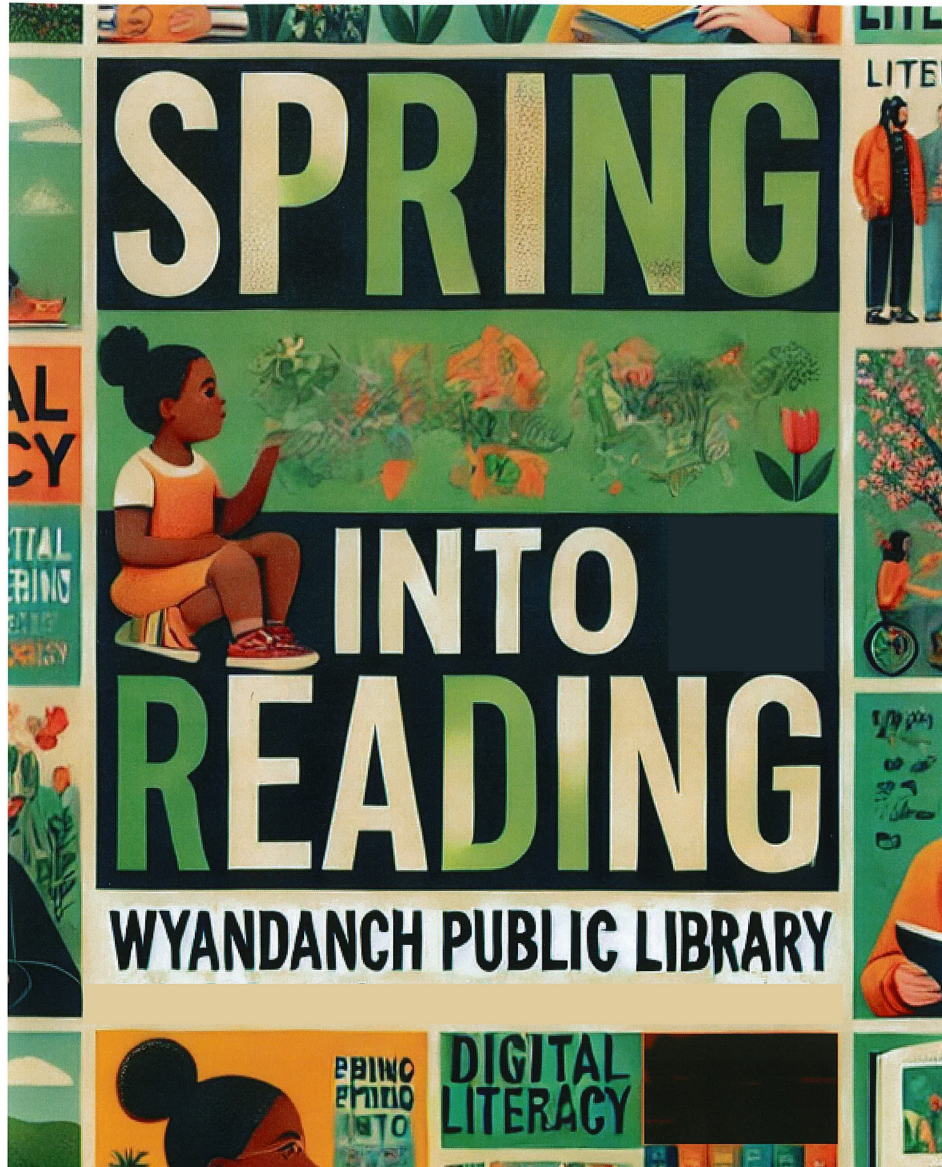


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Empowering Our Community

Spring Edition 2025

DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Wyandanch Community,

As we welcome the new season, the Wyandanch Public Library remains dedicated to fostering knowledge, innovation, and connection. This spring, we're excited to introduce new programs, enhanced resources, and revitalized spaces designed to better serve you.

Thank you for being an integral part of the library's story. Together, let's make this spring a season of growth and learning for all.

Warm regards,
Dr. Shell - Library Director

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday | 9:00 AM-8:00 PM
Tuesday | 9:00 AM-9:00 PM
Wednesday | 11:00 AM-8:00 PM
Thursday | 9:00 AM-9:00 PM
Friday | 9:00 AM-5:00 PM
Saturday | 9:00 AM-5:00 PM
Sunday | Closed

LIBRARY CLOSURES

Delayed Opening
April 5, 2025 Open at 12:00
Easter Observance
April 21, 2025
Memorial Day
May 26, 2025
Juneteenth Day
June 19, 2025

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE AND TRUSTEE ELECTION

Tuesday, May 27, 2025 | 7:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Location: Wyandanch Public Library

Residents will vote on the proposed library budget and elect one trustee to the Board for a five-year term (July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2030).

All eligible voters in the Wyandanch School District are encouraged to participate.

BUDGET REQUEST FOR 2025 - 2026 & TRUSTEE ELECTION

	'23 - '24 Budget	'24 - '25 Budget	'25 - '26 Budget
Ordinary Income/Expense			
Income			
2950 · Reimbursed Prior Year Expense			
3030 · TAXES	1,922,817	1,961,273	1,991,700
3040 · LIBRARY CHARGES	1,800	1,980	2,000
3041 · Copy Machine	1,850	1,850	1,850
3045 · Printing/Sam	1,300	1,495	1,400
3050 · INTEREST INCOME	1,000	6,243	-
3060 · Lost Library Cards	100	115	150
3065 · E-REBATES	-	-	-
3066 · E-COMMERCE	100	115	150
3075 · GIFTS/DONATIONS	200	230	-
3080 · GRANTS	11,500	13,225	30,000
3082 · PILOT	87,028	88,769	89,000
3085 · Miscellaneous	500	575	-
3090 · OVER (UNDER)	-	-	-
3100 · Fines over/ under	200	230	250
3110 · STATE AID	20,000	23,000	23,000
3600 · Faxes	5,500	5,500	4,500
3900 · Local Library Service Aid	3,000	3,000	3,000
3999 · Fund Balance use	-	-	-
Total Income	2,056,895	2,107,600	2,147,000
Gross Profit			
Expense			
4000 · Personnel Services			
4010 · SALARY - DIRECTOR	90,000	140,000	140,000
4015 · SAL. - LIBRARIAN	288,000	288,000	450,000
4030 · SAL. - CLERK	342,000	342,000	200,000
4035 · SAL. - CUSTODIAN	200,000	200,000	200,000
4036 · CUSTODIAN'S ASSISTANT	2,000	2,000	5,000
4040 · SAL. - PAGE	110,000	110,000	110,000
4050 · SAL. - COMPUTER LAB ASST.	30,000	30,000	30,000
4060 · LITERACY - PAYROLL	40,000	40,000	40,000
4067 · Community Service Aid	22,000	22,000	25,000
4077 · TREASURER	19,500	16,500	19,200
Total 4000 · Personnel Services	1,143,500	1,190,500	1,219,200
4090 · FURNITURE & EQUIP	50,000	50,000	50,000
4100 · BOOKS	50,000	50,000	50,000
4110 · PERIODICALS	6,500	6,500	6,500
4112 · Bank Service charges	1,500	1,500	2,000
4115 · COMPUTER EXPENSES	13,500	13,500	15,000
4120 · VIDEOS	6,000	6,000	6,000
4125 · LIBRARY PROGRAMS	75,000	75,000	80,000
4130 · Children's Programs	-	-	20,000
4300 · LITERACY PROGRAM	6,000	6,000	-
4301 · EARLY LITERACY	5,000	5,000	-
4400 · BOARD FUND	16,000	16,000	-
4405 · Board Travel	-	-	-
4410 · OFF/LIB SUPPLIES	25,000	25,000	25,000
4415 · LICENSING, PERMITS & FEES	1,000	1,200	1,500
4420 · TELEPHONE	17,000	17,000	15,000
4430 · POSTAGE & FREIGHT	8,000	8,000	10,000
4440 · PRINTING / PUBLICITY	11,000	11,000	10,000
4450 · TRAVEL	10,000	10,000	22,000
4460 · AUDITOR FEES	12,500	12,500	15,000
4465 · LEGAL FEES	10,000	10,000	10,000
4470 · PAYROLL SERVICE	14,000	14,000	14,000
4480 · BUILDING SECURITY	2,500	2,500	-
4487 · SECURITY	51,000	51,000	55,000
4490 · MEMBERSHIP DUES	3,000	3,000	5,000
4492 · SCLS MEMBER SUPPORT	60,000	60,000	60,000
4500 · RENT/R&M OFF. EQU	8,500	8,500	8,500
4510 · UTILITIES	85,000	87,500	95,000
4520 · CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES	18,000	18,000	18,000
4530 · R&M BUILD. & EQUIPMENT	20,000	20,000	20,000
4545 · INSURANCE - BUILDING	21,000	21,000	21,000
4550 · OTHER OPERATING	5,000	5,000	5,000
4560 · SANITATION	5,400	5,400	5,400
4570 · GROUNDS MAINT.	31,000	31,000	31,000
4580 · WINDOW CLEANING	960	1,000	1,200
4600 · SOCIAL SECURITY/MEDICARE	84,035	85,000	85,000
4610 · WORKMEN'S COMP	12,000	12,000	12,000
4620 · DISABILITY	1,000	1,000	1,200
4630 · HEALTH INS	130,000	130,000	140,000
4640 · DENTAL INS	5,000	5,000	7,500
4650 · SUI EXPENSE	2,000	2,000	5,000
4910 · Equipment Rental Leasing	30,000	30,000	-
Total Expense	2,056,895	2,107,600	2,147,000
5001 · Capital Improvements	-	-	-
Net expenses	2,056,895	2,107,600	2,147,000
Net Income	-	-	-

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ADULT PROGRAMS

Sign up for adult programs at <https://wyandanch.librarycalendar.com/events/month> or by calling 631-643-4848 ext. 240

Take & Make Natural Cleaning Kit

April 1 - 30 while supplies last

Make it easy on you and the environment, come pick up a natural cleaning kit. Instructions and ingredients are included, you just add water.

Adult Craft Carrot Treat Boxes

Tuesday, April 1 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Join us for a lively session of crafting as we make carrot treat boxes that even the Easter Bunny will envy. Teens welcome!

Spanish Classes for Beginners

Español para principiantes:

Wednesdays, April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 6:00-7:30 PM

Whether you're a complete beginner or looking to refresh your basic skills, this course will help you build a solid foundation to speak Spanish with confidence. ¡Te esperamos!

Sun River Health MLK Community Health Center Table Event

Wednesday, April 2, 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Sun River Health connects patrons to care at SRH, specifically to the substance-use treatment department. They will provide Narcan education and distribute kits as well.

Job Fair

Thursday, April 3 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Hosted by the Suffolk County Department of Labor, the fair will have representatives from public and private Long Island businesses and organizations to meet with you about potential employment.

Crochet Club

Monday, April 7 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Join other crocheters for an informal gathering sharing patterns and advice. Bring your current work-in-progress while we chat about everything crochet. Note: not a how-to class.

Community Game Night for Families, Adults & Teens

Tuesday, April 8 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Come join the fun at Community Board Game Night! You'll find dozens of board games to play. No experience necessary. All rules will be taught. Beginner's welcome!

Why and How to Prepare a Business Plan

Thursday, April 10 6:30 - 8:00 PM

For people who already have a small business and others who are starting a new business. Topics include the business plan; startup costs; budgets; and how to get financing.

3rd Annual Seed Library Kickoff

Monday, April 14 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Free gardening tips and seed packets. Patrons can take up to 4 packets of seeds.

Learn How to Play Guitar

Saturday, April 12 19 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Individual Lessons

Learn how to play the guitar at the library. No experience necessary, guitar will be provided for individual lessons. Open to Wyandanch patrons with a valid library card. Half hour sessions, registration is required.

Adult Autism Awareness

Wednesday, April 16 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Join us for an important informational evening. Learn what resources are available for adults on the spectrum. Topics include: transition to adulthood, employment and autism, and how to access job training.

Understanding the Financial Numbers of Your Business

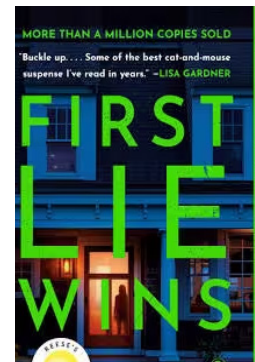
Thursday, April 17 6:30 - 8:00 PM

For people who already have a business and others who are starting a new business. Topics include balance sheets; setting up business finances; and tips for good financial management.

Stop the Bleed

Thursday, April 24 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Training is hands-on, earn a certificate. Learn how to use your hands to apply pressure to a wound, how to pack a wound to control bleeding, and how to correctly apply a tourniquet.



ADULT BOOK CLUB

First Lie Win

by Ashley Elston

Thursday, June 26 7:00-8:00 PM

A fast-paced thriller about a woman living under a stolen identity—until her past catches up with her. Secrets, lies, and twists you won't see coming.

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Grab n' Go Kits: Mother's Day Carrot Raisin Apple Muffins

May 1 - May 23

Come grab a kit and make some yummy Carrot Raisin Apple Muffins!

Learn How to Play Guitar

Saturdays, May 3, 10, 17, 31 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Learn how to play the guitar at the library. The guitar will be provided. Open to Wyandanch patrons with a valid library card. Patrons must register for classes.

Help Avoid Fraud and Scams as You Age

Monday, May 5 3:30 - 4:30 PM

In this workshop, you'll learn how keeping organized can help keep you safe, how to spot common scams affecting older adults and protect yourself, and what to do if you or a loved one is impacted by fraud or identity theft.

Build Your Business Using Social Media

Thursday, May 8 6:30 - 8:00 PM

If you already have a business or are just starting out, this class includes a review of five of the most popular social media networks and their benefits.

Mother's Day Paint n' Sip Program

Saturday, May 10 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Come join us for a relaxing afternoon of tea and painting. Instructor led class, all materials provided. Class size is limited, in order to hold your spot, please registration for this event.

Crochet Club

Monday, May 12 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Join other crocheters for an informal gathering sharing patterns and advice. Bring your work-in-progress while we chat about everything crochet. Note: this is not a how-to class.

Essentials of Funding your Business

Thursday, May 15 6:30 - 8:00 PM

If you already have a business or are just starting out, this class will explain funding options, startup funding, the importance of a well-written business plan, and profitability and success.

Citizen Preparedness

Saturday, May 17 1:30 - 3:00 PM

Join us for a presentation presented by the NYS Citizen Preparedness Corps. Learn how to build an emergency kit for survival. All who register will receive a free bag with emergency supplies, one per family.

Hello Spring Floral Pallet Wednesday

Wednesday, May 21 6:00 - 7:00 PM

The instructor will guide you with step-by-step instruction to create a floral, "Hello Spring," door sign. No previous painting experience needed.



Adult Book Club

Firefly Lane, by Kristin Hannah

Thursday, May 22 7:00 - 8:00 PM

A powerful story of two women and the friendship that becomes the center of their lives.

New York Times Best Sellers



FOURTH WING

by Rebecca Yarros Violet Sorren-gail is urged by the commanding general, who also is her mother, to become a candidate for the elite dragon riders.



THE HOUSEMAID

by Freida McFadden Troubles surface when a woman looking to make a fresh start takes a job in the home of the Winchesters.



THE CRASH

by Freida McFadden A pregnant woman, who suffers an injury during a blizzard, is taken in by a couple who might put her life in further jeopardy.



The Anxious Generation

by Jonathan Haidt A look at how smartphones and social media are impacting youth mental health and how we can help. Haidt offers practical steps to support healthier, more connected childhoods.

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ADULT PROGRAMS

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Summer Adult Take and Make Jewelry Kit

June 2 - June 27 while supplies last

Treat yourself to something new! Grab a kit and make a beautiful necklace. It's easy, it's free, everything is included. Must have a valid Wyandanch Library card. Not suitable for children due to small parts.

District-Wide History Expo

Thursday, June 5 5:30 - 7:30 PM

The whole community is welcome.

Scattergories: Game

Thursday, June 5 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Have fun playing several rounds of this classic game! All players will be entered into the "house raffle prize" to win two \$25 Amazon cards. Must register.

Ways to Protect Your Finances as You Age

Friday, June 6 3:30 - 4:30 PM

Learn tips to help protect your accounts and finances and how to create a financial care plan.

Father's Day Afternoon Paint Session

Saturday, June 7 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Fathers, grandfathers, uncles, and mentors can enjoy a guided paint session with their child or mentee. All materials provided. For ages 5+. You must register and provide the total number of attendees. Celebrate and create lasting memories!

Learn How to Play Guitar

Saturdays June 7, 28 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Learn how to play the guitar at the library. The guitar will be provided. Open to Wyandanch patrons with a valid library card and register before each class.

Crochet Club

Monday, June 9 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Join other crocheters for an informal gathering sharing patterns and advice. Bring your work-in progress while we chat about everything crochet. Note: this is not a how-to class.

Cooking with Chef Rob

Friday, June 13 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Join Chef Rob as he shows us how to make Chicken Fajita Penne Pasta.

Early Voting at the Library!

Our library is an official Early Voting location from June 14 to June 22, 2025.

Skip the lines on Election Day and cast your ballot early! Check with local election officials for specific hours. Make your voice heard—vote early!

Catholic Health Mobile Outreach Bus:

Monday, June 16 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Stop by for free health screenings by a Catholic Health registered nurse. Services for adults (18+) include cardiac history, blood pressure, cholesterol and glucose tests, health education, referrals, and uninsured resources.

Social Security Workshop

Wednesday, June 18 6:00 - 7:00 PM

An educational workshop that takes a deeper dive into social security, and some of the changes in the laws governing social security. The workshop is a 30-minute educational presentation and a question-and-answer segment at the end.

Summer Reading Kickoff

Saturday, June 21 12:00 - 3:00 PM

It's that time of the year again for our Summer Reading Kickoff! The adults, teens, and children's departments each have their own signup sheets. Join in the reading fun!

Adult Book Club

The Wedding People, by Alison Espach

Thursday, June 26 7:00 - 8:00 PM

This 2024 best fiction book offers a look at the winding paths we can take to places we never imagined and the chance encounters it sometimes takes to reroute us.



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TEEN PROGRAMS

TEEN COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Teen Advisory Group

Tuesday, April 1 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Want to have a say in what programs and activities we have in the Teen Area? Have recommendations to add to our book and graphic novel collections? Stop by to add your voice.

Adult/Teen Job Fair

Thursday, April 3 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Come to the library dressed for success! Join us at our Job Fair, hosted by the Suffolk County Department of Labor. Representatives from public and private Long Island businesses and organizations will be here to meet with you about potential employment.

Celebrate National Library Week

April 7 to 11 1:00 PM-8:00 PM

The theme is "Drawn to Your Library!" Enjoy activities and surprises all week, then join us Monday and Tuesday night for drawing workshops and board game fun with visiting artists and game masters!

Resume Help & Job Readiness

Get expert help with resumes, job applications, and interview prep.

Adult & Teen Craft Program

Carrot Treat Boxes Tuesday April 1 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Come join us for a relaxing evening of crafting. We'll be making Carrot Treat boxes that even the Easter Bunny will envy. Program size is limited, please sign up!

Graffiti Art Logo Workshop

Monday April 7 6:00 - 7:45 PM

Ever wondered how street arts make their awesome work? Join artist Chris Vivas to learn to create your own personalized graffiti logo.

Adults and Teens Game Night

Tuesday April 8 6:00-8:00 PM

Put down your phone and join the fun! Bring friends and family (ages 4+) for a night of board games, from classics like Catan and Ticket to Ride to favorites like Everdell and Azul. No experience needed—rules will be taught! No registration required—just drop in!

Earth Day Craft

Tuesday, April 22 6:00-7:00 PM

Celebrate our big beautiful planet as the spring season is upon us by joining your fellow teens for a fun craft.

Teen Writers Club Series

Wednesday, April 30 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Get your creative juices flowing by putting pen to paper or fingers to the keyboard. This month's theme

will be types of poetry as April is National Poetry Month.

3D Printing & Design

Friday April 18 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Learn how to use TinkerCAD and create your own 3D designs.

Learn How To Play Guitar

Saturday, April, 13, 19 11:00 AM & 11:30 AM

Superhero Movie Marathon

Monday April 28 2:00-7:00 PM

DC or Marvel? Celebrate National Superhero Day with an epic movie marathon! Vote for your favorite at the Teen Reference Desk all month.

Board Game and Puzzle Fun at Your Library

Monday & Friday April 14, 18 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Drop by the library for board games and puzzles during break! Bring a friend and challenge them to a game or race to complete a puzzle.

TOP TEEN EPIC READS



Needy Little Things by Justina Ireland

A boy discovers healing through magical thrift store items.



(S)kin by Ibi Zoboi

A girl faces pressure to change her skin color in a world that values lighter shades.

April Gaming & Tech Events

Spring is in the air, but so is the competitive spirit! Check out what's happening this month:

Madden Tournament Series

Saturday, April 12 2:00 PM-3:00 PM

Huddle up and show off your play-calling skills in this epic Madden showdown. Bragging rights (and maybe a prize) are on the line!

NBA Challenge

Saturday, April 19 2:00 PM-3:00 PM

Think you've got the best virtual jump shot? Prove it in our NBA Challenge. Plus, don't miss the Easter Egg Hunt!

MAY 2025

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- **Teen Advisory Group**
Actively participate in the Teen Advisory Group meetings held every first Tuesday of the month from 5–6 pm to 6 pm. Here, we get ideas from YOU on what we should add to our teen services.
- **Joint Children/Teen Programming**
Look for opportunities to be a reading buddy or assist with technology, Lego, and other programming.
- **Resume Help & Job Readiness**
Get expert help with resumes, job applications, and interview prep.
- **Cricut Machine**
DIY Custom Stickers with a Cricut Machine
Teens design and print their own unique stickers using a Cricut machine.
- **Makerspace Exploration & Adobe Programs**
Discover our makerspace and get hands-on experience with Adobe Creative Suite, including Photoshop, Illustrator, and more!

MAY FAMILY PROGRAMS

Cricut Mother's Day Card/Craft

Thursday, May 6:00-7:00 PM

Learn how to use the Cricut machine to make a card or craft to show Mom how much you appreciate her.

Teen Advisory Group Meeting

Tuesday, May 6 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Want to have a say in our programs and activities in the Teen Area? Do you have recommendations for adding to our book and graphic novel collections? Stop by to add your voice.

Comic Book Action Art Workshop

Monday, May 5 6:00-7:45PM

In honor of Free Comic Book Day, come join artist Chris Vivas in learning how to create the explosive art that make actions come to life from the page of comics and graphic novels!

Video Game Diamond Painting -

Thursday, May 15 , 6:00-7:00PM

Ever heard of a "diamond" painting that's all the rage? Come try it out for yourself while making a key-chain to show your love of video games.

Learn How To Play Guitar

Saturdays, May 3, 10, 17, 31
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Learn how to play the guitar at our introductory one-on-one sessions. No experience is necessary. A guitar will be provided. Sign up at the SAdult Reference desk.

Teen Karaoke Night

Tuesday, May 20 6:00-8:00PM

Sing your heart out as the days get warmer. Grab your friends and create music together or grab a song to amaze them on your own. Refreshments will be provided.

Hello Spring Pallet Craft

Wednesday, May 21 6:00-7:00PM

Welcome spring with a hanging wood pallet sign. Join with the instructor while she guides you with step by step instruction in creating a floral "Hello Spring" door sign. No previous painting experience needed

Teen Writers Club

Wednesday, May 28 5:30 PM-6:30 PM

Let your creative juices flowing by putting pen to paper or fingers on the keyboard.

Save Your Pennies...and other money! -

Thursday, May 29 6:00-7:00 PM

Learn the importance of saving what you can while decorating a safe place to stash your coins and dollars.

May Madness: Gaming & Tech Events

The competition doesn't stop! May is packed with action—whether you're dominating the virtual field, throwing down in classic arcade battles, or sharpening your tech skills. Here's what's coming up:

Madden Tournament Series

Saturday May 3 2:00 -3:00 PM

Test your play-calling skills in this epic showdown.

NBA Challenge

Saturday, May 10 2:00 -3:00 PM

Hit the court and prove your virtual basketball dominance.

Retro Gaming Night

Saturday May 17 2:00 -3:00 PM

Relive the classics! Enjoy retro video games on vintage consoles and arcade-style setups. Register for this program online.

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Get expert help with resumes, job applications, and interview prep.
- **Cricut Machine**
DIY Custom Stickers with a Cricut Machine
Teens design and print their own unique stickers using a Cricut machine.
- **Teen Writer Club: Flash Fiction Writing Challenge**
Quick, creative writing exercises—think fast, write sharp, and win a prize!
- **Makerspace Exploration & Adobe Programs**
Discover our makerspace and get hands-on experience with Adobe Creative Suite, including Photoshop, Illustrator, and more!

UPCOMING PROGRAMS...

Reading Tuesday
Shell Painting
Mindfulness & Wellness
Yoga for Teens
Teen Take & Make Kit

Mandala Painting

Thursday, June 5 6:00 PM- 7:00 PM

Learn a centuries old creative technique to design colorful artwork to catch anyone's eye. Be careful not to stare at the circular patterns too long, lol.

Teen Advisory Group Meeting

Tuesday, June 3 5:30 PM-6:30 PM

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Learn How To Play Guitar

Saturdays, June 7 & 28 11:00 PM-11:30 PM

Learn how to play the guitar at our introductory one-on-one sessions. No experience is necessary, and a guitar will be provided. **Sign up at the Adult Reference desk.**

Owl Discovery

A Wildlife Center of Long Island Presentation

Thursday, June 12 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Join the team from the Wildlife Center of Long Island as they talk about the rescue and rehabilitation work done by the organization! This is a fun, interactive program for everyone. We hope to see you there.

Summer Safety Fun Bags

Monday June 16 2025 - 6:00-7:00PM

Learn to use Cricut cut stencils to make a reusable canvas bag to carry the summer essentials. Will be providing not only craft materials but extra goodies to keep you safe in the sun.

June Gaming Events

Madden Tournament Series

Saturdays, June 7, 2:00 -3:00 PM

Test your play-calling skills in this epic showdown.

NBA Challenge Series

Saturdays, June 28, 2:00-3:00 PM

Put your play-calling skills to the test in this intense Madden showdown.



The Hate U Give

by Angie Thomas

A bold, unforgettable story of speaking truth to power after witnessing injustice.



A Good Girl's Guide to Murder

By Holly Jackson

A gripping mystery as a teen investigates a closed murder case—and uncovers chilling secrets.

APRIL 2025

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

EARLY LITERACY PROGRAMS

For all Early Literacy Programs, children must be accompanied by an adult. Programs are for ages 6 months - 3yrs. value of family connection..

MOMMY AND ME

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 11am

Join us for Mommy and Me programs.

Mondays: RHYMES AND SIGNS

Join us for music rhymes and basic sign language

Wednesdays: INTERACTIVE STORYTIME

Come and be part of our interactive storytime.

Fridays: LEARNING AND MOVEMENT

Join us on Fridays as we move along to music before settling down to an active story time.

Tuesdays: 6:30 ABC, 123, Come Along and Sing with Me

Join us as we sing along to all time, classic ABCs, Numbers and fun songs.

DIY PAPER SQUISHIES:

Every Wednesday in April, 5:00PM.

Join us every week to make different paper squishies from scratch. For Grades 2-6.

Sensory Lab Time, Monday & Friday at 10:00AM

Join us to enhance your senses through movement, play and sensory

JACK IN A BOX, Tuesday, April 1, 5:00PM

Join us and create your own Jack in A Box for April Fools'. For Grades 3-6.

DECORATE YOUR OWN UMBRELLA

Tuesday, April 1 6:00 PM

April showers bring May flowers. Join us for this fun DIY project that lets you personalize an umbrella with your favorite colors, patterns, and decoration

BEEBOT ADVENTURE

Saturday, April 5 1:00PM

Learn about the seasons with the BeeBot. A beginning class on how to code.

CELEBRATE NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

April 6-12 On April 3 & 4, 2:00pm - 4:30 PM

Create a scented Book Mark, using dried flowers and leaves for decoration.

POLAROID MEMORIES,

Tuesday, April 8 5:00PM

Come and learn how to create magnetic picture frames while using a film camera. Take a picture and take it home. For Grades K-6.

VISIT THE SLED

Saturday, April 12 11:30am -1:30 PM

Join us for an epic day of fun games, Arts

& Crafts and free books.

POETRY WRITING, Tuesday, April 15 5:00PM

Join us as we celebrate National Poetry Month by creating our own poems.

Author Visit

Zainab Khan : Author of Noura's Crescent Moon.

Saturday, April 26 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Ms. Khan will be reading her latest book "Noura's Crescent Moon" and answering questions at the end of the program.

Copies of the book will be available for purchase.

EGG CARTON CRAFT

Tuesday April 8 6:00 PM

Join us for a fun, eco-friendly and engaging activity. Come make masterpieces out of egg cartons.

BILINGUAL BEBES

Thursday, April 25 11:00 AM

This interactive session will introduce children to basic Spanish vocabulary and phrases in fun interactive ways.

ANNUAL EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, April 19 2:00 PM

Join us for our Annual Egg Hunt at the Wyandanch Public Library!

FAIRY HOUSE

THURSDAY, April 10 6:00 PM

This fun, imaginative DIY project lets you design a tiny home for fairies using simple materials like twigs, leaves, and pebbles.

EARTH DAY COLLAGE, April 22 5:30pm

This Earth Day, get creative. Design an Earth Day Collage.

WHODUNIT GAME, Thursday, April 24 6:00PM

Nancy Drew needs your help. Solve an entire investigation by channeling your inner detective to solve the mystery of Magnolia Gardens.

GARDEN TOGETHER|Saturday April 26 2:30 4:00PM

A hands-on gardening workshop where families can plant seeds in small pots to take home. Resources on easy gardening tips will be available. All are invited.

APRIL MAKERSPACE PROGRAMS

Every Thursday, 5:00PM Join us for STEM creativity! Grades 3-6. Registration required.

April 3 - 3D Printing: Design, Assemble & Print

April 10 - FuseBeads: Beads, Construct & Melt

April 17 - Pin Making: Pick, Assemble & Wear

April 24 - Embroidery: Create, Customize & Stitch

MAY 2025**CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS****EARLY LITERACY PROGRAMS****Mommy and Me****Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 11am**

Join us for Mommy and Me programs.

Mondays: Rhymes and Signs

Join us for music rhymes and basic sign language

Wednesdays: Interactive Storytime

Come and be part of our interactive storytime.

Fridays: Learning and Movement

Join us on Fridays as we move along to music before settling down to an active story time.

MAY PROGRAMS**Tuesdays: 6:30 PM****Bilingual PJ Storytime with Puppet Friends**

Join us for an interactive bilingual storytime with a great story, a craft and PUPPETS!!!

BOWLING NIGHT AT THE LIBRARY**Every Wednesday, 6:00PM**

Join us for fun bowling sessions every Wednesday. All bowling expertises are welcome. Registration Required.

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DIY CRAFTS, Thursdays, 6:00PM

Visit us to craft your own unique DIY project.

FREE COMIC BOOK DAY**Saturday, May 3, - ALL DAY**

Come to the library for FREE comics. Play Superhero Trivia and win fun prizes. All ages. Enter a Raffle for a chance to win an awesome gift card.

MEXICAN LOTERIA**Monday, May 5, 5:00PM**

Join us with your family, grab a seat and play Mexican Bingo. Prizes will be awarded to winners. All ages.

DIY MARACAS**Monday, May 5, 4:00PM**

This fun DIY project lets you design personalized musical instruments using simple materials.

RECESS AT THE LIBRARY**Tuesday, May 6 5:00 PM**

Don't want Recess to end? Come to the library and play Recess games.

MAKE YOUR OWN STORY**WEDNESDAY, May 7 4:00PM**

Love books, how about making your own? Write your own story.

MOTHER'S DAY JEWELRY SET**WEDNESDAY, May 7 5:00PM**

Join us as we create bracelets and necklaces for moms on their special day.

DIY GLASS MOSAIC**THURSDAY, May 8 5:00PM**

Join us and create a mosaic with colorful glass. Grades 3-6.

MOTHER'S DAY STUFFED ANIMALS**THURSDAY, May 8 6:30PM**

Make a stuffed animal for your mother for Mother's day.

MAKE YOUR OWN BOUNCY BALL**Tuesday, May 13 5:00PM**

Learn the science of how to make your own bouncy ball.

SOAP MAKING KIT**Thursday, May 22 6:00PM**

Unleash your creativity and learn the art of soap making with a DIY Soap Making Kit!

MEET THE ANIMALS**Friday, May 23, 10:00AM**

Join the Wildlife Center of Long Island for an interactive introduction to the world of wildlife and present different cold-blooded reptiles, furry mammals and feathered birds.

THE BEETLE DETECTIVE**Saturday, May 24 2PM**

Want to become a beetle detective and help stop the Asian long-horned beetle? Join us as we explore what it takes. Earn a Beetle Detective badge at the end of the program. Grades 2-5

MAY MAKERSPACE PROGRAMS**LEGO CLUB****Tuesday, May, 5:00PM**

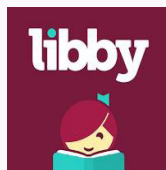
Join our Lego Club and explore the world of imaginative creations with legos. Meet new friends and create weekly masterpieces. For Toddlers-6th Grade.

SENSORY LAB TIME**Every Monday & Friday, 10:00AM**

Join us to enhance your senses through movement, ay and sensory.

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JUNE 2025

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BLIND DATE WITH A BOOK | ALL MONTH

Come to the library and pick a blind book to read.

DRAW & TRADE | ALL MONTH

Come to the library and draw anything or every thing. Take your drawing home or trade with other drawings displayed in our Children's room.

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DIY CRAFTS

TUESDAYS, 4:00 PM

These programs offer a fun and educational environment where young minds can explore various crafts, develop new skills, and express their creativity.

RECESS AT THE LIBRARY

TUESDAYS AND THURSDAY, 5:00PM

Don't want recess to end? Come to the library and play recess games.

HELLO SUMMER CRAFT SESSIONS

Every THURSDAY IN JUNE, 6:00PM

June 5 Customize a hat with iron on patches and paint markers.

June 12 – Paint Your Own Birdhouse

June 26 – Summer Wreath with Artificial Flowers

SEA GLASS ART

MONDAY, JUNE 9 4:00PM

Let the colors and shapes of sea glass inspire you to create unique, reflective art pieces.

JAR LATEREN

Tuesday, June 10, 6:00PM

Create your own jar lantern using vinyl, stickers, and paint markers. For Grades 2–6.

FATHER'S DAY STUFF ANIMALS

Thursday, June 12, 6:00PM

Make a stuffed animal for your father on Father's day. Class size is limited and register by calling 631-643-4848 ext. 240 or 222.

FAMILY MINI GOLF

Tuesday, June 17 6:00PM

Looking for a fun family activity? The Wyandanch Public Library is offering the excitement of mini golf indoors. Families with children only.

SEA SHELL ART

Monday, June 23, 4:00PM

Ready for the beach? Come and do a seashell craft!

LIBRARY CAMPFIRE NIGHT

Thursday, June 26 7:00PM

Families can gather for a pretend indoor campfire with storytelling, shadow puppets, and songs. We offer s'mores-inspired snacks (graham crackers, marshmallows, and chocolate chips).

OWL DISCOVERY

Saturday, June 28 1:00PM

Discover the incredible adaptations of Long Island's nocturnal hunters! Meet ambassador owls from the Wildlife Center and learn how to protect these fascinating creatures.

GRADUATION CELEBRATION

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Celebrate our amazing graduates—details coming soon!

JUNE MAKERSPACE PROGRAMS

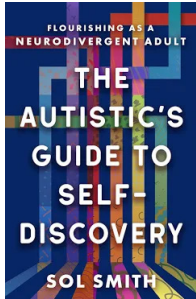
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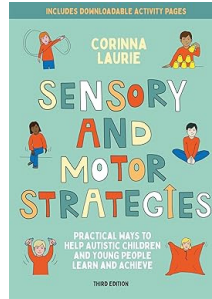
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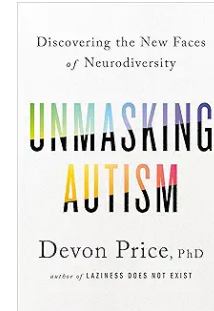
Autistic's Guide to Self-Discovery by Sol Smith



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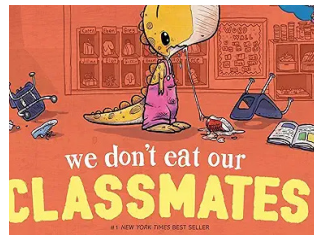


Unmasking Autism By Devon Price, PhD

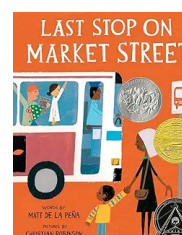
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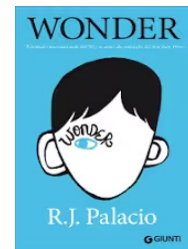
The Wonderful Things You Will Be by Emily Winfield Martin – A charming story celebrating a child's potential and dreams.



We Don't Eat Our Classmates by Ryan T. Higgins
A hilarious book about making friends and understanding empathy.

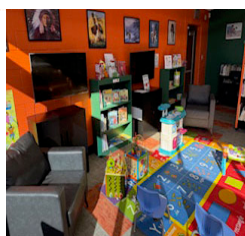
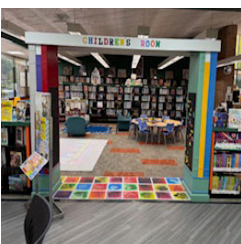


Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Peña – A beautiful story about gratitude and perspective.



Wonder by R.J. Palacio
An inspiring story of kindness and acceptance.

Come Explore the Wonders of the Children's Department!



Summer Reading 2025

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