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NEWSLETTER

Seaford Public Library

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## From the Reference Desk

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“It’s not just books!” The Seaford Public Library has all sorts of entertainment to beat those winter blues. Check out a Roku streaming stick which has over 75 movies or take out one of our many museum passes. Interested in researching your family history? Start by searching our genealogy databases, Heritage Quest Online or Ancestry.com (available in the library only). If you have any questions or concerns, our staff is always available to assist.

Just a reminder - In case of inclement weather, library closings will be posted on our website at [www.seafordlibrary.org](http://www.seafordlibrary.org), Facebook and Instagram.

## Music Program: Love Songs of WWII

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**Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**2:00pm-3:15pm**                      **FREE**



Professor of Communications Dr. Diane Cypkin of Pace University presents her one woman show of love songs that moved us during a time of war. In her expressive lyric soprano, she will perform such unforgettable hits as “You’ll Never Know,” “I’ll Walk Alone,” and more. *Register now.*

## Presidential Protection

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**Tuesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>**  
**2:00pm-3:30pm**                      **FREE**



The US Secret Service has a tough job as we all know. Moreover, most people do not know what it means to be a Secret Service agent. Join St. John’s University Adjunct Professors, Howard Ehrlich and Harvey Sackowitz, collectively known as H & H Scholars as they discuss how the agency has evolved over time and what it means to be an agent assigned to the presidential detail. They will present both a current and historic view of the challenges the agents have had over the decades. Finally, Howard and Harvey will discuss some case studies of agents, who were assigned to the presidential detail, and their relationship they had with the first family. *Registration begins Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

## I Love Lucy Story

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**Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup>**  
**1:00pm-2:30pm**                      **FREE**



Join Sal St. George for a behind-the-scenes look at one of the most beloved television shows ever created. During this program, we will examine the early careers of both Lucy and Desi, how they met, their battles with CBS and the ultimate creation of Desilu Studios. We will also reveal the hidden genius of Desi Arnaz who revolutionized the television industry with innovations that are still utilized today. *Registration begins Tuesday, February 5<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

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# Adult Programs

Seaford Library/School District residents only on the first day of registration.  
All programs are free unless noted.

## Craft Program



### Valentine Heart Wreath

Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>

7:00pm-9:00pm Cost: \$8.00

Create a long lasting and colorful Valentine's Day wreath (size:14-15 inches) with craft instructor Diana Conklin. Your wreath will include a vine wreath base, hand painted and dried flowers, plus fragrant lavender, hydrangea, baby rose buds, and much more! *Registration begins Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

## Film



### First Man

Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> 6:45pm

OR

Wednesday, February 27<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm

A first-person account through the eyes of Neil Armstrong recounts the history-changing years before the Apollo 11 mission. Retelling the most dangerous mission America had ever attempted, Neil brings to life his personal sacrifices, and the sacrifices of the country. Starring Ryan Gosling. **Rated:** PG-13; 136 Minutes. **IN ORDER TO RESERVE A SEAT, CALL THE LIBRARY AT 516 221-1334.** *For both times, registration begins Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup>.* Snacks and refreshments will be served.

## Games

### Bingo for Adults

Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

1:00pm-2:30pm



Join Librarian Kristen Jording for a good old-fashioned game of Bingo! Win Prizes and make new friends. *Registration begins Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

### Irish Music

Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>

2:00pm-3:30pm



Ireland, long famous for the beauty of its countryside, the friendliness of its people, and the richness of its literary tradition, is also noted for the wealth of its musical heritage. Join John Corr with his banjo, guitar, tin whistles, *bodhran*, Irish wood flute, and spoons and in concert with his wife Clare will be performing delightful renditions of light-hearted songs and recitations, toe-tapping tunes, and poignant ballads from the Emerald Isle. *Registration begins Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

Art Exhibit- Lynn Hasteadt- Watercolors

Display Case - Maria LeRose-I Love Lucy Memorabilia

## Cooking Classes

### Chocolate Snickerdoodle Banana Bread

Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>

1:00pm-2:30pm

Cost: \$5.00

Join Simply Creative Chef Rob Scott in creating a super moist bread with a cinnamon crunch on top. This delicious treat will be perfect for breakfast or dessert. **Patrons will need to bring a loaf pan, 2 medium bowls and a rubber spatula.** *Registration begins Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

### Seven Layer Magic Cookies

Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

7:00pm-8:00pm

Cost: \$5.00

Join Kathy G. in making these tasty treats! Participants will prepare their crumb mixture, measure and add all the ingredients to make seven layers. They will then take them home to bake. *Registration begins Saturday, February 9<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

### Irish Soda Bread Muffins

Monday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

1:00pm-2:30pm

Cost: \$5.00

Make St. Patrick's Day extra special with a batch of individual Irish Soda Bread Muffins. Go home with 10 muffins ready-to-bake and Rob Scott's special recipe. **Please bring 1 large bowl, 1 medium to large muffin pan (that holds 12), plus a wooden spoon.** *Registration begins Saturday, February 9<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

# Adult Programs continued

## Book Discussions

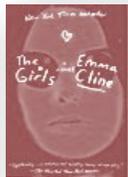
*Copies of the books will be available when you register.*

### **“The Girls” by Emma Cline**

**Wednesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>**

**2:00pm (downstairs meeting room)**

Join librarian Eric Wasserman for a lively discussion of this instant bestseller from debut author Emma Cline. Loosely inspired by the Manson Family murders in the summer of 1969, this novel focuses on Evie Boyd, an unhappy 14 year old who spends the majority of her summer colliding with a cult. *Register now at the Reference Desk.*



### **Irish Literature Book Discussion**

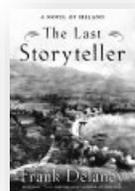
### **“The Last Storyteller” by**

### **Frank Delaney**

**Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>**

**2:00pm (upstairs - suite 204)**

Discussion led by Library Director Frank McKenna *Registration begins Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*



## Safe Driving

### **A.A.R.P. Mature Driving**

**Saturday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**10:00am-4:00pm**

**Cost: \$20.00 A.A.R.P. Members**

**\$25.00 for Non-Members**

Reduce your insurance rates and enjoy your driving privilege longer. Each person on line may register for one additional person. Space is limited. NO REFUNDS. Payment by check only payable to A.A.R.P. **Proof of A.A.R.P. membership is required.** *Register now at the Reference*



### **Defensive Driving**

**Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>**

**10:30am-5:00pm**

**Cost: \$20.00 (ages 60 & older)**

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Save 10% on your auto insurance and reduce up to 4 points on your driver's license. Make checks payable to Safe Trips, Inc. *Registration begins Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*



## Business & Finance

### **Elder Law**

**Friday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**1:00pm-2:30pm**

This program will focus on the importance of advance directives and advance planning. He will also discuss planning to protect the equity in your home, Medicaid eligibility rules, and the use of irrevocable trusts. Presented by attorney Christopher Petillo. *Registration begins Thursday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*



### **Smarter Social Security**

**Wednesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>**

**7:00pm-9:00pm**

Daniel Mazzola, CFA, CPA, will provide a broad overview of Social Security and show how married couples can maximize their collective payouts using two simple strategies. Bring your questions! *Registration begins Tuesday, February 5<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*



### **PREDICT THE OSCAR WINNERS!**

This year we are taking the plunge and we will try to guess who will win an OSCAR. But we need your help! Grab a ballot anytime at the Reference Desk starting Thursday, February 7<sup>th</sup> and submit your predictions by Friday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>. One ballot/entry per person please. All submissions will count towards an Academy Award Raffle. One winner will be awarded a gift card to the movies! Don't forget to watch the 91<sup>st</sup> Annual Academy Awards on Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup> to see if your predictions came true!

### **The next meeting of the FRIENDS OF THE SEAFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY:**

**Thursday, February 21<sup>st</sup>**  
**4:00pm (upstairs - Suite 204)**  
**All are welcome!**

Due to privacy concerns, AARP tax preparation services will not be available at the Seaford Public Library for this 2019 tax season. As always, we will be ordering both New York State and Federal Tax Forms. The Wantagh Public Library and AARP have graciously offered to accommodate Seaford patrons at the Wantagh Public Library. Sorry for the inconvenience. Thank you.

# Children's Programs



**Registration: The first day of registration is for Seaford Library/School District Residents ONLY. Non-residents may sign up the following day. Registration must be ONLINE or IN PERSON.**

## STORYTIMES

**\*ALL STORYTIMES REQUIRE PRIOR REGISTRATION/CHECK IF SPACE IS AVAILABLE\***

### **BABY & ME**

**Mondays from 10:15-10:45am**

**Ages:** Birth-18 Months w/caregiver

**Classes:** 2/11

### **MOTHER GOOSE**

**Tuesdays from 10:15-10:45am or Fridays from 11:00-11:30am**

**Ages:** 18 Months-2 Years w/caregiver

**Classes:** Tuesdays 2/5; 2/12; 2/26 or Fridays 2/8; 2/15

### **TINYTOT**

**Thursdays from 11:00-11:30am or Fridays from 10:15-10:45am**

**Ages:** 2-3 w/caregiver

**Classes:** Thursdays 2/7; 2/14; 2/28 or Fridays 2/8; 2/15

### **STORYHOUR**

**Tuesdays from 10:45-11:45am or Fridays from 1:30-2:30pm**

**Ages:** 3-5 (separation class)

**Classes:** Tuesdays 2/5; 2/12; 2/26 or Fridays 2/8; 2/15

### **VALENTINE PRE-SCHOOL CRAFT**

**Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>**

**10:15-11:15am or 1:30-2:30pm**



Roses are red, violets are blue, kids love to craft and you will too. Join us and make some Valentine crafts. Ages 2-6 w/ adult. Registration begins Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup>.



### **VALENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL**

**Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup> 11:00am-12:00pm**

Come join "A Time for Kids" as we prepare to celebrate Valentine's Day! Make and take home a special Valentine's Day mouse craft for someone you love! Ages 18 months-5 years old w/adult. Registration begins Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### **FAIRY TALE STORYTIME**

**Tuesday, February 5<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm**



Join us for a very special fairy tale storytime with Elsa and Anna! Our little guests will enjoy a special reading, sing along, dancing and meet & greet. Ages 2-6 w/adult. Registration begins Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>.



### **ANIMAL ROBOTICS**

**Wednesday, February 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Grades K-2 4:00-5:00pm or Grades 3-5 5:15-6:15pm**

Build a robotic zoo featuring models with working motors and sensors! Work in teams under guided instructions to build and program LEGO® models. Build a different model each class! Learning is enhanced through use of laptops. Presented by Snapology. Registration begins Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### **ALL YOU NEED IS LOVE**

**Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> 4:00-4:45pm**



Did you know that whalers brought home a special souvenir for their loved ones back home called a Sailor's Valentine? Identify different shells and create a shell necklace for yourself or a loved one. Presented by the Whaling Museum. Grades K-5. Registration begins Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup>.



### **ART WITH AMY**

**Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm**

Learn to draw with Art Teacher Amy! Step-by-step children will draw a polar bear using oil pastels and watercolors. Grades 1-5. Registration begins Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup>.

### **CHESS CLUB**

**Mondays, February 11<sup>th</sup> and February 25<sup>th</sup>**

**4:30-5:30pm**



Play the game of Kings and Queens with Joel Salman. Grades 1-5. Registration begins Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup>.



### **PLAYHOORAY FAMILIES**



**Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> 1:00-1:45pm**

Join us for a delightful program of music, movement, and rhymes. Birth-6 years old w/adult. Registration begins Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>.

### **1-2-3 FULL STEAM AHEAD**



**Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup> 7:00-8:00pm**

Join "A Time for Kids" for a program where participants will be introduced to concepts and terms of a STEM/STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, mathematics) based curriculum. Activities include music, movement, fine and gross motor development as well as a craft. Ages 2 1/2-5 w/adult. Registration begins Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>.



### **POKEMANIA**

**Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm**

Children will build and explore the world of Pokemon as they create their own gyms, battles, and even their very own generation of Pokemon. Children will also learn about real world science as they learn about the habitats of the Pokemon. Your child will have a blast becoming the best Pokemon trainer ever. Presented by Snapology. Grades 2-5. Registration begins Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>.



### **CHILDREN'S BOOK CLUB**

**Saturday, February 16<sup>th</sup> 2:00-3:00pm**

Join us for the second meeting of our new book club! This month, we will be discussing *The Crossover*, a magnificently creepy fantasy novel by Kwame Alexander. Pizza will be served. Copies of the book will be available at the Children's Desk upon registration. Grades 3-5. Registration begins on Saturday, January 19<sup>th</sup>.



### **MAD HATTER'S TEA PARTY**

**Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> 4:30-5:30pm**

Join us for our 22<sup>nd</sup> annual Mad Hatter's Tea Party! All attending are required to wear a "WACKY HAT". Create some "mad" crafts, hear stories, watch a film, and of course have tea and snacks. Age 4-Grade 3. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Registration begins Tuesday, February 5<sup>th</sup>.

# Children's Programs continued



## LET'S PLAY BINGO!

Friday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> 10:15-11:00am

If you know your numbers, you can play! Come for a fun game of B-I-N-G-O! Great prizes and lots of fun. Grades 1-5. Registration begins Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup>.

## BABY SMART

Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup> 10:15-10:45am

Cuddles, tickles, fingerplays and more. A Time for Kids presents a lively play and learn program! Ages 6-17 months w/adult. Registration begins Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>.



## HAPPY B-I-R-T-H-D-A-Y

Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup> 11:00am-12:00pm

Join "A Time for Kids" for an hour of preschool fun. Educational activities that include singing, dancing, storytelling and much more. Make and bring home a birthday craft! Ages 18 months-5 years old w/adult. Registration begins Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>.



## PLAYHOORAY KIDS

Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup> 3:00-3:45pm

Dance, march and move to the beat of contemporary and pop music with PlayHooray! Birth-6 years old w/adult. Registration begins Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>.

## NIGHTTIME STORYTIME

Tuesday, February 26<sup>th</sup> 7:00-8:00pm

Grab your teddy bear and wear your pajamas for a fun evening of stories, movies & a craft! All ages. No registration required.



## STAR WARS

Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup> 4:30-5:30pm

Participate in Star Wars® themed activities, build scenes from the movie, ships, deathstar, battles, lightsabers, you name it. May the force be with you! Grades 1-5. Presented by Snapology. Registration begins Thursday, February 14<sup>th</sup>.

# TEEN SPACE



## LOVE Cupcakes

Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>

4:00pm-5:00pm

How do you spell love? With fondant and cupcakes. Make 4 cupcakes to take home in a bakery box! Register now!

## Solving Ancient Mysteries

Wednesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>

4:00pm-5:00pm

This program illustrates how modern forensic techniques using DNA technology are used to solve mysteries of the past. It includes an explanation of how services like Ancestry.com work and what they tell us. A discussion of the efforts to identify the remains of POW's and MIA's is included in this lecture. Registration begins Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>.



## Teen Movie-The Darkest Minds

Thursday, February 21<sup>st</sup>

4:00pm-6:00pm

When teens mysteriously develop powerful new abilities, they are declared a threat by the government and detained. One of the most powerful young people, Ruby, escapes from her camp and joins a group of runaways who are seeking a safe haven. Betrayed by the adults in power, this newfound family soon realizes that running is not enough -- they must use their collective powers to wage a resistance and take back their future. Snacks will be served! Rated PG-13. Registration begins Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>.

Grades 5-12. Register online for teen programs that are free at [www.seafordlibrary.org](http://www.seafordlibrary.org) or call the Reference Desk at 221-1334.

## Community Service Opportunity

### Seaford Teen Advisory Group



Monday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

4:00pm-5:00pm

Come and participate in the Seaford Teen Advisory Group. Bring your fresh ideas and perspective. The more a teen comes to the monthly meetings the better chance he or she will have at earning community service hours. Snacks will be served. Registration begins Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>.

## Star Wars Lego Mosaic

Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>

4:00pm-5:00pm



In this Star Wars themed Snapology class, teens will use small LEGO bricks to create mosaic styled art. Kids will be inspired by Star Wars mini-figurines to make portraits of their favorite character from the movies. Kids will also learn about building strong structures when they build a light saber with LEGO bricks. Registration begins Wednesday, February 6<sup>th</sup>.



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## LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday	10-9pm
Wednesday	1-9pm
Friday	10-6pm
Saturday	10-5pm

**The next regular meeting of the Board of Trustees:  
Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7pm. The public is welcome.**

**The Library will be closed Monday, February 19<sup>th</sup> for Presidents' Day.**

*The Seaford Public Library does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.*



## Bus Trips

Seaford Library/School District residents only on the first day of registration.  
No refunds unless a substitute can be found from the waiting list. Pay by check only.

### PHILADELPHIA FLOWER SHOW: FLOWER POWER

**Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Bus leaves at 7:00am**

**Cost: \$68 per person (includes tickets & driver gratuity)**



Join us as we head to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to see the world's largest indoor flower show. Tickets give you access to daily horticulture and hands-on demonstrations, amazing marketplace shopping and free wine and spirits tastings. Lunch is on your own. Enjoy lunch at the new Food Court or head to the Reading Terminal Market located across the street from the Flower Show. Space is limited. Bus seat assignment to be made the day of registration. *Register now at the Circulation Desk.*



### "THE PRODUCERS" AT THE ARGYLE THEATER

**Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Bus leaves at 11:00am**

**Cost: \$103.00 (includes tickets, lunch & driver gratuity)**

Come experience the newly renovated and historic Argyle Theatre in the Village of Babylon. Don't miss a discounted ticket and a short ride to see a Mel Brooks comedy right in our backyard! "The Producers" is a musical adapted by Mel Brooks and Thomas Meehan from Brooks's 1967 film of the same name. As in the film, the story concerns two theatrical producers who scheme to get rich by overselling interests in a Broadway flop. Complications arise when the show unexpectedly turns out to be successful. The humor of the show draws on ridiculous accents, caricatures of homosexuals and Nazis, and many show business in-jokes. First we will have lunch at Noon at the Post Office Café, a short one block walk to the theater. The show will begin at 2 p.m. so we will meet at the Argyle Theatre at 1:30 p.m. to find our seats. Each person on line may register for one additional person. First come, first served. Space is limited. Bus seat assignment to be made the day of registration. *Registration begins Tuesday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at the Circulation Desk.*