NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2022

CEANSIDE LIBRARY

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Announcements & Major Programs

REGISTRATION

Registration for Oceanside District Residents begins on Tuesday, November 1 at 7 pm Non-District Patrons can begin registering on Thursday, November 3 at 7 pm Patrons can register online, by calling our Welcome Desk at 516-766-2360 or by coming in person to the Library.



Please Be Patient!



We are using a brand-new calendar and registration system. Please be patient as we make this transition. The new system has a number of features we know you will like (including auto-fill, links to your calendar, and more!).



A SALUTE TO OUR VETERANS WITH THE OCEANSIDE CHORALE

Sunday, November 6 at 2pm Performed at Oceanside Jewish Center 2860 Brower Ave.



Green Screen Holiday Photos Sunday, November 13 at 2 pm Registration required for 15 minute time slot.

Author Reading: Maya, India and the Magical **Mermaid: A Story About Friendship by Roslyne** Johnson (Ages 8 and younger) November 20 at 2 pm

Roslyne Johnson, social worker at Oceanside High School and an author, will be reading from her newest book, Maya, India and the Magical Mermaid: A Story About Friendship. While listening to this magical adventure story, children will learn about kindness, friendship, accepting differences and the importance of not judging others. Immediately following the reading will be raffle drawings for a related coloring and activity book.



Special Needs Funky Sweater Winter Bash Wednesday, December 14 at 6:30 pm Party is taking place at the VFW Post 5199: 397 Weidner Ave **Registration Required**



Family Gingerbread Houses Tuesday, December 20 at 7 pm Knights of Columbus 2985 Kenneth Place **Registration Required**

Adult Services

Monday, December 5 at

Maverick in the sequel to the

renowned fighter pilot hit of

Top Gun: Maverick

Tom Cruise is back as

the 1980s. (PG-13)

2 pm

ENTERTAINMENT



MOVIE MONDAYS AT THE LIBRARY

Come into the library to catch these flicks on the big screen.



Monday, November 14 at 2 pm

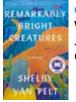
The Lost City Sandra Bullock stars as a romance novelist on a book tour who gets caught up in a kidnapping attempt that leads to a cutthroat jungle adventure. (PG-13)



-AUTHOR SPOTLIGHT SERIES-



Shelby Van Pelt Author of Remarkably Bright Creatures Wednesday, November 30 at 7 pm This is a hybrid program. You can join us on Zoom or watch the program on the big screen at the library.



On the Same Page with Deb and Nay Wednesday, November 16 at 7:30 pm Join us as we discuss Remarkably Bright Creatures by Shelby Van Pelt (include image file)

Brew & Bullets: A Thriller & Mystery Book Discussion Group Wednesday, November 9 at 11:00 am At the Library: free refreshments

Wednesday, December 7 at 7 pm Registration required At EAT Gastropub: (Patrons pay for own refreshments)

Page Turners Book Chat

Thursdays at 2:30 pm November 10 and December 8 Join us for a relaxed, open discussion about the books you've been reading. Get new reading suggestions and make new friends! Refreshments will be served.

On the Same Page with Deb and Nay: Annual Open Book Night

Join Deb and Nay as they discuss all the fantastic books they read this year!

Wednesday, December 21 at 7:30 pm



Next Chapter Book Club

Tuesdays at 3:30 pm (This session 11/1, 11/15, 11/18, 11/22, 11/29, 12/6, 12/13, 12/20, 12/27) These small book clubs of 6-8 people offer

adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities the opportunity to read for pleasure and socialize

in the community. Guided by a pair of trained volunteer facilitators, Literacy Nassau's Next Chapter Book Clubs meet weekly for an hour at select libraries and cafes across Nassau and Suffolk counties.

Adults with developmental disabilities may join a book club or writing club regardless of their literacy level. If you are interested in our Next Chapter Book Clubs or Jot It Down Creative Writing Clubs, you are not required to attend registration. The registration process is ongoing.





WRITING & POETRY

Creative Writing Wednesday, November 16 and December 21 at 7 pm

Poems that Confuse Us Thursday, November 17 at 7 pm with Oceanside Library's Poet-in-Residence Christina M. Rau

Poetry: Near and Afar

Mondays, November 7 & 21 December 5 & 19 at 7 pm Join poets from around the world in this acclaimed online poetry reading series. Two features (a local poet and one from "afar") and an open mic.

LECTURES

Any lecture that is listed as a virtual lecture will also be cast in person in our program room. No Registration is Required, all are welcome.



Hey Long Island...Do You Remember? Saturday, November 12 at 2 pm

History of Oceanside Sunday, November 27 at 2 pm



Andy Warhol and Pop Art on Zoom Thursday, December 1 at 7 pm

America's Favorite Holiday Movie- A Look Inside It's A Wonderful Life on Zoom

(Program can also be viewed in our program room on the big screen)

Wednesday, December 7 at 2 pm

CRAFTS & COOKING

Registration Required for all Programs

Winter Scene Paint Night Tuesday, December 6 at 7 pm

Cricut Craft: Astrology Foil Art Wednesday, December 7 at 6:30pm



CAREER, BUSINESS & FINANCE



MEDICARE SEMINAR Wednesday, November 9 at 7 pm

UNCLAIMED FUNDS- IN PERSON Tuesday, November 15 at 2 pm

RECEIVER OF TAXES ASSISTANCE: TOH Receiver of Taxes Table November 7, 9, 10 at 10 am to 2 pm

THE OCEANSIDE GARDEN CLUB PRESENTS



Oceanside Garden Club : NOW IN PERSON at the Library Open Meeting Tuesday, November 15 at 7 pm Holiday Floral Arrangements Flowers By Mike

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TECH

Getting Technical: 1-1 Tech Help

Tuesdays, November 8 & 22 at 10 am & 11 am Tuesdays, November 15 & 29 at 2 pm & 3 pm Tuesdays, December 6 & 20 at 10 am & 11 am Tuesday, December 13 at 2 pm & 3 pm Registration required

DEFENSIVE DRIVING



With Empire Safety Council Registration Required - Fee: \$30 All checks are made payable to "Empire Safety Council" Saturday, November 19 10 am - 4 pm Saturday, December 10 10am - 4 pm

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Adult Services

Check our calendar for descriptions, links & registrations

HEALTHY OCEANSIDE

Caring for Someone with Alzheimer's



Wednesday, November 8 at 2 pm

Aging In Place: Program by Mount Sinai South Nassau Thursday, November 17 at 2 pm

Mount Sinai South Nassau Vaxmobile

Get your Covid-19 Vaccine and Booster Registration link will be on our online calendar **Tuesday, December 6 from 10 am- 2 pm**



Blood Pressure Monitoring with Mount Sinai South Nassau Nurses from MSSN teach you how to use a blood pressure

monitor and understand the numbers and benefits. You can borrow a monitor from our

benefits. You can borrow a monitor from our Library of Things. Turaday, Dagambar 4 at 1 pm

Tuesday, December 6 at 1 pm

Stop the Bleed presented by Mount Sinai South Nassau Friday, December 9 at 7 pm

Caring for the Caregiver Tuesday, December 13 at 2 pm

SOCIAL & CLUBS Connection Programs



Game Time for Adults

Every Monday at 10 am

Bring your own games and a group of friends and you have a spot to play. Space is limited, first-come, first-served.



True Crime Club

Tuesdays, November 8 and December 13 at 7 pm Join us in person to discuss the latest in true crime and cold cases. Register in advance with your email if you'd like to receive materials before the meeting.

FITNESS CLASSES

IN PERSON CLASSES

Monday Meditation

Mondays at 2pm (This session runs 11/7, 11/21, 11/28, 12/19)



You CAN Hoop with Us with Jamy! Mondays at 5:30 pm (This session runs 11//7, 11/14, 11/21, 11/28, 12/5, 12/12) Registration Required

VIRTUAL FITNESS CLASSES

Zumba Gold Thursdays at 10 am (This session runs 11/3, 11/17, 12/1, 12/15)



Chair Yoga Fridays at 11 am (This session runs 11/4, 11/18, 12/2, 12/9, 12/16)



Genealogy Club Thursday, November 10 at 7:30 pm Walk-ins are always welcome.



TED, Coffee & Chat Wednesday, November 16 at 11 am



Dine Around Town with Us! Friday, December 9th at 12 pm Meet us at Lia's Pizza Registration Required

New Beginnings with Marla Matthews Sunday, December 18 at 3 pm



EARLY LITERACY

Intro to Dance and Movement (Ages 18-30 months) Fridays, November 4 and 18 at 10 am or Saturdays, November 5 and 19 at 12:45 pm Fridays, December 9 and 16 at 10 am or Saturdays, December 3 and 10 at 12:45 pm

Baby Belly Time (Ages 1-5 months) Saturday, November 5 at 10 am Saturday, December 3 at 10 am

Bilingual Storytime (Ages 3-5 years) Monday, November 7 at 4:30 pm

Baby PlayHooray (Ages 6-18 months) Tuesdays, November 8 and 15 at 10 am Tuesdays, December 13 and 20 at 10 am

Time for Tots (Ages 18 months - 5 years) Wednesdays, November 9 and 16 at 10 or 11 am Wednesdays, December 7 and 14 at 10 or 11 am

PlayHooray (Ages 15 months- 4 years) Thursdays, November 10 and 17 at 10 or 11 am Thursdays, December 8 or 15 at 10 or 11 am

Mother Goose (Ages 18 months-3 years) Mondays, November 14 and December 12 at 10 am Pajama Storytime (Ages 3-7 years) Mondays, November 14 and December 12 at 7 pm

Kindness Storycraft (Ages 3-5 years) Tuesday, November 15 at 4:30 pm

Tots Boogie Night (Ages 2-5 years) Tuesdays, November 15 and December 13 at 6 pm

Books to Belly (Ages 3-6 years) Thursdays, November 17 and December 15 at 4:30 pm

Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-5 years) Tuesday, November 22 at 10 am Wednesday, December 21 at 10 am

The Day the Crayons Quit Storytime (Ages 3-5 years) Tuesday, November 22 at 4:30 pm

Discovery Tots (18 months-3 years) Friday, November 25 at 10 am Wednesday, December 28 at 10 am

Art of the Masters (Ages 2 ½ - 5 years) Tuesday, December 13 at 4:30 pm

Tots Boogie Morning (Ages 2-5 years) Thursday, December 29 at 10 am

CRAFTS & COOKING

November Take & Make: Thankful Friends (Ages 3-12 years) Pick-up begins Monday, November 7

Thanks for Giving Craft (K-5) Friday, November 4 at 6 pm

Fall Pumpkin Button Craft (Grades K-2) Wednesday, November 9 at 6 pm

Pinecone Gnomes (Grades K-6) Monday, November 14 at 4:30 pm

Candy and Fruit Cornucopia (Grades K-6) Monday, November 21 at 6 pm

Pokémon Drawing (Grades 3-6) Tuesday, November 22 at 6:15 pm December Take & Make: Winter Magic Scratch Art (Ages 3-12 years) Pick-up begins Thursday, December 1

Celebrate Native American Heritage Month: Bone & Beads Necklace (Grades K-6) Monday, November 28 at 6 pm



Fabulous Fall Paint Night (Grades 2-6) Thursday, December 1st at 6 pm

Edible Winter Treats (Grades K-6) Monday, December 5 at 6 pm

Mitten Tree Day Craft (Grades K-3) Tuesday, December 6 at 4:30 pm

Winter Treat Jar (Grades K-6) Monday, December 19 at 6 pm

Outdoor Decor Snowman (Grades 2-6) Thursday, December 29 at 2 pm

Winter Gingerbread House (Grades K-6) Thursday, December 29 at 6 pm



Youth Services

Registration Required for all Programs. Children must be the age/grades specified by the first date of each program you register for.

FULL STEAM AHEAD

Hands on Techie Fun (Grades 2-6) Thursdays, November 3 and 10 at 6 pm Thursdays, December 8 and 15 at 6 pm

Art of the Scientist (Ages 2 ½ - 5 years) Tuesday, November 8 at 4:30 pm

Storybook STEAM (Grades K-2) Wednesdays, November 16 and December 14 at 4:30 pm

Turkey Cage Thanksgiving STEM Challenge (Grades K-5) Wednesday, November 16 at 6 pm

MORE TO EXPLORE

GRATITUDE TURKEY (AGES 12 AND UNDER) November 1-30 November is National Gratitude Month! Help our Gratitude Turkey grow feathers by adding a feather that says what you are grateful for.

PICTURE BOOK MONTH! It's Picture Book Month! Check out a themed picture book bundle curated by our amazing Youth Services Librarians.

Yoga for Kids (Ages 5-12 years) Friday, November 4 at 4:30 pm Fridays, December 2, 9, 16 at 4:30 pm

Superhero Party (Grades K-3) Saturday, November 5 at 2 pm

Alphabits Take Home Kits (Ages 2-5 years) Monday, November 7

Sprinkle a Little Kindness (Grades K-3) Monday, November 7 at 6 pm

National Gratitude Month (Grades 1-6) Tuesday, November 8 at 6 pm

BYOB (Bring Your Own Baby) Library Playdate (Ages 6-18 months) Saturdays, November 12 and December 17 at 10 am

Teddy Bear Hibernation Storytime and Food Craft (Ages 3-7 years) Saturday, November 12 at 2:15 pm

CELEBRATE NATIONAL KINDNESS DAY! Sunday, November 13 between 1-3 pm

Building with KEVA (Grades K-6) Saturday, November 19 at 2 pm Thursday, December 22 at 6 pm



Beginner Coding with Makey Makey (Grades 2-6) Friday, November 18 at 5 pm

Little STEAMers: Little Tinkers (Ages 3-5 years) Monday, November 21 at 4:30 pm

Marshmallow Slime Take & Make Kits (Grades K-6) Friday, November 25 at 9:30 am

Little STEAMers: Snow Sensory (Ages 3-5 years) Saturday, December 10 at 2:15 pm

Full STEAM Ahead: Arctic Animals (Grades 3-6) Wednesday, December 28 at 2 pm

Perler Beads Fun! (Grades K-6) Sunday, November 20 at 1 pm

Animal Adventure Obstacle Course (Ages 2-12 years) Drop-in Program Friday, November 25 between 2-8 pm Saturday, November 26 between 10 am - 4 pm Sunday, November 27 between 1-4 pm

Children's Author Celebration: Cynthia Rylant (Grades K-2) Monday, November 28 at 4:30 pm

Book Chat & Snack (Grades K-3) Tuesdays, November 29 and December 27 at 6 pm

LEGO Time (Grades K-6) Wednesdays, November 30 and December 28 at 6 pm

PlayDough Creations (Ages 3-5 years) Sunday, December 4 at 1 pm

PlayDough Creations (Ages 6-12 years) Sunday, December 4 at 2:15 pm

Bingo (Grades K-6) Sunday, December 11 at 1 pm

Tiny Town (Ages 18 months - 7 years) Friday, December 16 between 5:30-7:30 pm Saturday, December 17 between 12-4 pm Sunday, December 18 between 1-4 pm

Live Animal Show: Animal Adaptations (Ages 4-12 years) Friday, December 30 at 10 am

Noon Year's Eve Party (Ages 3-5 years) Saturday, December 31 at 11 am

SPECIAL NEEDS

Registration Required for all programsSensory Storytime (Grades Pre-K - 2)Special NeeTuesday, November 8 at 2 pmSaturdayWednesday, December 21 at 4:30 pm

Special Needs Craft Time (Grades K-6) Saturday, December 3 at 2 pm





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TWEENS (GRADES 4-8)

3D Apple Notecards Take & Make See Tuesday, November 8

Fall Leaf Mosaic Take & Make See Monday, November 14

National Fast Food Day Trivia (Virtual) Wednesday, November 16 at 7 pm Mickey & Minnie Birthday Take & Make See Friday, November 18

Tween Book Chat Friday, December 2 at 3:45 pm

Candy Sled Take & Make See Monday, December 19 National Chocolate Candy Day Trivia Wednesday, December 28 at 11 am

Introduction to Game Development (Grades 5-8) Wednesday, December 28 at 2 pm

TEEN PROGRAMS (GRADES 6-12)

Teen Drop-In

Fridays 4 - 6 pm

Looking for a relaxing place to hang out? Drop by our Community Room! Come alone or with friends - we'll have plenty of craft supplies, games and snacks! *No registration required.

Short Story Writing Contest See Tuesday, November 1 for more information

Chocolate Chip Banana Bread with Eva Monday, November 7 at 7 pm

College Financial Aid Night (Virtual) Monday, November 7 at 7 pm



Read Around the World: Greece See Monday, November 21 Art Club (Grades 9 & up) Monday, November 21 & Monday, December 19 at 7 pm

Photography Club (Grades 9 & up) Monday, November 28 & Monday, December 12 at 7 pm

World Cup FIFA Tournament Monday, December 5 at 7 pm

VR Program: Visit Greece & Mexico! Thursday, December 8 at 7:30 pm

Holiday Card Pop Up Thursday, December 15 at 7 pm

Improv Class with Thomas Biamonte Friday, December 16 at 7 pm Grades 7 and 8



Read Around the World: Mexico See Monday, December 19 Calligraphy (Virtual) Monday, December 19 at 7 pm

Gingerbread Houses Tuesday, December 20 7-8:30 pm at the Knights of Columbus

Chocolicious Take & Make See Tuesday, December 27

Game & Gaming Afternoon Thursday, December 29 at 2 pm

Cricut Craft: Astrology Foil Art Thursday, December 29 at 6:30 pm



COMMUNITY SERVICE SEE OUR WEBSITE FOR DETAILS.

Veterans Day Plaque for the VFW See Friday, November 4

Thanksgiving Cookies for Families in Need See Monday, November 7

Teen Think Tank Tuesday, November 29 and Tuesday, December 20 at 4 pm

Giving Tuesday Tuesday, November 29 at 3 - 9 pm Snowflakes for the Oceanside Senior Center Thursday, December 1 at 7:30 pm

Comfort Bags See Friday, December 2

Holiday Cookies for Families in Need See Monday, December 5

Sock Cupcakes for Children in Need See Friday, December 9

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<mark>Students Rebuild</mark> Thursday, December 22 at 7:30 pm

Mitten Collection November 1 - December 1

10 Can Challenge November 1 - December 31

Cards for Little St. Nick Foundation November 1 - December 31

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LIBRARY HOURS

Library Building

Adult/Teen Library & Children's Room

Starting Tuesday, Sep 16, 2022

Monday	9:30 am - 9 pm
Tuesday	9:30 am - 9 pm
Wednesday	9:30 am - 9 pm
Thursday	9:30 am - 9 pm
Friday	9:30 am - 9 pm
Saturday	9:30 am - 5 pm
Sunday	Noon - 5 pm

HOLIDAYS CLOSINGS & SPECIAL HOURS

Friday, November 11	CLOSED	Veterans' Day
Wednesday, November 23	9:30am-5pm	Thanksgiving Eve
Thursday, November 24	CLOSED	Thanksgiving Day
Saturday, December 24	9:30am-1pm	Christmas Eve
Sunday, December 25	CLOSED	Christmas Day
Monday, December 26	CLOSED	Christmas Day Observed
Saturday, December 31	9:30am-1pm	New Year's Eve

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ANNOUNCEMENTS & SPECIAL EVENTS

NEW PROGRAM ALERT

Calling all Creatives! Join us for our first ever, multi-generational Art Club and Photography Club. We will meet monthly to discuss projects we're currently working on, swap ideas with other artists, and discuss artistic opportunities that are locally available.

Grades 9-12 and Adults.

ART CLUB

Monday, November 21 & Monday, December 19 at 7 pm

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Monday, November 28 & Monday, December 12 at 7 pm



CEANSIDE LIBRARY VISION 2020

VISION 2020 UPDATE:

Construction is proceeding well. The demolition work at the old building is complete and construction is underway. Our design team is receiving an award from the AIA-LI, confirming what we know: the team we have put together is creating a very special place!

You can follow the progress of the project, including a real-time camera, a description of the work, and a list of each and every payment made to date, at oceansidevision2020.com



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