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FRESH FRUIT FROZEN MEAT CANNED GOODS FRESH VEGETABLES

Tuesdays, November 1, 15, 29 & December 13, 27 10:00–10:30 am All are Welcome Brentwood Public Library Parking Lot

If you need food now, text your zip code to 631-450-3775.



WELCOME TO THE MAKERSPACE!

Welcome to the Makerspace! Whether it's art, technology, or all things crafty- pursue your passions here at the library!

In addition, we will soon be adding a laser engraver from Boss Laser sponsored by Assemblyman Keith P. Brown.



Thomas Tarantowicz and the Brentwood Public Library were honored at the Brentwood Chamber of Commerce 60th Anniversary Gala as Non-Profit of the Year for 2022.

EVERYONE (ALL AGES)

NATIVE AMERICAN INDIANNOVHERITAGE MONTH2022

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Field Trip



Performances



NATIVE NATIONS DANCE THEATER NAIHM #IN-PERSON *OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Saturday, November 19, 3:00-4:30 pm

This award-winning Indigenous dance troupe from Philadelphia will perform and share legends in celebration of National Native American Heritage Month.

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Brentwood Public Library is proud to celebrate Native American Indian Heritage Month! Look for the NAIHM tag to find relevant programs and events.

Must be accompanied by an adult if under the age of 13.

ON YOUR OWN TRAIN TRIP TO NYC

 EXAMPLE
 COPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

 Saturday, December 3, 9:20 am
 Sign-up begins Saturday, November 19 at 10:00 am

 In-person registration only
 \$10.25 per ticket (non-refundable, credit card payment only)

Take a discounted trip into the city and do as you please once you arrive! Sign up in advance at the library. On the day of the trip, we will meet **by the ticket booth** at the Brentwood Train Station at 9:20 am where tickets will be distributed. We then will board the train as a group. All patrons must be in the first train car. You will arrive at Penn Station at **10:52 am** and can return home on any train prior to midnight. Roundtrip fare is **\$10.25** per person; fees are due at the time of registration. Limit to **four (4) tickets max per person**, **anyone can purchase**.

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FROM JAZZ TO SOUL: THE HOLIDAY EDITION PRIN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Saturday, December 17, 3:00-4:30 pm

Back by popular demand, join songstress Rhonda Denét for a special compilation of seasonal favorites.

Afternoon at the Movies



THOR: LOVE AND THUNDER EXINEPERSON COPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS (PG-13) 1 hour & 59 minutes Action/Adventure Thursday, November 3, 2:30 pm



WHERE THE CRAWDADS SING EXIN-DERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS (PG-13) 2 hours & 5 minutes Mystery/Drama Thursday, November 17, 2:30 pm

Must be accompanied by an adult if under the age of 13.



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(PG-13) 2 hours & 11 minutes Action/Adventure Thursday, December 1, 2:30 pm



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CHILDREN (UP TO AGE 12)

Take & Make Craft Kits

Show your library card at the Children's Reference Desk to receive our weekly take and make kits! Kits are available for pick up on a first come, first served basis, while supplies last. Kits are available for pickup beginning on the following dates below.

November 5 FOIL TREE PAINTING & TAKE & MAKE Ages 2-7

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Ages 5-12

November 12 PAPER PLATE TURKEY WREATH STAKE & MAKE All ages

November 19 THANKSGIVING MOBILE & TAKE & MAKE All ages

PONY BEAD CORN & TAKE & MAKE Ages 6-12

November 26 BUILD YOUR OWN PUZZLE STAKE & MAKE Ages 5-8

DINOSAUR TERRARIUM & TAKE © MAKE Ages 9-12

December 3 PENGUIN BOOKMARK & TAKE & MAKE Ages 6-12

December 10

PAPER MOSAIC GINGERBREAD MAN XTAKE & MAKE Ages birth-6

SNOWMAN PINCH BOWLS & TAKE & MAKE Ages 7-12

December 17 CLOTHESPIN NUTCRACKER & TAKE & MAKE

All ages

FAMILY GINGERBREAD HOUSE * TAKE & MAKE All ages, 1 per family

Available for pickup starting at 1:00 pm

December 23 NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION * TAKE & MAKE Ages 3-12

December 31 POLAR BEAR PAINTING & TAKE & MAKE Ages 5-12

Family Programs

GETTING TO KNOW OUR SUGARY DRINKS/ CONOCIENDO NUESTRAS BEBIDAS AZUCARADAS

Ages 3 and up with adult

Thursday, November 3, 7:00-8:00 pm

The holidays are just around the corner and so are parties and feasts. Learn how much sugar is in our favorite sugary drinks and what are better and healthier options.

Las vacaciones están a la vuelta de la esquina y también las fiestas feriadas y los banquetes a los que asistimos. Evitemos las calorías vacías que podemos obtener de las bebidas azucaradas aprendiendo cuánta azúcar tienen y cuáles son las opciones más saludables que podemos beber.

STORIES AND TRAINING WITH SPIDER HERO PRIN-PERSON

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All ages with adult Saturday, November 5, 11:00 am-12:00 pm

Meet Spider Hero and enjoy a morning filled with stories, crafts and special photo opportunities!

PUMPKIN PIE LOAF CAKE PRINEPERSON Ages 5 & up with adult

Wednesday, November 9, 6:30-7:30 pm

No November is complete without a pumpkin spiced latte - A Mano style! Each family will make two pumpkin pie loaf cakes to take home and bake.

GOOD NIGHT YOGA

Ages 4-8 with adult Wednesdays, November 16 & December 14, 6:30-7:30 pm

Stretch like a tree, sparkle like a star, float like a cloud, and you'll be dreaming soon. Join Miss Ximena and wind down for bed with mindful calming yoga. Wear your pajamas or something comfortable.

HOLIDAY TREATS/ GOLOSINAS NAVIDEÑAS IN-PERSON IN EN-PERSONA

Ages 3 and up with adult Thursday, December 1, 7:00-8:00 pm

Spread the holiday cheer by joining us in preparing and learning new treats for the season.

Difundamos el año navideño uniéndonos en la preparación y el aprendizaje de nuevas delicias para estas maravillosas vacaciones.

Must include an adult.

CHOCOLATE SNOWSTORM COOKIE WORKSHOP RUN-PERSON

Ages 3 & up with adult Saturday, December 17, 3:00-4:00 pm

Learn Chef Rob's secret recipe in which cookies are loaded with chocolate chips and, after they are baked, topped with a sweet snowstorm.

FAMILY KARAOKE

Ages 5 & up with adult Wednesday, December 28, 6:30-8:00 pm

Rock out with us to songs the whole family can enjoy! Pick your favorite songs and show off your vocal skills!

CREATION STATIONS

Ages 3 & up with adult Thursday, December 29, 2:00-4:00 pm No registration is required

Drop by the Children's Department and get crafty! A variety of art projects will be available for you to make together.

NEW YEAR'S GREEN SCREEN STUDIO RIN-PERSON

All ages with adult Friday, December 30, 11:00 am-3:00 pm No registration is required

Get ready to ring in 2023 with some green screen photo fun! Stop by the Children's Department with your family to take photos in front of preselected festive backgrounds. Green clothing is not recommended.



WINTERFEST A IN-PERSON

All ages with adult Saturday, January 14, 11:00 am-4:00 pm

Celebrate winter and our Winter Reading Challenge by joining us for a day full of crafts, activities, giveaways and winter fun!

For the Very Young



BABY & ME #IN-PERSON

Ages birth-23 months Tuesdays, November 1, 15 & 29, 10:30-11:15 am Tuesdays, December 13 & 27, 10:30-11:15 am

Share stories, songs and playtime together.

SIGN, SING AND PLAY

Ages birth-5 years Thursdays, November 3 & 17, 10:00-10:45 am Thursdays, December 1 & 15, 10:00-10:45 am

Sign language is a great way to jumpstart communication for your little one! Learn sign language in a meaningful and playful way with Registered and Licensed Occupational Therapist and Certified Signing Time Instructor, Lisamarie Curley.

PLAY AND LEARN WORKSHOP SUN-DERSON

Ages 12-35 months Fridays, November 4 & 18, 10:30-11:30 am Fridays, December 2 & 16, 10:30-11:30 am

Your child will enjoy a large variety of toys and play activities designed to help coordination, motor skills, language development and social skills while you listen to childcare professionals speak about child raising.

TOTS & TALES

PERSONAges 2-5 yearsWednesdays, November 9 & 23,10:30-11:30 amWednesdays, December 7 & 21,10:30-11:30 am

Enjoy stories, songs and a simple art activity with your child.

BABY START & IN-PERSON

Ages birth-18 months Thursday, November 10, 10:30-11:30 am Join A Time for Kids, Inc. for a morning filled with music, movement, fine and gross motor



BLOCK PARTY

 Ages 2-5 years

 Friday, November 11, 10:30-11:30 am

Join us for some constructive play! This interactive program gives children the opportunity to experience different kinds of blocks and learn new skills.

SATURPLAY! #IN-PERSON

Ages 12-35 months Saturdays, November 12, 26 & December 3, 10:00-11:00 am No registration is required

You and your child will enjoy a variety of open-ended play activities that encourage exploration and learning!

Must be accompanied by an adult.

STORYTIME EN ESPAÑOL & EN-PERSONA & IN-PERSON

Edades 3-6 • Ages 3-6 Miércoles, 16 de noviembre, Wednesday, November 16, 10:30-11:30 am

Disfruta los festividades con unas historias, actividades y postres con Sr. Po y Srta Kat! Por favor si tiene alguna alergia alimentaria, informe a los bibliotecarios antes.

Enjoy stories and activities with Mr. Po and Miss Kat! If you have any food allergies, please inform the librarians beforehand.



THANKSGIVING TURKEY

Ages 1-5 Tuesday, November 22, 6:30-7:30 pm

Celebrate the harvest season with A Time for Kids, Inc. Activities include music, movement, fine and gross motor development, storytelling and a turkey craft.

PAJAMA STORYTIME

Ages 3-6 Wednesday, November 30, 7:00-7:45 pm Friday, December 30, 7:00-7:45 pm

Children can come dressed in their pajamas, ready to listen to stories, sing songs and dance.

SENSORY PLAYGROUND

Ages 19 months-5 years Friday, December 9, 10:30-11:30 am

Join us for a morning of sensorybased play! We'll explore different activity stations that will stimulate your senses and encourage learning.



HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS PRIN-DERSON Ages 1-5

Monday, December 12, 6:30-7:30 pm

Join A Time for Kids, Inc. for an evening filled with music, movement, fine and gross motor development, storytelling and a house craft!



FINGER PAINT FUN IN-PERSON

Ages 1-5 Thursday, December 22, 6:30-7:15 pm

Have fun painting with finger paint. Dress for a mess!

SPOTLICHT —

CHILDREN'S DISPLAY CASE

Children are invited to display their personal collections in our Children's Room display case. Have a collection you want to show off to your friends and other library visitors? Stop at the Children's Reference Desk or contact **childrens@brentwoodnylibrary.org** for more information.

1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

The best way to ensure that a child has the skills necessary to learn to read is having someone read aloud to them. For every 100 books read together, your child will earn a book to keep. Register to participate at the Children's Reference Desk. It is never too early to build a love for reading!



RESOURCE SPOTLIGHT: BRAINFUSE HELP NOW!

All Brentwood library cardholders have access to live, one-on-one homework help with Brainfuse! This resource includes tutoring in English and Spanish, practice tests and a writing lab. Tutors are available online from 2:00-11:00pm every day. Access Brainfuse through our website.

CHILDREN (UP TO AGE 12)

NATIVE AMERICAN INDIAN HERITAGE MONTH

For School Age Children

LIBRARY BOOK SUBSCRIPTION BOX CRIN-PERSON

Ages 5-12 November: Fall Fun Box – Pick

up starts November 7 and ends November 12 December: Winter Wonderland Box – Pick up starts December 12 and ends December 17

Looking for something new to read? Do you like free books and snacks? Sign up for our children's subscription box! You will receive a box with a library book selected just for you and a bunch of goodies like stickers, snacks and more. Return the library book by the due date and everything else is yours to keep! Please add your reading level in the Special Notes field when registering.



CORN HUSK FIGURES

Wednesday, November 2, 6:30-7:15 pm

Explore the folktale of the corn husk doll, a traditional craft shared by Native American and colonist families. Learn how corn husk dolls were created and craft your own figure using corn husks and other materials.

Ages 6-8 Friday, November 4, 6:30-7:30 pm

Celebrate Fall by making a handprint scarecrow.

LEARN TO DRAW WITH ART TEACHER AMY PRIN-DERSON

Ages 6-12

Monday, November 7, 5:00-6:00 pm - Snowy owls Wednesday, December 21, 5:00-6:00 pm – Cats with scarves

Learn how to draw with Art Teacher Amy as she provides step-by-step instruction. No experience necessary!

PINECONE OWLS

Ages 7-12 Tuesday, November 8, 7:00-8:00 pm

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Turn a pinecone into an adorable owl friend.

TINKER LAB IN-PERSON Ages 5-8

Monday, November 14, 6:30-7:30 pm Thursday, December 8, 6:30-7:30 pm

Join us as we explore different STEAM-based activities!



DIARY OF A WIMPY KID BOOK RELEASE PARTY MIN-DERSON

Ages 8-12

Tuesday, November 15, 7:00-8:00 pm

Celebrate the release of the 17th book in the series with crafts, activities and trivia! Registrants will receive a free copy of the book *Diary* of a Wimpy Kid: Diper Överlöde.

GOBBLE GOBBLE TURKEY CUPCAKES

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Make three turkey cupcakes with candies, buttercream icing and more!

BOOK BUDDIES

🛎 IN-PERSON

Ages 6-10 Saturday, November 19, 2:00-3:00 pm Saturday, December 3, 2:00-3:00 pm

Each child will be paired with a student from the English Honor Society to practice their reading and enjoy stories together.

TWITCH GAMING FOR KIDS EVIRTUAL

All ages Mondays, November 21 & December 5, 3:30-4:30 pm

No registration is required

Join the one and only Mr. Po live on Twitch as he tries out new games! Go to **twitch.tv/brenlibny** to join in on the fun.

November program registration begins October 15. December program registration begins November 19.

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THANKSGIVING BINGO

Monday, November 21, 7:00-8:00 pm

Have fun playing Thanksgiving bingo for a chance to win awesome prizes.

IDEA LAB IN-PERSON Ages 9-12

Monday, November 28, 7:00-8:00 pm Thursday, December 15, 7:00-8:00 pm

Join us as we explore different STEAM-based activities!

LEGO LEAGUE

Ages 6-12

Friday, December 2, 6:30-7:30 pm No registration is required

Drop in and enjoy building Legos with your friends.

ZUMBA KIDS 🕮 IN-PERSON Ages 7-12

Monday, December 5, 6:30-7:15 pm

Bring your friends and join us for a rocking dance party class! Zumba Kids helps develop a healthy lifestyle and incorporates fitness as a fun, natural part of kid's lives.

FROZEN SLIME

Ages 8-12

Tuesday, December 6, 7:00-8:00 pm Make your own slime with beads,

sequins and glitter!



SUPER SMASH BROS. TOURNAMENT HOSTED BY THE META: GAMING AND ESPORTS

Ages 8-12

Saturday, December 10, 2:00-4:00 pm

Do you think you're the Super Smash Bros. champion? Bring your "A" game and compete in a Super Smash Bros. tournament hosted by The Meta: Gaming and eSports.

NO-SEW WINTER PILLOW PRIN-PERSON Ages 7-12

Tuesday, December 13, 7:00-8:00 pm

Snuggle up with your very own no-sew pillow!

GLITTER SNOW GLOBE

Ages 9-12

Friday, December 16, 7:00-8:00 pm Build your own snow globe for the winter season.

WINTER CELEBRATION

Ages 6-12 Monday, December 19, 7:00-8:00 pm

Enjoy a spectacular evening playing bingo and making a duct tape craft to bring home.



SNOWMAN CARD

Tuesday, December 20, 7:00-8:00 pm

Create a fun snowman card made with cotton.

PERLER BEAD PALOOZA

Ages 7-12 Wednesday, December 28, 2:00-3:30 pm

No registration is required

Create your own pixilated art out of Perler Beads to take home!



PAINT NIGHT PERSON Ages 8-12

Thursday, December 29, 7:00-8:00 pm

Learn step-by-step how to paint an outdoor winter scene. Dress for a mess.

TEENS (AGES 13-17)

Weekly Craft Kit Drops

Craft kits are available on a first-come, first-served basis in the Teen Room starting at **2:00 pm**. You must have a teen library card to receive a kit.

CORALINE NECKLACE KIT

November 7



CHAINSAW MAN POCHITA CLAY FIGURE November 14

POKÉMON POM POMS November 21



DIY FAIRY JARS November 28

SNACK AROUND THE WORLD BOX December 5



NIGHTMARE BEFORE XMAS ORNAMENTS December 12



REINDEER MAGNETS December 19

SPOTLIGHT



GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING INTERSON Monday, December 12, 3:00-5:00 pm

Listen to some holiday tunes and create a tasty gingerbread house that you can take home!

HOLIDAY HOT CHOCOLATE WORKSHOP RIN-PERSON

Saturday, December 17, 12:00-1:00 pm

Come learn how to put your local coffee shop's hot cocoa to shame! In this workshop you'll get to create your own unique hot chocolate mix using a custom mix of ingredients.

MOVIE NIGHT: HOLIDAY EDITION AND PERSON Monday, December 19, 3:00-5:00 pm

No registration is required

Stop by the Teen Room during the month of December to vote for the holiday movie that you want to watch! Holiday treats will be provided

HOLIDAY BINGO IN-PERSON

Wednesday, December 21, 3:00-4:30 pm No registration is required

Mr. Po is back again with his markers, bingo machine, and headset mic. Win prizes and enjoy some snacks while you are entertained!

MR. PO'S HOLIDAY KARAOKE IN-PERSON

Friday, December 23, 3:00-5:00 pm **No registration is required**

He's back and ready to make your ears bleed, but this time with holiday tunes. Sit in the back and be entertained, or hop onstage and sing yourself!

Community Service

We also offer virtual community service! More information is available on our website at brentwoodnylibrary.org/teen/information

TOY PARAMEDIC

Saturdays, November 12 & December 3, 12:00-1:00pm No registration is required

Help our Children's Department clean and organize our toy collection.

PERLER BEAD SORTING

Friday, November 25, 2:00-8:00pm **No registration is required**

Help us sort our Perler Bead collection.

MINI WINTER WREATHS

Wednesday, November 30, 6:00-8:00pm

Use the top of a mason jar to create a mini-fabric wreath. Completed wreaths will be donated to an assisted living community.

DROP-IN DAY: WINTER DECORATORS

Thursday, December 29 & Friday, December 30, 2:00-8:00pm **No registration is required**

Help us decorate the Teen Room for winter by painting snowflakes, hanging lights and more!

TEENS (AGES 13–17)

Crafts & Activities



PAPER-IZED ANIME **CHARACTERS** 🙁 IN-PERSON

Wednesday, November 2, 3:00-5:00 pm No registration is required

We will have various character templates for you to choose from and craft. Make one or make ten!

KPOP BINGO SIN-PERSON

Monday, November 7, 3:00-4:30 pm

Win some cute KPOP prizes while chatting with other stans!

CANVAS PAINTING 🛎 IN-PERSON

Wednesday, November 9, 3:00-4:30 pm

Join us for an open paint night! We will provide canvases, easels, paint and brushes.

PODCAST CLUB 🙁 IN-PERSON

Thursdays. November 10 & December 1, 15, 3:30-4:30 pm

Join the Average Brentwood Teens Podcast planning and recording sessions!



KAWAII CLOUD STRESS

Wednesday, November 16, 3:00-5:00 pm No registration is required

Make a super cute stress toy to help you during your rainy days.

MR. PO'S OPEN MIC NIGHT 🛎 IN-PERSON

Friday. November 18, 3:00-5:00 pm No registration is required

Mr. Po's bars are so heavy that he feels the need to drop his mic on the floor. How about you? See if you have what it takes during our first ever Open Mic Night.



TURKEY TREATS 🛎 IN-PERSON

Wednesday, November 23, 3:00-4:30 pm

Create some delicious turkey themed treats!

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS MINIATURES PAINTING 🙁 IN-PERSON

Wednesday, November 30, 3:00-4:30 pm

Does your D&D campaign need an upgrade? We will provide miniatures, paint and teeny-tiny brushes for you to use!

MR. PO'S IMPROV

CLASS # IN-PERSON Friday, December 2, 3:00-4:30 pm No registration is required

Learn from the master of improv himself, Mr. Po, and participate in improv challenges and exercises.

KPOP CLUB: BTS FAN CAFE 🕿 IN-PERSON

Monday, December 5, 3:00-4:00 pm

Join us for an afternoon with activities, music videos, and debates all about BTS. Snacks will be included.

HOLIDAY CHARM

EARRINGS IN-PERSON Wednesday, December 7, 3:00-5:00 pm No registration is required

Enhance your holiday cheer by making some holiday-themed earrings! We will also provide clip-on earring backs if your ears are not pierced.

HOLIDAY POLAROID PHOTOS A IN-PERSON

Friday, December 9, 3:00-4:00 pm No registration is required

Take some old-school-cool holiday portraits with our Polaroid cameras!

WINTERY ANIME **PHOTOCARDS** A IN-PERSON

Wednesday, December 14, 3:00-5:00 pm No registration is required

Create an original photocard of your favorite anime character! Attach it to a keychain or keep it in your wallet!



DROP-IN DAY: PUZZLES 🛎 IN-PERSON

Tuesday, December 27 & Wednesday December 28. 2:00-8:00 pm No registration is required

Relax and unwind during your winter break with some jigsaw puzzles. We will have multiple puzzles out on the tables for you to choose from.

Gaming Programs

GAMING WITH MR. PO 🛎 IN-PERSON

Tuesdays, November 1, 15, 22, 29 & December 6, 13, 20, 3:00-4:30pm Thursdays, November 3, 17 & December 8, 22, 3:00-4:30pm No registration is required

Play our Switch, PS5, board games and more!

SUPER SMASH BROS ULTIMATE BRACKET HOSTED BY THE META: GAMING AND ESPORTS 🙁 IN-PERSON

Friday, November 4, 3:00-5:00pm

Compete in our local Smash Bros. Ultimate bracket run by The Meta! Snacks will be provided.



ONLINE DUNGEONS & DRAGONS CLUB

Mondays, November 7, 21 & December 5, 19, 5:00-7:00pm

Join our Dungeons & Dragons discord server and play online D&D campaigns with our DM Kave and other teens. No experience required! Scan the QR code above to join our teen D&D Discord Server.



META MONDAYS: INTRODUCTION TO TABLE-TOP GAMING 🛎 IN-PERSON

Mondays, November 14, 28, 3:00-4:30pm

Discover popular tabletop board games, or try your hand at Magic the Gathering. Experts from The Meta: Gaming and eSports will be in attendance to answer any questions you may have and to teach you how to play!



DEMON SLAYER TOURNAMENT **HOSTED BY THE META: GAMING AND ESPORTS IN-PERSON**

Friday, December 16, 3:00-5:00pm

Compete in our Demon Slayer: The Hinokami Chronicles tournament run by The Meta! Snacks will be provided.

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Career & Business

CAREER AND EMPLOYMENT COUNSELING

Tuesday, November 1, 6:00-8:00 pm

Our bilingual (English-Spanish) Career and Employment Counselor will be available to assist you with resources, tips and strategies.



HOW TO DEVELOP YOUR BUSINESS IDEA USING THE BUSINESS MODEL CANVAS VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesday, November 1, 6:00-8:00 pm

Learn how this template can help you to identify and connect the dots between your most important customers, your value proposition in the marketplace, your infrastructure and your bottom line. Presented by La Fuerza CDC.

ONLINE EMPLOYMENT RESOURCES FOR VETERANS

Thursday, November 10, 10:30-11:15 am

Learn about job opportunities and entrepreneurial courses and how to transition your military skills to ones in the civilian workforce.

GRANT WRITING 101 VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesday, November 15, 7:30-8:15 pm

Learn how to get the funding your organization needs.

HOW TO START A HOME-BASED DAY CARE BUSINESS INVIRTUAL *OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, November 17, 7:00-8:00 pm

Learn about licensing and permit requirements and more. Presented by La Fuerza CDC.

EXPORTING - IMPORTING

Tuesday, November 29, 7:00-8:00 pm

Learn the basics of exporting in this webinar so you can begin to explore business opportunities across global markets. Presented by La Fuerza CDC.



ONLINE LEARNING: UNIVERSAL CLASS AND UDEMY

Tuesday, December 6, 6:30-7:15 pm

Gain free and unlimited access to over 500 courses with your Brentwood Library Card. Enroll and take them at your own pace, receive feedback from instructors and earn Continuing Education Units (CEUs). Requirement: a Brentwood Public Library card and your email.



ACCESS TO CAPITAL: FINANCING FOR YOUR BUSINESS

Tuesday, December 13, 7:00-8:00 pm

Learn what the requirements are to obtain a business loan and how to apply for one. Presented by La Fuerza CDC.

APLICACIONES PARA APRENDER INGLÉS

Martes, 20 de diciembre, 6:30-7:15 pm

Descubra las aplicaciones que ofrece la biblioteca Pública de Brentwood para aprender inglés y otros idiomas de manera gratuita. Durante esta presentación vía ZOOM, le mostraremos como crear una cuenta y usar estas herramientas desde su celular o computadora. Requisito: Tiene que tener una tarjeta de la Biblioteca Pública de Brentwood y un correo electrónico.

TEST PROCTORING SERVICES

The Career and Learning Center at the Brentwood Public Library provides test-proctoring services to support distance-learning students in our communities. Please email your request to **careercenter@brentwoodnylibrary.org**. This service is by appointment only.

TECH NAVIGATION ASSISTANCE IN-PERSON

Do you want to learn how to use your email efficiently, download mobile apps, and use the Internet all through your cell phone or tablet? Are you a student or a job seeker who wants to improve your Google Docs or Microsoft Office skills? Visit the Career and Learning Center or call 631-273-7883, ext. 132 to make a 30-minute appointment customized to your needs. Our bilingual (English-Spanish) tech navigators will assist you.

ASISTENCIA EN TECNOLOGÍA 🗷 EN-PERSONA

¿Desea aprender a usar su correo electrónico eficientemente, aprender a descargar aplicaciones móviles y usar la Internet todo mediante su teléfono celular o tableta? ¿Es estudiante o está en búsqueda de empleo y desea mejorar sus habilidades de Google Docs o Microsoft Office? Acérquese al departamento de carreras y aprendizaje o llame al 631-273-7883, ext. 132 para hacer una cita personalizada de 30 minutes que satisfaga sus necesidades. Nuestros asistentes de tecnología bilingüe (inglés-español) podrán asistirle.



CONSEJERÍA-ASESORÍA DE NEGOCIOS VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Segundo Lunes de cada mes, 10:00am-3:00 pm

Una consejera de negocios de Stony Brook SBDC proveerá asistencia a pequeñas empresas para resolver asuntos de orden organizacional, financiero, de mercadeo y técnicos, según la necesidad. La consejera estará disponible para cita de consultoría de 60 minutos.

November program registration begins October 15. December program registration begins November 19.

Masala chai (tea) is extremely popular in India due to its taste and aroma.

It's widely believed to prevent various kinds of illnesses and keep you

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MASALA CHAI TEA & TAKE & MAKE

WOOD SLICE PORTRAIT & TAKE & MAKE

Create a portrait using your photos from home.

healthy. Allergy alert: may contain nuts!

December 1-31, while supplies last

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Adult Takeouts

Must have a valid adult Brentwood Library card to sign up for kits. Kits will only be held for pickup until the end of the month.

TAKE HOME ART CLUB RIN-PERSON & TAKE & MAKE

Thursdays, November 17 & December 15, 7:00-8:00 pm

Sign up for the Adult Art Club to receive supplies for the art project of the month! Use them on your own or join us in person!

FLORAL PAPERWEIGHTS & TAKE & MAKE

November 1-30, while supplies last

Create small paperweights as a gift for someone or for your own use. You will be provided with everything you need to create beautiful designs.

SCRUNCHY KIT & TAKE & MAKE

November 1-30, while supplies last

New to sewing? Try your hand with this DIY kit.

General Programs

CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP

Thursdays, November 3, 17 & December 1, 15, 7:00-9:00 pm

Bring your poetry and short prose for thoughtful critique. Be a part of this encouraging and supportive community of poets. All levels welcome--beginners through seasoned writers.

HOW TO MAKE FALL-SCENTED NATURAL CLEANING PRODUCTS EXIN-DERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Monday, November 7, 6:30-7:30 pm

Each patron will make their own 16 oz. spray bottle of caramel apple thieves cleaner to take home while learning how to make an array of cleaning products.

BRENTWOOD'S VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

Thursday, November 10, 3:00-4:00 pm

Did you know some of the earliest Brentwood citizens fought in the Civil War? Come learn about these fascinating soldiers and their unexpected adventures with local history librarian Peter.



MAPLE 101: FROM SAP TO SYRUP! NAIHM PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Wednesday, November 16, 6:30-7:30 pm

Learn how indigenous peoples accidentally discovered how to make maple syrup and how you can too!

WINTERTIME AROMATHERAPY SCRUBS, SALTS, AND MORE! # IN-DERSON # OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Monday, December 5, 6:30-7:30 pm

Learn how to create all natural body scrubs, bath salts and room sprays designed with winter scents in mind. Each patron will make their own merry & bright room spray to take home!

Citizenship



CITIZENSHIP PREPARATION CLASS

Wednesdays, November 2, 9, 16, 30 & December 7, 14, 21, 28, 7:00-8:30 pm

Adults preparing to take the U.S. Citizenship Test are invited to join our weekly classes. This series will focus on the civics questions and the USCIS writing and reading vocabulary. The last session will be an in-person workshop to practice citizenship interview questions based on the N-400 form.





Driving

Non-district residents may sign up a week after the registration date. Residentes fuera del distrito pueden inscribirse una semana después de la fecha de registración.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING LIN-PERSON

Saturdays, November 5, 19 & December 3, 17, 9:30 am-3:30 pm *Must arrive by 9:15 am

Save ten percent on your auto insurance for three years and remove up to four points from your driving record by taking this six-hour course. A fee of \$30 in cash, check, or money order payable to the Empire Safety Council is due on the day of the class.

MANEJO DEFENSIVO REPERSONA

Sábados, 12, 26 de noviembre o 10, 31 de diciembre, 9:30 am-3:30 pm *Debe llegar a las 9:15 am

Ahorre el diez por ciento en su seguro de auto por tres años y elimine hasta cuatro puntos en su record de conductor tomando este curso de seis horas. Paga \$30 en efectivo, cheque, o giro postal al Empire Safety Council el día de clase.

5 HOUR PRE-LICENSING COURSE (BILINGUAL) EXIN-DERSON

Wednesdays, November 9 or December 14, 3:30-8:30 pm *Must arrive by 3:15 pm

This DMV-certified course provides new drivers with information and tools to help them become safe drivers. All new drivers must complete this course before they can schedule their road test for their driver license. **The fee for this course is \$40.**

CURSO DE PRELICENCIA DE 5 HORAS (BILINGÜE)

Miércoles, 9 de noviembre o 14 de diciembre, 3:30-8:30 pm *Debe llegar a las 3:15 pm

El pre-licencia, también conocido como "el curso de 5 horas," es un curso presencial diseñada por el DMV que proporciona nuevos conductores con información para ayudarles a conducir con seguridad. Los nuevos conductores deben completar este curso antes de que puedan programar su examen práctico para obtener su licencia de conducir. **Este curso cuesta \$40**.

Computer Tutorials

COMPRAS, SEGURIDAD Y PROTECCIÓN EN LÍNEA 24 EN-PERSONA * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Martes, 8 de noviembre, 6:30-8:30 pm

En esta lección, los estudiantes aprenderán cómo navegar, comprar y usar el Internet de manera segura sin temor al robo de identidad, piratas informáticos, virus, software espía y publicidad emergente molesta.

Requisitos previos: ninguno

SHOPPING, SAFETY & SECURITY ONLINE

Tuesday, November 15, 1:00-3:00 pm

Students will learn how to safely surf, shop and use the Internet without fear of identity theft, hackers, viruses, spyware, and annoying pop-up advertising.

Prerequisites: None

Cooking Classes

JUEVES DE FIESTA: MEXICAN TORTILLAS

🛎 IN-PERSON

Thursday, November 10, 6:30-7:30 pm

Join us as we learn how to make these delicious flatbreads central to Mexican cuisine.

PLANT-BASED COOKING: SOUPS! #IN-PERSON

Tuesday, November 15, 6:30-7:30 pm

Catherine Niggemeier, author of *Plant to Plate Cookbook*, will show participants a realistic, practical, and money-saving way to eat more plants at every meal.

COOKING WITH CHEF ROB: PUMPKIN PIE SCONES

Tuesday, November 22, 1:00-2:30 pm

Follow along in this hands-on workshop as you prepare your own scones with a spice glaze! Please bring two medium bowls, a small container, a rubber spatula, and a cookie tray.

TODO SOBRE SKYPE, FACETIME Y VIDEO CHAT EN LÍNEA # EN-PERSONA * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Martes, 6 de diciembre, 6:30-8:30 pm

Aprende a chatear por video con tus seres queridos. Los estudiantes aprenderán cómo configurar y usar el chat de video de Skype y Facetime de Apple, así como otras aplicaciones populares de chat de video como FB Messenger. Traiga sus preguntas y su dispositivo si tiene uno.

ALL ABOUT SKYPE, FACETIME & VIDEO CHATTING ONLINE #IN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesday, December 13, 1:00-3:00 pm

Learn how to set up and use Skype video chat and Apple's Facetime as well as other popular video chatting apps such as FB Messenger. Bring your questions and your device if you have one.



SANTA'S FAVORITE BLONDIES ENIM-PERSON Tuesday, December 6, 6:30-7:30 pm

The A Mano Baking Company is back with a festive and decadent treat sure to be a hit at your next gathering.

COOKING WITH CHEF ROB: CINNAMON SWIRL BREAD EXIN-PERSON

Tuesday, December 20, 1:00-2:30 pm

In this hands-on workshop, Chef Rob will provide all the ingredients needed to make your own cinnamon swirl bread just in time for the holidays. **Please bring a large and a medium bowl, a whisk, a 9x5 loaf pan, and aluminum foil.**

Crafts



CORN HUSK DOLL WORKSHOP NAIHM #IN-PERSON Wednesday, November 2, 4:30-5:30 pm

Explore the folktale behind the hobby of the corn husk doll, a traditional craft shared by Native Americans and colonists. Learn about the cultural significance of these dolls and how they were created while making your own!

HOOK & NEEDLE CLUB: CROCHET HOLIDAY ORNAMENTS EXIN-PERSON

Fridays, November 4, 18, 25, 6:00-8:00 pm

Perfect for your holiday décor or as a gift, these ornaments are sure to be a hit! You will need a size G or H crochet hook.

AUTUMN EMBROIDERY WITH DONNA COANE

Thursday, November 3, 5:30-7:30 pm

Participants will learn how to craft beginner-friendly embroidery patterns in the new Brentwood Public Library Makerspace!

BURLAP WREATH AIN-PERSON

Wednesday, November 9, 6:30-7:30 pm

Spruce up your door this fall by creating your very own burlap bubble wreath.

PUMPKIN SPICE & EVERYTHING NICE CARDS

Tuesday, November 15, 2:00-4:00 pm

Make your own set of handmade autumn-themed cards using a variety of techniques in this fun and easy workshop.

HOLIDAY CROSS STITCH WITH DONNA COANE

Friday, December 2, 4:30-5:30 pm

Participants will learn how to stitch holiday ornament patterns in our new makerspace!

HOOK & NEEDLE CLUB: SANTA'S KNIT HAT

Fridays, December 2, 16, 23, 6:00-8:00 pm

Keep warm and celebrate the holidays with this adorable hat.You will need a skein of #4 red yarn, another skein of white yarn and size 7 knitting needles.

PAINT YOUR OWN GARDEN STATUE

Tuesday, December 6, 2:00-3:30 pm

Prepare for next spring by painting your own small statue.

WINTER WONDERLAND GREETINGS EXIN-PERSON Tuesday, December 13, 2:00-4:00 pm

What better way to warm someone's heart than with a hand-stamped card? Snowmen, holly, evergreen trees, and gingerbread men will be some of the choices for your handmade creations.

SPOTLIGHT

3D PRINTING AT THE LIBRARY

The 3D printers of the Brentwood Public Library Adult Services Department will now be open to requests. Any Brentwood Public Library patron 13 years old or older may submit 3D models of their own design or from an open source website to be printed by our Prusa i3, Ender 3 Pro 3D, and Makergear M3 printers.

This service is exclusive to Brentwood Public Library cardholders. To submit a print job, fill out the request form through our website.

3D Printing Information: brentwoodnylibrary.org/3d-printing 3D Printing Request Form: brentwoodnylibrary.org/form/3d-printing-jobs



Adult Special Services

Adult Special Service programs are geared towards patrons who have sensory issues, are on the autism spectrum, or who may have other specific needs. However, all are welcome! If there are any accommodations you need in order to make these programs more accessible to you, please let us know. **Must be 18 or older to attend.**

SCARECROW MASON JAR

Friday, November 18, 10:30 am-12:00 pm OR 6:30-8:00 pm (choose one session)

Join us to paint and decorate a mason jar to look like a scarecrow. A great addition to your home or a nice gift to give.

POINSETTIA NAPKIN RINGS

Friday, December 9, 10:30 am-12:00 pm ONLY

Learn how to make a set of four napkin rings made out of felt for your holiday table or to give as a gift.

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Health & Wellness



STONY BROOK MEDICINE HEALTHY LIBRARIES

Tuesday, November 1, 10:00 am-12:30 pm

If you have health questions, are having trouble filling out paperwork or need assistance finding housing, the public health, nursing, social work and library science students from the Stony Brook Medicine Healthy Libraries Program will be available to help.



CHAIR YOGA XIN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Wednesdays, November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 & December 7, 14, 21, 28, 2:00-3:00 pm

Enjoy the mobility, vitality, and peace of mind that this yoga practice can provide while feeling fully supported in your chair. Please have light weights, a small ball, and a resistance band for the class.

MOBILE DIABETES SCREENING CLINIC IN IN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Friday, November 4, 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Sun River Health will provide FREE screenings and education services open to all. No appointment needed! Just visit their mobile van in our parking lot to get your blood sugar and/or A1C tested, and learn about healthy eating with Registered Dietitians from CCE Suffolk while you wait.

CPR-AED-FIRST AID CERTIFICATION IN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Saturday, November 5, 12 & December 10 Monday, December 12 10:00 am-1:45 pm (for CPR-AED) 10:00 am-3:00 pm (CPR-AED-First Aid)

Learn how to recognize and care for a variety of first aid emergencies. Successful students will receive a certificate for Adult and Pediatric CPR/AED/First Aid which is valid for two years. **The fee for CPR & AED certification is \$50.00. The fee for all three trainings is \$60.00. Payment in cash or money order is due on the day of class.**



MINDFUL MONDAYS VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Mondays, November 7, 21 & December 5, 19, 12:00-1:00 pm

Hildur Palsdottir leads us in meditation using the contemplation of the natural world as a guide to finding peace.



ZUMBA WITH CINDY! PRIN-DERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Mondays, November 7, 14, 21, 28 & December 5, 12, 19, 10:00-11:00 am

Join instructor Cindy as she teaches this Latin-inspired dance fitness class. Great for all fitness levels! Please wear comfortable workout clothes and sneakers and bring a towel and water.



MENTAL HEALTH & WELLNESS 101

Monday, November 7, 2:00-3:00 pm

Learn how mental health is an integral part of overall health.



HEART HEALTH EXIN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Saturday, November 12, 11:00 am-1:30 pm

Learn about heart attack care and get a free blood pressure check from South Shore University Hospital representatives. No registration needed and all are welcome!



 TALKING TO YOUR DOCTOR ABOUT DEMENTIA

 PERSON
 * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

 Thursday, December 8, 1:30-3:00 pm

Learn important questions to ask at your doctor's appointment.

Community Assistance

NEED FOOD ASSISTANCE? IN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesdays, November 1, 15, 29 & December 13, 27, 12:00-4:00 pm

Stop by the library for a free confidential screening by an Island Harvest representative to determine if you are eligible for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and receive assistance applying for it.

COMMUNITY LEGAL HELP

Lesdays, from 2:00-5:00 pm

Tuesdays, from 2:00-5:00 pm

Do you need help with a legal problem? Free limited legal advice and assistance is available on various topics.

1-ON-1 MEDICARE COUNSELING AND ASSISTANCE (MUST BE MEDICARE ELIGIBLE) PRIN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Wednesdays, November 9 & December 14, 10:00 am-12:00 pm

Register for a 30-minute appointment to meet individually with a HIICAP (Health Insurance Information, Counseling & Assistance Program) counselor for information specific to your own needs regarding Medicare health insurance and benefits, the Extra Help for prescription drugs program and the EPIC program.

NY STATE OF HEALTH NAVIGATOR IN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 am-4:00 pm Fridays, November 11, 25 & December 9, 23, 10:00 am-5:00 pm

A bilingual (English-Spanish) NY State of Health Navigator will be available to assist in enrolling for health insurance through the New York State of Health Marketplace.



WILLING HEARTS HELPFUL HANDS

Thursdays, November 17 & December 15, 2:00-4:00 pm

Learn about free services for caregivers and those with Alzheimer's or any memory disorder from the Willing Hearts Helpful Hands Grant.

Book Clubs





THE MAID BY NITA PROSE XIN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, November 3, 7:00-8:30 pm

Molly Gray, obsessed with cleaning, works at the Regency Grand Hotel. Molly is a bit eccentric, and when an infamous businessman is murdered in one of her rooms, her off-putting personality makes her look like a suspect. Can she untangle the mystery of who really killed him?

MODERN LOVERS BY EMMA STRAUB XIN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, December 1, 7:00-8:30 pm

The lives of former college bandmates are still intertwined into their 40's, in an upscale Brooklyn neighborhood. Follow their exploits, and their children's, as they navigate middle age.



SPANISH BOOK DISCUSSION / CHARLA DE LIBRO TIN-DERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Gótico por Silvia Moreno-Garcia

Sábado, 10 de diciembre, 1:30-3:00 pm

Tras recibir una extraña carta de su prima recién casada, Noemí Taboada se dirige a High Place, una casa en el campo en México, sin saber qué encontrará allí; el nuevo marido de su prima, un inglés amenazante y seductor; su tio, el antiguo patriarca que parece fascinado con ella, la casa, que empieza a invadir los sueños de Noemí con visiones de sangre y fatalidad... Únase a nosotros para discutir esta cautivadora novela. Programado para el 10 de diciembre a las 1:30 de la tarde. Llame o regístrese en línea.

CLASSIC AMERICAN SHORT STORIES



We welcome all English learners to join us in reading and discussing short stories from *Classic American Short Stories*. Helpful materials and information on how to join the discussions online will be emailed to you upon registration. The book is available for check-out at the Circulation Desk.

"A WAGNER MATINÉE" BY WILLA CATHER ∝IN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Saturday, November 19, 1:30-3:00 pm

Aunt Georgiana visits Boston for the first time since she left it for Nebraska thirty years ago. Georgiana's nephew takes her to a symphony concert. Will Wagner's music bring back memories of her youth in Boston?

"THE EGG" BY SHERWOOD ANDERSON IN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Saturday, December 17, 1:30-3:00 pm

An ambitious family in Ohio starts a chicken farm believing it will quickly bring them to prosperity.

Conversation Groups



CONVERSATION SKILLS FOR ENGLISH LEARNERS XIN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursdays, November 3, 10, 17 & December 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 11:00 am-12:30 pm

Practice your English conversation and improve your vocabulary and grammar. Join us in person or online via Zoom.

GRUPO DE APOYO DE ESL PARA JÓVENES DE 17-21 AÑOS EXEN-PERSONA * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Lunes, 7, 14, 21, 28 de noviembre, 5, 12, 19 de diciembre, 2, 9, 23, 30 de enero, 6:30-7:30pm

Este programa está dirigido a jóvenes de entre 17 y 21 años de edad que desean practicar inglés. Practica sus habilidades de conversación en inglés y mejora el vocabulario y la gramática. Este programa tendrá una duración de 16 semanas.

YOUNG ADULT ESL SUPPORT GROUP, AGES 17-21

Mondays, November 7, 14, 21, 28, December 5, 12, 19 & January 2, 9, 23, 30, 6:30-7:30pm

Practice your English conversation skills and improve your vocabulary and grammar in this 16 week program.

Fandoms at the Library



MAGIC THE GATHERING DRAFT TOURNAMENT

Saturdays, November 5 & December 3, 11:00 am-4:00 pm

In this tournament, you will receive cards to build your own deck and play against others in one-on-one games. It is recommended that you bring your own card sleeves for the cards you will be receiving.



ANIME NIGHT FOR ADULTS

Mondays, November 7, 14, 21, 28 & December 5, 12, 19, 6:00-8:30 pm

Watch and discuss your favorite animes, discover new shows, or just come for the comradery.

COFFEE WITH A LIBRARIAN

×IN-PERSON & VIRTUAL ★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursdays, November 10 & December 8, 1:00-2:30 pm

Chat with Librarian Julia and other friendly patrons in person or via Zoom.

BETTER ENGLISH AT WORK / MEJORE SU INGLES EN EL TRABAJO XIN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursdays, November 10, 17 & December 8, 15, 22, 29, 6:30-8:00 pm

Improve your English language skills for work. Join this conversation group with a focus on vocabulary and work-related topics to help you achieve your goals. Join us in person or online via Zoom.

LEARN ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Intensive weekly ESL classes provided over a 16-week semester. Complete your application to be evaluated and placed. For more information call the Learning Center at 631-273-7883, ext. 133.

APRENDE INGLÉS COMO SEGUNDO IDIOMA XIN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Clases intensivas de ESL impartidas durante un semestre de 16 semanas estan disponibles. Complete su solicitud para ser evaluado y colocado a su nivel. Para más información llame al Centro de Aprendizaje al 631-273-7883, ext. 133.

Must be 18 or older to attend



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Join horror author Robert Ottone to learn about a brow-raising local case and share your true-crime theories with fellow aficionados!

BOARD GAME OPEN PLAY IN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Saturdays, November 12, 19, 26 & December 10, 17, 31, 11:00 am-4:00 pm

Bring your board games, MTG Deck, War Gaming Army, chessboard, or even a deck of cards to spend the day playing and relaxing with friends.



VIRTUAL REALITY GAME NIGHT

Join us for a fun night of party-style VR gaming. We'll be playing Beat Saber, Takelings, Keep Talking, Nobody Explodes and more!

November program registration begins October 15. December program registration begins November 19.

Nature & Gardening



NATURE READS

XIN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Tuesday, November 8 & December 13, 7:00-8:00 pm

Saturday, December 3, 10:30 am-12:00 pm

Institution and The Power of Resilence.

Join Librarian Rosa to discuss the November and December chapters of Doug Tallamy's book, *The Nature of Oaks*, and chat about nature news.

BOOK & BRUNCH: THE UPSIDE OF A BREAKDOWN

Join us in person for food and drink while we talk over Zoom with Tim Brown, author of *The Upside of a Breakdown: A Man, A Museum, A Mental*

Genealogy



GENEALOGY 1-ON-1 XIN-PERSON & VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Have genealogy questions? Call for an appointment with a librarian!

Local History



LONG ISLAND'S ANCIENT PAST

Tuesday, November 1, 7:00-8:00 pm

Explore Native American history through artifacts reflecting different archaeological periods with archeologist Laurie Billadello.



BRENTWOOD'S TIME STORE PRIN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS Thursday, December 8, 7:00-8:00 pm

Writer and scholar Crispin Sartwell joins us to discuss Brentwood's founder Josiah Warren and his unique ideas, including a time-based currency printed at his local "time store."

Gallery & Display



NOVEMBER GALLERY AND DISPLAY

This exhibit is a small sampling from The Cradle of Aviation Museum which collects, preserves and interprets the aerospace heritage of Long Island for future generations.



DECEMBER GALLERY

Photographer Adam Balbi will feature his work with a focus on snow, ice, and wintry arctic-alpine wonderlands.

DECEMBER DISPLAY

Mary Ann Koferl will display Christmas ornaments she has collected during her vacations throughout the world. She will also display some of her embroidery and other crafts she has made over the years.



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Select "Take and Make" for a complete list of our craft and activity kits/boxes.

Select "Virtual Programs" for a complete list of our online virtual programs.

If you need assistance registering, please call the Library or click on the "web chat" link or icon. Unless specifically mentioned, all programs and kits/boxes are free of charge.

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Library Hours

Closings: Thursday, November 24	Sunday, December 25	Sunday, January 1, 2023
Library Open 9 am-5 pm:		Monday, January 2, 2023
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