

CENTER MORICHES FREE PUBLIC SERVING CENTER MORICHES, EAST MORICHES, EAST PORT, MANORVILLE, REMSENBURG AND SPEONK

SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2016

IN CELEBRATION OF FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY WEEK, OCTOBER 16TH-22ND SPECIAL 🏵 EVEN 1

DOCUMENT SHREDDING & FOOD DRIVE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 9:00AM-12:00PM

The Friends of the Center Moriches Library will be sponsoring a visit from A Shred Away Inc. who will bring their mobile shredding truck to the library.

The mobile truck will shred all paper (staples and small and large clips do not need to be removed). Compact discs are also accepted.

Do not bring: black carbon sheets, magazines, newspapers, plastic items of any kind (no plastic paper clips), plastic sheet covers/protectors or cardboard. Any bag or box used to carry materials for shredding will be returned for disposal at home.

At this free shredding event, the Friends will be collecting non-perishable food items and toiletries. All donations will be donated to a local food pantry.





From the Region 15 "Audience Choice Award" winning chorus that brought you "New York, New York" and "A Holiday Radio Show", The Island Hills Chorus presents a tribute to the songs and stars that inspired a century of filmgoers because, honestly, who doesn't like the movies? Spend an afternoon with the memories and melodies that shaped the lifetimes of generations both past and future.

The chorus presents a musical history of film-from the old nickelodeon days to the present—as well as a reflection of how music and movies have not only reflected, but often formed America's culture. From World Wars to twerking starlets, the decades brought us memorable songs and singers whose tunes we both love and remember. Reminisce as they revisit the times and tunes that still evoke those wonderful memories of the music of a bygone era. PLEASE NOTE THIS PROGRAM IS OPEN TO SUFFOLK COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY. **CMOR CARDHOLDERS:**

REGISTER BEGINNING ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST. NON-CMOR CARDHOLDERS: REGISTER BEGINNING ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH.

A PATRON APPRECIATION DAY PRESENTATION!

SOUTHOLD SLIM & FRIENDS



Come on down for a unique and fun musical concert experience! Joe (Southold Slim) Sferlazza is a performer that specializes in Tin Pan Alley standards, New Orleans style jazz, Blues, and Western Swing, and has been wowing crowds all over Long Island Wineries and East End Bistros! You will be clapping and tapping your feet! **CMOR PATRONS REGISTER BEGINNING**

ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27TH. **NON- CMOR CARDHOLDERS REGISTER BEGINNING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH.**



LIGHTING IS HERE!

Thank You Senator LaValle,

... for securing \$6,000 in additional funding for the Center Moriches Free Public Library! Your efforts on our behalf are gratefully appreciated. The timing could not have been better, as our Community Room's lighting was in need of updating and these funds have covered that expense.

"I SPENT MY LIFE READING BOOKS IN THE LIBRARY" SAYS MICHAEL CAINE by Maurine Donnelly

In a CBS 60 Minutes report, aired on July 3, 2016, Michael Caine talked about his life growing up Cockney in London and of being the object of discrimination because of it. He spent his time and found a freedom in the library. Later, when became more involved in the world of music and entertainment, he became great friends with John Lennon.

Caine is one of the two people who have been nominated for an Academy Award in each of the five decades from 1960 to 2000. In 1992, Queen Elizabeth II bestowed the honor of Commander of the Order of the British Empire on him. Then in 2000, she knighted him and now he can be properly called "Sir Maurice Micklewhite CBE". His home is in Leatherhead, Surrey, England, owns a flat in South East London where he grew up, and owns an apartment in Miami Beach, Florida.



Our library has numerous films on DVD as well as Mr. Caine's two autobiographies.

ADULT BIOGRAPHY

The Elephant to Hollywood What's it All About : His Autobiography

FILMS ON DVD

Alfie Batman Begins Bewitched California Suite Cars 2 Children of Men The Dark Knight

FILMS cont.

Inception Interstellar Journey 2: The Mysterious Island Kingsman : The Secret Service The Man Who Would be King Miss Congeniality Mr. Destinv A Muppet Christmas Carol Now You See Me The Prestige Quicksand Quills Stonehearst Asylum X Y & Z Victory The Weatherman Zulu

L TOTE BAG PAINTING CMA136

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21ST, 6:30-8:00PM

Fashion and fun come together in this program sponsored by the Friends. Come on down to the library and enjoy using acrylic paints to decorate a canvas tote bag with fall themed images! Make sure to dress for mess! **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH.**

MERCHEINICHILODICHIY (SLAHLERU ALL DAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH

The Library will be offering used technology related items for sale to the public. ALL ITEMS ARE SOLD "AS IS".

The Dark Knight Rises Dirty Rotten Scoundrels Dressed to Kill Flawless Gnomeo & Juliet Hannah and Her Sisters Harry Brown

JOIN THE CONVERSATION! THE MORICHES BAY CIVIC ASSOCIATION MEETS THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 22ND & OCTOBER 27TH ~ 7:00PM

Center Moriches Free Public Library 235 Main Street, Center Moriches, NY 11934 (631) 878-0940 ~ www.centermoricheslibrary.org

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Hours

Monday-Friday 9:30am-8:30pm Saturday 9:30am-5:00pm Sunday 12:00pm-5:00pm

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ADULT REGISTRATION GUIDE

PROGRAMS ARE FOR ADULTS ONLY, AND A CENTER MORICHES LIBRARY CARD IS REQUIRED, UNLESS ADVERTISED AS "ALL ARE WELCOME".

All programs are free except S.A.T. preparation & AARP Defensive Driving. For dates of upcoming driving programs, call the library at 878-0940 and ask for Adult Reference.

SATURDAY REGISTRATION : LINES FORM BEFORE 9:30AM

THE LIBRARY DOORS WILL OPEN AT 9:00AM, AND NUMBERS WILL BE HANDED OUT IN THE ORDER THAT PEOPLE ARRIVE FOR REGISTRATION.

> DUE TO POPULARITY, SOME PROGRAMS MAY FILL WITHIN THE FIRST HOUR OF REGISTRATION.

REGISTRATION ONLINE BEGINS AT 10:00AM.

Patrons may register one additional cardholder when presenting all library cards at registration. Photocopies are acceptable.

EXERCISE CLASSES!

DUE TO POPULARITY,

PLEASE REGISTER ONLY

IF YOU INTEND ON

ATTENDING ALL SESSIONS.

More programs on the front page

STAYING INDEPENDENT FOR LIFE CMA723

BUILDING CONFIDENCE AND REDUCING FALLS THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH, 1:00-2:30PM.

Falls are the leading cause of injury for people who are 65 and older causing loss of independence. The Suffolk County Department of Health Services invites mature residents who are interested in increasing their chances of staying independent as they age, to this workshop led by a health professional.

Topics include balance and strength training, (an exercise manual will be distributed), vision and medication review, how to buy safe footwear and how to keep the home environment safe.

ALL ARE WELCOME, REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 20TH.

SHABBY-CHIC VINTAGE BOTTLE (CHOOSE ONE DATE) CMA131 FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23RD, & MONDAY, SEPTEM-BER 26TH, ALL DATES ARE 7:00-8:00PM.

Bring a bit of vintage style into your home! Learn how to decorate a bottle with vintage inspired details including black and white photos, rhinestones, lace, glitter & collage. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 20TH.**



SWEET POTATO CAKES & BAY SCALLOPS (CHOOSE ONE DATE) CMA322

MONDAYS, SEPTEMBER 12TH OR 19TH, 6:00-8:00PM. The Block Island Seafood Company will be back to help you say goodbye to summer with two new recipes. Join them for a demonstration and tasting of sweet potato cakes with

cherry tomato and red onion salad and then lemon buttered bay scallops over English pea puree. Of course there will be raffles!

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 20TH.

GENTLE MUSCLE TONING & CONDITIONING WITH KIM (ATTEND ALL DATES) CMA416

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

KNITTING WITHOUT NEEDLES : INFINITY SCARF (CHOOSE ONE DATE) CMA111

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 22ND, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH, OR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4TH, ALL ARE 6:00-8:30PM.

You don't need needles to knit! Learn how to create your own simple infinity scarf using an easy to do arm knitting technique.

Class size is limited in each session, so please register promptly to avoid disappointment **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH.**

SPIDER OR EYEBALL CAKE (choose one date) cma323 THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13TH, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14TH,

OR MONDAY, OCTOBER 17TH, ALL DATES ARE 6:30-8:00PM. Learn how to create an 8 inch double layer chocolate cake that you will cover in fondant spiders or eyeballs (your choice) for a *spook-tacular* centerpiece!

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST.

GENTLE CHAIR YOGA 🍣 WITH SUSAN

(ATTEND ALL 5 SESSIONS) CMA318 WEDNESDAYS, OCTOBER 19TH, 26TH, NOVEMBER 2ND, 9TH & 16TH, 1:30-2:30PM.

Join certified instructor Susan Semerade as she shows you gentle yet effective yoga moves that can be done sitting in a chair, or using a chair for support. Please do not register unless you can attend all 5 dates. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH.**

JUST PILATES WITH MICHELLE* (ATTEND ALL 5 SESSIONS) CMA403

WEDNESDAYS, OCTOBER 19TH, 26TH, NOVEMBER 2ND, 9TH & 16TH, 6:00-7:00PM.

Pilates focuses on the core postural muscles which help keep the body balanced and which are essential to providing support for the spine. Join certified instructor Michelle W. for this 5 week fitness series. Bring a mat, towel and a water bottle. ******A* moderate level of fitness is required. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH.**

HALLOWEEN ROADSHOW

CMA520 SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30TH, 2:00-4:00PM.

See some truly wonderful classic Halloween themed antique collectibles. You will learn the important qualities that contribute to the value of vintage Halloween decorations in this frighteningly fun and highly informative lecture! So join certified appraiser Ed Costello and his wife Jean as they take you on a tour through the history of one of America's favorite holidays. Each registrant may bring one item for a free appraisal (does not have to be



Halloween themed, and please do not bring coins, bills or stamps). **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY,OCTOBER 15TH.**



WINDOWS 10 (HANDS-ON) CMA042 WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, 6:30-8:30PM. An overview and an understanding of the new Windows environment. Multitasking, the Desktop, the Start Menu and Windows Explorer are some of the many topics covered in this hands-on class. REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH.

WEDNESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 14TH, 21ST, 28TH, & OCTOBER 5TH, 1:00-2:00PM.

Join certified instructor Kim R. as she guides you through these simple muscle and toning exercises (all done in a chair) that will help you get fit and feel stronger. Bring 1-2 lb. weights.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27TH.

FALL CENTERPIECES WITH DIANA (CHOOSE ONE DATE) CMA108 TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 14TH, 6:30-8:00PM, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH, 6:30-8:00PM, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH, 6:30-8:00PM, OR SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH, 2:00-3:30PM. Join Diana Conklin as she shows you how to create a beautiful dried flower/ leaf centerpiece in a pot that will bring a touch of autumn into your home. REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27TH.



FALL SCENES WITH CAMILLE

(ATTEND ALL DATES) CMA106 SUNDAYS, SEPTEMBER 18TH, 25TH, (SKIP-

PING OCTOBER 2ND), OCTOBER 9TH & 16TH, 1:00-4:00PM.

Join artist Camille M. as she shows you how to paint some scenic fall scenes. Beginners and Intermediates will enjoy painting the colors of autumn by using russet tones, which will enliven your paintings of the season. Pick up materials list when registering (for new registrants). **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27TH.**

INTRODUCTION TO 10S9 **THE IPAD'S NEW OPERATING SYSTEM** (LECTURE) CMA039 WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5TH, 6:30-8:30PM.

In this class, you will be introduced to the hardware, learn how to access the Internet and your email, understand the settings, use the apps and learn how to get new ones, discover many tips and tricks and much more. Bring your iPad (or iPhone) or just come and listen.

ALL ARE WELCOME.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH.

INTRODUCTION TO CLECTURE) CMA031 THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20TH, 6:30-8:30PM.

In this lecture and demonstration, learn how to buy and sell items on eBay, the popular online auction website. Learn to create an account, check reliability of sellers and buyers, online safety, and more.

ALL ARE WELCOME. REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH.



PROGRAMS FOR TEENS GRADES 7TH-12TH

TEEN PROGRAMS REQUIRE A CENTER MORICHES LIBRARY CARD, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

TEEN READ WEEK - OGTOBER 9711-15711 **READ FOR THE FUN OF IT @ YOUR LIBRARY!** COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Come down to the Teen Zone and get your book review form. Read a book and fill out a book review to be entered into a raffle to win an Island 16 Cinema de Lux gift basket and receive one hour of community service! Only 1 hour of community service per teen.



MPKIN PAINTING TO DONATE CMY109 THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20TH, 6:30-7:30PM. Pick a pumpkin from the Library's "pumpkin *patch*" to create a uniquely painted pumpkin of your design. All pumpkins will then be donated to the library to help decorate for the

fall season. One hour of community service will be given to each teen.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH.

GET TO KNOW YOUR LIBRARY SCAVENGER HUNT! SEPTEMBER.

During the month of September, come down to the Teen Zone and pick up your scavenger hunt. Search around the library to complete it and win a prize from the treasure chest when you are done!

BREAKFAST BARS* CMY350

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2:30-3:30PM.

Learn how to make tasty homemade breakfast cereal bars and a breakfast cookie that is so yummy! Everyone makes breakfast bars at the library and enjoys a breakfast cookie. *This program may not be suitable for teens with food allergies.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 20TH.

DRAWING CLUB CMY100

THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 8TH & OCTOBER 6TH, 6:00-7:30PM. Come and have a relaxing time at our new drawing club! Materials and paper will be provided by the library. Please be prepared to relax and enjoy a space where you can draw and share your drawings with others! We look forward to seeing you there!

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27TH.

DROP-IN CRAFT CMY190

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, 11:00AM-1:00PM.

Come down to the Teen Zone and get busy crafting! We will have all sorts of materials out and ready for you to get creative with! **NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

GAME NIGHT CMY702

TUESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 20TH & OCTOBER 18TH, 6:30-8:00PM. Have fun playing your favorite Wii games and board games such as Connect Four, Sorry, Clue, Apples to Apples or just bring your Pokemon and Yu-Gi-Oh cards. Enjoy some snacks too!

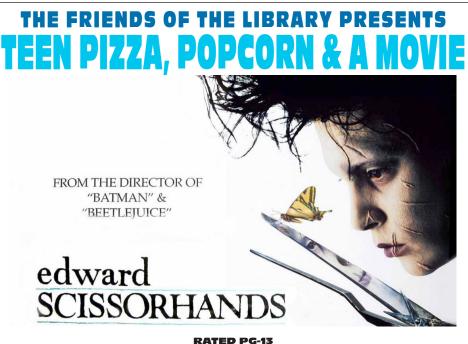
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

INTRODUCTION TO MICROSOFT WORD CMJ772

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, 4:45-5:45PM.

Sharper Training Solutions will teach you the basics of word processing including creating a document, saving, editing, formatting and much more. Microsoft Word is used extensively in schools for homework, papers, reports, and more.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7TH, 6:00PM

Once upon a time in a castle high on a hill lived an inventor whose greatest creation was named Edward (Johnny Depp). Although Edward had an irresistible charm, he wasn't quite perfect. The inventor's sudden death left him unfinished, with sharp shears of metal for hands. Edward lived alone in the darkness until one day a kind Avon Lady took him home to live with her family. And so began Edward's fantastic adventures in a pastel paradise known as Suburbia.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW!

BUTE A ZOMBIE **ZOMBIE COOKIE*** CMY351

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 2:30-3:30PM.

Make the undead delicious! Decorate sugar cookies to look like zombies. Everyone goes home with 3 fully decorated zombie cookies. *This program may not be suitable for teens with food allergies. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST.**

ZOMBIE SCIENCE CMY790

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28TH, 6:30-7:30PM.

Participants will learn about the science behind Zombies and look at examples of "real" zombies to decide for themselves if a Zombie apocalypse could actually happen! Presentation is followed by a hands-on "Guess the Zombie Body Part" game.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH.

ATTENTION ANIME & MANGA LOVERS, SHOW YOUR OTAKU PRIDE! oshokan bacoda anime & manga **CMY704**



TUESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 27TH & OCTOBER 25TH, 5:30-8:00PM. Come to the Toshokan Pagoda Anime & Manga Club! Enjoy "out of the box" anime fun, including watching anime movies and series, reading hit manga, working on your drawing skills and style, games and contests, crafts and snacks, music and cosplay, and so much more!!! Meet other anime and manga enthusiasts who like having fun, just like you! Want to show your otaku pride?! Wear your cosplay gear and accessories to club meetings!

REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW!

SOME SCARY TITLES...

Blood of Eden Series by Julie Kagawa, 2012.

Red Lung decimated the human population. Vampires rose to rule the crumbling cities. Madmen seek to destroy what little civilization remains. Only Allison Sekemoto, former fringerturned-vampire stands against them. This is the world of The Blood of Eden. This is Allie's world ...

The Girl with All the Gifts by M.R. Carey, 2014.

A little girl who is detained by the military, restrained in a wheelchair, and goes to school while heavily guarded doesn't truly understand why she is special until it is up to her to save the world.

The Razorland Trilogy: Enclave, Outpost, and Horde by Ann Aguirre, 2013.

The New York Times-bestselling trilogy is the story of two young people in an apocalyptic world-facing dangers, and feelings, unlike any they've ever known.



LEE KNIGHT CMJ901 AGES 2-7 WITH PARENT. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, 10:00AM.

Join Children's entertainer Lee Knight for an interactive musical performance that will bring smiles and fun for the whole family. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD.**

SUFFOLK COUNTY FARM & TRACTER RIDE* CMJ637

AGES 3-6TH GRADE WITH PARENT. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH, 10:00AM.

Learn about the animals that reside at the Suffolk County Farm and the special role they play. Also enjoy a ride around the fields viewing the crops that are planted and learning about the equipment that is used. *A waiver from the farm must also be signed by the parent and you must provide your own transportation to and from the farm. REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD.

PUMPKIN DECORATING CMJ700 AGES 3 YEARS-6TH GRADE.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21ST 1:00PM, 4:30PM OR 6:30PM. Listen to pumpkin stories and decorate your very own pumpkin afterwards. Pumpkins will be provided.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14TH.

WHAT IS... BOOKTALK IN A BAG?

Booktalk in a Bag is a fun resource that includes 10 copies of the same book and a resource folder that provides guidance for discussion questions as well as puzzles, activities and more! If available, a copy of the audiobook and movie are also included! Share with friends, scout troop, camp group or family!

BOOKTALK IN A BAG TITLES:

Alvin Ho, Allergic to Girls, School and Other Scary Things Angels Don't Know Karate Because of Winn-Dixie Bud, Not Buddy Bunnicula and Friends Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs Fablehaven Flat Stanley Flipped Frindle Help! I'm Trapped in My Teacher's Body! Hoot Nate the Great Roscoe Riley Rule Splat the Cat The Borrowers The Case of the Missing Trophy The Genius Files The Year of Miss Agnes Young Cam Jansen and the Library Mystery

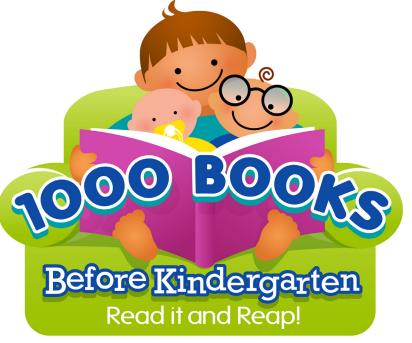
ONLINE RESOURCES FOR ALL AGES

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Research has clearly shown that involving your child in a reading readiness program will enhance their chances of success in their future educational career.

Present your child's library card at the Children's Reference Desk to get your starter bag. In your bag, there's a check sheet to log the books you have read. Choose some books from our pre-packaged theme kits or make your own selections. Then, simply check a box on your sheet for every 10 books read, or record the number of the theme kits you have completed. When your sheet is full, bring it in for your first prize! Collect a new sheet and keep on reading to collect even more prizes at every 100 books! Once you and your child have completed 1,000 books, you will be invited to a special celebration in the spring!

DETAILS AVAILABLE IN THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.

MUSEUM PASS i LENDING PROGRAM

The Library offers several museum passes for Center Moriches Library cardholders to borrow and enjoy admission free. To borrow a pass, your library card must be in good standing. Passes must be checked out on an adult card and one pass may be borrowed per family at a time.

Patrons may place a reserve for a museum pass. The Library does not guarantee that they will be available on particular dates. Passes will be available in the order they are reserved. Once notified, a patron has 2 days to pick up their pass before the next patron is called. Passes are loaned for 7 days. Passes returned after the due date will incur a \$10 late fee per day. In the event that the borrower loses a pass or it is returned in unusable condition, the borrower is responsible for the replacement charge billed by the museum.

The Center Moriches Library assumes no responsibility for a museum's hours, closings and/or parking fees. Please check with the museum before your trip. The participating museums are:

American Airpower Museum Brooklyn Botanic Garden Children's Museum of the East End Children's Museum of Manhattan Cradle of Aviation & Education Center Cold Spring Harbor Fish Hatchery & Aquarium Fire Island Lighthouse The Frick Collection Guggenheim Heckscher Museum of Art Holocaust Memorial & Tolerance Center Intrepid: Sea, Air & Space Museum The Jewish Museum Long Island Children's Museum Long Island Maritime Museum Long Island Science Center Maritime Explorium Museum of the City of New York MOMA: Museum of Modern Art Nassau County Firefighter's Museum Old Bethpage Restoration Old Westbury Gardens Parrish Art Museum Safari Adventure Sagtikos Manor South Fork Natural History Center Vanderbilt Museum & Planetarium Walt Whitman Birthplace Whaling Museum & Education Center

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START YOUR RESEARCH HERE! LIVE-BRARY RESEARCH COLLECTION FOR ADULTS & CHILDREN

Find these icons at the library's website and explore this extensive learning resource. Database subjects include encyclopedias, health and science, history, legal, literature, consumer information and many more.



SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH!

Children who show their own Center Moriches library card in the Children's Department can fill out a raffle ticket for a chance to win a prize! **Remember, a library card is the most important school supply of all!**



CHILDREN'S REGISTRATION G

Children are required to have their own Center Moriches library card to register for programs. In-library registration begins at 9:30am. Registration online is available for most programs at 10:00am, a half hour after the library opens. (Visit www.centermoricheslibrary.org and click on the "Program Registration" tab.) In fairness to all patrons, please do not ask to register early or over the telephone.

Library policy states, "Parents or guardians are prohibited from leaving children under the age of ten." The library staff wants your child's library experience to be happy and positive. Please remain in the Library.

PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

KIDNASTICS (NO SIBLINGS) AGES 12 MONTHS-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN. **MONDAYS OR TUESDAYS, SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER.**

Physical activities for early childhood learning with exercise equipment. See flyers in the Children's Department for exact ages, dates and times. **REGISTRATION BEGINS IN PERSON ONLY BEGINNING ON** WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH.



MOTHER GOOSE (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ103 AGES BIRTH-17 MONTHS.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD, 9:45AM,

💥 &/OR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28TH, 10:00AM. Join us for this 20 minute lap time program with traditional nursery rhymes and songs followed by 20 minutes of play and socialization.

REGISTER FOR EITHER DATE ONE WEEK BEFORE.

BLOCK PARTY (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ280 AGES 2-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD, 11:00AM.



You don't need to bring Aunt Edna's famous beans to this party, just your imagination! Get ready for fun as we'll have plenty of blocks to build and play with.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27TH.

STORYTIME (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ300

AGES 3-NOT YET KINDERGARTEN.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH, 1:00PM &/OR SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH, 10:00AM.

Join a Librarian for 30 minutes of fun stories, a flannel board, games and songs.

REGISTER FOR EITHER PROGRAM ONE WEEK BEFORE.

LITTLE SCIENTISTS: DOLPHINS (SIBLINGS WELCOME, REGIS-

TERED CHILD DOES THE CRAFT) CMJ412 **AGES 3-NOT YET KINDERGARTEN** WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH, 1:00PM.

Join Daphne Dolphin as she heads back to "school". Learn interesting facts about these amazing mammals and create a dolphin inspired craft that will help keep you organized for preschool.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31ST.

BABIES BOOGIE (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ107 **AGES BIRTH-17 MONTHS.**

THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 8TH, 15TH, 22ND, 29TH, 9:45AM, OR 1:00PM.

Enjoy tons of wiggles and giggles with your young one as you clap your hands, stamp your feet and wiggle to the beat of this

music appreciation program. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY,** AUGUST 31ST.



CREATION STATION (SIBLINGS WELCOME, REGISTERED CHILD

DOES THE CRAFT) CMJ234 AGES 2-NOT YET 3 YEARS.

FRIDAYS, SEPTEMBER 23RD, 30TH, OCTOBER 7TH & 14TH, 10:00AM.

Dress for Mess and get ready to have some fun! Children will enjoy different art projects where the final result is not about the finished product but the experience gained.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.

PRESCHOOL STORYCRAFT WITH JEANNE HALL

(SIBLINGS WELCOME, REGISTERED CHILD DOES THE CRAFT) CMJ345 AGES 3-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN.

FRIDAYS, SEPTEMBER 23RD, 30TH, OCTOBER 7TH & 14TH, 1:00PM.

Listen to stories and make a simple craft.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.

LIBRARY PLAYDATE (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ220 AGES 18-35 MONTHS.

WEDNESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 28TH, OCTOBER 5TH, 19TH & 26TH, 10:00AM.

Join us for an hour of unstructured playtime and activities for your little one. Library Playdate ends with circle time, songs and a short story! **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.**



ZUMBINI BABY (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ285 AGES BIRTH-17 MONTHS.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST, 9:45AM.

Babies and their Grown Ups enjoy cool Zumba music packed with world rhythms and catchy, kid-friendly tunes created just for this program.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH.

ZUMBINI (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ286

AGES 18 MONTHS-ENTERING KINDERGARTEN. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST, 10:45AM.

Zumbini classes offer dance and play movement, fun props, and a chance to play instruments. Zumbini focuses on energy, fun and play! **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH.**

BABY SIGN LANGUAGE (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ418 **AGES BIRTH-24 MONTHS.**

THURSDAYS, OCTOBER 6TH, 13TH & 20TH, 10:00AM.

Learn basic signs to make communicating with your little one easier before they have developed other language skills.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH.

JUMP BUNCH (NO SIBLINGS) CMJ830 AGES 3-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN.

THURSDAYS, OCTOBER 13TH, 20TH & 27TH, 1:00PM.

45 minutes of baseball games and practice drills in a non-competitive and fun setting!

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6TH.

SHAKE 'N' MAKE MUSIC BABY (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ271

AGES BIRTH-17 MONTHS. TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18TH, 9:45AM OR 1:00PM.

Join Miss Heather for a high-energy, fun music and movement program incorporating instruments, bean bags, bubbles and more! **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11TH.**

SHAKE 'N' MAKE MUSIC (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ272 AGES 18 MONTHS-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN. TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18TH, 10:45AM OR 11:45AM.

Join Miss Heather for a high-energy, fun music and movement program incorporating instruments, bean bags, bubbles and more!

AGES 18 MONTHS-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN. THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 8TH, 15TH, 22ND & 29TH, 10:45AM OR 11:45AM.

Enjoy tons of wiggles and giggles with your young one as you clap your hands, stamp your feet and wiggle to the beat of this music appreciation program with Nicole Sparling.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31ST.

PEPPA PIG PARTY (SIBLINGS WELCOME, REGISTERED CHILD DOES THE CRAFT) CMJ415

AGES 2- NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH, 10:00AM OR 1:00PM.

Attention Peppa Pig fans! Squeal with delight as you join us for a story and craft celebrating Peppa and her family.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH.

STROLLER STRIDES (REGISTERED CHILD ONLY, NO SIBLINGS UN-LESS THEY ARE IN STROLLER TOO) CMJ411

AGES BIRTH-3 YEARS IN A STROLLER.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST, 9:45AM OR 11:00AM.

Stroller Strides® is a stroller-based fitness program designed for a parent/caregiver with little ones. Each 45-60-minute, total body workout incorporates power walking, strength, toning, songs and activities while your child is entertained in their stroller!

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11TH.

FALL CRAFT (SIBLINGS WELCOME, REGISTERED CHILD DOES



THE CRAFT) CMJ380 AGES 3-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22ND, 1:00PM. Fall for this adorable autumn craft using contact

paper, tissue paper and your imagination.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH.

BABIES BOOGIE (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ107 AGES BIRTH-17 MONTHS. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29TH, 9:45AM.

Enjoy tons of wiggles and giggles with your young one as you clap your hands, stamp your feet and wiggle to the beat of this music appreciation program.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22ND.

TODDLERS TANGO (SIBLINGS WELCOME) CMJ260 AGES 18 MONTHS-NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29TH, 10:45AM.

If weekdays are not a good time for your toddler to tango, then join Miss Nicole's feet stomping, hand clapping good time this Saturday. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22ND.**



SCHOOL-AGE PROGRAMS

TIME TOKENS

GRADES K-6TH.

Beginning Wednesday, September 7th children may come to the Children's Department to pick up a time tally sheet for our reading program that runs during the school year up until May. For every 15 minutes read, 1 token will be earned. Collect your tokens to 'spend' at the library store. Complete details are available in the Children's Room.

TAKE HOME CRAFT

GRADES K-6TH.

SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER.

Can't make it to the library for the programs? Then just stop by the Children's Reference Desk and we'll give you a craft to take home and make. There is a new craft for each month. One per child please. Remember to bring your library card!

STUFFED PRETZEL* CMJ760

GRADES 3RD-6TH.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST, 1:00PM.

The Baking Coach will get you twisting and turning and you'll create a specialty stuffed pretzel that you can take home to bake and enjoy! *This program may not be suitable for children with food allergies.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 25TH.

BACK TO SCHOOL CANVAS LUNCH BAG CMJ761 **GRADES 1ST-3RD.**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND, 10:00AM.

You have all the school supplies, but don't forget about lunch! Design your very own canvas lunch bag using markers and your imagination. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 26TH.**

CEO BUILDERS (CHOOSE ONE SESSION) CMJ600 **GRADES 1ST-6TH.**

MONDAYS, SEPTEMBER 12TH & 19TH, 4:30PM OR,

WEDNESDAYS, OCTOBER 19TH & 26TH, 4:30PM. Join us for this 2 week, 1 hour Lego workshop! Your work will be displayed

at the end of the program!

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND.

BRUSH BOT RACER CMJ763

GRADES 2ND-6TH.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH, 6:30PM.

Have fun with this STEAM challenge as you build a mini racer using a toothbrush head, battery and motor. After building the racer, design a portable race track to test your Brush Bot on.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH.

A"MAZE"ING MARBLES CMJ870

GRADES K-6TH.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2:00PM.

Working together or independently, have fun making mazes with our collection of marble runner sets.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH.

VOLUN "TWEENS", DESIGN A PLACEMAT **GRADES 3RD-6TH.**

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST, 4:30PM.

Volunteer your time and do something for the community! We'll be making placemats to donate to Meals on Wheels. A certificate will be given at the end of this one hour program that you participated. **NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

SAFETY PIN CUFF BRACELETS CMJ765

GRADES 4TH-6TH. SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2:00PM.



Create a fashionable bracelet using beads and safety pins. It's great to keep for yourself or give to a friend. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH.**

NINJA смј770

GRADES K-3RD.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH, 4:45PM.

Have a "sensei-tional" time as we read some stories about ninjas and make a craft.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH.

INTRODUCTION TO MICROSOFT WORD CMJ772 GRADES 3RD-6TH.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, 4:45PM.

Sharper Training Solutions will teach you the basics of word processing including creating a document, saving, editing, formatting and much more. Microsoft Word is used extensively in schools for homework, papers, reports, and more.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.



LITTLE SCIENTISTS : BATS CMJ774 GRADES K-2ND.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST, 1:00PM.

Come explore the mysterious world of bats in this interactive science program and learn all about echolocation and how these nocturnal animals adapt. Afterwards, design a brilliant bat craft to take home.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH.

VOLUN "TWEENS", LETTERS TO SOLDIERS GRADES 3RD-6TH.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11TH BETWEEN 10:00AM-2:00PM.

Drop into the Activity Room and show your appreciation. This month we'll be making cards for the Letters to Soldiers program. A certificate of participation will be given. **NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**



ZOMBIE CUPCAKES* CMJ783 **GRADES K-6TH.**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 1:00PM. With the help of the Baking Coach, you'll design and make zombie cupcakes to take home. But don't worry, these cupcakes are too cute to be scary. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH.**



😽 GRADES K-3RD.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18TH, 4:45PM.

"Owl" guarantee you'll get a real hoot from this craft using using paper, paint and celery stalks!

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11TH.

GRUESOME HALLOWEEN SCIENCE CMJ781 **GRADES 3RD-6TH.**

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24TH, 6:00PM.

Using the science of chemistry, have fun making sticky goo, slimy worms and make paper turn blood red. It's so much fun you won't even know you're learning science.

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 17TH.

PAPER LANTERN HALLOWEEN CRAFT CMJ580 **GRADES K-6TH.**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29TH, 1:30PM. Doris Benter has a spooky craft to celebrate Halloween! **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20TH**



What do cows, cats, dogs, and lions all have in common? They are yoga poses that you will learn in this class! Join instructor Diane Corey for this great exercise class. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a towel or mat to class. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.**

STORYCRAFT WITH JEANNE HALL CMJ567

GRADES K-4TH.

FRIDAYS, SEPTEMBER 23RD, 30TH, OCTOBER 7TH & 14TH, 4:30PM.

Listen to stories and make a simple and fun craft! **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH.**



GRADES K-6TH WITH PARENT. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH, • 10:00AM, 12:00PM OR 1:45PM.

Everyone can join in on the fun as The Baking Coach teaches your family how to make a delicious apple pie. Bake it at home and enjoy! You need to register only ONCE for the whole family. *This program may not be suitable for children/parents with food allergies. **REGISTRATION BEGINS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH.**



Friends book safe news On July 14th, 15th, and 16th, the Friends of the Library held their summer Book Sale. With the tireless efforts of a dedicated group of members, the sale brought in \$822.00 from book sales, a plant and book raffle, and donations. This past year the Friends have purchased an updated AED unit, pizza for Teen Movie Night, a Cricut machine and sponsored 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten. With the funds raised from this sale and the on-going Thrift Shelves the Friends

will be sponsoring events during Library Patron Appreciation Week and Friends of the Library Week. Look for these events in the library newsletter and the digital signage board. Thank you to all of the patrons who helped make this Book Sale such a success.

CONGRATULATIONS RAFFLE WINNER PAT LEGAZ

Enjoy your Hoya plant and the book, *Container Gardening* by Stephanie Donaldson.

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Otherwise the payment will be forwarded to the bus company and is not refundable.

LONGWOOD GARDENS, PA

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH, 2016

This inspiring 1077 acres of gardens are the living legacy of Pierre S. DuPont. For dining, the Cafe offers fresh salads, soups, sandwiches, hot entrees, pastries and more. Or, make reservations for fine dining at 1906 at Longwood Gardens, offering contemporary American fare (not included in trip price). Also, shop for gifts at their Garden Shop Store. \$62 - Booking now.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD TRIP TO NYC

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH, 2016

We'll meet at the Ronkonkoma train station on the platform near the first car at 8:45am and travel in the first car of the train as a group. The train departs at 9:11am and arrives at Penn Station @ 10:33am. Your return ticket can be used to travel back to Ronkonkoma any time that day. Tickets will be given out at 8:45am at the train station.

For reservations, call Kathy Werler (631) 294-6431. Tickets must be reserved by September 18, 2016. \$10 - Per person round trip, non-refundable.

NORMAN ROCKWELL MUSEUM, STOCKBRIDGE, MA

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12TH, 2016

Includes admission, box lunch from the Red Lion Inn. Bus will stop at Cracker Barrel on return trip, dinner not included in trip cost. NRM is an art museum dedicated to the art of Norman Rockwell located on 36 acres over looking the Housatonic River. Founded in 1969, one of the most popular year round cultural attractions in the Berkshires featuring 998 original paintings and drawings. Take the bus to the Port Jefferson ferry for the crossing of the LI Sound. In Bridgeport we will re board our coach for the trip up to Stockbridge. We will enjoy our pre-ordered lunch fro the Red Lion Inn and the tour the museum. At this time of the year, we should see some nice fall colors and foliage!

\$88 - Booking now.

A SPECIAL TRIP TO **LANCASTER, PA**

SIGHT & SOUND THEATER'S PRESENTATION OF SAMSON PLUS DINNER AT MILLERS!

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH, 2016

Don't miss a great dining experience! Amish home cooked food - plentiful and delicious! Peruse the buffet and help yourself to a wide variety of hot and cold dishes. Soups, salads, vegetables, meats and desserts, prepared in the Pennsylvania

COME TO OUR UPCOMING MONTHLY MEETING

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10TH, 7:00PM

Dutch tradition. An incredible meal is offered to all. Departs 9:00am from library, returns home at approximately 11:30pm. \$129 (ONLY 50 TICKETS AVAILABLE, NO VERBAL HOLDING OF TICKETS)



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, 2016

\$30 - Booking now.

LIBRARY PATRONS LOVE OUR BUS TRIPS

READ THE LETTER TO THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY ON THE BACK PAGE, SEE "IN APPRECIATION "

Riends' Monday Afternoon at the Libr/ MONDAYS AT 1:30PM, JOIN US FOR THIS INFORMAL GATHERING TO PLAY MAH-JONGG AND OTHER BOARD GAMES.



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Dedications in Memory of...

Dorothea Fagan Bunch Up! A Step-by-Step Guide for Budding Florists donated by Moriches Bay Garden Club Members

Don Hardwick Hamilton: The Revolution donated by Center Moriches Paraprofessional Association

Donnie Hodkin The Burger and the Hot Dog donated by Dionne Leyine and the Goldstein Family

Herb Kronman After the Darkness: Reflections on the Holocaust donated by Dee Leyine

Lillian Levy A Promise to Remember: The Holocaust in the Words and Voices of Its Survivors donated by Dionne Levine and the Goldstein Family

Anthony Macaluso The American Fire Station donated by the Mazarakis and Karoutsos Families

Fishing Long Island Sound donated by Dee Leyine and the Goldstein Family

Patricia McKenna Call the Nurse: True Stories of a Country Nurse on a Scottish Isle donated by Mary and Joseph Franchi

In Appreciation...

GORDON HACKNEY HISTORICAL COLLECTION

Mr. Hackney, a life long supporter of the Center Moriches Library and involved Center Moriches resident (now relocated) has donated his amazing collection of local history, in particular, hard to find old high school yearbooks. These volumes are going to make an outstanding addition to the library's local history collection. Because of their rarity, these items may be viewed in-library only. Please see the Reference Librarian for assistance.

LETTER TO THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Last Thursday, June 23rd, my wife and I visited the Culinary Institute of America, the

Dedications in Honor of...

Celebrating the First Birthday of Regan W. Frame The Wonderful Things You Will Be donated by Gram and Poppi

Celebrating the First Birthday of Maverick J.P. Harrington Mamasaurus donated by "Grammie" Harrington

Jeanette McHeffey Big Pumpkin (two copies) donated by KellyAnn, MaryAnn, Joy, Christine, Iori, Valerie, Patrice & Barbara

> A Celebration of Tife Pauline Tardd Frances Terry Thomas Burwell God Is Always by Your Side donated by Dee Levine

Celebrating the Seventh Birthday of Kaitlyn Goodman *Tree* donated by Grandma and Grandpa

Celebrating the Second Birthday of Jacob Goodman Dinosaur Rescue! donated by Bubbe and Papa

Celebrating the Kindergarten Graduation of Benjamin Goodman Apples and Robins donated by Bubbe and Papa

To make a book, video, or museum pass dedication, either to memorialize a departed loved one or to honor someone on a special occasion (birthday, anniversary, etc.) pick up one of our Book Dedication forms at the Library's Circulation Desk, print one from our web page at www.centermoricheslibrary.org, or call the Library at 631-878-0940. Your donation will be applied towards the purchase of a new library book representing some aspect of the life and interests of the person whom you are remembering in this very special way.

CIA, and the Franklin Delano Roosevelt home in Hyde Park, NY with "the friends of the library" bus tour. We expected a very interesting trip, but it exceeded our expectations by far. We thought the lunch at the CIA would be a unique sandwich, but instead it was a delicious three course gourmet meal served with wine. The CIA facility is a large estate with beautiful grounds, gift shops and 3,000 hard working students. It is a definite "must see" place to visit.

The Roosevelt home in Hyde Park has been well maintained to reflect its condition in 1945 when FDR died. The estate grounds border the Hudson River and are large with several other buildings of interest along with the gravesite of Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt our guide was extremely knowledgeable and described in detail the lives of FDR, his family and a visit by the King and Queen of England. My wife and I truly enjoyed this trip with the library.

In fact, this was our second trip with the Friends of the Library. Last year we visited Chelsea Market and the High Line in New York City on their bus tour. Chelsea market is a large, busy facility with many stores, restaurants and merchants selling a wide variety of things. One could literally spend a weekend at the market and not see everything there. Directly above Chelsea Market is the High Line with its famous viewing window and seating area. The gardens are beautifully done and it's amazing to see the beautiful plantings amidst the tall buildings of the city. Again, this trip was beyond our expectations to a "must see" part of New York City.

Ron Simonetti, Manorville, NY

POETRY & PROSE ROUNDTABLE

1ST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH, 12:30-2:00PM.

Join this informal gathering for anyone interested in writing or listening to poetry.

Each person will have an opportunity to recite & talk about a poem of their choosing.

On occasion, the group may indulge in an essay or short story.

Come share your inspiration & love of poetry!