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# Seaford Public Library Newsletter

Your Doorway to the Past, the Present & the Future

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**LIBRARY HOURS:**  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 10-9  
Wednesday 1-9  
Friday 10-6  
Saturday 10-5

The Library will be closed Monday,  
October 12<sup>th</sup> for Columbus Day.

The next regular meeting of the  
Board of Trustees:



Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 7pm  
The public is welcome.

## FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

The Museum Pass Program offers free passes to many Long Island and New York City Museums. Seaford Public Library cardholders 18 and over can check out these FREE passes to the following museums: Cradle of Aviation Museum, the Firefighters Museum, the Intrepid, Long Island Children's Museum, Long Island Maritime Museum, Old Bethpage Restoration Village, Old Westbury Gardens, Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium. *The Friends of the Seaford Library* generously sponsor the Long Island Maritime Museum passes. If there are others you are interested in the library acquiring, please let us know!

Frank McKenna, Director

## ON THE CASE: CHRISTIE MYSTERIES

Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm-2:30pm FREE

In a 65-minute show, three actors perform David Houston's radio play (with music accompaniment and sound effects) from classic short stories by the all-time mistress of suspense and surprise—including a fanciful scene in which Miss Marple (played by Diana Heinlein) and Hercule Poirot (Ray Gobes, Jr.) discuss "Getting Away with Murder," drawn from various Agatha Christie sources. David provides narration and voices. *Registration begins Friday, October 9<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

## HALLOWEEN & HOLLYWOOD

Wednesday, October 28<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm FREE



Cinema historian and folklorist Jim Knusch takes you on an infernal and diabolical voyage through the origins of all that has become Halloween. Experience the tales of Jack O' Lantern, All Hallow's Eve, Snap Apple Night, the Witch's Sabbath, why one gets dressed up to go trick or treating and just how it went from ancient important Celtic holiday to becoming such a fun time of the year. Hear about historic events that have occurred on, or around, October 31<sup>st</sup>, such as the death of Harry Houdini and more. Included will be illustrations and film clips of how Halloween has been variously celebrated and depicted in movies. *Registration begins Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*



## COMEDY SHOW

Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm FREE

Come celebrate our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Seaford Library with these comedic all-stars. Veteran comics, John Shea, Les Degen and Sarah Quinn have been entertaining audiences all over the tri-state area with their unique brand of clean comedy guaranteed to bring a smile to your face and a laugh down to your bones. Come on down and join the fun! 100% clean, 1000% funny. *Registration begins Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

# ADULT PROGRAMS

Seaford School/Library District residents ONLY on the first day of registration.

## SAVING TIME, SAVING MONEY \$

Presented by: Dr. Regina T. Gilbert

Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm-4:00pm FREE

Would you like to avoid long lines at the airport check in? How about attending a movie on Long Island for only \$2.00? Find out how to park for less in New York City and where to locate the best gas prices around. Seniors can save 50% on the LIRR, buses and subways. There will be tips for dining out, websites for shopping, affordable show tickets and much more. Join Regina for a jam packed informational program. Bring a pen to add notes to your handout! Registration begins Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

## OREO TRUFFLES

Tuesday, October 20<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm-8:00pm Cost: \$3.00

Join the Baking Coach in making this delicious fall treat! Registration begins Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Reference Desk.



## FILM



### I'LL SEE YOU IN MY DREAMS

Wednesday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 2:00pm FREE

In this vibrant, funny, and heartfelt film, a widow and former songstress discovers that life can begin anew at any age. With the support of three loyal girlfriends (June Squibb, Rhea Perlman, and Mary Kay Place), Carol decides to embrace the world, embarking on an unlikely friendship with her pool maintenance man (Martin Starr), pursuing a new love interest (Sam Elliott), and reconnecting with her daughter (Malin Akerman). **Rated:** PG-13; 95 Minutes. **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. IN ORDER TO RESERVE A SEAT, CALL THE LIBRARY AT 221-1334. Registration begins Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>.** Each person may register for one additional person. **NO WALK-INS.** 55 seats maximum. No admittance after movie begins. Refreshments and snacks will be served.

## OUT TO DINNER AT HOME-ITALIAN STYLE

Wednesday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm Cost: \$5.00

Spend a decadent night at home in the best Italian restaurant in town, your own! Chef Lee Perrotta will demonstrate how to cook fresh pasta, grilled asparagus with prosciutto and fast tiramisu. Registration begins Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Reference Desk.

## GYPSY MUSIC: A DAZZLING JOURNEY

Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> 2:00pm-3:30pm FREE

Join Acclaimed International Concert Violinist David Podles on a pulsating musical tour through gypsy camp grounds. Showcasing gypsy music from Romania, Russia, Poland, Latvia, India, and the former Yugoslavia. David's violin will delight you in bringing you this mystical culture of the world's famous nomads whose music remains rich in mystery and ancient traditions. Registration begins Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.



## "JOHN MARSHALL: THE CHIEF JUSTICE WHO SAVED THE NATION" by Harlow Giles Unger

Monday, October 26<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm-4:00pm FREE

This book discussion will be facilitated by library director Frank McKenna. Copies of the book will be available when you register. Register now at the Reference Desk.

## SAVVY SOCIAL SECURITY PLANNING: WHAT BABY BOOMERS NEED TO KNOW TO MAXIMIZE RETIREMENT INCOME

Presented by Kenneth Jacobsen, Financial Advisor; LPL Financial Member FINRA/SIPC

Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm FREE

Come join us at this informative seminar where you will learn the basics of Social Security and the important rules and strategies for maximizing your benefits. Learn the answers to questions such as: Will there be Social Security for me? How much can I expect to receive? This valuable workshop is designed specifically for baby boomers. Registration begins Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

## COMPUTER CLASSES

Presented by Sharper Training Solutions, Inc.



### INTRODUCTION TO EXCEL

Tuesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm Cost: \$5.00

Learn the basics of the world's most popular spreadsheet program, including creating, editing, and formatting worksheets, formulas, and much more. **Prerequisites:** Computer Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> Grade. Registration begins Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

### INTERMEDIATE EXCEL

Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm Cost: \$5.00

Learn more about the world's most popular spreadsheet program, including functions, working with ranges, charting, columns, rows and much more. **Prerequisites:** Computer Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> Grade. Registration begins Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

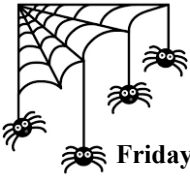


## THANKSGIVING SIDE DISHES

Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>  
1:00pm-3:00pm Cost: \$5.00

Join Chef Barbara Sheridan for some new ideas and tips for those all-important sides at Thanksgiving. Wow your family with some new ideas for your favorite potato and other side dishes. Registration begins Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



## CREATIVE PLAYTIME

Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> & Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup>  
10:00am-3:00pm

Join us for a wonderful open playtime for kids. Lots of toys, lots of fun! No registration required. All ages.

## ART WITH IVY

Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm

Children will make a scary haunted house decoration out of spooky art paper. Open the working doors and windows to reveal the ghouls and goblins living within! Grades K-5. Registration begins immediately.



## YOGA KIDS

Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm

Join our Yoga Master Miss Chris for a fun-filled class that teaches relaxation and breathing methods as well as many yoga poses. Ages 7-11. Registration begins immediately.

## PAWS TO READ

Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm

Looking for a fun way to boost reading skills while making new friends? Read aloud to a trained therapy dog at the library. Grades 1-3. Registration begins Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.



## PAJAMA STORYTIME

Wednesday, October 14<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.

## HALLOWEEN PRE-SCHOOL CRAFT

Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup>  
10:15-11:15am Or 1:30-2:30pm

Come make spooky crafts for the big day! Ages 2-5 with adult. Registration begins Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.



## MINI YOGA

Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup> 1:15-2:15pm

Can you be a dolphin, a lightning bolt or a peacock feather? Join Miss Chris and learn how to do these poses and more. Ages 3-6. Registration begins Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.

## SNACKS 'N STORIES

Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm

Mama Mia! Listen to mouth-watering and fun stories about pizza, watch a movie and make and eat your own crescent roll pizza. Age 4-Grade 3. Registration begins Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.



## CHESS CLUB

Mondays, October 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>  
4:30-5:30pm & November 16<sup>th</sup> 5:30-6:30pm

Play the game of Kings and Queens with Joel Salman. Grades 2 & up. Registration begins Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup>.



## HALLOWEEN MADNESS

Tuesday, October 20<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm

Halloween is full of tricks and treats, and now your cupcakes can be, too! Frost and decorate your own. Grades K-5. Registration begins Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>.



## DISGUSTING THINGS FROM THE DEEP

Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> 4:00-4:45pm

Come explore the spooky, slimy, and downright gross side of the aquatic world. Get ready to touch the icky and the sticky, and learn about animals like the blob fish! Presented by the Whaling Museum. Grades K-5. Registration begins Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>.

## HALLOWEEN MINI-MOVIE

Monday, October 26<sup>th</sup> 12:00-1:00pm

If you love Schulz, Snoopy, the Peanuts gang and/or Halloween you must watch, It's the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown. A craft and refreshments are offered. All ages. No registration required.



## JUMPBUNCH FOOTBALL

Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm

Get ready to move! Join Winkie for some fun structured program that introduces your child to the world of sports! Grades 1-5. Registration begins Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>.



## HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR WITH DARLENE GRAHAM

Wednesday, October 28<sup>th</sup> 1:30-2:15pm

Join us for a special October themed Darlene Graham Performance! Come dressed in your costume. It's going to be fangtastic! All ages. No registration required.



## MUSIC & MORE 2

Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> 12:45-1:30pm

Join Jenny Johannesen and make some music! Age 2 with caregiver. Registration begins Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>.

## MUSIC & MORE

Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> 1:30-2:15pm

Join Jenny Johannesen and sing, dance and make music! Ages 3 and 4. Caregivers are invited to stay. Registration begins Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>.



## HALLOWEEN BASH

Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup> 11:00-11:45am

Spiders, bats, black cats and more...Let's see what Halloween has in store! Put on your little monster costume and join us for not so spooky stories and a special treat. Ages 3-6. No registration required.


## HALLOWEEN SPOOKY-TAILS

Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup> 3:00-3:45pm

Witches, Goblins and Ghosts, Oh My! Join us if you dare for spooky stories, craft and treats. Come in costume and celebrate Halloween with us! Ages 7-10. No registration required.




# YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS




**MANGA CLUB**  
**Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> 4:30pm-5:30pm FREE**  
 If you have a love for anything Manga related, this club is the place for you! Get to know teens who share the same interest. Snacks will be served. Grades 5-up. No registration required.

**EDIBLE HAUNTED HOUSE**  
**Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> 4:30pm-5:30pm FREE**



Create your own haunted house using yummy goodies. Grades 5-up. *Registration begins Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

**HOW TO MAXIMIZE YOUR ELIGIBILITY FOR COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID**




**Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm FREE**  
 Come join Richard Milella, founder and director for Long Island funding for education (*L.I.F.E.*), as he discusses methods to maximize your family's eligibility for college financial aid. Countless students will qualify for thousands in financial aid this year- simply because they understand the rules and recognize how to use them to their advantage. Shouldn't you be one of them? *Registration begins Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

**\*BLESSING BAGS ANNOUNCEMENT\***  
 Starting in the month of October, the library will be collecting essential goods for the November 19<sup>th</sup> program, *Blessing Bags Get Together*. Please see below for more details about this program. In order to know what kind of products to purchase or donate, a checklist will be made available to pick up at the Reference Desk starting Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. **Thank you!**


**BLESSING BAG GET TOGETHER**  
**Thursday, November 19<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm-8:00pm**  
 Join Miss Jillian in helping organize and package all the goods that are donated from the Seaford Community. Donations will be given to the United Veterans Beacon House in Farmingdale. An hour of community service will be given to all attendees. Pizza will be served. Grades 5-up. *Registration begins Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>.*

**VOLUNTWEENS-HOLIDAY CARDS FOR SENIORS!**




**Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> & Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup> 4:00pm-5:00pm**  
 Join Miss Jillian in spreading the Holiday spirit by making cards for the residents of the Bristol Assistant Living in Massapequa. Two hours of community service will be given to all attendees. Snacks will be provided as well. Grades 5-up. *Registration begins Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>.*

## DRIVING CLASSES



**DEFENSIVE DRIVING**  
**Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup> 10:30am-5:00pm Cost: \$20.00 (ages 60 & older); \$30.00 (ages 59 & younger)**  
 Save 10% on your auto insurance and reduce up to 4 points on your driver's license. Make checks payable to LISHIP. *Register now.*

**A.A.R.P. MATURE DRIVING**



**Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> 10:00am-4:00pm**  
**Cost: \$20.00 A.A.R.P. Members; \$25.00 for Non-Members**  
*PAYMENT BY CHECK ONLY-ONE CHECK PER PERSON- PAYABLE TO A.A.R.P. - PROOF OF A.A.R.P. MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED.*  
 Take this course to 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.** *Registration begins Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

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