

Center Moriches Free Public Library

Newsletter

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November/December 2025



CHILDREN'S OUTDOOR PLAY AREA AND GARDEN

The outdoor Children's Play Area and Community Garden are nearing completion! Site work has substantial completion

and the wooden play toys that have been ordered are awaiting installation. We're excited to bring this new space to life for families and the community to enjoy very soon and appreciate the CREST grant that was received in order to create this area.



JEWELRY SALE

November 14, 9:30 am to 4:00 pm and November 15, 9:30 am to 3:30 pm

The Friends of the Library are hosting their annual Jewelry Sale Fundraiser. Earrings, necklaces, bracelets, watches and other fashion accessories are available for purchase. All proceeds help support the library!

TOY DRIVE

Bring joy this season! Donate a new, unwrapped toy to our Toy Drive and help brighten the holidays for children in our community. Every gift, big or small, helps to make a difference. The donation box will be located in the entrance hallway beginning Friday, November 14th until Friday, December 19th. Donated toys will be distributed to the 7th precinct, Toys for Tots and Brookhaven INTERFACE.



MITTEN TREE

The Center Moriches Library is again collecting NEW hats, gloves, mittens and scarves to give to people in need in our community. Please stop by our mitten tree, located near the brick column by the Adult Reference Desk, if you would like to donate. We will accept donations beginning Monday, December 1st until Friday, December 26th. *Teens (with a valid CM library card) who bring in donations should stop by the Teen Department to receive a certificate for one hour of community service.

COFFEE WITH A COP

Wednesday, November 5th from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Join Suffolk County Police COPE officers from the 7th precinct for an informal meet and greet to express concerns and get to know one another. They will also be able to accept any expired or unwanted prescription drugs, no liquids or sharps.



SOCIAL WORKER

Our Social Work Intern, Jake is available at the library to assist you with emergency services such as food, clothing, and shelter, health, family matters, social security, social services, and many other topics that individuals may need assistance in navigating. Please note that appointments are not for therapy but referral services and assistance. Appointments are available on Tuesday, Wednesday or Saturday.

HEALTHY LIBRARIES

The Healthy Libraries Program (HeLP) consists of students who are currently training in the fields of social work, public health, library science, and nursing, who are available at the library to provide blood pressure screenings, and to answer questions and provide reliable, evidence based information on a wide variety of health topics such as heart disease, diabetes, understanding medications and much more. Students are also available to direct patrons to community resources, help fill out paperwork for social services, find housing, and assist with finding a healthcare provider and scheduling appointments. The HeLP program will be at our library on November 25th from 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm. No appointment is necessary and all are welcome.



BLOOD DRIVE

We extend our thanks to everyone who participated in our recent blood drive that collected 57 pints. Your generosity and willingness to give make a life-saving difference for those in need.

AARP Driver Safety

AARP SMART DRIVING COURSE

Monday, November 10th from 9:30 am - 4:00 pm CMA724
Claim your safe driver discount! When you take the AARP Smart Driver course, you could be eligible for a multi-year discount on your auto insurance. Plus, safer driving can save you more than just money. The course teaches proven driving techniques to help keep you and your loved ones safe on the road. Plus, AARP members save over 20% on the classroom course!

FOR AARP MEMBERS: \$25.00 check or money order payable to AARP SMART DRIVER at the door on the day of the class. NO CREDIT/DEBIT CARD OR CASH ACCEPTED.

FOR ALL OTHERS: \$30.00 check or money order payable to AARP SMART DRIVER at the door on the day of the class. NO CREDIT/DEBIT CARD OR CASH ACCEPTED.

CMOR CARDHOLDERS may register in person or online beginning on Monday, October 27th.

NON-CMOR CARDHOLDERS may register in person or online beginning on Monday, November 3rd.

You must pre-register to secure your spot in class.

PASSPORT SERVICES

Going on a trip and need a passport? The Center Moriches Library is a Passport Acceptance Agency! We can help you apply, take your passport pictures, and send in your application to the Passport Office in one easy step. Call the Reference Desk at 631- 878-0940, ext. 5 for more information or to set up your appointment. Evening and weekend appointments available.



COMICS PLUS

Comics Plus allows you to access thousands of digital comics, graphic novels, and manga for free with your library card. Available anytime, anywhere at: Livebrary.com/Comicsplus.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON MOVIE

All Suffolk County Cardholders are welcome, but please register.

SUPERMAN

Friday, November 21st 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Superman must reconcile his alien Kryptonian heritage with his human upbringing as reporter Clark Kent. As the embodiment of truth, justice, and the human way, he soon finds himself in a world that views these as old-fashioned.

CMA305

JURASSIC WORLD: REBIRTH

Friday, December 19th 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Five years after the events of Jurassic World Dominion, the planet's ecology has proven largely inhospitable to dinosaurs. Those remaining exist in isolated equatorial environments with climates resembling the one in which they once thrived. The three most colossal creatures within that tropical biosphere hold the key to a drug that will bring miraculous life-saving benefits to humankind.

CMA305

CONCERTS:

Registration begins on Saturday, October 18th. **All Suffolk County Library Cardholders are welcome.**

TIME MACHINE

Sunday, November 16th from 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm CMA088

A Musical Journey in Time, covering the greatest hits of every generation and celebrating the most iconic musicians of our time, you will be sure to hear a favorite or two!

WILD FIRE HOLIDAY SHOW

Sunday, December 21st from 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm CMA089

Wild Fire is a Long-Island based, high-energy cover band bringing you a wide variety of music from the fifties to today. This concert will feature some holiday songs to sing along with as well! Wildfire band truly has something for everyone!!

ARTIST ALLEY

Gary Fagerland is featured as November's Artist of the Month. A self-taught painter, Gary works primarily in acrylic on canvas, capturing both the beauty of Long Island's landscapes and the charm of days gone by.

December's exhibit titled "Deconstructed" features the works by the group Piece by Piece. Each work in this unique contemporary exhibition challenges the conventionality of art on Long Island in some way. The themes in the works range from reinterpreting mythological narratives in cultures around the world, dismantling the natural beauty in architecture, structures we interact with in everyday lives, to breaking down scientific theories with abstraction. A reception will be held on Saturday, December 13 from 2:00 pm-4:00 pm. **All are welcome to attend.**

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Adult Programs

Adult Registration Guide

Unless otherwise stated, Registration is **Registration is Saturday, October 18th at 9:00 am**. 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 Suffolk County Library Cardholders Welcome". **Registration begins for MOST Monthly Events on Saturday, October 18th at 9:00 am** and

must be done online on our website at www.centermoricheslibrary.org, or in person. Click on Programs & Events and choose "Library Calendar". There is also a tab with directions on how to register online for programs. If you are going to be absent for a program that you are registered for, please call the Adult Department so that someone on the waiting list may be called.

***Some programs are offered as both in-person and Zoom classes. Apart from exercise programs, we ask that you choose between taking it in person or online (not both). Please note that the library will hold your kit for 7 days after notification. If not picked up on the 7th day, your kit will be given to a person on the waitlist. ***

Registration for the AARP Safe Driving Course has a different registration date than the rest of the programs. Please read the class description for registration information.

THE WRITER'S TABLE

Saturday, November 1st from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Saturday, December 6th from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

This is an informal gathering for anyone interested in writing or listening to poetry. Each person will have an opportunity to recite and talk about a poem of their choice. On occasion, the group may indulge in an essay or short story. This program is sponsored by Friends of the Library. **All Suffolk County Library Cardholders are welcome.**

ONE ON ONE CAREER COUNSELING

Now Through the Month of December

Career Coach Richard Gluck will answer any questions you may have regarding resumes, job interviews, and anything career related. Follow-up counseling to more in-depth questions will also be available. All inquiries remain private and confidential. Please e-mail rcgluck0120@yahoo.com. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

FREE HEALTH INSURANCE ENROLLMENT ASSISTANCE

Thursday, November 13th from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Thursday, December 11th from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Application assistance is now available to help you or someone you know apply for Medicaid programs available for adults and children who are blind or disabled and anyone over the age of 65. No appointment necessary. **All are welcome.** Sponsored by Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

Tuesday, December 9th at 11:30 am

CMA721

(November class canceled due to Veteran's Day holiday) Alzheimer's Disease Resource Center (ADRC) will offer a monthly caregiver support group. ADRC's support groups are an opportunity for caregivers to discuss challenges, share feelings and find emotional support. Talking with people who truly understand helps caregivers feel less alone as they confront the many challenges of caring for a person with Alzheimer's Disease or other dementias. Participants will also be helped to develop methods and tools to balance their own personal, physical, and emotional needs while caring for their loved one. For additional information, email sharon.reichman@adrcinc.org or call 631-580-5100. **All Suffolk County Library Cardholders are welcome.**

ONE ON ONE MEDICARE COUNSELING AND ASSISTANCE BY PHONE

Friday, November 21st from 10:30 am - 12:30 pm OR

Friday, December 19th from 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

CMZ400
HIICAP is now offering one on one Medicare counseling by phone! Appointments are a half hour long and you will be called between 10:30 am-12:30 pm on the day you register. Please make sure you have a valid telephone number on file when registering. **All Suffolk County Library Cardholders are welcome.**

IN-PERSON DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Saturday, November 15th from 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Saturday, December 20th from 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

CMA455

This game craze is back! Transform yourself into a powerful hero and join the Quest Master's Guild 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. Bring a pen and some paper. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

HEALTH AND WELLNESS PROGRAMS

GENTLE TONING AND MUSCLE STRENGTHENING ON ZOOM

(attend all 6 sessions) Tuesdays, November 4th, skipping November 11th, resuming November 18th, 25th, December 2nd, December 9th and December 16th from 11:00 am-12:00 pm

CMZ401

Join Kim R. in this 5-week class to gently tone and strengthen your body. Exercises will be done in a chair, in your house. Please have weights and a towel ready. This program will be presented on Zoom. Link (invite) to join the class will be sent to you before the program starts. **All Suffolk County Library Cardholders are welcome.**

GENTLE CHAIR YOGA WITH SUSAN ON ZOOM

(attend all 5 sessions) Wednesdays, November 5th, skipping November 12th, resuming November 19th, 26th, December 3rd and 10th, from 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

CMZ405
Join 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 use a sturdy kitchen chair (no wheels) *** This program will be presented on Zoom. Link (invite) to join the class will be sent to you before the program starts. **All Suffolk County Library Cardholders are welcome.**

IN-PERSON EXERCISE PROGRAMS

Join us for these fun and effective exercise programs. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

CHAIR BOXING WITH THE ARROYO BOXING CLUB

Saturday, November 1st from 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

CMA070

Join Professional Boxer Johnathan Arroyo for this gentle workout that improves range of motion, heart health, lowers blood pressure, and more in this fun class. Boxing gloves will be provided for each participant. No boxing experience required! **CMOR Cardholders only.**

IN-PERSON GENTLE TONING AND MUSCLE STRENGTHENING WITH KIM

(attend all 6 sessions) Wednesdays, November 5th, skipping November 12th, resuming November 19th, 26th, December 3rd, 10th and 17th from 8:30 am - 9:15 am

CMA496

Join Kim R. in this 5-week series to gently tone and strengthen your body. Exercises will be done in a chair and can be adapted to different fitness levels. Please bring your weights and a towel to class.

IN-PERSON CARDIO SCULPT TRAINING WITH KIM

(attend all 6 sessions) Fridays, November 7th, skipping November 14th, resuming November 21st, 28th, December 5th, 12th and 19th from 8:30 am - 9:15 am

CMA497

Join Kim for this energizing class, which involves cardio intervals mixed with strength training intervals using resistance bands. You can use your own bands or checkout resistance band kits from our Library of Things collection in the library.

BOOKTALK/LECTURES

All Suffolk County Cardholders are welcome, but please register.

SCOTLAND & TALK OF THE OUTLANDER

Tuesday, November 4th from 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

CMA090

To honor the last season of Outlander, we present Savvy Sightseer Jeanne Schnuppon! Whether you are a fan or not, join us for a virtual visit to Scotland featuring settings from the hit series. You'll enjoy a rich variety of Scottish sights, including the glorious highlands and historic Stirling Castle, the serene stunning beauty of the Isle of Skye, bustling cities of Glasgow and Edinburgh, and the cozy coastal town of Oban!

BREWICHES BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, November 5th at 6:00 pm

CMA600

Wednesday, December 3rd at 6:00 pm

It's getting colder out, so that means it's time to warm up with a thriller and a beverage at the Moriches Field Brewing Company for our Brewiches Book Club! Feel free to read our suggested books or come on down and chat about what you've been reading. **All are welcome, but please register.**

November: "Home is Where the Bodies Are" by Jeneva Rose
December: "The Sanatorium" by Sarah Pearse

OFF THE LEASH BOOKTALK: TALES FROM A LIFETIME OF HEALING AND WONDER BY DR. KEVIN LYNCH

Sunday, November 9th, from 2:00 pm-3:15 pm

CMA091

Join Dr. Kevin Lynch DVM and his co-host of The Pet Mindset Show, Archie the Irish Terrier, as he reads a chapter from his book and talks about his 50+ years of experience as a Veterinarian. Attendees will have the exclusive chance to pre-order the book, just in time for the holidays!



SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM

HAPPY HOUSEPLANTS

Wednesday, November 5, 6:00 pm

CMA071

Cornell Cooperative Extension will teach you how to keep your houseplants looking their best year-round. Pick up tips for optimal care and maintenance, including possible pests. Discover handsome houseplants to enjoy even if you don't have a green thumb. **All Suffolk County Library Cardholders are welcome.**



PROGRAMS

ACRYLIC FOR EVERYONE

(Attend all 6 sessions, please choose one time) Saturdays, November 1st, 8th, skipping November 15th, 22nd, 29th, and December 6th, from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

CMA064

Join artist Kenn Beck from Artistik Visual Arts for lessons in acrylic painting to anyone who wishes to learn a relaxing hobby or polish existing skills they seek to refine, in which session providing an individual lesson on different styles and techniques of acrylic painting. Best of all, no supplies are required. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

GET ARTSY WITH ARTIST TRADING CARDS

Monday, November 3rd from 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

CMA320

An artist trading card (or ATC for short) is a tiny, original piece of art created with the intention of swapping or trading it with another artist, not selling it. The one rule an artist trading card must adhere to is the size. An ATC must be 2.5x3.5 inches or 64x89 mm. You will create 2 cards in this fun class and take home an ATC card holder. No painting experience required! **CMOR Cardholders only.**

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE SERIES

(attend all sessions) Tuesdays, November 4th, skipping November 11th, 18th, 25th, December 2nd and 9th, from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

CMA900

Join certified ESL teacher Nia O. for this 6-week series that will improve your English language skills. Aimed specifically at high beginners and low intermediate students, this class will cover basic themes such as work, time, families, shopping, community activities, food, the weather, and health. **All are welcome but please register.**

FALL TABLE MESH SWAG

Join Teresa from the Silhouette Spot and make this deceptively simple yet elegant table piece perfect for the autumnal season.



IN-PERSON (Choose one date)

CMA092

Thursday, November 6th from 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm OR

Friday, November 7th from 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

This program will also be presented as a Zoom program. Please register for only one class. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

ZOOM

CMZ881

Wednesday, November 5th from 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

This program will also be presented as an in-person program at the library. Please register for only one class. Link (invite) to join the class will be sent to you before the program starts. You will be contacted when the kits are ready for pickup. (this may be pre-recorded). **Please note that the library will hold your kit for 7 days after notification. If not picked up on the 7th day, your kit will be given to a person on the waitlist. CMOR Cardholders only.**

Teen Zone


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

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 begins at 9:00am. 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.

*Please Note: Unless stated otherwise, these programs are for Center Moriches Cardholders only. **Unless stated otherwise, registered patrons will receive an email indicating that the program materials are ready for pickup.

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100 BOOKS BEFORE GRADUATION

100 Books Before Graduation is an initiative that challenges 6th – 12th graders with Center Moriches Library cards to read 100 books before they graduate high school. Ask a librarian for more information or to sign up today!

ADVANCED BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

We are so excited to take in part in the Advanced Battle of the Books 2026! Ask a librarian for more details!

KNITTING & CROCHET CIRCLE

Monday, November 3rd at 6:00 pm CMA171

Monday, December 1st at 6:00 pm

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. Registration is now open!



LEGO CHALLENGE

Wednesday, November 5th at 7:00 pm CMY621

Wednesday, December 3rd at 7:00 pm

Join us for this fast-paced hour full of Lego challenges! Can you beat the clock? Registration is now open.

BEAD CRAFTING

Thursday, November 6th at 6:00 pm CMY430

Join Miss Shannon for fun bead crafting. Choose between two options: Perler bead creations or jewelry making beads! Registration is now open.

JUNK JOURNAL

Saturday, November 8th at 2:30 pm CMY431

What is a junk journal? It's a unique project made with craft supplies, recycled paper, and other found materials. Use it for an everyday journal, a memory book, or art journal. Theresa from the Silhouette Spot is here to show you how to make your own! Registration is now open.

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Sunday, November 16th at 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm CMY761

Sunday, December 21st at 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm

This game craze is back! Transform yourself into a powerful hero and join The Quest Masters Guild to prepare for an epic journey of mystery and magic where you can meet fellow adventurers, battle monsters, and win treasure. Beginner friendly but all levels of experience are welcome. This program is for teens only. Dice and character sheets provided. Limited availability. Please bring your own pencil and notebook. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.



FESTIVE GARLAND

Tuesday, November 18th at 6:00 pm CMY432

Add a little zest to your holiday decor! In this hands-on craft class, we'll create a festive garland using citrus slices, beads, and twine. Whether you hang it on your wall, door, or window, this craft is perfect for adding a handmade touch to your holiday decor. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

THANKSGIVING PANINI*

Thursday, November 20th at 7:00 pm CMY433

All the traditional fixings on one panini- enjoy at the library. Make sure to bring a water bottle! *This program may not be suitable for teens with food allergies. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.



THANKFUL JARS

Saturday, November 22nd at 2:00 pm CMY434

Create a jar filled with things you are thankful for! When you bring it home, you can do these activities with mom, dad, grandparents or other family members. We will also decorate the jar with a tiny pumpkin + ribbon. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

GAME NIGHT

Tuesday, November 25th at 6:00 pm CMY560

Come down to the library for some old-fashioned gaming fun! Board games, card games, whatever your style is, join in or try something new! Registration is open now!

WINTER VILLAGE

Thursday, December 4th at 6:00 pm CMY435

Join us at the library to design a tiny winter world using mini wooden houses, paint, and all kinds of fun decorations. Add trees, snow, and your own creative flair—no two villages will look the same! Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

CROCHET A CREATURE – PENGUIN PAL

Tuesday, December 2nd AND 9th at 7:00 pm CMY436

(Must be able to attend both sessions)

Join Miss Noelle for this 2-week program where you will learn how to crochet an adorable penguin of your very own. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

MOVIE, COOKIES & HOT COCOA

Thursday, December 11th at 6:00 pm CMY437

Join Miss Shannon for a cozy movie night at the library! Snacks will be provided, bring your own blanket. Registration is now open.

GINGERBREAD HOUSE*

Saturday, December 13th at 2:30 pm CMY438

Decorate your very own gingerbread house at the library! Materials will be provided, all you need is your imagination. *This program may not be suitable for teens with food allergies. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.



STAR ORNAMENT

Saturday, December 20th at 2:00 pm CMY439

Create a festive decoration using yarn, cardboard and glue. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

NEW BOOK REVIEWS FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE

Hey Teens! Submitting book reviews for community service is so easy! Just go to <https://centermoricheslibrary.org/in-library-resource/community-service-opportunities/>. There you will see a list of new teen books that are eligible as well as a form to submit your review. Once we receive your review, we will email you a community service certificate for 3 hours! *Limit of one review per month.*

KANOPY FILM REVIEWS FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE

Now you can review films on our streaming service, Kanopy, for 2 hours of community service! The instructions and review form are available to pick up in the Teen Zone or you can go to <https://centermoricheslibrary.org/departments/teens/community-service-opportunities/teen-film-review/> for the instructions and the review form. If you submit online, we will email you a certificate for your community service. *Restrictions apply. Please see instructions for more details. **Limit of one review per month.

4TH ANNUAL TEEN ART SHOW

CMZ753

Calling all Teen Artists! Help us put on our fourth annual teen art exhibit this winter! Each teen who registers will get a canvas to create a winter themed masterpiece! Use whatever art materials you have on hand and bring back your completed piece by January 24th for a February art exhibit in our Library's Artist Alley! *Each teen will receive 3 hours of community service. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

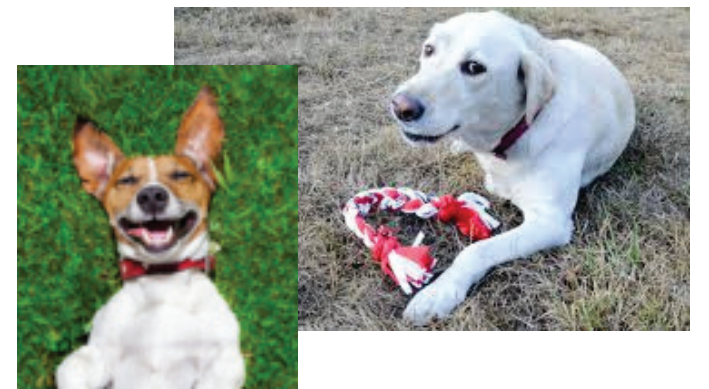
NATIONAL ANIMAL SHELTER APPRECIATION WEEK – NOVEMBER 2ND – 8TH

Let's show our local animal shelters that our teens care! For the month of November, teens are welcome to bring in towels, blankets, cat and dog food and toys. All these items will be donated to local animal shelters. You will earn 1 hour of community service. *Limit of 1 hour of community service per teen. No limit on donations.

DOG TOYS TO DONATE

Wednesday, November 12th at 6:00 pm CMY440

Help repurpose old t-shirts into dog toys that will be donated to local animal shelters. One hour of community service will be given to each participant. Registration begins Saturday, November 1st.



POMPOMS TO DONATE

Monday, December 15th at 6:00 pm CMY441

Help the Children's Department get ready for a program! They need lots of pompoms so let's hook them up! One hour of community service will be given to each teen. Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

SNOWMAN MASON JARS TO DONATE

Tuesday, December 23rd at 7:00 pm CMY442

Create an adorable snowman jar with a hat, scarf + tiny cardinal! Registration begins on Saturday, November 1st.

MITTEN TREE

Give the gift of warmth this holiday season! Center Moriches Library will be collecting NEW hats, gloves, mittens, and scarves to give to people in need in our community. Please stop by our mitten tree located near the Adult Reference Desk! (Teens who bring in donations should stop by the Teen Department to receive an hour of community service). We will begin accepting donations on Monday, December 1st.

Teens, check out this new area designed with you in mind! Our Calm Corner features a comfy new chair, soothing items to de-stress as well as some great new books about relaxation and mindfulness. Stop by today and leave your worries behind.



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. In person and online registration begins at 9:00am. 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 the 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. **Please Note: Unless stated otherwise, these programs are for Center Moriches Cardholders only**

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.



Follow us on social media for more information and pop-up programming!

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Pre-School Programs

BABY START

Ages Birth- 17 Months CMJ217
Saturday, November 1st and/or 22nd at 9:30 am and/or
Saturday, December 6th and/or 27th at 9:30 am
 Join A Time for Kids, Inc. as we introduce our littlest patrons to the wonderful world of library programs. Activities include music, movement, fine and gross motor development, and circle time! Register for each session one week before.

A TIME FOR KIDS

18 Months - Not yet in Kindergarten CMJ108
Saturday, November 1st and/or 22nd at 10:30 am and/or
Saturday, December 6th and/or 27th at 10:30 am
 Join A Time for Kids, Inc. for a super fun program that focuses on early literacy, language development, fine and gross motor development as well as music. Register for each session one week before.

**MONDAY KIDNASTICS

Mondays, November 3rd, 17th, 24th and December 1st
Ages Walking- Not Yet 3 Years Old at 9:30 am CMJ810
Family Kidnastics at 10:30 am or 11:30 am CMJ820
(Mixed aged children, Walking- Not yet in Kindergarten)
 Miss Gail is here on Mondays too! Please choose ONE day (either Mondays OR Tuesdays) to attend the class for your child's age group. In fairness, we ask that you only register if you plan on attending all 4 classes. Registration begins Monday, October 27th.

**Please note that with the exception of infants in strollers, extra siblings are not permitted into Kidnastics unless they are also registered for the same class and fit the age limits. For families with multiple preschool aged children, please sign up for a Family Kidnastics class.

**KIDNASTICS

Tuesdays, November 4th, 18th, 25th, and December 2nd
Ages Walking- Not Yet 3 Years Old at 9:45 am CMJ810
Ages 6 Months- Not Yet Walking at 11:00 am CMJ800
Ages 3 Years- Not Yet in Kindergarten at 12:15 pm CMJ815
Family Kidnastics at 6:00 pm CMJ820
(Mixed aged children, walking- Not yet in Kindergarten)
 Join Miss Gail for four weeks of fun and educational Kidnastics classes! In fairness, we ask that you only register if you plan on making all 4 classes. Registration begins Monday, October 27th.

**Please note that apart from infants in strollers, extra siblings are not permitted into Kidnastics unless they are also registered and fit the age limits. For families with multiple preschool aged children, please sign up for a Family Kidnastics class.

TODDLER & ME WITH MISS CECILIA!

Ages Walking- 18 Months CMJ187
Wednesday, November 5th at 10:30 am and/or
Wednesday, November 19th at 10:30 am and/or
Wednesday, December 3rd at 10:30 am and/or
Wednesday, December 17th at 10:30 am
 Bring your little one to shake, rattle, and roll with Miss Cecilia in this sweet introduction to library fun. Registration is ongoing.

BABY & ME WITH MISS CECILIA!

Ages Birth-Not Yet Walking CMJ188
Wednesday, November 5th at 11:30 am and/or
Wednesday, November 19th at 11:30 am and/or
Wednesday, December 3rd at 11:30 am and/or
Wednesday, December 17th at 11:30 am
 As above but for the littlest library users! Registration is ongoing.

STORYCRAFT

Ages 2 years-Not yet in Kindergarten CMJ324
Thursdays, November 6th, 13th, and 20th at 11:00 am
 Come see what fun stories, crafts and activities Miss Dominique has planned for you! Registration begins Monday, October 27th.

FRIDAY OPEN PLAY

Ages 2 years - Not yet in Kindergarten CMJ909
Fridays, November 7th and 21st at 10:30 am
Friday, December 12th at 10:30 am
 Come down to the library and see what fun we will have for you! Cars and Trucks? Blocks? Sensory Bins? You'll have to be here to find out! No registration required.



TUNEY TOTS

Ages 2 years - Not yet in Kindergarten CMJ321
Wednesday, November 12th at 10:00 am or 11:00 am and/
or Wednesday, December 10th at 10:00 am or 11:00 am
 Join us for this high energy music & movement program using lots of colorful props with little ones favorite tunes while learning about colors, numbers, shapes, body awareness, and more! Registration begins Monday, November 3rd.

STORYTIME

Ages 2- Not yet in Kindergarten CMJ087
Friday, November 14th at 10:30 am and/or
Fridays, December 5th and 19th at 10:30 am
 Join us for 30 minutes of songs, stories, activities and flannel board fun! Open to all; no registration required!

SENSORY SATURDAY

Ages 18 Months- Not yet in Kindergarten CMJ211
Saturday, November 15th and/or Saturday, December 20th
at 11:00 am
 Sensory play offers a fun, natural way for kids to discover and explore their world. Children will have a great time using all their senses in this unstructured program. Dress for mess. These activities require close adult supervision by parent or guardian. No registration required!

BABIES BOOGIE

Ages Birth- 17 Months CMJ260
Thursdays, December 4th, 11th, and 18th at 9:45 am

OR

TODDLERS TANGO

Ages 18 months-not yet in Kindergarten CMJ261
Thursdays, December 4th, 11th, and 18th at 10:45 or 11:45 am
 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 Monday, November 24th.

PRESCHOOL WINTER CRAFT

Ages 3- Not yet in Kindergarten CMJ102
Tuesday, December 9th at 1:00 pm
 The weather outside may be frightful, but this craft is so delightful! Registration begins Monday, December 1st.

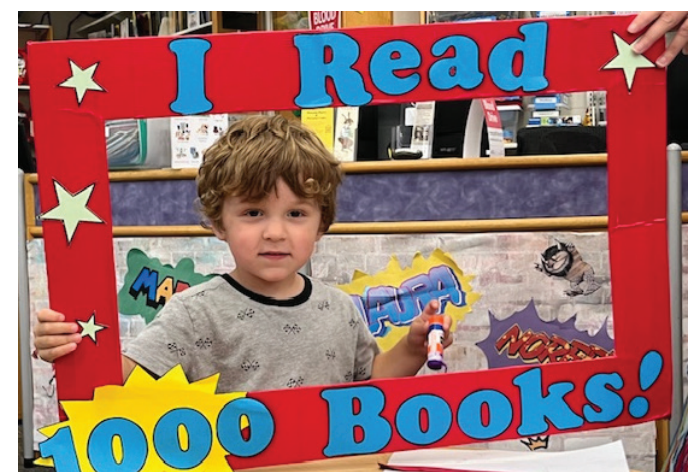
GROWNUP AND ME WITH MISS CECILIA!

Ages Birth- 18 Months CMJ189
Saturday, December 13th at 10:30 am
 Join Miss Cecilia at the library for songs, rhymes, and free play for our littlest library users! Meet other families in the community while enjoying time with your child in this casual introduction to classic library fun. Registration Begins Monday, December 1st.

LOOK WHO READ 1000 BOOKS! CONGRATULATIONS!



James K.



Peter S.



Layla V.



Aurora M.

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Childrens' Programs

School-Age Programs: unless otherwise noted, children enter the Activity Room independently.

Children registered for school age programs enter the activity room on their own! In alignment with the Center Moriches School District, children must turn 5 before December 1, 2025 to attend School Age Programs.



500 BOOKS BEFORE MIDDLE SCHOOL- GRADES K-5TH

500 Books Before Middle School is a nationwide reading program for elementary school kids in kindergarten to 5th grade. The goal is to complete 500 books before entering 6th grade, earning prizes along the way! See a children's librarian for more information!

SCHOOL AGE KIDNASTICS

Grades K- 2nd **CMJ805**
Tuesdays, November 4th, 18th, 25th, and December 2nd at 5:00 pm
Join Miss Gail for four weeks of fun and educational Kidnastics classes! Registration begins Monday, October 27th.

LEGO BUILDERS CLUB

Grades K- 6th **CMJ700**
Wednesday, November 5th at 6:00 pm and/or Wednesday, December 3rd at 6:00 pm
Join us for this 45-minute free play Lego workshop and create an awesome structure using your imagination or one of our Lego building guides! Register for either session a week before.

MAKE YOUR OWN JUNK JOURNAL

Grades K - 6th **CMJ310**
Saturday, November 8th at 1:00 pm
What is a junk journal? It's a unique project made with craft supplies, recycled paper, and other found materials. Use it for an everyday journal, a memory book, or art journal. Theresa from the Silhouette Spot is here to show you how to make your own! Registration begins Monday, October 27th.

PAWS TO READ!

Grades K - 6th **CMJ806**
Wednesday, November 12th at 6:00 pm* OR Wednesday, December 10th at 6:00 pm*
Want to practice your reading skills? These pups LOVE to be read to! Bring your own book or choose one here at the library. *15-minute time slot will be assigned once registered* **Please register for only ONE date** Registration begins Monday, November 3rd.

CREATE! WITH MISS CECI- POINTILLISM PUMPKINS

Grades K-6th **CMJ080**
Thursday, November 13th at 5:30 pm
Join Miss Cecilia at the library to explore the colorful world of pointillism—a painting technique using tiny dots to create big, beautiful pictures. Kids will design their very own pumpkin-themed masterpiece, perfect for fall decorations. Registration begins Monday, November 3rd.

YOGA

Grades K - 6th **CMJ600**
Mondays, November 17th, 24th and December 1st at 6:00 pm
Join us for 3 weeks of fun and exciting yoga classes where you will learn breathing techniques and basic yoga poses as well as ways to promote a calm body! Please bring a mat and wear comfortable clothing. Registration begins Monday, November 10th.

THANKSGIVING CRAFT

Grades K - 6th **CMJ451**
Wednesday, November 19th at 5:30 pm
Don't feel like a turkey by missing out on this fun seasonal craft! Registration begins Monday, November 10th.

CROCHET A CREATURE- PENGUIN PAL

Grades 4th - 6th **CMJ205**
Tuesdays, December 2nd and 9th at 5:30 pm
Join Miss Noelle for this 2 week program where you will learn how to crochet an adorable penguin of your very own. Registration begins Monday, November 24th.

CREATE! WITH MISS CECI- WHIMSICAL WINTER VILLAGE

Grades K-6th **CMJ080**
Thursday, December 11th at 5:30 pm
Join Miss Cecilia and get into the winter spirit by creating a winter village wonderland! Using a variety of materials, kids will design snowy cottages, trees, and other wintry details to bring their miniature village to life. Registration begins Monday, December 1st.



HOT COCOA MUGS

Grades 3rd - 6th **CMJ185**
Wednesday, December 17th at 5:30 pm

Escape the winter chill by coming to the library to design your own personalized mug. Warm up with a cup of hot cocoa and create a

special gift for you and a friend! Registration begins Monday, December 15th.

HOLIDAY CANDY ART

Grades 3rd - 6th **CMJ338**
Tuesday, December 23rd at 5:00 pm
Design Holiday-themed art like snowmen, gingerbread houses and more using candy to win prizes. *This program may not be suitable for children with food allergies.

PROGRAM ATTENDANCE

In order to maximize attendance and offer as many CMFPL children as possible the opportunity to enjoy library programs:

- Please arrive on time for your child's program.
- If you are more than ten minutes late, your child's place may be given to someone waiting. Your place will be held if you call us to tell us you will be late.
- Unregistered children will be admitted as space permits, on a first come first served basis, with priority being given to CMFPL cardholders.

Family Programs

Family Programs are for children and their grownups! Children need an adult with them to attend family programs. Unless otherwise indicated, please register each child attending.

TAKE HOME CRAFT*

Starting the first week of each month, stop by the Children's Reference Desk, show your library card and we'll give you a craft to take home and make. One craft per child please. *While Supplies Last.

CHARLIE BROWN THANKSGIVING*

Ages 4 years-6th Grade with a Parent **CMJ769**
Thursday, November 20th at 5:00 pm
Come join us as we watch the movie Charlie Brown's Thanksgiving followed by BINGO and snacks- Charlie Brown style! *This program may not be suitable for children with food allergies. Registration begins on Monday, November 10th.



FUN FRIDAYS!

Ages 3 years-6th Grade **CMZ188**
Fridays, November 28th at 11:00 am - 1:00 pm and/or Friday December 26th at 11:00 am - 1:00 pm
Drop in and see what's happening in the Children's Activity Room. Crafts! Games! Fun! Open to all; no registration required.

FAMILY GINGERBREAD HOUSES

Ages 3 years- 6th grade **CMJ746**
Saturday, December 13th at 1:00 pm
Bring your family down the library to build and decorate your very own gingerbread house! Materials will be provided; all you need is your imagination. *This program may not be suitable for people with food allergies. PLEASE REGISTER ONCE FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY. Registration begins Monday, December 1st.



WINTER HOLIDAY FAMILY BINGO!

Children Ages 3 years - 6th Grade **CMJ929**
Monday, December 22nd at 2:00 pm
Warm up with everyone's favorite game, BINGO! Registration begins Monday, December 15th.

FAMILY MARBLE RUN MANIA

Ages 3 years - 6th Grade **CMJ298**
Monday, December 29th at 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Working together or independently, have fun making mazes with our collection of marble runner sets. No registration required!

NOON YEAR'S EVE

Ages 3 years - 6th Grade **CMJ024**
Monday, December 30th at 11:00 am
Join us and have a rocking and rolling good time as we close out 2025 and get ready to say hello to 2026! Registration begins Monday, December 22nd.

INDOOR SNOWBALL FIGHT!


Children Ages 4 years - 6th Grade **CMJ093**
Friday, January 2nd 11:00 am or 12:30 pm
It's a snow day! Inside the library...? Join us for some indoor snowball fun (no coats or mittens needed!). Registration begins Monday, December 22nd.



DESIGN A CALENDAR

Ages 3 Years - 6th Grade **CMJ880**
Saturday, January 3rd at 11:00 am - 1:00 pm
Ring in the New Year with a calendar that you design! Markers, stickers, crayons and other embellishments will be provided. All you need is your imagination. No registration required.

November 2025

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Friends of the Library

Bus Trips

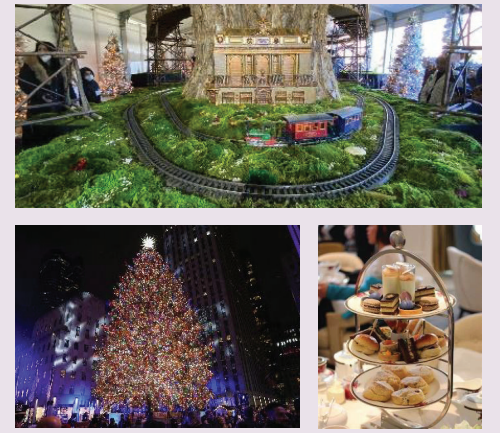


Join the Friends on Thursday, December 4, 2025 for a trip to the New York Botanical Gardens with a Victorian tea, and a guided walking tour of the holiday train exhibit. Then see the iconic NYC Christmas lights on a tour including: the Rockefeller Center Christmas tree.

Cost: \$155.00 per person – includes luxury round trip coach transportation and all gratuities.

Registration for this trip ends on November 1, 2025

Please contact Lillian Grabowski at foltrips@gmail.com if you have any questions.



The Maurine Rose and Carroll Gerard Donnelly Scholarship

The Friends of the Library invite you to donate to our scholarship to support the high school seniors of 2025.

Please make checks payable to
The Friends of the Library Scholarship Fund and mail to:
The Friends of the Library Scholarship Fund,
P.O. Box 704, Center Moriches, New York 11934.
Your donation is greatly appreciated.



The Friends of the Library would like to wish everyone a Happy Holiday Season.

MEET THE BOOKWORMS

The Book Worms will meet on Friday November 7th and Friday, December 5th both dates at 11:00 am.

MEET THE PAGE TURNERS

The Page Turners will meet on Tuesday, November 18th and Tuesday, December 16th both dates at 11:00 am.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY WEEK

The Friends of the Library would like to thank all the patrons who came out and attended our sponsored programs for this very special week. We had pumpkin decorating for the children, teens and Expanding Horizons plus a special spider plant craft class for the adults. We are proud to be able to sponsor these fun programs through your support. Being a member of the FRIENDS brings educational and fun events to the library which serves our communities. Looking forward to next year's events.



WATCH OUT FOR OUR 2 DAY JEWELRY SALE

The FOL Jewelry sale will be on Friday, November 14th from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm and Saturday, November 15th from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm.

raffle!

December is Membership Campaign Month!

raffle!

Whether you join for the first time or renew your annual membership, fill out the application below, send it in, and you may win some **GREAT PRIZES** during this campaign month!



THRIFT SHELVES:

The Friends of the Library need YOUR help. The current members that take care of the thrift shelves are retiring at the end of 2025. We need at least 5 members to step up and volunteer to:

- Empty the donation bin outside
- Refill and straighten the shelves upstairs
- Run the book sales
- Decorate the top shelves in our thrift area

If you are interested, please come to our monthly meetings and let your interest be known. Someone will meet with you and show you how the thrift shelves operate.



The Friends of the Library closed their Book Donation Bin until further notice. There is no more capacity in the basement to collect any more materials.

thanks
FOR YOUR SUPPORT

THE FRIENDS' MONDAY AFTERNOON AT THE LIBRARY

Each Monday at 1:00 pm, join this informal gathering to play Mahjong, Rummikub, Checkers, Mexican Train Dominoes and other board games in the community room. The Friends have purchased more Mahjong and Rummikub games to enjoy! **All are welcome.**

The Friends of the Library will hold their November meeting on Wednesday, November 12th at 10:00 am. There will be no meeting in December.



FOL Membership Donation Application

Become a Friend by sending your membership donation and this form to:
Friends of the CM Library, PO Box 704, Center Moriches, NY 11934 **OR** drop your envelope in the FOL box next to the Thrift Shelves
(Cash or checks. Make checks payable to Friends of the CM Library and mark "Attn: Membership" on the envelope.)

CHECK ONE: \$10 INDIVIDUAL (annual) \$25 FAMILY OR BUSINESS (annual) \$100 INDIVIDUAL (lifetime) \$125 FAMILY OR BUSINESS (lifetime)

Name: _____ Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____ Date: _____

Send in your new or renewed membership application today for a chance to win a great prize in our quarterly membership raffle!

visit us at www.centermoricheslibrary.org/fol

Dedications in Memory of . . .

Christian Gabriyel Feliciano

A Kids' Guide to the National Baseball Hall of Fame:
The Greatest Players from Hank Aaron to Derek Jeter to Cy Young
Donated by Patricia DiBella & Julio Casiano

Bobby (Fergi) Ferguson

The Ultimate Guide to Houseplant Propagation: Step-by-Step
Techniques for Making More Houseplants . . . for Free!
Donated by Lisa, Greg, Chris, and Emily

Colin Francis

Pete the Cat's Cool New Ride
Donated by Eastport Elementary Sunshine Club

Andrew Gutowski

Idylls of the King: Tennyson's Poetical Work
Embarks on an Epic Journey through Arthurian Legend
Donated by Dee Fabian

Jean M. Ryan

A Collection of 25 Wonderbooks for Children
Donated by Jim Ryan & Jennifer Tishler

Go Forth and Tell: The Life of
Augusta Baker, Librarian and Master Storyteller
Outside In: An Inspirational Journey Through the
Wonders of the Natural World for Young Readers
Vacation: Three-and-a-Half Stories
We Are Definitely Human
Donated by John and Deb Cannarella



Jean M. Ryan
Storytime Backpack kit, containing:
The Jacket I Wear in the Snow &
The Little Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly
Donated by Jean Bregy

Magnolia Wu Unfolds It All
Sleep Like a Tiger
Donated by Sally Eickelmann

Animal Migrations (Wonderbook)
First Kid on Mars (Wonderbook)
Donated by Garrick and Heidi Goold

Storytime Backpack kit, containing:
Chicka Chicka Boom Boom &
If You Give a Mouse a Cookie
Donated by Patricia and John Hauser

Barnaby Unboxed!
Desert Song
Donated by Maureen Hogan

Storytime Backpack kit, containing:
Pete the Cat: I Love My White Shoes &
Pete the Cat: Rocking in My School Shoes
Donated by Marcie Litjens

Home in a Lunchbox
Touch the Sky
Donated by Gloria Loper

Storytime Backpack kit, containing:
Polar Bear, Polar Bear What Do You Hear?
& The Very Hungry Caterpillar
Donated by John and Nan Peel

Jean M. Ryan
Storytime Backpack kit, containing:
Go Away Big Green Monster
& Strictly No Elephants
Donated by Bill and Betty Tishler

Storytime Backpack kit, containing:
No David & The Napping House
Donated by The Library Board of Trustees

Storytime Backpack kits, containing:
Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?
& Theo's Mood
Fill a Bucket & Fry Bread
Donated by the Wittreich Family

Dedications in Honor of . . .

Celebrating the Birthday of Susan Semerade

Wild Asana: Animals, Yoga, and Connecting
Our Practice to the Natural World
Yoga Animals: 32 Poses from the Wild
Donated by Maureen and Ralph Schneider

To make a dedication, pick up one of our Dedication forms at the Library's
Circulation Desk (or call the Library at 631-878-0940, extension 4, to have one
mailed or faxed to you). Your donation will be applied towards the purchase of
a new library book representing the life and interests of the person whom you
are remembering in this very special way.

Adult Programs (continued from page 2)

OCEAN ORNAMENTS

Join Melissa from MD Studio for
this "holiday on the beach" craft as
you make a set of ocean-themed
ornaments that's fun and easy using
beautiful sea glass!



IN-PERSON (Choose one date) CMA093
Monday, November 10th from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm OR
Monday, November 17th from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
This program will also be presented as a recorded program.
Please register for only one class. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

TAKE AND MAKE

Pickup starts on Tuesday, November 18th CMZ882
This program will be presented as an in-person program at the
library. Please register for only one class. You will be contacted
when kits are ready for pickup. This is a pre-recorded class, and
the recording will be sent out on November 18th. Please note
that the library will hold your kit for 7 days after notification.
**If not picked up on the 7th day, your kit will be given to a
person on the waitlist. CMOR Cardholders only.**

ADULT LEGO CLUB

Wednesday, November 12th 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm CMA210
Wednesday, December 17th 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Unlock your inner child and join us for a casual LEGO night! We
will provide the LEGOs and creative ideas, so all you have to do
is bring yourself! Light refreshments will be served. **All Suffolk
County Cardholders are welcome, but please register.**

EVENING IMPROV FOR FUN

(attend all 4 dates) **Thursdays, November 13th, 20th,**
skipping November 27th, resuming December 4th, and
11th from 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm CMA976

No that is not a typo...Improv is a fun and interactive experience
that takes us out of our daily routine and relieves stress
through laughter. Improv is the art of performing without any
preparation and without using a script. Sounds scary, right?
Well, it might be if you were doing it all by yourself. However,
you are not alone. Everyone in class will be given a chance
to participate in theater games and improv scenes based on
suggestions taken from the group that are acted out by 2-4
group members at a time. There are no mistakes; the goal is to
have a laugh and enjoy the moment. So, sign up today and take
a step out of your comfort zone into a world of fun.
CMOR Cardholders only, class size is limited.

ADULT AFTERNOON BINGO

Friday, November 14th from 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Friday, December 12th from 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm CMA211
Come on down to the library for a fun afternoon of BINGO and
see if you're lucky enough to win one of our fun prizes!

UPCYCLED BOOK PAGE WREATHS

Saturday, November 15th at 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm CMA094
Join Michelle to make this beautiful book wreath for the holiday
season with upcycled pages! Class size is limited.
CMOR Cardholders only.

CHEF ROB LIVE! THANKSGIVING GLAZED ORANGE CRANBERRY SCONES

(Choose one time)
Wednesday, November 19th from 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm
OR 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm CMA095
This is a hands-on class where you will be making your own
scones that will be ready to take home and bake. Patrons will
need to bring a large bowl, a medium bowl, whisk, box grater,
baking sheet, and a small container with a lid.
CMOR Cardholders only.

HOLIDAY WREATH WITH DIANA

Join Diana C. from Deverlastings for this popular holiday craft
virtually or in-person. You will be given a kit to follow along
with Diana as she shows you how to create a beautiful wreath
for your house, door, or to give as a gift. Please choose either an
In-Person class or the Kit with Recording.

IN-PERSON (Choose one date) CMA116
Monday, November 24th from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm OR
Monday, November 24th from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm OR
Sunday, December 7th from 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
This class will also be presented as a Kit with Recording. (not
Zoom) *DUE TO ANTICIPATED DEMAND, ONLY ONE CRAFT PER
HOUSEHOLD* **CMOR Cardholders only.**

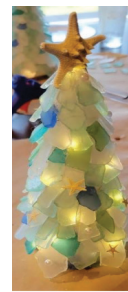
KIT WITH RECORDING CMZ743
Recording will be made available on December 7th after
4:00 pm
The class will be presented also as an in-person program in
the library. You will be notified when kits are available for
pickup. *DUE TO ANTICIPATED DEMAND, ONLY ONE CRAFT PER
HOUSEHOLD* **Please note that the library will hold your kit**
for 7 days after notification. If not picked up on the 7th day,
your kit will be given to a person on the waitlist.
CMOR Cardholders only.

GRAB AND GO: HOLIDAY COFFEE CAKE MUFFINS WITH A STREUSEL TOPPING

(Pickup begins on December 1st) CMZ883
Pick all the dry ingredients you need to make this delicious
coffee cake with holiday flavors in muffin tins which is easy to
make, share, and clean up! **Please note that the library will**
hold your kit for 7 days after notification. If not picked up
on the 7th day, your kit will be given to a person on the
waitlist. CMOR Cardholders only.

SEAGLASS TREE

(Choose one date) CMA096
Monday, December 1st from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Tuesday, December 2nd from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Wednesday, December 3rd from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Thursday, December 4th from 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm
Join Teresa from the Silhouette Spot and create a
sparkling glass tree by using sea glass and glue and
finished off with fairy light and a star fish topper.
CMOR Cardholders only.



OH DEER! SHADOWBOX

Join Melissa from MD Studio for this fun and stress-free way to
unwind while making this charming deer complete with bell
and bow!

IN-PERSON CMA097
Friday, December 5th from 2:00 pm-3:30 pm
This program will also be presented as a recorded program.
Please register for only one class. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

GRAB AND GO CMZ884
Recording will be sent on or about December 5th
This program will also be presented as an in-person program
at the library. Please register for only one class. This is a pre-
recorded classes; the recording will be sent out on or about
December 5th. **Please note that the library will hold your**
kit for 7 days after notification. If not picked up on the 7th
day, your kit will be given to a person on the waitlist. CMOR
Cardholders only.

POETRY CLUB

Friday, December 5th at 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm CMA213
Join Shannon for a casual poetry club. This month's theme is
solitude and reflection! No preparation is needed but feel free
to bring in original poetry or any reading materials. **All Suffolk
County Cardholders are welcome, but please register.**

HOBBY HANGOUT

Saturday, December 6th 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm CMA212
Are you looking to try a new hobby or want to work on your
own project around like-minded people? Come down to the
library and hang out! No talent required; supplies and light
refreshments will be offered. **CMOR Cardholders only.**

WRAP PARTY! HOLIDAY GIFT WRAPPING

(Choose one time) CMA151
Monday, December 8 from 10:00 am – 11:30 am OR
Monday, December 8 from 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm OR
Monday, December 8 from 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm OR
Monday, December 8 from 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm OR
Monday, December 8 from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Holiday time can be stressful, but wrapping presents shouldn't
be! Bring your unwrapped gifts to the library and use our
supplied giftwrap, tape, and ribbon to cover the holiday
presents! Class size is limited. **CMOR Cardholders only.** *Due to
anticipated demand, only one registration per household. Limit
of 10 gifts to wrap per person, please no extra-large boxes.

BEEF RAGU & POLENTA WITH CHEF CHERYL

(Choose one date) CMA098
Monday, December 8th from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm OR
Tuesday, December 9th from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Join Chef Cheryl and try this comforting dish consisting of filling
beef sauce covering a delicious creamy polenta you will enjoy
again and again! **CMOR Cardholders only.**

PAPER POINTSETTIAS

(Choose one time) **Tuesday, December 16th from 2:00 pm –**
3:30 pm OR 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm CMA099
Join Paper artist Casey C and create your own crepe poinsettia
flower(s) that will be sure to last long after the holiday season!
CMOR Cardholders only.

EXPANDING HORIZONS

These programs are designed to be easily adaptable for adults
accompanied by their aide/caregivers. All Suffolk County cardholders
are welcome. Registration begins on Friday, August 29th at 9:00 am.
To register please call: 631-878-0940 ext. 6.

PAPER HEDGEHOG

Friday, November 7th at 10:30 am
Listen to a story while you use colored paper to create an adorable
hedgehog. Registration begins on Friday, October 24th.

HOLIDAY ORNAMENTS

Friday, December 12th at 10:30 am
Listen to a story and decorate an ornament to use for the holiday
season. Registration begins on Friday, October 24th.

BINGO

Monday, November 24th at 10:30 am
Monday, December 22nd at 10:30 am
Join Miss Laura for a slower paced version of Bingo where all
participants are winners. Registration begins on Friday, October
24th.

