



# LEVITTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Growing with Our Community

## Events for May and June 2019

### Adult Programs

*Adult Programs (ages 18+) requiring registration or tickets will list a start date for Levittown School District residents, non-resident availability will start one week after, unless otherwise stated. Programs may be altered due to unforeseen circumstances.*

*Registered participants should be present when a program is scheduled to begin, a latecomer's place may be forfeited.*

### Levittown Public Library Budget Vote and Election

The 2019 Levittown Public Library budget vote and election of Library Trustee will be held on Tuesday, May 21, 2019 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and will take place in the Levittown Public Schools along with the school budget vote and elections. The library proposed budget and annual report will be mailed to LUFSD resident's homes and will also be available in the library and on the website in English and Spanish.

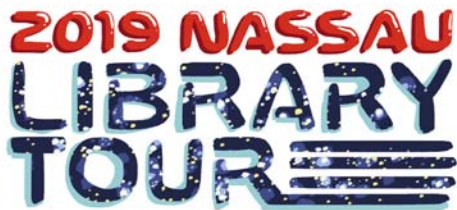
### Library Board Meetings

The Board of Trustees meetings are open to the public. The agenda includes a Period for Public Expression. The next meeting dates are Wednesdays, May 1 and June 5 at 8:00 p.m.

### Foundation Craft & Gift Fair Saturday, May 11 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



Visit the vendors in Veterans Memorial Park for unique gifts and handmade crafts to support the Levittown Library Foundation. In the event of inclement weather, the fair will be inside the library.



Join the 2019 Nassau Library Tour! Road trip to as many of Nassau's public libraries as you can during July and August. Each one is your gateway into a new community—visit the library, then explore the attractions, restaurants, and parks nearby. Take the self-guided tour as a family, a team of friends, or go solo. In each library, there's a unique feature to hunt for, and you'll earn prizes as you go along. Visit 45 or more and be entered to win a grand prize! Get started by picking up a map at the Levittown Public Library. For more information, visit [tour.nassaulibrary.org](http://tour.nassaulibrary.org). #nassaulibrarytour

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CONNECT, CREATE, CONTRIBUTE MAY 2019

The Levittown Public Library recognizes that older adults play a key role in the vitality of our community groups, neighborhoods, and lives. To celebrate 2019 Older Americans Month, we are offering the following programs gratis with complimentary light refreshments. Registrations can be in person, by phone, or online, and each patron may register 2 people.

### Virtual Reality

**Tuesday, May 7, 10:30 a.m.**

*Registration for everyone begins Wednesday, May 1 at 9:30 a.m.* Choose from our virtual reality games, and travel to a distant location, paint on a canvas, or climb Mt. Everest.

### Reverse Mortgage and Financial Planning Thursday, May 16, 10:30 a.m.

*Registration for LUFSD residents begins Thursday, May 2 at 9:30 a.m.* Joseph Criscuoli from Nationwide Mortgage will speak about how reverse mortgages work and how to retain your home's equity. William Telford from New York Life Insurance Company will present long term care and other insurance options.

### Craft Class: Floral Cup and Plate Friday, May 17, 2:00 p.m.

*Registration for LUFSD residents begins Friday, May 3 at 9:30 a.m.* Paint a beautiful floral print on a cup and plate with Shirley Ruby.

### Cooking: Blueberry Buckle Tuesday, May 28, 1:30 p.m.

*Registration for LUFSD residents begins Tuesday, May 7 at 9:30 a.m.* Join Chef Rob Scott and learn how to make this delicious rich blueberry cake with a streusel topping.

### Easy-to-Use Technology for Aging in Place Thursday, May 30, 10:30 a.m.

*Registration for LUFSD residents begins Thursday, May 9 at 9:30 a.m.* Frances Christ will demonstrate how using an iPhone can keep you connected to friends and family, get help in an emergency, order groceries and meals, remember to take your medications, drive safer, and boost your mood with music and games.

# Adult Programs



## Library Bus Trips:

Remaining tickets will be on sale at the Circulation Desk for LUFSD cardholders and non-residents. Non-refundable payment is due at the time of registration. Money order or check accepted (no cash), made payable to the Levittown Public Library. Visit the library to pick up a flyer with further details.

Please note that all bus trips are subject to a minimum registration. Trip itineraries may be subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances. Children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**A guide for trip activity level:**

=mild =moderate =maximum



## Family Fun Trip!

**A Day on the North East End of Long Island**  
**Friday, July 19, 2019, 9:30 a.m.**

**\$23.00 per person includes: bus, tour, snacks, and bus driver tip.**

**Limited tickets will be on sale for LUFSD residents beginning Tuesday, June 4 at 6:00 p.m. Remaining tickets will be at the Circulation Desk. Limit four tickets per patron.**

This combined adult and family bus trip offers plenty of things to do and see for all ages! We depart the library at 9:30 a.m. for the historic maritime town of Greenport and will take a guided group tour of the East End Seaport Maritime Museum and the Village Blacksmith Shop, we will then stop at the 1938 fire boat "Fire Fighter."

From there, enjoy time on your own and stroll through the streets and visit the village shops. You can roller skate at the American Legion Hall or take a ride on the Antique Carousel. Greenport is rich in history and was recently named one of the prettiest towns in the USA. The shops include galleries, antiques, boutiques, specialty food markets, sweets and artisans goods. Be sure to stop in Goldsmith's Toys and Electronics to see the rubber ducks and immerse yourself into the ceiling to floor beach theme! Lunch will be on your own to dine in the many restaurants or eateries which prepare fresh seafood and use locally grown produce. Experience outdoor dining with a picturesque view of Long Island Sound. At 2:00 p.m. we depart for Harbes Farm in Mattituck.

Partake in family fun activities at Harbes Barnyard Adventure, if you choose to pay \$18.95 (children 2 and under are free), you can take a singing hayride farm tour, enjoy pig races, games, jumpers, pedal carts, a hedge maze, farm animals, watch bees hard at work in the Bee Museum and take a deep breath and unwind in the Lavender Labyrinth. Available to purchase will be fresh produce and fruit, pies, honey, and July is fresh corn season! Harbes Wine Barn will be open if you choose to unwind with a wine or cider tasting. Visit Patty's Berry and Bunches and purchase fresh berries and flowers or pick your own berries! At 4:00 p.m. we will board the bus to return to the library.

**Exercise Classes:** A non-refundable check or money order, made payable to the Levittown Public Library, is due upon registration at the Circulation Desk. Each registered person must sign a physical release form prior to the first class.

**Stretching & Toning** \$21 fee for all 7 classes  
**Mondays, 6/17 - 7/29, choose 9:30 or 11:00 a.m.**

Single in-person registration for everyone begins Monday, June 10 at 9:30 a.m.

**Egoscue with Kimberly Sabat** \$21 fee for all 7 classes  
**Thursdays, 7/11 - 8/22, 7:00 p.m.**

Single in-person registration for LUFSD residents begins Thursday, June 27 at 6:00 p.m.

A postural therapy designed to eliminate chronic pain.

## Live @ the LPL

**Live @ the LPL Policy:** Limit 2 tickets per patron. Doors open for ticket holders 20 minutes prior to showtime. Ticket holders must be in seats 5 minutes prior to showtime or the seats may be forfeited. Walk-ins are welcome based on seating availability 5 minutes prior to the show. Light refreshments served.

**A Musical Tribute to Bob Marley and More!**  
**Friday, May 10, 7:30 - 8:45 p.m.**

In-person tickets are available for everyone beginning Wednesday, May 1 at 6:00 p.m.

"High Tide" will perform the music of Bob Marley and other reggae and calypso legends. Some of the classic hits that you will hear include *Stir It Up*, *One Love*, *No Woman No Cry*, *I Shot the Sheriff* and *Jamming*.



## Craft Workshops

Each class has a separate registration. Non-refundable fees must be paid by check or money order, made payable to the Levittown Public Library and are due upon registration for each person registered.

**Wire Earrings** \$5 fee  
**Tuesday, May 28, 6:30 p.m.**

In-person, registration for LUFSD residents begins Tuesday, May 7 at 6:00 p.m. May register 2 people.

Craft this beautiful pair of wire earrings with Donna Irvine.



**Natural Cleaner and Essential Oils** \$5 fee  
**Wednesday, June 5, 6:30 p.m.**

In-person, registration for LUFSD residents begins Wednesday, May 15 at 6:00 p.m. May register 2 people.

In this class you will learn how to rid your home of toxic substances and replace them with natural plant based products and essential oils. Each class participant will leave with a decorated bottle of all natural cleaning spray. You will have a chance to see how our Cricut machine operates and apply a vinyl label to decorate your own bottle.



**Special Level Craft Class - Key Holder**  
**Thursday, June 6, 10:30 a.m.**

In-person, by phone, or online registration for LUFSD residents begins Thursday, May 16 at 9:30 a.m. May register 2 people.

Enjoy this craft class run by Doreen Mellwaine, Special Education Coordinator/Behavioral Specialist for adults with special needs. Paint and decorate a key hook that will make a great Father's Day gift.



# Adult Programs

## May Exhibit:

**Steven Sheinberg**-Paintings

## May Display Cases:

**Marvin Eilenberg**-Garden Dried Flower Arrangements

## June Exhibit and Display Cases:

**Jody Herrmann**-Photographs of Long Island

## Current Events Discussion Group

**Tuesdays, May 14 & June 11, 1:00 p.m.**

Explore behind the headlines and TV sound bites. Join Jack Bilello, local historian, for these lively discussions.

## Singles Discussion & Support Group

**Friday, May 17 & Thursday, June 13, 4:00 p.m.**

*Open to all adult ages.*

Join Life Coach Marla Matthews for open discussions about living single in today's world with an opportunity to meet new friends.

## United States Propaganda in World War I

**Wednesday, May 22, 2:00 p.m.**

Retired US History Teacher, Don Parker, discusses the unique means of communication the US used during WWI.



## Managing Injuries or Arthritis of the Wrist & Hand

**Monday, June 24, 7:00 p.m.**

This workshop presented by Complete Occupational Therapy Services PLLC will discuss ways to prevent and manage injuries due to repetitive strains or inflammatory disorders such as rheumatoid, osteoarthritis, and carpal tunnel syndrome.

## Team Virtual Reality

**Tuesday, June 25, 6:30 p.m.**

*In-person, by phone, or online registration for LUFSD residents begins Monday, June 3 at 6:00 p.m. May register 4 people.*

In this virtual reality game, patrons will be placed into teams and work together to disarm a bomb before it explodes.



## Cooking Classes

Each class has a separate registration and non-refundable \$5.00 fee, check or money order, made payable to the Levittown Public Library, due upon registration for each person. May register 2 people.

## Indian Cuisine

**Thursday, May 16, 7:00 p.m.**

*In-person ongoing registration at the Circulation Desk.*

Chef Robert Dell' Amore will prepare chicken tikka masala--chicken marinated in spices, garam masala sauce with tomato, coconut milk and coriander served over basmati rice.

He will also prepare curried chicken salad served on a pita. Enjoy samples.

## Quinoa Bowls and Salads

**Wednesday, June 12, 7:00 p.m.**

*In-person registration for LUFSD residents begins Wednesday, May 29 at 6:00 p.m.*

Quinoa is gluten-free, high in protein and one of the few plant foods that contain sufficient amounts of all nine essential amino acids. Join Chefs Andrea and Jason Moss to learn delicious ways to prepare this sweet and nutty tasting whole grain.

## Notable Noshes

Moderated by Faye Stein.

### The Family Kitchen Organic Garden

**Wednesday, May 22, 7:00 p.m.**

*In-person, by phone, or online registration for LUFSD residents begins Wednesday, May 8 at 6:00 p.m. May register 2 people.*

Renato Stafford will present aspects of organic gardening with an emphasis on how to grow, prepare, and store high quality organic food for your meals.

### Brownies!

**Wednesday, June 19, 7:00 p.m.**

*In-person, by phone, or online registration for LUFSD residents begins Wednesday, May 22 at 6:00 p.m. May register 2 people.*

Enjoy Faye's favorite brownies while sharing your recipes.

Notable Noshes

## Adult Summer Reading Program

Join the 2019 Adult Summer Reading Program and enjoy a Universe of Stories! Registration begins on Monday, June 17. Register online or at the Reference Desk.

Read or listen to the books of your choice, then log and review each book for a chance to win prizes.

Everyone who registers will receive a sign-up prize and those who log three books receive a completion prize.

**SAVE THE DATE: THURSDAY, AUGUST 15** for our annual Summer Reading Wrap-up Event.

See our July-August Newsletter for further details.



## Page Turners Book Discussion Group

### Where the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens

**Tuesday, May 21, at 7:00 p.m.**

*In-person, by phone, or online registration for LUFSD residents begins Monday, May 6 at 9:30 a.m.*

When handsome Chase Andrews is found dead in a quiet North Carolina town, the locals immediately suspect Kya Clark, the so-called "Marsh Girl". But Kya is not what they say.

### Someone by Alice McDermott

**Monday, June 10, at 1:00 p.m.**

An ordinary life - its sharp pains and unexpected joys, its bursts of clarity and moments of confusion - lived by an ordinary woman: this is the subject of *Someone*.

### The Farm by Tom Rob Smith

**Tuesday, June 18, at 7:00 p.m.**

*In-person, by phone, or online registration for LUFSD residents begins Tuesday, May 21 at 9:30 a.m.*

Caught between his parents, and unsure of who to believe or trust, Daniel becomes his mother's unwilling judge and jury as she tells him a tale of secrets and lies that implicates his father.

## Adult Book Discussion with Fran Cohen

### Small Great Things by Jodi Picoult

**Monday, May 13, 1:00 p.m.**

Ruth, an African-American hospital labor and delivery nurse, tends to a newborn white child against the parents' wishes, and the child dies suddenly. A courtroom drama follows that will have us question our ideas on race, choice, fear and hope.

### An American Marriage by Tayari Jones

**Monday, July 8, 1:00 p.m.**

A compassionate, complex, layered love story exploring issues of race, the criminal justice system and meaning of family.

# Young Adult Programs

Unless otherwise noted, all programs are for teens in grades 6 through 12. Registration for teen programs takes place in the Teen Lounge, online, or call (516) 731-5728 ext. 241, beginning 9:00 a.m. Space permitting, non-resident teen registration will start one week after LUFSD teen registration. Preference is given to LUFSD residents for programs requiring registration. Registered participants must be present when the program is scheduled to begin. We regret that a latecomer's place may be given to those on the waiting list.

## Hello Levittown Teens!

My name is Ms. Kaysha and I am happy to introduce myself as your new Head of Young Adult Services. It is a pleasure to join the Levittown Public Library and I consider myself fortunate to have been given this opportunity.

I received a Master's Degree in Library and Information Science from Queens College and a Public Library Administration Certificate from C.W. Post. Prior to joining the Levittown Public Library, I spent 12 years as a Youth Services & Young Adult Librarian in various libraries throughout Nassau County.

I am super excited to meet you all, so please stop by the library to say hello. As I get acclimated in this new role, the amazing Young Adult staff and I will continue to bring the awesome programs and services that you are all accustomed to.

Sincerely,  
Kaysha Watson-Phillips  
Head of Young Adult Services  
Levittown Public Library



## Check Out Our Video Game Collection!

The Teen Lounge has a circulating collection of PS3, PS4, Wii, Wii U, Switch, DS/3DS, Xbox 360, Kinect, and Xbox One video games. Up to 3 games may be borrowed per young adult or adult card for 7 days. Games are now located on the shelves of the Teen Lounge. Come in and browse our titles!

## Geek Out Fandom Club

If you love stuff, then Fandom Club is the place for you!  
It's like a book club but for anyone devoted to pop culture.

**Saturday, May 4, 2:00-4:00 p.m.**

Geek Out Fandom Club Presents...Free Comic Book Day and Star Wars Day!! Come to the library to get a free comic book (while supplies last), do a craft or explore our littleBits Droid kit.

**Saturday, June 8, 3:00-4:00 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Friday, May 24.  
Calling all astronauts! To celebrate the 50th anniversary of Apollo 11 landing on the Moon, we will learn about the real Saturn V and start building the Lego NASA Apollo Saturn V set. We'll continue to build in July and August and then display the Saturn V in the Teen Lounge.

## littleBits Inventor Club

**Wednesday May 8, 3:45-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens is ongoing.

What can you make with littleBits and your imagination?

## Jumbo Cookie Decorating for Mother's Day

**Friday, May 10, 7:00-8:15 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens is ongoing.

Decorate a large 8 inch round cookie with buttercream frosting for Mother's Day. A bakery box will be provided.



## Sphero Fun

**Wednesdays: May 15 & June 12, 3:45-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Wednesday, May 1.

In May, learn about Sphero and use it in the "playground".

In June use coding to get Sphero through mazes.

## VR Fridays

**Fridays: May 17 & June 7, 3:30-4:30 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens

begins 2 weeks prior to each session.

Play a variety of virtual reality games using the library's HTC Vive.



## Community Service Programs

### Art For the Ocean

**Monday, May 13, 3:45-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Wednesday, May 1.

Create ocean themed art to help save marine life.

### Teen Advisory Board

**Fridays: May 10 & June 14, 4:00-5:00 p.m.**

Teens, let your voices be heard! Are you in grades 6-12? Do you have ideas for programs or materials we should purchase? Do you need community service hours? If you answered yes to these questions, the Levittown Public Library Teen Advisory Board needs you! Snacks will be provided and registration is ongoing.

### Troopon Club

**Thurs. May 16 & Wed. June 19, 3:30-5:00 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Thursday, May 2.

Cut-out, sort and total manufacturers coupons to be sent to military families.

### Cards for Hospitalized Children

**Thursday, May 30, 3:30-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Thursday, May 16.

Make cards to bring smiles to children's faces, write positive messages, funny jokes or draw awesome pictures.

# Young Adult Programs

## Keep Talking and Nobody Explodes Saturdays: May 18 & June 15, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Registration for LUFSD teens begins 2 weeks prior to each session.

In this virtual reality game, players will work together to disarm a bomb. It's sure to be a blast!

## Cardy Club

**Mondays: May 20 & June 10, 3:45-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins 2 weeks prior to each session.

Come in for a relaxing afternoon of card games. May- Exploding Kittens and June- Sushi Go!



## Philosophers' Club

**Tuesday, May 21 & Monday, June 17**

**3:45-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens is ongoing.

Come with an open and curious mind as we discuss the big and small topics that we care about.

## Teen GSA



**Tuesdays: May 21 & June 18, 7:00-8:00 p.m.**

Come hang out and meet other people like you.

Sign up for push notifications at [rmd.at/levittowng](http://rmd.at/levittowng)

## Switch It Up

**Friday, May 24, 3:30-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Friday, May 10. Start your engines for a Mario Kart 8 Deluxe Tournament!

**Friday, June 21, 3:30-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Friday, June 7. Battle it out in Super Smash Bros., an ultimate free-for-all!

## Synergy Spheres

**Monday, June 3, 3:45-4:45 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Monday, May 20.

Join us for this collaborative art project, where you will design a section of a larger creation.



## Minecraft Mondays

**Monday, July 1, 2:30-4:00 p.**

Registration for this program for LUFSD teens begins Monday, June 24.

Play the latest version of Minecraft on Mondays throughout the summer. Look for future dates in the next newsletter.

## Pipe Cleaner Notebooks

**Wednesday, July 10, 2:30-4:00 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Wednesday, June 26. Create an adorable pipe cleaner notebook and a washi tape pencil.

## Galaxy Watercolor Painting

**Thursday, July 11, 7:00-8:00 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Wednesday, June 27. We will use watercolors to create galaxy themed paintings on canvas.

## Moving Up Days

Registration for LUFSD NEW 6th graders only begins Wednesday, June 12.

Moving Up to Middle School? Congratulations and welcome to the Teen Lounge! Come visit us to meet your librarians and learn about the programs and services we offer. Apply for your Young Adult card and participate in one of these fun programs!

## Super Smash Bros. Ultimate

**Wednesday, June 26, 2:30-4:00 p.m.**

Battle it out in Super Smash Bros., an ultimate free-for-all!

## Bingo!

**Thursday, June 27, 3:00-4:00 p.m.**

Come enjoy a fun game of Bingo with plenty of prizes for all!

## Outer Space Escape Room

**Friday, June 28, 3:30-4:30 p.m.**

Registration for LUFSD teens begins Friday, June 14.

Grab your spacesuit and hop aboard for this interstellar escape room.

## Family Fun Trip!

**A Day on the North East End of Long Island**

**Friday, July 19, 2019, 9:30 a.m.**



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**See page 2 of this newsletter for details.**

## 2019 Pack A Book For Lunch Program

In-person registration begins Wednesday, June 26.

For those entering grades 6, 7, 8 in Fall 2019.

Meetings will be held in the Teen Room on Thursdays, July 11, 18, 25, August 1, 8 and 15 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Bring your lunch. We will eat together, discuss books, and play games. An activity portion will follow.

**Upon registration, you will receive a separate Pack a Book for Lunch Program flyer.**

# A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

## A Universe of Stories

### Teen Summer Reading Program

Teens entering grades 6 through 12: join the Levittown Public Library's online Teen Summer Reading Program. Whatever you're reading, log your time for your chance to win weekly prizes. Online sign-up begins on June 26, and you can begin logging your time right away. Those who complete 600 minutes by August 11th will receive an invitation to our End of Summer event, which will include a Grand Prize Drawing. Call or visit the Teen Lounge for more details.

# Children's Programs

Preference is given to LUFSD residents for programs requiring registration. Space permitting, non-residents may register the day before a program. Registration takes place in the Children's Department at 9:00 a.m. on the day listed unless otherwise noted. Parents may register online or by phone, 731-5728 ext. 500, but preference will be given to on-site registrants. Please have your library card on hand when registering. Some programs require in-person registration and/or tickets. Registered participants must be present when the program is scheduled to begin.

**Storytimes:** Parent's library card and child's birth certificate are needed for registration. If registration is by phone, parents must come to the library before their child's first storytime session and present their library card and child's birth certificate and pick up the confirming registration letter. Children may be registered for only one storytime session, except for Baby and Me Time.

Online registration is now available for all Storytimes. Our Storytime for ages 18 months through age 5 are ongoing. There are limited openings in some classes. Call the Children's Department for further information.

## Baby and Me Time - Ages 4 to 18 Months

A lapsit program for baby and one adult with music, movement, a story and time to socialize.

**Friday, May 3, 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.**

Registration began Friday, April 26.

**Friday, May 10, 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.**

Registration begins Monday, May 6.

**Friday, May 24, 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.**

Registration begins Friday, May 17.



## All Together Now - Ages 1½ to 3½

(Children born between October 2015 - October 2017)

The perfect storytime for families with children close in age.

There will be stories and flannels, with music and movement for adults and children to enjoy together.

**Mondays, April 1 - May 13,**

choose between sessions 10:15 a.m. or 11:00 a.m.

## Mother Goose - Ages 1½ to 2½

(Children born between October 2016 - October 2017)

A movement-filled program for children, with one adult which includes stories, music, rhymes and fingerplays.

**Tuesdays, April 2 - May 14 at 10:00 a.m.**

## Books Before Bedtime - Ages 3 to 7

(Children born between May 2012 - May 2016)

Cozy up in your pajamas and join us for a stary storytime with one adult. We will read bedtime stories and make a special craft.

**Thursday, May 16 at 7:15 p.m.**

Registration begins Thursday, May 9 at 6:00 p.m.



## 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten

Registration is ongoing for families with children who have not yet started kindergarten.

Simply read together with your young child and keep track of what you are reading.

We'll have a few surprises along the way to

*This program has been made*

*possible, in part, through a grant from*



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## 2019 SUMMER READING PROGRAM A Universe of Stories

For children entering grades K to 6 in the Fall of 2019

**In-person** registration begins Monday, June 17th.

At registration, you will receive your Summer Reading Notebook and flyer detailing the program and other fun activities to do all summer long! Activities will begin on Monday, June 24th and end on Saturday, August 10th.

## 2019 READ-TO-ME Space Explorers

Children up to 5 years (not yet entering Kindergarten) and their parents.

**In-person** registration begins Monday, June 17th.

At registration, you will receive a flyer detailing the program along with some fun early literacy activities to do all summer long! Activities will begin on Monday, June 24th and end on Saturday, August 10th.



**Saturday, May 4**

**Starry Storytime - Ages 3 - 7**  
**10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**

*No registration required.*

*Admittance is on a first come, first serve basis.*

Join us in a galaxy far, far away (the Storyhour Room) for stories and songs all about outer space and our favorite *Star Wars* characters.

**Star Wars Spheros - Grades 3 - 6**  
**2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.**

*No registration required.*

*Admittance is on a first come, first serve basis.*

Drop by and try our new Star Wars Spheros! We will offer 10 minute sessions, with the opportunity to continue playing if no one is waiting.

**Star Wars Craft - All Ages**  
**9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

*No registration required.*

A special *Star Wars* craft will be available (while supplies last) throughout the day in the Children's Room.

# Children's Programs

## PlayHooray

A fun music and movement program filled with lively activities.

### PlayHooray Babies

**Ages Birth - 18 months**

Online registration is available for this program.

**Saturday, May 4 at 10:00 a.m.**

Registration began Saturday, April 20.

**Tuesday, June 11 at 10:00 a.m.**

Registration begins Tuesday, May 28.



### PlayHooray Kids

**Ages 19 months – 5 years**

Online registration is available for this program.

**Saturday, May 4 at 11:00 a.m.**

Registration began Saturday, April 20.

**Tuesday, June 11 at 11:00 a.m.**

Registration begins Tuesday, May 28.

## Minecraft

**Grades 3 - 5**

Come and play Minecraft in the Innovation Station.

Online registration is available for this program.

**Monday, May 6 at 6:00 p.m.**

Registration began Monday, April 29 at 6:00 p.m.

**Monday, June 10 at 6:00 p.m.**

Registration begins Tuesday, June 4 at 6:00 p.m.



## Little Chefs

**Ages 3 - 5 with an Adult**

Some items may contain chocolate and traces of peanut oil. No cooking.

Online registration is available for this program.

### Camping Treat

**Monday, May 13**

Choose between sessions 6:00 p.m. or 7:30 p.m.

Registration begins Tuesday, May 7 at 6:00 p.m.

Get ready for camping season, by making a special treat.



### Summertime Treat

**Monday, June 3**

Choose between sessions 6:00 p.m. or 7:30 p.m.

Registration begins Monday, May 20 at 6:00 p.m.

Get ready for summer with this delicious beach treat.

## Art Lessons - Pokémon

**Grades 4 - 6**

**Tuesday, May 14, 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.**

Registration begins Tuesday, May 7, at 6:00 p.m..

Online registration is available for this program.

Learn how to draw Pokemon characters with comic book artist and writer McKel Supreme.

## Clever Creation LEGO Club

**Grades K - 4**

**Saturday, May 18 at 2:30 p.m.**

No registration required.

## Book Club Jr.

**Grades K - 2**

Read a story together with fellow book club members and your librarian.

Play games and do fun activities. Pick a prize from our treasure chest.

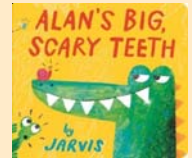
Online registration is available for this program.

**Monday, May 20 at 4:30 p.m.**

Registration begins Monday, May 6.

**Alan's Big Scary Teeth**

by Peter Jarvis



## Detective Science with Mad Science

**Grades 3 - 5**

**Wednesday, May 22 at 4:30 p.m.**

Registration begins Wednesday, May 8.

Online registration is available for this program.

Step into the role of a detective and discover how forensic science works to solve crimes.

## Seeking Our Senses with Mad Science

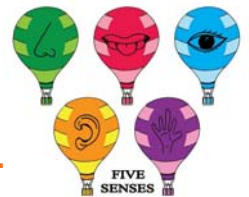
**Grades K - 2**

**Wednesday, May 29 at 4:30 p.m.**

Registration begins Wednesday, May 15.

Online registration is available for this program.

Sniff out the science of your five senses in this interactive experience.



## Kids Who Code

**Grades 3 - 5**

**Tuesday, June 4 at 7:00 p.m.**

Registration begins Tuesday, May 28.

Online registration is available for this program.

Join us for an introduction to coding class!

Using Scratch, create an animation with your friends.

## Art Explorers

### How to Draw a Superhero

**For Children Entering Grades 4, 5, & 6 in Fall 2019**

**Tuesday, July 9 at 2:30 p.m.**

Registration begins Tuesday, July 2.

Online registration is available for this program.

Learn how to draw characters like Ironman, Hulk, and Superman with simple structures of shapes and line work.





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Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
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**Sundays: open October 14, 2018 through May 19, 2019**

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## Senator Kevin Thomas Community Meeting

**Thursday, May 16, 6:30 p.m.**

Senator Kevin Thomas will meet with residents and discuss New York State and Long Island's current topics.  
*No registration required.*

## Museum Pass Program - New Addition!

The Library provides admission passes to select museums for Levittown Public Library resident borrower card holders, 18 or older, in good standing at no cost. The New York Hall of Science has been added to our Museum Pass Program. This pass offers free admission for 2 adults and 6 children. Please check our website for availability to this museum as well as the many others we have to offer.

## Passport Acceptance Program

The Levittown Public Library, in cooperation with the U.S. Department of State, is a "one stop" passport services center. There are no lines to wait on, simply call (516) 731-5728 ext. 502 to setup a personal appointment to come in and review the application one-on-one with a member of the library staff. The service is open to all NY State residents. Fees are fixed by the U.S. Department of State and can be found on the Library website. Applicants can have a photo taken at the Library if needed.



Visit the library Blog!

## OR CURRENT RESIDENT

## The Library Newsletter

Levittown residents who wish to receive the newsletter by mail or email may sign up at the Circulation Desk. A limited number of printed copies are available in the library. Visit [www.levittownpl.org](http://www.levittownpl.org) for the online version and calendar of events which will list changes, cancellations and closings.

### Levittown Public Library App and Mobile Website

Download the "Nassau Public Libraries Mobile" application free of charge. It is compatible with Apple and Android devices. Visit the app store and search "Nassau Public Libraries Mobile."

## ON-GOING ACTIVITIES

The following are offered on an on-going basis. For more information, ask at the Reference Desk, or phone **516-731-5728**.

### Driver Safety Programs for licensed drivers.

The library provides a location for programs to be offered once or twice a month. Check or money order only. AARP: \$20.00 for AARP Members; \$25.00 for non-members. Empire Safety Council: \$35.00 (geared for all ages).

### Innovation Station

The library has a MakerSpace with a variety of technologies and equipment for creativity; 3D Printers & scanner, iMac computers, Cricuts, sewing and embroidery machines and more. Reservations can be made through our website or at the library.

### Adult Game Club

Wednesdays from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in Meeting Rooms 1 & 2. There are tables available to meet and play cards, mahjong, and any other table games for fun. Bring your own games. No registration required.

### Live Homework Help-- Via Internet

Free online help from tutors is available (from library or home) for students in grades K to 12 (and college intro) from 2:00 to 10:00 p.m. Simply log on to our website at: [www.levittownpl.org](http://www.levittownpl.org)

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Text us at 66746 and start your question with asklpl. Example: asklpl What are the library hours?  
We will respond as soon as possible.

