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Envision Our Future, Workshop #2

Saturday, January 31, 2015, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

William Floyd High School, 11th/12th Grade cafeteria

On November 8, 2014 over 100 residents and community leaders came together to collaborate on a vision for the future Community Library. Volunteers worked for over 6 hours to decide on the purpose statement that will guide discussions on the future of the library facility. Video of the meeting and workshop material created by participants can be found at: future.communitylibrary.org.

We invite all participants and those who couldn't make the first workshop to join us again on January 31 to set goals for the project. RSVP at: future.communitylibrary.org. ■



East End Trio Concert

Sunday, January 11, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, December 22.

Join Mike Munzer, (guitar/vocals), Doug Morrow (drums), and Clutch Reilly (bass) for a great mix of music from the 60's and beyond. Enjoy some classic tunes from James Taylor, Harry Chapin, the Eagles, Johnny Cash, Van Morrison, Paul Simon, Credence Clearwater Revival, and many more. ■





Children & Parents

1KB4K! One Thousand Books Before Kindergarten! Are you reading 1KB4K? Enter our monthly raffle!

Families with children birth – 5 years who are participating in the 1KB4K (One Thousand Books Before Kindergarten) program can enter our monthly raffle. Join the program and help your child be ready to read! Stop in for a free 1KB4K window sticker for your home or car.



Babies & Parents

1-2-3 Play With Me

Saturday, January 10, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Registration begins Saturday, December 27.

Saturday, February 14, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Registration begins Saturday, January 31.

Families with children ages 12-35 months.

Mother Goose

Tuesday, January 13, 10:00 – 10:30 a.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, December 30.

Sing and chant old and new favorites at our nursery rhyme lap-sit. Children birth – 30 months and their adult. Siblings welcome.



Babies Boogie

Thursday, February 12, 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

Registration begins Thursday, January 29.

Enjoy tons of wiggles and giggles while moving and grooving together. Babies birth-23 months and their adult. ■

Preschool

Let's Get Messy

Mondays, January 5, 12, 19, 26

12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, December 22 for ALL sessions.

Preschoolers will be using their hands and their minds to create a variety of projects. Remember to wear your messy clothes! Preschoolers ages 3-5 years and their adult.

Circle of Friends

Fridays, January 9, 16, 23, 30

11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, December 26.

Fridays, February 6, 13, 20, 27, 11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, January 23.

Sensory activities for children ages 2-5 years with developmental delays and/or who fall within the autism spectrum and their parents. *If you need special accommodations, please contact us two weeks prior to program.* Siblings are welcome to attend if registered.



Curious About

Tuesdays, January 27,

February 3, 10, 12:00 – 12:30 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, January 13.

In each session we'll be curious about a new topic and explore it through books. Preschoolers ages 3 -5 years and their adult.



Toddlers Tango

Thursday, February 12, 11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

Registration begins Thursday, January 29.

Experience music by dancing and creating music with drums, tambourines, maracas and more! Children 2-5 years and their adult. ■

Computer Corner

Build and Animate!

Wednesdays, January 14 & 21, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, January 2.

Build, Create and Animate! Learn the basics of stop motion animation and make your own animated movies. Then share finished films with family, friends, and the world! Grades 2-6.

Minecraft Universe

Monday, January 26, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, January 12.

Minecraft is a sandbox universe in which you can explore, build, and collaborate - like a Lego world on the computer! Grades 3-6.

3D Print Something

Wednesday, January 28, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, January 14.

Using iPads kids will create an object, which will then be sent to our 3D printer and be ready for pick up a few days after the program. Creations will be printed on the CPSD floor, so be sure to stop by and check out what the class created. Grades 2-6. ■

Families

Family Game Night

Friday, January 16, 6:15 – 7:15 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, January 2.

Board games, videogames, iPads and pizza. Please register only one person per family.

COOKING TOGETHER

Parents, grandparents, and children cooking together, sharing laughs and trying new foods – it's a lost art in many households. These days, it's hard for busy parents to take time out to teach their kids basic cooking techniques. That's what we're here for! Please register only 1 person per family.

"Soup"er Bowl

Tuesday, January 27

6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Registration begins

Tuesday, January 13.

Make a variety of different soups! ■



Schoolage

Tail-Waggin' and Readin' Fun!

Tuesdays, 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.

Stella with handler Karen Maier

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Rosie with handler Tom Kveton

Thursdays, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Keira and Mya with handlers the Fratellos

Registration required. Call 399-1511, ext. 260.

Certified therapy dogs can make reading more fun and maybe even easier! Entering grades K-6.



Homework Help

Mondays, January 12, 26

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Tuesdays, January 13, 20, 27

4:30 – 6:00 p.m.

No registration necessary.

Teen volunteers help kids grades K-5.

After School Storytime

Fridays, January 16, 23, 30

4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, January 2.

When your school day is over, it's time for wonderful stories, a book-related activity and an after-school snack. Grades K-2. ■



Parents

After-School Circle of Friends

Tuesdays, January 6, 13, 20, 27

4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, December 23.

Mondays, February 2, 9, 23, March 2, 9

4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, January 19.

Enjoy activities in a small, relaxed group. Designed for children K-3 with developmental delays and/or who fall within the autism spectrum and their parents. It is an inclusive program and all children are welcome. *If you need special accommodations, please contact us two weeks prior to the program.* Siblings are welcome to attend if registered.

Parenting the Second Time Around Support Group (PASTA)

Tuesdays, January 20, February 17 & March 17

6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Registration is ongoing. Must register for each session.

Each month grandparents and relative caregivers who are parenting the second time around meet to share information, experience and camaraderie at the Mastics-Moriches-Shirley Community Library. In collaboration with Cornell Cooperative Extension, we provide guest speakers, childcare and refreshments. All are welcome. If you need childcare, call Patricia Mininni at 399-1511, ext. 377.



Positive Parenting

Thursdays, February 5, 12, 19, 26, March 5, 12, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, January 22.

Dr. Roberta Karant has created effective parenting programs for parents for more than 30 years. She has taught parents mandated by the courts as well as parents who are unsure of themselves in the midst of many outside influences and familial stressors. This six-week parenting series focuses on common sense and creates an environment where people are willing to express themselves and listen to others. Certifications of completion will be available. If you need childcare, please contact Patricia Mininni, 399-1511, ext. 377. ■

In-Betweens

Game On!

Friday, January 2

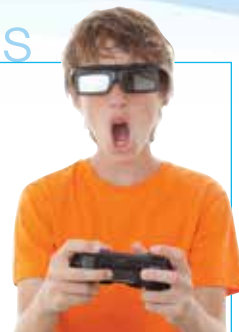
2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Fridays, January 9, 16, 23, 30

6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Registration ongoing.

Console and online gaming after hours. Grades 6-12. ■



On the Road

Outdoor events are subject to cancellation due to inclement weather. An adult must accompany children on all outdoor events.



Limit 6 tickets per family. Families with at least one child age birth-grade 6. Each person must register with his/her own valid Mastics-Moriches-Shirley Community Library card.

Imaginations at Play

Saturday, January 10, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, January 2.

(Register children only)

Meet us at Imaginations at Play (1859 Lakeland Avenue, Ronkonkoma) at 10:00 a.m.. Includes admission for free play and one craft. Dress for mess. For families with at least one child ages 6 months-8 years.

Books and Coffee

Friday, January 16, 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

Thursday, January 29, 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

Registration ongoing. Register separately for each session.

Children love books and grown-ups need coffee. Meet us at Tend Coffee (924 Montauk Highway, Shirley) for an exciting storytime and a beverage. Each adult will receive one medium beverage of their choice. Children birth-3 years with an adult.

Game On @ Mastic Recreation Center

Wednesday, January 28

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Call the library or

visit us online

to register.

Board games and video games at the Mastic Recreation Center (15 Herkimer St., Mastic.) Grades 6-12. ■





Teens

Unless otherwise noted, Teen Services Programs are for MMSCL cardholders entering 7-12 grades.

Friday, January 2

Game On! 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Videogames, board games, friends and fun in the afternoon.

Illustrators Workshop 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Draw, paint and sketch with Mr. Casper.

Saturday, January 3

Enrichment - English Muffin Pizzas & iPads 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Make delicious do it yourself pizzas, then play with the iPads. This program has been adapted for people 11-21 with special needs.

Monday, January 5

Anime Club 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Friends, pizza, Japanese cartoons, and the occasional British Time Traveler.

Scrapbooking w/Crystal 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Sketch, collage and journal your memories.

Tuesday, January 6

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Teens in grades 9-12: join the team, read the books, and answer the questions on their way to victory. The battle will take place on Friday, March 13th at 6:00 p.m. at Connetquot High School.

Get a Job, Keep a Job 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Getting a job can be tough. Doing great in your job and using it for better opportunities is even tougher. Meet with our counselor Will to learn about planning your future, plus how to nail an interview, get the job you want, and excel in the working world.

Wednesday, January 7

National Spaghetti Month 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

Join us to celebrate National Spaghetti Day. You'll love making all the traditional Italian eats and, of course, eating the dinner that follows. Bon appetit!

Art Club 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Draw, paint, and do special projects with Ms. Hillary & Mr. Casper.



Thursday, January 8

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Minecraft for Teens 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

You don't need a Minecraft account to build, dig, and fight on our server-world!



Ukulele and Guitar Group Lessons 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Bring your own guitar or uke for this informal group lesson with Billy.

Torch Club at WFHS 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

See *On the Road* Section for more information.

Guidance Counseling by Appointment 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Make an appointment with Kelly to discuss college and employment opportunities.

Friday, January 9

Stop Motion Photography with Clarence 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Join professional photographer Clarence Sheppard to learn the basics techniques of stop motion photography. Have your photos displayed in the teen art exhibit at the library on April May 15th. This is a 4 session program - attend January 9th, and 23rd, and February 6th and 20th.

Friday Night Movie 5:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Watch a great movie while you eat a delicious dinner.

Game On! 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Videogames, board games, Yu-Gi-Oh, friends, and pizza, all after the library closes.

Monday, January 12

Anime Club 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Scrapbooking w/Crystal 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Homework Helpers 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

See *Volunteer Opportunities* section for more information.

Tuesday, January 13

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Homework Helpers 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.

See *Volunteer Opportunities* section for more information.

Get a Job, Keep a Job 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 14

Art Club 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Reading Buddies at WFHS 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

See *Volunteer Opportunities* section for more information.

Thursday, January 15

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Minecraft for Teens 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Ukulele and Guitar Group Lessons 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Torch Club at WFHS 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Guidance Counseling by Appointment 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Friday, January 16

Illustrators Workshop 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Friday Night at the Movies 5:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Game On! 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Monday, January 19

Anime Club 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Scrapbooking w/Crystal 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 20

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Criminal Psychology 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Learn to profile and see how the criminal mind works.

Homework Helpers 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.

Get a Job, Keep a Job 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 21

Art Club 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Reading Buddies at WFHS 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 22

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Minecraft for Teens 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Ukulele and Guitar Group Lessons 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Torch Club at WFHS 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Guidance Counseling by Appointment 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Reading Buddies at WFHS 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

See *Volunteer Opportunities* section for more information.





Friday, January 23

Stop Motion Photography with Clarence 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
Illustrators Workshop 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Game On! 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 24

5-hour course 10:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 This is the required course for people 16 – 21 who want to schedule their road test. Course fee: \$55, payable by check, credit card or money order – NO CASH ACCEPTED. Payment required at time of registration. Out-of-district patrons and over-21 patrons may register beginning Saturday, November 15.
 A valid NYS Learner's Permit will be required on the day of the class.

Monday, January 26

Anime Club 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
Scrapbooking w/Crystal 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Homework Helpers 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 27

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.
Homework Helpers 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.
Get a Job, Keep a Job 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 28

Art Club 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Mastic Rec Center: Game On 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
 See On the Road Section for more information.
Reading Buddies 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 29

Advanced Battle 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.
Minecraft for Teens 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
Ukulele and Guitar Group Lessons 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Torch Club at WFHS 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Guidance Counseling by Appointment 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Reading Buddies 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Friday, January 30

Illustrators Workshop 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Game On! 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 31

Enrichment - Cupcake Decorating 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.
 Have fun frosting and decorating cupcakes. This program has been adapted for people 11-21 with special needs. ■



Volunteer Opportunities

Homework Helpers

Mondays, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. and Tuesdays, 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.
 Teens in grades 6-12 help elementary school students with their homework. You must apply to be part of this program; applications are available at www.communitylibrary.org/Teens/volunteer/ or in the Teen Area.

Reading Buddies (at William Floyd High School)

Wednesdays, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. and Thursdays, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.
 Teens in grades 9-12 read together with elementary-school aged children during the library's ESOL classes at the high school. You must apply to be part of this program; applications are available at www.communitylibrary.org/Teens/volunteer/ or in the Teen Area.

No-Sew Blankets

Teens in grades 6-12 work on cozy blankets to be donated to local shelters and food pantries. Come to the Teen Department to make an appointment. ■

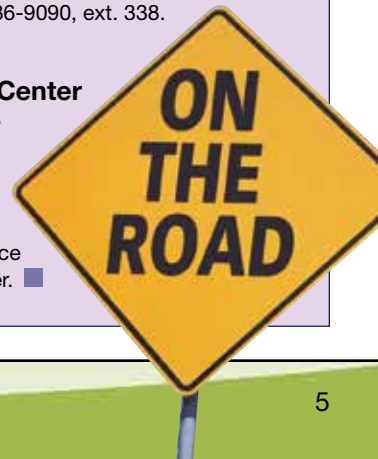
On the Road

Torch Club at William Floyd High School

Thursdays, January 8, 15, 22, and 29, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
 The Boys & Girls Club of the Bellport Area is pleased to announce that they are collaborating with MMSCL Teen Services to expand services to the William Floyd Area with a youth club for teens and teens, ages 9 and up. Youth will learn leadership skills, do community service, have fun and make friends. Parents must fill out a registration form for each child, and each youth must fill out a survey. Call Helene Purdoski to register or for more information: 631-286-9090, ext. 338.

Game On! @ the Mastic Recreation Center
Wednesday, January 28
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
15 Herkimer Street in Mastic

All the fun (and pizza) of our weekly Game On, once a month in the Rec Center. ■





Adults

Beautification Group Needs You!

Monday, January 26, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Meets at the Library

The William Floyd Community Summit beautification committee is looking for new volunteers. You don't need to have any gardening experience, just willingness to do some outdoor work. The committee is responsible for maintaining the bronze statues of children all over town, the new William Floyd gateway monument at the SE corner of Montauk Highway and WF Parkway, planting over 50,000 flower bulbs each spring and organizing a community cleanup each May. Join in and help make our community more beautiful! Open to all. ■



Digital Services

iPad Basics

Thursday, January 22

7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, January 15. Bring your iPad and learn how to make the most of it! Topics covered in the class include: basic navigation, all about apps and iPad settings. Please make sure your iPad's operating system is up to date.

Introduction to 3-D Printing

Monday, January 12

7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, January 5. Heard about 3-D printing and interested in learning more? We'll have a 3-D printer on hand to give a basic demonstration and answer your questions. Afterwards, we'll create a basic design to be printed and picked up at a later date! ■

Free Computer Classes for Adults

Registration for all computer classes begins on Monday, December 29th.

Introduction to Word

Wednesday, January 7

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Learn the basics of creating a document, saving, editing, formatting and more.

Introduction to Excel

Thursday, January 8

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Learn the basics of this spreadsheet program including creating, formatting worksheets, formulas and more.

Intermediate Word

Tuesday, January 13

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Learn about formatting, columns and tables all in this word processing program.



Intermediate Excel

Thursday, January 15

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Learn more about this spreadsheet program such as functions, working with ranges and charting.



Computers for Home Finance

Wednesday, January 21

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Use your spreadsheet program to help manage your finances by creating a simple database and keeping track of investments and expenses. ■



For adults in their 20's and 30's.



Share a Book, Share a Bite

Thursday, January 15, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Meet at JC's Restaurant at Mike's Place Too on Mastic Rd., Mastic. Bring a book you've read recently and you'll hear some recommendations from others as well. Light refreshments will be served.

Dungeons & Dragons & More

Saturdays, January 3 & 31, 12:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Join DM Aodhan for a tale of adventure, myth and mysticism. For new or experienced players. Bring your own board and card games as well.

The Admissions Process: Transfer & Graduate

Tuesday, January 20, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins on Monday, January 5.

The admissions process for transferring and applying to graduate programs can be confusing and exhausting. Join representatives from Long Island University as they offer tips and tricks on the application process. ■

Friendly Spanish Conversation

Thursdays, January 8, 15, 22, 29, February 5, 12, 26, (snow date)

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, December 29.

Beat the winter blues by challenging yourself to learn conversational Spanish. Learning a second language will make you smarter, more decisive and even better at English. ■

Craft Corner

Instructor provides materials kit (minus paints) with instructions. Intended for adults 18 years and older. Non-refundable.

Learn to Quilt

Monday, January 5, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Saturday, December 20.

All levels of experience are welcome to join the group.

Scrapbooking Memories

Choose one session:

Monday, January 5 or Thursday, January 29, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, December 26.

Fee: \$10. Bring adhesive and scissors to class.

Snowman Plate

Monday, January 19, 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, January 7.

Fee: \$18. Materials needed for class: ¼" deerfoot or ¼" foliage, 10/0 liner, 2 dry brushes or stencil brushes, #2 flat or #3 round, #6 and #12 flat shaders. ■



Your Library Loves to Help

NYS Health Insurance Counseling

Friday, January 2, 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

No registration necessary. First come, first served.

Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council navigators are available to help people enroll in Child Health Plus and Medicaid, and to see if they qualify for tax credits to help pay for insurance available in the NYS Health Insurance Marketplace. There is no guarantee that the navigator will have time to meet with everyone who comes on a single afternoon, but a navigator will be at the library on the first Friday of every month.

Business Counseling

**Mondays, January 12 & 26
6:00 – 9:00 p.m.**

Appointments necessary.

A representative from SCORE (Service Corps of Retired Executives) provides free business counseling. ■

Take Care of Yourself

Relax with Yoga

**Wednesdays, January 7,
14, 21, 28, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

Registration begins

Tuesday, December 30.

Bring a yoga mat or towel to class. No late admittance. No waiting list will be generated for this class.

Find Balance with Tai Chi

**Wednesdays,
January 7, 14, 21, 28
7:30 – 8:30 p.m.**

Registration begins Friday, January 2.

Instructor Bob Klein has produced over 60 instructional dvd's on exercise and martial arts. Tai Chi is a series of slow flowing, relaxing, beautiful movements that helps one to relieve excess tension, improve breathing, and relax the mind.

Learn About Ayurveda

Saturday, January 10, 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, December 23.

Ayurvedic practitioner and Yoga instructor, Kim Williams will outline ways to make self-care a daily ritual. Topics of discussion will include: which winter foods to eat to maintain overall well-being, how aromatherapy can create balance and healing, plus breathing techniques and stretches. Open to all.



Restore your Thyroid

Tuesday, January 13, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, January 6.

Could your thyroid be why you are not feeling well? Join certified Nutrition Educator and Holistic Health Practitioner Marguerite Sears, and learn about the symptoms, the three main reasons for poor health, and what lifestyle changes you can make to get on the road to improved health. Open to all. ■

Income Tax Counseling

**Thursdays, February 5, 12, 19, 26, March 5, 12, 19, 26,
April 2, 9, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.**

Registration for MMSCL cardholders begins on Wednesday, January 14.

A V.I.T.A. tax counselor from Bethpage Federal Credit Union will be available to assist with income tax preparation. The counselor is bilingual and can assist Spanish speaking patrons as well. ■



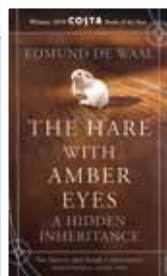
Read

Book Discussion of *The Hare with Amber Eyes*

Monday, January 19, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, December 30.

De Waal discovers that an inherited collection of rare Japanese carvings reveals the story of his ancestors: wealthy Jewish grain traders who branched out from Russia across the capitals of Europe before seeing their empire destroyed by the Nazis. Copies are available at the Circulation Desk after December 30. ■



Senior Corner

For seniors age 50 and older. Valid MMSCL card required for most programs. Contact the library in advance for special accommodations.

Game Club

Fridays, January 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

No registration necessary.

Play Scrabble, mah jongg or bridge.

Yoga for Seniors

Fridays, January 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, December 23.

Megan Frisina, a registered yoga teacher, offers this specially designed yoga practice for seniors who may be experiencing mobility or range of motion issues. The practice will combine healing breath and movement, and all poses will be done *while sitting in a chair*.

AARP Defensive Driving

Monday, January 5 and Tuesday, January 6, 5:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, January 2.

Register in advance and pay the instructor on the first day of class. Checks or money orders only, made payable to AARP.

AARP members \$20; non-members \$25. Open to all 50 and over.

Friday Afternoon at the Movies

Friday, January 9, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Registration begins Saturday, January 3.

One Hundred Foot Journey, rated PG. ■



Let's Play Bingo

**Monday, January 12
6:45 – 8:45 p.m.**

Registration begins

Monday,

January 5.

Join us for

some fun

rounds of bingo. ■



Defensive Driving

**Saturday, January 17
10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Registration begins

Thursday, January 8.

Fee: \$27. Payment due at first class. Checks, money orders or cash acceptable. Open to all. ■

In the Kitchen

Super Bowl Party Recipes

Monday, January 19

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, January 9.

Impress your guests this year with a menu of balsamic BBQ chicken wings, sweet sausage sliders with Caprese relish, and shrimp sliders with arugula and remoulade sauce. SCORE! ■



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Student Artist of the Month

Each month, artwork by a William Floyd School District student will be featured in the newsletter. Artists of the Month are chosen by their art teachers.

Liliana Munguia

Moriches Elementary
Artwork based on the book *Tar Beach*



Friends Coffeehouse Concert

Sunday, January 18, 2:00 p.m.

Coffee and dessert will be served! Join local band Pandafan and singer-songwriters Bryan Gallo and Chris Connelly for an afternoon of original music. Finding kindred spirit in the pop-folk of Mumford and Sons and the Lumineers, Pandafan brings together influences ranging from The Carter Family to Pink Floyd and melds them into something fresh and unique. Bryan and Chris have been regulars on the local music scene and recently played at the Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts. ■



Operation Medicine Cabinet

Wednesday, January 7, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

SCPD COPE officers will be at the library to collect unused prescriptions for safe disposal. Place medications in a plastic bag. No liquid or needles accepted. Safely disposing of expired or unwanted prescription drugs keeps seniors, children, pets and the environment safe. Officers will be at the library on the first Wednesday of each month. ■



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The Board of Trustees meets on the fourth Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Meetings are open and the public is always invited to attend. If you have any questions about any library matter, please call the Library Director, Kerri Rosalia, at 399-1511, ext. 200.



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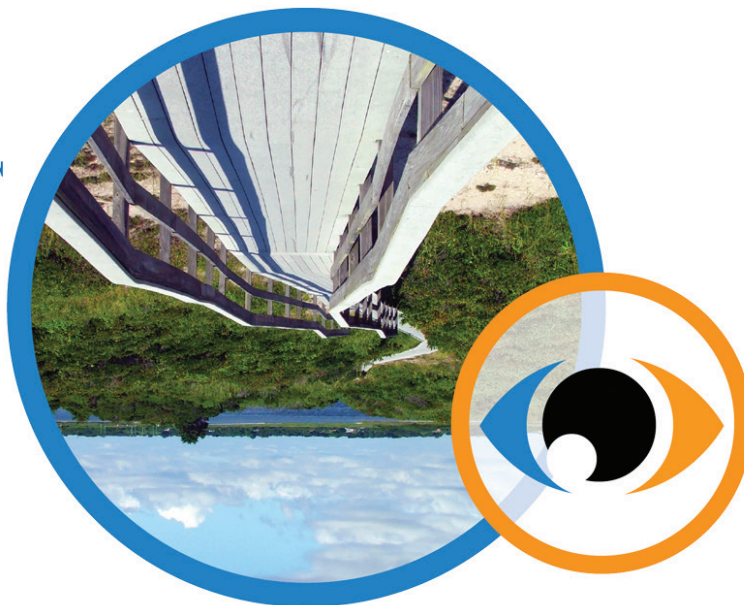
All programs are available to Mastics-Moriches-Shirley Community Library cardholders and require advanced registration, unless otherwise indicated. Please have your library card available when you register. The Library is glad to provide reasonable accommodations for patrons with special needs. Please call us at least two weeks prior to the program to make arrangements. Photographs, footage and names of patrons attending library programs may be used for publicity. Please inform us if you do not want information about you and your family used for such publicity.



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Library Facility Planning Process

Please join us at the second public visioning workshop,
Saturday, January 31, 2015, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

William Floyd HS 11th/12th Grade Cafeteria. Free meals and childcare provided.

RSVP at future.communitylibrary.org

Dear Patrons and Members of the Community,

We need your assistance. The Board of Trustees of the Mastics-Moriches-Shirley Community Library has the responsibility of providing the best library services possible. Over the past seven years, use of the library has grown exponentially. We are now serving residents five nights a week in classrooms at William Floyd High School in addition to the library, and at locations throughout the tri hamlet area including the Mastic Recreation Center, local parks and historic sites. More than 800 people walk through our doors every day. Community groups often wait months for library meeting rooms to become available, and library program sessions and services are limited due to lack of space and extremely limited parking.

In that regard, we have been working on ways to resolve multiple issues with the current facility. We have explored, in great detail, a phased approach to repair and update portions of the building over the course of a seven- to 10-year period. During the course of this planning, we discovered materials containing asbestos which require abatement, and structural steel repairs that will limit the scope of the project. This scenario also would come at a significant overall cost. As stewards of your library, we need your feedback to determine the future of our facility.

We will be **hosting a series of three public visioning workshops**, which will enable us to create a plan for the library that honors the unique needs of our community. Some of the options available for consideration include renovation of the existing building, acceptance of donated land from the Town of Brookhaven at the Links Property as the location for a brand new, state-of-the-art facility, or other scenarios. **We encourage our residents, business owners and employees of local businesses to attend these workshops which are designed to garner feedback and allow your ideas to be the driving force of this project.**

Our goal is to work collaboratively with members of the Mastics-Moriches-Shirley community, to ensure that we continue to provide exceptional library services in a fully-functional facility that residents deserve. Together we will reach a consensus.

This second of three workshops is scheduled for Saturday, January 31, 2015 in the William Floyd High School 11th/12th Grade Cafeteria, 240 Mastic Beach Road, Mastic Beach, NY 11951. Breakfast will be served at 8:30 a.m. and the meeting will run from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Free childcare and meals will be provided throughout the day.

Thank you for your consideration and we hope that you will help us come up with a solution to create a library of which we can all be proud. Please share this invitation with family, friends and neighbors.

Sincerely,

Board of Trustees

Mastics-Moriches-Shirley Community Library

LIBRARY BUILDING PLANNING WORKSHOP