



# COMSEWOGUE PUBLIC LIBRARY

## SUMMER 2024

# ADVENTURE *BEGINS AT YOUR* LIBRARY™

### SUMMER KICK OFF

Saturday, June 1, 2 – 4 PM

Special event for the whole family.

Prizes, crafts, games, farm animals, and more!

*Registration not required.*

### SUMMER READING CLUB

Children, Teens and Adults

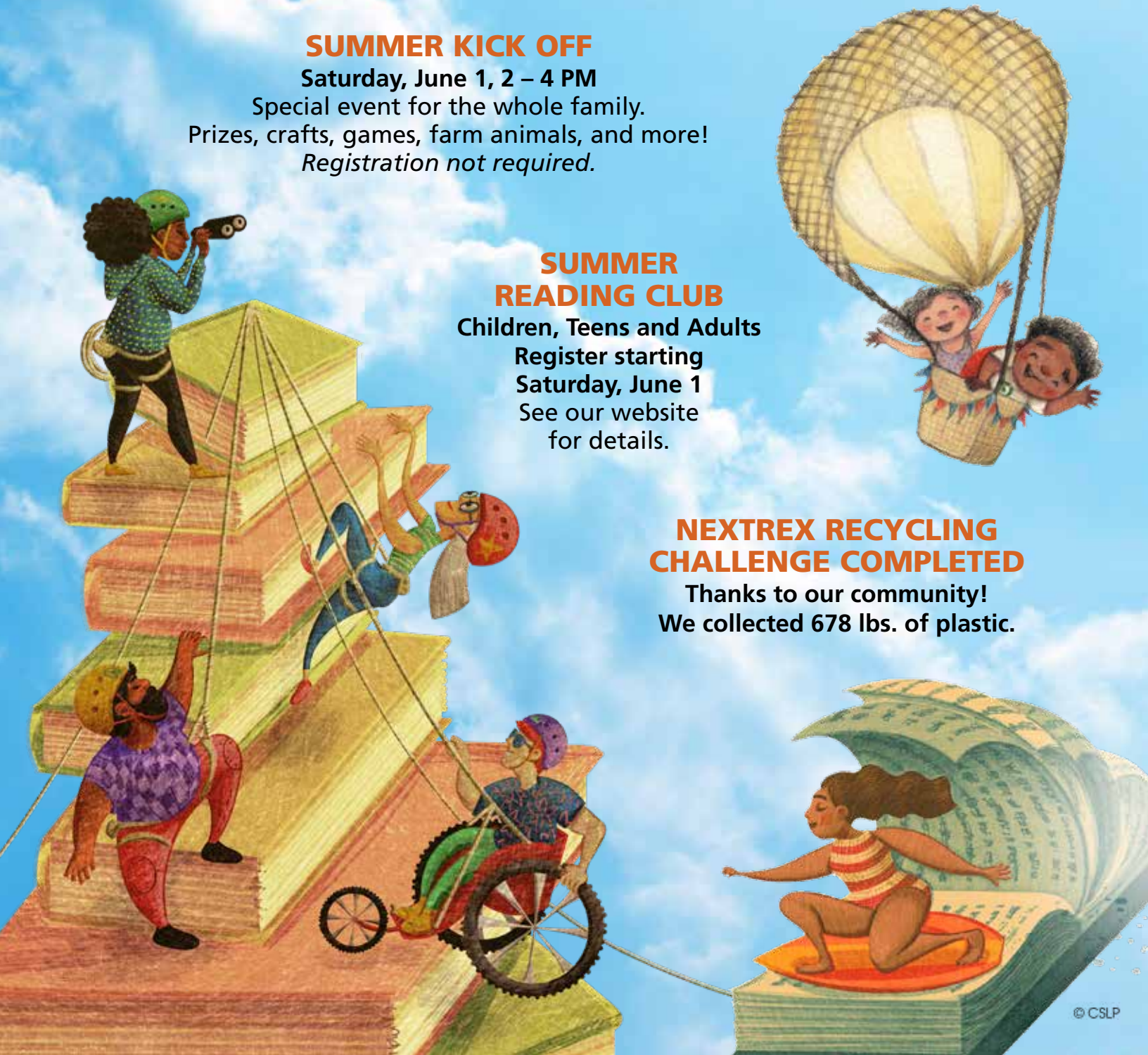
Register starting

Saturday, June 1

See our website  
for details.

### NEXTREX RECYCLING CHALLENGE COMPLETED

Thanks to our community!  
We collected 678 lbs. of plastic.








# Adult Programs



## Program Registration – Quick Facts

- Registration begins at 9:30 AM on the date noted for each program -- online, by phone or in-person. If calling choose option 3 for Adult Services and have your Comsewogue Library card available.
- Comsewogue Library members may bring **one guest** where indicated.
- The **general public** may register for programs one week after registration has opened, based on availability.

 = Food will be served that may contain allergens.  = Beverages will be provided.  = Fee is due upon registration.


## PAYMENT INFORMATION

- Payment is **non-refundable** and must be made **within three days of your registration**. Failure to do so will cancel your registration.
- Pay with a MasterCard, Visa, or Discover credit card during online registration **or**
- Pay with any credit card (including Amex) at the Circulation Desk for program fees of \$5 or more **or**
- Pay with check or cash at the Circulation Desk. Checks should be made payable to the Comsewogue Public Library. We cannot accept \$100 bills.

Please arrive on time. If you arrive late, your spot may not be held. Please be courteous by cancelling your spot in advance if you cannot attend. Please stay home if you do not feel well.

## IN-PERSON OR ONLINE?

 Program is on Facebook. You do not need a Facebook account to view these classes. Links to all videos will be posted on our website following the program. To join visit [www.facebook.com/ComsewoguePublicLibrary](https://www.facebook.com/ComsewoguePublicLibrary)

 Program is on Zoom. The link to join will be e-mailed to you on the date of the program. Or visit [www.cplib.org/ZoomByPhone](https://www.cplib.org/ZoomByPhone) for a current list of numbers to join by phone.

Visit [www.cplib.org/a-programming](https://www.cplib.org/a-programming) for links to previous sessions that have been recorded.




### Adult Summer Reading Club CWA801

1. Register online, by phone or in-person starting June 1. Everyone receives a participation gift just for signing up!
2. Read or listen to three books of your choice and fill out our online recommendation form by August 9 to earn 3 raffle tickets and a bingo card.
3. Complete 5 out of 10 activities on the bingo card to receive 5 more raffle tickets.

**Enter your raffle tickets for prizes before our raffle on August 16 (you do not need to be present to win).**

## TRIPS

**Long Island Ducks Game CWA203**   
Saturday, July 27, 6:35 PM (gates open 5:35 PM)  
Register starting Tuesday, April 30 and ending Friday, May 31 at 5 PM.

**Cost \$14 per ticket (FREE entrance for children under 3; transportation is on your own)**

Enjoy a night out at the ballpark with fireworks after the game! Participants will be notified when tickets are ready for pickup at the library. *Limit 4 tickets per library card.*



**Bus Trip: Woodlawn Cemetery Trolley Tour CWA216** 

Wednesday, September 25

9 AM departure

Register starting Tuesday, June 4 and ending Friday, July 5 at 5 PM.

**Cost \$195 (includes tour, transportation, lunch, and gratuities)**


Travel with Hampton Jitney to enjoy a sumptuous luncheon at City Island Lobster House, followed by a 45-minute trolley tour of one of America's most historically significant properties. *Tour will be both on and off the trolley. **Guests welcome.***





## BOOK DISCUSSIONS

**Open to all.**

 = A copy of the book will be available at the time of registration for Comsewogue members.

### Beach Read Book Club

**CWA800**

Wednesday, July 24

7 – 8:30 PM

Register starting

June 25.

Join us to discuss

**Bad Summer People**

by Emma Rosenblum.



## COMPUTER CLASSES

### Cool Apps For iPad or iPhone CWA109

Thursday, June 20, 2 – 4 PM

Register starting June 3.

Learn how to use apps that will make you more productive on your Apple device. *Bring your iPad or iPhone and your Apple ID and password.* **Guests welcome.**



### eBooks Made Easy CWA105

Monday, June 24, 2 – 3:30 PM **or** 7 – 8:30 PM

Register starting June 10.

Drop-in anytime for a tutorial on downloading eBooks and eAudiobooks in this hands-on class. *Bring your device and passwords.*

### Online Job Search CWA118

Thursday, July 11, 7 – 9 PM

Register starting June 25.

Learn how to search for employment opportunities with online job sites, complete online applications, and more.

### Create, Format & Email Your Resumé CWA119

Tuesday, July 30, 7 – 9 PM

Register starting July 15.

Learn how to use MS Word to create, style, and format a resumé, as well as how to email or upload your document. Hands-on class.



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## CRAFTS

### Calming Art Club CWA608

Tuesday, June 11 **or** Tuesday, July 9 **or**

Wednesday, August 21, 2 – 3 PM

Register starting May 28.

Choose from different mediums to create your work of art in a laid-back environment with Kristen Duer. **Open to all.**

**Sensory-Friendly**

### Fourth of July Garland CWA616

Tuesday, June 18

4 – 5 PM **or** 7 – 8 PM

Register starting

June 3.

**Cost \$5 for materials**

Create a patriotic-themed garland using decorative fabric with Theresa Maritato.



### Sand & Seashell Sunflower CWA618

Wednesday, July 3

2 – 4 PM **or** 6 – 8 PM

Register starting June 17.

**Cost \$10 for materials**

Bring the beach home by creating a magical seashell blossom using shells and air-dry self-hardening sand with artist Anna Chan.



### Beaded Charm Bracelet CWA620

Wednesday, August 7, 2 – 3:30 PM **or**

Wednesday, August 14, 7 – 8:30 PM

Register starting July 22.


**Cost \$5 for materials**

Create your own adventure-themed bracelet using wire, charms, and beads with jewelry artist Marlena Konas.



## CULINARY

### KIT Rainbow Sprinkle Cookies CWA606

Available starting June 3   
Registration currently taking place.

Cost \$5 per kit

Make edible cookie dough, bake fresh cookies – or both! Kits include all pre-measured ingredients, just add water and butter.  
*Limited to Comsewogue members.*



### Sensational Summer Smoothies CWA626

Wednesday, June 12

2 – 3 PM **or** 7 – 8 PM

Register starting May 28.

Learn how to make nutritious and oh-so-delicious smoothies using amazing superfoods in this demo class by Chef Rob Dell'Amore.



### Quick Healthy Meals CWA628

Tuesday, July 2, 4 – 5 PM **or** 7 – 8 PM

Register starting June 17.

Eat healthy on any budget! Learn how with Cornell Cooperative nutrition educator Melek Baba in this demo class. **Open to all.**



### Summer Salads CWA630

Monday, August 26, 4 – 5 PM **or** 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Register starting August 12.

Sample vegetarian Italian chopped salad with Provolone and chickpeas along with a tomato Feta-Fusilli salad with freshly-grated Parmesan in this demo class by Chef Rob Scott.



## DRIVING CLASSES

### AARP Smart Driver Course CWA200

Wednesday, June 12 & Thursday, June 13

10 AM – 1:15 PM **or**

Monday, July 15 & Tuesday, July 16

10 AM – 1:15 PM **or**

Wednesday, August 21 & Thursday, August 22

10 AM – 1:15 PM

Register starting May 29.

Designed for adults 50 and older. Certificate of completion will be mailed and can be presented to your insurance agent for a possible reduction in points or premium. *Bring your driver's license and a non-refundable \$30 check or money order made payable to AARP. Present your AARP membership card for a reduced rate of \$25. **Open to all. You must attend both sessions.***

### Defensive Driving CWA201

Saturday, June 15, 9:45 AM – 4:30 PM **or**

Saturday, July 20, 9:45 AM – 4:30 PM **or**

Tuesday, August 20 & Wednesday, August 21, 6 – 9 PM

Register starting May 29.

Certificate of completion will be mailed; present to your insurance agent for a possible reduction in points or premium. *Bring cash or a non-refundable \$35 check or money order payable to Siegel Consulting. **For the two-session program dates, you must attend both sessions.***

### Pre-Licensing Course CWA601

Saturday, August 24, 10 AM – 3 PM

Registration currently taking place.

**Adults and students with a New York State Learner Permit**

This NYS required class enables a permit holder to schedule a road test. *Bring your learner permit and a non-refundable \$60 cash. **Open to all.***

## FILMS

*Open to all. Guests welcome. Film titles are subject to change. Registration required.*

### Everyday Matinees CWA702

**ONE LIFE** (PG-13) 109 min.

Tuesday, June 4, 2 PM

**DUNE: PART TWO**

(PG-13) 166 min.

Thursday, June 27, 2 PM

**AMERICAN FICTION**

(R) 117 min.

Wednesday, July 17, 2 PM

**THE BOYS IN THE BOAT**

(PG-13) 123 min.

Tuesday, August 6, 2 PM

Registration currently taking place.



**Sensory-Friendly Films** Is your organization looking for a sensory-friendly day outing? Contact Adult Services to ask about scheduling a movie showing from our available titles with lights slightly turned up and sound slightly turned down.



## GENERAL INTEREST

### ONLINE New English Speakers Friendly Conversation Group



Tuesdays in June and August, 12:30 – 1:30 PM

[www.cplib.org/english](http://www.cplib.org/english)

A tutor from Literacy Suffolk will help you practice English with other new speakers. **Open to all.**

### Book Swap

Monday, June 3, 2 – 3 PM **or** 7 – 8 PM

Registration not required.

Come to the Library to swap out one or two of your owned books and find a few books to take home that are new to you. *Books must be clean and in good condition.* **Open to all.**

### Mah-Jongg & More

Fridays, June 7, July 5 & August 2, 1 – 4 PM ☕

Registration not required.

Drop by the library to play table games including cards, chess, checkers, or Mah-Jongg. Equipment available first come, first served. **Open to all.**

### Annual Plant Swap CWA602

Monday, June 10, 7 – 9 PM

Register starting May 28.

Share labeled seedlings, cuttings, perennials, and/or small shrubs in pots or plastic bags, and identify your treasures with Carolyn Kunz Zambraski. *Bring a box for transport.*



### ONLINE Music, Movies & More Trivia CWA813

Tuesday, June 11

Register starting Saturday, June 8 and ending Monday, June 10 at 9 PM.

**Play monthly! [bit.ly/OnlineTrivia](http://bit.ly/OnlineTrivia)**

Work with your team at home to answer questions. All teams will be entered to win an Amazon gift card regardless of score. *You must have a valid e-mail to play.* **Open to all.**

Win A Gift Card!

### Knit & Crochet

Fridays, June 14, July 12 & August 9  
2 – 4 PM ☕

Registration not required.

Bring your current project to work on and chat with others in a relaxed setting. **Open to all.**



### Community Dance Workshop CWA793

Saturday, June 22, 1 – 2:30 PM

Register starting June 3.

Explore community and connection through guided movement with dance educator Jacqueline Lynch. No dance experience necessary! *Wear sneakers and comfortable clothing.* **Open to all.**

### Adventure Begins!

#### Your Immigrant Ancestors in America CWA926

Tuesday, June 25, 7 – 8:30 PM

Register starting June 10.

Learn about the experience of the 1850-1920 European immigrants and the paper trails they left behind with genealogist Sarah Gutmann. **Guests welcome.**

### Write This Way CWA808

Fridays, June 28, July 19 & August 23, 2 – 4 PM

Registration currently taking place.

Join Anne Kelly Edmunds for inspiring 'Story Sparks,' group discussion, and feedback to guide you as a writer. *Bring a notebook and pen.*

### Learn Mah-Jongg CWA815

Fridays, July 5, 12, 19 & 26, 10 AM – 12 Noon

Register starting June 18.

Join instructor Fran Navaretta to learn the basics of the game of Mah-Jongg. *Participants must purchase a 2024 Mah Jongg Card. See Adult Services for ordering information.* **Attend all sessions.**



### Acting 101 CWA770

Saturdays, July 13, 20 & 27, 2 – 3 PM

Register starting June 25.

Have you always dreamed of performing? Learn the basics of scene work, improvisation, and monologue skills with theater and film student Melissa Levine. **Attend any or all sessions.**

### OUTDOOR Drum Circle CWA781

Thursday, July 25, 7 – 8 PM

(Rain date August 8)

Register starting July 8.

Play percussion instruments from around the world and learn to communicate through rhythm with Michael Rodgers. No experience necessary! **Guests welcome.**



### Community Conversation Circle CWA425 ☕

Friday, July 26, 2 – 3:30 PM

Register starting July 8.

Enjoy light refreshments and face-to-face conversation guided by facilitator Sanford Hinden. **Guests welcome.**

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## GENERAL INTEREST

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### Adventure Trivia CWA823

Thursday, August 8, 4 – 5 PM or 7 – 8 PM  
Register starting July 22.

Test your knowledge of music, movies, history and more with a chance to win prizes with Theresa Maritato. **Guests welcome.**



### Generational Ukulele Jam CWA564

Mondays, August 19 & 26, 2 – 3:30 PM  
Register starting July 24.

**Adults and Teens (Teens register under CWYA564)**  
Learn and perform classic songs that appeal to all generations, fostering connections and musical collaboration. No experience necessary!

## HEALTH & WELLNESS

### ONLINE Breathe Together CWA515

Tuesdays, 10 AM

Registration currently taking place.

Experience stillness and deep breathing with Charyl Ozkaya of Inner Healing Arts. **Open to all.**

### CPR/AED/First Aid CWA502

Saturday, June 8, 10 AM – 1 PM

Registration currently taking place.

Learn techniques to assist children or adults. Online session at your own pace prior to in-person session (email required). Red Cross certification upon completion. *Bring cash or a non-refundable \$85 check payable to SMM First Aid LLC.*

**Open to all 13+.**

### Permanent Solutions for Acid Reflux CWA517

Wednesday, June 26, 6 – 7:30 PM

Register starting June 10.

Join Arif Ahmad, MD, FRCS, FACS to learn about minimally invasive surgical procedures that can improve the quality of life for those living with acid reflux/GERD. **Open to all.**

**Guests welcome.**

### Unleash Your Intuition CWA523

Thursday, June 27, 7 – 8 PM

Register starting June 10.

Learn how to increase your intuitive ability to make decisions, manage relationships, and more with Maria D'Andrea. **Guests welcome.**

### OUTDOOR Hula Hooping CWA503

Mondays, July 15, 22 & 29, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting July 1.

Get a great workout while you 'hoop' it up with instructor Jeannie Pendergrass.

*Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers.*

**Attend any or all sessions.**

### Gentle Fitness CWA504

Mondays, July 22, 29 & August 5, 10 – 10:45 AM

Register starting July 1.

Join Debbie Krzyminski from Fitness Figures with exercises for strength, balance, aerobics, and flexibility that can be done seated or standing.

*Wear sneakers and comfortable clothing.*

**Attend any or all sessions.**

## ONE-ON-ONE ASSISTANCE

### Career Counseling

Wednesdays, June 26 & August 7, 3 – 6 PM

**Open to all. By appointment.**

Job Searching • Resumé Help • Interview Prep

Virtual counseling available at

**[www.cplib.org/career-counseling](http://www.cplib.org/career-counseling)**

### Social Work Services beginning June 3

**Open to all. By appointment**

**[www.cplib.org/social-work](http://www.cplib.org/social-work)**

Housing • Mental Health • Referrals • Apply for Benefits  
Case Management

### Technology Help

**By appointment [www.cplib.org/one-on-one](http://www.cplib.org/one-on-one)**

eBooks • iPad/Device Help • Email

### Town Clerk Mobile Hours

Wednesday, May 29, 11 AM – 3 PM

Registration not required.

Kevin J. LaValle will be available to answer questions and provide important information on disabled parking passes, marriage licenses, birth certificates, death certificates, and dog licenses.

**Open to all.**

### First-Time Homebuyer Assistance

Tuesdays, June 4 & August 20, 10:30 AM – 3 PM

Registration not required.

Are you looking to buy your first home in Suffolk or Nassau? Community Housing Innovations can help with down payment, closing cost, and renovation assistance.

**Open to all.**



## ONE-ON-ONE ASSISTANCE



### NY State of Health Marketplace Enrollment

Wednesdays, June 5, July 3 & August 7  
10 AM – 4 PM

Registration not required.

Health & Welfare Council of Long Island's certified Navigators will help you apply for health insurance. Call 516-505-4426 for documentation requirements. **Open to all.**

### Medicaid Enrollment Assistance for the Aged, Blind & Disabled

Thursdays, June 6 & August 1  
10:15 AM – 2 PM

Registration not required.

Those 65+, blind, and/or disabled can enroll in selected Medicaid programs. First come, first served. No appointment necessary.

**Open to all.**

### Senior Advocate CWA400

Tuesday, June 11, 2:30 – 4:30 PM

Registration currently taking place.

Seniors can meet with a trained senior advocate from the Suffolk County Office for the Aging for benefits counseling and information on county programs and services.

**Open to all.**

### Support For Veterans

Wednesdays, June 12, July 10  
& August 14, 10 – 11 AM

Registration not required.

Meet with a local veteran to learn about FREE resources for service members, families, and veterans of all eras. **Open to all.**



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### Register to Vote

Monday, June 17, 10 AM – 2 PM

Registration not required.

Volunteers from the Brookhaven League of Women Voters will assist with voter registration and provide information on absentee applications and early voting. **Open to all.**



### HIICAP: Health Insurance Information Counseling & Assistance Program CWA401

Friday, June 21, 10 AM – 1 PM

Registration currently taking place.

Seniors can meet with a volunteer from the Retired & Senior Volunteer Program for help with Medicare questions and forms. **Open to all.**



### SNAP Application Assistance

Wednesdays, June 26, July 24 & August 28  
11 AM – 3 PM

Registration not required.

Speak with the Health and Welfare Council of Long Island to see if you qualify for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits. Call 516-559-4453 or email [communityresponse@hwcli.com](mailto:communityresponse@hwcli.com) for documentation requirements. **Open to all.**



### Alzheimer's Caregiver Support

Thursdays, June 27 & July 18

Tuesday, August 27, 11AM – 1:30 PM

Registration not required.

A representative from Parker Jewish Institute will provide support and resources for caregivers caring for loved ones with any form of memory loss or dementia. **Open to all.**

### ONLINE Genealogy Research CWA929

Tuesday, July 16, 6 – 8 PM

Registration currently taking place.

Meet for up to 25 minutes with professional genealogist Sarah Gutmann for personalized research help. **Open to all.**



BECAUSE IT TAKES MORE THAN FOOD TO FEED THE HUNGRY



### Mobile Food Pantry Van

Second Thursday of the month,  
10 – 11 AM

Long Island Cares will be in our parking lot to distribute FREE bags with a 3-day supply of food for you and your family (while supplies last).

## LOOKING FOR YOUR NEXT READ?

### eNewsletters By Genre

Sign up for librarian-curated reading recommendations in your favorite genres delivered straight to your inbox.

[www.cplib.org/NextReads](http://www.cplib.org/NextReads)

### Personalized Recommendations

Tell us what you've read recently and get a personalized report of reading recommendations based on your likes and dislikes.

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### Just Give Me Something New!

Not sure what you want? Let us pick for you! Get up to 3 books hand-picked from our stacks based on your general reading preferences. [www.cplib.org/ExpressBookBags](http://www.cplib.org/ExpressBookBags)





# Teens

Entering Grades 6-12

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REGISTER



**Students Entering Grades 6-12** may register for teen programs. Please check **Program Registration – Quick Facts** on page 10.



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## TEEN SUMMER READING CLUB June 1 – August 8

### Students Entering Grades 6-12

Read to earn raffle tickets! Enter to win raffle prizes! Attend the Teen Challenge!

#### Follow these steps!

1. Register in-person starting June 1.
2. Read at least 3 books and start to submit your titles starting July 8.
3. Receive a raffle ticket for each book you read (up to 25 titles).
4. Choose raffle prize(s) for a chance to win!
5. Receive a surprise gift and reading-reward coupons.
6. Sign up for the **Teen Challenge After Dark** on Friday, August 16!



### Decorate Your Graduation Cap

Tuesday, June 11, 2:30 – 4:30 PM

Drop-in anytime between 2:30 – 4:30 PM and decorate your grad cap! Use our craft supplies, Cricut machine and printer to make a memorable grad cap!



## EVENTS JUST FOR FUN

### Dungeons & Dragons CWYA570

Thursdays, June 6, July 11 and August 8  
6 – 8 PM

Register starting May 23.

Join Librarian Mr. Randall and learn this fantasy tabletop role-playing game.

Take an epic journey, battle monsters, and win treasure! All levels of experience are welcome.



### S'mores Sushi CWYA551

Thursday, June 20, 7 – 7:45 PM

Register starting May 23.

Create sushi out of graham crackers, chocolate and marshmallows.



### Recycled Book Art CWYA552

Monday, June 24, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting May 23.

Environmentally friendly room decor is yours when you create a wall flower from some of our old books.

### Paper Dragons CWYA553

Thursday, June 27, 7 – 8 PM

Register starting May 23.

Join Librarian Mrs. Quinn for dragon lore - stories, depictions, and names from around the world! Make an origami dragon, too!

### Beach Crafts CWYA554

Tuesday, July 2, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting June 17.

Bring out your summer creativity and make a beach-themed canvas.



### DIY Summer Tote Bag CWYA555

Tuesday, July 9, 7:15 – 8 PM

Register starting June 17.

Use art supplies to decorate a canvas tote for Summer.

### Ozobot Olympics CWYA556

Saturday, July 13, 2:30 – 3:15 PM

Register starting June 17.

Let the Ozobot games begin! Learn to code an Ozobot, a line following robot, through a series of Summer Olympics-themed mazes.

### Murder Mystery Party CWYA557

Tuesday, July 16, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting June 17.

Unravel the mystery at this thrilling murder mystery night! With a missing person on the loose, it's up to you to crack the case!

### Teen Movie Night:

**Wonka** CWYA550

Thursday, July 18

6 – 8 PM

Register starting June 17.

Watch the newest *Wonka* movie, enjoy some popcorn and candy, and then create your very own mini chocolate factory with Librarian Mr. Randall.



### Creative Writing Workshop:

**It's Dreamy** CWYA558

Tuesday, July 23, 3 – 4:30 PM

Register starting June 17.

Dreams you remember or dreams you create will inspire your free-writing. Join Librarian Mrs. Quinn for this creative experience, snacks, and a dream-catcher craft!



### Resin Starfish CWYA559

Wednesday, July 24, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting June 17.

Unleash your inner artist and explore the world of resin.

### Campfire Cupcakes CWYA560

Thursday, July 25, 7 – 7:45 PM

Register starting June 17.

Celebrate Summer by decorating cupcakes with pretzels and other yummy ingredients to resemble a campfire.



### Aerospace Engineering CWYA561

Tuesday, July 30, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting June 17.

Learn how airplanes fly, and apply concepts of gravity, lift, and air pressure to build and fly your own airplane.



### Macramé Rainbows

CWYA562

Tuesday, August 6, 7 – 8 PM

Register starting July 24.

Create a unique rainbow masterpiece.



### Level Up: Teen Game Night

CWYA563

Wednesday, August 7

7 – 7:45 PM **or** 8 – 8:45 PM

Register starting July 24.

Game On Long Island brings an exciting mobile video-game theater right to the Library! This 32-foot gaming theater features 7 awesome gaming stations, allowing multiple guests to play at one time!



### Generational Ukulele Jam CWYA564

Monday, August 19 & August 26, 2 – 3:30 PM

Register starting July 24.

Teens and Adults (Adults register under CWA564) Learn and perform classic songs that appeal to all generations, fostering intergenerational connections and musical collaboration.

### Chicken Bacon Ranch Quesadillas CWYA565

Thursday, August 22, 7 – 8 PM

Register starting July 24.

Make delicious quesadillas with tasty toppings.

### Pre-Licensing Course CWA601

Saturday, August 24, 10 AM – 3 PM

Registration currently taking place. See page 4 for details.

### Night Sky Star Lab CWYA566

Tuesday, August 27, 7 – 7:45 PM

Register starting July 24.

Learn all about stars, planets, and celestial satellites in an indoor inflatable planetarium.



## VOLUNTEER AND EARN COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community service opportunities are for Comsewogue Library cardholders ONLY.

Community service hours are based on times listed for each program.

### Flower Corsages CWYA576

Wednesday, June 5, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting May 23.

Create beautiful tissue paper corsages for our Preschool Prom.

### Wooden Birdhouses CWYA567

Tuesday, June 11, 7 – 8 PM

Register starting May 23.

Paint a wooden birdhouse to donate to Habitat for Humanity.

### Stuffed Froggy

Friend Helpers CWYA578

Friday, July 5

10 – 12:30 PM **or** 2 – 4:30 PM

Register starting June 17.

Help our young patrons make a cuddly stuffed animal.



### Drive-in Movie Cars CWYA569

Wednesday, July 10, 6 – 7:30 PM

Register starting June 17.

Build and decorate a box car for our drive-in movie for our little patrons.

### Library Buddies CWYA580

Friday, July 12, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

**and/or**

Friday, July 26, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

Register starting June 17.

Friday, August 9, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

**and/or**

Friday, August 23, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

Register starting July 24.

Buddy up with younger library patrons and assist them in activities such as games and crafts.

### Library Luau Helpers CWYA571

Wednesday, July 24, 2 – 3:30 PM

Register starting June 17.

Assist in our Library Luau for families.

### Field Day Helpers CWYA572

Wednesday, July 31, 2 – 4 PM

Register starting June 17.

Assist in our Field Day activities!

### Toy Wash CWYA573

Thursday, August 1, 6 – 7 PM

Register starting July 24.

Our children's toys need a good cleaning! While using cleaning supplies, you will be required to wear gloves provided by the Library.

### Pom-Pom Cat Toys CWYA574

Wednesday, August 21

5:30 – 6:30 PM

Register starting July 24.

Create fluffy pom-pom cat toys for Save-a-Pet.

### Sidewalk Chalk Art CWYA575

Thursday, August 29, 3 – 4 PM

Register starting July 24.

Create chalk art in the Library parking lot to brighten up our patron's days!



## EARN COMMUNITY SERVICE FROM HOME

- You may submit each activity twice per month, which means you can earn up to **18 hours of remote community service per month**.
- After filling out the form online with your remote community service submission(s), you will receive an email response with a PDF of your community service certificate.

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MORE DETAILS



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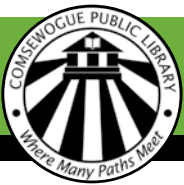
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Your Walk

Museum Pass  
Exploration

Recycling  
Teens

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Things  
Research



## PROGRAM REGISTRATION QUICK FACTS

### CLASSES & PROGRAMS FILL QUICKLY!

- Registration begins at 9:30 AM on the date noted for each program – online, by phone, or in-person.
- Please have your Comsewogue Public Library card barcode available. (Children of all ages may have their own Library card.)
- If you wish to use one Library card to register more than one child for the same program, please call us to enable this process.
- The general public may register for programs, EXCEPT for community service programs, one day prior to the program start date, based on availability.



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## PARENTS and CAREGIVERS

- Please arrive on time. If you arrive late, your spot may not be held.
- Please stay home if you or your child do not feel well.
- Please inform a Librarian if your child requires a special accommodation.
- For some programs, you must attend with your child. If not, you must remain inside the Library building.
- Strollers are not permitted in indoor children's programs.
- Some programs may be messy, or may be held outside. Please dress yourself and your child appropriately.

## DROP-IN PROGRAMS

REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED.  
DROP BY ANYTIME, EXCEPT WHERE NOTED!

### 12 months-Entering Grade K with caregiver

#### JUNE

- 6: **Construction Zone**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM
- 11: **Obstacle Course**  
10 AM – 12 PM
- 17: **Music Makers**  
2 – 4 PM and 6 – 8 PM
- 26: **Let's Code**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM

#### JULY

- 11: **Rails & Trails** 2 – 4 PM
- 23: **Magnet Madness**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM
- 25: **Play Dough Party**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 5 – 7 PM
- 31: **Puzzle Play** 2 – 4 PM

#### AUGUST

- 7: **Crafty Kids** 5 – 7 PM
- 10: **I Spy**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM
- 21: **Music Makers**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM

### Entering Grades 1-5

#### JUNE

- 5: **Lego Club**  
3 – 4:30 PM
- 13: **Art Smarts**  
5 – 7 PM

#### JULY

- 1: **STEM Center**  
10 AM – 12 PM
- 16: **3D Pens**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM
- 17: **Model Magic**  
10 AM – 1 PM
- 26: **Lego Club**  
10 AM – 12 PM

#### AUGUST

- 8: **Engineering Fun**  
10 AM – 12 PM
- 19: **STEM Center**  
10 AM – 12 PM

\* Please arrive at start time listed

### Families, All Ages

#### JUNE

- 1: **Summer Kick Off** 2 – 4 PM
  - 14: **Family Checkers** 10 AM – 4 PM
  - 15: **Family Checkers** 10 AM – 4 PM
  - 21: **Guinea Pig Party**  
10:30 – 11:30 AM and 3 – 4 PM
  - 29: **Tabletop Games** 10 AM – 4 PM
- #### JULY
- 3: **Dino Adventure**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM
  - 10: **Classic Card Games** 5 – 8 PM
  - 19: **Recycled Art**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM
  - 20: **\*Asha Visits the Library**  
10 AM and 11 AM
  - 29: **Classic Card Games** 10 AM – 12 PM

#### AUGUST

- 2: **Tabletop Games** 10 AM – 4 PM
- 26: **Recycled Art**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM
- 29: **\*Outdoor Movie: Up** 7:30 PM
- 30: **JUMBO Games** 2 – 4 PM
- 31: **JUMBO Games**  
10 AM – 12 PM and 2 – 4 PM



# CHILDREN'S SUMMER READING CLUB Birth-Entering Grade 5

Children can complete the Children's Summer Reading Club and earn prizes! Follow these steps between **June 1 – August 8:**

1. Register in-person at the Children's Reference Desk.
2. Read 5 books.
3. Record your books and claim your prizes from July 8 – August 8.
4. Sign up for one of our **Laser Light Shows** on August 12 or 13.



## REGISTRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS STARTS THURSDAY, MAY 23

### 24th Annual Pet Parade CWJ961

Monday, June 17, 7 – 7:45 PM  
(Rain date: Tuesday, June 18)

**Children of all ages with caregiver**

Show off your pet and its tricks with Librarian Mrs. Bush. Prizes, ribbons, and fun for all! Leash or container required and pets may be walked, carried, or in a wagon. **You are responsible for cleaning up after your pet.**



### Summer Bingo CWJ920

Saturday, June 29, 10:30 – 11:15 AM  
**or 11:30 AM – 12:15 PM**

**Children of all ages with caregiver.** Program content will appeal to children 3 years and older.

Enjoy a fun game of Bingo and win prizes with Librarian Ms. Lozano!

### Babies Boogie CWJ166

Friday, June 14, 10 – 10:45 AM

**Birth-17 months with caregiver.**

*Siblings not permitted.*

Explore movement and rhythm with instructor Nicole Sparling.

### Baby Start CWJ160

Friday, June 28, 10 – 10:30 AM

**Birth-17 months with caregiver**

Join A Time for Kids for music, movement, fine and gross motor skills, and circle time.

### 1000 Books Before Kindergarten Celebration CWJ120

Wednesday, June 5  
10:30 – 11:15 AM **or** 3:30 – 4:15 PM

**Birth-PreK with caregiver**

Listen to stories, make a craft, and learn about the impactful 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program with Librarian Mrs. Bush.

### Intro to Sign Language CWJ121

Tuesdays, June 18 & 25

10 – 10:45 AM

**or 11 – 11:45 AM**

**Birth-PreK with caregiver**

Instructor Jessica Berrins teaches caregivers and children ASL vocabulary through music and play.

### Come Play with PlayHooray CWJ162

Thursday, June 20

10 – 10:45 AM,

11 – 11:45 AM,

**or 12 – 12:45 PM**

**Birth-PreK with caregiver**

Move along to the beat with shakers, hula hoops, bells, scarves, instruments, and more!

### My Gym at the Library CWJ209

Tuesday, June 4

10 – 10:45 AM

**or 11 – 11:45 AM**

**12-35 months with caregiver**

My Gym will lead your children with music and movement, tumbling and balancing exercises, games and puppetry.

### Toddler Tango CWJ207

Friday, June 14, 11 – 11:45 AM

**18-35 months with caregiver.**

*Siblings not permitted, except for infants in carrier.*

Explore movement and rhythm with instructor Nicole Sparling.

### Tot's Night Out CWJ205

Thursday, June 13

5:15 – 6 PM **or** 6:15 – 7 PM

**18 months-PreK with caregiver**

Join A Time for Kids for stories, singing, crafts, and learning through play.

### A Time for Kids: Jump Frog Jump CWJ220

Monday, June 24

10 – 10:45 AM **or** 11 – 11:45 AM

**18 months-PreK with caregiver**

Join A Time for Kids for music, movement, fine and gross motor development, crafts, and storytelling.



### Instrument Petting Zoo CWJ325

Friday, June 7, 10:30 – 11:15 AM

**3 years-PreK with caregiver**

Learn, touch, and play all different types of instruments with Reprise Music.

### Junior Prom CWJ321

Monday, June 10

10:30 – 11:15 AM **or** 3:30 – 4:15 PM

**3 years-PreK with caregiver**

Dress up, dance around, and make musical memories with Librarian Mrs. Nicole.

### Parachute Play CWJ307

Saturday, June 22, 10:30 – 11:15 AM

**or 11:30 AM – 12:15 PM**

**3 years-PreK with caregiver**

Get moving with our GIANT parachute as Librarian Mrs. O'Connor shares stories and games.

### Outdoor Adventure Storytime CWJ322

Tuesday, June 25, 6 – 6:45 PM

**3 years-PreK with caregiver**

Join Librarian Mrs. O'Connor for an outdoor storytime. *Bring a blanket or towel to sit on.*

### Barnyard Adventure CWJ520

Thursday, June 6, 5:30 – 6:15 PM

**Grades K-2**

Join Librarian Ms. Dono for a fun-filled storytime and craft.

### Parachute Fun CWJ415

Tuesday, June 11, 6 – 6:45 PM

**Grades K-2**

Get moving with our GIANT parachute as Librarian Mrs. O'Connor shares stories and games.



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## REGISTRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS STARTS THURSDAY, MAY 23

### Author Spotlight:

#### **Mo Willems CWJ521**

Wednesday, June 26, 6 – 6:45 PM

#### **Grades K-2**

Let's celebrate Mo Willems, award winning author of *Elephant & Piggie*, *Knuffle Bunny*, and many more. Join Librarian Mrs. B for stories, crafts and a whole lot Mo' fun!

### **Instrument Scavenger Hunt CWJ522**

Tuesday, June 4

5:30 – 6:30 PM **or** 6:45 – 7:45 PM

#### **Grades K-5**

Hunt around the Library for instruments, then learn what each sounds like, and practice playing them together with Reprise Music!

### **Gift for Teacher CWJ523**

Monday, June 10

6:15 – 7 PM **or** 7:15 – 8 PM

#### **Grades K-5**

Create a gift for your teacher during this workshop with Librarian Mrs. Turrise.

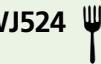
### **S'mores Sushi CWJ524**

Thursday, June 20

5 – 5:45 PM **or** 6 – 6:45 PM

#### **Grades K-5**

The Baking Coach will teach you how to make a delicious rolled treat with rice crispies, marshmallow, chocolate syrup, and graham cracker crumbs. Eat them with chopsticks!



### **STEM Workshop:**

#### **Model Robot Hand CWJ525**

Monday, June 3, 6 – 6:45 PM

#### **Grades 3-5**

Join Librarian Ms. Braun and create your own movable robot hand from construction paper.

#### **Bandanas and Bracelets CWJ526**

Wednesday, June 12, 5:30 – 6:15 PM

#### **Grades 3-5**

Create a one-of-a-kind dog bandana and owner friendship bracelet set with instructor Ms. Vanesa Holzhauser.

#### **Dragon Scales & Tales CWJ527**

Thursday, June 27, 5:30 – 6:30 PM

#### **Grades 3-5**

Join Librarian Mrs. Quinn for dragon lore, depictions, and names from around the world. Make an origami dragon, too!

## REGISTRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS STARTS MONDAY, JUNE 17

### **Family Nature Walk CWJ921**

Saturday, July 6, 10:30 – 11:30 AM  
(weather permitting)

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver.**

Program content will appeal to children 3 years and older.

Join Librarian Mr. Randall for a walk around the grounds of the Library to collect cool things to craft with!

### **Frogs, Bugs & Animals CWJ904**

Monday, July 8, 10:30 – 11:30 AM  
**or** 11:45 AM – 12:45 PM

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver**

Meet, see, touch, and learn all about some adventurous animals with educator Jason Reilly.

### **Cookie Wars CWJ922**

Tuesday, July 9, 5:30 – 6:30 PM

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver.**

Program content will appeal to children 3 years and older.

Families will take part in a cookie decorating challenge with instructor Theresa Maritato!

### **Family Luau CWJ923**

Wednesday, July 24, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver.**

Program content will appeal to children 3 years and older.

Hula on over to the Library and have some Hawaiian style fun with Librarians Mrs. Nicole and Ms. Jenny.



### **Up, Up and Away CWJ929**

Saturday, July 27, 11 AM – 12 PM

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver.**

Program content will appeal to children 5 years and older.

Learn how a hot air balloon works and how fog rings form, and get a chance to see a hovercraft in action with Mad Science Long Island during this spellbinding show.

### **Baby Music CWJ102**

Tuesday, July 2, 10 – 10:45 AM

#### **Birth-12 months with caregiver.**

Siblings not permitted.

Learn and play with your baby and other families while Happy Feet Suffolk leads you through music and sensory activities.

### **Baby Bop CWJ104**

Friday, July 12, 10 – 10:45 AM

#### **Birth-17 months with caregiver**

Join instructor Heather Welkes for creative movement, musical instruments, bubbles, and more!

### **Baby and Me Yoga CWJ122**

Mondays, July 15 & 22, 3 – 3:45 PM

#### **Birth-17 months with caregiver.**

Siblings not permitted.

Experience the joy of movement and yoga with your little one and instructor Tiffany Valenti. *Please bring a yoga mat or towel.*

### **Sensory Sensation CWJ101**

Monday, July 8, 6 – 6:45 PM  
**or** Tuesday, July 9

10 – 10:45 AM

#### **Birth-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Join Librarian Mrs. Bush and use everyday materials (including water) to explore your world and fill your senses.

### **Come Play with PlayHooray CWJ162**

Wednesday, July 17

10 – 10:45 AM, 11 – 11:45 AM,  
**or** 12 – 12:45 PM

#### **Birth-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Move along to the beat with shakers, hula hoops, bells, scarves, instruments, and more!

### **Kidnastics CWJ203**

Monday, July 1

10 – 10:45 AM, 11 – 11:45 AM,  
**or** 12 – 12:45 PM

#### **12 months-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Enjoy musical warm-ups, obstacle courses, fun inflatables, and more.



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### Shake & Make Music CWJ210

Friday, July 12, 11 – 11:45 AM

**18-35 months with caregiver**

Join instructor Heather Welkes for creative movement, musical instruments, bubbles, and more!

### Tiny Movers CWJ204

Tuesday, July 2

11 – 11:45 AM **or** 12 – 12:45 PM

**18 months-Entering Grade K**

**with caregiver.** Siblings not permitted, except for infants in carrier.

Join Happy Feet Suffolk for a morning of fun while practicing gross motor skills with guided movement and obstacles.

### Tot's Night Out CWJ205

Wednesday, July 3

5:15 – 6 PM **or** 6:15 – 7 PM

**18 months-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Join A Time for Kids for stories, singing, crafts, and learning through play.

### A Time for Kids:

#### Summer Amusement Park

CWJ221

Friday, July 26

10 – 10:45 AM **or** 11 – 11:45 AM

**18 months-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Join A Time for Kids for music, movement, fine and gross motor development, crafts, and storytelling.

### STEAM Storytime:

#### Fairy Tales CWJ305

Thursday, July 11, 10:30 – 11:15 AM

**3 years-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Join Librarian Ms. Danielle and explore **S**cience, **T**echnology, **E**ngineering, **A**rt and **M**ath concepts through crafts, building, and tinkering.

### Under the Sea

#### Chocolate Scene CWJ323

Tuesday, July 16

10:30 – 11:15 AM **or** 3:30 – 4:15 PM

**3 years-Entering Grade K with caregiver.** Siblings not permitted except infants in carrier.

Create the bottom of the ocean using candy, cookies, and chocolate with The Baking Coach.



### Stuffed Animal Sleepover

CWJ324

Thursday, July 18

2 – 2:45 PM

**3 years-Entering Grade 2 with caregiver**

Bring your stuffed animal for a storytime, craft and sleepover with Librarian Mrs. Nicole. Stuffed animals can be picked up after 2 PM the next day. Children are asked not to bring the stuffed animal they sleep with, since the toy will be left in the Library overnight.



### Stuffed Froggy Friend

CWJ354

Friday, July 5, 10:30 – 11 AM,

11:30 AM – 12 PM, 2 – 2:30 PM,

3 – 3:30 PM, **or** 4 – 4:30 PM

**3 years-Entering Grade 5.**

Children attend without caregiver.

Join Librarian Mrs. Nicole for a story, and then create a frog stuffed-animal friend to take home, complete with wish star and birth certificate.



### Fourth of July Craft CWJ528

Tuesday, July 2, 3:30 – 4:15 PM

**Entering Grades 1-2**

Celebrate Independence Day by listening to stories and creating a special craft with Librarian Ms. Dono.

### Big Bad Wolf CWJ529

Wednesday, July 17, 6 – 6:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-2**

Join the Long Island Explorium for an interactive workshop that explores the physics of the Three Little Pigs!

### Drive-In Movie CWJ532

Thursday, July 11

2:30 – 3:15 PM **or** 3:30 – 4:15 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Ride in style to our drive-in with cardboard box cars made by our teen volunteers. Watch a few shorts while having a yummy snack with Librarian Mrs. B.

### Library Buddies:

#### Summer Crafts CWJ533

Friday, July 12, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Hang out with our teen volunteers and make fun summer crafts.

### Sit, Stay, Read CWJ570

Wednesday, July 10

10 – 10:15 AM, 10:20 – 10:35 AM,

10:40 – 10:55 AM, 11 – 11:15 AM,

11:20 – 11:35 AM, **or**

11:40 – 11:55 AM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Pick your favorite book and read to our special canine guest, Stevie, in a welcoming setting. Students may register for only one session.

### Beginner Sign Language

CWJ534

Mondays, July 15 & 22

5:30 – 6:15 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Utilize your bodies, hands, and faces to learn key signs in American Sign Language with instructor Jessica Berrins.



### Campfire Cupcakes CWJ535

Thursday, July 25

5 – 5:45 PM **or** 6 – 6:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Decorate cupcakes that look like campfires with Chef Rob and play fun games.



### Library Buddies:

#### Switch Games CWJ536

Friday, July 26, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Hang out with our teen volunteers and play on our Nintendo Switch.



### Parent-Child Book Club:

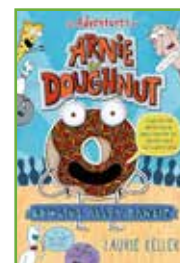
#### The Adventures of Arnie the Doughnut CWJ800

Tuesday, July 23, 6 – 7 PM

**Entering Grades 2-3**

Grab your grown-up and read together!

Join Librarian Ms. Lozano in discussing *The Adventures of Arnie the Doughnut: Bowling Alley Bandits* by Laurie Keller, and make a doughnut craft while enjoying a delicious treat. Pick up a copy of the book at Circulation.



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## REGISTRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS STARTS MONDAY, JUNE 17

### **Library Olympics CWJ537**

Monday, July 1, 6 – 7 PM

#### **Entering Grades 3-5**

Make Olympic-themed crafts and participate in games with Librarian Ms. Kiely.

### **Ocean Ornament CWJ538**

Tuesday, July 16, 6 – 6:45 PM

#### **Entering Grades 3-5**

Create an ocean ornament with seashells, sand, and more with Librarian Mrs. Randall.



### **Light it Up CWJ539**

Wednesday, July 24, 6 – 6:45 PM

#### **Entering Grades 3-5**

Using wires, gadgets, modular circuits, and safe construction materials, design and construct a working lighthouse with The Long Island Explorium.

## REGISTRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS STARTS WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

### **Spiderman Visits the Library**

**CWJ924**

Thursday, August 8

5:30 – 6:15 PM **or** 6:30 – 7:15 PM

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver.**

Program content will appeal to children 3 years-Entering Grade 2. Meet Spidey at the Library! He can't wait to have a super time with you.

### **Adventure Begins at Your Library! A Sensory-Friendly Music, Dance & Comedy Show CWJ925**

Saturday, August 17, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver.**

Program content will appeal to children 2 years-Entering Grade K. Mr. Matt from Turtle Dance Music is back with a show that features classic and original songs, comedy, music technology and a little bit of swashbuckling!

### **Family Sidewalk Chalk CWJ926**

Wednesday, August 28

5:30 – 6:15 PM

#### **Children of all ages with caregiver**

Join Librarian Mrs. Veit and make chalk art in our parking lot.

### **Baby Music CWJ102**

Monday, July 29, 5:30 – 6:15 PM

#### **Birth-12 months with caregiver.**

*Siblings not permitted.*

Learn and play with your baby and other families while Happy Feet Suffolk lead you through music and sensory activities.

### **Lullaby Together Time:**

#### **The Seashore CWJ103**

Tuesday, August 27, 10:30 – 11:15 AM

#### **Birth-12 months with caregiver**

Enjoy songs, rhymes, finger plays, and library toys with Librarian Mrs. Quinn. *Bring a small blanket.*

### **Baby Start CWJ160**

Wednesday, July 31, 10 – 10:30 AM

#### **Birth-17 months with caregiver**

Join A Time for Kids for music, movement, fine and gross motor skills and circle time.

### **Babies Boogie CWJ166**

Thursday, August 8

10 – 10:45 AM

#### **Birth-17 months**

#### **with caregiver.**

*Siblings not permitted.*

Explore movement and rhythm with instructor Nicole Sparling.



### **Baby Bop CWJ104**

Thursday, August 22, 10 – 10:45 AM

#### **Birth-17 months with caregiver**

Join instructor Heather Welkes for creative movement, musical instruments, bubbles, and more!

### **Pajama Jammy Jam CWJ960**

Tuesday, August 20, 5:30 – 6:15 PM

#### **Birth-35 months with caregiver**

Join us in your PJs for this high energy, fun-filled music and movement program with Shake 'N Make Music.

### **Come Play with PlayHooray CWJ162**

Monday, August 19, 10 – 10:45 AM,

11 – 11:45 AM, **or** 12 – 12:45 PM

#### **Birth-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Move along to the beat with shakers, hula hoops, bells, scarves, instruments, and more!

### **My Gym at the Library CWJ209**

Tuesday, July 30

10 – 10:45 AM **or** 11 – 11:45 AM

#### **12-35 months with caregiver**

My Gym will lead your children with music and movement, tumbling and balancing exercises, games, and puppetry.



### **Kidnastics CWJ203**

Friday, August 30

10 – 10:45 AM,

11 – 11:45 AM,

**or** 12 – 12:45 PM

#### **12 months-Entering Grade K with caregiver**

Enjoy musical warm-ups, obstacle courses, fun inflatables, and more.

### **Toddler Tango CWJ207**

Thursday, August 8

11 – 11:45 AM

#### **18-35 months with caregiver.**

*Siblings not permitted, except for infants in carrier.*

Explore movement and rhythm with instructor Nicole Sparling.

### **Shake & Make Music CWJ210**

Thursday, August 22

11 – 11:45 AM

#### **18-35 months**

#### **with**

#### **caregiver**

Join instructor Heather Welkes for creative movement, musical instruments, bubbles, and more!



### **Tiny Movers CWJ204**

Monday, July 29

6:30 – 7:15 PM

#### **18 months-Entering Grade K with caregiver.**

*Siblings not permitted, except for infants in carrier.*

Join Happy Feet Suffolk for a morning of fun while practicing gross motor skills with guided movement and obstacles.

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### A Time for Kids:

#### Let's Get Ready

#### for School CWJ222

Friday, August 23

10 – 10:45 AM **or** 11 – 11:45 AM

**18 months-Entering Grade K**

**with caregiver**

Join A Time for Kids for music, movement, fine and gross motor development, crafts, and storytelling.

### Backyard Wildlife CWJ326

Thursday, August 1

10:30 – 11:30 AM

**3 years-Entering Grade K**

**with caregiver**

Meet a variety of animals that might live in your backyard right here on Long Island, with Sweetbriar Nature Center.

### Summer Stories

#### and Games CWJ327

Friday, August 9

10:30 – 11:15 AM

**3 years-Entering Grade K**

**with caregiver**

Join Librarian Mrs. Bush for summer stories and some throwback games like *Duck Duck Goose*, *Red Light Green Light*, and *Follow the Leader*.

### STEAM Storytime:

#### Dinosaurs CWJ305

Tuesday, August 20

10:30 – 11:15 AM

**3 years-Entering**

**Grade K with caregiver**

Join Librarian Ms. Danielle and explore **S**cience, **T**echnology, **E**ngineering, **A**rt and **M**ath concepts through crafts, building, and tinkering.



### Folktale Family Fun:

#### The Adventures of

#### Tom Thumb CWJ927

Saturday, August 3

10:30 – 11:15 AM

**3 years-Entering Grade 5**

**with caregiver**

Grab your family for this folktale about a tiny child who goes on BIG adventures. Join Librarian Mrs. Quinn for fun activities and a puppet craft.

### Family Canvas Wars CWJ928

Wednesday, August 21

3:30 – 4:30 PM

**3 years-Entering Grade 5 with caregiver**

Families will take part in a canvas art challenge with instructor Theresa Maritato. Prizes will be awarded to the winning family and everyone gets to bring their artwork home!

### Summer Storytime CWJ530

Tuesday, July 30, 7 – 7:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-2**

Summer is here! Cool down with a story about ice cream and make sweet crafts with Librarian Ms. Liana.

### Field Day at the Library CWJ531

Wednesday, July 31, 2 – 2:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-2**

Get your body moving while participating in some traditional field day activities with Librarian Mrs. B and our teen volunteers. *Please wear sneakers.*



### Yoga Storytime CWJ552

Monday, August 5, 6 – 6:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-2**

Relax and unwind with Librarian Ms. Lauria as she reads a story, then leads you in cozy, summer-themed yoga poses. *Bring a yoga mat or towel.*

### Game On Long Island CWJ561

Wednesday, August 7

5 – 5:45 PM **or** 6 – 6:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Game On Long Island brings an exciting 32-foot video game theater to the Library, with seven awesome gaming stations. Multiple guests can play at the same time!

### Library Buddies: Buttons and

#### Keychains CWJ562

Friday, August 9, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Hang out with our teen volunteers and make buttons and keychains to decorate your backpack.

### Ice Cream Making CWJ563

Saturday, August 10

2 – 3 PM **or** 3:15 – 4:15 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Ice cream is more than a sweet treat! Learn about ice cream's interesting history and make ice cream the old-fashioned way with an instructor from CCE of Suffolk County.



### Sit, Stay, Read CWJ570

Monday, August 19

2 – 2:15 PM, 2:20 – 2:35 PM,

2:40 – 2:55 PM, 3 – 3:15 PM,

3:20 – 3:35 PM **or** 3:40 – 3:55 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Pick your favorite book and read to our special canine guest, Stevie, in a welcoming setting. *Students may register for only one session.*

### Crab in the Sand Cupcakes

#### CWJ565

Thursday, August 22

5 – 5:45 PM **or** 6 – 6:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Snap! Snap! Decorate cupcakes that look like crabs on the beach and play fun games with Chef Rob.



### Library Buddies:

#### Tabletop Games CWJ566

Friday, August 23, 2:30 – 3:30 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Hang out with our teen volunteers and play tabletop games.

### Star Lab CWJ567

Tuesday, August 27

5 – 5:45 PM **or** 6 – 6:45 PM

**Entering Grades 1-5**

Learn all about stars, planets, and celestial satellites inside this indoor inflatable planetarium with instructor Kim Kunze.

### Field Day at the Library

#### CWJ560

Wednesday, July 31, 3 – 3:45 PM

**Entering Grades 3-5**

Get your body moving while participating in some traditional field day activities with Librarian Mrs. B and our teen volunteers. *Please wear sneakers.*



### STEAM Building

#### Challenge CWJ568

Thursday, August 1

6 – 6:45 PM

**Entering Grades 3-5**

Recreate famous landmarks using Lego building blocks with Librarian Ms. Dono.



### Beaded Jellyfish CWJ569

Tuesday, August 6, 5:30 – 6:15 PM

**Entering Grades 3-5**

Create a jellyfish made with pipe cleaners and beads with Librarian Mrs. Randall.





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**The Library's First Director**, Richard Lusak, passed away in April, leaving a legacy of excellence in library services and a shining example of community service through his longstanding involvement in local organizations. Mr. Lusak was a visionary who served as the Library's Founding Director, from 1966 to 2002. On the occasion of the Library's 50th anniversary, Mr. Lusak was honored and the Community Room was dedicated to him. An interview with Mr. Lusak from the Library's local history collection can be found at <https://localhistory.cplib.org>.



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