

ADULT PROGRAMS

- Advance registration is required for all programs unless otherwise noted.
 - Registration begins **Saturday, October 28 in-person at 9am for DEER PARK CARDHOLDERS ONLY. Please note that online and phone registration begins at 12pm.**
 - **ONE registration per valid, unexpired cardholder per program.** Please have your library card number and email address ready! If you are unsure of your library card's expiration date, please check with our Circulation Desk **prior to registration.**
- **You may only register ONE other person per program** and you **MUST** have their Deer Park library card number or you will be unable to register them.
 - Registration for out of district cardholders begins on **Wednesday, November 1.**
 - For classes requiring a fee, you must pay by credit card when registering online, or by cash or check when registering in person. Please note we do not accept bills larger than \$20. All fees are non-transferable and non-refundable.

A MESSAGE TO OUR
COMMUNITY

UNDER
CONSTRUCTION

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE:

As we prepare this newsletter, our construction timetable is being finalized. Work to replace the HVAC system and roof will likely begin in late October. Much of the first floor will be unavailable to the public, and we anticipate that the entire library will be closed for at least a week at some point.

In an effort to alleviate any inconvenience, we will process requests for books and media and make them available for curbside pickup. **Patrons can register and receive “grab & go” program kits, and we have many virtual programs scheduled as well.**

While we are under construction, patrons are encouraged to visit libraries in nearby communities like North Babylon, Half Hollow Hills, Brentwood, and West Islip to borrow items and utilize services. Please be aware that other libraries may have different policies for out of district patrons, which you will be expected to follow. We strongly suggest you contact these libraries for their hours, policies, and procedures prior to visiting them.

Repairs are expected to be completed by January. We appreciate your support and patience while we undertake these much-needed improvements to our Library.

THURSDAY MOVIE
MATINEE @ 1PM

Adults only. No need to register. Patrons are seated on a first come, first served basis.

You Hurt My Feelings

November 2

Starring: Julia Louis-Dreyfus, Tobias Menzies, and Michaela Watkins

R, 1 hour and 33 minutes, Comedy/Drama

CHEF ROB: HOLIDAY COCOA OATMEAL COOKIES (GRAB N GO) (DPA430)

Bake a couple dozen delicious Holiday Cocoa Oatmeal Cookies with this grab and go kit from Chef Rob Scott. **Kit must be picked up no later than Sunday, November 5!**

PAINT NIGHT: THANKFUL PUMPKINS (DPA342)

Thursday, November 2 6:45-8:15pm

Join Kathy Reccardi as she demonstrates how to paint this pair of pumpkins filled with grace and blessings. **Non-refundable/non-transferable program fee of \$5 due at registration.**



TRIVIA CHALLENGE: HUNGER GAMES — VIRTUAL (DPA423)

Thursday, November 2

Play a fun game of Hunger Games-themed trivia! Questions will be emailed on November 2, and you'll have until 9pm to play. Everyone who plays will be eligible to win a \$25 Amazon gift card, regardless of score. Adult Deer Park cardholders only. **Registration closes at 5pm on Wednesday, November 1.**

EXPLORING MEDITATION — VIRTUAL (DPA420)

Thursdays, November 2 & 9 7-8pm via Zoom

Learn about and experience different meditation techniques to find the one that is right for you and set this time aside to start or deepen your meditation practice! We will explore what meditation is and what it is not, benefits, possible obstacles and how we can make it easier. This very experiential course is for beginning and experienced meditators. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**



QUILTING WORKSHOP

Saturday, November 4 10am-12pm

Professional, expert quilters will assist novice and experienced quilters in a group setting. Please bring your own sewing machine and supplies and have some 'colorful' fun. New patterns and projects are available each month. **No registration necessary.**

MONDAY YOGA — VIRTUAL (DPA424)

Mondays, November 6, 13, 20 & 27 and December 4, 11 & 18 5:45pm via Zoom

In this live Zoom class, appropriate for all body types and levels of practice, instructor Evelyn Regan leads a yoga routine to strengthen the body and relax the mind. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**

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LIBRARY INFORMATION

Web: www.deerparklibrary.org
Phone: (631) 586-3000
Email: mail@deerparklibrary.org
 facebook.com/deerparklibrary
 instagram.com/deerparklibrary

Library Hours

Monday-Thursday 9am-9pm
Friday 9am-6pm
Saturday 9am-5pm
Sunday 12pm-4pm

Library Board of Trustees

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Library Board of Trustees Meetings:

November 15 & December 13 at 7pm unless room closed for construction
Meetings are open to the public

Holiday Hours:

- **Saturday, November 11**
Closed for Veteran's Day
- **Wednesday, November 22**
Open 9am-5pm
- **Thursday, November 23**
Closed for Thanksgiving
- **Sunday, December 24**
Closed for Christmas Eve
- **Monday, December 25**
Closed for Christmas
- **Sunday, December 31**
Closed for New Year's Eve
- **Monday, January 1**
Closed for New Year's Day

ADULT PROGRAMS



PROGRAM KITS WILL BE AVAILABLE STARTING OCTOBER 28. ALL KITS MUST BE PICKED UP BY SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5 DUE TO IMPENDING CONSTRUCTION.



BREATHE TOGETHER: A 20 MINUTE WEEKLY SESSION — VIRTUAL (DPA425)

Tuesdays, November 7, 14, 21 & 28 and December 5, 12, 19 & 26
10am via Zoom

Experience stillness and deep breathing to foster a calm well-being with Charyl Ozkaya of Inner Healing Arts. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**

STARTING A BUSINESS ON A SMALL BUDGET — VIRTUAL (DPA426)

Wednesday, November 8
7-8:30pm via Zoom

Thinking about starting a new business? A volunteer from SCORE will discuss basics like legal entity structures, paying taxes, keeping financial records, insurance, business plan introduction, marketing basics, and financing a business. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**



FRIENDSHIP PLATE — VIRTUAL (DPA343)

Friday, November 10

Shirley Ruby instructs how to paint this charming Friendship Plate that will travel in your circle of friends and family for years to come. **Registration required to receive tutorial class link. Non-refundable/non-transferable program fee of \$5 due at registration. Kit must be picked up no later than Sunday, November 5!**



MEDICARE BASICS — VIRTUAL (DPA427)

Tuesday, November 14
7-8pm

Understand Medicare with confidence when you attend this

educational seminar about Medicare basics, important terminology, enrollment periods, plan types, and cost assistance. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**

OPTIMIZING YOUR LINKEDIN PROFILE — VIRTUAL (DPA428)

Wednesday, November 15
7-8pm



Pat Fierro, a senior leader with over 11 years of human resources experience, will demonstrate how to optimize your LinkedIn profile to get the job you want and effectively develop your career! Learn how recruiters use LinkedIn as a backend sourcing tool to find passive candidates, and how to design your LinkedIn profile to attract more recruiters and jobs that you are interested in. Pat will also show you how to leverage your LinkedIn profile as a tool that will continue to grow your professional network and career. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**



PAPER FLOWERS: FERRARO ROCHE BOUQUET — VIRTUAL (DPA344)

Monday, November 27
7-8:30pm

Casey Cunningham of Art & Flowers Custom Design demonstrates how to create a lovely bouquet of flowers from Ferraro Roche chocolates and crepe paper. **Registration**

required to receive Zoom link. Non-refundable/non-transferable program fee of \$5 due at registration. Kit must be picked up no later than Sunday, November 5!



HOLIDAY STRESS RELIEF — VIRTUAL (DPA345)

Tuesday, November 28
7-8:30pm

Home Economist and Essential Oils Educator Janice Imbrogno will discuss aroma therapy and breathing techniques as well as

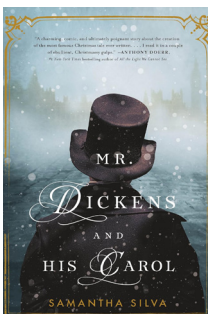
practical ways to keep you calm, organized, and feeling in control during the holiday season. Participants will receive kits to make an aroma therapy essential oil roller with grapefruit, Stress-Away and orange essential oils, and coconut oil. **Registration required to receive Zoom link. Non-refundable/non-transferable program fee of \$5 due at registration. Kit must be picked up no later than Sunday, November 5!**



CARING FOR SOMEONE WITH ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE — VIRTUAL (DPA429)

Thursday, November 30
7-8:30pm

This session for families and those who are caring for persons with dementia or Alzheimer's disease will allow them to explore what it is like to be in the body and mind of someone with dementia. Focus will be on teaching caregivers about the importance of taking care of themselves as well, an often-overlooked aspect of caretaking. Learn about supportive resources like respite, support groups, joint enrichment programs for caregivers and their care partners, and more. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**



BOOK DISCUSSION: MR. DICKENS AND HIS CAROL BY SAMANTHA SILVA

Monday, December 4
7-8:30pm

Patrons who wish to join this book discussion can call or see Reference to register and order a copy of the book.

SENIOR SCAMS — VIRTUAL (DPA431)

Tuesday, December 5
7-8pm

A representative from Senior Services of North America will educate on knowing the danger signs of being scammed. Many seniors become prey to scams because of their vulnerability. The different types of scams that seniors are prone to will be discussed. **Registration required to receive Zoom link.**



TRIVIA CHALLENGE: ELF — VIRTUAL (DPA432)

Thursday, December 7

Play a fun game of ELF-themed trivia! Questions will be emailed on December 7, and you'll have until 9pm to play. Everyone who plays will be eligible to win a \$25 Amazon gift card, regardless of score. Adult Deer Park cardholders only. **Registration closes at 5pm on Wednesday, December 6.**



MEDICARE COUNSELING ONE-ON-ONE — VIRTUAL

Friday, December 15
10am-1pm

Questions about Medicare or Medicare-related health insurance? A volunteer with the Health Information, Counseling and Assistance Program (HICAP) will be available by phone appointment to meet with any senior needing help with Medicare health insurance forms or procedures. Please have all pertinent paperwork ready for your appointment. **Appointments may be made by calling the Reference Desk at (631) 586-3000.**



THE ADULT WINTER READING CLUB

December 18 - February 19

Read and review books for your chance to win an Amazon Fire Max 11 Tablet! Starting December 18, you can sign up and submit reviews either in person or online via a link at deerparklibrary.org. **Registrants can pick up their signup prize - a \$5 Amazon gift card - at the Reference Desk while supplies last. Exclusively for Deer Park Public Library patrons aged 18 and over.**

Let us know which programs you'd like us to offer in the future!

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

CHILD'S CURRENT, UNEXPIRED DEER PARK PUBLIC LIBRARY CARD REQUIRED FOR ALL REGISTRATIONS.

Follow these simple steps to register your child and yourself for a program:

- Head to our Children's Page at <https://deerparklibrary.org/departments/childrens-room/>
- Click on Register for Programs.
- Find the program you want by searching for its name or program code (dpj###).
- Make sure to use your child's library card and include your child's age/grade in the note field for each program.

In-person registration begins at 9am. Telephone and online registration begin at 10am. Please have your child's Deer Park Library Card barcode number ready when you call. Please call with any questions.

Want the latest Children's Programming News?

Visit <https://deerparklibrary.org/childrens-room-updates/> Click on the "Latest News" icon to enter your email and get started! *Don't forget to click the box that says Children's Programming when signing up.*

***** PLEASE ADHERE TO ALL POSTED AGE/GRADE REQUIREMENTS OR REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE VALID *****

PLEASE NOTE: Due to programming, the Children's Room will:
OPEN at 12:00pm on Wednesday, December 6

CRAFT-TO-GO

All Ages. One per child. While Supplies Last. Child's Deer Park Public Library Card required for registration.

AVAILABLE:

Monday – Thursday, 9:30am-8:30pm OR
Friday-Saturday, 9:30am-4:30pm OR
Sunday, 12:30-3:30pm



HARVEST DIY PAINT KIT
Sunday, November 12 –
Saturday, November 18



**SNOWMAN SLED
HANDPRINT SIGN**
Sunday, December 17 –
Saturday, December 23

**Registration begins for the following
programs on 11/1:**



TODDLER PLAYTIME (DPJ006)

18 – 35 months with an adult

Siblings are welcome but must also register.
Tuesdays, November 14, 21, 28, December 5,
12; 10:00-11:15am.

Free play and craft activity followed by a fun circle time.

PHOTO FRAME FUN (DPJ014)

4 years – grade K

Tuesday, November 21; 4:30-5:30pm

Themed storytime fun featuring books, activities, and a photo frame craft.

(Separation Program- Parents are expected to remain in the building.)

**Registration begins for the following program
on 11/15:**

GINGERBREAD HOUSES TO GO (DPJ103)

3 years – grade 6

ONE KIT PER FAMILY

Pickup Friday, December 1; 1:00-5:30pm OR
Saturday, December 2; 10:00am-4:30pm OR
Sunday, December 3; 12:30-3:30pm

Gather the family and get in the holiday spirit by decorating a gingerbread house using royal icing and candies. Gingerbread Houses are freshly baked by Fanny Cakes Bakery in Nesconset. (Food served may not be appropriate for those with food restrictions.) *To ensure freshness, please pick up your gingerbread house by Sunday, 3:30pm. If any houses remain after Sunday, the next person on the waitlist will be called and your spot will be forfeited.

**Registration begins for the following
programs on 11/20:**

LONG ISLAND CHESS NUTS (DPJ218)

Grades 1-5

Fridays; December 1, 8, 15; 4:30-5:30pm

Learn how to play chess at this three-week workshop. After learning basic and advanced strategies, team up to play with friends.

LEGO MAKE AND TAKE (DPJ201)

Grades 1-6

CHOOSE Tuesday, December 5 OR

Wednesday, December 6; 4:30-5:15pm

Create and KEEP your surprise creation.



MATT THE MUSIC MAN (DPJ109)

Birth – 5 years (not in K) with an adult

Wednesday, December 6; 10:00-10:45am

A one-of-a-kind, interactive, live children's music show filled with guitar accompanied sing-a-longs, puppets, and loads of fun and silliness! This program will be held in the Children's Room.

**Registration begins for the following
programs on 11/30:**

ART TEACHER AMY: "LEARN TO DRAW KAWAII" (DPJ222)

Grades 1-5

Thursday, December 14; 4:30-5:30pm

Join Art Teacher Amy to learn this popular drawing style step by step.

STORYTIME YOGA (DPJ020)

2-5 years with an adult

Saturday, December 16; CHOOSE

10:00-10:45am OR 11:00-11:45am

We will bend, stretch, sing, laugh and READ! Bring favorite characters to life with yoga poses. Wear comfortable clothes and bring your own towel.

PHOTO FRAME FUN (DPJ014)

4 years – grade K

Wednesday, December 20; 4:30-5:30pm

Themed storytime fun featuring books, activities, and a photo frame craft.

(Separation Program- Parents are expected to remain in the building.)

**Registration begins for the following Winter
Recess programs on 12/13:**

CREATIVE CANDLES (DPJ230)

Grades K-5

Wednesday, December 27; CHOOSE

10:00-10:45am OR 11:00-11:45am

Easy, fun, safe! Just like sand art, you scoop and layer different colors of scented wax into a pre-wicked candle glass. No two candles come out alike. (Not appropriate for those with fragrance allergies.)

Registration 12/13 continued:

WINTER WONDERLAND CUPCAKES (DPJ213)

Grades K-5

Friday, December 29; CHOOSE 2:30-3:15pm
OR 4:00-4:45pm

Join Chef Rob Scott to build your bears' winter playland with simple frosting techniques and imaginative decorations. (Food served may not be appropriate for those with food restrictions.)

FALL FUN AT THE DPPPL



LEGO MAKE AND TAKE



TINY MOVERS

YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

In-person registration begins on **Saturday, October 28 at 10am.**

Telephone and online registration will begin at 12pm.

- Young Adult programs are for Deer Park patrons in grades 6-12.
- Registrants must have their own valid, unexpired Deer Park library card. If you're unsure of your library card's expiration date, please check with our Circulation Desk **prior to registration.**
- **Please make sure you have an email address associated with your library card. That is how you will receive Zoom links for programs.**
- **Kits will be available starting October 28. Kits MUST be picked up by Sunday, November 5 due to impending construction.**

NEED MORE COMMUNITY SERVICE?

These are passive options for community service that teens can do at their own pace.

BOOK REVIEWS

Just read a recently published YA book that you love? Write a review on it and earn 3 hours of community service! Scan the QR code below to see the full guidelines or email teenservices@deerparklibrary.org to receive a copy. Reviews must follow guidelines to receive credit.



SERIES REVIEWS

Obsessed with a show? Write a review on it and earn 3 hours of community service! Scan the QR code below to see the full guidelines or email teenservices@deerparklibrary.org to receive a copy. Reviews must follow guidelines to receive credit.



COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS

Kits MUST be picked up by Sunday, November 5 due to impending construction.

Kits MUST be returned to earn community service credit. You can either return the kit to the library on or after January 2, 2024 for credit or keep the kit for yourself but earn no credit.

If you need immediate community service, please look at our passive community service options.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: WINTER DIORAMA — TAKE HOME (DPY614) Saturday, October 28

Make a winter themed diorama for donation!

Kit MUST be picked up by Sunday, November 5 due to impending construction. Possibly earn one hour of community service credit. Diorama must be returned to the library on or after January 2 to earn credit. Certificate will be emailed after the diorama is returned to the library.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: DIY HANDWARMERS — TAKE HOME (DPY612)

Tuesday, December 5

Make a handwarmer for yourself and a homebound patron! Instructional video will be emailed to registrants.

Kit MUST be picked up by Sunday, November 5 due to impending construction. Possibly earn one hour of community service credit. A single handwarmer must be returned to the library on or after January 2 to earn credit. Certificate will be emailed after a handwarmer is returned to the library.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: WINTER POP-UP CARDS — VIRTUAL (DPY613) Wednesday, December 13

6:30-8pm

Make a winter pop-up card for donation with Chris Vivas! Teens will need their own scissors, glue, and pencils. This is a virtual program. Zoom link will be emailed to registrants.

Kit MUST be picked up by Sunday, November 5 due to impending construction. Possibly earn one hour of community service credit. Cards must be returned to the library on or after January 2 to earn credit. Certificate will be emailed after the card is returned to the library.



FUN STUFF: YA CALLIGRAPHY (VIRTUAL) (DPY681)

Thursdays, November 30 and December 7 7-8pm

Join Bella Rabin on Zoom as she teaches you how to do

calligraphy! **Kit MUST be picked up by Sunday, November 5 due to impending construction.**



FUN STUFF: CHOCOLATE BARK (TAKE AND MAKE) (DPY680)

Monday, December 11

Pick up a kit and follow along with our instructional video to make your own chocolate bark! Video will be emailed to patrons. **Kit MUST be picked up by Sunday, November 5 due to impending construction.** (Food in kit may not be appropriate for those with food restrictions.)

