

Longwood Public Library March/April 2017 Newsletter

2016 Annual Report to the Community

What a busy year we've had at the LPL! This was our first full year in the transformed, high-performance building, and we are so pleased to report that the building is functioning the way we had hoped. Because of the improvements made during the expansion, we are actually using less electricity now than we did before—with a building that is 50% larger!

Our enthusiastic and well-trained staff continues to provide excellent service to you, while launching a number of new services and initiatives. We've enhanced our library programs by adding outdoor programming on the terrace, classes by a certified Google trainer, a large number of community service opportunities for teens and tweens, and more ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) classes. We expanded our collection: we now offer Launchpads for all ages, and we added Hoopla, a wonderful service that allows you to stream movies and more for free. We subscribed to Lynda.com, a premier online learning service that you can use in the library or at home. 3D printing came to LPL for a visit. Our children's librarians introduced the wonders of nature when we hatched chicks in the Children's Room.

We have new things in store for the coming year, including outdoor movies, Kindle Paperwhites for checkout, a sensory garden for young children, and much more.

We will hold our **Annual Budget Vote and Trustee Election on Tuesday, April 4**, from 8:00 am to 9:00 pm in the Library Community Room. The Library Board of Trustees will hold a budget information meeting on Wednesday, March 15 at 7:00 pm. The draft proposed budget will be available at the library and on our website by March 8. The Board of Trustees is pleased to announce that there will be no override of the state tax cap this year. Watch for a special budget mailing in late March. Petitions for library trustee are due by Monday, March 6. If you have any questions about the budget or the library, please contact the library director, Lisa Jacobs, at (631) 924-6400 x275, or by email at lisa@longwoodlibrary.org.

2016 The Year in Review

- Offered excellent library service in our new, high-performance building
- Expanded programs for all ages
- Introduced Launchpads for all audiences
- Added a new assistive listening system to be used in any program room
- Added a subscription to Lynda.com
- Introduced a new downloadable media service, Hoopla

A Few Statistics from 2016

- There are nearly 49,000 cardholders, more than 74% of our district's population
- Library visits topped 254,000
- More than 425,000 items were checked out
- Free ebook downloads through Livebrary (Overdrive) increased by more than 30%
- Public computers were accessed more than 53,000 times, an increase of 20%
- Free museum passes were borrowed 1425 times, saving taxpayers nearly \$45,000

We Need Your Support

The Library Board of Trustees is committed to offering excellent library service while keeping the budget below the state-mandated tax cap. We thank you for your support throughout the year, and ask you to come in and vote on April 4.

New Auto Renewal Service

Opt in for Auto Renewal at <https://www.livebrary.com/autorenew>, so you won't have to worry about missing due dates! Your library items will be renewed automatically as long as there are no other holds on them, or you have not exceeded the maximum renewals. Ask a librarian if you have any questions or need help opting into Auto Renewal.

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Celebrate **Women's History Month**

The Fly Girls Women Service Pilots of WWII

Thursday, March 16 from 7:00-8:30 pm

Registration begins March 2

In 1942, military leaders took a gamble on an experimental program to free up male pilots for combat: the Women Airforce Service Pilots. WASP flew every aircraft in the Army's arsenal. In addition to ferrying, they towed gunnery targets, transported equipment and non-flying personnel, and flight-tested repaired aircraft before the men were allowed to fly them again. For over two years, the WASP went on to perform a wide variety of aviation-related jobs and to serve at more than 120 bases around the country. Join Bruce Kagan as he recounts the heroic contribution and sacrifices these brave women made in the effort to win WWII.

Introducing Longwood Grows Seed Library

Debuting on **Saturday, March 11** at the Garden Thyme Seed Exchange program

Library Board Meetings

Budget Information Meeting – Wednesday, March 15 at 7:00 pm

Wednesday, April 19 at 7:00 pm

Library Closed

Sunday, April 16 – Easter

Hours

Monday–Friday: 9:30 am-9:00 pm

Saturday: 9:30 am-5:00 pm

Sunday: 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

The book drop is open 24 hours

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Children's Programs

Unless otherwise noted, all programs for children from birth through Pre-K are intended for parents and children together.

Programs for children in grades K-6 are intended for children on their own.

Please note that programs are now broken down by age group. Questions?

Please contact the Children's Reference Desk.

Baby Programs

Little Lambs

Monday, March 6 at 10:00 am

Children (infant–11 months)

Registration is ongoing

March into the library with your little lambs for a quiet and gentle baby story time! Listen to simple stories, play with props and sing songs that will start your baby's early literacy adventure!

Babies Boogie

Wednesday, March 22 at 10:00 am

Children (infant–23 months)

Registration begins March 1

Boogie with your little one, sing along and have some fun! Nicole Sparling will be visiting for this wonderful movement class featuring instruments and music from around the world.

Toddler & Preschool Programs

Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss

Thursday, March 2 at 11:00 am

Children (3 years–Pre K)

Registration is ongoing

Celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday with library friends, stories and crafts! To commemorate this author's birthday, children and parents are encouraged to Read Across America. Start at your library!

Baby Picasso

Saturday, March 4 at 10:00 am

Children (12-30 months)

Registration is ongoing

Little ones will have the chance to discover textures and color hands-on through printing, painting and splashing without worrying about making a mess! Children will develop their fine motor skills as they maneuver items and learn to hold utensils such as paintbrushes and rollers while creating their very own masterpiece! Through our exploration, we will focus on the process and not the final product. Don't forget to bring your smock!

Art Starts

Saturday, March 4 at 2:00 pm

Children (3 years–Pre K)

Registration is ongoing

Children will be introduced to a variety of art materials that are guaranteed to stimulate their creative abilities. Let your child's creative juices flow in this open-ended art program! Don't forget to bring your smock!

Little Lions

Monday, March 6 at 11:00 am

Children (12-23 months)

Registration is ongoing

March into the library with your little lions for a musical story time! Listen to simple stories, play with props and sing songs that will add to your toddler's early literacy adventure!

-Little Hands-

"What Makes a Rainbow"

Tuesday, March 7 OR

Saturday, March 18 at 10:00 am

Children (2-3 years)

-Crafty Kids-

"What Makes a Rainbow"

Tuesday, March 7 OR Saturday, March 18 at 11:30 am

Children (4 years–Pre K)

Registration is ongoing

Join your library friends in listening to a story and then making a craft to take home. This month we will learn about what makes a rainbow through stories, art and a colorful craft!

Playtown

Thursday, March 9 at 10:30 am OR 2:00 pm

Children (3 years–Pre K)

Registration is ongoing

Children will use their imaginations as they visit and play in Playtown's supermarket, animal hospital, library and other community centers. By participating in dramatic play with costumes and acting out behaviors of community helpers, children develop important social and emotional skills and an understanding of the world around them and their place in it.

Parent Toddler Workshop

Tuesdays OR Thursdays at 10:00 OR 11:30 am

Begins the week of March 14 and ends the week of April 25

Children (12 months–3 years)

Registration is ongoing

Parents and children will have a chance to spend time together with crafts, toys, songs and games. This weekly program also includes a resource person who will discuss issues such as toilet learning, nutrition, child safety and other parenting questions you may have.

Evening Parent Toddler

Tuesdays, March 13, 20, and 27 at 6:30 pm

Children (12 months–3 years)

Registration is ongoing

Are you unable to attend our daytime sessions of Parent Toddler Workshop? Then join us for a 3-week evening version of this great program that allows parents and children to spend time together filled with crafts, toys, songs and games.

Preschool Playtime

Tuesdays at 1:00 pm

Begins the week of March 21 and ends the week of April 25

Children (3-5 years)

Registration is ongoing

Calling all preschoolers! Join us for this weekly program with friends and fun where your child will have an hour of "play and learn" time. Each session will start with an extended circle time in which stories and songs are shared followed by a related craft and free play.

Leprechaun Fun

Friday, March 17 at 10:00 am OR 11:30 am

Children (2 years–Pre K)

Registration begins March 1

Come and have a shamrockin' good time as we learn about St. Patrick's Day through arts, crafts and fun! Everyone will catch a leprechaun of their own to take home and keep for good luck!

Toddlers Tango

Wednesday, March 22 at 11:00 am

Children (2-4 years)

Registration begins March 1

Clap your hands, stomp your feet and sing along with Nicole Sparling for this wonderful toddler movement class featuring instruments and music from around the world.

Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies

Wednesday, March 29 at 10:00 OR 11:00 am

Children (3 years–Pre K)
Registration begins March 10

Listen to a bunny story, learn about baby rabbits and then get to hold one! Judy Wilson will be here with her basket of baby bunnies and all the facts you need to know about baby rabbits and how they grow up!

School-Aged Programs

Study Buddies

Tuesdays and Thursdays through April 27 from 6:00-8:00 pm

Children (grades K-6)

No Registration

First-Come, First-Served

Does your child need help with their homework or someone to help them study? We are excited to offer our Study Buddies program for kids in grades K-6. Teen volunteers will be available for half-hour time slots on a first-come, first-served basis to help children with their homework. Study Buddies will be held in the Children's Department with the last appointment ending at 8:00 pm. Please see a librarian for our guidelines and Study Buddy rules. This program will only be held on days when school is in session.

- Kiddie Cafe -

"Apple Strudel Sundae"

Wednesday, March 1 at 4:45 pm

Children (grades K-2)

Registration is ongoing

Join us for another installment of our 'cooking' club for the younger crowd. Children will participate in preparing (and eating!) a delicious snack based on a classic tale that children will listen to first. This month we will be making Apple Strudel Sundaes using Toaster Strudels, apple pie filling and ice cream. Registration is over the phone if a form is already on file or in-person. **A food allergy form must be on file prior to registration.** Registration will end four days before the start of this program to ensure enough time to accommodate food allergies. *This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.*

Many Moods of Me

Thursday, March 2 at 5:30 pm

Children (grades 1-4)

Registration is ongoing

Sometimes we feel happy. Sometimes we feel mad or sad. That's ok! Knowing how to feel better is good for you. Children will listen to a story about feelings; make a craft to take home and play an active emotions game.

Zumba Kids

Friday, March 3 at 4:45 pm

Children (grades K-2)

Friday, March 3 at 5:30 pm

Children (grades 3-6)

Registration is ongoing

Get healthy, get fit and dance while having fun! Zumba for Kids with instructor Jenn combines dance, fitness and fun all at a pace that kids can enjoy! You will learn simple movements and put these steps together to rhythmic music! This program is a three-week session, so be sure you can attend all three classes to get the most out of this great offering!

Paws for Reading

Wednesday, March 8 starting at 4:30 pm and

Monday, March 13 starting at 4:30 pm

Children (readers–grade 6)

Registration is ongoing

Man's best friend can do a lot more than fetch and roll over. Research now suggests that dogs can help children learn to read. Meet with a certified therapy dog and their owner for a 15-minute reading session. For young children, a challenge of learning how to read is

the embarrassment of making mistakes. A non-judgmental, comforting furry friend who 'listens' is a simple solution that takes the pressure off of learning how to read.

Learn a Language with Muzzy! "Spanish"

Thursday, March 9 at 6:30 pm

Children (grades K-3)

Registration is ongoing

Hola, Muzzy! Learn a new language with Muzzy our online language learning tool that is free to use with your library card. Children will learn how to find this useful and fun database on longwoodlibrary.org and then learn a few fun words with games and activities in Spanish!

Go Green Screen

Friday, March 10 at 7:00 pm

Children (grades 4-6)

Registration is ongoing

Tech it out weekend! Now is your chance to try out the library's brand new green screen! Ever wonder what it would look like if you were getting eaten by a shark? Or running away from a dinosaur? Surrounded by a field of Pokemon? In this program, you and your friends can green screen yourselves into any scenario! Using Photokey 6 Lite, we will cover some photography and image basics. Please don't wear anything green or you will disappear into the background!

Meet the Ozobots!

Saturday, March 11 at 10:30 am

Children (grades K-3)

Registration is ongoing

Tech it out weekend! Meet the Ozobots and learn about robotics! Ozobot is a fun little robot that can 'see' colors and perform commands based on certain color combinations. We will work in small groups with teen volunteers to learn how to program the Ozobot through mazes.

Stormwater Superheros

Thursday, March 16 at 6:30 pm

Children (grades 1-5)

Registration begins March 1

Learn how to be a Stormwater Superhero! Join an educator from Cornell Cooperative Extension and learn about our local watershed, the water cycle and how rain water carries pollutants. In this interactive presentation, children will build a small model of a road storm drain system and meet a live animal who is affected by water pollution!

-Creator Club-

"Scrapbook It!"

Tuesday, March 28 at 7:00 pm

Children (grades 3-6)

Registration begins March 10

Join other kids in grades 3-6 for our monthly craft program! This program is a great way to make new friends while you make a creative craft to take home! This month craft a memory maker and scrapbook it to the library! Using scrapbooking materials and embellishments, you will make personalized pages that you can take home and make into your own memory book. Bring photos you would like to include in your book.

Minecraft Club

Friday, March 31 at 6:00 pm

Children (grades 4-6)

Registration begins March 10

Join your library friends for a fun game of Minecraft! Build your own castle, fight the Ender Dragon, or explore the Nether – the possibilities are endless! We'll be playing the **Minecraft.edu** version of the game, so you do not need to have a personal account to play.

Minecraft Junior

Friday, March 24 at 5:00 OR 6:00 pm
Children (grades K-3)
Registration begins March 10

-Creation Station- "Cherry Blossom Painting"

Thursday, March 30 at 6:00 pm
Children (grades K-2)
Registration begins March 10

Join your library friends for this crafty program! Each month we will listen to a story and make a creative and unique craft based upon a theme. This month we will welcome spring and the blooming of the cherry blossom trees! Make your own blooming cherry blossom using paints and collage materials! Dress for painting!

Programs for Parents

Winning Ways to Talk with Kids

Wednesday, March 8 at 6:30-8:30 pm
Adults Only
Registration is ongoing

Join an educator from Cornell Cooperative Extension for this workshop designed to help parents and caregivers communicate effectively with children at every stage of their development. Role play and small group activities will help caregivers learn how to avoid communication breakdowns and become better listeners. Light refreshments will be served!

Family Programs

-Morning at the Movies- "Trolls"

Saturday, March 4 at 11:00 am
Families with children
No registration required

After the Bergens invade Troll Village, Poppy, the happiest Troll ever born, and the curmudgeonly Branch set off on a journey to rescue her friends. **This movie runs for 1 hour and 23 minutes and is rated PG.**

Backyard Birds

Tuesday, March 14 at 7:00 pm
Families with children (3 years–grade 3)
Registration begins March 1

Children and parents are invited to join Miss Rosemary for this fun-filled, hands-on program. Learn about the birds that live in your backyard. Each family will make a feeder for the birds and a craft to help them get ready for spring. Don't miss this fun family night!

-Explore It- "Women in Science"

Friday, March 24 from 10:00-12:00 pm and 6:00-8:00 pm
Saturday, March 25 from 10:00-12:00 pm
Families with children
No registration necessary

The craft room will be transformed into a museum-like experience open for exploration for you to “drop-in” and discover the many women of the past and present who influenced and shaped the world of science. Stations will have interactive experiments and activities for the whole family!

Children’s Programs in April

Celebrate National Library Week from April 9–15, “Libraries Transform”

National Library Week is a great time to celebrate the contributions of our libraries and librarians! Visit us during this week for one of our great programs, discover our many services, check out some materials and see our “Mystery Board” where you will get a chance to guess the mystery book characters on the board and enter a raffle ticket to win a giant cookie!

The eggs are back!

Join our library in welcoming our “egg-cellent” spring visitors! We will be incubating eggs this spring beginning on March 21 which will hatch 21 days after! We will have information nearby about a chicken’s life cycle and how to raise backyard chickens. The eggs will be in the Children’s Department where you can “chick-them out” through our craft room window when you visit. After they hatch, we will have them near the reference desk where you can visit them until they go back to the farm at the beginning of May.

Eggcellent Chickens

Monday, April 17 at 10:00 OR 11:30 am
Children (2 years–Pre K)
Registration begins April 3

At this program, you will learn all about a chicken’s life cycle and get to see our chicks up close.

Eggsploration

Tuesday, April 25 at 4:45 pm
Children (grades K-3)
Registration begins April 11

At this program, you will learn all about a chicken’s life cycle and get to see our chicks up close.

It’s Library Budget Vote Day!

Tuesday, April 4
Kids Can Vote from 9:00 am–9:00 pm

Children of all ages are invited to vote for their favorite authors, books, characters and movies. Each child who votes gets to pick a prize from our Treasure Chest!

Baby Programs

Baby Games

Friday, April 28 at 11:00 am
Children (infant–11 months)
Registration begins April 11

Join us for a program especially for babies! Babies and learn to speak by listening to you, so together we will sing songs and rhymes to share with your little ones! There will also be props, an opportunity to meet other parents and most of all – fun!

Blooming Babies

Friday, April 14 at 10:00 am
Children (infant–17 months)
Registration begins March 28

Watch your baby bloom with delight while listening to the songs, rhymes and movement of this early literacy program!

Toddler & Preschool Programs

- Little Hands - "5 Little Ducks"

Monday, April 3 OR Saturday, April 8 at 10:00 am

Children (2-3 years)

Registration begins March 20

April showers bring May flowers! Listen to a duck story with your library friends. Then make an adorable duck craft and use paints to create a beautiful flower garden picture.

- Crafty Kids - "Rainy Day Duck"

Monday, April 3 OR Saturday, April 8 at 11:30 am

Children (4 years–Pre K)

Registration begins March 20

April showers, bring May flowers! Listen to a rainy day story with your library friends! Then make an adorable rainy day duck craft and create a beautiful flower garden using paints!

Get Up and Go

Friday, April 7 at 10:00 OR 11:30 am

Children (12 months–3 years)

Registration begins March 20

Join your library friends for this active program that incorporates music, movement and tons of fun! Each child will get a basket of instruments to use throughout the program as we sing songs and dance to the tunes! This program supports our Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library initiative.

Butterfly Blast

Tuesday, April 11 at 10:30 OR 11:30 am

Children (3 years–grade K)

Registration begins March 28

Come along and capture the fun with local author Michelle Zimmerman as she reads her children's book, . The butterfly blast continues as she leads an indoor butterfly hunt, butterfly games, songs and a simple craft. Children will take home a sticker and a butterfly coloring sheet.

April is National Poetry Month!

Visit the library to borrow a poetry book from our collection, write poetry on our magnetic board to share with other library visitors, or take home a poem to carry in your pocket. Pick up a blank poetry form to fill out, and we will add it to the Poet Tree bulletin board!

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Science Sensations

Wednesday, April 12 at 10:00 OR 11:00 am
Children (3 years–Pre K)
Registration begins March 28

Enjoy a variety of hands-on, fun-filled science activities with Ellen and Doreen!

Blooming Tots

Friday, April 14 at 11:30 am
Children (18-35 months)
Registration begins March 28

Watch your toddler bloom with delight while listening to the songs, rhymes and movement in this early literacy program!

Storytime

Start or end your child's day with a story and a smile! Come and listen to some favorite childhood tales as well as new ones, along with songs and movement activities. Each week we will share stories, songs, action rhymes and more with you and your child. This will create an experience beneficial to your child's development of early literacy skills. At the end of each session you will be given a fun take-home activity to share with your child. These interactive sessions support the Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library initiative. Choose from one of the sessions below!

Registration begins April 3

Pajama Jam

Thursdays, April 20, 27, May 4, 11 at 6:30 pm
Children (2-3 years)

Toddler Tales

Wednesdays, April 19, 26, May 3, 10 at 10:00 am
Children (2-3 years)

Night Owls

Wednesdays, April 19, 26, May 3, 10 at 6:30 pm
Children (4 years–grade K)

Kidnastics

Monday, April 24

Children (12-23 months) at 10:30 am

Children (24-35 months) at 11:30 am

Children (3 years–Pre K) at 12:30 pm

Registration begins April 11

Join Kidnastics for a morning of music, warm-ups, obstacle courses, fun inflatables and more. Please wear comfortable clothing and be ready to move!

School-Aged Programs

-Kiddie Café- "Fish and Chips Snack Mix"

Wednesday, April 5 at 4:45 pm

Children (grades K-2)

Registration begins March 20

Join us for another installment of our 'cooking' club for the younger crowd. Children will participate in preparing (and eating!) a delicious snack based on a classic tale that children will listen to first. This month we will make fish and chips snack mix using Goldfish, pretzels and other snacks. Registration is over the phone if a form is already on file or in-person. **A food allergy form must be on file prior to registration.** Registration will end four days before the start of this program to ensure enough time to accommodate food allergies. *This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.*

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-Creator Club- "Flower Power Pin"

Friday, April 7 at 7:00 pm
Children (grades 3-6)
Registration begins March 20

Join other kids in grades 3-6 for our monthly craft program! This program is an excellent way to make new friends while you make a creative craft to take home! Each month you will make a unique treasure that you can display in your room or give as a gift! This month we will be making Flower Power Pins! Learn about electric circuits while adding a stylish touch to your jacket or bag!

Make It @ Your Library

Tuesday, April 11 at 2:00 pm
Children (grades 3-6)
Registration begins March 28

Join us for this open-ended program, where you can try out all of the library's new Make It kits! Our kits include all the materials you'll need to complete cool STEAM activities like circuit building, crochet, origami, and more!

Pizzalicious Dip

Wednesday, April 12 at 2:00 pm
Children (grades K-2)
Wednesday, April 12 at 3:00 pm
Children (grades 3-6)
Registration begins March 28

Learn how to make pizza dip that's ready to take home and enjoy with Simply Creative Chef Rob Scott. *This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.*

Mini Golf

Thursday, April 13 starting at 6:15 pm
Children (grades K-6)
Registration begins March 28

Come and play at our unique indoor mini golf course with your friends! Designed and staffed by our teen volunteers; this program is sure to be one you don't want to miss! There will be four children per time slot who will play through the course together with times beginning at 6:15 pm and running every 15 minutes. Please register each child separately.

Paws for Reading

Wednesday, April 19 OR
Monday, April 24 starting at 4:30 pm
Children (Readers-grade 6)
Registration begins April 3

Man's best friend can do a lot more than fetch and roll over. Research now suggests that dogs can help children learn to read. Meet with a certified therapy dog and their owner for a 15-minute reading session. For young children, a challenge of learning how to read is the embarrassment of making mistakes. A non-judgmental, comforting furry friend who 'listens' is a simple solution that takes the pressure off of learning how to read.

-Silly Science -"Exploring Liquids"

Friday, April 21 at 4:45 pm
Children (grades K-3)
Registration begins April 3

Explore the properties of liquids through simple science experiments and activities.

Games & Goodies Junior

Friday, April 28 at 6:00 pm

Children (grades K-2)

Registration begins April 11

Come down to the library, have some snacks and play fun games with your friends and our Teen Game Buddy volunteers! We will have an assortment of board games for you to explore as well as our Wii Mario Go-Karts game! Goodies may include pretzels, cookies, apple juice, potato chips, brownies or fruit snacks. (*Snacks provided may not be suitable for those with food allergies.*)

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Friday, April 28 at 7:00 pm

Children (grades 3-6)

Registration begins April 11

Family Programs

Morning at the Movies "Moana"

Saturday, April 1 at 11:00 am

Families with children

No registration required

This month's movie is *Moana*. In Ancient Polynesia, when a terrible curse incurred by the Demigod Maui reaches an impetuous Chieftain's daughter's island, she answers the Ocean's call to seek out the Demigod to set things right. **This movie is rated PG and runs for 107 minutes.**

Spring into Storytime!

Wednesday, April 5 at 6:30 pm

Families with children (3 years-grade 2)

Registration begins March 20

Spring into Storytime with Jennie Sardone and her signing teens! This fun and unique storytime combine children's favorite books with sign language! There will be plenty of signing, singing and stories about spring in this storytime for families! Please support these teen volunteers and their hard work, while also listening to stories with your children!

Jungle Bob's Reptile Show

Monday, April 10 at 11:00 am

Families with (children through grade 6)

Registration begins March 28

Jungle Bob is here to start off your spring break! He will bring many reptiles to show you during his educational, interactive and entertaining live animal show.

Book Character Celebration

Thursday, April 13 at 11:00 ams

Families with (children through grade 1)

Registration begins on March 28

Families are invited to listen to stories, play games and create crafts along with your favorite book characters in celebration of National Children's Book Week! Learn about the 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program. Sign up or collect your prize if you have completed any of your milestones! This fun-filled literacy event is sure to bring your favorite books to life! Be sure to bring your camera!

Plaza Theatrical Presents "The Wizard of Oz"

Saturday, April 15 at 11:00 am

Families with children (3 years–grade 6)

Registration begins March 28

Follow the Yellow Brick Road....to the library for this wonderful musical production of The Wizard of Oz presented by Plaza Theatrical Productions. Watch all your favorite songs and characters from the movie come to life in this is live action show. Please be aware that this is a live action show and will be at least an hour long and is most suitable for children who can sit, listen and enjoy the show for that length of time.

Earth Day Every Day

All are welcome to celebrate Earth Day at the library!

Saturday, April 22 from 10:00-12:00 pm

All Welcome • No registration required

Make a recycled wind chime and create a seed bomb to take home for your garden. Visit our interactive displays, get information about nature and environmental organizations, learn about local marine wildlife in a touch tank provided by Cornell Cooperative Extension and meet a few animal guests who have been rehabilitated and cared for by Sweetbriar Nature Center. Learn about various topics that can positively shape Earth's future, like home gardening, plant-based diets (with special vegan baking demonstrations), backyard chickens, and composting. Also meet the chicks hatched in the Children's Department before they go back to the farm! **The first 30 families or patrons to arrive will receive a special Earth friendly gift!**

TEEN PROGRAMS

Teen Services programs are open to students in grades 7-12

Students who have not yet completed 6th grade are welcome to register for programs in our Children's Department

Everyone who registers for a Teen Services program needs a valid LPL card

DATABASE HIGHLIGHT:

Brainfuse Writing Lab

Need help editing your research paper or college application essay? Try the Brainfuse Writing Lab! This free service lets you upload your paper to be analyzed by a Brainfuse writing expert, who will provide helpful comments within 24 hours.

Click on the "Homework Help" link under the "Teens" tab on the blue bar across the top of longwoodlibrary.org. Enter your library card barcode in the Brainfuse login page. Once you reach the Brainfuse homepage, the Writing Lab will be listed under the "Expert Help" section.

Check out one of our *New* Kindle Paperwhite E-readers for teens!

Are you working on an AP assignment?

Do you love to read and want lots of choices?

We have TEN preloaded Paperwhites:

- (5) **AP Reading List titles**
- (2) **Historical Fiction**
- (1) **Mystery & Adventure**
- (1) **Fantasy & Dystopia**
- (1) **Realistic Fiction**

Stop by True North to learn more!

Minecraft Guild

Friday, March 3 from 7:00-8:30 pm

Registration is ongoing

Friday, April 7 from 7:00-8:30 pm

Registration begins March 18

Minecraft is more than just a game about breaking and placing blocks. Players can work together to build wonderfully imaginative things or can work independently to build a portal to another world. It's like digital LEGOs – only better! We will be playing the Minecraft.edu version of the game, which means that while you do not need to have a personal account to play, you will be playing on the library's server. Everyone who attends will need to sign and agree to the LPL's Minecraft Code of Conduct before starting the game. A copy of our Minecraft Code of Conduct can be found under the "Teens" link on longwoodlibrary.org.

Forensic Archeology

Friday, March 10 from 7:00-8:00 pm
Registration is ongoing

Join Susan Beltrani to learn the science behind the human skeleton to read and study bones! Become a forensic specialist when you examine real bones for clues to uncover a person's identity.

Taste Test Challenge

Friday, March 17 from 7:00-8:00 pm
Registration begins March 1

Can you taste the difference between store brand and name brand cookies, soda and other snacks? Can you guess the different flavors of chips just by taste alone? Put your taste buds to the test to become the Ultimate Taste Test Champion. *(This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.)*

Painted Glass Chick

Friday, March 24 from 6:00-8:30 pm
Registration begins March 1

Feeling "cooped up" after a long winter? Linda O'Connell returns to help "hatch" a plan to celebrate spring! Join us and turn a glass bowl and candlestick into an adorable springtime chick. *Please wear old clothes or bring a smock.*

Mini Coding Class: More Ozobots!

Tuesday, March 28 from 7:00-8:00 pm
Registration begins March 4

We love our Ozobots! Ozobots are small, programmable robots. Learn how to write code to help our Ozobots navigate through mazes, run races, follow color commands and more!

Games and Goodies

Friday, March 31 from 7:00-8:30 pm
Registration begins March 11

Friday, April 28 from 7:00-8:30 pm
Registration begins April 8

Join us for an evening of playing games and munching on a variety of goodies! We will have lots of board games, delicious snacks and our Wii setup to play some video games! *(The snacks provided may not be suitable for those with food allergies.)*

*Mystery Mania

Saturday, April 1 from 5:00-7:00 pm
In-person only registration begins March 4
Both parent/guardian and teen must sign a permission slip at the time of registration

Something's gone missing at the library, and it's up to you to find the thief! Join us for a special after-hours program where you'll examine evidence found at our library crime scene and a list of suspects before you set off on a library-wide scavenger hunt for clues to uncover the identity of the thief!

Chocolate Sculptures

Wednesday, April 12 from 2:00-3:30 pm

Registration begins March 18

Join the Baking Coach for some chocolate creation! Use marshmallows, pretzels, cookies, sprinkles, tootsie rolls and an endless flow of chocolate to create and shape a chocolate sculpture! *(This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.)*

3D Printing Workshop

Wednesdays, April 19 & 26 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration begins March 25

In this two-part workshop, learn all about the design process behind 3-D printing! Discover the do's and don'ts of 3-D printing, then use TinkerCAD software to create an original design to be printed and picked up at a later date.

Mixed Media Bookmarks

Friday, April 21 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration begins April 1

Reading an amazing book and want an equally amazing bookmark? Using a variety of stamping techniques, distressing skills, word art composition, and materials like studs, stickers, and Mod Podge, Teen Librarian Ms. Schwartz will teach you how to create a unique bookmark that you will want to use again and again!

Candle Creations

Friday, May 12 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration begins April 18

Get creative with Curiously Creative Candles and design a candle using different colored and scented wax! Keep it for yourself or make it a Mother's Day gift!

*SAT/ACT Preparation

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00-8:00 pm

April 4, 6, 18, 20, 25, 27, & May 2 & 4

Cost: \$100 due at time of registration (cash only, exact change, in-person registration only)

Registration is ongoing

Whether you are undecided about which test to take, or are already planning to take both, this class will help you prepare for both the ACT and SAT. Teacher Gregg Zehentner will get you ready to take either or both exams and all teaching materials will be provided. Bring a notebook, pen and calculator to class with you.

Star Wars Celebration

Friday, May 5 from 7:00-8:30 pm

Registration begins April 15

Calling all Wookies, Jedi Masters, Sith Lords, and Ewoks - celebrate all things Star Wars! Join us to design a dark side lamp, decorate droid cupcakes, participate in a paper x-wing contest and test your knowledge of a galaxy far, far away with Star Wars trivia! *(This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.)*

Five-hour Pre-licensing Class

Saturday, April 8 from 10:00 am-2:30 pm

Registration is ongoing

Cost: \$40 payable to the instructor on day of class (payment in cash, exact change)

Phone and in-person registration only

No online registration

The five-hour pre-licensing class is required by the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles for all applicants who would like to schedule a road test. The class will be taught by an instructor from a local driving school and is open to both district and non-district

residents ages 16 and up. You must bring your NY State Learner's Permit to class. Please also bring your lunch with you – you will not have time to leave for lunch.

Authors Unlimited 6

Saturday, April 22 from 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Location: St. Joseph's College, 155 West Roe Blvd., Patchogue

Earn community service credit for attending this event, which celebrates reading by connecting teens and authors. It's a free program where teens and tweens get preferred seating! Attendees will get the chance to meet dynamic authors of young adult literature first at an author panel and then in smaller breakout sessions afterward. Books will be available for purchase with a chance to have them signed at the end of the day.

For registration & other information **visit <http://authorsunlimited.org>**

The library will try to accommodate refund requests made **one** week prior to the scheduled program date, unless the program is advertised as "Non-Refundable." Requests can be made at the Teen Department Desk.

TEEN COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

If you need community service hours or if you just like the idea of helping others,
sign up for a fun program:

*Book Review

We are looking for teens willing to read a newly published teen novel and write a brief review that will be posted on our Facebook page! To become a teen reviewer, stop by True North to pick up a community service book review packet and a book from our "New Fiction" section published in the current or immediately preceding year. Then, draft a review based on our guidelines. Reviewers will receive a certificate for three hours of community service for each submitted review. You can select books at any time throughout the year!

DROP IN

Community Service

Looking for some extra community service? Spend some time in True North working on a variety of projects to help make a difference in our community! Call True North at (631) 924-6400 x249 to schedule a one-hour time slot. Teens in grades 7-12 may schedule one-time slot per day and up to two-time slots per month.

Study Buddies

Tuesdays & Thursdays through April 27 from 6:00-8:00 pm

Registration is ongoing

This program is open to teens in grades 9-12 only

Earn community service by helping kids in grades K-6 with their homework! To be considered as a "Study Buddy," stop by the Teen Services Department to pick up a Study Buddies Application. You will work with a Teen Services Librarian to create an individual schedule around your availability, and community service certificates will be awarded for each session you attend. Study Buddies will only be held on days when school is in session.

SmileAwhile Craft Kits

Monday, March 6 from 6:15-7:15 pm OR 7:30-8:30 pm

Registration is ongoing

Monday, April 3 from 7:00-8:00 pm OR Thursday, April 6 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration begins March 11

Thursday, May 11 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration begins April 15

Help us prepare some simple crafts and activities that will be used in our monthly SmileAwhile programs. Participants will receive a certificate for one hour of community service. Registration is limited to one session per person per month.

Seed Spree

Tuesday, March 7 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration is ongoing

We're starting a new seed library and we need your help! Join us to sort the beans, peas, flowers and other seeds to stock the seed library. Participants will receive a certificate for one hour of community service.

Meet the Ozobots Assistance

Saturday, March 11 from 10:15-11:15 am

Registration begins March 1

Help the Children's Department librarians introduce our favorite little programmable robots to kids in grades K-2! Participants will receive a certificate for one hour of community service.

Sign A Story: Spring Beginnings

Wednesdays, March 15, 22, 29 & April 5 from 6:30-7:30 pm

Registration begins March 1

Join sign language instructor Jennie Sardone for another session of this great program! You'll spend the first three weeks with Jennie, learning some basic signs as well as how to sign the text of several children's storybooks about spring. Our fourth session will be an actual Children's Department Storytime, where you will help teach the children the signs for the words while the Librarian reads the stories out loud. You must be able to commit to all four sessions of this program to participate. Participants will receive a certificate for four hours of community service.

Explore It Assistance "Women in Science"

Friday, March 24 from 6:00-8:00 pm OR

Saturday, March 25 from 10:00 am-12:00 pm

Registration begins March 4

Registration is limited to one 2-hour block per person

Help the Children's Department with their "Explore It" program by running interactive displays and operating stations when the families arrive for exploration fun! This month, help families celebrate "Women in Science" with simple demonstrations and activities. Participants will receive a certificate for two hours of community service.

Database Dash

Monday, March 27 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration begins March 4

Monday, April 24 from 7:00-8:00 pm

Registration begins April 1

Did you know that the library has online resources to help you with homework, test preparation, learning another language, researching local history, finding new books to read, downloading music, exploring genealogy and more? Earn community service while you learn all about databases that are available to you with your library card! Put your new knowledge to the test with a trivia relay race! Participants will receive a certificate for one hour of community service.

Library Mini-Golf

Tuesday, April 11 from 6:30-8:30 pm

Thursday, April 13 from 6:00-8:30 pm

Registration begins March 4

Using cardboard, duct tape and our imaginations, on Tuesday night we will be designing a miniature golf course that will run through True North. On Thursday, we will be assisting younger children as they play mini-golf. If you would like to help us with this program, you must be available to attend both sessions. Participants will receive a certificate for five hours of community service.

Decorating to Donate

Tuesday, April 18 from 6:15-7:15 pm OR 7:30-8:30 pm
Registration begins March 25

Brighten up someone's day when you join us to make some spring themed decorations to donate to our local nursing home. Everyone who participates will receive a certificate for one hour of community service.

Talking Newsletter

Thursday, April 20 from 7:00-8:30 pm
Registration begins March 11

We have a link on longwoodlibrary.org for visually impaired patrons to click n' listen to the library newsletter. We need four teens each month to read the Children's and Young Adult sections of our newsletter out loud while we record you. Participants will receive a certificate for 1.5 hours of community service.

Earth Day Every Day Assistance

Saturday, April 22 from 9:45 am-12:15 pm
Registration begins April 1

Help the library celebrate Earth Day by running simple stations to help kids and community members create seed bombs and design recycled wind chimes. Participants will receive a certificate for 2.5 hours of community service.

Game Buddies

Friday, April 28 from 6:00-7:00 pm
Registration begins April 8

Buddy up with the younger members of our Children's Department (grades K-2) for some board game fun! Participants will receive a certificate for one hour of community service.

Baking to Donate: Shamrock Cupcakes

Wednesday, March 8 from 7:00-8:00 pm
Registration is ongoing

Join the Baking Coach to make some St. Patrick's Day themed treats that will be sure to delight the residents of our local veterans' home! Participants will receive a certificate for one hour of community service. *(This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.)*

Baking to Donate: Chocolate Mousse Cups

Monday, April 17 from 7:00-8:30 pm
Registration begins March 25

Join the Baking Coach to make some chocolatey treats to donate to the residents of our local veterans' home! Participants will receive a certificate for 1.5 hours of community service. *(This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.)*

Baking to Donate: Buggy Cupcakes

Wednesday, May 10 from 7:00-8:00 pm
Registration begins April 15

Design some springtime cupcakes using colored fondant with the Baking Coach to donate to the residents of our local veterans' home! Participants will receive a certificate for one hour of community service. *(This program may not be suitable for those with food allergies.)*

Adult Programs

How to Get Free Publicity for your Event or Business

Wednesday, March 8 at 7:00 pm

Registration is ongoing

Imagine the benefit of using the power of the press to promote your event, business, comedy show, or theater production without costing you anything. Topics in this interactive seminar include writing a press release, getting free press, and getting on local television. Presenter Stevie GB, an award-winning comedian, actor and playwright, will share his methods and secrets to getting publicity for FREE. Stevie has been featured in Newsday over a dozen times, appeared on NEWS12 and interviewed on local radio stations.

Picking the Perfect Paint Colors for Your Home

Monday, March 27 at 7:00 pm

Registration begins March 10

Following easy to understand advice and step-by-step instructions, you will quickly learn to understand how to confidently use color in your home. You will discover many of the tips, tricks, and techniques Mary Nolte of Kaleidoscope Color Consulting has gathered over her years of working with color professionally. As a bonus, Mary will share design ideas that can help you to create the home of your dreams.

Tell Me Your Dreams (Find Out What Your Dreams Mean)

Wednesday, March 29 at 7:00 pm

Registration begins March 15

Jane Matti will be here to discuss the meaning of your dreams. Come in and hear why we dream about teeth falling out, losing hair, falling and more.

First-Time Homebuyer's Workshop

Tuesday, April 25 from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm

Registration begins April 11

This workshop will include information from a non-profit organization about ownership planning, home buying counseling and available first-time homebuyer grants and down payment assistance programs. A local realtor, attorney, home inspector and mortgage account officer will guide the attendees through the process.

*Train Trip to New York City

Saturday, April 1

Cost \$9.50 per person, round trip

(cash only, exact change required, no refunds)

****Tickets for this train trip are now available for purchase at the Circulation Desk while supplies last beginning on March 13****

Travel as a group at a reduced rate from the Ronkonkoma Railroad Station to Penn Station on Saturday, April 1 on the 9:40 am train. Return on your own. Tickets are first-come, first-served. You may purchase up to four tickets per adult library card. There are no reservations for tickets; you will get your tickets at the time of purchase.

Local History

Longwood Goes to War: The History of Camp Upton

Monday, April 3 from 7:00-8:30 pm

Registration begins March 15

Join resident historian, Paul Infranco, for this informative lecture on the history of Camp Upton and World War I. Built in 1917 as an induction and training facility for the U.S. Army, the camp prepared new recruits for service overseas and later demobilized soldiers at the end of the war. Hear about the history of the camp, what life was like there during WWI, and what happened to Camp Upton once the war ended.

Arts & Crafts

Vintage-Look Mason Jars

Saturday, March 11 at 2:00 pm
Registration is ongoing

Josephine Early will show how to take an ordinary Mason jar and create a vintage-inspired piece.

Gem Drops Necklace

Thursday, March 23 at 7:00 pm
Material Fee: \$3 (due upon registration, cash, exact change)
Registration begins March 10

Create a romantic gem drop necklace to give away as a gift or keep for yourself!

Paint Night "In the Interest of Chagall"

Thursday, March 30 from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm OR Saturday, April 1 from 2:00 pm-4:00 pm
Material Fee: \$10 (due upon registration, cash, exact change)
Registration begins March 15

June Long-Schuman will teach you how to paint a modern version of 'Chagall' using acrylic paints. All supplies included in the fee. Beginners welcome. You may choose only one date.

Ukrainian Egg Decorating Class

Monday, April 10 from 6:00 pm-8:30 pm
Material Fee: \$14 (due upon registration, cash, exact change)
Registration begins March 23

Chris Mulholland of RissCraft will show you how to decorate delicate egg shells with intricate designs and symbols using beeswax, kistka, eggs and dyes. Please wear old clothing. The fee includes a kit to take home.

Coloring for Adults: Spring Theme

Tuesday, April 11 from 7:00 pm-8:30 pm AND
Monday, May 1 from 10:30 am-12:00 pm
Registration begins April 3

Have you heard? Coloring isn't just for kids. It stimulates our creativity, promotes wellness and reduces anxiety. Join us for this relaxing activity with a focus on spring. The library will provide light refreshments and supplies.

Saturday Afternoon Movie

March's selection is Max Steel

Saturday, March 4 at 2:00 pm

Starring Ben Winchell, Josh Brener, and Maria Bello. Sixteen-year-old Max McGrath, whose body can generate the universe's most powerful energy, and a techno-organic extraterrestrial named Steel become unlikely friends and soon find themselves hunted by sinister forces who want to control Max's powers, as well as an unstoppable enemy from another galaxy. **Rated PG-13. Running time: 93 minutes.**

April's selection is Lion

Saturday, April 1 at 2:00 pm

Starring Rooney Mara, Nicole Kidman, and Dev Patel. At only five years old, Saroo Brierley got lost on a train in India. Unable to read or write or recall the name of his hometown or even his last name, he survived alone for weeks on the rough streets of Calcutta before ultimately being transferred to an agency and adopted by a couple in Australia. **Rated PG-13. Running time: 120 minutes.**

Watch-a-Movie Wednesday!

Every Wednesday at 2:15 pm

Too busy to watch a movie this weekend? If so, why not...Watch-a-Movie Wednesday?!

Every Wednesday at 2:15 pm, the library will show a newly released film for all to enjoy.
Come on in, sit back and relax to a great film every week...without filling up your weekends!

March/April Selections...

MARCH 1 ***The Hollars***
(Comedy/Drama, PG-13, 88 mins.)
Starring John Krasinski & Richard Jenkins

**An Oldie but Goodie Honoring
Women's History Month**

MARCH 8 ***Norma Rae***
(1979, Action, PG-13, 118 mins.)
Starring Sally Field & Beau Bridges

MARCH 15 ***Deepwater Horizon***
(Action, PG-13, 107 mins.)
Starring Mark Wahlberg & Peter Berg

MARCH 22 ***Keeping Up with the Joneses***
(Comedy, PG-13, 105 mins.)
Starring John Hamm & Isla Fisher

MARCH 29 ***Inferno***
(Action, PG-13, 121 mins.)
Starring Tom Hanks & Felicity Jones

APRIL 5 ***Queen of Katwe***
(Drama, PG, 124 mins.)
Starring Madina Nalwanga & David Oyelowo

APRIL 12 ***Masterminds***
(Action, PG-13, 94 mins.)
Starring Zach Galifianakis & Kristin Wiig

APRIL 19 ***Jack Reacher: Never Go Back***
(Action, PG-13, 117 mins.)
Starring Tom Cruise & Cobie Smulders

APRIL 26 ***Arrival***
(Drama/Sci-Fi, PG-13, 116 mins.)
Starring Amy Adams & Jeremy Renner

Please note that films may be rated PG or PG-13.

Outdoors and Nature

Garden Thyme Seed Exchange

Saturday, March 11 at 2:00 pm
Registration begins on February 28

Breathe new life into your garden! Bring seeds collected from your garden or from packets to exchange with your fellow gardeners.
Remember to bring baggies to carry home your new seeds.

Four Season Organic Gardening

Tuesday, March 14 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins February 28

Passionate about organic vegetable gardening for over 20 years, Renato Stafford of Homegrown has learned and developed many innovative techniques which enable him to grow an abundance of wholesome food -- feeding his family something he grows every day all year long. Topics in this workshop include making soil (compost); choosing a site; unheated high-tunnel greenhouse (Hoop House);

what to grow; seeds; weeds; watering; succession planting; crop rotation; cooking, canning and food storage. This is the first of six different workshops Renato will be presenting this year at the library on organic foods and gardening.

Rocks & Gems & Minerals, Oh My!

Monday, March 20 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins March 6

Rock out with this fun and interesting program. Eric Powers will bring examples of all different types of rocks, gems and minerals. Participants will learn about the geologic cycle and how various types of rocks form. A volcanic eruption will be included in this workshop!

Keeping Your Lawn & Garden Toxic Free

Wednesday, April 12 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins March 27

Worried about the effects of chemicals in your garden on your pets and loved ones? Well, it's time to go green! Join John Miller to discover how easy the transition is to a healthier and safer lawn and garden. Topics will include green tricks to lawn care, a pesticide-free approach to insects, diseases, and growing healthy flowers, as well as the treatment of the soil and how to fertilize organically. A green lawn, blooming flower beds and vegetables you can eat right off the plant are only a seminar away.

Earth Day Every Day

All are welcome to celebrate Earth Day at the library!

Saturday, April 22 from 10:00-12:00 pm
All Welcome • No registration required

Make a recycled wind chime and create a seed bomb to take home for your garden. Visit our interactive displays, get information about nature and environmental organizations, learn about local marine wildlife in a touch tank provided by Cornell Cooperative Extension and meet a few animal guests who have been rehabilitated and cared for by Sweetbriar Nature Center. Learn about various topics that can positively shape Earth's future, like home gardening, plant-based diets (with special vegan baking demonstrations), backyard chickens, and composting. Also meet the chicks hatched in the Children's Department before they go back to the farm! **The first 30 families or patrons to arrive will receive a special Earth friendly gift!**

Check out our new seed library, and find out how easy it is to grow your own vegetables at home.

Design Your Own Garden

Tuesday, April 25 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins April 11

Renato Stafford shares techniques to design a successful organic garden including layout, raised beds, trellises, seed selection, crop rotation, succession and companion planting.

Book Discussions

Books will be available at the circulation desk one month prior to the book discussion.
Registration is not required for the daytime or nighttime book discussions.

The 2017 LI Reads Selection!

Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania by Erik Larson

Author Event

Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania

By Erik Larson

Sunday, April 23 at 2:00 pm

Event registration: Begins April 1 at longislandreads2017.eventbrite.com

Bus registration: Begins March 13 at tinyurl.com/LIR17

Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania

By Erik Larson

Sunday, April 23 at 2:00 pm

Event registration: Begins April 1 at longislandreads2017.eventbrite.com

Bus registration: Begins March 13 at tinyurl.com/LIR17

Author Erik Larson will appear at the Hillwood Recital Hall at C.W. Post in Brookville to discuss the 2017 Long Island Reads selection, *Dead Wake*. Tickets are free. Doors open at 1:00 and seating is first-come, first-served. Books will be available for purchasing and signing. A charter bus is available for \$10 which includes round trip transportation, snacks, book talk on the bus, and a guaranteed ticket. Call the Adult Department at (631) 924-6400 x250 for more information.

Daytime Book Discussion

Another Brooklyn

by Jacqueline Woodson

Thursday, March 16 at 3:15 pm

Running into a long-ago friend sets memory from the 1970s in motion for August, transporting her to a time and a place where friendship was everything—until it wasn't. For August and her girls, sharing confidences as they ambled through neighborhood streets, Brooklyn was a place where they believed that they were beautiful, talented, brilliant—a part of a future that belonged to them. But beneath the hopeful veneer, there was another Brooklyn, a dangerous place where grown men reached for innocent girls in dark hallways, where ghosts haunted the night, where mothers disappeared. A world where madness was just a sunset away and fathers found hope in religion. Like Louise Meriwether's *Daddy Was a Number Runner* and Dorothy Allison's *Bastard Out of Carolina*, Jacqueline Woodson's *Another Brooklyn* heartbreakingly illuminates the formative time when childhood gives way to adulthood—the promise and peril of growing up—and exquisitely renders a powerful, indelible, and fleeting friendship that united four young lives.

2017 Long Island Reads Selection!

Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania

By Erik Larson

Thursday, April 20 at 3:15 pm

Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania by Erik Larson: On May 1, 1915, a luxury ocean liner sailed out of New York bound for Liverpool carrying a record number of children and infants. The passengers were surprisingly at ease even though Germany had declared the seas around Britain to be a war zone. But the *Lusitania* was the fastest liner in service and her captain, William Thomas Turner, placed tremendous faith in the gentlemanly strictures of warfare that had kept civilian ships safe from attack for a century. Germany, however, was determined to change the rules of the game. As a German U-boat and the *Lusitania* made their way toward Liverpool, an array of forces both grand and small converged to produce one of the great disasters of history. This is a story that many of us think we know but don't, and Erik Larson tells it thrillingly.

Nighttime Book Discussion

The 2017 LI Reads Selection!

Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania by Erik Larson

Tuesday, April 4 at 7:00 pm See ***Daytime Book Discussion*** for details.

Tender is the Night

By F. Scott Fitzgerald

Tuesday, May 2 at 7:00 pm

It is 1925, and Richard Diver is the high priest of the good life on the white sands of the French Riviera. The Beautiful People—film stars, socialites, aristocrats—gather eagerly around him and his wife, Nicole. Beneath the breathtaking glamour, however, is a world of pain, and there is at the core of their lives a brittle hollowness. This novel is a profound study of the romantic concept of character: lyrical, expansive and hauntingly evocative.

REMINDER: March Nighttime Book Discussion

The Invisible Library by Genevieve Cogman is on March 7 at 7:00 pm

Long Island Maritime History: Stories of Tragedy and Rescue

Wednesday, March 29 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins March 15

Join Eco-Photo Explorers for a look into the maritime history of Long Island. From the early colonial days to modern times, the shores and offshore waters of Long Island have often been the stage for intriguing drama. Tragic shipwrecks, heroic rescues, unbelievable courage and fascinating history, are all part of the fabric of Long Island. The story of the Pelican, a fishing boat lost off Montauk in 1951, is featured in this program, along with other spellbinding tales of marine rescues and shipwrecks. The program will conclude with an examination of the history of the U.S. Life-Saving Service here on Long Island.

The library will try to accommodate refund requests made one week prior to the scheduled program date, unless the program is advertised as "Non-Refundable." Requests can be made at the Adult Department Desk.

Noticias con Elma Lugo

ESOL & LATINO SERVICES LIBRARIAN

¡Feliz Año Nuevo y bienvenido a la Biblioteca de Longwood! La tarjeta de La Biblioteca les ofrece servicios a todos: prestamo de libros y otros materiales, servicios de computadoras, area de niños, bases de datos como Rosetta Stone y Pronunciator, programas para adultos, y clases de ESOL (Inglés para Hablantes de otros idiomas). Espero que el Año Nuevo les traiga mucha salud y felicidad. ¡Nos vemos en la Biblioteca!

West Avenue Jazz

Domingo, 12 de marzo, de 2:00-3:30 pm
Registro en curso

West Avenue Jazz se mantiene fiel a sus raíces en el arte de la improvisación. Realizan muchos estilos de jazz desde Miles Davis, Billie Holiday, jazz contemporáneo como George Benson, entre otros.

¡Celebrando el Día de San Patricio! Irish Tunes & Tales with Ed Ryan

Domingo, 26 de marzo, de 2:00-3:30 pm
La inscripción comienza:
10 de marzo

Venga a celebrar el Día de San Patricio con el cantante, compositor y narrador, Ed Ryan.

A-List Band

El domingo 2 de abril, de 2:00-3:30 pm
La inscripción comienza:
18 de marzo

Música de los años 50, 60, 70, Beatles, Disco, Rock 'n' Roll, a Sinatra y muchas canciones de los nuevos artistas de hoy.

Health and Fitness

Your Journey Begins Now! Finding your Life's Purpose

Wednesdays, March 15 and 22 from 7:00 pm-8:30 pm

Registration begins March 1

Donald Pra Deaner, certified master life coach, holistic health coach and Reiki practitioner, will discuss why it's crucial to truly know oneself, how to find and follow your true life's purpose, the benefits of doing so, and ways to begin this journey. To get the most from this class, please attend both sessions.

Lose Weight, Look Younger, Feel Great

Tuesday, March 21 at 7:00 pm

Registration begins March 6

Take control of your health. Learn how the body and metabolism works. Topics include how and what type of exercise is the best for weight loss, starting a weight-loss program, overcoming plateaus, how the right type of food and exercise will turn back the clock, and how water and medication play a role in your health.

Quality of Life Decisions

Monday, March 27 at 10:30 am

Registration begins March 10

There are many myths and misunderstandings surrounding this service. Senior Nurse Manager, Maria Rubino RN from Good Shepherd Hospice will speak about hospice services and all the benefits it provides.

Natural Solutions to Digestive Problems

Tuesday, April 4 at 7:00 pm OR

Friday, April 7 at 10:00 am

Registration begins March 20

Acid reflux, ulcers, IBS, colitis and Crohn's disease are just a few of the digestive disorders that affect more than 61 million Americans each year. Dr. Brian Yonks, will teach you about natural means of improving and even correcting these problems.

Here's to Your Brain Health

Thursday, April 6 at 7:00 pm

Registration begins March 20

Nutrition and Life Coach, Deborah Fragiorgi will discuss the importance of nutrition for good brain health and the lifestyle changes that you can make today to keep the most important muscle in your body strong.

It's About Time

Mondays, April 17 and 24 at 7:00 pm

Registration begins March 27

Dr. Leland N. Edmunds, Professor Emeritus of Biological Sciences at Stony Brook University, will cover the fascinating topic of our body's natural clock. We will talk about what happens with insomnia, jet lag, shift work and disease. We will also look at the science of "chronotherapy"- the effects of drugs on the timing of biologic events and rhythms, and the relation of biologic timing to the effects of drugs in the treatment of cancer and other maladies.

Natural Solutions to Better Sleep

Tuesday, April 18 at 7:00 pm OR

Monday, April 24 at 10:00 am

Registration begins March 27

Can't sleep? Do you have trouble falling asleep and staying asleep? Chronic sleep disorders and the resulting sleep deprivation interfere with work, driving and social activities. Learn about the different sleep disorders, their causes, preventive measures and natural approaches to restful sleep.

Inflammation, Illness & Disease

Monday, May 1 at 7:00 pm OR

Wednesday, May 10 at 10:00 am

Registration begins April 17

Inflammation, illness and disease... you hear the terms often, but really...what are they? Is inflammation the root of your illness? How harmful is chronic inflammation? How do you correct the problem naturally? Inflammation has been linked to diseases such as arthritis,

obesity, heart disease, and autoimmune issues to name a few. This seminar will show you a different way – a unique way – of approaching your health conditions and symptoms.

Cooking Programs

The Sweet Side of Ireland

Tuesday, March 14 at 2:00 pm
Registration begins February 28

Join local cookbook author Margaret M. Johnson for a delightful tour of the Emerald Isle that includes a discussion of the transformation of Irish food from traditional bread and puddings to modern desserts with examples and samples from her cookbooks. The program includes a cooking demonstration, tips for traveling to Ireland, tea, and Irish sweets.

Asiago Cheese Bread with Chef Rob

Tuesday, March 28 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins March 10

This delicious loaf of asiago cheese bread goes wonderfully with soups and salads. Everyone will go home with a loaf of bread ready to bake. You must bring a medium bowl, large spoon/rubber spatula, and a cookie pan.

Victorian Tea

Tuesday, April 11 from 2:00 pm-3:30 pm OR
Tuesday, April 18 from 7:00 pm-8:30 pm
Registration begins March 23

Barbara Sheridan will show us how to host the perfect Victorian tea. Tea sandwiches, scones and more will be prepared and shared. Don't forget to bring your favorite teacup! You may choose only one date per patron.

Savvy Sightseer's Tastes and Sights of Paris and Northwest France

Wednesday, April 19 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins March 27

Join Jeanne Schnupp of Savvy Sightseer for a virtual tour of France and tasty treats from the region. Take in Paris's famous landmarks and be humbled by the beaches of Normandy and the Visitor Center, which uses the words and images of people who served to tell their story, and just how impossible a task they faced. Be awestruck by the island church Mont Saint-Michel and inspired by the site of Joan of Arc's last stand in Rouen.

Chef Charlie and the Summer Snack!

Wednesday, April 26 at 7:00 pm
Registration begins April 11

Join Chef Charlie for an evening of boating foods and summer snack recipes.

Going South of the Border with Chef Rob

Monday, May 1 at 4:00 pm OR 7:00 pm
Registration begins April 17

Join Chef Rob as he creates his extraordinary "South of the Border" Lasagna and a delicious tortilla soup with cheese sour cream. Yum!

General Defensive Driving

Saturdays, March 11 OR April 8 from 10:00 am-4:00 pm OR

Wednesday & Thursday, March 22 and 23 from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm OR

Wednesday & Thursday, April 26 and 27 from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm

Registration is ongoing

A check for \$35 payable to "I Am Defensive Driving" required at first class
Seniors (ages 62 and over) and Veterans pay \$30 (Longwood Residents Only)

Completion of this course helps those who attend to become better, safer drivers and may include a reduction of violation points on your license and a discount on automobile insurance.

* Bus Trip

"On The Town"

Sponsored by Romancing Manhattan Tours

Thursday, June 8 from 9:00 am-7:00 pm

Cost: \$84 per person (Check or money order made payable to *Romancing Manhattan Tours* due upon registration.

Includes all entrance fees and tickets.)

Registration begins March 20

Our first stop will be a special 1-hour private tour of the United Nations Headquarters, offering an exciting opportunity to discover and get a behind-the-scenes view of the organization at work. Next, we will have an "on your own" lunch at a Manhattan gourmet food court, with many delicious options. On our third stop, we will take a guided tour of Grand Central Terminal and learn the secrets of the largest train terminal in the United States! We will end our tour with a walk over the famous Brooklyn Bridge. Afterward, we will walk on the Brooklyn Promenade and ride through Brooklyn Heights, our country's first designated historic district. We will meet at the Friendly's parking lot at 8:30 am on the morning of the trip and return to the lot at approximately 7:00 pm.

Games

Hey! Let's Play!

Chess...Checkers...Bridge...Canasta

Every Friday from 10:00 am-12:00 pm

No registration required

Bring along your friends or find others to share a game. The library will provide coffee and tea, a variety of board games and coloring sheets. Or bring your Mah-jongg set, playing cards and other favorite games.

Intermediate Mah Jongg

Thursdays, March 2, 9 and 16 at 10:00 am

Registration is ongoing

This class is for the intermediate Mah Jongg player.

Canasta in the Evening

Mondays, April 3, 17 and 24 from 7:00 pm-8:30 pm

Registration begins March 20

Canasta was the most popular card game in the United States in the 1950's. It is a rummy game usually played with four people as a partnership game. Join us to learn this nostalgic game.

Beginner Bridge

Thursdays, April 6 — May 25 10:00 am-12:00 pm

Registration begins March 20

Join Bill Rosenwald for a beginner non-competitive contract bridge class.

Intermediate Canasta

Tuesday, April 25, May 2 and May 9 at 10:00 am

Registration begins April 11

This class is for intermediate canasta players.

Genealogy

Help Sessions

Do you need a little extra help with your family history research?

A limited number of private 40-minute sessions are available.

Please call the Adult Department Desk at x250 to schedule an appointment.

- Genealogy Meeting - Facebook and Genealogy

Saturday, March 11 at 3:00 pm
Registration is ongoing

Learn about the many surprising Facebook pages dedicated to serious genealogical research.

Ancestry.com vs . Familysearch.org

Saturday, April 15 at 3:00 pm
Registration is ongoing

Learn about the differences between these popular genealogy websites to discover which is best for you.

- Genealogy Lectures - Explore Ancestry.com

Tuesday, March 21 at 3:00 pm
Registration is ongoing

Discover your family's story by learning how to search the billions of records available on **Ancestry.com** in this introductory class.

HeritageQuest.com

Tuesday, April 25 at 3:00 pm
Registration is ongoing

HeritageQuest is available to use from home for free through the library's website. Learn about all the valuable records it has and how to locate your ancestors.

Music & Entertainment Programs

West Avenue Jazz

Sunday, March 12 from 2:00-3:30 pm
Registration is ongoing

West Avenue Jazz has a sophisticated, intimate sound while maintaining the true art of jazz. Whether performing in concert or hosting a jazz jam, West Avenue Jazz remains true to their roots in the art of improvisation. They perform many styles of jazz ranging from Miles Davis, Billie Holiday, to contemporary jazz like George Benson.

Celebrating St. Patrick's Day!

Irish Tunes and Tales with Ed Ryan

Sunday, March 26 from 2:00-3:30 pm
Registration begins March 10

Go green and get into the spirit of St. Patrick's Day with singer, songwriter and storyteller, Ed Ryan. Your Irish eyes will be smiling as he takes you on an imaginary journey to the Emerald Isle with traditional and contemporary Irish tunes and a bit of humor.

A-List Band

Sunday, April 2 from 2:00-3:30 pm
Registration begins March 18

The A-List Band is a high-powered musical trio that performs in venues throughout the tri-state area. Their music ranges in many styles and genres including the 50's, 60's, 70's, Beatles, Disco, Rock 'n' Roll, to Sinatra and many songs from today's new artists. This versatile trio often takes requests and is known for having a great rapport and enthusiastic interaction with the audience.

"SmileAwhile" is a program that the Longwood Public Library is pleased to offer monthly. This program includes a variety of enriching programs encompassing music, crafts and more. SmileAwhile is geared towards patrons who have sensory issues, are on the autism spectrum or who may have other specific needs. As with any program, everyone is welcome to attend. If there are any accommodations you need in order to make this program more accessible to you, please feel free to let us know.

SmileAwhile & Get Movin'!

Monday, March 6 at 10:30 am
Registration is ongoing

Join Doreen McIlwaine for an hour of movin' and groovin'! You will be sure to have lots of laughs and fun while doing your morning exercises!

SmileAwhile at the Movies "Moana"

Come and enjoy this new Disney classic!

Tuesday, April 18 at 10:30 am
Registration begins March 27

In Ancient Polynesia, when a terrible curse incurred by the Demigod Maui reaches an impetuous Chieftain's daughter's island, she answers the Ocean's call to seek out the Demigod to set things right.

OLDER & BOLDER A Special Section For Older Adults

Free Blood Pressure Screening

Friday, March 3 and Friday, April 7 from 10:00 am-12:00 pm
No appointment necessary

A representative will be here from Shoreham Medical Services to offer free blood pressure screenings to adult patrons in the upstairs study room.

Medicare/Medicaid Assistance

Tuesday, March 7 from 10:00 am-2:00 pm
Tuesday, April 4 from 10:00 am-2:00 pm
Call (631) 924-6400 x250 for appointment

This free, confidential counseling service is available to assist you with your entitlement benefits.

Medicaid Enrollment Assistance for the Aged, Blind and Disabled

Tuesday, March 7 and March 28 from 12:00 pm-4:00 pm

Tuesday, April 4 and 25 from 12:00 pm-4:00 pm
First-come, first-served, no appointment necessary

Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council's facilitated enrollers will assist the aged, blind and disabled populations to enroll into the following programs: Medicaid, Medicaid Buy-In for Working People with Disabilities (MBI-WPD), Medicaid Spend-Down, Medicare Savings (MSP), and Medicaid for Institutional Care in a Nursing Home. For more information, please call the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council at **(631) 435-3000**.

AARP Smart Driver Course

Monday, March 13 from 10:00 am-4:00 pm
Monday, April 10 from 10:00 am-4:00 pm
Monday, May 8 from 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Fee: \$20 (AARP members) and \$25 for (non-members) payable by check or money order to AARP due at the first class
Registration is ongoing

AARP's program is a refresher driving course designed for motorists age 50 and over.

Taproot

Mondays, March 13-May 15 from 2:00 pm-4:00 pm

Fee: \$70 all participants must pay directly to Taproot. You can download the form using this link <http://bit.ly/2k80PcM>

Registration begins February 27

Taproot is a writing workshop for persons age 55 and over.

Headline News

**Wednesday, March 22 at 2:00 pm and
Wednesday, April 26 at 2:00 pm
Registration begins March 10**

Join us for an informative discussion of a current news event. Professor John Merenda from Suffolk County Community College will be here to moderate and add insight to the discussion. Come share your views at this interesting series.

Friends of the Longwood Public Library

The Friends of the Library work in cooperation with the library to provide financial support for programs and special projects that enhance library services to the community. There are several LPL programs that are totally or partially supported by the Friends membership dues and fundraising activities. Please consider joining the Friends to support our endeavors! You can find a membership form online at longwoodlibrary.org/page/friends-library or at the library's Circulation Desk.

Free Computer Classes

**All Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Publisher classes are taught using Microsoft Office 2010 programs
- Classes are for Longwood Public Library Cardholders –**

Kindle Paperwhites

Kindle Paperwhites preloaded with best-selling titles will be available to borrow beginning February 1. We will also be taking title requests if you would like to read something specific. Ask an Adult Department librarian for more information.

Mobile Classes

Mobile Basics: Your First Device

**Monday, March 13 at 10:00 am
Wednesday, April 5 at 2:30 pm**

Tablet or smartphone? Android or iOS? Data plans? Wi-Fi?! This informational lecture will tell you everything you need to know about getting your first mobile device.

Mobile Basics: Android

**Wednesday, March 15 at 10:00 am
Wednesday, April 12 at 2:30 pm**

No experience with Android devices? This class is for you! Bring your own phone or tablet and learn how to navigate your device, change the settings and download apps.

Mobile Basics: iPhone/iPad

**Friday, March 17 at 10:00 am
Friday, April 14 at 7:00 pm**

This class will help you get started and learn all about your iPad/iPhone. Bring your own device to learn how to navigate your device, change the settings and download apps.

All about Apps: Library Apps

**Wednesday, March 22 at 10:00 am
Prerequisite: *Mobile Basics* or *basic skills***

Learn how to install, download and delete apps and get started with apps from your local library.

All about Apps: Health & Fitness

Monday, April 19 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Mobile Basics or basic skills*

Are you looking to cultivate a healthier lifestyle? Use these apps to inspire you!

Mobile User's Q&A

Friday, April 21 at 2:30 pm

Prerequisite: *Mobile Basics or basic skills*

Beyond the basics but still have a question? Drop in for a quick help session with a librarian. This program is first-come, first-served, so please arrive as early as possible!

The Luxury of Learning from Home

Friday, March 10 at 7:00 pm

Did you know that you don't even have to come into the library to learn? We have plenty of resources right on our website! This class includes a tour of some of the most popular services, such as Lynda.com, Learning Express Library and much more!

MS Word Basics

Tuesday, March 14 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Learn how to create and edit a document with Word. We will look at basic formatting options, like how to bold text and change the page alignment.

Learn the Library Catalog

Thursday, March 16 at 7:00 pm

Learn how to place holds, view your account, renew materials, view your borrowing history, make wish lists and more. Also includes a tour of the many library resources on our website. You will be surprised at the information you have at your fingertips!

Mac Basics

Monday, March 20 at 7:00 pm

Are you new to Macs? Are you thinking of getting one? This class will introduce you to Apple's unique operating system. You may bring your own device!

Introduction to Canva

Wednesday, March 29 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting started or basic computer skills.

Canva is a graphic design web software targeted at users who do not have a background in art or graphic design. Learn to create your own design with free elements that are included in Canva. Please bring your Facebook, Google, or email login and password.

MS Publisher Basics

Friday, March 31 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

MS Publisher is an easy-to-learn publishing software, which allows users to create professional newsletters, flyers, brochures and more. This class will get you started!

Downloading eBooks

Saturday, April 1 at 10:00 am

Friday, April 21 at 7:00 pm

Learn how to download free eBooks from the library with Overdrive and Hoopla. Bring your own device!

Facebook 101: Getting Started

Wednesday, April 5 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Now that you have a Facebook account, it's time to get started! Learn how to make Facebook friends, set up your profile and more! Be sure to bring your username and password.

Pinterest 101

Monday, April 10 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Come learn about Pinterest, a simple, online way to organize images, projects, ideas and favorites. Open an account, create boards and begin pinning! Learn to install the "Pin It" button and how to find pins in particular categories and follow other pinners.

Staying Safe Online

Thursday, April 13 at 7:00 pm

Learn how to stay safe online by protecting your personal information and avoiding common Internet scams

Craigslist 101

Monday, April 17 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Looking for a job, an apartment or someone to buy your old sofa? Craigslist can help! Learn how to use this free online classifieds tool to buy and sell goods, apply for jobs and much more!

Job Search Basics

Tuesday, April 18 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Become a successful job seeker. Learn winning search strategies, how to use the Internet in your search, and the best website and tactics that you can use to find opportunities.

Social Media 101

Saturday, April 22 at 10:00 am

Learn what social media and social networks are and get to know some of the most popular and useful sites including Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.

Windows 10

Tuesday, April 25 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Windows 10 is the latest version of Microsoft's operating system for PCs and tablets. Learn the basics of this operating system. You may bring your laptop or tablet to class with you.

Google Classes

Google Drive/Docs

Saturday, March 11 at 10:00 am

Prerequisite: *Must have Gmail address*

Learn how to create, edit and share online documents using Google's ever-evolving word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs. You must have a Gmail address to attend this class.

Google Calendar

Tuesday, March 21 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Must have Gmail address*

Learn how to use Google's online calendar for effective time management, sharing event information, invites, notifications and more. You must have Gmail address to attend this class.

Advanced Gmail Features

Tuesday, April 11 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Must have Gmail address*

Want to learn more about Gmail? This class is for you! Go beyond the basics and learn how to make the most out of your Gmail experience!

Computer Basics: Getting Started

Saturday, March 4 at 10:00 am

Friday, March 10 at 2:30 pm

Thursday, April 27 at 7:00 pm

Learn the basics of using the computer and practice using a mouse.

Computer Basics: Save Your Stuff

Wednesday, March 22 at 7:00 pm

Wednesday, April 12 at 7:00 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Learn how to save and organize your files in a variety of ways including on your computer, on your USB drive and in the cloud.

Computer Basics: Email Fundamentals

Thursday, March 23 at 7:00 pm

Friday, April 7 at 2:30 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Sign up for a Gmail account and learn how to send and receive email.

Computer Basics: Internet Fundamentals

Wednesday, March 15 at 7:00 pm

Friday, March 24 at 2:30 pm

Prerequisite: *Computer Basics:*

Getting Started or basic computer skills

Learn how to use a web browser to access the web and use Google to find information on the Internet.
