

Library Budget Vote
Tuesday, April 14, 2020
Residents of the Center Moriches Union Free School are asked to vote on the Library’s budget on Tuesday, April 14, 10:00 am – 8:30 pm in the Community Room. A public hearing on the proposed Library budget will be held in Community Room on Monday, April 6 at 7:00 pm. Copies of the proposed budget for the Library’s 2020-2021 fiscal year will available at the Circulation Desk two weeks before the voting date and online at www.centermoricheslibrary.org.

Residents of the contracting school districts East Moriches, Eastport-South Manor, and Remsenburg-Speonk will be asked to vote on their Library Proposition on Tuesday, May 19 at the polling places and times for their respective school district budget votes.

Please note! The Annual Library Proposition for East Moriches, Eastport-South Manor, and Remsenburg-Speonk is to determine whether residents of these contracting districts desire public library service to their communities for the upcoming fiscal year, from a choice of public libraries serving their respective districts. If you reside in one of these contracting districts, it is very important that you vote on your Annual Library Proposition.

Voto De Presupuesto De Biblioteca
Martes 14 de abril de 2020

Se les pide a los residentes de La Escuela Center Moriches Union Free que voten por el presupuesto de la Biblioteca el martes 14 de abril, entre las 10:00 a.m. y las 8:30 p.m., en la Sala Comunitaria. Una audiencia pública sobre el presupuesto propuesto para la Biblioteca se llevará a cabo en la Sala Comunitaria el lunes 6 de abril a las 7:00 pm. Copias del presupuesto propuesto para el año fiscal 2020-2021 de la Biblioteca estarán disponibles en el Mostrador De Circulación dos semanas antes de la fecha de votación y por medio del internet en la pagina web www.centermoricheslibrary.org.

Se les pedirá a los residentes de los distritos escolares contratantes, East Moriches, Eastport-South Manor y Remsenburg-Speonk que voten por la Propuesta de su Biblioteca el martes 19 de mayo en los lugares y horarios de votación al dar sus respectivos votos del presupuesto del distrito escolar.

¡Tenga En Cuenta! La Propuesta de la Biblioteca Anual para East Moriches, Eastport-South Manor y Remsenburg-Speonk determinara si los residentes de estos distritos contratantes desean el servicio de biblioteca pública para sus comunidades durante el año fiscal que se aproxima, de una selección de bibliotecas públicas que atienden a sus respectivos distritos. Si reside en uno de estos distritos contratantes, es muy importante que vote por su Propuesta Anual de Biblioteca.

Friends of the Library
Bi-Annual Book Sale
Thursday, April 23 from 1:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Friday, April 24 from 9:30 am – 8:00 pm
Saturday, April 25 from 9:30 am – 2:00 pm

The Friends of the Library will now be having 2 book sales per year because one is not enough! Stop on down and browse through a treasure of books, DVD’s, Music CD’s and more all at rock bottom prices. There is something for everyone!

The Maurine Rose and Carroll Gerard Donnelly Memorial Scholarship

The Friends of the Center Moriches Library proudly announces the establishment of an annual Scholarship. This opportunity is for students who have a current Center Moriches Free Public Library card and have been accepted into a two or four year college. There will be one \$500 scholarship awarded. More information and the application for the scholarship may be found online at www.centermoricheslibrary.org/FOL or by going to the Friends of the Library bookshelf section at the library.



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Sunday, April 12

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Center Moriches Artists in the Library Gallery

In March, we welcome **Jacques LeBlanc** back to our exhibition space with a new collection of photographs. A reception will be held on Sunday, March 29 from 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm.

Our April artist is **Cheryl Huneke**, displaying portraits of celebrities and other well-known figures done in various different media. A reception will be held on Sunday, April 5 from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm.

Please see Mary at the Reference Desk or call 631-878-0940, ext 5 if you would like to have your work exhibited at the library!

2020 Census

Participation in the United States Census 2020 is vital to your community. Suffolk is considered the 4th hardest to count county in New York State. When you respond to the questionnaire, you’ll help your community get the proper share of over \$675 billion in federal funds that are spent on programs such as schools, hospitals, roads and other vital programs. Postcards with an invitation code to respond to the Census will be mailed to your house or Census takers can start with the household address.

2020 Census Timeline

- March 12 – 20 Households will receive an invitation to respond online to the 2020 Census
- March 16 – 24 Households will receive reminder letters
- March 26 – April 3 If a Household has not responded, it will receive a reminder postcard
- April 8 – 16 If a Household has not responded, it will receive a reminder letter and a paper questionnaire
- April 20 – 27 If a Household has not responded, it will receive a reminder postcard
- July 31 – Last day to complete the 2020 Census questionnaire

A librarian is available to assist you if you need help or have questions. As an important reminder, the U.S Census will **NOT** send email messages or make phone calls directly to the public.



Library Journal 5 Star Library
Center Moriches Free Public Library is among 1 of 5 libraries in Suffolk County to have received a 5 Star rating from Library Journal, the oldest and most respected publication in the field. Of the 261 Star Libraries, only 85 libraries in the country received a five star rating nationally. Library Journal star ratings are based on each library’s number of annual patron visits, circulation, public access computer use and program attendance. Star Library ratings of five, four, and three stars are awarded to libraries that generate the highest combined per capita outputs among their peers. This data is reported each year by public libraries to their state library agencies and is compiled on a national level by the Institute of Museum and Library Services. We are proud and happy to serve our community.

Music Programs

Celebrating Women's Voice in Music
Sunday, March 1, from 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm
All are welcome, but please register beginning on Saturday, February 22
Acclaimed singer-songwriter Sheri Miller writes and performs her soulful, inspired original songs, while accompanying herself on guitar and piano. To celebrate Women’s History Month, Sheri will sing a wide range of popular classic favorites, sung or written by women from Judy Garland, Ella Fitzgerald, Patsy Cline to Lady Gaga. Sheri has released 2 critically-acclaimed records, “Mantra” and “Winning Hand,” as well as her original song “I Could Love You Still” (feat. Will Lee, Paul Shaffer, Steve Cropper), among other singles. In addition to writing and performing her own songs, Sheri has collaborated with Grammy Award-winning legendary songwriters including J.D. Souther (Eagles). She is excited and proud to be releasing a new EP in 2020, which was recorded in LA, NY and Nashville. For more info visit www.sherimiller.com

CMA616

Singers/Songwriters of the 70's - 90's
Sunday March 22, from 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm
All are welcome, but please register beginning on Saturday, March 7
COPPERLINE, the James Taylor tribute band, will perform music from some of the best loved singer/songwriters of the 70's and later. Memorable songs from artists like James Taylor, Carole King, Carly Simon, Eagles, Don Henley, Elton John, Crosby Stills and Nash, Tom Petty, Pure Prairie League, Steely Dan, Van Morrison, Train, and more. Audiences will be treated to some terrific jump-out-of-your-seat music as well as those wonderful, soul-searching tunes we all connected to.

CMA618

The Liverpool Shuffle: Live Beatles Music
Sunday, April 26, from 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm
Registration for CMOR cardholders begins on Saturday, April 4
Non-CMOR cardholders begins on Saturday, April 11
Suffolk County Residents only.
Originally formed in 2003 by Joe Refano, THE LIVERPOOL SHUFFLE brings together veterans of the New York music scene with a combined 150 years of musical experience between them, and have delighted audiences everywhere ever since!

CMA614

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Adult Programs

Adult Registration Guide

DUE TO THE POPULARITY OF THE FOLLOWING CLASSES, programs are for adults only (16 years and above), and a Center Moriches Library Card is required, unless advertised as "All are Welcome".

Saturday Registrations: Lines start forming before 9:30 am for the most popular programs, so it is advisable to arrive up to an hour early in order to secure a spot for yourself. If the

weather is bad, we will not have you standing on line outdoors. A security guard will let people inside the building to wait, **in the order that they arrived to stand on line**, and numbers will be handed out.

Due to popularity, some programs may fill within the first hour of registration.

Registration online begins at 9:30 am.

If you are more than ten minutes late to a class, please call the library at 631-878-0940 (ext. 5), otherwise your spot may be given to any standbys who are waiting.

Patrons may register only one additional cardholder when presenting all library cards at registration. Photocopies of library cards are acceptable, provided the photocopy shows the library card's barcode.

Monthly Events: Dungeons & Dragons

Attend both sessions: Saturdays, March 21 and April 18, from 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Registration required.

This game craze is back! Transform yourself into a powerful hero and join DM Kateland for an epic journey of mystery and magic where you can meet fellow adventurers, battle monsters, and win treasure. Beginner-friendly. Dice and character sheets provided. This program is for adults only. All levels of experience are welcomed. Please bring your own pencil and notebook.



CMA727

Monthly Knitting & Crochet Circle

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library
Mondays, March 2 and April 6, from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Registration is ongoing.

For CMOR cardholders only

Whether you knit or crochet, join Mrs. Ceramello for an informal monthly meeting. Bring your current needle project to work on and share with the group. Light refreshments will be served.

CMA171

One-on-One Career Counseling



Choose one date: Wednesday, March 11 or Wednesday, April 15, from 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm (hour time slots)

Phone registration only! Please indicate time when registering. Please call 631-878-0940 ext 5 to register. All are welcome.

Need help with your resume? Worried about what to say at an interview? Looking for a new job? Richard Gluck, author of three Career Guides, can help you get on the right track. Appointments are one-on-one and confidential.

CMA720

One-on-One Medicare Counseling & Assistance

Choose one date: Friday, March 20 or Friday, April 17 from 10:30 am – 12:30 pm (half hour time slots)

Phone registration only! Please indicate time when registering. Please call 631-878-0940 ext 5 to register. All are welcome.

If you are Medicare eligible, you may register for an appointment to meet individually with a Suffolk County RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) volunteer from HICAP (Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program) to answer questions and provide information specific to your own needs regarding Medicare health insurance and benefits, Medicare Savings Programs, Extra Help for prescription drugs and EPIC.

CMA 711

NEW! Board Game Day

Sunday, March 8 and Sunday, April 5 from 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm

All are welcome, but please register by calling 631-878-0940 ext # 5 or online at centermoricheslibrary.org
Suffolk County residents only



Un-plug your game! Come explore the world of adult board & card games. Flex your mental muscles, learn, and play a variety of modern games from our collection. Enjoy guided sessions and open

play. The games vary in complexity, and include modern classics such as The Settlers of Catan, Carcassonne, or Ticket to Ride, as well as Social Deduction Games such as The Resistance: Avalon or Spyfall, "Escape Room in a Box" style games, and new hit games such as Wingspan and more! ***What won't be included: Toy store game such as Monopoly, Risk, Clue, Battleship), classic abstract games (Go, Chess, Backgammon), traditional card games (Poker, Hearts, Rummy) or any sort of gambling*** Come on down and have some fun!

CMA517

Programs:

Irish Soda Bread

Choose one date: Monday, March 2, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm, Friday, March 6, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm, or Monday, March 9, from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm
Registration begins on Saturday, February 22

For CMOR Patrons only

Make and take home this Irish favorite! Join The Baking Coach and learn how to create an Irish soda bread in time for St. Patrick's Day! Please bring a rolling pin.



CMA301



Galla Wirewrap Long Necklace

Choose one date: Wednesday, March 4, from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Thursday, March 12, from 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm or Monday, March 23, from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Registration begins on Saturday, February 22

For CMOR Patrons only

Join Maryann M. as she shows you how to create this stunning necklace using 3 large square focal beads with crystals in turquoise, white and gold, then wire wrapping the focal beads and putting it all together with gold chain.

CMA208

Soft Pastel and Watercolor with Galina



Attend all 4 sessions: Thursdays, March 12, 19, 26 and April 2, from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Pick up the materials list when registering for this course at the Reference Desk. Materials are not supplied by the Library.

Registration begins on Saturday, February 29

For CMOR Patrons only

Join Galina M as she shows you how to achieve desired colors with limited palettes for each media, creating harmony between watercolor and pastels in a painting. Everyone, from beginners who wish to learn how to work with both mediums, to experienced painters who wish to refresh their knowledge and techniques on using soft pastel with watercolor, will benefit from this course.

CMA117

The Center Moriches Free Public Library Now Showing The Irishman

Sunday, March 15, from 1:00 pm – 4:30 pm

CMOR Cardholders may register beginning on Saturday, February 22

NON-CMOR cardholders may register beginning on Saturday, February 29

Suffolk County residents only

Based on a true story. Refreshments will be served.

Hit man Frank Sheeran looks back at the secrets he kept as a loyal member of the Bufalino crime family in this acclaimed film from Martin Scorsese. Based on the book "I Heard You Paint Houses": Frank "the Irishman" Sheeran and the inside story of the Mafia, the Teamsters, and the last ride of Jimmy Hoffa.



CMA613

Raising Backyard Chickens



Monday, March 30, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

All are welcome, but please register beginning on Saturday, March 14

Thinking about raising chickens? Join Kaylyn from Cornell Cooperative Extension and learn how to successfully raise your own brood. Topics will include: Raising chicks, hens & other poultry, breeds, behavior, nutrition & disease prevention, town ordinances, equipment, housing & weather concerns and more.

CMA518

Metal Embossing

Choose one date: Wednesday, April 1, from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm, Tuesday, April 7, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm, or Monday, April 13, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Registration begins on Saturday, March 21

For CMOR Patrons only

Embossing, the art of producing raised patterns on the surface of metal as well as other surfaces, is a unique and creative way of creating a specific design or pattern of your choice. Let Bonnie S. show you how easy it is to create using this medium. NO experience required.

CMA118



Streaming Service or Cable: Which is Right for You?

Wednesday, April 1 from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

All are welcome but please register beginning on Saturday, March 21



With the Internet, there are many other ways to access TV or movies other than through a cable provider. In this lecture/demo class – you will learn all about streaming services, what device you may need and all about subscription fees and much more. Bring your questions.

CMA704

Defensive Driving Sponsored by the Empire Safety Council

Saturday, April 11, from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm. IN-PERSON registration only.

CMOR patrons may register beginning on Monday, March 23. NON-CMOR Cardholders may register beginning on Monday, March 30.

Drivers who complete the Empire Safety Council's 6-hour defensive driving course save 10% on their liability, personal injury protection and collision insurance for THREE YEARS and reduce FOUR points off their driving record. Course completion is transmitted to the Department of Motor Vehicles and recorded on each student's driving record. Adventure into traffic safety awareness! Student participation



Long Island Reads will honor Erika Swyler in person at an award ceremony on April 19, 2020 at 2:00 pm at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Library. **FREE TICKETS** will be available beginning March 2. Seating is first come, first served. The event is free and open to all. Please ask a Librarian how to register for this event.



About the Book

As Nedda Papas faces mystery and danger both in the orange groves of her Florida childhood and the vastness of space as an adult, **Light from Other Stars** keenly illuminates the magical limits of science while exploring, in detail, the bonds of family, friendship, and love of home.

About the Author

Erika Swyler was born and raised on Long Island, graduating from Miller Place High School. Both of her critically-acclaimed novels draw heavily from her experience of living in Long Island's small towns.



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with an informative workbook and safety education films are viewed. No formal testing. \$28.00 FEE. Cash, Check or Money Order due at time of registration. NO CREDIT/DEBIT cards accepted!

CMA724

Flowers in a Frame



Choose one Date: Wednesday, April 15, from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm, Thursday, April 16, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm, Saturday, April 18, from 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm, Monday, April 20, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm and Tuesday, April 21, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Registration begins on Saturday, April 4

For CMOR Patrons only

Capture the beauty of Springtime! Join Diana C. from Deverlastings as you learn how to mount dried flowers enclosed in a frame that will enhance any wall in your home.

CMA119

Play of the Hand Part 2 Bridge Course

Attend all 4 sessions: Thursdays, April 23, 30, May 7, and 14, from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

All are welcome but please register beginning on Monday, April 6 (You may register on-line or over the phone at 631-878-0940 ext #5)

This class continues the ACBL Play of the Hand book, chapters 6 to 9, covering Strong opening bids, slam bidding & conventions, Preemptive bids & the Jacoby Transfer. This is a good chance for those that are playing bridge & want to review some aspects of bidding & play.

CMA519

How to Find a Part-Time Job in Retirement

Wednesday, April 29 from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

All are welcome but please register beginning on Saturday, April 11

Retired or planning to retire, but need or want a part-time job to supplement your income (or just to keep busy)? Let Career Counselor Richard G. show you the varied options that are available for you to look for a job, interview and write a cover letter, finding the job that is right for you, and many more subjects are covered. Bring a notebook and your questions.

CMA706



A Fiesta to Remember



Choose one time: Thursday, April 30, from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm or 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, April 11

For CMOR Patrons only

Join Chef Rob and enjoy Hawaiian BBQ Chicken with Pineapple Slaw, Cajun Shrimp Tacos with a Mango-Tomato Salsa and wash it down with a chilled Strawberry Lemon & Lime Cooler to cool your palate!

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Expanding Horizons

These program are designed to be easily adaptable for adults accompanied by their aide/caregiver. All are welcome.

Rainbow Tambourine

Friday, March 13 at 10:30 am – 11:30 am

Registration begins on Monday, March 2. This program is for Adults only.

Listen to a story and design a paper plate tambourine using magic markers and other colorful decorations. This simple and fun musical instrument is certain to liven up your day.

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Q-Tip Painting

Friday, April 10 at 10:30 am – 11:30 am

Registration begins on Monday, March 2

This program is for Adults only.

Start the morning off listening to a short story then using washable

CMA998

paints and Q-Tips design your own art on paper and rocks.

Bingo

Monday, March 9 at 10:30 am – 11:30 am
AND/OR Monday, April 6

at 10:30 am – 11:30 am

Registration begins on Monday, March 2

This program is for Adults only.

Join us for this slow paced version of traditional bingo where all participants are winners.

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Teen Zone

Teen Registration Guide. Programs for Teens Grades 6 – 12.

Registration Information

Registration Information: Teens are required to have their own valid Center Moriches library card to register for programs. Many of our programs can now be registered online. In person and online registration begin at 9:30 am. If you are more than ten minutes late to a class, please call the

library at 631-878-0940 (ext. 6), otherwise your spot may be given to any standbys who are waiting. In fairness to all patrons, please do not ask to register early or over the phone. To register online, go to www.centermoricheslibrary.org and click on the “Program Registration” tab and follow the prompts.

Need community service hours?

Pick up a **NEW** book from the Teen Zone new book display. Read it and write a book review to receive 3 hours of community service. Review forms are available in the Teen Zone.

Authors Unlimited

Saturday, April 18, 2020

Authors Unlimited 2020 will be taking place on Saturday, April 18 at St. Joseph's College in Patchogue. Earn community service credit for attending this event, which celebrates reading by connecting teens and authors. It's a free program where teens and tweens get preferred seating! Attendees will get the chance to meet dynamic authors of young adult literature first at an author panel and then in smaller breakout sessions afterward. Books will be available for purchase with a chance to have them signed at the end of the day. For registration and other information visit <http://authorsunlimited.org>



Need community service hours?

Pick up a **NEW** book from the Teen Zone new book display. Read it and write a book review to receive 3 hours of community service. Review forms are available in the Teen Zone.

Guessing Jar - For the month of March, drop by the Teen Zone and guess how many shamrocks are in the jar. The winner will get a sweet prize!

Take & Make - Swing by the Teen Zone for a take and make kit. Each month we will have a different one available for Center Moriches teen cardholders. *While supplies lasts.

Knitting & Crochet Circle

Monday, March 2 at 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Monday, April 6 at 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Registration is now open!



Whether you knit or crochet, join Mrs. Ceramello for an informal monthly meeting. Bring your current needle project to work on and share with the group. Light refreshments provided by the Friends of the Library will be served.

CMA171

Self-Care Thursday

Thursday, March 5 at 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Thursday, April 2 at 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, February 29.

Self-care Thursdays: Does it feel like school, homework, friends, and family all get to be a bit much sometimes? Come down to the library for an hour of you-time! Activities will vary each month. Unwind with us!

March: Join Amadeus Aromatherapy to learn how to use essential oils to help you settle down and get to sleep faster.



Make your own Sweet Dream Aromatic Spray Mist and Sweet Dream Lotion!

April: Meet us on your mat for an hour of yoga and meditation to quiet the mind and calm the body. Please bring your mat, a water bottle, and wear comfortable clothes.

CMY810

Toshokan Pagoda Anime & Manga Club!

Friday, March 13 at 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Friday, April 10 at 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Registration is open now!

Come enjoy “out of the box” anime fun, including watching anime movies and series, reading hit manga, working on your drawing skills and style, games, contests, crafts, snacks, music, and so much more!!! Want to show your otaku pride?! Wear your cosplay gear and accessories to club meetings!

CMY704

Lucky Charms No Bake Pie*

Saturday, March 14 at 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, February 29.

This fairytale pie all starts with a Lucky Charms pie crust topped with an enchanted confetti cloud pie filling. This pie is one that will make Lucky the Leprechaun dance and shout... It's magically delicious! *This program may not be suitable for teens with food allergies.

CMY362

Dungeons & Dragons

Sunday, March 15 at 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm

Sunday, April 19 at 12:30pm – 4:30 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, March 7.

Limited availability.

This game craze is back! Transform yourself into a powerful hero and join DM Kateland for an epic journey of mystery and magic where you can meet fellow adventurers, battle monsters, and win treasure. Beginner-friendly. Dice and character sheets are provided. This program is for teens only. All levels of experience are welcomed. Please bring your own pencil and notebook.

CMY773

Teen Night @ the Library

Wednesday, March 18 at 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Wednesday, April 15 at 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

No registration necessary!

Come hang out at the library with friends, enjoy some snacks and relax. We will have the Nintendo Switch set up as well as board games and art supplies.

CMY710

Yarn Chandelier

Friday, March 20 at 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration begins Saturday, March 7.

Make a beautiful chandelier to hang wherever you like out of nothing more than yarn and a hoop! Use different colored pieces of yarn and some washi tape to decorate your own chandelier to take home!

CMY163

Super Smash Brothers Competition

Thursday, March 26 at 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, March 14.

Do you think you have what it takes to beat your friends at Super Smash Bros? Then come down to the library and prove it! Snacks will be served!

CMY706

Magic the Gathering

Friday, March 27 at 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Friday, April 24 at 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Registration is now open.

Have you ever wanted to get started playing Magic: The Gathering? Here's your chance! Come join Ms. McNulty to learn the basics of the game and get started playing. More advanced players are welcome to come just to play! It is not necessary to have your own cards, although you are welcome to bring your deck if you have one.

CMY560



Sequin Egg

Tuesday, March 31 at 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration begins Saturday, March 21.

Miss Jessica will show you how to take some sequins and a Styrofoam egg and turn it into a work of art!

CMY164



Teen Pizza, Popcorn & a Movie

Sponsored by The Friends of the Library

Star Wars – A New Hope – Rated PG

Friday, April 3 at 6:00 pm

Registration is open now!

Nearly two decades after the rise of the Empire, young farmer Luke Skywalker (Mark Hamill) meets Obi-Wan Kenobi (Alec Guinness), who has lived for years in seclusion on the desert planet of Tatooine. Obi-Wan begins Luke's Jedi training, telling him of the Rebels' battle against the Empire and the power known as the Force. Soon Luke, Obi-Wan, and a charismatic mercenary named Han Solo (Harrison Ford) and his Wookiee sidekick Chewbacca, join forces to rescue Princess Leia (Carrie Fisher) from the Empire's massive warship, the Death Star controlled by Darth Vader.

CMY600

Teens to the Rescue

Saturday, April 4 at 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, March 21.

The focus of this program is to get teens involved in caring about the animal shelter at an early age. Miss Theresa will discuss the requirements for volunteering as well as other ways to help our local animal shelter. One and a half hours of community service are given to each participant.

CMY774

Audio Newsletter

Thursday, April 9 at 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, March 28.

The Teen Zone is looking for well-spoken young adults willing to read and record our newsletter. This audio newsletter will be made available on our website. Two hours of community service will be given. Space is limited.

CMY718

Coral Reef Scene*

Saturday, April 18 at 3:00 pm – 4:15 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, April 4.

Create a coral reef scene on a jumbo cookie using buttercream, icing, fondant and assorted candy. *This program may not be suitable for teens with food allergies.

CMY364

Coupons for Troops

Tuesday, April 21

at 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

Registration begins Saturday, April 11.

Clip and organize coupons that will be sent to military families overseas. One hour of community service will be given to each participant.

CMY717



Seed Bombs

Wednesday, April 22 at 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, April 11.

Let's spread some Flower Power and make the world a prettier place! Make seed bombs and earn some community service! A community service certificate for 1 hour will be given to each participant.

CMY152



Tween Walker Organizer

Grades 4th – 12th

Wednesday, March 4 at 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration is now open.

Help a senior stay fashionably organized. Decorate a walker organizer using fabric markers and other craft materials. An hour of community will be given to each participant.

CMT760



Tween Yoga

Grades 4th – 8th

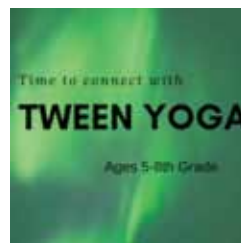
Tuesdays, March 10, 17, 24 & 31 at

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, February 29.

This 4 week series is designed to promote a positive self-image and respect for self and peers. Each session incorporates relaxation, breathing, private journaling, movement, and yoga sequences to practice at home. We will also practice team building and guided meditation. Please bring your mat, a water bottle and wear comfortable clothing.

CMT500



Tween Seed Sorting

Grades 4th – 12th

Tuesday, April 7 at 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Registration begins on Saturday, March 28.

Help get the library's seed library organized. We will be sorting and organizing seeds for our very popular Seed Library. One hour of community service will be given to each teen.

CMT510

Childrens' Programs

Children's Registration Guide

Children are required to have their own valid Center Moriches library card to register for programs.* If your child does not have a library card, please take a moment at the Circulation Desk and apply for one. Many of our programs can now be registered for online. In person and online registration begins at 9:30 am. In fairness to all patrons, please do not ask to register early or over the phone. To register online, go to www.centermoricheslibrary.org and find the link for Events Calendar. When the calendar loads,

click on the desired program and enter your child's library card number and password. If this is your first time registering online, you will need to create a password and verify it twice. Continue to register for the program by following the prompts. *Please speak to a Children's Librarian if you have any questions. If you are more than ten minutes late to a class, please call the library at 631-878-0940 (ext. 4), otherwise your spot may be given to any standbys who are waiting.

Unattended Child Policy

Library Policy States "Parents or guardians are prohibited from leaving children under the age of ten." The staff of Center Moriches Free Public Library wants your child's library experience to be happy and positive. Please remain in the Library.



Pre-School Programs

Kidnastics

Ages 6 Months – Not yet in Kindergarten
Registration begins, in person only, Monday, March 2

Physical activity programs for early childhood learning with exercise equipment. See flyers in the Children's Department for exact ages, dates and times.



Babies Boogie

Ages Birth – 17 Months (siblings welcome)
Wednesdays, March 11, 18, 25 and April 1 at 9:45 am
Registration begins Wednesday, March 4

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.



CMJ107

Toddlers Tango

Ages 18 Months – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)
Wednesdays, March 11, 18, 25 and April 1 at 10:45 am OR 11:45 am
Registration begins Wednesday, March 4th

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

CMJ270

Stomp it Up! For St. Patrick's Day!

Ages Birth – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)
Thursday, March 12 at 11:00am
Registration begins on Thursday, March 5

Get ready to have some fun as you hoot, holler, dance and stomp as you get ready to celebrate St. Patrick's Day with Darlene Graham!

CMJ212



Very Hungry Caterpillar Day!

Ages 2 years – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)
Friday, March 20, from 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
No registration required

Did you know that Eric Carle's Very Hungry Caterpillar will be 51 years old this year? Come celebrate The Very Hungry Caterpillar Day with us. We will pull out all the stops for our fuzzy green friend with some art making, caterpillar inspired snacks, and more!

CMJ903

Baby Play Hooray!

Ages Birth – 17 Months (siblings welcome)
Saturday, March 21 at 9:45 am
Registration begins Saturday, March 14

Play Hooray is here for a lively introduction of nursery rhymes, books, music, and movement for your little one.

CMJ112

Play Hooray!

Ages 18 Months – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)
Saturday, March 21 at 10:45 am
Registration begins Saturday, March 14

Get ready to dance, march and Play Hooray! with your toddler/preschooler! This fun-filled music and movement program will have everyone up and moving to the beat!

CMJ115

The Great Library Playdate!

Ages 2 years – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)
Thursday, March 26 at 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
No Registration required

Today, all libraries across Suffolk County are encouraging patrons to bring their children to their library and discover the many ways we support the early learning initiative. Come in and check out some good old fashioned play with classic games and toys, then flex your creative muscles with a craft!

CMJ222



Baby Play Hooray!

Ages Birth – 17 Months (siblings welcome)
Thursdays, April 2, 16, 23 and 30 at 9:45 am
Registration begins Thursday, March 26

Play Hooray is here for a lively introduction of nursery rhymes, music, and movement for your little one.

CMJ112

Play Hooray!

Ages 18 Months – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)

Thursdays, April 2, 16, 23 and 30 at 10:45 am OR 11:45 am

Registration begins Thursday, March 26

Get ready to dance, march and Play Hooray! with your toddler/preschooler! This fun-filled music and movement program will have everyone up and moving to the beat!

CMJ115



Creation Station



Ages 18 Months-Not yet 3 (siblings welcome)
Fridays, April 3, 17, and 24 at 10:00 am
Registration begins Friday, March 27

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

CMJ234

Preschool Storycraft

Ages 3 – Not Yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)

Fridays, April 3, 17, and 24 at 1:00 pm

Registration begins Friday, March 27

Listen to stories, sing a song and make a simple craft with Miss Dominique.

CMJ345

Glow-in-the-Dark Storytime

Ages 3 – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)

Tuesday, April 7 at 11:00 am

Registration begins Tuesday, March 31

It's lights out at the library for this extra special storytime. Join us for some not-so-spooky stories, songs and a craft filled with luminous fun!

CMJ313



Preschool Spring Craft



Ages 3 – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)
Monday, April 13 at 10:00 am
Registration begins Monday, April 6

Are you ready for spring?! Make a fun Spring Craft with Miss Caitlin!

CMJ452

Library Playdate

Ages 12 – 35 Months (siblings welcome)
Tuesdays, April 14, 21, and 28 at 9:45 am
Registration begins Tuesday, April 7

Join us for an hour of unstructured playtime and activities for your little one. Library Playdate starts with circle time songs and ends with a short story!

CMJ220

Library Playdate

Ages 3 – Not yet in Kindergarten (siblings welcome)
Tuesdays, April 14, 21, and 28 at 11:00 am
Registration begins Tuesday, April 7

Join us for an hour of unstructured playtime and activities for your little one. Library Playdate starts with circle time songs and ends with a short story!

CMJ221



Saturday Creation Station

Ages 2 – Not yet 3 years old (siblings welcome)
Saturday, March 7 at 11:00 am AND/OR Saturday, April 4 at 11:00 am

Register for either class one week before

This 30 minute program includes a short story followed by a charming craft, with some time for play and socialization afterward. Join us each month and create a sweet keepsake calendar that will be cherished for years to come.

CMJ101



Register for each session one week before

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.

CMJ235

Childrens' Programs

School-Age Programs

Children enter community room independently unless otherwise stated. Please read the announcement regarding Registration Information and Unattended Child Policy on page 4.

K-6 Super Reader Club

Children may come to the Children's Department to sign up for our reading program that runs during the school year up until May. See a librarian for more information!

Take Home Craft

Grades K – 6th / March and April
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.

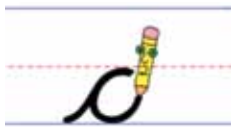
Cursive Club

Grades 2nd – 5th
Thursdays, March 5, 12, 19, and 26
at 4:30 pm

Registration begins Thursday, February 27

Want to learn how to write like this?

Join Miss Dominique to learn the alphabet in cursive and practice your handwriting and signature; then, use your new skills to make a craft!
CMJ435



Lego Builders

Grades 1st – 6th



Sunday, March 8 at 2:00 pm
AND/OR Thursday, April 16 at 4:30 pm
Register for either program one week before.

Love building and creating with Legos? Join us for this 45 minute workshop!
CMJ600

Kraftin' with Kerri–Planter O' Gold

Grades K – 6th

Monday, March 9 at 4:30 pm

Registration begins Monday, March 2

Instead of following the rainbow to get the pot of gold, why not just make it yourself and cut out the leprechaun? Join Miss Kerri to customize your very own pot!
CMJ512

Yoga for Kids

Grades 1st – 3rd

Tuesdays, March 10, 17, 24 and 31
at 4:45 pm

Registration begins

Saturday, February 29

What do a cow, cat, dog, and lion all have in common? They are yoga poses that you will learn in this class. Wear comfortable clothing.
CMJ500



St. Patrick's Day Craft

Grades K – 6th

Friday, March 13 at 4:30 pm

Registration begins Friday, March 6

Join Miss Cecilia for some Shamrock Shenanigans as you create this festive craft.
CMJ417

Over the Rainbow Sugar Cookies

Grades K – 6th

Saturday, March 14 at 1:00 pm

Registration begins Saturday,

March 7

Irish eyes will be smiling when you find the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow! *This program may not be suitable for children with food allergies.
CMJ735



Little Builders



DUPLO building blocks!

Grades K – 2nd
Wednesday, March 25
at 4:30 pm

Registration begins

Wednesday, March 18

Bring your imagination and your building skills and have fun with our LEGO and
CMJ604

A"Maze"ing Marbles

Grades K – 6th

Friday, March 27 at 4:30 pm AND/OR

Wednesday, April 29 at 4:30 pm

Register for either program one week before

Working together or independently, have fun making mazes with our collection of marble runner sets.
CMJ870



Storycraft



Grades K – 4th
Fridays, April 3, 17, and 24
at 4:30 pm

Registration begins Friday,

March 27

Listen to stories and make a simple craft with Miss Cecilia.
CMJ567

Buzz of the Beekeeper

Grades K – 6th with parent

Wednesday, April 8 at 11:00 am

Registration begins Wednesday,

April 1

In this fun, interactive and informative program children will get to see a beekeeper's suit, a small hive (without the bees), and various

other beekeeping articles, and learn the "Wiggle Waggle" dance! Adults are invited to stay for this program.
CMJ507



Slime Time with Mad Science!

Grades K – 6th

Friday, April 10 at 2:00 pm

Registration begins Friday, April 3

Ooze into a gooey hour of sliming around! Create slime using the Mad Science recipe, and then enter the Slime Olympics! Take home your own concoction of "Mad Science Slime".
CMJ361



Kraftin' with Kerri–Embossed Foil Painting

Grades K – 6th

Monday, April 13 at 4:30 pm

Registration begins Monday, April 6

Lighten up your day with these

sunny foil paintings! Create a piece of art that screams Spring!
CMJ512

Coral Reef Cookie*

Grades K – 6th

Saturday, April 18 at 1:30 pm

Registration begins Saturday,

April 11

Create a coral reef scene on a jumbo cookie using buttercream icing, fondant, and assorted candy. *This program may not be suitable for children with food allergies. Please note this program runs for 75 minutes.
CMJ610



Earth Day Seed Bombs

Grades K – 6th

Wednesday, April 22 at 4:30 pm

Registration begins

Wednesday, April 15

Dress for a mess as we use earth-friendly materials to make plantable bombs that will spread beauty wherever you plant them!
CMJ555



Center Moriches Free Public Library
has a newly designed and mobile
responsive website. Check it out at
www.centermoricheslibrary.org

Family Programs

Family Programming–Parent Attends with Child

Dr. Seuss Day!

Ages 3 years – 6th Grade with Parent
Monday March 2 between 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

No registration required!

Oh the crafts you'll create! Stop in and celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday and create a fun Seussical treasure to take home!
CMJ902



Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies!



Ages 3 years – 6th Grade
with Parent

Saturday, March 28

10:00 am, 11:00 am, 12:00 pm or

1:00 pm

Registration begins Saturday,
March 14.

They're back! Listen to a bunny story, make a craft, and pet the live bunnies!
CMJ990

International Mermaid Day

Ages 3 years – 2nd Grade with Parent

Sunday, March 29 at 2:00 pm

Registration begins Sunday, March 22.

Make a splash and celebrate International Mermaid Day by creating your own mermaid fin to wear at home!
CMJ156



Craft Open House

Children ages 3 years – 6th Grade with Parent

Thursday, April 9 at 10:00 am – 12:00 pm



No registration required.

Check out our featured craft and see what other amazing crafts Miss Lisa will find for you.
CMJ127

Family Peep Diorama*

Ages 3 years – 6th Grade with Parent
Sunday, April 26 at 2:00pm

Registration begins Saturday, April 18.

Ever wonder what happens to all the leftover marshmallow Peeps? Use them to make dioramas! Create your own cool scene using a shoe box, peeps and candy and craft supplies. Just bring your imagination. *This program may not be suitable for children with food allergies.
CMJ927



Kids Ballot!



Ages 3 years – 6th Grade

Tuesday, April 14 at 10:00 am – 8:30 pm

No registration required.

After the grownups cast their vote for the Library Budget, kids can stop in the children's department and vote for their choice of a new toy/activity to be added to the children's room!

	Adult Programs	Teen Programs	Tween Programs	Family Programs	Children's Programs	Friends of the Library	
MARCH 2020	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Celebrating Women's Voice in Music, 2 pm	2 Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm Dr. Seuss Day, 3 yrs.–6th, with parent, 4 pm Knitting & Crochet Circle, 6 pm Irish Soda Bread, 6:30 pm	3 St. Patrick's Day Craft, 3 yrs.–NYK, 11 am	4 Block Party, 18mos.–NYK, 10 am Gentle Muscle Toning, 1 pm Walker Organizer, 6 pm Galla Wirewrap Long Necklace, 6 pm	5 Storytime, 3 yrs.–NYK, 10 am MotherGoose, Birth–17 mos., 11 am Cursive Club, 2nd–5th, 4:30 pm Self-Care Thursday, 6 pm	6 Let's Pretend, 2 yrs.–NYK, 11 am Irish Soda Bread, 6:30 pm	7 A Year of Firsts, birth–NY2, 10 am Saturday Creation Station, 2 yrs.–NY3, 11 am
	8 Board Game Day, 12:30 pm LEGO, 1st–6th, 2 pm	9 Mixed Preschool Kidnastics, 1 yr.–NYK, 10 am OR 1 pm OR 6 pm Expanding Horizons Bingo, 10:30 am Kidnastics, 6 mos.–NYW, 11:30 am Irish Soda Bread, 1 pm Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm Kraftin' with Kerri, K-6th, 4:30 pm	10 Kidnastics: 12 mos.–23 mos., 9:45 am 24 mos.–35 mos., 11 am 36 mos.–NYK, 12:15 pm Easy Does It! Yoga w/Susan, 1:30 pm Yoga, 1st–3rd, 4:45 pm Tween Yoga, 4th–8th, 6 pm	11 Babies Boogie, birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Toddlers Tango, 18 mos–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am Gentle Muscle Toning, 1 pm One-on-One Career Counseling, 4 pm FOL Meeting, 7 pm	12 Stomp it Up! w/Darlene Graham, Birth–NYK, 11 am Galla Wirewrap Long Necklace, 12:30 pm Cursive Club, 2nd–5th, 4:30 pm Soft Pastel and Watercolor w/Galina, 5 pm	13 Expanding Horizons Rainbow Tambourine, 10:30 am Let's Pretend, 2 yrs.–NYK, 11 am St. Patrick's Day Craft, K–6th, 4:30 pm Anime & Manga Club, 6 pm	14 Rainbow Sugar Cookies, K–6th, 1 pm Lucky Charms No Bake Pie, 3 pm
	15 Dungeons & Dragons, 12:30 pm The Irishman, 1 pm	16 Mixed preschool Kidnastics, 1 yr.–NYK, 10 am OR 1 pm OR 6 pm Kidnastics, 6 mos.–NYW, 11:30 am Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm Board of Trustees Meeting, 7 pm	17 Kidnastics: 12 mos.–23 mos., 9:45 am 24 mos.–35 mos., 11 am 36 mos.–NYK, 12:15 pm Easy Does It! Yoga w/Susan, 1:30 pm Yoga, 1st–3rd, 4:45 pm Tween Yoga, 4th–8th, 6 pm	18 Babies Boogie, birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Toddlers Tango, 18 mos–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am Gentle Muscle Toning, 1 pm Teen Night @ the Library, 6:30 pm	19 Cursive Club, 2nd–5th, 4:30 pm Soft Pastel and Watercolor w/Galina, 5 pm	20 One-on-One Medicare Counseling & Assistance, 10:30 am Very Hungry Caterpillar Day!, 2 yrs.–NYK, 11 am Yarn Chandelier, 6 pm	21 Baby Play Hooray, Birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Play Hooray, 18 mos.–NYK, 10:45 am Dungeons & Dragons, 12 pm
	22 Singers/Songwriters of the 70's–90's, 2 pm	23 Mixed preschool Kidnastics, 1 yr.–NYK, 10 am OR 1 pm OR 6 pm Kidnastics, 6 mos.–NYW, 11:30 am Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm WIC Workshop, 2 pm Galla Wirewrap Long Necklace, 6 pm	24 Kidnastics: 12 mos.–23 mos., 9:45 am 24 mos.–35 mos., 11 am 36 mos.–NYK, 12:15 pm Easy Does It! Yoga w/Susan, 1:30 pm Yoga, 1st–3rd, 4:45 pm Tween Yoga, 4th–8th, 6 pm Sound and Guided Imagery and Meditation, 6:30 pm	25 Babies Boogie, birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Toddlers Tango, 18 mos–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am Gentle Muscle Toning, 1 pm Little Builders, K–2nd, 4:30 pm	26 Great Library Playdate, 2 yrs.–NYK, 11 am Cursive Club, 2nd–5th, 4:30 pm Super Smash Brothers Competition, 4:30 pm Soft Pastel and Watercolor w/Galina, 5 pm	27 Let's Pretend, 2 yrs.–NYK, 11 am A"maze"ing Marbles, K–6th, 4:30 pm Magic the Gathering, 6 pm	28 Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies, 3 yrs.–6th w/Parent, 10 am, 11 am, 12 pm OR 1 pm
	29 Artist Reception, 2 pm International Mermaid Day!, 3 yrs.–2nd w/Parent, 2 pm	30 Mixed preschool Kidnastics, 1 yr.–NYK, 10 am OR 1 pm OR 6 pm Kidnastics, 6 mos.–NYW, 11:30 am Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm Raising Backyard Chickens, 6:30 pm	31 Kidnastics: 12 mos.–23 mos., 9:45 am 24 mos.–35 mos., 11 am 36 mos.–NYK, 12:15 pm Easy Does It! Yoga w/Susan, 1:30 pm Yoga, 1st–3rd, 4:45 pm Tween Yoga, 4th–8th, 6 pm Sequin Egg, 6 pm				

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SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY	
						1 Babies Boogie, birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Toddlers Tango, 18 mos.–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am Metal Embossing, 1:30 pm Streaming Service or Cable: Which is Right for You?, 6:30 pm		2 Baby Play Hooray, Birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Play Hooray, 18 mos.–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am Soft Pastel and Watercolor w/Galina, 5 pm Self-Care Thursday, 6 pm		3 Creation Station, 18 mos.–NY3, 10 am Preschool Storycraft, 3 yrs.–NYK, 1 pm Storycraft, K–4th, 4:30 pm Pizza, Popcorn & a Movie, 6 pm		4 A Year of Firsts, Birth–NY2, 10 am Saturday Creation Station, 2 yrs.–NY3, 11 am Teens to the Rescue, 2 pm	
5 Board Game Day, 12:30 pm Artist Reception, 2 pm		6 Expanding Horizons Bingo, 10:30 am Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm Knitting & Crochet Circle, 6 pm Budget Hearing, 7 pm		7 Glow in the Dark Storytime, 3 yrs.–NYK, 11 am Tween Seed Sorting, 4th–12th, 3 pm Metal Embossing, 6:30 pm		8 Buzz of the Beekeeper, K–6th w/Parent, 11 am FOL Meeting, 7 pm		9 FOL Trip to NY Botanical Gardens Orchid Show, and Bronx Zoo, 8 am Craft Open House, 3 yrs.–6th w/Parent, 10 am Audio Newsletter, 6 pm Narcan Training, 6 pm		10 Expanding Horizons Q-Tip Painting, 10:30 am Senior Lunch, 1 pm Slime Time, K–6th, 2 pm Anime & Manga Club, 6 pm		11 Empire Safety Council Defensive Driving, 10 am – 4 pm	
12 Library closed		13 Spring Craft, 3 yrs.–NYK, 10 am Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm Kraftin' with Kerri, K–6th, 4:30 pm Metal Embossing, 6:30 pm		14 Library Playdate, 12–35 mos., 9:45 am Library Playdate, 3 yrs.–NYK, 11 am Budget Vote, 10 am–8:30 pm Kids Ballot!, 3 yrs.–6th, 10 am–8:30 pm		15 Flowers in a Frame, 1:30 pm One-on-One Career Counseling, 4pm Teen Night at the Library, 6:30 pm		16 Baby Play Hooray, Birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Play Hooray, 18 mos.–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am LEGO, 1st–6th, 4:30 pm Flowers in a Frame, 6:30 pm		17 Creation Station, 18 mos.–NY3, 10 am One-on-One Medicare Counseling & Assistance, 10:30 am Senior Lunch, 1 pm Preschool Storycraft, 3 yrs.–NYK, 1 pm Storycraft, K–4th, 4:30 pm		18 Dungeons & Dragons, 12 pm Coral Reef Cookie, K–6th, 1:30 pm Flowers in a Frame, 2:30 pm Coral Reef Scene, 3 pm	
19 Dungeons & Dragons, 12:30 pm		20 Earth Day Craft, 3 yrs.–NYK, 10 am Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm Flowers in a Frame, 6:30 pm Board of Trustees Meeting, 7 pm		21 Library Playdate, 12–35 mos., 9:45 am Library Playdate, 3 yrs.–NYK, 11 am Coupons for Troops, 3:30 pm Flowers in a Frame, 6:30 pm		22 Earth Day Seed Bombs, K–6th, 4:30 pm Seed Bombs, 6 pm		23 Baby Play Hooray, Birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Play Hooray, 18 mos.–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am Play of the Hand Part 2 Bridge Course, 10 am FOL Book Sale, 1 pm – 8 pm		24 FOL Book Sale, 9:30 am – 8 pm Creation Station, 18 mos.–NY3, 10 am Preschool Storycraft, 3 yrs.–NYK, 1 pm Storycraft, K–4th, 4:30 pm Magic the Gathering, 6 pm		25 FOL Book Sale, 9:30 am – 2 pm	
26 Family Peep Diorama, 3 yrs.–6th w/Parent, 2 pm The Liverpool Shuffle: Live Beatles Music, 2 pm		27 Monday Afternoon Games, 1:30 pm		28 Library Playdate, 12–35 mos., 9:45 am Library Playdate, 3 yrs.–NYK, 11 am		29 A"maze"ing Marbles, K–6th, 4:30 pm How to Find a Part-Time Job in Retirement, 6:30 pm		30 Baby Play Hooray, Birth–17 mos., 9:45 am Play Hooray, 18 mos.–NYK, 10:45 am OR 11:45 am Play of the Hand Part 2 Bridge Course, 10 am A Fiesta to Remember, 1:30 pm OR 6:30 pm					

Friends of the Library

Bus Trips



Reservation Forms: Forms are available and located on top of the thrift shelf by the door to the Children's Room. Forms are also available on the FOL website www.centermoricheslibrary.org/fol - Bus Trips page.

Reserve a Seat: To reserve a seat, make checks payable to "Friends of the Center Moriches Library". Please include your name, address, phone number, cell number (for bus trips only), and number of guests.

Return Forms: Drop completed form and check in the FOL mailbox located on the thrift shelves by the window (envelopes are provided) OR you can mail it to Friends of the Center Moriches Library, PO Box 704, Center Moriches, NY 11934-0704.

Bus Trip Guide

Seat Availability and Additional Info: For seat availability and/or additional bus trip information contact 631-294-6431, 516-972-0991 OR email fol@centermoricheslibrary.org. Additional information and instructions are also on the reservation forms and on the FOL website.

Refunds: To receive a full refund, cancellation requests **MUST** be in writing and **MUST** be received within 10 days before trip. Otherwise the payment will be forwarded to the bus company and will not be refundable. **NOTE: All overnight trips have special refund instructions.**

NY Botanical Garden Orchid Show & Bronx Zoo

Thursday, April 9, 2020



Cost \$60.00 pp
General Admission \$60/pp
for adults and \$50/pp
for Children 3-12

Trip includes admission, coach bus transportation and driver gratuity. Depart Library at 8:00 am.



Mount Hope Victorian Tea and Mansion Tour

Wednesday, May 20 & Thursday, May 21, 2020

Over night Pennsylvania trip. Cost \$320.00 pp
\$100 dollar deposit due with reservation. Balance due April 20, 2020. Depart Library at 7 pm.

We will be greeted by Miss Daisy Grubb, dressed in her Victorian finest upon entering the Mount Hope Mansion. Daisy's family built the mansion & she was the last of the Grubbs to reside there. First some basic etiquette will be taught then Finger sandwiches, sweets and of course, tea will be served.

- Stopping at Lititz Pa, "the coolest small town in America"
- Stopping at Wilbur Chocolate Candy offers premium high quality chocolate & confectionery products. Wilbur buds, chocolate covered pretzels are specialty items.
- Dinner at Plain & Fancy Restaurant, family style. Traditional Amish Farm Feast.
- Bird in Hand Family Inn, double accommodations.
- Breakfast in morning at Bird in Hand Family Restaurant.
- Back Roads tour and Kitchen Kettle Village stops.
- Sight and Sound Theater to see Queen Esther. Live on stage performance.
- Dinner at Miller's Smorgasbord before our trip home.

Includes coach bus, drivers gratuity, lunch at Victorian Tea, Dinner at Plain & Fancy, hotel, breakfast, tour, show tickets and dinner. Departures times to be determined closer to the trip. Call Kathy Werler @ 631-294-6431 for reservations.



Essex Steam Train & Riverboat Excursion

Wednesday, June 17, 2020

Cost: \$110.00 pp

Depart Library at 6:30 am. Approximate return to Library 8:30 pm.

Enjoy a three-course lunch aboard restored 1920's Pullman dining cars as part of a 3.75 hour lunch, train and riverboat sightseeing excursion. Trip includes bus transportation, driver, gratuity and sightseeing excursion. Lunch includes tossed mixed green salad, choice of vegetable, starch, roll and dessert and coffee.

IMPORTANT: Indicate your entrée choice on the reservation form which is located by the FOL Thrift Book section.



New York Botanical Gardens: Kusama Display and Lunch at Arthur Avenue

Wednesday, September 16, 2020

Cost is \$120.00 pp

Yayoi Kusama is a Japanese contemporary artist who works primarily in sculpture and installation, but is also active in painting, performance, film, fashion, poetry, fiction, and other arts.

Trip includes: bus coach transportation, admission into the NY Botanical Gardens, and lunch.



Coming Soon! Washington, D.C. Trip

Early October 2020

3 day/2 nights stay

See the sights of Washington, D.C. and experience the Nation's Capital! Date and price to be determined.



Next FOL Meetings are
Wednesdays, March 11 and April 8, 7:00 pm
Please join us!

Friends of the Library Bi-Annual Book Sale

Thursday, April 23 from 1:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Friday, April 24 from 9:30 am – 8:00 pm

Saturday, April 25 from 9:30 am – 2:00 pm

The Friends of the Library will now be having 2 book sales per year because one is not enough! Stop on down and browse through a treasure of books, DVD's, Music CD's and more all at rock bottom prices. There is something for everyone!



Did you know you can help support the Friends of the Center Moriches Library through Amazon Smile in just a few easy steps?

1. Sign into Smile.Amazon.com on your desktop.
2. From your desktop, sign into your Amazon Account.
3. Select "The Friends of the Center Moriches Library" from the list of charitable organizations to receive the donations.
4. Start shopping!

Your support will help fund the Maurine Rose and Carroll Gerard Donnelly Memorial Scholarship.



Monday Afternoon at the Library

Every Monday at 1:30 pm!

Join us for this informal gathering to play Mah-Jongg, Canasta, Cards and Board Games.



The Maurine Rose and Carroll Gerard Donnelly Memorial Scholarship

The FOL proudly announces the establishment of The Maurine Rose and Carroll Gerard Donnelly Memorial Scholarship. This scholarship is for students who have a current Center Moriches Free Public Library card and have been accepted into a two or four year college. Applications for the scholarship may be found at the Friends of the Library bookshelves.

Donations can be made to "The Friend of the Library Scholarship Fund" by check and mailed to P.O. Box 704, Center Moriches, New York 11934.

Scholarship

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Thank you for your support!

FOL Membership Application

Become a Friend by sending your membership donation and this form to:

Friends of the CM Library, P.O. Box 704, Center Moriches, NY 11934

OR drop your envelope in the FOL mailbox next to the Thrift Shelves.

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Health & Well Being

Gentle Muscle Conditioning and Toning

Attend all 4 sessions: Wednesdays, March 4, 11, 18, and 25, from 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm
Registration begins on Saturday, February 22
For CMOR Patrons only
Certified Personal Trainer Kim R. will guide you through traditional training exercises using light weights and a chair for stability. These exercises can help improve bone density, strengthen and tone your body and are suitable for all strength levels. Bring a pair of weights. **CMA416**

Easy Does It! Yoga with Susan

Attend all 4 sessions: Tuesdays, March 10, 17, 24, and 31, from 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm
Registration begins on Saturday, February 29
For CMOR Patrons only
Join certified instructor Susan Semerade in this gentle exercise of slow, deep stretches, combined with focused breathing and four simple yoga postures. Suitable for almost everyone! Please bring a mat or towel as you will be laying on the floor. **CMA418**



Sound and Guided Imagery and Meditation

Tuesday, March 24, from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Registration begins on Saturday, February 29
For CMOR Patrons only
Join us for a restorative and relaxing evening. Life Coach and Licensed Acupuncturist Donna Nesteruk will lead this unique meditation session using quartz crystal bowls and guided imagery. The sound produced by the bowls resonate at frequencies producing powerful vibratory sound waves which are believed to harmoniously resonate with the human body. Along with guided imagery—the conscious use of one's imagination—the five senses will be engaged to increase relaxation which is believed to reduce stress hormones and bolster immunity. **CMA511**



Senior Lunch and Learn Fridays

A four-session Lunch and Learn program
Friday, April 10 Topic: Nutrition and Wellness
Friday, April 17 Topic: Finding New Meaning & Enjoying Life
Friday, May 1 Topic: Independent Living or Not
Friday, May 15 Topic: Memory Loss and Memory Care
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm. Lunch provided by the Center Moriches Library.
All are welcome but please register for all 4 sessions beginning on Monday, March 30
Suffolk County residents only.
Kick off the spring season meeting new people and learning about topics that are on the minds of active seniors. The Lunch & Learn program is an opportunity for seniors to learn about a variety of topics while enjoying a healthy meal. As we age, we tend to become isolated. Lunch & Learn programs provide an excellent opportunity to socialize, eat a delicious lunch, obtain some great information and talk with other seniors who are interested in aging successfully. **CMA709**



Community Narcan Training

Thursday, April 9, from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
All are welcome.
Registration begins on Monday, March 30
Adults only



Do you know how to help someone you suspect has overdosed on opioids? This interactive 1-hour course will provide you with the knowledge and confidence you need to respond to a known or suspected opioid overdose emergency. In this course, you will learn to recognize the signs and symptoms of an opioid overdose, the appropriate care to provide based on the person's breathing and level of responsiveness and how to give naloxone using a nasal atomizer, Narcan ® Nasal Spray to reverse the effects of an opioid overdose. Each participant will leave with a kit of their own. You will gain the knowledge you need to respond to an opioid overdose emergency. **CMA570**

WIC Workshop

Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
Monday, March 23rd from 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm
All are Welcome.
Registration begins on Monday, March 9th
Am I Eligible for WIC?
The Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) provides federal grants to states for supplemental foods, health care referrals, and nutrition education for low-income pregnant, breastfeeding, and non-breastfeeding postpartum women, and to infants and children up to age five who are found to be at nutritional risk. The WIC Program aims to safeguard the health of low-income women, infants, and children up to age 5 who are at nutrition risk by providing nutritious foods to supplement diets, information on healthy eating, and referrals to health care. A WIC representative will be here to share information and answer all your questions during this workshop. **CMU130**



Organic Seed Library

Spring has sprung and our seed library is once again fully stocked for you to "check out" up to 5 seed packets of vegetable, fruit, flower or herbs with your Center Moriches Library Card. Books are also on display on how to start and maintain a garden. Ask a librarian for help getting started.

