to certain natural disasters. Come join Richard Murdocco as he teaches you how to plan for any disaster that may come our way. Be prepared for anything with Richard's help. Registration required.

Defensive Driving

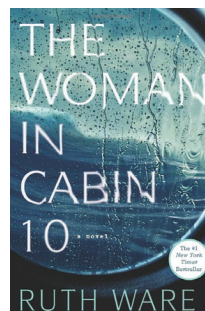
Saturday, January 22, 9am-3pm

This one day class will reduce points and/or take points off liability costs on your auto insurance. Fee: \$37 payable by check at the time of the class. Please make checks out to Joe Ogno. Registration required.

Library Book Club

Tuesday, January 25, 7pm

Join Librarian Wendy for an informal and lively book discussion! The selection for January is *The Woman in Cabin 10* by Ruth Ware. Books will be available at the main desk approximately four weeks before each discussion. Registration required.



Montauk Highway: From Urban Streets to Atlantic Dunes

Tuesday, January 25, 7pm

Historically, Montauk Highway extends from Jamaica, Queens to the Montauk Lighthouse. Along the way, it has assumed several names and identities. Regardless of its name, the highway is a microcosm of life on Long Island. In this program, Eco-Photo Explorers examine the rich history of this route, from colonial times to present day pop culture. You are bound to be entertained, enlightened and come away feeling a sense of nostalgia for how Long Islanders once lived. Registration required.

Beach Glass Jewelry

Monday, January 27, 5:30pm

Everyone could use a little summer in the winter. Robin is here to help with that. She will guide you through creating beautiful beach glass jewelry from beach glass that was found right on our own beaches. Fee: \$10 payable by check or credit card. Registration required.



EXERCISE CLASSES

Beginning Yoga

**Saturdays,
January 8, 15, and 22
IN Library, 10-11am**

Diane will guide you and teach you some beginning yoga poses. Fee: \$6 payable by check or credit card. Registration required.



Senior Flex

**Tuesdays, January 11, 18, and 25
IN Library, 10-11am**

Rose will be in person doing her thing. Please bring light-weights and water to class. Fee: \$6 payable by check or credit card. Registration required.

Yoga Levels I & II

**Wednesdays, January 12, 19, and 26
IN Library, 7-8pm**

Beginning and advanced yoga practitioners are welcome to attend this class. Instructor Diane Aronsen will tailor this class to suit all skill levels. Fee: \$6 payable by check or credit card. Registration required.

Tai Chi

**Wednesdays, January 12, 19, and 26
IN Library, 10-11am**

This course teaches the 24 movements of the Beijing Tai Chi form. Be sure to wear loose, comfortable clothes and soft-soled shoes. This class will be **IN** the library. Fee: \$6 payable by check or credit card. Registration required.

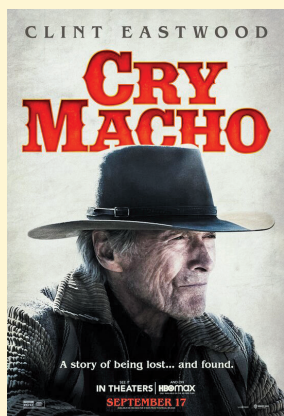
Strength Training with Jessica

January 8, 22, and 29, 9am

Jessica is a strength and conditioning coach. She will be in person to teach a full body strength, stability, and conditioning class. Jessica will break down key components in order to get stronger through body weight each week. **It is optional to bring your own weights**. Fee: \$6 payable by check or credit card. Registration required.



MOVIE MONDAYS @ 1PM



Cry Macho

January 3 (PG-13) 1 h 44 min

Starring: Clint Eastwood, Dwight Yoakam, Fernanda Urrejola

Plot: In 1978, a one-time rodeo star and washed-up horse breeder takes a job from an ex-boss to bring the man's young son home and away from his alcoholic mom. Crossing rural Mexico on their way back to Texas, the unlikely pair faces an unexpectedly challenging journey, during which the world-weary horseman may find his own sense of redemption through teaching the boy what it means to be a good man.



Dear Evan Hansen

January 10 (PG-13) 2 h 17 min

Starring: Ben Platt, Kaitlyn Dever, Amandla Stenberg

Plot: The breathtaking, generation-defining Broadway phenomenon becomes a soaring cinematic event as Tony, Grammy, and Emmy Award winner Ben Platt reprises his role as an anxious, isolated high schooler aching for understanding and belonging amid the chaos and cruelty of the social-media age. Directed by acclaimed filmmaker Stephen Chbosky, the film is written for the screen by the show's Tony winner Steven Levenson with music and lyrics by the show's Oscar, Grammy, and Tony-winning songwriting team of Benj Pasek and Justin Paul.

Jungle Cruise

January 24 (PG-13) 2 h 7 min

Starring: Dwayne Johnson, Emily Blunt, Edgar Ramirez

Plot: Come along on a rollicking thrill-ride down the Amazon with wisecracking skipper Frank Wolff and intrepid researcher Dr. Lily Houghton. Lily travels from London, England to the Amazon jungle and enlists Frank's questionable services to guide her downriver on La Quila, his ramshackle-but-charming boat. Lily is determined to uncover an ancient tree with unparalleled healing abilities, possessing the power to change the future of medicine. Thrust on this epic quest together, the unlikely duo encounters innumerable dangers and supernatural forces, all lurking in the deceptive beauty of the lush rainforest. But as the secrets of the lost tree unfold, the stakes reach even higher for Lily and Frank, and their fate and mankind's hangs in the balance.

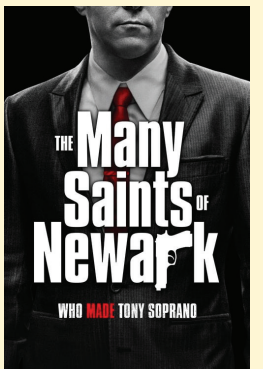


The Many Saints of Newark

January 31 (R) 2 h

Starring: Michael Gandolfini, Jon Bernthal, Vera Farmiga

Plot: Young Anthony Soprano is growing up in one of the most tumultuous eras in Newark's history, becoming a man just as rival gangsters begin to rise and challenge the all-powerful DiMeo crime family's hold over the increasingly race-torn city. Caught up in the changing times is the uncle he idolizes, Dickie Moltisanti, who struggles to manage both his professional and personal responsibilities, and whose influence over his nephew will help make the impressionable teenager into the all-powerful mob boss later known as Tony Soprano.



Young Adult Programs

Young Adult registration begins, Saturday, January 8, 9am. Programs are for teens in grades 6-12. Please follow each program's instructions, and have Teen's Library Card available. If you have allergies, please be aware that the Library cannot guarantee that the materials/foods are free of ingredients that may affect you. Online registration is available; please check out the Library's webpage: <http://bayportbluepointlibrary.org/> or call or come in to register.

Art Club

**Mondays,
January 10,
24, 31, 6-7pm**

Draw something new or work on something old in the young adult department. Use our art supplies and chat with your friends. Librarian Tom, our resident artist, will be there to help.



Bookies and Cookies

Tuesdays, January 11, 18, 25, 4pm

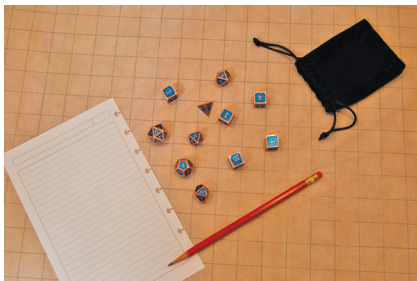
Need something new in your life!? Join Miss Kelly to talk about what you've been reading, watching, playing, etc... Hopefully you will come out with a great new something to do. Cookies from the new library café will be served.



Dungeons and Dragons

Tuesday, January 18, 7pm

Join in on the action and adventure with Librarian Alex as we campaign our way through the world of Dungeons and Dragons. *D&D is a game about adventure, mystery and drama in a fantasy based world! Meet new friends and have fun rolling dice, fighting monsters, and saving the realm!*



Sewing Club

Thursday, January 13, 20, 27 4 pm

Want to learn to sew? Learn the basic hand sewing stitches used to repair clothing and for other craft activities from our sewing expert, librarian Donna.



Gaming Fridays

**Fridays,
January 14, 21, 28, 3-5pm**

Board games, card games, video games... Try something new, play an old classic; whatever you feel like! Come on in and have some fun and maybe even challenge the librarians.



Let's Make Flair Pins

**Thursday,
January 20, 4pm**

Who doesn't love flair?? We will use a button machine

and shrinky dinks to create the perfect flair to express yourself.

Library Bookmark Making

Thursday, January 27, 4pm

Show off your creativity by designing bookmarks for us to hand-out to patrons and to put in the little free libraries around town. All supplies will be provided to you. (1 hour of community service)

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Community Service is open to resident teens in the 6th through 12th grade. Please remember that Teen Volunteering or Teen Community Service is the teen's responsibility. Thank you.

Community Service Teen Book Review

Resident teens can now earn three community service hours per month by reviewing teen books from our Young Adult Fiction collection. Go to <http://www.bayportbluepointlibrary.org/> under news and blogs: click on the link for Teen Book Review for all instructions.



Troopons® - Coupons for Troops

(1 hour of community service)

The Support our troops® Troopons® program enhances the well-being of overseas and domestic military families by sending them manufacturer coupons to make their hard-earned dollars go farther. Helping from home is easy. Collect all the coupons that arrive each week and prepare them by using this link with instructions: https://supportourtroops.org/images/programs/Instructions_for_cutting_coupons.pdf. (Before mailing take a pic of the completed envelope and email to kelly@bbplibrary.org with your name and grade.)



Letters to Veterans (1 hour of community service)

Pen a heartfelt letter to a Veteran. Go to: <https://huntingtonchamber.com/committees/letters-to-veterans-program/> and write your letter. (Make sure to take a screenshot and email it to kelly@bbplibrary.org to get community service credit, make sure to include name and grade).

Kindness Rocks (1 hour of community service)

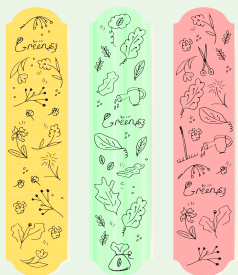
Society can always use a little bit of kindness in any way. It's easy to spread some to your neighbors by painting or writing designs and hopeful, inspirational words onto ordinary rocks. Then place the rocks where people might see them, such as around neighborhoods or on nature trails. The idea is to put beauty and good thoughts out into the world for others to see. During times like this, we can use all the kindness we can get! (When your rocks are finished, take a pic and email to kelly@bbplibrary.org with your name and grade).

Bookmarks

(1 hour of community service)

Pick up a kit from the YA department with 5 bookmarks to make. Design and bring back the finished bookmarks to receive your certificate.

Please note all items submitted may be shared on our social media pages



TWEEN PROGRAMS

Tween programs are for children in grades 4 through 6 only.

FUN WITH OZOBOTS

**Friday, January 21, 4pm,
10 children**

Learn about simple coding techniques using the Ozobots in our new Makerspace.



PLUSH PENGUIN

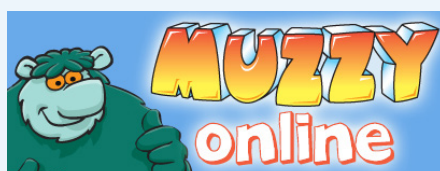
**Thursday, January 27, 4pm,
12 children**

Come to the library after school to stuff your very own penguin to take home.



preparation and more. Brainfuse is available on the Children's web page under "Homework Sites". Ask a librarian if you need assistance.

Homework Help Got homework? Connect with an onlinetutor using Brainfuse. Online certified tutors are available to help you with your homework. Brainfuse also offers skills-building, writing assistance, flash cards, test



The library subscribes to **MUZZY ONLINE** Available in the library or at home from our website, Muzzy Online is a fun way for children to learn a foreign language. Learn English, French, Spanish, Italian and German. Ask a librarian for more information.



Info Finder and World Book Online Reference Center. Ask a librarian for more information.



TumbleBooks Have animated stories read to you online and then play a game based on the story. TumbleBooks is available on the Children's web page.

New Baby Kits are available at the Children's Reference Desk for any Bayport or Blue Point resident who has had a new baby during the last six months.

Get Well Kits can be picked up at the Children's Reference Desk to brighten a sick child's day.

From the Children's Room

REGISTRATION FOR JANUARY CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS BEGINS ON MONDAY, JANUARY 3RD AT 10:00 AM. FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE AND TO ACCOMMODATE BUSY SCHEDULES THE LIBRARY OFFERS SEVERAL REGISTRATION OPTIONS: ONLINE, WALK IN, CALL IN AND PRE-REGISTRATION. Please have your child’s library card available. All children must have their own library card and a password to register online. For families that will be away, registration forms will be available on the Wednesday before registration. They will be entered on the day of registration. Caregivers please call to register non-district resident children who will then be placed in programs according to availability. To help us better serve you, please plan to attend all programs your child is registered for. Call in advance if your child will be late or is not able to join us.

Many different foods and materials are used in our programs. If your child has allergies, please be aware that the Library cannot guarantee that these materials are free of ingredients that may affect your child.

Photos may be taken at our Library programs for publicity purposes.

Please let us know if you do not want photos taken of your child.

Leveled Reading Sets Available

Attention Emergent and Beginning Readers! The Children’s Department is happy to announce we are circulating sets of Fountas and Pinnell Leveled Books from reading levels A-F. These sets have been conveniently packaged in small cases and contain between 12 and 15 books at your child’s reading level.



PARENTING

Healthy Lunchbox Lunches (ZOOM)

Wednesday, January 26, 7pm
Are you running out of ideas for your child’s school lunch? Are you worried that the lunches you pack aren’t that nutritious? Are you suspicious that your child is trading away those well-planned healthy lunches for junk food? If so, join Cornell Cooperative Extension and learn what makes a healthy lunch. Get ideas for nutritious, appetizing foods that appeal to children.

FAMILY PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

January Program Raffle

Earn a raffle every time you attend a program in the month of January! The winner will receive a set of Magna-Tiles.



Grab N’ Go Picture Book Bundles

Don’t have time to browse the bookshelves or does your little one just love to be read books about dinosaurs, sharks or princesses. We have themed book bundles for you to choose from on display at the library for quick check out.

Grab N’ Go Movie Night Bags

The children’s staff have assembled bags with one of their favorite kids movies. The bags include: a popcorn packet, coloring pages and activity sheets to go along with the movie. While supplies last.

YOUNGER CHILDREN (Infant, Toddler and Preschool)

Check description for age requirements

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

We would like to invite you to participate in this free program which encourages you to read 1,000 books with your child before he or she starts kindergarten. Simply read a book to your newborn, infant, and/or toddler and then record it. If you read just 1 book a night, you will have read about 365 books in a year. At that rate you can read over 1,000 books in just three years! The key is perseverance! The concept is simple and the rewards are priceless. Sign up at the Children’s Reference Desk.



Storytime I

Monday, January 10 at 10am OR Thursday, January 13 at 2pm, 12 children ages 3-5 years

Join us for storytime! We invite 3-5 year-olds to join us in sharing stories, finger plays, songs, and other age appropriate activities. Please register for one session only.

Art I

Wednesday, January 12 at 11am OR

Tuesday, January 18 at 1:30pm,

10 children ages 2-5 years with a caregiver

Join us for a fabulous time creating with your little artist. Projects will be collaborative, a little messy and a lot of fun! **Note: Please wear clothes that can get messy, or bring an apron/smock to cover clothes. Please register for one session only.**

Bedtime Storytime

Wednesday, January 12, 6:30pm,

10 children with a caregiver, family storytime

Bedtime storytime is a great time to snuggle up with someone special and wind down after a long day. Wearing your Jammies is optional.

Sprouts & Friends

Friday, January 14, 21, 28 and February 4, 9:30-10am, 12 children ages birth through 5 years with a caregiver

Come ready to dance, sing and smile! Sprouts & Friends will help your little ones to grow, learn, develop and explore through play, music and movement activities. This family program is designed to bring siblings together. **Series**

Let’s Celebrate

Thursday, January 20 at 10am OR 11am,

10 children from 18 months through 5 years with a caregiver

Let’s celebrate our new library! “A Time for Kids” is planning a celebration with lots of musical fun and activities planned for you and your little one. **Please register for one session only.**

Free Play

Monday, January 24, 31, and February 7, 14, 11:30am, 15 children ages 18-35 months

Children and their caregivers will have fun making new friends and sharing in imaginative free play with the many toys provided by the Library. **Series**

Art II

Wednesday, January 26 at 11am OR

Tuesday, February 1 at 1:30pm,

10 children ages 2-5 years with a caregiver

Join us for a fabulous time creating with your little artist. Projects will be collaborative, a little messy and a lot of fun! **Note: Please wear clothes that can get messy, or bring an apron/smock to cover clothes. Please register for one session only.**

Storytime II (In the Library)

Monday, January 24, 10am OR Thursday,

January 27, 2pm, 12 children ages 3-5 years

Join us for storytime! We invite 3-5 year-olds to join us in sharing stories, finger plays, songs, and other age appropriate activities. **Please register for one session only.**

Meet the Friendly Snowman

Tuesday, January 25, 10am OR 11am,

10 children ages 3-5 years with a caregiver

Winter is on the way! Meet and greet the Friendly Snowman and then make your very own friendly snowman cupcake with Chef Rob. Remember to bring your camera for family photos.

Storytime III

Monday, January 31, 10am OR Thursday,

February 3, 2pm, 12 children ages 3-5 years

Join us for storytime! We invite 3-5 year-olds to join us in sharing stories, finger plays, songs, and other age appropriate activities. **Please register for one session only.**

SCHOOL AGE (K-5th Grade)

Check description for grade requirements

Sweet and Salty Chocolate Chip Cookies (Virtual/Grab and Go)

Wednesday, January 5, 6:30pm, 25 children in Grades K-5 (one registration per family)

Join Chef Rob as he demonstrates how to make delicious Sweet and Salty Chocolate Chip Cookies virtually. These cookies are a perfect treat. **Register for this program and get your Grab and Go non-perishable ingredients before the program. (FB)**

Exploring Our Planet

Friday, January 7, 4pm,

20 children in Grades K-5

Animals live in almost every place on earth. Children will take a trip around the globe without leaving their seats as they meet a variety of animals from the Sweetbriar Nature Center. They will meet a dragon from Australia, a spiny creature from Africa, a tree climber from South America and more. So get ready to learn about some amazing animals.



Nature Craft

Saturday, January 8, 10am,

20 children in Grades 3-5

Join naturalist and art teacher Jan Porinchak as he teaches you how to create a nature- inspired piece of art.

Narwhal, Unicorn of the Sea

Tuesday, January 11, 4pm,

20 children in Grades K-5

Join the Whaling Museum as we celebrate winter with these mysterious arctic whales. Explore one of the world’s most elusive creatures and how their tusks inspired legends of unicorns. Decorate a narwhal craft of your own.

Snowman Cupcakes

Wednesday, January 19,

4pm, 12 children in

Grades K-2

It’s getting cold outside! Have some wintry fun decorating a cupcake that looks like a snowman.



Cup Building I

Thursday, January 20, 4pm,

12 children in Grades K-2

Let your imagination be your guide. Build on your own or with friends using large plastic cups to see what you can create.

Cup Building II

Thursday, January 20, 5pm,

12 children in Grades 3-5

Let your imagination be your guide. Build on your own or with friends using large plastic cups to see what you can create.

Seed Garland

Monday, January 24 at 6:30pm OR

Tuesday, January 25 at 4pm,

10 children in Grades K-5

Did you know...all beans are seeds but not all seeds are beans! Create a simple and beautiful mosaic (with the option to turn it into a banner) for fall using beans and seeds! **Please register for one session only.**

Make and Bake Pizza Dip

Friday, January 28, 4pm,

20 children in Grades K-5

Chef Rob is back! Join him as he instructs you how to make a delicious Pizza Dip ready to take home and bake. Yum!

Movie Matinee

Saturday, January 29, 2pm,

15 children in Grades K-5

Join your friends at the library for a viewing of the movie “Luca” (PG). Snacks and drinks will be served.



Graphic Novel Club

Thursday, February 3, 4pm,

15 children in Grades 2-5

Join us for a discussion and special project relating to the graphic novel, “Kate the Catsitter” by Colleen AF Venable. **Pick up your copy of the book at the Children’s Reference desk after you register.** You may attend even if you have already read the book!

