



COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Trustee Election and Budget Vote

The Community Library's trustee election and budget vote will be Tuesday, April 3, 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m., at the library. Voter registration will be at the library Tuesday, March 27, from 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Five elected trustees govern your Community Library. One trustee is elected each year for a five-year term. The next board term of office is July 1, 2012 – June 30, 2017. Interested candidates should be library advocates, leaders in developing excellent services, and responsive to the needs of the entire community. Petitions nominating board candidates are available and must be filed in the library director's office no later than 5:00 p.m. Monday, March 5.

Absentee ballot applications are available at the circulation desk. All completed absentee ballots must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 3, in order to be canvassed for the vote. Voters may register for and receive an absentee ballot to be filled out in-person by the voter no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 2.

The regular meeting of the Library Board of Trustees on Monday, March 26, will also include a budget hearing and is open to the public. Information regarding the proposed budget will be available in the library and on our website at <http://www.communitylibrary.org> ■

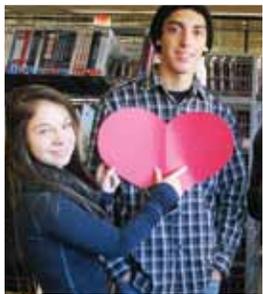


@ Your Community Library

Tuesdays, March 20, 27, and April 3
4:00- 4:45pm

Registration begins Tuesday, March 6

With the movie set to hit theaters and the birthday of its creator Dr. Seuss on March 2, the land of the Lorax is the perfect place to travel. In this three-part program, children in grades 2-6 will travel through the magical world of Dr. Seuss with his keeper of the trees, the Lorax. Begin by listening to this wonderful tale. Then take a pledge to be a keeper of the trees by planting your tree in a Seussical pot you create. The trees planted will then begin adventures of their own, starting in the library's own land of the Lorax, where staff will cultivate and nurture them. Where will our trees head next? Stay tuned to find out. ■



Thank You

Thanks to all the community members and library staff who made the *Have a Heart* food drive a success! ■

Memories of a Child Survivor of the Holocaust

Sunday, April 1, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Registration ongoing

We invite you to hear Inge Auerbacher, a child survivor of the Holocaust, tell her story. Inge was the last Jewish child born in Kippenheim, a German village. Beginning at age 7, she spent three years in Terezin (Theresienstadt) Concentration Camp in Czechoslovakia, where around 1% of 15,000 children survived.



Inge's life in Terezin was a nightmare.

When she arrived, everything was taken from her except for the clothes she wore and her precious doll, Marlene, which survived the war. Death, fear and hunger were her constant companions. She witnessed the deportation of many of her friends to Auschwitz and was in Terezin when the International Red Cross came to inspect the camp.



Inge is the author of numerous books, including *I Am a Star: Child of the Holocaust*, as well as the recipient of the Ellis Island Medal of Honor, Louis E. Yavner Citizen Award, Queens College of the City University of New York Alumni Star, and many other honors. Don't miss this remarkable woman's story as she brings us back to a very dark time in history.

This program is offered in conjunction with **Long Island Reads** and is open to the public. This year's book selection is *The Lost Wife* by Alyson Richmond, a portion of which is set in Terezin Concentration Camp. ■



Children & Parents

Babies & Parents

JumpBunch Basketball

Friday, March 23, 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

Registration begins Friday, March 9.

Play games that teach dribbling, ball handling, passing and catching skills. You will have a BALL! Babies 18 – 35 months and their adult.



Mother Goose

Wednesday, April 4

10:00 – 10:30 a.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, March 21.

Sing and chant old and new favorites at our nursery rhyme lapsit program. Babies birth – 30 months and their adult.

Simple Signs for Toddlers

Monday, April 9

6:30 – 7:15 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, March 26.

While singing songs and reading stories, children will learn signs for feelings, animals, popular nursery rhymes and more. Children 18 – 24 months with their adult. ■

Families

Bubble Trouble

Wednesday, April 11

3:30 – 4:15 p.m.

IN-PERSON REGISTRATION.

Tickets available beginning Wednesday, March 28.

A bubble volcano. A bubble roller coaster. A kid in a bubble? It's the craziest, most creative bubble show around. Jeff juggles bubbles, sculpts and builds with bubbles, forms fog bubbles and more. Families. ■



Parents

Special Support Group

Tuesdays, March 13 and 27

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Registration ongoing. Register for each date separately.

Parents of children with special needs meet in a supportive and confidential setting to discuss issues with others who may have similar experiences. Facilitated by a certified social worker with more than 15 years of experience working with the special needs population. ■

Discovery Center



Optical Illusions

The Discovery Center is exploring the science behind light and color. Have fun learning while you play with our interactive displays and attend our fun programs.

Let's Make

Eye-Popping Op Art

Saturday, March 31

2:00 – 2:45 p.m.

Registration begins Saturday, March 17.

We will be making a cool craft, but be careful! If you stare at it too long your eyes might pop out!

Grades 1-6. ■

Drop-in Illusions

Friday, March 2, 4:00 – 5:00

No registration

Meet us on the children's floor as we make fun optical Illusion-like crafts! Families.

Preschool

New! Drop in for Storytime

Thursdays, March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5

10:30 – 11:00 a.m.

No registration.

Children who enjoy being read to are more likely to want to learn to read themselves. Listen to wonderful stories, engage in fingerplays and songs. Preschoolers 3-5 years with an adult. Siblings may attend.

Curious About

Tuesdays, March 13, 20, 27, 10:00 – 10:30

a.m. OR 3:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, February 28.

In each session we'll be curious about a new topic or idea, which we'll explore through books. Preschoolers 3½ - 5 years WITHOUT their adult.



Parachute Play Time

Wednesday, March 21

12:30 – 1:00 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, March 7.

Listen to music and move the parachute in waves to the beat. Preschoolers 3-5 years and their adult.

JumpBunch Basketball

Friday, March 23, 11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

Registration begins Friday, March 9.

Play games that teach dribbling, ball handling, passing and catching skills. You will have a BALL! Preschoolers 3-5 years and their adult. ■

Schoolage



Desktop Publishing

Tuesday, March 13, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, February 28.

In this hands-on class, you'll learn how to use the word processing program Microsoft Word to create greeting cards, letterhead paper, transfer designs, newsletters, notepaper and much more. Grades 3-6.

Kids Explore Art: Mixed Media Collage

Wednesday, March 14, 4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, February 29.

Have fun creating personalized artwork using old books, paints, ink and other materials! Grades 2-6.

Slime and Goo

Thursday, March 15, 5:15 – 6:15 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, March 1.

Mix some mystery substances to make "slimy matter" and "gooey worms." Grades 3-6.

Microsoft PowerPoint

Tuesday, March 20, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, March 6.

Work with animation and video as you learn the basics of creating a slideshow, including editing, formatting, adding multimedia objects and animation effects. Grades 3-6.

American Girl Tea Social

Thursday, March 22, 4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, March 8.

Bring your American Girl doll (or other favorite doll) to the library for an afternoon tea. Snacks, crafts, stories and conversation. Grades 2-6.

Pinkalicious Party

Monday, March 26, 4:15 – 5:00 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, March 12.

Do you like pink? Come to the library wearing your favorite pink outfit to share pink snacks, play a game, hear pink stories and make a craft to take home. Grades K-2.

Flower Fairies

Thursday, April 5, 4:00 – 4:45 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, March 22.

Spring is here and the flower fairies are in full bloom. Come and enjoy some delightful fairy stories, then create your very own colorful flower fairy and make some flower fairy bread to take home. Grades 2 and 3.

After School Storytime

Fridays, March 9, 16, 23, 30, 4:30 – 5:15 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, February 23.

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

I Love a Parade

Monday, March 12, 5:30 – 6:15 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, February 27.

Get ready for St. Patrick's Day with a story, a craft, and our annual parade in the library. Don't forget to wear green! Grades Pre-K, K, and 1.

Leprechaun Storytime

Tuesday, March 13, 4:15 – 5:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, February 28.

Find the pot of gold at the library – just on the other end of the rainbow! Wear your Irish green, listen to leprechaun stories, sing songs and make an Irish shamrock to take home. Grades K-2.



Up, Up and Away

Tuesday, April 10

1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

IN-PERSON

REGISTRATION.

Tickets available beginning Tuesday, March 27.

Don't you wonder how those big planes can fly? Children will be amazed at the awesome properties of air pressure and what they can do to a roll of toilet paper. Amazing answers await in the Up, Up and Away Show. Grades K – 6. ■



In-Betweens

Game On!

Fridays, March 2,9,16,23,30, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Registration ongoing.

Console and online gaming after hours. Entering grades 6-12.

Learn How to Beatbox

Monday, April 9, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, March 26.

Jester Jim will teach you to use your mouth, lips, tongue and voice to create drum beats, rhythm, and musical sounds. Grades 5-8. ■

On the Road

Book Chat

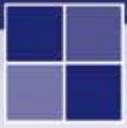
Wednesday, March 28

6:30 – 7:15 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, March 14.

Talk about the latest books and choose books for the next time. In partnership with the YMCA William Floyd Project. Meet us at the Brookhaven Town Mastic Recreation Center at 15 Herkimer Street, Mastic. Grades 4-6. ■





Teens

Featured Programs

Street Lit and Urban Grit

Tuesday, March 6, 4:00 – 4:45 p.m.

Are you a fan of raw, gritty stories of relationships and survival on the other side of the tracks? Then come to the Teen Area to pick up *Dutch* by Teri Woods anytime before our meeting.

National Potato Chip Day

Monday, March 12, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Join us for a truly unusual meal. You'll be making an appetizer, dinner and dessert - all with potato chips!

Minute to Win It

Wednesday, March 14, 2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Your team will have one minute to master the Minute to Win It challenge!

Shrinky Dink Keychain

Monday, March 19, 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

OR 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Design and create your own Shrinky Dink keychain!

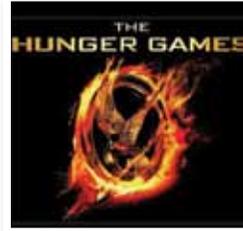
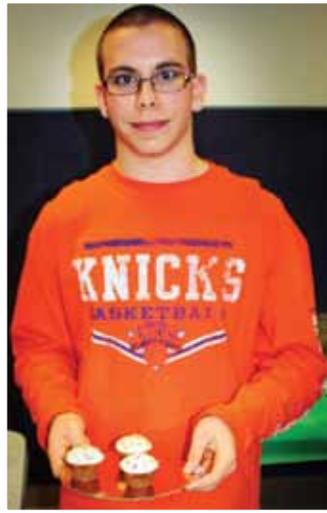


Lucky Cupcakes

Wednesday, March 21

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

These cupcakes might not bring you luck, but you'll learn how to use a pastry bag and star tip with colorful frosting.



Prepare the Food of the *Hunger Games*

Thursday, March 22

4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

We'll use recipes from the new *Hunger Games* cookbook to celebrate the book and newly released movie.

Five-Hour Pre-Licensing Course

Saturday, March 24

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: \$49, payable by check, credit card or money order – NO CASH ACCEPTED. Payment required at time of registration. *Out-of-district patrons may register beginning Saturday, March 17. A valid NYS Learner's Permit will be required on the day of the class. PLEASE NOTE: You must arrive and be ready for class by 10:45 a.m. Latecomers will not be seated.*

Infinity Scarf

Thursday, March 29, 3:00 – 4:00

p.m. OR 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Upcycle an old t-shirt into an infinity scarf with nothing but scissors and a little time. Bring one or two old t-shirts from home. ■



Enrichment Workshops

Programs for teens with special needs with librarian Ms. Kyle and WFHS teacher Ms. Currao. Participants must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. See *calendar for times and dates.* ■

On the Road

Illustrators Workshop and **Book Chat** take place at the Brookhaven Town Mastic Recreation Center at 15 Herkimer Street, Mastic, in partnership with the Floyd Project. See *calendar for dates and times.* ■



celebrating reading by connecting teens and authors

Authors Unlimited 2012

Saturday, April 28, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

St. Joseph's College, Patchogue

Meet some of your favorite authors, such as Adele Griffin, Robert Lipsyte, Lisa Greenwald and many more! All are welcome, tickets not necessary. For more information, call the Teen Services desk at 399-1511, ext. 365, email mmscteens@gmail.com or visit <http://authorsunlimited.org>. ■

Authors Unlimited 2012 will take place

SATURDAY, APRIL 28th

at St. Joseph's College campus:
156 W Roe Blvd, Patchogue, NY 11772



MARCH TEEN PROGRAMS

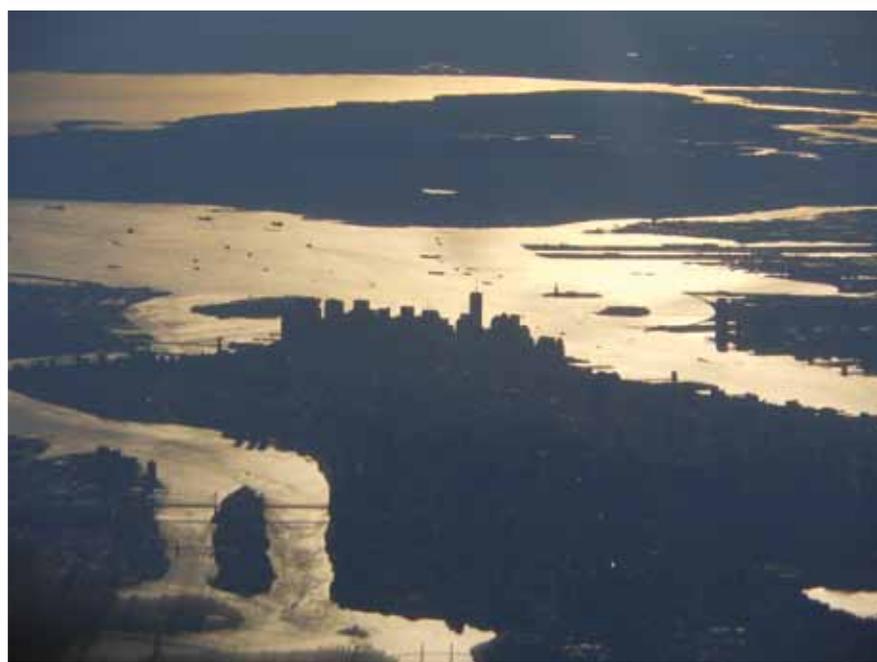
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><i>Featured programs are designated by a star *. More information can be found on the facing page. We welcome questions, comments and suggestions about our programs; check the "Keep in Touch" box for ways to contact us!</i></p>				<p>1 Advanced Battle of the Books 2:30-4pm</p>	<p>2 Drop-In Guidance 2:30-5:30pm Illustrators Workshop 4-5pm Game On! 6-7:30pm</p>	<p>3 Enrichment Workshop: St. Patrick's Day Treats & Eats* 10-11pm </p>
<p>4</p>	<p>5 Extreme Anime (Grades 10 up) 3-4pm</p>	<p>6 Advanced Battle of the Books 2:30-4pm Street Lit and Urban Grit* 4-4:45pm</p>	<p>7 Make and Eat a Healthy Dinner 4:30-5:30pm Art Club 6-8pm</p>	<p>8 Advanced Battle of the Books 2:30-4pm</p>	<p>9 Drop-In Guidance 2:30-5:30pm Camera Club 4-5pm Game On! 6-7:30pm</p>	<p>10 Lunch and a Movie 1-3:30pm</p>
<p>11</p>	<p>12 Anime Club 3-4pm National Potato Chip Day* 4-5:30pm</p>	<p>13 Advanced Battle of the Books 2:30-4pm Teen Advisory Group 3:30-4:30pm</p>	<p>14 Minute to Win It* 2:30-3:30pm Art Club 6-8pm</p>	<p>15 Advanced Battle of the Books 2:30-4pm</p>	<p>16 Drop-In Guidance 2:30-5:30pm Illustrators Workshop 4-5pm Game On! 6-7:30pm Advanced Battle of the Books Competition at Sachem PL 6-9pm</p>	<p>17 Enrichment Workshop: St. Patrick's Day Crafts* 10-11pm </p>
<p>18</p>	<p>19 Extreme Anime (Grades 10 up) 3-4pm Shrinky Dink Keychain* 3-4:30pm Shrinky Dink Keychain* 7-8:30pm</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21 Lucky Cupcakes* 5-6pm  Art Club 6-8pm</p>	<p>22 Prepare the Food of the Hunger Games* 4:00-5:30pm</p>	<p>23 Drop-in Guidance Counseling 2:30-5:30pm On the Road: YMCA Illustrators 3:30-4:30pm Illustrators Workshop 4-5pm Game On! 6-7:30pm</p>	<p>24 5-Hour Pre-Licensing Course* 10:45am-4pm</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>26 Anime Club 3-4pm</p>	<p>27 Luck of the Irish Bingo 3:30-5pm</p>	<p>28 Art Club 6-8pm</p>	<p>29 Infinity Scarf* 3-4pm Infinity Scarf* 6:30-7:30pm</p>	<p>30 Drop-In Guidance 2:30-5:30pm Illustrators Workshop 4-5pm Game On! 6-7:30pm</p>	<p>31 Enrichment Workshop: Game On! 10-11am</p>

Teen Artwork of the Month

Kaylee LaSpisa

Keep in Touch
With Your Teen
Services Department

- Visit us online at:
www.communitylibrary.org/teens
(and chat with us there!)
- email us at MMSCLteens@gmail.com
- like us on Facebook:
facebook.com/mmsclteens
- or text us: 66746 - start your question with the keyword MMSCL.
- stop by anytime the library is open – the Teen Area is on the lower level. ■





Adults

Celtic Corner



Luck of the Irish Bingo

Monday, March 19

6:45 – 8:45 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, March 9. Come wearing the green and try your luck at some fun rounds of bingo.

Knocknagow Concert

Sunday, March 25

2:00 – 3:30 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, March 8.



Irish eyes will be smiling when you hear the likes of Knocknagow. This talented Celtic band combines the traditional sounds of Ireland with the contemporary tunes of the present. Bring the whole family for a musical treat! ■

Long Island Love Stories From Beyond

Thursday, March 15, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, February 29

How do our deceased loved ones contact us to let us know they are alright where they have gone? Are coincidences and unlikely events actually messages from the “other side,” intended to validate that the ones we miss so much are actually still around us? Joseph Flammer and Diane Hill, the Paranormal Adventurers, are Long Island’s most famous ghost hunters, authors, and lecturers on the paranormal. ■

Take Care of Yourself

Relax with Yoga

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

Registration begins Tuesday, February 28.

Bring a towel or mat. No late admittance to class.



Stretch and Tone with Pilates

Wednesdays, March 7, 14, 21, 28, 7:15 – 8:15 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, February 28. Bring a towel or mat to class. ■

Defensive Driving

Monday, March 5, and Tuesday, March 6, 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, February 27.

Fee: \$25 due at the first day of class. Checks, money orders or cash are acceptable. ■

Read

Discussion of *True Grit*

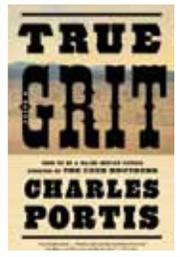
14- year-old girl avenges her father's murder

Wednesday, March 21

2:00 – 4:00 p.m. OR 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, February 29.

Mattie Ross is just 14 years old when a cowardly thief kills her father in cold blood. Accompanied by the one-eyed U.S. Marshall Rooster Cogburn, she leaves home to avenge her father's death and pursue his killer, even into Indian Territory. *True Grit* is a powerful story of vengeance and valor set in an unforgiving frontier where justice is simple and mercy is rare. Copies available at the Circulation Desk after February 29. ■



Trips

LIRR Discount Train Tickets

Saturday, March 31

Registration begins Tuesday, March 6.

Do as you please in New York City! Meet at the Patchogue train station at 8:15 a.m. to pick up your tickets and travel as a group in the first car heading to the city. Train leaves at 8:23 a.m. Return on your own any time that day. Non-refundable tickets are \$8.50 per person. Open to all.



Ethnic Food Tour Bus Trip

Friday, May 4

Registration begins: Monday, March 12, for MMSCL cardholders; Tuesday, March 13, for non-district patrons (space permitting).

Experience the Bronx and Westchester's diverse neighborhoods – Irish, Soul, Indian, Italian and Mexican – through ethnic food samplings. Visit New York's largest Irish community and learn the true story of the famine. Go behind the scenes of a culinary school, and discover Indian food and see an authentic tandoor clay oven. Fee: \$81 (includes round-trip transportation, tour, food samplings and tips). The bus departs the library at 7:45 a.m., returning home at approximately 6:30 p.m. ■

Business Classes

Registration begins Tuesday, March 27.

Starting and Growing Your Own Business

Tuesday, April 3, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Slow-paced, user-friendly workshop covers the basics of setting up a business.

Writing a Business Plan

Tuesday, April 10, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Introduction to the components of a business plan, including start-up costs, preparing a budget, etc.

Marketing Your Own Business

Tuesday, April 17, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Learn how to develop and implement an effective marketing plan.

Bookkeeping Basics

Tuesday, April 24

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Find out how you can manage your business accounts effectively. ■

Craft Corner

Each instructor will provide a materials kit (minus paints) with instructions. Adults 18 years and older. No refunds.

Learn the Art of Quilting

Monday, March 12, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Saturday, March 3.
All levels of experience welcome.

Bunny Easter Egg

Wednesday, March 14

6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, March 2.

Fee: \$7.00 Materials needed for class: ¼" deer foot, dry or stencil brush, #12 & #2 flat shaders, 10/0 liner, mop.



Scrapbooking Memories

Thursday, March 22, and Monday, March 26, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Registration begins Wednesday, March 14.

Bring adhesive and scissors to class. Fee: \$10.00. ■

In the Kitchen

Let's Make Cream Puffs

Thursday, March 8

7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Registration begins Thursday, March 1.

Who can resist a cream puff when the Baking Coach is in town?



Irish Soda Bread

Tuesday, March 13, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, March 6.

The Baking Coach returns to make this yummy Irish treat. ■

Senior Corner

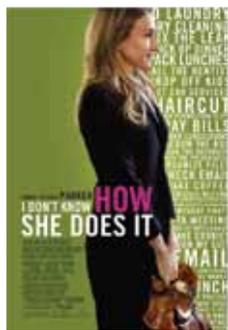
For seniors age 50 and older. Contact the library in advance for special accommodations.

Game Club

Fridays, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

No registration necessary.



Friday Afternoon at the Movies

Friday, March 16

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Registration begins Saturday, March 10.

I Don't Know How She Does It, starring Sarah Jessica Parker. Rated PG-13. ■

AARP Defensive Driving

Tuesday, March 27, and Wednesday, March 28, 5:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Registration begins: Thursday, March 15, for MMSCL cardholders; Friday, March 16, for non-district patrons (space permitting).

Register in person, by phone or online. Payment is due on the first day of class and given directly to the instructor. Checks or money orders only made payable to AARP. \$17 for AARP members; \$19 for non-members.

Come Chill:

For 18-24 year olds

Game On! Veterans' Edition

Fridays, March 2, 9, 16, 30, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Registration begins Friday, February 24.

Play Xbox 360, Wii and Playstation 3. Refreshments served. ■

Your Library Loves to Help



All services below require appointments. Call 399-1511, ext. 240.

Career Counseling

Our career counselor helps with resumes, interviewing strategies, job searches via the internet, post-secondary education, career goals and other career-related concerns.

Climb Your Family Tree

Our genealogy expert will help you get started on researching your family history.

Computers and Gadgets

Get one-on-one instruction on your specific concern on your e-reader, smart phone, computer, camera or other electronic device.

Everyday Problems

A social worker will listen to you, help you deal with everyday problems, and guide you to sources for further help. Possible due to the cooperation of Colonial Youth Services.

Small Business Counseling Mondays, March 12 and 26

SCORE (Service Corps of Retired Executives) provide business counseling. ■

Learn How to Download Library Books to Your eReader

Saturday, March 3, 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

No registration necessary.

The library will offer clinics on downloading library eBooks for owners of Kindles, Nooks, iPads or any other device that can function as an eReader. Kindles will be covered at 2:00 p.m., Nooks at 3:00 p.m. and iPads and any other devices at 4:00 p.m. Please make sure all devices are fully charged when you bring them and bring your library card with you. In addition, if you have a Kindle, come knowing your Amazon login; if you have a Nook, bring a laptop PC and the USB cable for your Nook; and if you have an iPad, come knowing your login for iTunes. ■



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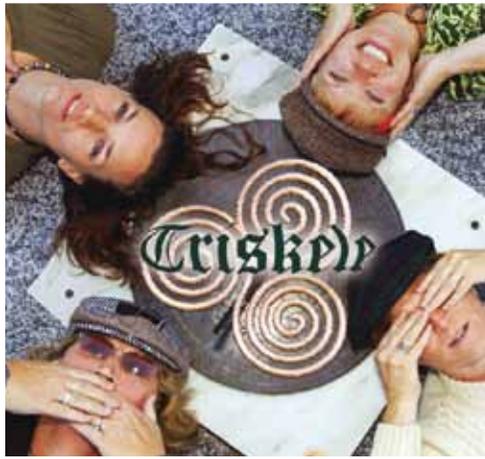
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Triskele – Celtic Ladies Sunday, March 4 2:00 p.m. Library Auditorium

Triskele, or triple spiral, is an ancient Celtic symbol. The three spirals reflect earth, sea, and sky or body, mind, and spirit. *Triskele* began as a duo with founding members Sharon Wheeler and Noeleen Whelan in 2008. The band expanded to include instrumentalists and vocalists Jennifer Kilinski and Christine Whelan in early 2010. Their unique harmonies, passion for helping others and sharp wit make *Triskele* a unique blend o' sweet and saucy.

Tickets available at the Adult Services Desk or online with a credit card at www.friends-arts.org. Online ticket buyers will not receive a paper ticket; your email receipt is your ticket, and you will be on an attendance list at the door.



St. Patrick's Day Parade Sunday, March 11, 2:00 p.m.



The Community Library will have our giant book float in the Chamber of Commerce of the Moriches Annual Parade on Main Street in Center Moriches. Irish pipe bands, volunteer fire departments, ambulance companies, antique autos, scout troops, a float competition, school bands, and a princess essay contest make this a favorite local event. The parade is family-friendly and a drug and alcohol free zone. Hope to see you there.

Family Literacy Project, Inc. Annual Book Sale Friday and Saturday, April 13 and 14 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Save the date for the Community Family Literacy Project, Inc.'s annual used book sale. Proceeds of the sale help support family literacy programming at the library.



Download our app! Visit mmscl.boopsie.com on your smartphone or mobile device to begin installation.

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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