Oceans of Possibilities

Summer Reading Experiences for Everyone

Summer Lunches are Back

Talent Show in Medford
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Kylie, enjoying a silly shark read at the Library.

Gallery Exhibits
On view in the Claire Davidson Siegel Gallery and online at pmlib.org/gallery

May - June
Art Matters
Khurshid Saleem

July - August
Seascapes
Courtney Young

Library Closed:
June 20 - Juneteenth Observed
July 4 - Independence Day
September 5 - Labor Day

The Library will close at 5 pm on the following dates:
June 13 - PMHS Senior Prom
July 14, 28 & August 11 & 25 - AA5

Board of Trustees Meetings:
Wednesdays, June 15, July 20 and August 17 at 5:30 pm

The Medford Library Branch Construction Project will be discussed at regular Board Meetings.

A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR:
“One benefit of summer was that each day we had more light to read by.”

–JEANETTE WALLS, THE GLASS CASTLE

What better way is there to relax and recharge in the summer months than to grab a book and soak in some sunshine? Use your library to connect to stories that will take you wherever you want to go. We invite everyone to take part in the Patchogue-Medford Library’s Summer Reading Experience: Oceans of Possibilities. Our fantastic library staff has worked together to develop programs tailored to each reading personality and age group so the whole family can participate. This summer, we’re embracing the challenge to “Strive for Five!” Read or listen to five books this summer to keep your brain healthy and happy. Thanks, as always, to our amazing Friends of the Library for supporting our reading programs with prizes for everyone.

We can’t THANK YOU enough for your support. On behalf of the Library Board of Trustees – thank you to the Patchogue-Medford community for voting in favor of the 2022-2023 Library budget. Because of you, we can continue to do the work we do that serves the entire community. Congratulations to Lisa Caselles, who was reelected as trustee for the 2022-2027 term.

The Medford Library Construction Project is underway! A groundbreaking celebration was held on April 9, and the project has progressed full speed ahead ever since. Keep up to date with the construction at www.pmlib.org/medford. We anticipate completion in Spring 2023. If you’d like to help or support this project, the Patchogue-Medford Friends of the Library are running a brick fundraiser—commemorate your family or a special loved one by dedicating a brick in their honor. Please call the Director at 631-654-4700, ext. 300 with any questions.

Beep Beep! Don’t forget to wave if you see our new-to-us Library Van this summer. We’re just getting started by bringing the van to field days at our elementary schools and various local events. We love getting out into the community and meeting you all wherever you are.

The Patchogue-Medford High School Senior Prom is scheduled to take place in the evening on Monday, June 13; therefore, the Library will be closed at 5 pm in order to allow time for setup and to create a unique and special memory on Main Street. Should the weather push the prom to a subsequent raindate, the Library will close at 5 pm on that day as well. Graduating seniors are invited to stop by for a photo op anytime in June! The Library’s front windows will be dedicated to the Class of 2022 to celebrate their accomplishments.

Sincerely,
Danielle Paisley, Director

WE CAN HELP
with one on one, personal assistance- Call 631-654-4700 for more information.

Small Business Counseling
Thursday, July 14
Meet with a Stony Brook Small Business Development Center counselor for information on starting your own business and writing a business plan. Call ext. 405 for an appointment.

Career Counseling (Virtual)
Mondays from 5:30-8:30 pm
Get help with your resume, job search and more. Call ext. 152 for an appointment.

Get Personalized Assistance with Computer Basics
Tuesdays from 1-3 pm
Call ext. 152 to make an appointment.

Bilingual Immigration Counseling
Tuesdays from 3-7 pm
Get answers to your immigration questions. Call ext. 152 for an appointment.

Meet with a Licensed Social Worker
To make an appointment call ext. 224 or email socialworkers@pmlib.org.

Help Stock Our Shelves
Drop off non-perishable food and personal items at the donation station at the Public Services Desk. Items will be available on the spinner in the front of the Library to anyone in need.

ADDITION & RECOVERY HELP

SMART Friends & Family Workshop
Saturdays at 10 am
For family and friends of people with addictive behavior.

SMART Recovery
Saturdays at 12 pm
A workshop for people struggling with addiction.

Subscribe to our YouTube channel youtube.com/c/PmlibOrg and follow us on social media.
Celebrate National Eyewear Day - Donate Your Old Eyeglasses
The Library is partnering with the Lions Club of Patchogue to accept donations of used eye wear during the month of June. Look for the donation station at the Public Services Desk.

Bideawee Adoption Event
Saturday, June 4 from 11 am-3 pm
Looking for your FurEver Friend? The Bideawee truck will be parked outside the rear of the Library with pets available to adopt! Pet supply donations will also be accepted.

The Medford History Bus Tour!
Sunday, June 5 at 11 am
PML Bluebrella Tour hits the road again! Meet us at the Medford Train Station as we take a trip back in time to explore Old Medford. Tour will end at J&R’s with small bites, history and conversations. Space is limited.

Oceans of Possibilities Talent Show Auditions
Thursday, June 9 from 4-7 pm
at the Carnegie Library
For children of all ages. Join us for an evening of comedy, song and dance. For children of all ages. This program will be held at Davis Park, Fire Island. No registration required.

Touch a Truck
Wednesday, June 29 from 10 am-12 pm
at Patchogue-Medford High School
Have an opportunity to see, touch, and explore heavy machinery and meet people who build, protect, and serve the community. Fun for the whole family!

Davis Park Summer Storytime
Tuesdays, July 12, 19, 26 and August 2 & 9 from 11:15-12 pm
For children of all ages. This program will be held at Davis Park, Fire Island. No registration required.

Alive After Five
Thursdays, July 14, 21, 28 and August 4, 11 & 25
Meet us outside in front of the Library for family friendly activities from 5-7 pm.

Medford Concert Series
Wednesdays, July 20, August 3, 17 and September 9 at 7 pm
Meet us at Medford Memorial Park for music and crafts.

Family Tie Dye
Friday, July 22 from 5-6:45 pm
or 6-7:45 pm
For families with children of all ages. All supplies will be provided! Just share your family’s t-shirt sizes with us upon registration. This program will be held outside on the Carnegie Library lawn and is for Patchogue-Medford cardholders only. Registration for this event begins June 1. Rain date: Friday, July 29.

Almost Maine - Live at the Library!
Friday, July 29 from 6-8:30 pm
at the Main Library building
Join us as Pat-Med’s very own teens perform “Almost Maine” by John Cariani!

Oceans of Possibilities Talent Show
Friday, August 5 at 6 pm
For children of all ages. Join us for an evening of comedy, song and dance. For children of all ages. Bring the kids down for a night of music and fun! This event is in partnership with the Patchogue Parks and Recreation Department. No registration required.
FOR ADULTS 18+

Adult Summer Reading Experience!
Read and complete activities to earn raffle tickets towards our grand prizes. Sign up online at pmlib.org or in person at the Library to receive your beach bag and a coupon to personalize it in our Makerspace! Prizes donated by the Patchogue-Medford Friends of the Library.

FOR TEENS in grades 6-12

Dive into the Teen Center!
Review books, movies, games, an item from our Gadgets and Gizmos Gallery, or a program you attended to receive a virtual raffle ticket. Virtual raffle tickets can be entered to win one of our amazing prize bundles! We will have an Art Bundle, Gamer Bundle, Manga Bundle, lots of different Foodie Bundles, and more! All prizes donated by the Patchogue-Medford Friends of the Library.

FOR CHILDREN

We invite children of all ages to "Strive for Five" this summer!
Read 5 books to earn raffle tickets and prizes. Keep reading to earn "Sand Dollars" to spend at our Beach Boutique. Sign up online at pmlib.org or stop by the Library to get started!

A READ-TO-ME CLUB
Infants - Pre-K

FIN-TASTIC READERS
FOR GRADES K-6

Monday through Friday at 12 pm • June 27 - August 19

FREE LUNCH for KIDS at the LIBRARY!
Children and teens ages 18 and under are invited to stop by the Main Building for lunch and some fun! Sponsored by Island Harvest
FOR ADULTS

Please read carefully for locations. Registration is ongoing (which means anytime), unless otherwise noted. Visit our events calendar online at pmlib.org or call 631-654-4700, ext. 152 for more information and to register.

LIFELONG LEARNING Attend in person or via Zoom, unless otherwise noted.

Your Guide to the 1950 Census
Wednesday, June 8 at 10 am
Join Lisa Louise Cooke, from GenealogyGems.com, as she discusses interesting stories behind the recently released 1950 census and provides information on how to access it.

Take Control of Your Debt
Wednesday, June 8 at 6:30 pm
Learn how to manage your existing debt with a certified financial planner.

Recognize and Avoid Scams
Thursday, June 9 at 6:30 pm
This presentation, provided by the NYS Department of Consumer Protection, will help you recognize and avoid scams and provide tools and resources to use if you fall victim to one.

Antique Appraisal: What’s It Worth?
Wednesday, June 15 at 6:30 pm
Have your antique or collectible evaluated by an expert appraiser. The first 25 registrants will be eligible for an appraisal but everyone is welcome to watch.

Farmstand Summer Bites
Thursday, June 16 at 6:30 pm
Sample appetizers and share recipes made with fresh summer produce from Gina and Farmer Dan of Napolitano Farms.

Virtual Genealogy Discussion Group
Wednesdays, June 22, July 27 & August 10 at 10 am
Get help with researching your ancestors. Come discuss strategies and learn how others have succeeded. Attend via Zoom only.

From Old Worlds to New Worlds: Genealogy in Passenger Lists
Wednesday, July 13 at 10 am
Ship manifests hold clues to finding the members of your family as they entered the U.S. or left their country of heritage. Genealogist Suz Bates will present tips for finding these records and how to read them.

Meet the Artist: Live Painting Demo
Thursday, July 21 at 6:30 pm
See artist Courtney Young work on a painting in progress as she discusses her artistic technique, inspirations, and her solo exhibition in our Claire Davidson Siegel Gallery.

Sharks of Long Island
Thursday, August 4 at 6:30 pm
Discover the wide range of magnificent and diverse shark species that share our local shores and waters. Find out about shark myths and the histories of shark attacks in New York.

Leaving a Legacy: Telling Your Ancestors’ Stories So Your Family Will Listen
Wednesday, August 24 at 10 am
You have invested countless hours documenting your family tree. Genealogist Sarah Gutmann will discuss different techniques and methods to tell these stories so they will be passed down and enjoyed by future generations.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS Attend in person or via Zoom, unless otherwise noted.

Start Your Day the Right Way: Yin Yoga
Tuesdays, June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 5, 12, 19, 26 & August 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 7 am at the Carnegie Library
A slower paced class with a meditative approach for all levels involving variations of seated and supine poses held for 3-5 minutes.

Vinyasa Yoga Before Work
Thursdays, June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, July 7, 14, 21, 28 & August 11, 18, 25 at 7 am at the Carnegie Library
Wake up with stretching and strengthening asanas with us or from your own home.

American Heart Association Heartsaver CPR/AED
Saturday, June 11 from 10 am-1 pm
This course, for non-health care professionals, is designed to prepare you to provide first aid, CPR, and use an automated external defibrillator (AED) on adults and children in a safe, timely, and effective manner. Students will receive an electronic certification card upon completion. In person only.

Medicaid Enrollment for the Aged, Blind & Disabled
Thursdays, June 16, July 21 & August 18 from 3-7 pm
Facilitated enrollers trained by NYS Dept. of Health assist the aged, blind and disabled populations with Medicaid programs free of charge. Service is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Mid-day Break: Guided Meditation Session
Wednesday, June 22 at 2 pm
Re-center yourself with a mid-day guided meditation session. Bring a mat or blanket to sit on if you prefer.

Release Anxiety and Stress with Tapping Therapy
Thursday, June 30 at 6:30 pm
Tapping therapy allows for the release of negative thoughts and feelings to escape through one’s acupressure pathways in order to make room for positivity.

Tidal Flow Yoga
Tuesday, August 2 at 6:30 pm
An instructor from Salt of the Earth Yoga Studio will lead a gentle yoga class, incorporating aquatic animal poses.

MEET, MAKE & CREATE

Registration is ongoing (which means anytime), unless otherwise noted.

Do the Write Thing
Thursdays, June 2, 9, 16, July 14, 21, 28 & August 4, 11, 18 from 10 am-12 pm
Write, share, and discuss different kinds of creative writing. Attend in person or via Zoom.

Team Trivia: Summer Edition
Wednesday, July 6 at 6:30 pm
Come alone or bring a friend to compete during this fun Team Trivia night at Brickhouse Brewery in Patchogue. Prizes will be awarded to the top trivia team.

Country Line Dancing Party
Saturday, July 9 from 3:30-5 pm
in the Library Courtyard behind Toast
Learn how to line dance! Grab a friend or come solo and be ready for a boot scootin’ good time! Bring a water bottle. Rain will move indoors.

Tie Dye for Adults
Friday, July 22 at 7:30 pm
outside on the Carnegie Library lawn
Customize your own beach towel during this adult-only session of tie dye. The possibilities are endless! PML cardholders register beginning July 8. Out-of-district residents may register starting July 16, if space allows.

Paint Night: Happy Little Turtle Family
Wednesday, July 27 at 6:30 pm
A master artist from Happy Little Brush Strokes will walk you through creating a sea turtle painting. PML cardholders register beginning July 13. Out-of-district residents may register starting July 20, if space allows.

Chunky Bead Garland
Wednesday, August 10 at 6:30 pm
Create a nautical-themed chunky bead garland to decorate your home.

Paddle Pub Book Discussion: The Lost Boys of Montauk
Thursday, August 18 at 6:30 pm
Paddle down the river while discussing the book The Lost Boys of Montauk by Amanda Fairbanks. Meet us at Dublin Deck, located at 325 River Avenue in Patchogue to board the boat. PML cardholders only. Books will be available to pick up at the Public Services Desk starting July 1. Space is limited.

Subscribe to our YouTube channel youtube.com/c/PmlibOrg and follow us on social media. 

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FOR TEENS

Registration is ongoing (which means anytime), unless otherwise noted. Go to pmlib.org or call 631-654-4700, ext. 500 to register. NYS Safety guidelines for in-person programs will be followed.

JUNE

Carnegie Crew
Fridays, June 3 and July 1 from 4-5 pm
Talk about the Library and how to make it even better! Scholarships can be earned by graduating seniors for participation over time!

PuzzleMasterPaloza
Friday, June 3 from 5:30-7 pm
Are you an amateur sleuth or the next Sherlock Holmes? Solve a series of strange and interesting puzzles. If you’re a fan of escape rooms, riddles and cryptic puzzles, this is the program for you!

Battle of the Books Info Meeting
Tuesday, June 7 from 3-4 pm
Read books and compete in a countywide trivia competition! Find out all about it at our first meeting! At this meeting, we will give out the books and dates for other sessions. If you can’t make it, please call the Carnegie Library for details.

Oceans of Possibilities Talent Show Auditions
Thursday, June 9 from 4-7 pm
For more information see COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHTS & EVENTS page 3.

Nautical 4th of July Wreath
Friday, June 10 from 6-7 pm
Make your own yarn wreath using red, white, and blue yarn and add some starfish to give it a nautical touch.

Rainbow Infinity Cubes
Wednesday, June 15 from 6:30-7:30 pm
Celebrate Pride Month while you craft a paper infinity cube and learn about some LGBTQ+ people who have made a difference in the world.

RPGs with Michael
Saturdays, June 18 and August 20 from 1-4 pm
Explore fantastic worlds with your dungeon master, Michael!

Bobbinology
Tuesdays, June 21, July 19 and August 16 from 6-7:30 pm
Sew up a shell collecting bag in June, miniature fruit in July and a back-to-school lunch bag in August.

No Bake Snacks
Friday, June 24 from 6-7:30 pm
Travel to several different stations as you learn how to make delicious treats that don’t require the use of an oven!

Underwater Movie Series
Wednesdays, June 29, July 27 and August 24 from 6-8 pm
Join us for some fin-tastic movies and popcorn!

Escape Room: Underwater Escape
Thursday, June 30 from 5:30-8 pm
You’re trapped in some underwater ruins and have to solve the clues to escape! Space is LIMITED!

JULY

Chopped: Seafod Edition
Friday, July 1 from 6:30-8 pm
Can you create a unique dish using our mystery ingredients? If you don’t impress the judges, you may be eliminated!

Lawning Around
Tuesdays, July 5, 12, 19, 26 and August 2, 9 & 16 from 1-3 pm
Join Sam and Michael for an afternoon of lawn games!

Teen Trivia Throwdown Informational Meeting
Wednesday, July 6 and Friday, July 8 from 5-6:30 pm
Compete in the countywide trivia competition between libraries across Suffolk! The competition is on Saturday, July 16 at Hauppauge Library!

Perler Bead Perfection
Wednesday, July 6 from 5-8 pm
Drop in to make a perler bead creation!

Trekking Through the Decades
Thursday, July 7 from 3-5 pm
Celebrate all things 80s, 90s and 2000s as we explore food, music, and popular trends from that time!

Watermelon Art
Thursday, July 7 from 6:30-7:30 pm
Show off your sculpture skills and design your own very watermelon art!

International Snack Night
Friday, July 8 from 6:30-8 pm
Enjoy snacks from around the world! Make sure you register as space will be limited!

Survivor: Patchogue-Medford
Saturday, July 9 from 11 am-5 pm
It’s our own version of popular TV show! Can you outlast your fellow teens and become the ultimate winner? Food will be served!

Manga Book Club
Mondays, July 11, 25, August 15 & 29 from 4:30-5:30 pm
Try some Japanese snacks and discuss a new book with us at every session! The book for the first session can be picked up starting on July 1.

Preferable Pets with the Long Island Aquarium
Tuesday, July 12 from 4:30-5:30 pm
The exotic pet trade has flourished in recent years, but not all animals make a good pet. Learn the difference between “good” and “bad” pets and meet some of the more manageable kinds!

Court Tour
Wednesday, July 13 from 10-11:30 am
Get a personal tour of the courthouse next to the Carnegie! Meet us outside on the back lawn of the Carnegie Library promptly at 9:45 am! You MUST be registered to attend.

Board Game Brigade
Thursdays, July 14 and July 28, August 11 & 25 from 1:30-4:30 pm
Play new games with two fun librarians!

Choosing YOUR Career: Radio DJ
Friday, July 15 from 5-6 pm
Learn what it’s like to work as on air at WBLI!

Under the Sea Stained Glass Jars
Friday, July 15 from 6-7 pm
Bring the ocean home with you with this underwater stained glass mason jar.

Smash Tournament
Saturday, July 16 from 1-5 pm
Can you defeat your friends and become the new champion of Smash Ultimate? Come for a competitive yet fun competition. The game and controllers will be provided. We will also have a prize for the first and second place winner. Please arrive promptly at 1 pm as we will need to start immediately. Being late may forfeit your chance to be placed in a bracket.

Oceanic Cookies
Monday, July 18 from 3-4 pm
Learn from a professional cake decorator how to make your own delicious sea themed cookies.

PML Insiders Tour
Wednesday, July 20 from 11 am-12 pm
Come and find out what it’s like to work at the Library and see some behind the scenes areas! This program will be held at the Main Library building, Meet in the Lower Level Lobby.

RPG One Shot
Thursdays, July 21 and August 18 from 1:30-3:30 pm
Try these unique pen and paper RPGs meant to be played in just one afternoon. These games do not require previous experience about role playing games. Newcomers are always welcome!

Mini Golf
Saturday, July 23 from 1-4 pm
Swing your clubs and compete in our homemade ocean themed mini golf course.

Shark Surveillance with the Long Island Aquarium
Wednesday, July 27 from 4:30-5:30 pm
Study the biology, ecology, and conservation of sharks. Observe and handle shark jaws, teeth, and egg cases, and learn little known facts about these extraordinary animals.

Almost Maine - Live at the Library!
Friday, July 29 from 6-8:30 pm at the Main Library building. Join us as Pat-Med’s very own teens perform “Almost Maine” by John Cariani!

Smoothie Smash
Saturday, July 30 from 1-4 pm
What’s more refreshing than a summer smoothie? Nothing! Learn how to blend and create your own delicious treats!
Celebrate this historical event with food and crafts.
Wednesday, August 10 from 3-4 pm
Ecuadorian Independence Day Celebration

Heat Press Shirts
Thursday, August 4 from 3-5 pm
Design a t-shirt with custom pictures, text, or photographs on our laptops, which will be heat pressed onto a t-shirt for you to wear! All created images must be age appropriate. We will supply the shirts, but we may be limited on the sizes we have available.

Loveable Limulus with the Long Island Aquarium
Monday, August 8 from 4:30-5:30 pm
Come meet the mysterious horseshoe crab. Learn about these prehistoric creatures, their amazing immune system, how they are useful in the medical field and recent threats to their survival. You may even get to kiss one!

Ecuadorian Independence Day Celebration
Wednesday, August 10 from 3-4 pm
Celebrate this historical event with food and crafts.

Perler Bead Sorting
Monday, June 6 from 3-8 pm
Help us sort our perler beads in this relaxing volunteer opportunity.

Random Acts of Kindness
Wednesday, June 8 from 6:30-7:30 pm, July 20 from 3:30-4:30 pm and August 3 from 3-4 pm
Earn community service the fun way by doing projects to help the Library and the community!

Summer Lunch Program
Weekdays, June 27-August 19 from 11:30 am-1:30 pm
Earn community service credit by helping out during our summer lunch program. If you’re interested in participating please call 631-654-4700, ext. 318.

Get ready to get wet and messy in our outdoor paint wars! Make sure you wear a shirt that you don’t mind getting dirty. Bring a towel. No backless shoes.

Horse of a different color.

Welcome 6th graders
Friday, August 19 from 3-4:30 pm
Learn what the Carnegie has to offer and get a tour! Snacks will be served!

Stained Glass for South Ocean Middle School
Monday, August 1 from 3-5 pm
Learn to use a sewing machine and stitch dough to power different objects.

Make a miniature stained glass window that will be installed in the South Ocean Middle School Library.

Sunday, July 13 from 6:30-7:30 pm
Discover the secrets of anamorphic art, images you can only recognize from certain angles or viewing with a special tool.

Minecraft Club
Monday, August 8 from 6:30-7:30 pm
See description in JUNE.

PML Quiz Show
Thursday, August 4 from 7-8 pm
Test your knowledge in this fun trivia game as your team competes to be quiz show champion.

Make It Healthy
Saturday, August 6 from 2-3 pm
Join Geetu Makin for nutritionist tips, tricks and delicious recipes!

Minecraft Club
Tuesday, August 9 from 6:30-7:30 pm
See description in JUNE.

Small Stitches: Shell Collecting Bags
Monday, August 15 from 6:30-8 pm
Learn to use a sewing machine and stitch up a mesh bag for collecting shells.

August 2022 Calendar

For tweens 4-7.

JUNE
Minecraft Club
Friday, June 3 from 4:30-5:30 pm
Play Minecraft and complete in-game challenges with other kids who love Minecraft too. Registration is ongoing.

Squishy Circuits
Saturday, June 11 from 2-3 pm
Learn how to build an electric circuit using conductive and insulating play dough to power different objects.

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JULY
Nanobots
Wednesday, July 6 from 2:45 pm
Play science and reading games after reading the book Nanobots together.

Hidden in Plain Sight
Wednesday, July 13 from 6:30-7:30 pm
Discover the secrets of anamorphic art, images you can only recognize from certain angles or viewing with a special tool.

AUGUST
Register beginning Friday, July 1.

Nutrition for Life
Tuesday, August 9 from 6:30-7:30 pm
See description in JUNE.

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AUGUST
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FOR KIDS

All programs are IN-PERSON and held at the Main Library unless otherwise noted. Please register in person, online at pmlib.org, or by phone 631-654-4700 ext. 200. Beginning in July, register your child for the grade they’re entering in the Fall. Patchogue-Medford Library patrons are given first priority, please have your library card when registering.

JUNE Registration for these events begins on Friday, June 3 at 9:30 am.

INFANT, TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL WITH A PARENT/CAREGIVER

Preschool Prom
Thursday, June 9 from 5:30-6:30 pm
For ages 2 ½-5 years. Come dressed in your party clothes for dancing, crafts, and snacks!

Summer Sandcastle
Monday, June 13 from 10-10:45 am
For ages 2 ½-5 years. Join A Time For Kids for a fun-filled program about this creative summer activity!

Rainbow Storytime
Saturday, June 18 from 4-4:30 pm
For grades K-3. Listen to a story, then discuss fingerplays that you know and love.

Oceans of Possibilities Talent Show Auditions
Thursday, June 9 from 4-7 pm at the Carnegie Library
For more information see COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHTS & EVENTS page 3.

Bike Safety Clinic
Saturday, June 11 from 10 am-12 pm
For ages 3-6. Bring your bike and learn about staying safe while riding with officers from our local precinct.

Squishy Circuits
Saturday, June 11 from 2-3 pm
For ages 3-6. Build an electric circuit using play dough to power different objects.

Mosaic Scatter Canvas
Wednesday, June 15 from 4:30-5:15 pm
For grades K-3. Make a unique piece of art using mosaic pieces, glue and glitter.

Celebrate Juneteenth
Thursday, June 16 from 6-6:45 pm
For grades K-6. Join us to celebrate and learn about this important American holiday.

Tummy Time
Tuesday, June 21 from 10:15-11 am
For ages 2-11 months. Bond with your baby while they explore with toys, play and learn in a relaxed setting.

Hello Sunshine Storytime
Wednesday, June 22 from 11-11:30 am or 4:30-5 pm
For ages 12 months-3 ½ years. Let’s celebrate the summer sunshine with a story, rhymes, and craft!

Tiny Tunes
Monday, June 27 from 10:30-11 am OR 4:30-5 pm
For ages 2-3 months. Songs and fingerplays that you know and love. The morning session will be held at Axis Cafe in Medford.

Rainbow Craft Hour
Saturday, June 18 from 2:30-3:30 pm
For grades K-6. Make beautiful rainbow art for Pride Month. This program will be held outside on the Carnegie Library lawn.

Small Stitches: Shell Collecting Bags
Monday, June 27 from 6:30-8 pm
For grades 3-6. Learn to use a sewing machine and stitch up a mesh bag for collecting shells.

BBQ Grill Cupcakes
Tuesday, June 28 from 5-6 pm OR 6:30-7:30 pm
For grades K-6. Decorate cupcakes to look like yummy food from a backyard grill.

Lottery
Wednesday, June 29 from 4:30-5:30 pm
For grades K-3. Have fun and win prizes playing this popular Mexican card game, similar to BINGO- in English and Spanish!

Happy Birthday, Americal Storytime
Wednesday, June 29 from 6:30-7:15 pm
For grades K-3. Celebrate America with stories, songs and a patriotic craft.

Superhero Training Camp
Saturday, July 2 from 12:30-1:15 pm
For grades K-6. For fans of Captain America. America’s favorite hero is here to teach you some SUPER exercises and moves.

FOR FAMILIES

Take Your Grownup Fishing
Saturday, June 18 from 10-11:15 am
For families with children in grades K-6. Grab your gear and your pole (or borrow one from the Library!) and meet us to fish together. We will help you get started and teach you basic skills if this is your first time! This program will be held at West Lake in Patchogue.

Buzz of the Beekeeper
Thursday, June 30 from 12-1 pm OR 2:30-3:30 pm
For families with children in grades K-3. Join beekeeper Gerald Raffa to learn all about Honeybees and beekeeping. Watch the ‘Wiggle Waggle’ dance and sample some honey. The 12 pm session will be held at Axis Cafe in Medford.

Don’t miss out! Register for Family Tie Dye beginning June 1!
See more information in FOR FAMILIES on the next page.
INFANT, TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL WITH A PARENT/CAREGIVER

Parachute Play
Thursday, July 7 from 6-6:30 pm or 6:45-7:15 pm
For ages 18 months-3 ½ years. Enjoy songs, dances, and games with our parachute.

Under The Sea Storytime
Wednesday, July 13 from 10:30-11 am or 4:30-5 pm
For ages 12 months-3 ½ years. Explore the ocean with a story, rhymes, and a craft.

Babies Boogie
Friday, July 15 from 2-2:45 pm
For ages 3-17 months.

Toddlers Tango
Friday, July 15 from 3-3:45 pm
For ages 18-35 months. Join Miss Nicole for a fun adventure into movement, music, dancing, instruments, and so much more!

SCHOOL AGE

NanoBots
Wednesday, July 6 from 2-2:45 pm
For grades 3-6. Play science and reading games after reading the book NanoBots together.

Campfire Marshmallows
Thursday, July 7 from 11 am-12 pm OR 12:30-1:30 pm
For grades K-6. Make some tasty chocolate covered marshmallow treats with Chef Rob.

Ocean Slime (Grab & Go Kit)
Friday, July 8
For grades K-6. Pick up your kit to create your own ocean slime at home. Registration is required. Supplies are limited.

Preferable Pets
Tuesday, July 12 from 6-7 pm
For grades 1-6. Meet adorable pets and learn the difference between a “good” pet and “bad” pet.

Hidden in Plain Sight
Wednesday, July 13 from 6:30-7:30 pm
For grades 3-6. Discover the secrets of anamorphic art, images you can only recognize from certain angles or viewing with a special tool.

What Makes a Mammal a Mammal?
Thursday, July 14 from 10:30-11:30 am
For grades 2-6. Touch furs, bones and skulls in this interactive learning program and get to meet a live mammal!

LEGO Make and Take
Friday, July 15 from 11am-12 pm OR 4-5 pm
For grades K-6. Come to this fun workshop where you build and keep your very own ocean themed LEGO creation. The afternoon session will be held at Axis Cafe in Medford.

I Am Yoga
Monday, July 18 from 11 am-12 pm OR 12:15-1:15 pm
For grades K-6. Join New York Times bestselling author Susan Verde as she reads her book I Am Yoga and teaches the yoga poses to accompany the story. This program will be held outside on the Carnegie Library Lawn.

DIY Racing Cars
Tuesday, July 19 from 5:30-6:15 pm OR 6:30-7:15 pm
For grades K-6. Build a car that is powered by a chemical reaction using simple household ingredients. This program will be held outside in the Library Courtyard behind Toast.

Ice Cream Science
Wednesday, July 20 from 4-5 pm OR 5:30-6:30 pm
For children in grades 1-6. Perform hands-on experiments that explore the molecular nature of matter, culminating in the production of a tasty crystallized concoction—ICE CREAM! Yum!

Bilingual Story and Games
Thursday, July 21 from 4:30-5:30 pm
For grades 3-6. Listen to a story in English and Spanish, then play games to practice your language skills.

Art in the Style of...
Vintage National Park Posters
Saturday, July 23 from 11 am-12 pm
For grades K-6. Explore the artistic style of vintage National Park posters with a family paint-night style rendering of the Fire Island National Seashore.

Oceans Aglow
Tuesday, July 26 from 10:30-11:15 am OR 11:45 am-12:30 pm
For grades 1-6. Learn why underwater creatures glow in the dark and make a deep-sea lantern.

Clay Fish Aquariums
Tuesday, August 2 from 5-6 pm OR 6:30-7:30 pm
For grades K-6. Learn how to sculpt clay to look like fish and take them home in your own aquarium.

FOR FAMILIES

The Magic of Amore Presents:
Sea of Imagination
Friday, July 8 from 10:30-11:15 am
For families with children in grades K-6. Be mesmerized and mystified by this interactive magic and illusion show!

Wackadoo!
Saturday, July 16 from 11:1-11:45 am OR 12:15-1 pm
For families with children of all ages. Calling all fans of Blury. Let’s play keepy uppy, tackle crabs and dance mode! Join us for an array of fan-favorite activities and even meet a special guest.

NASA ® My Library:
Fish & Fun by the Great South Bay
Saturday, July 16 from 2-4 pm
For families with children of all ages. Join Fire Island National Seashore park rangers for an afternoon of fishing and crabbing fun in the bay! Equipment and bait will be provided. This program will be held at Mascot Dock and Marina in Patchogue.

Sandy Starfish
Wednesday, July 20 from 2-2:45 pm
For ages 2 ½-5 years. Join A Time For Kids for an interactive program about this fun ocean animal.

Dance With Me
Friday, July 22 from 2-2:45 pm
For ages 18-35 months.

Let’s Dance
Friday, July 22 from 3-3:45 pm
For ages 3-5 years.

Books To Belly
Friday, July 25 from 10-10:45 am
For ages 12 months-3 ½ years. Enjoy a tasty treat while pairing children’s literature with healthy food!

Crafty-Play-Palooza
Wednesday, July 27 from 2:30-4:30 pm
For ages 3-5. Design your very own work of art and play with a variety of toys in this mashup activity session!

Kidnastics
Monday, August 1 from 10:30-11:15 am
For ages 18 months-5 years with parent/caregiver. Join Miss Gail for an energetic movement program!

Petra Puppets Presents:
Deep Sea Circus
Tuesday, July 19 from 10:30-11:30 am
For families with children in grades K-6. Dive in for challenges, adventures and waves of laughter with your favorite ventriloquist.

Family Tie Dye
Friday, July 22 from 5-5:45 pm OR 6-6:45 pm OR 7-7:45 pm
For families with children of all ages. All supplies will be provided! Just share your family’s shirt sizes with us upon registration. This program will be held outside on the Carnegie Library lawn and is for Patchogue-Medford cardholders only. Registration for this event begins June 1. Rain date: Friday, July 29.

BenAnna Band
Friday, July 29 from 1:30-2 pm
For families with children 2 years-grade 3. Shake your sillies out with this high-energy, musical performance.

Family Seaside Painting
Saturday, July 30 from 12-1 pm OR 2:30-3:30 pm
For families with children in grades K-6. Miss Olivia will teach your family how to make a beautiful seaside masterpiece together. Please note: Only ONE canvas per family.

Nick the Balloonatic
Monday, August 1 from 2-3 pm
For families with children in grades K-6. Watch crazy balloon art come to life while learning about the history of balloons and the way they impact us all.

Lost at Sea
Saturday, July 23 from 2-3 pm
For families with children in grades K-6. Set sail with us on a thrilling action-packed adventure about a crew of quirky pirates marooned on a desert island.

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For grades 2-6. Touch furs, bones and skulls in this interactive learning program and get to meet a live mammal!

Shark Surveillance
Wednesday, July 27 from 6-7 pm
For grades 1-6. Touch shark jaws and teeth while learning little-known facts about these extraordinary animals.

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**AUGUST** Registration for these events begins on Tuesday, August 2 at 9:30 am.

### INFANT, TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL WITH A PARENT/CAREGIVER

**Island Wayfinder Princess Sing-a-long**
Saturday, August 6 from 11:15-11:45 am OR 12:30-1:15 pm
For ages 3-6. Meet the Island Wayfinder princess, while she sings, dances and shares the story of her journey across the ocean.

**Babies & Books**
Monday, August 8 from 10:15-11 am
For ages 2-11 months with parent/caregiver. Explore the best board books for infants and learn simple rhymes and games, too!

**Crafty-Play-Palooza**
Friday, August 12 from 3-5 pm
For ages 3-5. Design your very own work of art and play with a variety of toys in this mashup activity session!

### SCHOOL AGE

**Help Find Frank**
Thursday, August 4 from 2:30-3:30 pm
For grades 3-6. Frank the dog is missing! Conduct your investigation throughout the Carnegie Library to discover clues and find Frank!

**PML Quiz Show**
Thursday, August 4 from 7-8 pm
For grades 3-6. Test your knowledge in this fun trivia game as your team competes to be quiz show champion.

**Island Wayfinder Princess Sing-a-long**
Saturday, August 6 from 11:15-11:45 am OR 12:30-1:15 pm
For ages 3-6. Meet the Island Wayfinder princess, while she sings, dances and shares the story of her journey across the ocean.

**Makin’ It Healthy**
Saturday, August 6 from 2-3 pm
For grades 4-7. Join Geetu Makin for nutritionist tips, tricks and delicious recipes!

**Mythical Creatures**
Monday, August 8 from 6-7 pm
For grades 4-6. Explore scientific evidence to determine if mythical creatures ever existed or if they were always imaginary.

**Strawberry Shortcake Cups**
Tuesday, August 9 from 11 am-12 pm OR 12:30-1:30 pm
For grades K-6. Celebrate summer by making a strawberry shortcake in a cup with Chef Rob.

### FOR FAMILIES

**Ecuadorian Independence Day Celebration**
Wednesday, August 10 from 3-4 pm
For families with children in grades K-6. Celebrate this historical event with food and crafts.

**Spoon Man**
Thursday, August 11 from 10:30-11:15 am
For families with children in grades K-6. Join us for an interactive, musical, comedic performance filled with spoons, spoons and more spoons!

**Introduction To Mother Goose**
Tuesday, August 16 from 10:30-11 am
For ages 2-24 months with parent/caregiver. Learn classic nursery rhymes and songs.

**Berry Fun Storytime**
Wednesday, August 17 from 11-11:30 am OR 4:30-5 pm
For ages 12 months-3 ½ years with parent/caregiver. Enjoy this berry delicious storyline, with a rhymes and a simple craft! The morning session will be at Axis Cafe in Medford.

### MINECRAFT CLUB

**Minecraft Club**
Tuesday, August 9 from 6-7 pm
For grades K-6. Play Minecraft and complete in-game challenges with other kids who love Minecraft too.

**HOMETOWN EXPLORERS: Storms, Shipwrecks & Surfmen**
Tuesday, August 9 from 7-8 pm
For grades 3-6. Learn about legends and shipwrecks of Fire Island from a Fire Island National Seashore ranger. Then, explore the life of a surfman who once patrolled the beaches and rescued shipwreck victims from the ocean waters. This program will be held at the Carnegie Library, lower-level Museum.

**Music Outside the Box**
Saturday, August 13 from 2-3 pm
For grades K-6. Explore music, learn about string instruments and the science behind them and construct your own box guitar.

**Small Stitches: Back to School Lunch Bags**
Monday, August 15 from 6:30-8 pm
For grades 3-6. Brown-bagging it is more fun (and more sustainable) when your bag is bright, reusable, and made by you!

**Beach Glass Art**
Tuesday, August 16 from 1:30-2:30 pm
For grades K-6. Create a magical underwater scene using beach glass, shells, starfish and crushed glass.

**Campfire Tales & Tunes**
Thursday, August 18 from 7-7:45 pm
For grades K-6. Join us ‘round the PML campfire for fun stories & songs.

### KIDS’ DANCE PARTY

**Kids’ Dance Party**
Friday, August 19 at 7 pm at Shorefront Park. For families with children of all ages. Bring the kids down for a fun night of music and fun! This event is in partnership with the Patchogue Parks and Recreation Department. No registration required.
CLASES EN ESPAÑOL

PARA ADULTOS
Trabajadora Social
Servicio profesional y confidencial en español para ayudar a familias, niños, adolescentes y adultos. Para su cita individual llame al 631-654-4700 ext. 224.

Asesoramiento Profesional con Betty Velez (Virtual)
Los lunes de 5:30 y 8:30 pm
Nuestra consejería profesional bilingüe está disponible en línea para ayudar con currículums, asesoramiento profesional y solicitudes de empleo. Regístrese para una cita de 30 minutos.

Consejería de Inmigración Bilingüe
Los martes de 3-7 pm
Regístrese para una cita de 30 minutos (por teléfono) con un abogado para responder sus preguntas sobre inmigración.

Alfabetización en Español para Adultos
Los sábados a las 2 pm
Llame al 631-654-4700, ext. 405 para inscribirse. ¿Desea aprender a leer y escribir bien en español? Aprenda con la maestra, Aura. Las clases son en persona en la biblioteca.

PARA NIÑOS
Lotería
Miércoles 29 de junio de 4:30-5:30 pm
Para los grados 3-6. Diviértete y gana premios jugando este popular juego de cartas mexicano, similar al BINGO, en inglés y español!

Cuente Bilingüe y Juegos
Jueves 21 de julio de 4:30-5:30 pm
Para grados 3-6. Escuche una historia en inglés y español, participe jugando y practicando sus habilidades lingüísticas.

PARA FAMILIAS
Campamento Tecnológico Bilingüe
Lunes 27 de junio-Jueves 30 de junio de 2:30-4:30 pm
Para edades de 8 a 16 años. Las familias son bienvenidas para hacer proyectos divertidos como un piano de frutas, codificación Scratch 3.0 y los kits de invención Makey Makey para hacer proyectos divertidos como un piano de frutas, codificación Scratch 3.0 y los kits de invención Makey Makey.

Alive After 5
Jueves 14 y 28 de julio y 11 y 25 de agosto
¡Acompáñenos en el césped de la biblioteca Carnegie para disfrutar de manualidades, entretenimiento, un zoológico de mascotas y más! NASA @ Mi Biblioteca: Pesca & Diversión en Great South Bay
Sábado 16 de julio de 2-4 pm
Para familias con niños de todas las edades. ¡Unase a los guardaparques de Fire Island National Seashore para una tarde de pesca y atrapa cangrejos en la bahía! Se proporcionará equipo y cebo. Este programa se llevará a cabo en Mascot Dock and Marina en Patchogue.

Tiñendo en Familia
Viernes 22 de julio de 5-5:45 pm, 6-6:45 pm o 7-7:45 pm en el jardín de la Biblioteca Carnegie
Para familias con niños de todas las edades. La inscripción para este evento comienza el 2 de junio. Este evento se llevará acabo en la Biblioteca Carnegie y es solo para titulares de tarjetas Patchogue-Medford. (en caso de lluvia, viernes 29 de julio)

Celebración del Día de la Independencia Ecuatoriana
Miércoles 10 de agosto de 3-4 pm
Para familias con niños en los grados K-6. Celebra este evento histórico con comida y artesanías.

¡HAY UN CLUB DE LECTURA DE VERANO PARA TODOS EN PML!
1 DE JUNIO - 13 DE AGOSTO

¡Lectura de Verano para Adultos 18+!
¡Regresamos para una experiencia divertida durante el verano leyendo, completando actividades y ganando boletos para la rifa con grandes premios! ¡Regístrese en línea en pmlib.org o en persona en la Biblioteca para recibir su boleto de playa y un cupón para personalizar en nuestro Makerspace! Los premios han sido donados por los Amigos de la Biblioteca de Patchogue-Medford.

¡Gana con el Centro para Jovenes en Los Grados 6-12!
Reéseña libros, películas, juegos, un artículo de nuestra galería de gadgets y artículos, o un programa al que hayas asistido para recibir un boleto de rifa virtual. Los boletos de la rifa virtual pueden ser utilizados para ganar uno de nuestros increíbles paquetes de premios. Tendremos un paquete de arte, un paquete de juegos, un paquete de manga, muchos paquetes de comida y más! Los premios han sido donados por los Amigos de la Biblioteca de Patchogue-Medford.

¡Invitamos a los niños de todas las edades a "Strive for Five" este verano!
Lee 5 libros para ganar boletos para la rifa y premios. Sigue leyendo para ganar “Dólares de arena” para gastar en nuestra Boutique de Playa. ¡Regístrese en línea en pmlib.org o pasa por la Biblioteca para comenzar!

Recería nacionales y relatos que ingresas a pre-K
Los grados K-6

Patrocinado por Island Harvest
¡COMIDA GRATUITA para niños y jóvenes de 18 años y menores!
Makerspace Classes

Unless otherwise indicated, all ages are welcome for Makerspace classes. Younger kids may need an adult to stay and help them.

Can't make a class?

Book an appointment for a one-on-one tutorial at pmlib.org/makerspace

Drop-in Fishbowl Magnets
Saturday, June 25 from 10 am-5 pm
For all ages. Drop in any time to make an aquarium-themed magnet.

Bilingual Afternoon Tech Camp
Monday, June 27 - Thursday, June 30
from 2:30-4:30 pm
For ages 8-16. Families are welcome to stay and assist their students. Learn how to use the Scratch 3.0 coding language and Makey Makey invention kits to make fun projects like a Fruit Piano, a Play-Doh DrumPad, and a Play-Doh GamePad. This is a bilingual course taught by visiting instructor Christian G. Ulloa, MBA, GCT, founder of the Codigo Cero Foundation in Gualaceo, Ecuador.

Print and Paint: Sea Creatures
Tuesday, July 19 from 3:30-4:30 pm
All ages welcome. Tell us which sea creature you’d like us to 3D print for you when you sign up. Then come in to pick up your new sea creature and paint it to your specifications.

Coastal Wine Glasses
Monday, July 25 from 3:30-5:30 pm OR 6:30-8:30 pm
For adults. Create a pair of beach-themed wine glasses using Cricut vinyl.

Personalized Coaster Set
Saturday, August 6 from 3-5 pm
For adults and teens. Younger kids welcome with an adult helper. Make a colorful coaster set with the sublimation printer and heat press.

Embroidered Kitchen Towel
One-on-one class by appointment
All ages welcome. Learn how to use the embroidery machine to personalize a kitchen towel. All supplies provided.

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Sunday (October-May) 1-5 pm
*The Carnegie will be open from 11:30 am-8:30 pm during school vacations.