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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 6th, 2014 at 7pm
The public is welcome.



Wednesday, December 10th



The Seaford Public Library now offers Museum Passes to the Heckscher Museum of Art in Huntington. The pass admits two adults and accompanying children under 18. In order to reserve a pass, please visit our website at www.seafordlibrary.org and click on Museum Passes. For further information, please call the Reference Desk at 221-1334.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Trash or Treasure Antique Roadshow

Monday, October 20th 2:00-4:00pm FREE

Do you have something old or unique and wonder if it has some value? Certified Appraiser Eddie Costello and his wife Jean will present a lecture that is both informative and highly entertaining on how to identify today's hottest antiques and collectibles. The first 40 people registered will receive a free verbal appraisal of any one antique or collectible (no coins, currency, or stamps). Your treasure may even win you an award for the most unique antique or collectible of the show! *Registration begins Monday, October 6th at the Reference Desk.*

Gold Coast in the Movies

Wednesday, November 5th 7:00-9:00pm FREE

Go behind the scenes with location film scout and Best Selling author Monica Randall as she shares her experience working with film icons, such as Jack Nicholson, Warren Beatty, Robert Redford, Mia Farrow, Martin Scorsese, and Mike Nichols. Included in the program will be scenes from classics, such as "The Godfather", "Hair", "The Fortune", "Age of Innocence", and "Sabrina". Learn why Gold Coast flunked its screen test for the making of the most celebrated Long Island story of them all, "The Great Gatsby". *Registration begins Thursday, October 16th at the Reference Desk.*

BUS TRIP

Seaford school district residents only 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.

Broadway Play - The Last Ship

Bus leaves at 9:45am Cost: \$102 per person

We are off to Broadway to see the new play *The Last Ship*! Inspired by Sting's own childhood, *The Last Ship* is set in an English seafaring town and follows Gideon Fletcher, a man who left home to see the world and returns, fourteen years later, to find that the future of the shipyard is in danger. A potent and moving story written by John Logan with beautiful music by Sting. We have front mezzanine seats for this performance at the Neil Simon Theater, 250 West 52nd Street. There will be time for you to have lunch on your own at one of the restaurants in the area. After the performance, we will drive to Rockefeller Center where we will have time to walk about and see the tree, before boarding the bus to come back home. Space is limited. *Registration begins Tuesday, October 28th at the Circulation Desk.*

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Films



REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. IN ORDER TO RESERVE A SEAT, CALL THE LIBRARY AT 221-1334. Each person may register for one additional person. NO WALK-INS. 50 seats maximum. No admittance after movie begins. Refreshments and snacks will be served.

Draft Day

Wednesday, October 15th 2:00pm FREE

On the day of the NFL Draft, General Manager Sonny Weaver (Kevin Costner) has the opportunity to save football in Cleveland when he trades for the number one pick. He must quickly decide what he's willing to sacrifice in pursuit of perfection as the lines between his personal and professional life become blurred on a life-changing day for a few hundred young men with dreams of playing in the NFL. Rated: PG-13; 109 Minutes. *Registration begins Friday, October 3rd.*

Mom's Night Out

Wednesday, October 22nd 2:00pm FREE

All Allyson and her friends want is a peaceful, grown-up evening of dinner and conversation . . . a long-needed moms' night out. But in order to enjoy high heels, adult conversation and food not served in a paper bag, they need their husbands to watch the kids for three hours—what could go wrong? Rated: PG; 98 Minutes. *Registration begins Thursday, October 9th.*

Classic Antipasti & Penne Ala Vodka

Monday, October 20th 7:00-9:00pm Cost: \$5.00

Join the Baking Coach in making individual Antipasti and Penne Ala Vodka (less the vodka) at the Library. Everyone will enjoy an hour of eating! *Registration begins Monday, October 6th at the Reference Desk.*

How Can Hypnosis Help You?

Monday, November 3rd 7:00-9:00pm FREE

Hypnotist John De George will dispel the myths of hypnosis as well as teach you the health benefits. Can it really help you stop smoking? Can it be an aid in dieting? John will give you tips on how you can get into a relaxed hypnotic state to help you succeed. *Registration begins Friday, October 17th at the Reference Desk.*

Computer Classes



Presented by Sharper Training Solutions, Inc.
Registration for all computer classes begin Friday, October 10th at the Reference Desk

Introduction to Excel

Tuesday, October 28th 7:00-9:00pm Cost: \$5.00

Learn the basics of the world's most popular spreadsheet program. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten and 1st Grade.

Intermediate Excel

Wednesday, October 29th 7:00-9:00pm Cost: \$5.00

Learn more about the world's most popular spreadsheet program, including functions, working with ranges and much more. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten and 1st Grade.

Computer Kindergarten

Saturday, November 1st 10:00am-12:00pm Cost: \$5.00

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.

Computer First Grade

Saturday, November 8th 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.

Haunted Hotels in the Catskills

Tuesday, October 21st 7:00-9:00pm FREE

The sprawling grand hotels of yesteryear hold a certain fascination for most of us, but they are mostly ghost hotels today. During the last century, both rich and middle class boarded the steamships and the Hudson River Railroad and were headed for the elegant palaces in the Catskills. Perched high atop the cliffs overlooking the river and glacial lakes, some of these hotels had as many as 800 rooms. When prohibition hit in 1917, the Catskills became a popular playground for gangsters and bootleggers. In this slide presentation, Monica Randall will review the great hotels and luxury resorts of the past century and visit the haunting ruins that remain today. *Registration begins Tuesday, October 7th at the Reference Desk.*


CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Creative Playtime

Wednesday, October 1st 1:00-3:00pm

Join us for hours of fun-filled activities. Choose from board books, puppets, toys, music, tunnels, ball pits, tents and a play-dough table. All ages. Infants welcome. No registration required.

Music Anyone Two?

Monday, October 6th 12:45-1:30pm 

Join Jenny Johannesen and make some music! Age 2 with caregiver. Registration begins immediately.



Music Anyone?

Monday, October 6th 1:30-2:15pm

Join Jenny Johannesen and sing, dance and make music! Ages 3 and 4. Caregivers are invited to stay. Registration begins immediately.

Let's do Yoga

Monday, October 6th 4:00-5:00pm

Join Miss Chris for an hour of yoga. Exercise your mind and your body. Grades K-5. Registration begins immediately.

Author, Author



Tuesday, October 7th 4:00-5:00pm

Celebrate two amazing authors, Crockett Johnson, author of Harold and the Purple Crayon and Ruth Krauss, author of The Carrot Seed, with stories, crafts and a film. Age 4-Grade 3. Registration begins immediately.

Time for Yoga

Wednesday, October 8th 1:15-2:15pm

Can you be a dolphin, a lightning bolt or a peacock feather? Join Miss Chris and find out! Ages 3-up. Registration begins immediately.

3-D Spider



Wednesday, October 8th 4:15-5:15pm

Create this spooky spider for Halloween. With Samantha. Grades K-5. Registration begins immediately.

Art with Ivy

Thursday, October 9th 4:00-5:00pm

Explore the world of Vincent Van Gogh and create your own masterpiece. Grades K-5. Registration begins immediately.




Falling for Crafts

Thursday, October 16th 4:00-5:00pm

Join Annie Sunshine and create a multitude of crafts to celebrate autumn! Grades K-5. Registration begins Monday, October 6th.

Let's Get Crafty!

Saturday, October 18th 10:30-11:30am 

This ghost/pumpkin door decoration will be a great addition to your home! With Christine. Grades K-5. Registration begins Monday, October 6th.




Craftercize

Monday, October 20th 12:00-1:00pm

Join Miss Jessica for an hour of dance and crafts. Ages 2-5. Caregivers are welcome to stay. Registration begins Monday, October 6th.

Fun with Fossils

Tuesday, October 21st 4:15-5:15pm 

Study dinosaurs and fossils. Take home an actual fossil! With Johnda. Grades K-5. Registration begins Monday, October 6th.



Halloween Pre-School Craft

Thursday, October 23rd

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

Bring an adult and create some creepy crafts for Halloween. Ages 2-5 with adult. Registration begins Thursday, October 9th.

Snacks 'N Stories



Thursday, October 23rd

4:00-5:00pm

Hear spider stories, watch a spider film and make (and eat) "spider crackers". Age4-Grade 3. Registration begins Thursday, October 9th.



Mini-Movies

Monday, October 27th

1:00-2:00pm

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

Time for Chess



Mondays, October 27th and November 3rd, 10th and 17th

4:30-5:30pm

Come enjoy another round of chess with Joel Salman. Grade 2-up. Registration begins Thursday, October 9th.

Candy the Clown



Wednesday, October 29th

1:15-2:00pm

Come and enjoy the hysterical antics of Candy the Clown! All ages. Registration not required. Sponsored by the Lions Club.



YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

College Financial Aid Planning & College Selection Seminar
Tuesday, October 14th 7:00-8:00pm **FREE**



Ron-Tan Enterprises Inc. presents a valuable and informative free program for high school students and their parents looking to learn how, when and where to apply for financial aid. Some topics will include who qualifies for financial aid, the forms to be completed and deadlines to follow, and the application process. *Registration begins Wednesday October 1st at the Reference Desk.*



Wednesday, October 29th

Edible Haunted House

5:00-6:00pm

Cost: \$3.00 per person

Create your very own tasty and spooky Haunted House from scratch using goodies galore! *Registration begins on Wednesday, October 8th at the Reference Desk.*

Chocolate Olympics

Friday, November 7th

4:00-5:00pm

FREE



Does your team have what it takes to win the Chocolate Olympics? Teams will have a friendly competition of trivia, games, and of course, chowing down on everything chocolate!!! *Registration begins on Thursday, October 23rd at the Reference Desk.*

BOOK DISCUSSION

“Bittersweet” by Miranda Beverly-Whittemore

Wednesday, November 5th 3:00pm FREE



Join librarian Eric Wasserman for a lively discussion from critically acclaimed and bestselling author Miranda Beverly-Whittemore. On scholarship at a prestigious East Coast college, ordinary Mabel Dagmar is surprised to befriend her roommate, the beautiful blue-blooded Genevra Winslow. Ev invites Mabel to spend the summer at Bittersweet, a cottage on the Vermont estate where her family has been holding court for more than a century. Mabel falls in love with the midnight skinny-dips, the wet-dog smell lingering in the air, the moneyed laughter carrying across the still lake, and before she knows it, she has everything she's ever wanted. But as Mabel becomes an insider, she makes a terrible discovery that leads to shocking violence and the revelation of the true source of the Winslows' fortune. *Registration begins Wednesday, October 8th at the Reference Desk.* Copies of the book will be available when you register.

DRIVING CLASS



Defensive Driving

Saturday, October 25th 10:30am-5:00pm

Cost: \$20.00 (for ages 60 and older); \$30.00 (for ages 59 and younger)



By taking the New York State approved Point and Insurance Reduction Program (PIRP), you will save 10% on your auto insurance and reduce up to 4 points on your driver's license. Make checks payable to LISHIP. *Registration begins Thursday, October 2nd at the Reference Desk.*

The Friends meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 29th at 3pm in the Valentine Meehan Community Room.
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