South Country Library Established 1897



South Country Library Notes

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November-December 2018

Food for Fines Holiday Food Drive

Thursday, November 1 **Sunday, November 18** Adults, exchange food items*, one item per dollar owed, for overdue fines up to \$10 (excludes lost items). For Lighthouse Mission. *Non-perishable, unexpired, undamaged, food in cans, boxes, or plastic (no glass).

Winter Warmth Collection

November 1-December 14



The Children's Dept. will collect donated new unwrapped socks, slippers, scarves, hats, mittens, gloves in all sizes to provide to local needy persons by the Bellport Hagerman East Patchogue Alliance.

South Bay Art **Holiday Fair** Saturday, December 1, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. and Sunday, December 2, 12-3 p.m.

The library hosts the South Bay Art Assoc.'s Holiday Craft Fair in our program room. Shop for unique, handmade gifts. During the fair, in a different room, take a seasonal photo in front of the green screen.

Media Sale Saturday, November 17-Sunday, November 25 Swing by for our Black Friday week used media sale. All items (DVDs. CDs, and cookbooks- with last minute Thanksgiving ideas) are \$1.

Tech Fair Saturday, November 3, 12-4 p.m.

Tech is taking over the main floor of the library! We'll have tech for all ages. Discover new worlds with our Virtual Reality system, the HTC Vive, and explore new dimensions with our **Ultimaker 2+** 3-D printer and our new Formlabs Resin printer. Choose from a variety of scenes for green screen photos. Visit tables with all the new robots, gadgets, and gizmos available at the library. Enter the raffle of electronics for children, teens and adults.

Train Trip †\$ Saturday, December 8, 9:40 a.m.

After our group arrives, enjoy the City on your own. Meet at the Ronkonkoma railroad station at 9:40 a.m.; board as a group. Arrive Penn Station at 10:59 a.m.; return on any train. An adult must accompany anyone under age 18. A fee of \$9.75 per person (under five years travel free) must be paid at library. Travelers are responsible to board correct train; no refunds.



Veterans Resources Fair

Tuesday, November 13

3-7 p.m.

Representatives from government and community organizations will be on the main floor of the library with resources for veterans including health, housing, legal services, and more.

Would You Do Business With You?

Wednesday, December 5, 7-8:30 p.m.

Glenn Rudin, a sales and marketing consultant, guides you in steps of self-assessment and provides invaluable observations, advice and evaluation to help develop a clear business pitch, create an effective marketing strategy, and excel in networking efforts.

Square Winter Wreath 🛊 \$ 🚍

Wednesday, December 5, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Join Bonnie Schwartz as she



teaches us how to assemble a cozy assemble a cozy square wreath that

has a lit paper house and charming silver stars. \$5

Thanksgiving Pot-Luck and Concert Buddy Merriam & Back Roads Ouartet

Friday, November 16, 6 p.m. and Friday, November 16, 7 p.m. Our holiday kick off. Take part in our pot-luck feast then attend a concert featuring local bluegrass legends Buddy Merriam & Back Roads Quartet. Enjoy traditional bluegrass music, featuring mandolin, fiddle and guitar. Sign up with Ass't Dir. Patrick O'Leary 631-286-0818 to make food to share.

Learn to Play Mah Jongg **≈** ■

Mondays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., November 12, 19, and 26

A 3-session intro by Jacqui Palatnik to begin to know strategies, sequences, combinations and basic moves. Returnees welcome.

Mothers' Group Mondays, 10-11 a.m.,

November 5-December 17 Join our social work intern to play with your children, discuss topics and share with other mothers for support and encouragement. For mothers and children ages newborn-3 years. 11/5, 11/12, 11/19,

11/26, 12/3, 12/10, 12/17

Fall Prevention Friday, November 16, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Are you afraid to fall? Do you fear it for a loved one? Join Kristi Ladowski, from Stony **Brook University Trauma** Center. Learn to recognize risks; make changes to stay safe and live independently.

Gingerbread House

with Swan Bakery †\$ == Tuesday, December 11, 7 p.m. OR Thursday, December 13, 7 p.m.

Families invited. Build and decorate a gingerbread house. All decorations will be provided to make a truly tasty work of art. Take



home box provided. Up to 4 people per family may register. Fee \$5

per family (non-refundable); due at registration which begins Saturday, December 1.

The Vendettas **Holiday Concert**



Friday, December 21, 7 p.m. The Vendettas will perform many holiday selections done in a mix of rockabilly and roots rock 'n' roll including Elvis, Johnny Cash, & Chuck Berru. With the room décor reminiscent of a Christmastime NYC supper club, audience members can enjoy refreshments after the show.

Santa Extravaganza

Friday, December 14, **5-6:30 p.m.** (Drop in) Visit Santa at the library! Take a photo with Santa (bring your camera), make a craft, and enjoy hot cocoa. For all age children AND an adult.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Winter Warmth Collection Gingerbread House November 1- December 14 See front page for details.

Sign up in the Adult Dept. on December 1. Details front page.

November Programs

Program sign up online, in-person or by phone begins Thursday, November 1, 9:30 a.m.

family programs must include an adult

Tech Fair All ages Saturday, November 3, 12-4 p.m.

See front page for details. Make a short LEGO® stop motion movie and more.

Sensory Storytime

3 years-Grade 3

Saturday, November 24, 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Activities engage five senses. Kids with sensory process challenges welcome.

Zumba® for Families

3 years-Grade 5

Wednesday, November 28, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Playdate: Pet Vet All ages

Thursday, November 29, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Drop in.

for newborn-5 years must include an adult

Mothers' Group

Newborn-3 years

Mondays, 10-11 a.m., November 5-26 Details p.1.

Movement & Music

1-4 years

Wednesday, November 7, 11-11:45 a.m.

Baby Games

Newborn-1 year

Wednesday, November 7, 12-12:45 p.m.

Concept Fun: Letter A 18-35 months

Friday, November 9, 10:30-11:15 a.m. and/or Tuesday, November 13, 4-4:45 p.m.

Gobble Gobble Turkey 3-5 years

Wednesday, November 14, 10:30-11 a.m.

Baby Sign Language

Newborn-18 months

Thursday, November 15, 10:30-11 a.m.

On My Own Storytime

3-5 years without adult

Thursday, November 15, 6-6:30 p.m.

Thanksgiving Pendant

2½-5 years

Saturday, November 17, 10:30-11 a.m.

Mother Goose

Newborn-2 years Tuesday, November 27, 4-4:30 p.m.

for grades K-5

Read to a Dog Grades K-5 Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., November 6, 13, 20, & 27

Practice reading; certified therapy dog; 15-minute slot.

Pen Pals: Friendly **Letter Writing** Grades 2-5

Wednesdays, 4-4:45 p.m., November 7 & 28

Gratitude Tree Centerpiece Grades 2-5

Thursday, November 8, 6-6:45 p.m.

Crown Crafting

Grades K-5

Saturday, November 10, 11-11:30 a.m.

Fall Puzzle Tree

Grades 2-5

6-6:45 p.m.

Saturday, November 17, 1:30-2:15 p.m.

LEGO® Club Grades K-5 Friday, November 23, 3-4 p.m.

Ozobots® Grades 2-5 Monday, November 26,

I Survived: S.T.E.A.M. **Learn from Historical Events** Grades 1-5

Thursday, November 29, 2-3 p.m.

December Programs

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family programs must include an adult

Zumba® for Families

3 years-Grade 5

Wednesday, December 12, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Santa Extravaganza

All ages

Friday, December 14, 5-6:30 p.m. See front page for details.

Sensory Storytime

3 years-Grade 3

Saturday, December 15, 10:30-11:15 a.m. See 11/24 description.

Playdate: Paper Snowman All ages Friday, December 28, 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. Drop in anytime.



for newborn-5 years must include an adult

Mothers' Group

Newborn-3 years

Mondays, 10-11 a.m., December 3-17 Details p.1.

Five Little Reindeer Story & Craft 2½-5 years

Thursday, December 6, 10:30-11 a.m.



Concept Fun: Colors

18-35 months

Thursday, December 6, 4-4:45 p.m. and/or Friday, December 21, 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Little Listeners 3-5 years Monday, December 10, 2-2:30 p.m.

On My Own Storytime

3-5 years without adult

Tuesday, December 11, 6-6:30 p.m.

Shake, Rattle & Read

12-35 months

Wednesday, December 12, 11-11:30 a.m.

Holiday Story & Craft 2½-5 years

Wednesday, December 19, 10:30-11 a.m.

Mother Goose

Newborn-2 years

Thursday, December 20, 4-4:30 p.m.

JumpBunch

18 months-5 years

Saturday, December 29, 10-10:45 a.m.

for grades K-5

Spread Holiday Cheer: Holiday Card Creations

Grades 2-5

Thursday, December 6, 6-6:45 p.m.

Make cards for residents of Bellhaven Nursing Home.

Poinsettia Painting

Grades 2-5

Saturday, December 15, 1:30-2 p.m.

Snowflake Ornament

Grades K-2

Tuesday, December 18, 6-6:30 p.m.

LEGO® Club Grades K-5 Wednesday, December 19 6-7 p.m.

Winter Slime Time

Grades 1-5

Wednesday, December 26, 6-6:30 p.m.

Kids Paint Night: Winter



Wonderland Grades 2-5 Thursday, December 27, 6:15-7 p.m.

Program descriptions and online registration are available at sctylib.org/kids

Registration is required unless otherwise noted.

Children in Grades K and up will attend programs independently.

If your child needs special accommodations, let us know.

Please be on time for programs. We will hold space for registrants for five minutes unless we are notified a child will be late.

Library use or material selection by children must be supervised.

Staff may take photographs at library programs for use in library publicity. Please inform us if you do not want photos taken.

Young Adults

Registering for programs requires SCL library card. Full descriptions and online registration: sctylib.org

ALL YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS ARE FOR GRADES 6-12

Escape the Library: Holiday Version Saturday December 15

Saturday, December 15, 12-1:30 p.m.

Reading and Writing

Book Discussion: Warcross by Marie Lu Monday, December 10, 3-4 p.m.

Volunteer

Interested in volunteering to receive credit? Ask at YA desk.

Tech Fair Volunteer

Saturday, November 3, 11:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Teen Advisory Group

Tuesday, November 6, 3-4 p.m.

Thanksgiving Potluck

Friday, November 16, 5-9 p.m.

Book Art

Wednesday, November 28, 3-5 p.m.

Craft Fair

Saturday, December 1, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. & Sunday, December 2, 12-3:30 p.m.

Coupons for the Troops

Read, Write a Review

Clubs

Chess Club Monthly

Thursdays, 3-4 p.m., November 8, December 13

Make It

Thanksgiving Tacos

Tuesday, November 13, 4-5 p.m.

Book Art (Volunteer)

Wednesday, November 28, 3-5 p.m.



Learn the Ukulele

Tuesday, December 4, 5-6:30 p.m.

Decorated Ornaments

Wednesday, December 5, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Gingerbread House

Tuesday, December 11, 4-5 p.m.



Winter Mug

Tuesday, December 18, 3:30-4:30 p.m.



Films and Games

Video Games (Titles online)

Fridays, 3-4 p.m. November 2, 30, December 14

Friday Films (Titles online)

Fridays, 3-5 p.m. November 9, December 7

Technology



Ins/Outs of Google Drive

Wednesday, November 7, 6:30-7:30 p.m. OR Monday, December 3, 3-4 p.m.

3-D Printing

Tuesday, November 20, 3-4 p.m. or 6-7 p.m.

Adult Programs

Disability Forum

Monday, November 27, 7 p.m.

Councilman Michael Loguercio and members of Brookhaven's Disability Task Force present an interactive forum to discuss, identify and address the needs of the disabled in South Country community. All are welcome.

Nintendo Anyone?



Feeling nostalgic? Check out a Classic Nintendo System

preloaded with 30 classic games and two controllers. Or a Super Nintendo System with pre-installed games.

Baking Tools

Have holiday baking needs? Borrow tools: cake pans shaped as a snowflake, a Christmas tree and a reindeer; also a set of 10 holiday cookie cutters. Let the baking begin!

Social Work Intern

A social work SBU student intern assists patrons with info, referrals, paperwork for housing, treatment, services. Call Reference to schedule, or abruccoleri@sctylib.org

BOOK DISCUSSION

Bagels, coffee and tea. † ESaturday, December 8, 10 a.m. Station Eleven by Emily St. John Mandel Book available 11/13. No Jan. mtg.

CLUBS

Friends of the Library Wednesdays, 7 p.m. November 14, December 12.

Fireplace Literary Club

November 14, 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 12, 2 p.m. Brookhaven Library.

COMPUTER CORNER

All About Facebook Friday, November 30, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Lecture and demo; learn everything about Facebook.



REGISTERING

Adult programs are for South Country residents, 18 and older. Registration begins with publication date of the newsletter, unless noted. Call Reference or register online. In-person registration is required when indicated by \$\frac{1}{2}\$ symbol and for programs with fee.

Telephone registration at 631-286-0818, Reference.

Online registration available at sctylib.org

In-person registration required.

\$ Non-refundable fee due at registration.

For SC Library cardholders. Out-ofdistrict persons may register one week before class, if space permits.

REGULARLY SCHEDULED Programs listed below are held regularly; (Programs elsewhere in newsletter *) No registration unless noted.

Acoustic Jam Fridays, 6:30-8:30 p.m. 11/2, 12/7 (*Blues Jams discontinued.*)

Alzheimer Dementia Caregiver Support Monday, 1-2:30 p.m. 11/12, 12/10. Register 516-586-1507

Blood Drive Next drive Fri. 1/25, 1-7 p.m.

***Books & Bagels † ा** Saturdays, 10-11 a.m., 12/8. Discussion.

Book a Librarian S By appt. One-on-one tech help with librarian.

Bridge Club Tuesdays, 1-3:30 p.m.

Canasta Club Wed. 12:30-2:30 p.m.

Chess Club Mondays, 12-2 p.m.

Child/Family Health Plus Wednesdays, 3-6 p.m. 11/14, 12/12. Call 631-656-9783 for items needed.

Defensive Driving /AARP † \$Tuesday, 12/11, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. \$20 AARP, \$25 non-members.

Defensive Driving /Empire Safety Council **†** \$ Saturdays, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 11/10, 12/8, \$27 Easy Tai Chi ↑ \$ ➡ Thursdays, 12-1 p.m. 11/8, 11/15, 11/29, 12/6, 12/13, 12/20 (No 11/22 class.) \$10

ESOL Basic English Mondays through 12/17, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

ESOL Clases de Ingles Nivel Básico Lunes hasta 18:30-20:30. Continúa hasta el 17 de diciembre.

Mah-Jongg Club Wed. 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Open Mic Night last Thursday, monthly, 6:30-8:30 p.m., 11/29, No Dec. mtg.

Senior Advocate Mon. 10 a.m.-12 p.m., bi-monthly. 12/17.

SMART Recovery Thursdays, 7-8:30 p.m. Anonymous support age 18+.

SNAP Mon. 10 a.m.-1 p.m., 11/19, 12/3, Wed. 2-4 p.m., 11/21, 12/19

*Thursday Afternoon at the Movies Thursdays, 2 p.m.

Writing Workshop † Tuesdays, 7-8:45 p.m., bi-weekly; next reg. Jan.

***Yoga † \$ E** Mondays, 4:30-6 p.m. or 6:15-7:45 p.m., 11/5-1/14, \$63.

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Kristina Sembler, Director | Patrick O'Leary, Assistant Director

Hours:

Mon.-Fri. 9:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Saturday Sunday

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HELP & INFORMATION

Coffee with a Cop

Thursday, November 8, 3 p.m.

Community members, come meet your local Suffolk County



police officers for a cup of coffee. Discuss issues and learn more about each other.

Fireside Café: free coffee for all attendees.

Career / Education Counseling ==

Monday, November 12, 5:30-8:30 p.m., by appt.

(No December meeting) Library patrons. College advising; résumé, interview, application help. One-on-one with Betty Velez.

Medicare Seminar

Wednesday, November 14, 3-4:30 p.m.

This strictly educational talk

includes options, features, benefits, when to enroll, planned 2019 changes, supplemental plans, more. Open enrollment ends 12/7.

Music Mends Minds

Sunday, November 18,

2-3:30 p.m. (No Dec. meeting) Musical support group band for those with neurological The library is assisting the Bellport Rotary Club chapter of Music Mends

conditions. Judy, 631-286-0818. Minds.

EDUCATION & ENTERTAINMENT

Meditation and Reiki Circle

Thursdays, 5-6 p.m., November 1-December 27 Join Reiki practitioner Antonietta for energy healing: meditation; short Reiki treatment. Mat, towel, blanket optional. 11/1, 11/15, 11/29, 12/13, 12/27

Yoga

† \$ = Mondays, 4:30-6 p.m. or 6:15-7:45 p.m.

November 5-January 14

Standing poses, seated, twist poses, more. \$63 non-refundable. Not suitable while pregnant or with medical conditions. Questions 631-286-3890. 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 1/7, 1/14 Bring yoga mat, 2 firm blankets, belt, yoga block.

Chair Yoga, †\$ Meditation, Reiki

Tuesdays, 9:45-11:15 a.m. November 6-December 18

Kristen devotes 45 minutes to chair yoga for breath work and stress release, 45 to meditation and Reiki. \$24 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27, 12/4, 12/18 (No 12/11 class.)

Soap Making **Z**



Wednesday, November 14, 7-8:30 p.m.

Carly from Modern Primal Soap Co. shows how to make a meltpour project at home. Students take home guest soap, source list and oulsein instructions.

Posture vs. Pain

Thursday, November 15, 7-8 p.m.

Drs. Richard S. Block and Philip A. Facquet III of Prescription Chiropractic. Poor posture causes pain and increases falling risk. Learn proper standing, sitting, sleeping, and foot posture and helpful exercises.

Holistic Gifts † \$ ₪



December 6, 7-8 p.m. Alana Andresen teaches how to make holistic holiday gifts.

Students make herbal bath items, essential oil voul seir



Rescue Your



Relationships ≃ Wednesday,

December 19, 7-8 p.m. Christine Malenda,

MhD explores relationships. Learn new skills to help you love, parent, and be a friend. Make immediate, lasting improvements.

GALLERY DISPLAY

Artists! Want to display a collection? Able to do your own installation? Contact Judy in Reference Dept.

November - Our Natural Earth **Mery Flaherty December - Members' Exhibit South Bay Art Association**

BOARD OF TRUSTEES Meetings, 7 p.m.*

Thursday, November 15 Thursday, December 20

*Please call library administration or check our website to verify.

THURSDAY MOVIES

Weekly, 2 p.m. No registration is required. Cookies. Latest information 631-286-0818.

November 1 Ocean's 8

(PG-13), 110 minutes

November 8 Jurassic World-Fallen Kingdom

(PG-13), 129 minutes

November 15

Damsel (R), 113 minutes

November 29

Solo: A Star Wars Story

(PG-13), 135 minutes

December 6 **Uncle Drew**

(PG-13), 103 minutes

December 13 Skyscraper

(PG-13), 103 minutes

December 20 Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again

(PG-13), 114 minutes

December 27 **Incredibles 2**

(PG), 111 minutes

LIBRARY OPEN

Election Day Tuesday, November 6

DELAYED OPENING

Friday, December 14 **12 p.m.** (Staff safety training)

LIBRARY CLOSED

Veterans Day Sunday, November 11

Thanksgiving

Wed., Nov. 21, after 5 p.m. Thursday, November 22

Christmas

Monday, December 24 Tuesday, December 25

New Year

Monday, Dec. 31 after 1 p.m. Tuesday, January 1