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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 next regular meeting of the  
Board of Trustees:**



**Monday, October 7, 2013 at 7pm**  
The public is welcome.



**FREE online tutoring available for K-12  
students, college students and adult learners in  
all subject areas**

**2-10pm**

**Go to [www.seafordlibrary.org](http://www.seafordlibrary.org) and click on [tutor.com](http://tutor.com)**

## LONG ISLAND'S MOST HAUNTED MANSIONS

**Tuesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm Free**

Monica Randall shares true stories of spectral beings who sometimes show up on film and make their ethereal voices heard during the night. Learn about some of Long Island's most intriguing manor houses with their labyrinths of secret passages, hidden chambers, deserted tunnels and the mysterious events that surround them. This program is filled with plenty of scientific facts, suspense, and practical lore. You will come away believing that the truth can sometimes be stranger than fiction. *Registration begins Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

## GHOSTS, GHOULS AND MONSTERS OF LONG ISLAND

**Wednesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> 7:00pm-9:00pm Free**

Investigative reporters Joseph Flammer and Diane Hill, The Paranormal Adventurers, are authors of three books about paranormal activity on Long Island. Based on their third book, Ghosts, Ghouls and Monsters of Long Island, this thrilling program delves into the heart of local paranormal activity, including sightings of a mysterious black creature in central Long Island that reportedly wears a cape, a hood, and has the ability to disappear at will! Discussions of the Montauk Monster, guarded Plum Island, and the ghoul of a local graveyard are sure to make this an exciting program that will be talked about by Long Islanders for a long time to come. Stories welcome! *Registration begins Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

# ADULT PROGRAMS

Seaford School District residents **ONLY** on first day of registration.

## FILM



### The Great Gatsby

Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm Free

A Midwestern war veteran finds himself drawn to the past and lifestyle of his millionaire neighbor. Featuring Leonardo DiCaprio and Carey Mulligan. **Rated:** PG-13; 143 Minutes. **REGISTRATION IS NOW REQUIRED. IN ORDER TO RESERVE A SEAT, CALL THE LIBRARY AT 221-1334.** Registration begins Friday, October 4<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.

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

Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> 10:00am-4:00pm

**Cost: \$17.00 for A.A.R.P. Members; \$19.00 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 Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Reference Desk.

## Crocheting for Beginners



Wednesdays: October 30<sup>th</sup>, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>  
7:00pm-9:00pm

**Materials:** G Hook and two balls of worsted weight yarn in a **LIGHT** color

Have you always wanted to learn to crochet but never had the chance? Join instructor Lois Buonagurio to learn basic crochet techniques and stitches to make a scarf. Registration begins Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

## Laughs at the Library



Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm Free

Join us for laughs at the Library with standup comedian, Mark Brier. All are welcome to attend and tell jokes, or just sit back and enjoy. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

## COMPUTER CLASSES

### Computer Kindergarten

Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup> 10:00am-12:00pm Cost: \$5.00

This is a slow-paced, hands-on, user friendly workshop for first time computer users. Using Windows computers, this class will cover turning the computer on, the desktop, using the mouse, opening and closing programs, understanding windows elements, and turning the computer off. Registration begins Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.



### Introduction to Excel

Monday, October 28<sup>th</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 Monday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

### Intermediate Excel

Tuesday, October 29<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. **Prerequisite:** Introduction to Excel. Registration begins Monday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.



### Computer First Grade

Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> 10:00am-12:00pm Cost: \$5.00

In this hands-on, user friendly workshop you will learn how to work with text including inputting, inserting, moving and erasing, learn basic word processing skills and understand files and commands. **Prerequisite:** Computer Kindergarten. Registration begins Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

### All about E-mail

Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> 10:00am-12:00pm Cost: \$5.00

In this hands-on lecture and demo class, you will learn how to send, receive, forward and reply to e-mail. After you have mastered the basics, you will learn how to attach files and download. **Prerequisites:** Computer Kindergarten and Computer First Grade. Registration begins Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.

**Don't Forget**

**Join the Friends of the Seaford Public Library**

# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

## Snacks 'N Stories

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



Celebrate pizza with stories, crafts, a film Pete's a Pizza and make and eat your own pizza. Age 4-Grade 3. Registration begins Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.



## Haunted Birdhouse

**Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup> 4:15-5:15pm**

Children will enjoy using a variety of materials to make a haunted birdhouse. With Samantha. Grades K-5. Registration begins Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Halloween Happening

**Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup> 10:30-11:30am**



Join Christine and create a Halloween decoration using fun foam, sequins, ghosts, witches and your imagination. Grades K-5. Registration begins Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Author, Author

**Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm**

Celebrate author Eric Litwin, the creator of the Pete the Cat books, with stories, crafts and a movie. Age 4-Grade 3. Registration begins Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.



## Craftercize

**Wednesday, October 16<sup>th</sup> 1:30-2:30pm**

Join Miss Jessica for an hour of dance, movement, exercise and a craft. Ages 2-5. Registration begins Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Midnight Appetite

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



Learn about sharks and their extreme appetite at night. See and touch shark teeth and make a shark necklace or keychain. From the Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum. Grades K-5. Registration begins Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Ooey-Goey Chemistry

**Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> 4:15-5:15pm**

Roll up your sleeves for some goeey fun with chemistry! With Johnda. Grades K-5. Registration begins Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.



## Music Anyone?

**Monday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 12:30-1:15pm**

Join Jenny Johannesen and sing, dance and make music! Ages 3 and 4. Caregivers are invited to stay. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>.

## Music Anyone Two?

**Monday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 1:30-2:15pm**

Join Jenny Johannesen and make some music! Age 2 with caregiver. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>.



## Art with Ivy

**Tuesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> 4:00-5:00pm**

Create your own haunted house, complete with movable windows and doors. Grades K-5. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>.

## Creative Playtime

**Wednesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> 1:00-3:00pm**

Join us for open play featuring a ball pit, tunnels and a play dough table. All ages. Registration not required.



## Mask Mania

**Wednesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> 4:00-5:00pm**

Join Annie Sunshine and create a mask you can use as a decoration or a costume. Grades K-5. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>.



## Halloween Pre-School Craft

**Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup> 10:15-11:15 am or 1:30-2:30pm**

Bring an adult and create some creepy crafts for Halloween. Ages 2-5 with adult. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>.



## Fun with Folklore

**Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup> 4:00-5:00pm**

Explore Australia through its stories, the film Possum Magic and creating an aborigine mask. Age 4-Grade 3. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>.

## Mini-Movies

**Monday, October 28<sup>th</sup> 1:30-2:30pm**



Come have a spooky good time with some classic Halloween movies. A craft and refreshments are offered. All ages. Registration not required.

## Katie's Puppets

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

Enjoy this original puppet show by Katie's Puppets featuring orange cats, orange flowers, orange dogs and blue Mr. Mouse. All ages. Registration not required.



## Time for Chess

**Fridays, November 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> 4:30-5:30pm**

Come and enjoy another round of chess with Joel Salman. Grades 2-up. Registration begins Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>.

# YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS



## Edible Haunted House

Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup> 4:30-5:30pm Cost: \$4 per teen

Have a “Spooktacular” time right before Halloween creating this delicious haunted house. Using candy corn, Reese’s Pieces, icing and pretzels, your scary creation will come to life. For those ages 10 & up. *Registration begins Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

## Iron Man 3

Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> 2:00-4:30pm



Marvel’s “Iron Man 3” pits brash-but-brilliant industrialist Tony Stark/Iron Man against an enemy whose reach knows no bounds. When Stark finds his personal world destroyed at his enemy's hands, he embarks on a harrowing quest to find those responsible. This journey, at every turn, will test his mettle. With his back against the wall, Stark is left to survive by his own devices, relying on his ingenuity and instincts to protect those closest to him. **Rated:** PG-13. *Registration begins Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.* Snacks and refreshments to be served! For those who are under the age of 13 , a parent must be present during sign up.

## Neon-Glow Zumba

Thursdays: November 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, & 21<sup>st</sup> 4-5pm Cost: \$3 per teen for all three Zumba classes!

Wear a neon shirt, grab a glow accessory and get ready to Zumba! Instructor Jill Ackiron-Moses fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to learn dance moves. Don’t forget to wear sneakers and bring a water bottle. Glow accessories will be provided. Ages 10 & up. *Registration begins Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at the Reference Desk.*

## BUS TRIP



*Seaford school district residents on the first day of registration.  
No refunds will be given unless a substitute can be found from the waiting list.  
PAY BY CHECK ONLY PLEASE. SPACE IS LIMITED.  
FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED.*

## Lincoln Center & The Cathedral of St. John the Divine

Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup> Bus leaves at 7:30am Cost: \$87 per person

Join us as we visit Lincoln Center and The Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine. Go behind the scenes at Lincoln Center to venues where a spectacular range of artists have performed, including Luciano Pavarotti, Leonard Bernstein, and Bruce Springsteen. Explore iconic landmarks such as the Metropolitan Opera House, Alice Tully Hall, and the Reyson Fountain. Each tour is unique and may include sitting in on a rehearsal, walking out onto a stage or meeting a star. Enjoy a delicious three course lunch at the Ocean Grill, one of the premier seafood restaurants on the Upper West Side. After lunch, discover one of the world's largest cathedrals. Explore the many highlights of the cathedral's history, architecture and artwork. Stroll the grounds of this spectacular piece of history. *Registration begins Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at the Circulation Desk.*

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Display Case: Halloween Extravaganza  
Art Exhibit: Classic Photos by Phil Stanziola

The Library will be CLOSED Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup> for Columbus Day.

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