ADULT PROGRAMS

WH residents register beginning Tuesday, July 5.
Non-WH residents register, space permitting, beginning Monday, July 11.
All registration fees are non-refundable.

BLOOD DRIVE BUS
Give the GIFT OF LIFE
Monday, July 25
1-7 p.m.
in the Parking Lot
Take a little bit of time to make a life-saving difference!

Brain Training for Everyone
Monday, August 15 7-8:30 p.m.
Newsday crossword editor Stan Newman hosts this program introducing you to numerous techniques of “mental calisthenics” that don’t involve puzzle-solving. You’ll learn how to employ them to make smarter decisions, build your creativity, become a better shopper, and more.

Jump In!
Monday, August 22
2-3:30 p.m. & repeated 7-8:30 p.m.
Here on Long Island, water is a critical part of our lives, but we’ve got a problem. Our ground and surface waters are being contaminated. So Jump In! and find out how your daily activities can affect the quality of our drinking and surface waters.

A Near Death Experience: A Journey to the Other Side and Back
Thursday, August 25 7-8:45 p.m.
Jacob Cooper, LMSW will share his enlightening personal experience about his time in the afterlife and what really happens when we cross over. He will guide us to re-remember and re-experience our own truth. A question and answer session will follow.

Beam Me Up:
50th Anniversary of Star Trek
Thursday, September 8
This fast-paced multimedia program explores the inspirations for the characters, stories and settings in the original series, the backstage drama behind its many incarnations, and its ongoing impact on pop culture around the world.

Officially Speaking:
Conversation with Curran
Monday, September 26 7-8:30 p.m.
Assemblyman Brian Curran (21st AD) will hold this constituent outreach event where he will field questions and concerns about local issues residents have and keep them informed about what is happening in Albany. No registration required.

Domestic Violence Intervention Program
Tuesday, October 4 7-8:00 p.m.
Learn how to identify the warning signs of an abusive relationship and the options available to improve your situation.

Homemade Ravioli
Monday, October 17 7-8:45 p.m.
Cost: $3 (cash only)
Not only is it Italian American Month, but it is National Pasta Day! Learn how to make this delicious ravioli from scratch. Make, shape and stuff the dough and if time permits, there will be a demonstration on making the perfect sauce! Everyone goes home with ravioli and sauce to share with the family.
YOUR TAX DOLLARS AT WORK
DID YOU KNOW?

Between July 2014 and June 2015:

- We circulated over 229,200 items.
- We issued 721 new library cards.
- We added over 12,600 items to our collection.
- We filled over 10,000 reserves.
- Over 20,000 patrons used our computers.
- We had 376 Adult programs serving over 8,000 participants.
- We scheduled 318 Children’s programs serving over 3,840 children.
- We presented 35 Young Adult programs serving over 500 teens.

In addition, we offered other FREE public services such as tax forms, online databases, access to materials from other libraries through interlibrary loan, local newspapers, community event listings on our bulletin board and much more.

Have you used our new Self-Check Kiosk? Give it a try. It’s easy!

Scan your library card, put items in the big bin, wait for items to appear on the screen, print a receipt. Voila! You’re all done.

You can also check your account to see what items you have out and pay fines via credit card.

IMPORTANT: NO A/V items may be checked out on the self-check kiosk. ALL DVDs, Blu-Rays, CDs, Audiobooks, Playaways, and Kits must be checked out at the Circulation desk.

Important Circulation desk request:
Due to this new circulation system, please DO NOT place items on or near the RFID pads at the Circulation desk. The pads are extremely sensitive.
Medicaid Enrollment Assistance
Wednesdays:
July 6, August 3, September 7
9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Trained enrollers from the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council will assist the aged, blind and disabled enroll into the following programs: Medicaid, Medicaid Buy-In for Working People with Disabilities, Medicaid Spend-down, Medicare Savings, and Medicaid for Institutional Care in a Nursing Home. First-come, first-served basis, free of charge. Meets the first Wednesday of every month in the 2nd floor Board Room.

What In The Heck Is Opera?
Fridays, October 21, 28 & November 4
1:30-3:00 p.m.
In Opera 101, Tanisha Mitchell, curator and archival expert in the Metropolitan Opera music library presents this three part series and will share rare treasures from behind the scenes.

The ABC’s of Medicare
Thursday, October 27 11 a.m.-12 p.m. and repeated
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Carol Kaplowitz will present an educational overview of Medicare. Topics will include: Medicare A&B; how Medicare differs from health coverage; eligibility; supplemental options available in NY; Medicare advantage plan; and Part D Prescription Plan. Medicare booklets will be available. Bring your questions.

Adult Summer Reading Program
July 1 – August 19
Our theme this year is Exercise your Mind and Body. Read!

Starting July 1, look for our Adult Summer Reading Display around the staircase and pick up your reading raffle review forms. Fill out a raffle for each book read. Beginning on July 8, one winner will be chosen from all those submitted during that week. We will have 7 weekly drawings - the last on Friday, August 19. You may enter every week.

All adults who fill out at least one review form will be invited to our celebration on Thursday evening, September 1.
There will be grand prizes, treats and lots of fun!

Please see flyer for more information, including how to get an extra raffle ticket by attending one or more of our programs!

Look for this Exercise Your Mind and Body symbol. Attend that program and get an extra ticket for our big grand prize Adult Summer Reading Raffle!

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For your comfort, bring a sweater to all programs.
EXERCISE CLASSES FOR THOSE WITH ARTHRITIS OR FIBROMYALGIA

Tuesdays:
July 19, 26, August 2, 23, 30,
September 20, 27
9:45-10:45 a.m.
Cost: $21 (payable only by check to WHPL)

Instructor: Marilyn Bunger

SIMPLY STRONGER

Wednesdays:
July 20, 27, August 3, 24, 31,
September 28
6:50-7:50 p.m.
Cost: $18 (payable only by check to WHPL)

Instructor: Marilyn Bunger

YOGA

Wednesdays:
July 20, 27, August 3, 10, 24, 31,
September 7, 14, 28
12-1 p.m.
Cost: $27 (payable only by check to WHPL)

OR

Wednesdays:
July 20, 27, August 3, 10, 24, 31,
September 7, 14, 28
8-9 p.m.
Cost: $27 (payable only by check to WHPL)

Instructor: Joe Cilmi

ZUMBA

Tuesdays:
July 19, 26, August 2, 9, 23, 30,
September 6, 20, 27

Session 1: 4:45-5:35 p.m.
Session 2: 7-7:50 p.m.

Cost: $36 (payable only by check to WHPL)

Bring water, sneakers and a sense of fun and adventure!

KNIT & CROCHET CIRCLE

Tuesdays
July 12*, 26, August 9*, 23,
September 13*, 27
*First class of the month with instructor
$2 fee per session
6:45-8:45 p.m.
No registration required.

YOGA

Wednesdays:
July 20, 27, August 3, 24, 31,
September 28
6:50-7:50 p.m.
Cost: $27 (payable only by check to WHPL)

Instructor: Marilyn Bunger

Wineglass Painting

Monday, August 29
7-9 p.m.
Cost: $15 (payable only by check to WHPL)

Learn to hand paint a set of four beautiful wineglasses with grapes, leaves and vines. Irene Marchese will teach this very easy technique. No experience needed. Come with your friends for a great night!

Inside the Lines

Club 1 - Tuesday Nights:
July 5, 19, August 2, 16, September 6, 20
7-8:30 p.m.
OR
Club 2 - Thursday Afternoons:
July 7, 21, August 4, 18, September 8, 22
1:30-3 p.m.

Coloring clubs are the newest craze. Coloring has been proven to have a calming effect that reduces stress.

Outside the Lines presents
Inside the Lines for Seniors
Monday, September 12
12:30 p.m.
at ECHO PARK

Ballroom Dancing

Tuesdays:
August 30, September 6, 20, 27
8-8:45 p.m.
Cost: $20 (payable only by check to WHPL)

Visit the library or consult our website
www.whplibrary.org
for updated information.
Sunday Entertainment

All programs are held on SUNDAY at 2 p.m. and are free to all. Doors open at 1:30 p.m.
In deference to the performers, please be here at least 15 minutes before showtime.
For your comfort, please remember to bring a sweater.

THIS TRAIN IS BOUND FOR GLORY  September 25
What do Elvis, Sam Cooke, Aretha Franklin, Johnny Cash, Bob Dylan, Peter, Paul and Mary, James
Brown, Al Green, Ray Charles, and Smokey Robinson all have in common? Gospel music! This per-
formance illustrates how this vital form of American music has strongly influenced every generation of
musicians.

TRIPS...TRIPS...TRIPS

Trips must be paid for by check payable to WHPL at the time of registration. There are NO
REFUNDS unless the library cancels a trip. Registration begins Tuesday, July 5 for WH residents
and Monday, July 11 for non-residents.

HUNTERDON HILLS PLAYHOUSE  Thursday, October 6  $79.50 per person
En|joy a sit-down luncheon while watching Squabbles!, a hilarious comedy about how the happy life of
a successful young couple is sometimes complicated by the wife’s curmudgeon of a father, Abe, who
lives with them. When the husband’s mother, Mildred, arrives to also stay at the house, the fireworks
begin, since Abe and Mildred can’t stand each other. Don’t forget to save room for the unlimited des-
sert buffet! Pickup: 8:30 a.m. Return approximately 6 p.m.

SAMSON IN LANCASTER  Tentative month: November
One day trip. Stop in Kitchen Kettle Village. Samson at Sight and Sound Theater. Smorgasbord dinner.
See flyer for more information.

SAFE DRIVING COURSES

Defensive Driving Courses can remove up to 4 points from your license and reduce your
automobile insurance by 10 percent for a period of 3 years.

Defensive Driving: Empire Safety Council Course
Monday, September 19 & Wednesday, September 21 from 6-9 p.m.
Registration begins Tuesday, July 5.

Cost: A $30 check, payable to Ramona Tracy.

AARP Smart Driver Courses: Classes are tailored for those 50 and older.

Course 1: Tuesday & Wednesday, July 12 & 13 from 6-9 p.m.
Registration for W.H. residents begins at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, June 28.
Non-residents may register, space permitting, beginning Tuesday, July 5.

Course 2: Fridays, September 9 & 16 from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Registration for W.H. residents begins at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, August 24.
Non-residents may register, space permitting, beginning Wednesday, August 31.

Cost: Checks must be made payable to AARP. $20 with AARP membership card.
Non-members of AARP or those without their AARP card - $25.

Each participant must bring his/her driver’s license and checkbook (no cash accepted) when
registering. Participants must be on time and attend all parts of the course to receive credit.
ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

Beginning July 5, we are excited to offer the new digital service – **Hoopla**.

Instantly borrow free digital movies, music, eBooks and more, 24/7 with your library card. **NO WAITING and NO HOLDS!!**

Hoopla includes hundreds of thousands of movies, full music albums, audiobooks and more. From Hollywood blockbusters to best selling artists and authors – not just the hits, but the niche and hard-to-find as well – you’ll soon discover that Hoopla provides you the freedom you’ve been searching for to experience, explore and enjoy what you want, when you want, and where you want.

Simple to access and use, without the hassle of having to return the items you’ve borrowed, all you need is your library card, a web browser, smartphone or tablet to get started. The freedom you want is here, now.

WHPL WEBSITE ALERTS!

Our **NEW** and improved website is coming this summer!

**New Online resource** (coming in July)

**BrainHQ** is a brain-training system built and tested by an international team of top neuroscientists and other brain experts. BrainHQ's exercises work out your attention, memory, brain speed, people skills, navigation, and intelligence.

Starting your BrainHQ account is easy. Click on the BrainHQ icon on the WHPL homepage. Sign up using your WHPL barcode.

Train at your own pace and convenience. There are hundreds of levels of exercises.

**Online Language Learning**

**Pronunciator** is our language training center. Use it to learn 80 languages, ESL and Citizenship test preparation.

*** Please note that WHPL no longer offers *Mango Languages*.

HAPPY RETIREMENT

We wish all the best to librarian **Linda Joe** who is retiring after serving the West Hempstead Public Library for the past 12 years.

May her retirement days be filled with new adventures, good health and much happiness.
EN ESPAÑOL

Matrículas: martes, julio 5

DISCUSIÓN DE LIBRO EN ESPAÑOL

Título: Malinche
Autor: Laura Esquivel
Día: Jueves, septiembre 1 (Thursday, September 1)
Hora: 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Venga a compartir sus impresiones en español, sobre el libro Malinche de la autora Mexicana Laura Esquivel. La discussion tomará lugar en un ambiente agradable. Copias del libro están disponibles en el escritorio de Circulación.

AROMATERAPIA

Jueves, agosto 4
6:30-8:00 p.m.

¡Terapia de aceites esenciales como medicina alternativa!

INTervención

Aprenda a identificar las señales de una relación abusiva y las opciones disponibles para mejorar esa relación.

Lunes, octubre 24
7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

MATRÍCULA PARA LAS CLASES DE INGLÉS

Jueves, julio 7 / Thursday, July 7
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

¡GRATIS!

¿Está usted en paso a la ciudadanía? Repase las preguntas para el examen en inglés y español en un ambiente agradable en la Biblioteca de West Hempstead.

Sábado: julio 16, 23, 30
Agosto 6, 13, 20, 27
Septiembre 10, 17, 24

11 a.m.-12 p.m.
Teen Services

Programs are open to West Hempstead residents. Space permitting, non-residents may participate. Programs are for students entering Grades 6-12 unless otherwise noted.

Introduction to Coding
Thursdays, July 7, 14 & 21    6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Registration is ongoing

Sharper Training Solutions will teach students the basics of computer language, code structure and implementation. Participants will write a script that will move objects on the screen and trigger movement of other objects. Enrollees are to attend all three sessions. This unusual program is limited to 24 students.

Decoupage Trash Can
Thursday, July 28                 7 - 8 p.m.
Registration begins Monday, June 27

Join Ms. Sarah and learn the art of decoupage. Put your new skill to use by decorating your own trash can. Just let your imagination go wild to make your own unique creation. You may choose to make it a “home run” with some sports themed pictures. This workshop is limited to 20 participants, so be sure to register early!

Video Game Truck
Thursday, August 4               6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Registration begins Tuesday, July 5

Come join us for the ultimate game party. State-of-the-art video equipment and the latest games for you to play will be provided in the truck located in the library’s parking lot. Please note that space is limited to 20 participants.

Belgian Waffles with Ice Cream Sundaes
Thursday, August 18             7 - 8 p.m.
Registration begins Tuesday, July 5

Ms. Kathy returns to teach you to make Belgian waffles and an ice cream sundae. Participants will work in groups to measure, mix and make waffles from scratch and then bake on a waffle maker. They will then prepare their sundae which includes ice cream and toppings. This is a delicious treat limited to 20 students.

Bowling at San-Dee Lanes of Malverne
Tuesday, August 23              2 - 3 p.m.
Registration begins Tuesday, July 5

Join Mrs. Abed at San-Dee Lanes, 342 Hempstead Avenue, Malverne for an hour of bowling plus shoe rental. A big pretzel and soda will be supplied. Be sure to join us for this fun activity.

College Admission Essay Workshop
Thursdays, September 15 & 22    7 - 8:30 p.m.
Registration begins Monday, August 15

Laura La Vacca, a NYS certified teacher and writing professor, will help you learn how to write college admission essays. The common application will be covered, but students are encouraged to bring in other colleges’ essay questions that they wish to go over. Emphasis on style, appropriate topics and other tips will be discussed. Participants are to bring their draft essays to the second class. Be sure to attend both sessions. There is a limit of 20 participants.

S.A.T. Preparation Workshop
Registration begins Monday, August 15
This is a six-week math and English course to help high school juniors and seniors prepare for the S.A.T. Classes will be held Thursdays, September 29, October 6, 13, 20, 27 and November 3 from 6:45 to 8:45 p.m. An $80 check, payable to Laura LaVacca, is required at registration. Students are required to bring to class Official SAT Study Guide (2016 edition) by the College Board. The ISBN is 978-145-730-4309. Please be sure to purchase the book before the first class. Students are also required to bring a calculator to class. Two classes will be devoted to English and two classes to math. The 5th week will be a practice S.A.T. test. The final session will be a review of both subjects.
Teen Summer Reading: “Get in the Game …Read.”
You still have time to sign up for our Summer Reading Club. Just read at least 4 books and hand in mini-reviews by Friday, August 5 to receive an invitation to our pizza party on Thursday, August 11 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. We will have prizes and entertainment - a Summer Jam Spectacular laser show. Don’t miss this entertaining show. Remember, you must complete the requirement to attend.

Thank You

The Library would like to thank Capital One Bank for their generous donation to the Teen Summer Reading Club.

TWEEN PROGRAMS (GRADES 5-8)

Open Craft
Thursday, July 7 2 - 4 p.m.
Registration begins Monday, June 13 at the Teen desk.
Leftover supplies from previous Tween programs will be available to use in creating your own unique projects. Buttons, coasters, watercolor paint and paper, scrapbook paper, Mod Podge, mugs, sharpies, and many more supplies will be yours to make whatever you would like.

Stained Glass Suncatchers
Monday, July 18 2 - 4 p.m.
Registration begins Monday, June 13 at the Teen desk.
Pick from a bunch of different designs and pieces of tissue paper to form your suncatcher. Once you have your colors and shapes in place, glue the pieces of tissue paper together in thin layers so the sun can shine through when you hang it on a window.

Striped Canvas Art
Monday, August 15 2 - 4 p.m.
Registration begins Monday, July 18 at the Teen desk.
Put down different lengths and widths of tape onto your blank canvas. Pick a few colors to cover and paint your entire canvas. Once the paint dries, simply peel off the strips of tape and show the sharp white lines alongside the design you painted.
The Children's Room is designed for all ages through grade 5. West Hempstead residents are given preference for programs and non-residents are waitlisted. A library card is needed for programs and proof of date of birth is required for babies and preschoolers. Grade levels listed are those a child is entering in September. Events are in the Children's Program Room unless otherwise noted.

**ON YOUR MARK, GET SET, READ!**

Join the Summer Reading Club 2016 if you haven’t already! Discover reading fun for babies through 5th graders.

**CRAZY 8s**
Mondays, June 27, July 11, 18, 25
4:30-5:15 p.m. Grades 1-3
7:00-7:45 p.m. Grades 4-6
Registration begins June 15
Math gone wild! Build stuff and make a mess in this totally new kind of math club. Program created by Bedtime Math. Miss Emily will show you the fun.

**CALLING ALL BABIES!**
Drop-in Storytimes
Tuesdays, July 5, 12, 19, 26
10-10:30 a.m. OR 11-11:30 a.m.
Ages Birth-2 with Parents
No registration
Join Ms. Kerry for stories, songs, fingerplays and fun. ALL participants are included in our Little League club and receive a prize at the last class. Please be on time. First 15 babies.

**PAJAMA STORYTIME**
Wednesday, July 6
7-7:30 p.m.
All ages
No registration
The first Wednesday of the month, put on PJs & stop in for stories, songs & a craft.

**COMIC SQUAD BOOK CLUB**
Tuesdays, July 12, 19, 26
Grades 3-5
7:00-7:30 p.m.
Registration begins June 15
Sign up for 1, 2 or all 3 meetings. Squish, Comic Squad and A Sam & Friends Mystery will be discussed. Join Miss Emily. Read the books, chat and enjoy a snack.

**JUMP FOR JOY!**
Friday, July 8
Register June 15
Friday, July 29
Register July 15
10:00-10:45 a.m.
Ages 18 months to 4 years
(must be walking)
Join Joy Oddo for a musical marching celebration. All children must be over 18 months by July 1st.

**KARATE CLASS with SILBERS MARTIAL ARTS**
Wednesday, July 13
Grades 1-2 at 4:30-5:15 p.m.
Grades 3-5 at 5:30-6:15 p.m.
Registration begins July 1
Fitness and wellness are the Summer Reading Club themes. Come and join us for a workout and instruction in karate. All participants break a board!

**READING TO DOGS**
Thursday, July 14
3:00-4:00 p.m.
Grades 1-3
Registration begins July 1
Bideawee dogs and trainers will be at the library anxious to hear your favorite stories. Please register for your 15 minute time slot, choose your favorite book, and make a dog very happy.

**PLAY HOORAY!**
Thursdays, July 21 & 28
Ages 4 months to 4 years w/adult
4:30-5:15 p.m. OR 6:00-6:45 p.m.
Registration begins July 1
Action and play with Play Hooray! Join in for singing, dancing, music and movement.
**PAJAMA STORYTIME**
Wednesday, August 3
7-7:30 p.m.  All ages
No registration
Come for stories, songs and a craft. Wear your pajamas if you like.

**PLAY HOORAY!**
Thursdays, August 4 & 11
Ages 4 months to 4 years w/adult
4:30-5:15 p.m. OR 6:00-6:45 p.m.
Registration begins July 15
Action and play with Play Hooray! Join in for singing, dancing, music and movement. July participants will be put on a waitlist.

**PARACHUTE PLAY**
Tuesday, August 9
10-10:30 a.m.
Ages 2-5 w/adult
Registration begins July 15
Join Ms. Kerry for parachute fun. Over, under, up, down, big, little, all around. Read some stories, sing some songs; we will all have fun.

**SPORTS PLAY for the iPAD**
Wednesday, August 10
7:00-7:30 p.m.
Grades 3-6
Registration begins July 15
Do you like to play games involving sports? Then join Ms. Kristin for some sports play on our iPads.

**SUMMER READING CLUB 2016 DEADLINE:**
Friday, August 12th
Last day to report on books read for the Summer Reading Club 2016. Last chance for a ticket to an energized celebration on either August 16th or 17th and some wonderful prizes.

**LIBRARY CARD MONTH**
September is library card sign-up month. If you are getting your first card, stop at the Children's Room desk, show us your card and we will give you a prize!

**FROGS, BUGS & ANIMALS AN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM**
Monday, August 1
6:00-7:00 p.m.  All ages
Registration begins July 15
Jason Reilly will be here with this exciting hands-on program featuring frogs, bugs, reptiles, chickens, bunnies and baby animals. Enjoy learning about and petting each animal.

**MAD SCIENCE of LONG ISLAND SCIENCE OF SPORTS WORKSHOP**
Wednesday, July 20  Grades 1-5
4:30-5:30 p.m.
6:00-7:00 p.m.
Registration begins July 15
Enjoy a very energetic hour filled with activities and experiments to demonstrate the science behind the interaction of our bodies and sports. Explore gravity and 3-D vision concepts. Test your reaction time with a "React-o-meter".

**CHILDREN'S YOGA**
Wednesday, July 27
4:30-5:15 p.m.  Grades K-2
5:30-6:15 p.m.  Grades 3-5
Registration begins July 15
Cindy Valentine is back to guide kids both experienced and new in yoga. Keeping in theme with fitness and wellness this summer, join us for this challenging and relaxing program.

**PLAY HOORAY!**
Thursdays, August 4 & 11
Ages 4 months to 4 years w/adult
4:30-5:15 p.m. OR 6:00-6:45 p.m.
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The West Hempstead Public Library is a Family Place library, a national initiative of Libraries for the Future and the Middle Country Public Library.
WEST HEMPSTEAD HISTORICAL PHOTOS

The West Hempstead Public Library and the West Hempstead Historical Society are working on a joint project to digitize historical photos and postcards of West Hempstead. New items are added to the collection on a monthly basis.

To see this ongoing project, go to: www.newyorkheritage.org then select Collections and under Contributing Organizations, select West Hempstead. Be sure to check back periodically and watch our collection grow.

LATE OPENINGS
The Library will open at NOON on Thursdays, August 25 & September 29

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WEST HEMPSTEAD LIBRARY
BOARD MEETINGS - 7:45 PM
(Dates subject to change)
Monday, July 18
Monday, August 22
Monday, September 26

LIBRARY CLOSINGS
Saturday, July 2        Independence Day Weekend
Monday, July 4         Independence Day
Saturday, September 3  Labor Day Weekend
Monday, September 5    Labor Day

Regular Hours resume Tuesday, September 6.