

Brentwood Public Library

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Get email updates with our e-newsletter

Scan the QR code above and sign up for our e-newsletter.
We'll keep you posted with all the latest updates and news!

Notice:

Pardon us as we continue to await final project approval by New York State for outdoor construction.



SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2023

All Ages • June 24-August 19

The theme of this year's Summer Reading Challenge, "All Together Now," encourages readers of all ages to explore the world through books. From June 24-August 19, you can register for the challenge either online or in-person at the library. Keep track of your reading progress and earn cool prizes along the way!

Scan the QR code or visit brentwoodnylibrary.org/summerreadingchallenge2023 to sign up.



SUMMER CONCERT SERIES 2023



Sponsored by Legislator Sammy Gonzalez

All Ages • Fridays, July-August 2023

□ OFF-SITE

★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

This summer's concerts will be held at Southwest Southeast Elementary School, so bring a blanket, pack some snacks, and enjoy an entertaining evening. In the event of inclement weather, the library will announce whether the concert will be canceled on its website.

Scan the QR code or visit brentwoodnylibrary.org/summerconcertseries2023 for more information.

Fridays, 6:30-8:30 pm

July 21 - Just Sixties

July 28 - The Ronald Reagans BIG '80s Show

August 11 - Mambo Loco August 18 - Rhonda Denét



Museum Passes & Attraction Tickets





If you're looking to have some fun this summer, check out the Brentwood Public Library's museum passes and attraction tickets.

Get free or discounted admission to places like the Long Island Aquarium, the Cradle of Aviation Museum, and the Long Island Children's Museum.

Brentwood Public Library patrons who are 18 years of age or older and have a valid library card in good standing can reserve museum passes.

Discounted attraction tickets are available to all patrons and can be purchased only with credit, debit or contactless payment.

Visit the Brentwood Public Library or our website to plan your next adventure.



Museum Passes



Attraction <u>Ticke</u>ts

How to Navigate the Newsletter



The newsletter is organized by age group, and tags are used to quickly inform you about important program details, like the program location or theme. We will have more off-site programs due to parking lot and outdoor space renovations. Please double check the program location if you are unsure.

El boletín está organizado por grupos de edad y se usa etiquetas para informarle rápidamente sobre detalles importantes del programa, como la ubicación del programa o el tema del programa. Tendremos más programas fuera de nuestro edificio debido a trabajos de construcción previstos en el estacionamiento y espacio al aire libre. Verifique la ubicación del programa si no está seguro.

Newsletter Tags

😕 IN-PERSON

Programs with the "In-Person" tag are held at the library.

VIRTUAL

Programs with the "Virtual" tag are held online and can be accessed through a computer, tablet, or smartphone.

(🔏 TAKE & MAKE)

Programs with the "Take & Make" tag are kits that are picked up at the library and taken home to complete.

(**→** OFF-SITE)

Programs with the "Off-Site" tag are held in-person at a different location.

* OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Programs with the "Open to Non-Residents" tag are programs that are available to non-Brentwood Public Library card holders.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Programs with the "Community Service" tag provide community service hours.

EVERYONE (ALL AGES)

Performances & Events

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



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Join us at Southwest Southeast Elementary School for our Summer Concert Series. Bring a blanket, pack some snacks, and enjoy an entertaining evening. In the event of inclement weather, the Library will announce whether the concert will be canceled on its website. Visit our website or scan the QR code to get more information on upcoming events!



SUMMER READING CLUB

Sign up for our reading club with your Brentwood Library card. Read books and/or listen to audiobooks, log them in and win prizes!

See page 6 for kids up to age 12. See page 10 for teens from ages 13-17. See page 14 for adults ages 18 and over.



Trips

Must be accompanied by an adult if under the age of 18.



WN TRAIN TRIP TO NYC

Saturdays, June 10, July 8, August 12, 9:20 am

Sign-up begins registration day at 10:00 am.

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

Take a discounted train 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 per trip.

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 pickup on a first come, first served basis while supplies last. Kits are available for pickup beginning on the following dates:

June 3

SHAPE BUDDIES & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 2-5

DIY FRUIT FANS & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 6-12

PIPE CLEANER FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 9-12

June 10

FATHER'S DAY PICTURE FRAME & TAKE & MAKE

All ages

BUG COLLECTOR KIT & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 4-12

TAÍNO ROCK CARVINGS

X TAKE & MAKE CARRIBEAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

Ages 5-12

June 17

JUNETEENTH MOSAIC & TAKE & MAKE

All ages

GROW A SUNFLOWER & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 4-12

CANVAS PAINTING & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 8-12

June 24

UNCLE SAM HAT JELLO SNACK & TAKE & MAKE

All ages

VISION BOARD & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 8-12

July 1

4TH OF JULY SENSORY BAG & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-3 years

DIY PATRIOTIC OWL ORNAMENT & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 4-12

MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 9-12

July 8

FLOWER POT PUDDING CUP & TAKE & MAKE

All ages

RAINBOW SENSORY BIN & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-3 years

BEADED PIPE CLEANER FLOWER & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 7-12

July 15

ALPHABET SCAVENGER HUNT & TAKE & MAKE

All ages

DRAGON EGGS & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 8-12

July 22

FINGERPAINT FUN & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-4 years

SUMMER FIREFLIES & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 5-8

SPY KIT & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 9-12

July 29

POM POM PINEAPPLE & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-4 years

BUTTON ART & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 5-12

SUMMER PINWHEEL & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 8-12

August 5

OCEAN SENSORY BAG & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-35 months

FISH PUPPETS & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 3-7

DISNEY MASON JARS & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 8-12

August 12

YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE BANNER & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-23 months

PLAYDOUGH PLAY & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 2-5

HANDPRINT SUNCATCHER & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 6-12

August 19

TORN PAPER WATERMELON & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-2 years

ISPY JARS & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 2-5

BACK-TO-SCHOOL NOTEBOOK DECORATING

X TAKE & MAKE

Ages 5-12

ORIGAMI FISH & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 9-12

August 26

FINGERPAINT FUN & TAKE & MAKE

Ages birth-3 years

CLAY DINOSAUR & TAKE & MAKE

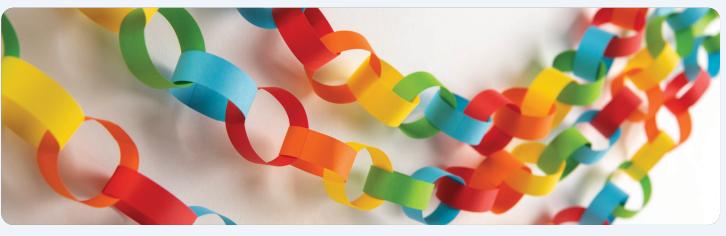
Ages 4-12

DIY CLAY PENCIL HOLDER & TAKE & MAKE

Ages 9-12

CHILDREN (UP TO AGE 12)





KINDNESS PAPER CHAIN (21) IN-PERSON

This summer, you can participate in spreading kindness by visiting the Children's Department and filling out a paper strip with a kind or friendly message. The strips will be linked together to create a chain, which will be displayed throughout the summer. Join us in making the world a kinder place, one message at a time.

Virtual Programs



SIGN, SING AND PLAY VIRTUAL

Ages birth-5 years

Thursdays, June 8 & 22, 10:00-10:30 am

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

You will receive a link to the program in your confirmation email.



LEARN TO DRAW WITH ART TEACHER AMY VIRTUAL

Ages 6-12

Monday, June 12, 5:00-6:00 pm - Eiffel Tower Monday, July 10, 5:00-6:00 pm - Sandcastle Tuesday, August 1, 5:00-6:00 pm - Simba

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

You will receive a link to the program and information on picking up the art supplies kit in your confirmation email.

TWITCH GAMING FOR KIDS VIRTUAL

Mondays, June 26, July 17, 31 & August 14, 28, 3:00-4:00 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.

Must include an adult.



BEEKIND VIRTUAL

Video and materials available starting July 1, 9:00 am

A Time for Kids, Inc. is back on the big screen in this family fun preschool program! Get ready to sing, dance and craft along together! Craft kits will be available to pick up at the library.

You will receive a link to the program video and information on picking up the craft kit in your confirmation email.



AMUSEMENT PARK VIRTUAL

Ages 1-5

Video and materials available starting August 1, 9:00 am

A Time for Kids, Inc. is back on the big screen in this family fun preschool program! Get ready to sing, dance and craft along together! Craft kits will be available to pick up at the library.

You will receive a link to the program video and information on picking up the craft kit in your confirmation email.

For School Age Children

These programs are for children unaccompanied by an adult.



SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

Ages 5-12

Saturday, June 24-Saturday, August 19

This summer, read at home for a chance to win an awesome prize! The goal of the Challenge is to keep kids reading and learning while school is out. Kids can choose to read books, magazines, comics, eBooks or listen to audiobooks-all reading counts! Raffle prizes include a Nintendo Switch Lite, tickets to the Long Island Aquarium, a FujiFilm Instax Mini camera and more! Visit our children's blog at brentwoodnylibrary.org/ departments/children/childrens-department to enter your books and earn up to 10 virtual raffle tickets! Winners will be contacted after August 20. For our younger patrons under 5, participate in our 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program this summer! See page 7 for more information.



LIBRARY BOOK SUBSCRIPTION BOX

Ages 5-12

June: All Together Now Box -

Pickup starts June 5 and ends June 10

July: Shark Box -

Pickup starts July 3 and ends July 8

August: Pizza Box -

Pickup starts August 7 and ends August 12

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.

Off-Site Programs

FAMILY GAME NI

Ages 5 & up with adult

Monday, June 5, 5:30-6:30 pm

Enjoy an evening playing board games with your family, hosted by The META: Gaming and eSports! This program will be held at Adelante.



FAMILY MAKER NIGHT - OFF-SITE • ADELANTE

Ages 5 & up with adult

Wednesday, June 14, 6:30-7:30 pm

Join us as we explore different STEAM-based activities and crafts. This program will be held at Adelante



FARMSTAND BLUEBERRY MUFFINS - OFF-SITE - ADELANTE

Ages 3 & up with adult

Friday, June 16, 6:30-7:30 pm

Chef Rob will teach you how to make his buttery blueberry muffins. Perfect for picnics, breakfast or a sweet summer treat! This program will be held at Adelante.

One registration per family.



GINGERBREAD BEACH HUT - OFF-SITE - ADELANTE

Ages 3 & up with adult

Wednesday, June 28, 6:30-7:30 pm

Create a full size beach hut house out of gingerbread! This program will be



FRIDAYS AT THE FARM → OFF-SITE

Ages 1-6 with adult

Fridays, July 7 & 21, 10:30-11:30 am

Fridays, August 4 & 25, 10:30-11:30 am

No registration is required.

Join us at Thera Farms for a morning filled with stories, songs and a simple craft. No registration is required. This program will be held at Thera Farms, weather permitting



THE ULTIMATE CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIE CLASS

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE

Ages 3 & up with adult

Friday, August 18, 6:30-7:30 pm

You've had chocolate chip cookies before, but now have Chef Rob's ultimate chocolate chip cookie! This program will be held at Adelante.

Programs for Parents/Cargivers



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CONOCIENDO NUESTRAS BEBIDAS AZUCARADAS

Para padres y cuidadores

Jueves, 15 de junio, 6:00-7:00 pm

¿Por qué nos gusta mucho el azúcar? ¿Es la azúcar buena para nuestra salud?

Aprendamos como poder evitar las calorías vacías que podemos obtener de las bebidas azucaradas y cuáles son las opciones más saludables que podemos beber. Recibirá un enlace al programa en su correo electrónico con instrucciones de inicio de sesión.

HOW TO USE BRAINFUSE, MUZZY, TUMBLEBOOKS & MORE!/¡CÓMO USAR BRAINFUSE, MUZZY, TUMBLEBOOKS Y MUCHOS MÁS! (\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{IN-PERSON}}\$) \$\text{\$\exitt{\$\text{\$\}\$}}}\text{\$\text{\$\}\$}}}\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$\te

For Parents/Caregivers

Tuesday, July 18, 6:30-8:30 pm Friday, July 28, 10:00 am-12:00 pm Monday, August 7, 10:00 am-12:00 pm Tuesday, August 22, 6:30-8:30 pm

Did you know that we have free resources that your child can use to help with homework, learn a new language, and improve their reading skills? Sign up for a 30-minute bilingual (English-Spanish) 1 to 1 training on how to navigate the Brentwood Public Library website and use these resources. This program will be held at the Brentwood Public Library.

¿Sabía que tenemos recursos gratuitos que su hijo puede usar para ayudar con la tarea, aprender un nuevo idioma y mejorar sus habilidades de lectura? Regístrese para un entrenamiento bilingüe (inglés-español) 1 A 1 de 30 minutos sobre cómo navegar por el sitio web de la Biblioteca de Brentwood y usar estos recursos. Este programa se celebrará en la Biblioteca Pública de Brentwood.











Library of Things

NEW CHILDREN'S COLLECTION: STEAM KITS!

The Brentwood Public Library now offers STEAM kits for checkout from our Library of Things! Our STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art & math) kits feature learning-based games, activities and books that are free to borrow with any valid Brentwood Public Library card. Visit our website for more information and to reserve a kit today!

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.

Take & Make Craft Kits

Craft kits will be released in the Teen Room starting at 11:00 am. You must have a teen library card to receive a kit. Kits are available on a first-come, first-served basis.











June 5

NAIL KIT & TAKE & MAKE

HEARTSTOPPER KEYCHAIN & TAKE & MAKE

JUNETEENTH WREATH & TAKE & MAKE

CANVAS PAINTING & TAKE & MAKE

K-POP SURPRISE BOXES & TAKE & MAKE

MYSTERY ANIME KEYCHAINS & TAKE & MAKE

BREAK-IN BAGS & TAKE & MAKE

July 24

ONE PIECE IRON ON BAG & TAKE & MAKE

July 31

BERRY LIP GLOSS & TAKE & MAKE

SUPERHERO DIAMOND PAINTING & TAKE & MAKE

August 14

CROCHET FROG COIN PURSE & TAKE & MAKE

MACRAME KEYCHAINS & TAKE & MAKE

August 28

BALLOON SQUISH MONSTER & TAKE & MAKE



Tuesday, June 13, 3:00-5:00 pm No registration required.

Come to the library to play a few rounds of bingo and enjoy some delicious donuts.



I STUDY IN THE TEEN R

Wednesday June 14 - Thursday June 22, 11:00 am-6:00 pm

No registration required.

Need a peaceful place to get some serious studying done? The Teen Room will be having quiet study hours to help you prepare for your exams. Enjoy snacks and stress toys while studying with friends!

TEENS (AGES 13-17)

Community Service

GAMING WITH WINGS OF EMPOWERMENT

IN-PERSON COMMUNITY SERVICE

Friday, June 2, 6:00-8:00 pm

Enjoy a night of gaming, crafting and snacks with Wings of Empowerment, a community organization that fosters our youth to be successful.

STRAW BOOKMARK WEAVING

IN-PERSON COMMUNITY SERVICE

Wednesday, June 7, 6:00-8:00 pm

Share your love of reading by making these one-of-a-kind bookmarks that will be given to library patrons!

VIRTUAL COMMUNITY SERVICE

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The following activities will be accepted for virtual community service credit:

- · Book review (1 hour)
- · Original artwork (1 hour)
- Review of an episode of the Average Brentwood Teens podcast (1 hour)

Submit the form below and come to the Teen Reference Desk to pick up your certificate!

brentwoodnylibrary.org/teen/community-service-form

June Programs



GAMING WITH MR.PO (#IN-PERSON)

Thursday, June 1, 3:00-4:30 pm Tuesday, June 6, 3:00-4:30 pm

No registration required.

Play our Switch, PS5, board games and more!



BIKINI BOTTOM DRIFT (# IN-PERSON

Friday, June 2, 3:00-5:00 pm

No registration required.

Get ready for the ultimate SpongeBob X Fast & Furious-themed remote control car race! Prove you're the fastest and win a prize!



META MONDAYS: DROP IN BOARD GAMING AND PERSON

Monday, June 5, 3:00-4:30 pm

No registration required.

Get introduced to some popular table-top games, Magic the Gathering and more! Experts from The Meta: Gaming and eSports will be there to answer any questions and teach you how to play!

ONLINE DUNGEONS & DRAGONS CLUB

UVIRTUAL VIRTUAL

Tuesdays, June 6, 20, 5:00-7:00 pm

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



LEGEND OF ZELDA: LIGHT UP SPHERES (#1N-PERSON)

Wednesday, June 7, 3:00-5:00 pm

No registration required.

Create your own mesmerizing masterpiece with this Legend of Zelda-themed craft.

PODCAST CLUB (## IN-PERSON)

Thursdays, June 8, 22, 3:00-4:30 pm

Join the Average Brentwood Teens Podcast planning and recording sessions!



DROP IN ESPORTS GAMING WITH THE META: ESPORTS AND GAMING (MIN-PERSON)

Friday, June 9, 3:00-5:00 pm

No registration required.

Stop by to play some fun esports videogames.



BEADED VSCO SUNGLASSES (# IN-PERSON

Monday, June 12, 3:00-5:00 pm

No registration required.

Create an awesome and unique summer accessory with colored sunglasses and beads.

TEENS (AGES 13-17)

Summer Programs



TEEN SUMMER READING: SUPER FIGHT EDITION

June 17 - August 19

Participate in our Teen Summer Reading Super Fight Challenge this summer and be entered for a chance to win awesome prizes! All you have to do is stop by the Teen Room and cast your vote on a who-would-win in any of our famous fandom character matchups. Be sure to tune in to our live Twitch stream on Friday, August 25 at 7:00 pm as we announce the raffle winners and award our prizes! You can vote for each matchup only once and must be convincing with your reasoning! Each time you vote, you will be entered into a raffle of your choice! Watch at twitch.tv/brenlibny

TWITCH GAMING WITH MR. PO IVITUAL

Fridays, July 7, 21 & August 4, 18, 7:00-8:00 pm **No registration required.**

Are you ready to be thoroughly entertained by Mr. Po? Prepare for your stomach to hurt from laughter as Mr. Po takes you on the wild ride of his Twitch streams! Watch at **twitch.tv/brenlibny**

ONLINE DUNGEONS & DRAGONS CLUB

VIRTUAL

Tuesdays, July 11, 25 & August 8, 22, 5:00-7:00 pm

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PODCAST CLUB (# IN-PERSON)

Thursdays, July 13, 27 & August 10, 24, 3:00-4:30 pm

Join the Average Brentwood Teens Podcast planning and recording sessions!

TEEN SUMMER READING RAFFLE STREAM VIRTUAL

Friday, August 25, 7:00-8:00 pm

No registration required.

Mr. Po will be your host for this thrilling Twitch stream as we reveal who won our Summer Super Fight matchups! We will also be picking our lucky raffle winners live on stream! Watch at **twitch.tv/brenlibny**









SUMMER CRAFT BUFFET & TAKE & MAKE RIN-PERSON

The following programs will be "buffet style" craft programs that will be available in the Teen Room. Feel free to take a to-go box and do your craft at home or do it at the library! The craft buffet will open at 11:00 am and will close when we run out of materials!

Thursday, June 29 - Tissue Paper Flowers

Thursday, July 6 - Pony Bead Animals

Tuesday, July 11 – Jujutsu Kaisen School IDs

Tuesday, July 18 - Recycled Manga Bookmarks

Thursday, July 20 - 90s Beaded Smiley Face Keychains

Tuesday, July 25 – Recycled Washer Jewelry

Tuesday, August 1 - 3D Yarn Pop-Art Canvases

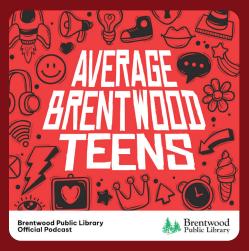
Thursday, August 3 - Sea Glass Mobiles

Tuesday, August 8 - Book Cover Canvas Painting

Tuesday, August 15 - Musical Windchimes

Thursday, August 17 - Crystal Necklaces

Tuesday, August 22 - Pom-Pom Making



AVERAGE BRENTWOOD TEENS, A PODCAST MADE FOR TEENS, BY TEENS

Tune in on your favorite podcast platform or on our website







Career & Business



CAREER AND EMPLOYMENT COUNSELING

▼ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesday, June 6, 6:00-8:00 pm

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



INSTAGRAM MARKETING: INTERACTING & ENGAGEMENT (IVIRTUAL) (**OPENITO NON-RESIDENTS)

Tuesday, June 6, 7:00-8:00pm

Instructors will review how to interact with potential consumers in order to increase engagement and sales. Presented by La Fuerza CDC.



MICROSOFT WORD PARA EL TRABAJO (PARTE 1)

■ EN LÍNEA * ABIERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Jueves, 22 de junio, 6:30-7:15 pm

Aprenda los fundamentos del procesador de textos: Aprenderá el interfaz de Microsoft Word y las Cinta de Opciones de una manera práctica.

MICROSOFT WORD PARA EL TRABAJO (PARTE 2)

EN LÍNEA * ABIERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Jueves, 29 de junio, 6:30-7:15 pm

Aprenda a crear documentos desde cero o usando plantillas. Usaremos las herramientas de copiar, cortar, pegar, insertar tablas y fotos, usar el corrector ortográfico, márgenes, establecer el idioma y más.

MICROSOFT EXCEL PARA EL TRABAJO (PARTE 1)

EN LÍNEA * ABIERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Jueves, 13 de julio, 6:30-7:15 pm

Conozca el interfaz de Excel. ¿Qué son celdas, filas y columnas, cómo crear tablas y aplicar formatos a los números en las celdas, cómo usar Excel como calculadora? y más.

YOUR CREDIT SCORE: HOW TO IMPROVE IT IN A SAFE AND EFFECTIVE WAY (IVITUAL) (* OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS)

Tuesday, July 18, 7:00-7:45 pm

Learn how the credit system works, whether your credit report needs a tune-up, and how to avoid pitfalls that can lead to bad credit in this workshop presented by Long Island Federal.

MICROSOFT EXCEL PARA EL TRABAJO (PARTE 2)

EN LÍNEA * ABIERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Jueves, 20 de julio, 6:30-7:15 pm

Aprenda a crear hojas de cálculo para ayudarle a organizar los datos. Puede crear un libro desde un libro en blanco o una plantilla.

COMO MEJORAR TU CREDITO DE MANERA SEGURA Y EFECTIVA PENLÍNEA **ABIERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Martes, 1 de agosto, 7:00-7:45 pm

¿Quieres entender cómo funciona el sistema de crédito? ¿Tu informe de crédito necesita un pequeño ajuste? Este taller brindará estrategias para mejorar su crédito, cómo evitar trampas que pueden conducir a un mal crédito y descubrir la verdad detrás de algunos mitos crediticios comunes. Presentado por Long Island Federal.



OPTIONS TO SAVE MONEY VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesday, August 15, 7:00-7:45 pm

Learn ways to consolidate and eliminate debt and maximize your finances.

OPCIONES PARA AHORRAR DINERO

■ EN LÍNEA * ABJERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Martes, 29 de agosto, 7:00-7:45 pm

Aprenda formas de consolidar y eliminar deudas, maximizar sus finanzas, comprender el concepto de inversión y las opciones disponibles.

TEST-PROCTORING SERVICES

★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

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.



BUSINESS COUNSELING AND IN-PERSON

Second Monday of the month, 10:00 am-3:00 pm

A Stony Brook Small Business Development Center (SBDC) counselor will be available to provide assistance with organizational, financial, marketing, and technical issues as needed. The counselor will be available for a 60 minute consulting appointment.

CONSEJERÍA-ASESORÍA DE NEGOCIOS REN PERSONA

Segundo lunes de cada mes, 10:00 am-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.

Learning Center



LEARN ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Intensive weekly ESL classes will be provided over a 13 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

Clases intensivas de ESL impartidas durante un semestre de 13 semanas están 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.



CONVERSATION SKILLS FOR ENGLISH LEARNERS TITLE VIRTUAL

Thursdays, June 1, 8, 15, 22, July 6, 13, 20, 27, & August 3, 10, 17, 24, 11:00 am-12:30 pm

Practice your English conversation and improve your vocabulary and grammar. Join us via Zoom.



BETTER ENGLISH AT WORK VIRTUAL

Thursdays, June 8, 15, 22, 29, July 27 & August 10, 17, 24, 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 via Zoom.

BASIC EDUCATION IN SPANISH

This program is for Spanish-speaking adults who want to learn how to read, write and do math in their own language.

For more information, call 631-273-7883, extension 132.

EDUCACIÓN BÁSICA EN ESPAÑOL

¿Sabía que la Biblioteca Pública de Brentwood ofrece clases de Educación Básica en Español para adultos de habla hispana con ganas de aprender a escribir y leer en su propio idioma? El programa incluye escritura, lectura y matemática básica.

Para mayor información llame al 631-273-7883, extención 132.

Professional & Personal Development

ONLINE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES **EVIRTUAL**

Tuesday, June 13, 6:30-7:15pm

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.

This program is limited to Brentwood Public Library cardholders.



APPS TO LEARN A NEW LANGUAGE VIRTUAL

Tuesday, July 11, 6:30-7:15pm

Discover the applications to study other languages for free that are offered by the Brentwood Public Library. You will learn how to create an account and use these tools from your cell phone or computer. Requirement: Must have a Brentwood Public Library card and an email address.

This program is limited to Brentwood Public Library cardholders.



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 their 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.

Reading Groups/Clubs de Lectura



SONG OF ACHILLES BY MADELINE MILLER

★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

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

The exiled prince Patroclus narrates this retelling of *The Iliad*, featuring an epic love story, Greek gods, heroes and the Trojan War.

THE LYING LIFE OF ADULTS BY ELENA FERRANTE

▼ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, July 6, 7:00-8:30 pm

Giovanna, growing up in 1990's Naples, relates her coming of age story. By the best-selling author of *My Brilliant Friend*.

THE ART FORGER BY BARBARA SHAPIRO

■ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

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

Explore the art world in this thriller involving a struggling artist who copies famous works. Based on a real-life robbery of fine art.

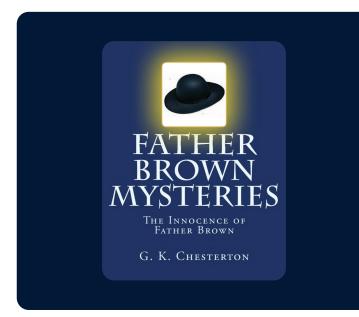


SPANISH BOOK DISCUSSION/CHARLA DE LIBROS: *LA AMANTE DE GARDEL* POR MAYRA SANTOS-FEBRES

▼ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Sabado, 29 de julio, 1:30-3:00 pm

Inspirándose en la visita del famoso cantante argentino Carlos Gardel a Puerto Rico, la autora Mayra Santos Febres nos embarca en un viaje imaginario por el Puerto Rico de los años treinta. Micaela, la amante de Gardel que narra la historia, es una joven y pobre estudiante de enfermería que se encuentra en la intersección entre sus orígenes y su destino. Acompáñenos a explorar los cautivadores temas de amor, cultura e identidad de la novela. Llame o regístrese en línea.



FRIENDLY ENGLISH BOOK CLUB

■ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

We welcome all English learners to join us in reading and discussing short stories from Father Brown Mysteries: The Innocence of Father Brown by G. K. Chesterton. Helpful materials and information on how to join the discussions will be e-mailed to you upon registration. The book is available for check-out at the Circulation Desk.

"THE HONOUR OF ISRAEL GOW" BY G. K. CHESTERTON WIRTUAL COPENTO NON-RESIDENTS

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

Father Brown and his friend, Private Detective Flambeau, come to Glengyle Castle to help police investigate the death of the Earl of Glengyle.

"THE WRONG SHAPE" BY G. K. CHESTERTON

■ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Saturday, July 22, 1:30-3:00 pm

Leonard Quinton, a renowned poet, left a note: "I die by my own hand; yet I die murdered!" Father Brown and his friend Flambeau investigate the poet's mysterious death.





ADULT SUMMER READING CLUB

Sign up for our reading club with your Brentwood Library card. Read books and/or listen to audiobooks and log them in for a chance to win a prize! Limited to cardholders 18 or older.

Adult Takeouts

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

RAINBOW EARRINGS KIT &TAKE & MAKE

June 1-30, while supplies last

Make a pair of delicate, colorful earrings with this kit.

ENGRAVE YOUR OWN SPATULA KIT & TAKE & MAKE

June 1-30, while supplies last

Get ready for Father's Day by engraving a personalized BBQ spatula. Patrons will provide the word(s) to be engraved on it when registering. Finished spatulas will be available for pickup June 1st.

CUSTOM HEAT PRESS GARDEN APRON KIT

X TAKE & MAKE

July 1-31, while supplies last

Customize your own garden apron. When registering, insert the word you want on it. The apron will also have the Brentwood Public Library Seed Library logo on it!

PAINT YOUR GARDEN STATUE KIT & TAKE & MAKE

August 1-31, while supplies last

Decorate your garden with your own 3D printed statue.

Driving



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

DEFENSIVE DRIVING → OFF-SITE • PRONTO * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Saturdays, June 10, July 15 or August 19, 9:30-3:30 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

EN PERSONA * ABIERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Sábados, 3 de junio, 22 de julio o 5 de agosto, 9:30 am-3:30 pm *Debe llegar a las 9:15 am (Las fechas del 22 de julio y 5 de agosto se cancelan)

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.

CURSO DE PRELICENCIA DE 5 HORAS (EN ESPAÑOL) PENLÍNEA * ABIERTA A NO RESIDENTES

Viernes, 9 de junio, 14 de julio o 11 de agosto, 3:00-8:00 pm

La pre-licencia, también conocido como "el curso de 5 horas," es un curso 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. Recibirá una llamada de Precision Driving School con instrucciones sobre el pago y el permiso.

5 HOUR PRE-LICENSING COURSE (ENGLISH)

■ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Fridays, June 23, July 28 or August 25, 3:00-8:00 pm

This DMV-certified course provides new drivers with information and tools to help them drive safely. All new drivers must complete it before they can schedule their road test for their driver license. The fee is \$40. You will receive a call from Precision Driving School with further instructions regarding payment and permit.

Cooking Classes

COOKING WITH CHEF ROB: SNICKERDOODLE

Friday, June 16, 1:00-2:30 pm

Create these cookie-inspired muffins that are moist, fluffy, and sprinkled with a sweet cinnamon sugar topping. Please bring two mini muffin pans, a large bowl, a whisk, and a rubber spatula.

JUEVES DE FIESTA: PICADITAS

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, June 29, 6:30-7:30 pm

Learn how to make a Mexican traditional breakfast for dinner

JUEVES DE FIESTA: MEXICAN CHEESE QUESADILLAS

Thursday, July 27, 6:30-7:30 pm

Learn how to make authentic Mexican guesadillas! Please bring a rolling pin or a glass bottle.



COOKING WITH CHEF ROB:

FARM TO TABLE CORN & ZUCCHINI FRITTERS → OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Friday, August 18, 1:00-2:30 pm

Let's make use of our summer veggies to create this savory snack. Enjoy them as an appetizer, side dish or even breakfast!

JUEVES DE FIESTA: CARNE ASADA

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, August 31, 6:30-7:30 pm

No summer is complete without a great carne asada (BBQ).

Health & Wellness



CHAIR YOGA → OFF-SITE • ADELANTE | ★ HYBRID | ★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Wednesdays, June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 12, 19, 26 & August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 2:00-3:00 pm

VIRTUAL ONLY-Wednesday, July 5, 2:00-3:00 pm VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

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.

ZUMBA WITH CINDY! VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Mondays, June 5, 12, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 & August 7, 14, 21, 10:00-11:00 am

Join instructor Cindy as she teaches this Latin-inspired dance fitness class. Great for all fitness levels! The Zoom link will be provided in the reminder email.

COFFEE WITH A LIBRARIAN

Thursday, June 8, 1:00-2:30 pm

→ HYBRID Thursday, August 10, 1:00-2:30 pm VIRTUAL

Chat with Librarian Julia and other friendly patrons via Zoom.



MINDFUL MONDAYS VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Mondays, June 12, 26, July 10, 24 & August 14, 28, 12:00-1:00 pm

Hildur Palsdottir leads us in meditation using the contemplation of the natural world as a guide to finding peace. The Zoom link will be provided in the reminder email.





Library of Things

Whether you want to keep track of your health or need to monitor your blood pressure regularly, simply check out the blood pressure monitor from the Library of Things and take it home. It's easy and convenient with your Brentwood library card.



Scan to explore the **Library of Things**

Makerspace & Crafts

HOOK & NEEDLE CLUB:

KNITTED CORNER-TO-CORNER DISHCLOTHS

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Friday, June 9, 23, 2:00-4:00 pm

Create these adorable dishcloths for your kitchen! You will need one ball of cotton yarn and size 7 knitting needles.



LASER CUT BIRDHOUSE VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, June 15, 6:30-8:00 pm

Technology instructor Jonathon Greene leads students in assembling their own pre-cut birdhouses made with the Library's laser cutter. Participants will receive their birdhouse in advance of the program.

CITRUS COASTERS - OFF-SITE - ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Wednesday, June 21, 7:00-8:00 pm

Sew your own citrus-themed coasters!

HOME TELEVISION TUTORIAL

1 IN-PERSON * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, July 6, 6:30-8:00 pm

Learn the ins and outs of home televisions from technology instructor Jonathon Greene. He'll cover the history of television technology as well as how TVs have changed in the present day.

HOOK & NEEDLE CLUB: CROCHET DISHTOWELS

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Fridays, July 7, 14, 21, 2:00-4:00 pm

Learn how to crochet lovely dishtowels. You will need a dishtowel, a skein of yarn, a 1-inch button and a size H hook.

KOREAN FOLK ART PEONY WORKSHOP

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Monday, July 10, 2:00-3:00 pm

New York City-based artist, Stephanie S. Lee, will share her cultural heritage and teach Korean folk painting (minhwa), a style known for its bright colors, humor, and auspicious virtues.

HOOK & NEEDLE CLUB: KNITTED AUTUMN SHAWL

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Fridays, August 4, 11, 25, 2:00-4:00 pm

Use the techniques learned from the corner-to-corner dishcloths program to make a beautiful shawl. You will need two skeins of worsted yarn and size 7 circular knitting needles.



INTRO TO SMART HOMES WITH JONATHON

★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, August 10, 6:30-8:00 pm

Join technology instructor Jonathon Greene for an introduction into smart home devices, starting with light bulbs. Participants will receive 1 smart light bulb before the class. A smartphone or tablet will be required.





NEW TO THE MAKERSPACE: Laser engraving machine



The Makerspace laser engraving machine is available for use by patrons of the library. To utilize the laser engraver services, patrons must first schedule a consultation appointment through the makerspace appointment request form. It is important to note that patrons must provide their own materials to be used in the machine.

Visit our website for more information and to schedule an appointment at the Makerspace.



brentwoodnylibrary.org/makerspace

Community Assistance



COMMUNITY LEGAL HELP

♠ IN-PERSON ★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesdays, 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)

★ IN-PERSON ★ OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Wednesdays, June 14, July 12 & August 9, 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

Every Tuesday and Thursday, 9:00 am-4:00 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.

Fandoms at the Library



TRUE CRIME CLUB

Mondays, June 26, July 10, 24, 7:00-8:00 pm

→ OFF-SITE • ADELANTE * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Mondays, August 14, 28, 7:00-8:00 pm VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

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



VIRTUAL REALITY ONE-ON-ONE

Make an appointment through our Makerspace request form to try out our new virtual reality gaming setup!





Library of Things

Whether you're a casual player or a serious strategist, our collection of board games and card games has something for everyone. Check out the fun today with your Brentwood library card!



Scan to explore the Library of Things

Nature & Gardening



SMALL SPACE GARDENING VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, June 1, 7:00-8:00 pm

Regina Dlugokencky will teach you about the benefits of vertical gardening and what can and cannot be successfully grown in containers.



15 WAYS TO START SAVING MONEY IN THE GARDEN RIGHT NOW (#VIRTUAL) (**OPENTO NON-RESIDENTS)

Wednesday, July 5, 7:00-8:00 pm

Jessica Damiano, the Gardening Coach, will share tips that will help you achieve a beautiful and productive garden without breaking the bank.



NATURE READS VIRTUAL *OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Tuesday, July 11, 7:00-8:00 pm

Join Librarian Rosa to discuss the July and August chapters of Doug Tallamy's book *The Nature of Oaks*.

Local History



MAKE YOUR OWN HISTORIC MAP

■ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, July 27, 3:00-4:00 pm

Learn how to make your own digital map using some of the rare ones from the library archives as inspiration. Also find out about Story Maps and where you can locate them online.

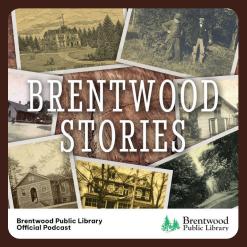


A VIRTUAL REALITY HISTORY TOUR

■ VIRTUAL * OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS

Thursday, August 24, 3:00-4:00 pm

Learn how landmarks are being saved using virtual reality and other new technologies.



EXPLORE THE RICH HISTORY OF BRENTWOOD THROUGH THE BRENTWOOD STORIES PODCAST

Tune in on your favorite podcast platform or on our website







Genealogy



EXPLORING SUFFOLK COUNTY LANDMARKS & LAND RECORDS (EXPIRITUAL) (**3 OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS)

Friday, August 4, 3:00-4:00 pm

Discover how you can now access historic deeds and landmark inventories online... and the fascinating information some of these records contain!

One-on-One Instruction

ONE-ON-ONE GENEALOGY HELP

Schedule a session with a librarian for assistance researching your family history.

ONE-ON-ONE DIGITIZATION ASSISTANCE

Thursdays, June, July, August, 1:00-4:00 pm (Or make an appointment)

Visit the Archive Room to get help digitizing documents and photos and to learn how to use the library's scanners.

MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

Call us at (631) 273-7883, ext. 120 to schedule one of the following programs for an individual or small group!

- · History Room & Archive Tour
- · Make Your Own Map
- Virtual Reality Tour
- · Recording Oral History

Gallery & Display



JUNE GALLERY

Come see the history of the Puerto Rican/Hispanic Day Parade which has proudly celebrated Latin American culture on Long Island.



JUNE DISPLAY

Come see Librarian Nicholas Saturno's watch and tie collection. Watches date back 30 years featuring James Bond, Swatch, Ferrari, and more. The tie collection spotlights ties from the Grateful Dead era, including Jerry Garcia designs.



JULY & AUGUST GALLERY AND DISPLAY

Visit our display cases to learn about the past, present, and future of board games. Rare historic games will be showcased, as well as classic ones 3D printed from our Makerspace.



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Visit our website, brentwoodnylibrary.org, and hover over the "Programs & Events" drop-down menu.

Select "Programs at the library" for a complete list of our in-person programs.

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.

Children's programs are available to Brentwood Public Library cardholders, ages 12 and under. Your place in a program is held for ten minutes. Please let us know in advance if you will need any special accommodations because of a disability.

Teen programs are available to Brentwood Public Library cardholders, ages 13-17. Your place in a program is held for ten minutes. Please let us know in advance if you will need any special accommodations because of a disability.

Adult programs are available to Brentwood Public Library cardholders, ages 18 and older.

Library Hours

Hours of Operation:

Monday-Friday 9:00 am-9:00 pm Saturday 9:00 am-5:00 pm Sunday Closed

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