

# WHAT'S HAPPENING? - THE COMMUNITY BUZZ

## Spring is Coming!



### March Library Hours

#### Regular Hours:



Monday-Thursday 10:00 AM-9:00 PM  
Friday 10:00 AM-5:00 PM  
Saturday 10:00 AM-3:00 PM  
Sunday – Closed

#### Library Schedule Change:

The library is open, but the auditorium will be closed for early voting from Saturday, March 23 to Saturday, March 30

#### Our Mission

The mission of the Wyandanch Public Library is to provide quality materials and services which fulfill the educational, informational, cultural, and recreational needs of the entire community in an atmosphere that is welcoming, respectful, and businesslike.

They say that March goes in like a lion  but goes out like a lamb  Well, we'll see.

Something new!

Say HELLO to Kanopy!

Kanopy is a streaming service that we recently acquired for movies, documentaries, foreign films, classic movies, independent films and educational videos. It partners with libraries to offer ad-free entertainment that you can enjoy on your TV, cell phone, tablet, and computer. It does not charge our patrons because our library covers all costs. You simply need a valid Wyandanch Library card and PIN/password. If you don't have a library card yet, what are you waiting for?! Stop in with a picture ID or a piece of mail that has been delivered to your address (electric bill, cable bill, etc.), and we'll get you set up with a library card so you can start accessing all this great stuff!

So many changes happening. If you have a chance to come in to the library, check out our new artwork on the walls and sit for a spell by the cozy fireplace in the Adult area. Regarding the YA area, if you teens have not visited lately, come by and see our newly refreshed space. And parents, check out the new computers, tables, and chairs in the Children's area. More changes are coming!

## Adult Programs

**Black History Month Celebration** Saturday, March 2 12:30–1:30 PM  
Join our rescheduled celebration of the closing of Black History Month.

**Film Festival - "And Still I Rise" Rescheduled from February 26 to March 4, 6:00-8:00 PM**

**NARCAN Community Event** Tuesday, March 5 7:00 PM  
The public is invited to learn about NARCAN and how to use it. There will be a 60-minute Narcan training presentation and distribution event at the Wyandanch Public Library. The event is free to the public. Registration is not required.

**Jewelry Class with Lorraine** Monday, March 11 6:00–7:30 PM  
Join us for an evening of fun crafting jewelry. Patrons will make a cuff bracelet and choker style necklace with aluminum wire.

**Zumba** Wednesdays, March 13, 20 April 3, 10, 17, 24 6:30–7:30 PM  
Join Yvette and Yolanda and get fit with Cardio Soul and Zumba movements. Dance to salsa, merengue, reggae, and more. These exercises are great for muscle toning and calorie burning.

**Spanish Language class** Wednesdays, March 13, 20 5:00–6:00 PM  
¡Hola! Do you want to learn español? Join us to learn Spanish language in a fun and relaxed environment.

**Adult Crochet Club** Friday, March 15 3:00–4:00 PM  
Join other crocheters for an informal gathering, sharing patterns, advice, problems, etc. Bring your work-in-progress or show us your finished piece while we chat about everything crochet and discuss future community charity projects. Beginners, experts, and knitters are welcome. Note: this is not an instructional class.

**Women of the Community Program** Thursday, March 21 5:30-7:30 PM  
Join the celebration for Women's History Month at the Library celebrating women entrepreneurs.

**Adult Craft Class - Easter Carrot Treat Boxes** Friday, March 22 3:00–4:00 PM  
Come join us for a relaxing afternoon of Easter crafting and some tea and cookies. We'll be making treat boxes that even the Easter Bunny will envy.

**Adult Book Club** Thursday, March 28 6:30-7:30 PM  
Come and take part in our online zoom book discussion of the suspense, page-turning novel "Not a Happy Family", by bestselling author, Shari Lapena.

# Teen Programs

**DIY Pocket First Aid Kit** Wednesday, March 13 4:00 PM

Celebrate Red Cross Month by designing your own emergency kit that fits right in your bag or backpack. Who knows, it might help you or someone, someday, as the world celebrates Good Samaritan Day.

**Read Across America Week** March 4th - 8th 2:00 PM-Close

Come join the celebration by sharing the love of reading. Are you the artistic type? Duplicate the cover of a favorite book or a scene that meant a lot to you in your chosen artistic medium and bring it in for others to admire.

**DIY Bottle Planter** Tuesday March 19th 6:00 PM

Join us in the Young Adult department to celebrate the start of spring by creating this wacky planter out of an empty water/soda bottle. Give a new home to a plant, a new life to the plastic, and watch it grow as the weather grows warmer.

**Teen Advisory Board** Every Wednesday 5:00 PM

Come to the weekly meetings of the Teen Advisory Board. We will be listening to your ideas for reading, programming and expression by and for teens. For more information, contact the Young Adult Desk.

# Children's Programs

**Storytime & Craft** Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20 11:00 AM

Children ages 3-5 will listen to stories, sing songs, and create a craft during the exciting storytime.

**Diggin' Up Dinos** Tuesday, March 5 4:00 PM

Join an excavation at the Library. Dig up your own dinosaur!

**Toddler Time** Mondays, March 4, 11, 18 11:30 AM-2:00 PM

Come to the Library and explore resources with your toddler on this playdate at the Wyandanch Public Library. Have your Toddlers meet new friends in the Children's room.

**Story Time & Sing Along with The Bayou Princess** Tuesday, March 5 5:00 PM

Join Royal Princess Prep's Bayou Princess for a magical Story Time and Sing-a-Long! Enjoy photo opportunities and receive a one of a kind Trading Card!

**Damsels in Disguise** Wednesday, March 6 4:00 PM

Whalers were traditionally male, but that didn't stop some women from disguising themselves as men and joining a crew anyway! Discover the adventures as well as the hardships these sailors experienced. Design and create disguises for your very own Victorian-style paper puppet.

**Celebrate the Lunar New Year with Chef Andrea** Wednesday, March 13 5:00 - 7:00 PM

Chinese Fried Rice and Egg Rolls - Join Chef Andrea Moss as we make fried rice and learn to roll up some egg rolls. While tasting we will discuss tips and variations.

**From Sea Shanties to Hip Hop** Tuesday, March 19 4:00 PM

Did you know that between one-quarter and one-third of all the American whaling crews were people of color? This Black History Month, we're celebrating the remarkable contributions made by African American whalers to the music sailors sang at sea! Explore the rich traditions of West African music found in sea chanteys, Jazz, and Hip Hop. Create your own sistrum - a traditional rattle using shells.

\*\*\*There are 6 bunny rabbits hiding in this newsletter, see if you can find them all! \*\*\*

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## Easter Word Search Puzzle

Y	A	D	N	U	S	P	A	S	P	R	M	EASTER SPRING FIND HUNT BUNNY EGGS HOP CANDY HOLIDAY BASKET MARCH CHOCOLATE SUNDAY RABBIT
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Spring into action and find the hidden words