


PATCHOGUE-MEDFORD LIBRARY

June, July & August 2025



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**SUMMER READING
EXPERIENCES FOR EVERYONE!**

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On the Cover:

Unleash your creativity! Color the cover and return it. You'll be entered into a raffle for a fantastic prize.

Gallery Exhibits

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

From the City to the Sea

by Lori Allen-Bauer
May 5 – June 30

Paintings by Jinsheng Song

July 2 – August 27

Reception: Saturday, August 2 from 2-4 pm

Board of Trustees Meetings:

Tuesdays, June 17, July 15
and August 19 at 5:30 pm

Library Closed:

June 19 - Juneteenth

July 4 - Independence Day

September 1 - Labor Day

The Library will close at
5 pm on the following dates:

June 2 - PMHS Senior Prom
(Rain date: June 9 or June 16)

June 26, July 10, 31 & August 14 - AA5
(Rain date: August 21)



PLEASE NOTE: Photos may be taken in the Library and at events for promotional purposes.

"Reading is the key that opens doors to many good things in life. Reading shaped my dreams, and more reading helped me make my dreams come true."

—Ruth Bader Ginsburg

At the Patchogue Medford Library, we wholeheartedly believe in the power and pleasure of reading.

In today's often overwhelming world, losing yourself in a good book offers a welcome escape and a chance to recharge. Sharing these literary journeys with family and friends can also build bridges, fostering deeper connections and a stronger sense of community where collaboration thrives.

This summer, we invite you to explore the many avenues for reading enjoyment that your Library provides, both in our welcoming spaces and online. Discover a captivating new novel, delve into a thought-provoking memoir, flip through the pages of your favorite magazine, find inspiration in a cookbook, or plan your next great adventure. With convenient digital access through Hoopla, Flipster, and Libby, your next read is always at your fingertips. Looking to connect with others? Check out page 3 - **CARDMEMBERS' CORNER** for book recommendations and discussions. We encourage you to take full advantage of all that your Library has to offer this season!

Don't forget to visit us in person at one of our 3 convenient locations!

Our cherished Main Library at 54-60 East Main Street in Patchogue, a long-standing anchor in our dynamic downtown; the vibrant Carnegie Library for teens (grades 6-12) at 160 West Main Street, which also houses the Greater Patchogue Historical Society Museum; and our thriving new Medford Branch Library at 2151 Horseblock Road in Medford, located within the Medford Athletic Complex.

When registering for programs, please note the location code indicated with each event:

P - Main Library in Patchogue **M** - Medford Branch Library in Medford
C - Carnegie Library * - Off site and out in the community

WE HAVE A LOT OF FUN EVENTS PLANNED THIS SUMMER!

Our 2025 Summer Reading program, "Color Your World" kicks off with the colorful cover of this newsletter. Color it in and bring it to any of our locations to enter a prize raffle! We have exciting reading programs for all ages at all three libraries. Read, explore, and earn rewards—there's something for everyone!

Join us on June 12 as we celebrate the one-year anniversary of the Medford Branch! (See page 3, Tie Dye) It's a perfect opportunity to experience this wonderful new space if you haven't already. The Medford Branch has quickly become a vibrant center for learning, connection, and growth. Whether you're discovering a new story, attending an engaging workshop, or relaxing on the patio, we want you to feel at home.

PMHS Senior Prom & Class of 2025 Recognition

On Monday, June 2, Main Street will be transformed for the PMHS Senior Prom, and **the Library will close early at 5 pm** (note: rain will postpone) to accommodate this unique and special event. **Photo opportunity!** Graduating seniors—be sure to stop by throughout June to take a selfie with your name in our Class of 2025 front window display. **Tag @pmlib @pmlibteen #2025grad** to be entered to win a prize, courtesy of our Friends of the Library.

Alive After Five

We'll be adjusting our hours to close at 5 pm for the Alive After Five street festivals on **June 26, July 10, 31 and August 14 (rain date: August 21).** Join us outside the Main Library for fun, family-friendly activities!

Touch-a-Truck Returns!

Save the date for **Saturday, June 28 from 10 am to 12 pm at Patchogue-Medford High School** for the return of our popular Touch-a-Truck event! It's free and open to everyone.

Congratulations to Betsy Kennedy on her re-election to the Library Board of Trustees. And a heartfelt thank you to the Patchogue-Medford community for your continued support through the approval of the 2025–2026 Library Budget. Your investment allows us to continue providing enriching programs, beautiful community spaces, and the dedicated staff you rely on every day. We are so grateful to be a part of such a supportive and engaged community. Whether you're a long-time friend or a new visitor, everyone is welcome at the Library!

See you at the Library!

—The Director and Staff of the Patchogue-Medford Library



Become an Advocate!

If you value the Library, please consider becoming a Library Superhero! Libraries are vital to a healthy democracy, offering free access to information that empowers us all. To help ensure continued library funding, please sign up to be an advocate at www.nyla.org/become-an-advocate.

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SUFFOLK COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARIES' SUMMER TOUR IS BACK!

The Suffolk County Public Libraries' Summer Tour is back and ready for you! Starting July 1, grab your FREE tour booklet at any Suffolk County library and embark on a summer-long adventure until August 31st. Your mission? Visit as many Suffolk County libraries as you can, discover each library's unique color swatch and collect their special stamp in your booklet. Hit 5, 15 and 25 library visits to unlock entries into fantastic raffles! Reach the 25-library milestone and you'll be crowned a Summer Tour Library Artist, receiving a special commemorative patch to celebrate your achievement (available while supplies last).

Get set to "Color Your World"
within Suffolk County's libraries!

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HIGHLIGHTS & COMMUNITY EVENTS

Please note locations: (P) - Main Building (M) - Medford Branch (C) - Carnegie Library * - Offsite

Tie Dye & Anniversary Party

Thursday, June 12 at 4:30 or 5:30 or 6:30 pm (M)
For all ages. Celebrate the one year anniversary of the Medford Branch with tie dye! **Register now** - for one session only.

NYC Train Tickets

Saturdays, June 14, July 19 and August 16*
Meet a Library representative at the Patchogue Train Station no later than 8:20 am and ride together into Penn Station on the 8:43 am train. Return any time that day. **Nonrefundable tickets must be purchased in advance at the Public Services Desk at the MAIN BUILDING via cash or credit card for \$10.75 per person over the age of 5.**

2025 PMLIB Talent Show Auditions

Friday, June 20 from 4-6 pm (M)
Monday, June 30 from 4-6 pm (P)
For grades K-12. Calling all singers, dancers, magicians and/or comedians! Audition for a spot in the 2025 PMLIB Talent Show! **Must be available for the Talent Show on Friday, August 8 and dress rehearsal on Wednesday, August 6.**

Alive After Five

Thursdays, June 26, July 10, July 31, August 14*
The Library will close at 5 pm on the above dates, but you can join us outside the front entrance for some family-friendly activities from 5-8 pm. Sponsored by the Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce. Rain date: August 21

Medford Dance Party on the Patio

The following Fridays from 6:30-8:30 (M)
June 27 - Line Dancing
July 25 - Disco
August 22 - Reggae
Get down on the "dance floor" to live music and practice your moves with a professional dance instructor on the patio of our Medford Branch. Rain will move indoors. This program is sponsored by a cultural Omnibus grant awarded by Legislator Nick Carracappa and the Suffolk County Office of Cultural Affairs.

Touch-a-Truck

Saturday, June 28 from 10 am-12 pm at the Patchogue-Medford High School*
See, touch and explore heavy machinery and meet the people who build, protect and serve the community. No registration required.

Davis Park Storytimes

Tuesdays, July 8, 15, 22, 29 and August 5 at 11 am*
For families. Meet us at Davis Park, Fire Island. Take a break from the beach and join us on the boardwalk for a splashy storytime in the shade!

Medford Concert Series

Wednesdays, July 9, 23, August 6, 20 and September 5 at 7 pm*
Come visit us at Medford Memorial Park (next to Carvel) to listen to music. Sponsored by the Medford Chamber of Commerce and Suffolk County Legislator Dominick Thorne.

Great South Bay Music Festival

Thursday, July 24-Sunday, July 27 at Shorefront Park*
Festival attendees - look for the Library tent for fun freebies and phone charging from Friday-Sunday.

Ecuadorian Independence Celebration

Thursday, August 7 at 6:30 pm (P)
Learn about Ecuadorian culture while sampling some amazing food from local vendors! **Register now.**

Circus on Main & Talent Show

Friday, August 8 from 5-9 pm (P)
Main Street is closed for an awesome night of family fun, games and activities! All ages welcome. This event is sponsored by the Family Fun Committee of the Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce. **Don't forget to stop by the Capital One Plaza for PMLIB's 2025 Talent Show starting at 6 pm*!**

Everybody Eats: Salad!

Saturday, August 9 from 11 am-1 pm (P)
Contribute to a potluck lunch featuring all kinds of salads- from leafy greens and fruit to macaroni and potato! Contributing a dish is welcome but not required. All are welcome to enjoy. **Register now.**

Kids Dance & Foam Party for Families

Friday, August 29 at 7 pm at Shorefront Park*
Bring the kids down for a family night of music, dancing and FOAM! Dress for a mess. No registration needed. This event is sponsored by the Patchogue Parks and Recreation Department.

THE PMLIB CARDMEMBERS' CORNER



Find out what books are trending with other people in your community by checking our top 10 list of the most checked out books each month.

See page 5 for information on our adult summer reading challenge!

BOOK REVIEW Anxious People by Fredrik Backman

Anxious People is a heartwarming and witty novel about a botched bank robbery that turns into a bizarre hostage situation. Through a diverse cast of flawed yet lovable characters, Backman explores themes of anxiety, human connection and second chances. His signature blend of humor and poignancy shines as he delves into the struggles and vulnerabilities of ordinary people.

The novel's nonlinear narrative and multiple perspectives create an engaging, layered story that keeps readers invested. While at times chaotic, the storytelling ultimately reinforces the idea that everyone carries unseen burdens. Backman's compassionate writing makes *Anxious People* more than just a comedic crime drama—it's a touching reflection on the importance of empathy and understanding.

—Benson Babu, March 2025

FOR BOOK LOVERS! Register now, unless otherwise noted.

Sip 'n Silence

Tuesday, June 17 at 5:30 pm*
BYO-book and join us at Better Man Distilling Co. for an hour dedicated to quiet reading time before the **KayReadWhat BookTok** event!

Pages & Posts: An Evening with KayReadWhat

Tuesday, June 17 at 6:30 pm*
Join us at Better Man Distilling Co. for a discussion with popular book-focused influencer and Long Island native **KayReadWhat! Kayla** has amassed a huge following with her reviews of female-focused historical fiction and has even used her platform to land a job with a publisher!

Pride Month Book Discussion

Tuesday, June 24 at 6:30 pm (M)
Celebrate Pride Month with a book discussion about *The In-Between Bookstore* by Edward Underhill. Place a hold on a copy of the book by contacting the Library.

Extreme Book Challenge Ice Cream Social

Tuesday, July 1 at 6:30 pm (M)
EBC participants: come to this VIP event and enjoy a cool snack. Space is limited.

Paddle Pub Book Discussion

Wednesday, July 16 at 6 pm*
Paddle down the Patchogue River while discussing your current read. Space is limited and latecomers will not be accommodated. Rain or shine. **PMLIB cardholders only. Register beginning July 2. Boat will depart from the boardwalk across from the Harbor Crab.**

Main Character Energy Book Club

Do you love an unhinged, unreliable narrator with questionable motives and great vibes? Then Main Character Energy is your kind of book club. This summer, we're diving into stories of offbeat, chaotic and compelling protagonists.

Tuesday, August 5 at 6:30 pm (M) -

The Guest by Emma Cline

Tuesday, September 2 at 6:30 pm (M) -

Bunny by Mona Awad

WE CAN HELP

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

Meet with a Licensed Social Worker (P)

To make an appointment call ext. 152 or email socialworkers@pmlib.org.

Practice for the Citizenship Interview (P/M)

A librarian will help you prepare by reviewing questions that may come up in your interview. Call ext. 252 for a 30 minute appointment

Career Counseling (Bilingual)

Mondays from 5:30-8:30 pm (P)

Get help with resumes, career advice and job applications. Call ext. 152 to make 30-minute appointment. **Attend in person or via Zoom.**

English Conversation Group

Mondays from 7-8 pm (P)

Practice your English conversation skills.

Bilingual Immigration Counseling

Tuesdays from 3-7 pm (P)

Call ext. 152 to sign up for a 30-minute appointment with a lawyer to answer your immigration questions.

One-on-One Genealogy Assistance

Thursdays (P)

Call ext. 152 for an appointment. Get expert assistance for all of your genealogy questions.

Community Legal Help Project (P)

Volunteer attorneys will give free legal help to Suffolk County residents ONLY. Appointments preferred. Call 631-822-3272 to make an appointment.

ADDICTION & RECOVERY HELP:

SMART

Friends & Family Workshop

Saturdays at 10 am (P)

For family and friends of people with addictive behavior.

SMART Recovery

Saturdays at 12 pm (P)

For people struggling with addiction.

Healthcare Navigators with HWCLI

Tuesdays, June 3, 17, July 1, 15, August 5, 19 from 10 am-6 pm (P)

Health & Welfare Council of Long Island's qualified bilingual Healthcare Navigators will help you choose the right plan and help you complete applications for Medicaid, Essential Plans, Child Health Plus and Qualified Health Plans. Call to schedule an appointment: 516-505-4426.

Medicaid Enrollment for the Aged, Blind & Disabled

Wednesdays, June 4, July 2 and August 6 or Mondays, June 23, July 28 and August 25 from 3-6:30 pm (P)

Facilitated enrollers trained by NYS Dept of Health assist the aged, blind and disabled populations enroll into Medicaid programs free of charge. Service is on a first-come, first-served basis. A Spanish speaker will be available.

HIICAP (Health Insurance Information Counselling Assistance Program)

Thursdays, June 12, July 10 and August 14 from 10 am-1 pm (P)

Trained volunteers provide guidance, by appointment, to those with questions involving MEDICARE. Call the Library to make an appointment at 631-654-4700 ext. 152.

Senior Advocate

Friday, June 20 from 2:30-4:30 pm (P)

A representative from Suffolk County Office of the Aging will discuss different benefits and programs that Suffolk County offers its senior residents. The Advocate is available on a walk-in basis; no appointment required. Call the Library for details.

FOR ADULTS

Register now, unless otherwise noted. Visit our events calendar online at pmlib.org or call 631-654-4700, ext. 152 for more information and to register.

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LEARN SOMETHING NEW

Attend in person or via zoom, unless otherwise noted.

Camp Like a Pro: The Beginner's Guide to the Great Outdoors

Wednesday, June 4 and Thursday, June 5 at 6:30 pm (P)

Learn the basics of camping- from equipment, campsite setup, safety and first aid, to cooking and fire starting. Attend both sessions. **In person only.**

Virtual Genealogy Discussion Group

Wednesdays, June 18, July 16 and August 13 at 10 am

Get help with researching your ancestors.

Attend via Zoom only.

Defensive Driving with Empire Safety Council

Saturdays, June 7 (P)

OR August 30 (M) from 10:30 am-4:30 pm

Reduce violation points and get a discount on auto insurance. \$33 Cashcredit per person due to the instructor at the beginning of class. **In person only.**

The High Line: New York's Park in the Sky

Thursday, June 12 at 7 pm (P)

Join architectural historian and preservationist Jane Cowan for an armchair expedition to this dynamic destination.

Coffee with a Curator | Contemporary Textile

Saturday, June 14 at 12 pm at MoCA L.I.*

This program is presented in partnership with the Patchogue Arts Council and the in-person portion of this program will take place at MoCA LI.

Computer Classes

Monday, June 23 pm at 3 pm (M) - [Computer Basics](#)

Monday, June 30 at 3 pm (M) - [Internet Safety & Security](#)

Monday, July 21 at 3 pm (M) - [Smart Home Devices](#)

In person only.

Understanding Life Insurance

Wednesday, July 30 at 6:30 pm (P)

Learn about term, whole life and indexed universal life insurance, blending and the living and death benefits that are available.

AI Vision: Harnessing Artificial Intelligence for Image Creation

Thursday, August 7 at 6:30 pm (P)

Learn about how AI image generators work, how you can use some of them for free and learn how to identify "deep fakes."

Start Climbing Your Family Tree: An Introduction to Genealogy

Monday, August 25 at 6:30 pm (M)

Join genealogist Sarah Gutman and learn how and where to start planting your family tree. Find out what records are out there and how to utilize Ancestry and FamilySearch.

Make registration easier by using your library barcode number!

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Attend in person, unless otherwise noted.

It's Yoga Time!

Stretch, breathe and gain flexibility while practicing mindfulness during our weekly yoga classes.

Start Your Day the Right Way: Yin Yoga

Every Tuesday, except July 29 and August 5 at 7 am (C)

Attend in person or via Zoom.

Yoga with Rachel

Every Tuesday, except June 10, July 15, 29 and August 5 at 6:30 pm (M)

Vinyasa Yoga Flow

Every Thursday, except June 19, July 31 and August 7, at 7 am (C)

Attend in person or via Zoom.

Chair Yoga

Mondays, June 2, 9, 16 & 30 at 10:30 am (M?)

Senior Fitness

Every Friday, except July 4 and August 22 at 12 pm (P)

Get moving with a light workout. Bring water and a set of light weights if possible.

Smoking Cessation Support Group

First Wednesdays starting August 6 at 6 pm (M)

Hosted by Suffolk Department of Health Services.

Healing Qigong

Saturdays, June 7, 14, 21, 28 and

Mondays, July 28, August 4, 11 & 25 at 10:30 am (M)

This ancient practice combines physical and breathing exercises and meditation to promote well-being. Bring a yoga mat & water.

What a Pain in the Neck...and Back! - With Mather Hospital

Friday, June 13 at 10 am (P)

Gain valuable information about common causes of back and neck pain, prevention strategies and treatment options. **Attend in person or online.**

ABCs of Medicare & Estate Planning

Friday, June 13 at 2 pm (P)

Explore the basics of Medicare with an Elder Law attorney. **Attend in person or via Zoom.**

Navigating Senior Care in Suffolk County

Friday, June 20 at 2 pm (P)

Attend in person or via Zoom.

Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group

Fourth Monday of the month at 1 pm (M)

Hosted by the Alzheimer's Disease Resource Center.

The Sleep Solution: Natural Remedies and Essential Oils for Better Sleep

Wednesday, June 25 at 6:30 pm (P)

Promote relaxation and sleep naturally with essential oils, sleep space tips and techniques. Create a calming roller.

The Golden Ratio of Nature

Monday, July 7 at 6:30 pm (M)

Discover how the Fibonacci Ratio (Phi) relates to the human body and how we can energetically tune ourselves to it and feel grounded.

Decoding Your Benefits:

A Guide to Understanding Your EOBs

Monday, July 14 at 2 pm (M)

Understand your Explanation of Benefits and know your responsibility for rendering medical care. **Attend in person or via Zoom.**

Staying Fit and Balanced

Friday, June 27 at 1 pm (P)

Attend in person or via Zoom.

Long-term Care Services for Seniors: Medicare vs. Medicaid

Monday, July 28 at 2 pm (M)

Discuss the different options for long-term care services with a Senior Associate from Burner Prudenti Law. **Attend in person or via Zoom.**

Pedal Power:

Spin Class at the Patchogue Family YMCA

Tuesday, July 29 at 6:30 pm*

Get your heart pumping during this indoor cycling session

PMLIB cardholders only. Registration begins July 15.

Catholic Health Mobile Outreach Bus

Thursday, August 7 from 10 am-2 pm (P)

Free health screenings for adults 18+ by a Catholic Health registered nurse. No appointment necessary.

Dance Fitness

Tuesdays, August 19 and 26 at 6:30 pm (P)

Discover how to incorporate fitness movements into dancing in a judgment-free space while having fun!



June 2-August 16

JOIN THE SUMMER READING CHALLENGE!

This summer, reading is your art form!

PMLIB Cardholders 18 + are invited to join our 2025 Not-So-Extreme Adult Summer Reading Challenge, Prismatic Pageturners!

This spin-off offers a lighter commitment, perfect for busy adults. Unleash your inner (reading) artist by submitting colorful reviews inspired by this year's theme, Color Your World. Ebooks and audiobooks count too!



Earn virtual raffle tickets for chances to win prizes throughout the summer. Receive a complimentary virtual raffle ticket, mini adult coloring book and rainbow color pencil (while supplies last) when you register.

MEET, MAKE & CREATE REGISTER FOR ONE SESSION ONLY.

Registration for PMLIB cardholders begins two weeks before the program, unless otherwise noted. Out-of-district residents may register one week prior, if space allows.

Do the Write Thing

Thursdays, June 5, 26, July 17, 24 and August 21, 28 at 2 pm (M)
Write, share and discuss different kinds of creative writing. **Attend in person at the Medford Branch or via Zoom. Register now.**

En Plein Air Painting at Shorefront Park

Monday, June 9 at 6:30 pm*
Meet us near the bandshell for a self-guided "en plein air" (outdoor) paint session. Paint supplies will be provided, but we encourage you to bring your own easel.

Stained Glass Rainbow Butterfly

Tuesday, June 10 at 5:30 pm (M)
OR Wednesday, June 11 at 6 pm (P)
Celebrate Pride month by making a beautiful stained glass rainbow butterfly. **PMLIB cardholders only.**

The Golden Years/Años Dorados (Bilingual)

Wednesdays, June 11, 25, July 9, 23 and August 6, 13 at 10:30 am (P)
Enjoy your golden years with new friendships, games, entertainment and a delicious cup of coffee. **Register now.**

Beachy Resin Trinket Dish

Monday, June 16 (M) OR
Wednesday, June 18 (P) at 6:30 pm
Create a custom-designed, beach-themed trinket dish perfect for storing jewelry, keys, or other small treasures.

All Abilities

Tuesday, June 17 at 10:30 am (M) -
[Color Your Own Magnet or Button](#)
Tuesday, July 22 at 10:30 am (M) -
[Color Your Own T-Shirt](#)
These programs are geared towards patrons 18 years and older with sensory issues, those on the autism spectrum, or those who have other specific needs. **Register now.**

Video Game Escape Room

Tuesday, June 17 at 5 pm OR 6 pm OR 7 pm (P)
Do you have what it takes to get out, or will it be game over? **Register now.**

Bingo With Barbara

Friday, June 20 at 10 am (P)
Play Bingo and win prizes! **Register now.**

Learn to Knit With "Craft & Hobby"

Monday, June 23 at 6 pm (M)
Check out our new Craft and Hobby database and learn how to knit. **Attend in person or via Zoom.**

Mah Jongg for Beginners

Tuesdays, June 24 and July 1, 8 at 10:30 am (M)
Learn how to play the ancient game of Mah Jong, with its strategies, tiles and sequences. **Register now.**

Jewelry Making: Wire Wrapped Earrings

Saturday, June 28 from 1-3 pm (P)
OR Tuesday, July 1 at 1 pm (M)

Paint Night: Independence Day Lighthouse

Monday, June 30 at 6 pm (M) OR
Wednesday, July 2 at 6:30 pm (P)
Join us for a beginner-friendly paint night with Happy Little Brush Strokes.

Team Trivia at New Village

Monday, July 7 at 6:30 pm at New Village*
We'll be covering a smorgasbord of categories at our latest installment of team trivia! Meet us in the Community Room at 1 Village Green Way in Patchogue. Enter through the archway on Lake St. **Register now.**

Drop-in Sand Candle Craft

Tuesday, July 8 from 11 am-7 pm (P)
Sandcastles are fun to make, but so are sand candles! Design your own colorful candle made from sand and wax. While supplies last. **Register now.**

Rolling in Dough: Cavatelli Pasta Making

Wednesday, July 9 from 6:30-8:30 pm (P)
Make your own pasta dough to shape and emboss into cavatelli noodles with Chef Judy. Then take them home to cook and enjoy. Bring a mixing bowl and cutting board if possible.

Baila Conmigo: Salsa

Fridays, July 11, 18 and 25 at 1:30 pm (P)
Learn to dance salsa with professional dancer and instructor Michelle Vocale-Smith.

Pickleball 101: Serve, Smash and Score!

Saturday, July 12 at 10 am*
Meet us at Paddles Up Pickleball in Bellport to learn the basics of the game - rules, scoring and warm up techniques. Then practice what you've learned on the court! All equipment will be provided. **PMLIB cardholders only.**

Plaza Mac Watch Party: Stand By Me

Monday, July 14 at 6:30 pm*
Enjoy a special screening of a popular film at the Plaza Cinema & Media Arts Center in Patchogue. **PMLIB cardholders only.**

Diamond Painting

Tuesday, July 15 at 6 pm (M)
Using tiny resin rhinestones and a pre-printed canvas, you'll create your own sparkling masterpiece.

Tiffany-Inspired Painted Candleholder

Saturday, July 19 at 10 am (P) OR 1:30 (M)
Paint a glass vase in the style of Tiffany's Magnolias & Irises and finish it off with twinkling lights.

Adult Survivor: Summer Edition

Saturday, July 19 from 11 am-2 pm at Fireman's Park*
Adult Survivor is (sort of) going off the grid! Meet us at Fireman's Park on Dewitt Ave, near Shorefront Park, for a special outdoor installment of our version of the hit TV show! **Register now.**

Bingo With Barbara: Movie Night Edition

Monday, July 21 at 6:30 pm (M)
A cinema-inspired Bingo Night with trivia and popcorn!

Emo Karaoke

Tuesday, July 22 from 6-9 pm at The Social Bar & Pizza*
It's an emo kid summer! Get angsty on the mic at our second edition of emo karaoke. **Register now.**

Crochet & Conversation

Mondays, July 28, August 11, 25 and September 8 at 5:30 pm (M)
Bring your own crochet materials and meet at Medford for our new, bi-weekly instructional series.

Sublimation Journals

Saturday, August 2 at 10:30 am (P)
OR Monday, August 4 at 6 pm (M)
Use our heat press to put any image on the cover of your very own pocket journal!

Nostalgia Night: Disney Channel Original Movies

Tuesday, August 5 at 6:30 pm at Standard Rec*
Join us as we discuss our favorite DCOMs like Zenon, High School Musical and Descendants! There will be fun photo ops, games and light bites. **Register now.**

Everybody Eats: Salad

Saturday, August 9 from 11 am-1 pm
For details see page 3 - HIGHLIGHTS & COMMUNITY EVENTS.

Exploding Canvas

Monday, August 11 (M) OR
Wednesday, August 13 (P) at 6:30 pm
Explore depth, motion and creative expression while crafting a piece that literally pops off the canvas.

Smash Bros. Tournament

Friday, August 15 from 5:30-9 pm (M)
All skill levels welcome. Bring your A-game and see if you have what it takes to claim the title of Smash Champion! **Register now.**

Needle Felted Mermaid

Saturday, August 16 at 10 am (P)
OR Monday, August 18 at 5:30 pm (M)
Practice the technique of transforming wool into 3D objects using needle and felt.

Açaí Bowls

Wednesday, August 20 at 6:30 pm (P)
Saturday, August 23 at 10:30 am (M)
Create your own açai bowl with a variety of sweet and savory toppings.

Judy's Cucina: Italian bread

Wednesday, September 3 at 7:30 pm (P)
Please bring a large mixing bowl and rubber spatula to class.



Patchogue-Medford Carnegie Teen Center

160 West Main St. | 631-654-4700, ext. 500

Hours: Monday-Friday: 2:30-8:30 pm

Saturdays: 12:30-5:30 pm

Sundays: Closed

REGENTS TEST PREP

Sponsored by Patchogue-Medford Friends of the Library. Register now.

Geometry Review

Monday, June 9 from 3-5 pm (P)

Algebra 1 Review

Monday, June 16 from 3-5 pm (P)

Algebra 2 Review

Monday, June 23 from 3-5 pm (P)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

These can be completed at any time.
No registration required.

- Bookmarks for Service
- Teen Book Review
- Food Donations
- Letters for Rose
- Care Package Item Donations



Text @pmlv to 81010 for new and updated volunteer opportunities at the Library and in the community!

For more information or to submit a book review go to pmlib.org/application/volunteer-opportunities



FOR TEENS IN GRADES 6-12

Programs will be held at the Carnegie Teen Center, unless otherwise noted. Register for ONE session only - in person, online at pmlib.org or by phone 631-654-4700 ext. 500. Patchogue-Medford Library patrons are given first priority. Please have your library card when registering. **If you need special accommodations, please call ext. 500.**

Please note locations: (P) - Main Building (M) - Medford Branch (C) - Carnegie Library * - Offsite

Local History Room

Wednesdays from 5-8 pm and the second Saturday of every month from 2-4 pm (P)
For families with children in grades K-12.
Drop in and see what you can discover!

Jóvenes

Thursdays from 6:30-8 pm
Are you newly arrived to the USA and in grades 6-12? Join us for fun activities and make friends with people your age from different countries.

JUNE Registration for these events begins on Monday, June 2 at 9:30 am.

Graduation Cap Decorating

The month of June
Stop by the Carnegie with your graduation cap to decorate it using our supplies.
No registration required.

Pride Month Suncatchers

The month of June (P)
Celebrate Pride Month by creating a suncatcher, to hang in a sunny window to brighten any room. **No registration required.**

Battle of the Books Practice

Mondays, June 9, 16 and 23 from 6:30-8 pm
For teens entering grades 6-9 in September. Get free books and practice for this fun countywide competition! Full practice schedule will be provided to participants.

Mystery Video Game Tournament

Tuesday, June 10 from 5-6:30 pm
Compete in a video game tournament against your friends! The winner will receive a small prize and have their name added to our leader board.

3D Printed Pokémon Inspired Planters

Wednesday, June 11 from 6-7:30 pm
Use Tinkercad to combine your love for adorable monsters with a passion for plants in this Makerspace collaboration.

Perler Beads

Thursday, June 12 from 5-6:30 pm
Make your own Perler bead creation!

Ribbon Pride Flags

Friday, June 13 from 4-5 pm
Create your own vibrant hanging ribbon flag. Design it inspired by a traditional Pride flag or create your own vibrant rainbow.

Manga Mania

Tuesday, June 17 from 5:30-6:45 pm
Try some Japanese snacks and discuss Manga with us! Stop by the Carnegie Branch beforehand to get the book we'll be discussing. New books will be given at each session.

Improv Comedy Class

Wednesday, June 18 from 6-7:30 pm (M)
Have some laughs, hone your acting skills and practice thinking on the spot with an evening of hilarious improv comedy games.

Manga Sketch Club

Friday, June 20 from 7-8 pm
Show off your drawing talent with this sketch club. Learn about different types of artistic techniques and compete in drawing challenges.

Gunpla & Chill

Tuesday, June 24 from 6-8 pm
Interested in Mecha Anime? Relax and build your own posable Gundam Plastic Model kit to take home. No experience required, all tools are provided.

Watercolor Paint Night

Wednesday, June 25 from 6-7:30 pm (M)
Create a marine-themed watercolor scene using a negative painting technique!

BINGO

Friday, June 27 from 6:30-7:30 pm
Win fun prizes by playing BINGO with your friends!

VR Experience

Tuesday, July 1 from 5-7 pm
Sample some immersive Virtual Reality games and software with the Library's HTC Vive headset!

Seashell Windchimes

Thursday, July 3 from 3-4 pm
Make a windchime using seashells and glass beads.

JULY Registration for these events begins on Tuesday, July 1 at 9:30 am.

Mystery Video Game Tournament

Tuesday, July 8 from 5-6:30 pm
See details in JUNE.

Tie Dye Day

Wednesday, July 9 from 4-5 pm
Join us outside Carnegie to tie-dye! We will have plain white t-shirts for registrants, but feel free to bring one item of your choosing to tie-dye. Dress for a mess! **Rain will cancel.**

Summer Sand Painting

Friday, July 11 from 6:30-7:30 pm
Transform colorful sands into stunning, textured artwork. Relax while you create these vibrant, one-of-a-kind masterpieces!

Manga Mania

Tuesday, July 15 from 5:30-6:45 pm
See details in JUNE.

Improv Comedy Class

Wednesday, July 16 from 4:30-6 pm (M)
See details in JUNE.

Summer Cupcake Decorating

Friday, July 18 from 6-7 pm
Join us to decorate beachy summer cupcakes! ***This program may not be suitable for teens with allergies.**

Epic Tabletop RPG Adventure

Saturday, July 19 from 1-4 pm
Become the hero in your own epic tale! Join our gaming expert, Michael, to slay dragons, outwit villains and craft legendary adventures - no experience needed, just bring your imagination and he'll guide you through the rest!

Paper Airplane Contest

Wednesday, July 23 from 4-5 pm
Fold, fly and compete with paper airplanes in a series of fun challenges like distance, airtime and acrobatics. Prizes await the top pilots!

Presentation Night

Friday, July 25 from 6-7:30 pm
Test your speaking skills and present hilarious topics of your choice. Snacks and laughs included.

Universal Yums

Wednesday, July 30 from 6:30-7:30 pm
Explore other countries through trivia and a variety of snacks! ***This program may not be suitable for Teens with food allergies.**



JOIN OUR SUMMER READING & REWARDS PROGRAM!

JUNE 2-AUGUST 16

The Carnegie Teen Center is offering plenty of opportunities for teens in grades 6-12 to earn exclusive prizes (while also keeping their brains sharp!). Here's how:

Step 1

Scan the QR code or visit the Carnegie Teen Center to sign up and receive a colorful vinyl sticker

Step 2

Submit a thoughtful review of a Teen program, book, video game, movie, or gadget of your choice. Submissions are made online, submit as many as you'd like!

Step 3

Earn a raffle ticket for each review submitted. Want to see the prizes available? Scan the QR code.

Step 4

Complete 5+ reviews and receive an invitation to the Carnegie Teen Center's after-hours end of summer party!

AUGUST

Registration for these events begins on Friday, August 1 at 9:30 am.



Open the Door to Ecuador

Tuesday, August 5 from 4-5 pm
Celebrate all things Ecuador! ¡Celebra todo lo relacionado con Ecuador! ***This program may not be suitable for Teens with food allergies.**

DIY Sublimation Journals

Wednesday, August 6 from 7-8:30 pm (P)
Create a journal that's all for you! Using sublimation, design bold, colorful covers that are perfect for back to school.

Pressed Flower Candle Holders

Thursday, August 7 from 4-5 pm
Make a pretty candle holder using flowers!

Splash Painting

Monday, August 11 from 4-5 pm
Cool off and get creative! Use water, paint, sponges and squirt bottles to decorate canvas banners with splashy designs. ***Wear clothes that can get messy or wet. Rain date: Friday, August 15.**

Manga Mania

Tuesday, August 12 from 5:30-6:45 pm
See details in *JUNE*.

Improv Comedy Class

Wednesday, August 13 from 4:30-6 pm (M)
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Epic Tabletop RPG Adventure

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Exclusive Carnegie after-hours end-of-summer party!

Saturday, August 16 from 5:30-7:30pm

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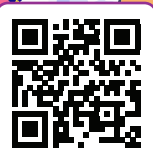


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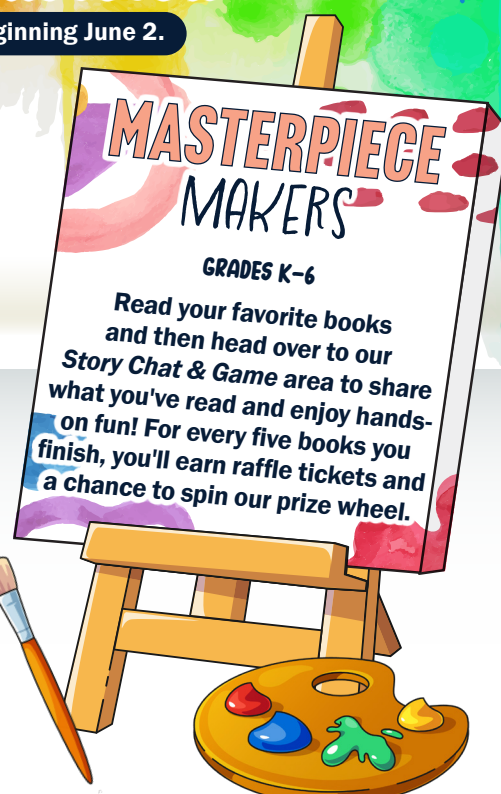
JUNE 27–AUGUST 16

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Visit starting JUNE 27,
during regular library hours!



FOR FAMILIES

ONE REGISTRATION PER FAMILY.

JUNE

Registration for these events begins on Monday, June 2.

Color Your World: A Summer Art Exhibit

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Hometown Explorers: The Living Shoreline

Saturday, June 21 from 10:30-11:30 am*

For ages K-6 with parent/family. Join us for a guided walk-through of Patchogue's innovative Shorefront Park. We'll unveil the project's hidden workings and meet some of the native plants and animals working to protect your shoreline, improve water quality and restore habitat. ***This program will take place at Shorefront Park in Patchogue.**

Family Fun Express

Sunday, June 29 at 10:30 am*

For families with children ages 5 and up. Visit Long Island Live Steamers and enjoy riding miniature trains together throughout the park. Children must ride the train with their grownup. Rain will cancel. **PMLIB cardholders only. *This program will take place at Southaven Park - 189 Gerard Rd. in Yaphank.**

JULY

Registration for these events begins on Tuesday, July 1.

BenAnna Band

Monday, July 7 from 10:30-11:15 am (P)

For families with children of all ages. Come enjoy fabulous music and fun for the whole family!

Incredible Shell Art

Wednesday, July 9 from 10-11 am (P)

For families with children in grades 3-6. Together make a beautiful, intricate mandala shell masterpiece. Each family will go home with one beautiful framed piece of art that they created together.

Shark Tale & Craft with author Nina Ross

Wednesday, July 9 from 4:30-5:30 pm (P)

For families with children ages 2 to grade 3. Meet "Montauk Mike", the friendly shark on a mission! Author Nina Ross shares stories of this determined and hungry explorer, followed by a sharktastic craft.

Perfect Pollinators at Woodside Nursery

Friday, July 11 at 4:30 pm or 6 pm*

For families with children in grades K-6. Join us for an interactive science program to discover the importance of pollinators. ***This program will take place at Woodside Nursery in Patchogue.**

Summer Flip Flop Paint n' Sip

Tuesday, July 15 from 6:30-8 pm (P)

Saturday, July 19 from 11 am-12:30 pm (M)

For families with children in grades K-6. Adults and children can work together to paint a summer masterpiece while sipping sparkling cider. **Please note: each family receives only 2 canvases. Dress for a mess.**

Science Heroes: Adventure of the Missing Color

Monday, July 21 at 10-10:45 am (P)

For families with children in grades K-6. Come enjoy this highly interactive show. There will be fun and exciting science experiments with audience volunteers.

Edge of Your Seat Magic

Tuesday, July 22 from 6:30-7:15 pm (P)

For families with children ages 4 and up. Enjoy this award-winning show, which balances amazing magic and comedy.

PetraPuppets Presents: Carnival of Colors

Tuesday, July 29 from 6:30-7:30 pm (P)

For families with children in grades K-6. Bring the family to enjoy a fun-filled puppet show.

AUGUST

Registration for these events begins on Friday, August 1.

Jam with the Fam

Thursday, August 7 from 6:30-7:15 pm (M)

For families with children in grades 1-5. Join us for an inter-generational drum circle using various percussion instruments that will be provided. No experience required.

Family Fun Express

Sunday, August 10 at 10:30 am*

For families with children ages 5 and up. See details in JUNE.

Fruit Salsa Fiesta

Monday, August 11 from 5-6 pm or 6:30-7:30 pm (P)

For families with children in grades K-6. Whip up a refreshing summer treat with a side of cinnamon tortilla chips.

StoryFaces: Art and Stories Show

Tuesday, August 12 from 6-7 pm (P)

For families with children of all ages. Bring the family for this creative adventure through stories and painted faces. The artist will pick volunteers to paint while telling an exciting tale.

Hometown Explorers: The Night Sky

Wednesday, August 13 from 7:30-8:45 pm*

For grades K-5. Observe the night sky with a ranger and see what celestial bodies we can identify.

***This program will take place at Wertheim National Wildlife Refuge in Shirley.**

Traveling Sea Treasures

Thursday, August 14 from 6-7:30 pm (M)

For families with children in grades 1-6. Step aboard the discovery bus! The "Tumbled by the Sea" mobile museum showcases the magic of sea glass with this interactive exhibit on wheels.

Dino Discovery at Woodside Nursery

Friday, August 15 at 4:30 pm or 6 pm*

For families with children in grades K-6. Come see life-size dinosaurs, build with dinosaur bones and have fun learning about these amazing creatures. ***This program will take place at Woodside Nursery in Patchogue.**

FOR KIDS

Register in person, online at pmlib.org or by phone at 631-654-4700 ext. 200. Patchogue-Medford Library patrons are given first priority. Please have your library card when registering. If you or your child need an accommodation, please let us know at registration.

Please note locations: (P) - Main Building (M) - Medford Branch (C) - Carnegie Library * - Offsite

JUNE Registration for these events begins on Monday, June 2 at 9:30 am.

INFANT, TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL WITH A PARENT/CAREGIVER

Lil Athletes Kiddies & Lil Athletes Junior

Friday, June 6 (P)

From 2-2:45 pm - For ages 18-35 months.

From 3-3:45 pm - For ages 3-5 years.

A mix of basic skills, fitness concepts and beginner offensive and defensive learning will be used to engage little athletes in the fundamentals of sports!

Babies Boogie & Toddlers Tango

Tuesday, June 10 (P)

From 5-5:45 pm - [For ages 3-17 months.](#)

From 6-6:45 pm - [For ages 18-35 months.](#)

Join us for a fun adventure into movement, music, dancing, instruments and so much more!

Aqua Tales at the YMCA

Wednesday, June 11 from 11 am-12 pm*

For ages 6 months-4 years. Enjoy storytime at the Patchogue YMCA and then go into the pool for a family swim lesson! ***This program will be held at the Patchogue Family YMCA. Please note a waiver must be signed upon arrival and an adult must accompany the child in the water.**

Beautiful Babies, Wonderful Ones and Terrific Twos

Wednesday, June 12 (M)

From 10:30-11:15 am - [For ages 2-11 months.](#)

From 11:30 am-12:15 pm - [For ages 12-23 months.](#)

From 12:30-1:15 pm - [For ages 24-35 months.](#)

Enjoy songs, bubbles, parachute play and other age-appropriate games with your child while getting to know other families in your neighborhood.

Celebration of YOU Story & Play

Friday, June 13 from 10:30-11:15 am (M)

Monday, June 16 from 10:30-11:15 am (P)

For ages 2-5 years. Come celebrate the things that make you truly unique!



Toddlers Explore

Wednesday, June 18 from 4:30-5:15 pm (P)

For ages 18 months-3½ years. Toddlers play with different hands-on stations and see what they like best. Dress for a bit of a mess!

Baby Start

Friday, June 20 from 10:30-11:15 am (M)

For ages 2-11 months. Join us for this sweet, interactive infant program.

Fun In the Sun Storytime

Monday, June 23 from 10:30-11:15 am (M)

Thursday, June 26 from 10:30-11:15 am (P)

For children ages 12 months-3½ years. Sunny days are here! Let's celebrate with a cheerful story, rhymes and a simple craft.

Music Makers

Tuesday, July 1 from 6:30-7:30 pm (P)

For ages 4-5. Make and keep your own instruments and play along with your favorite songs.

SCHOOL AGE INDEPENDENT PROGRAMS

Lil Athletes

Friday, June 6 from 4-4:45 pm (P)

For grades K-6. A mix of basic skills, fitness concepts and beginner offensive and defensive learning will be used to engage little athletes in the fundamentals of sports!

String Art from the Heart

Tuesday, June 10 from 5-6 pm (P)

Friday, June 13 from 5-6 pm (M)

For grades 1-6 with an adult helper. Listen to a heartwarming Father's Day story then create a string art keepsake to honor the dad or father figure in your life.

The Battle that Built America

Saturday, June 14 from 1-2 pm (P)

For grades 3-6. We're counting down to America's 250th birthday! Journey back in time to 1775 and the Battle of Bunker Hill. Discover how this event changed everything and inspired George Washington to help the Continental Army.

Rainbow Engraved Tumblers

Tuesday, June 17 from 5-6 pm or 6:30-7:30 pm (P)

For grades K-6. Design a laser engraved tumbler to keep your drinks cold all summer long! Young children may need adult assistance.

Minecraft Club

Monday, June 23 from 7-8 pm (P)

For grades 3-6. Come to the Library for an hour of fun playing Minecraft. Hang out with other kids who love Minecraft while you play the game and complete in-game challenges.

Wild about Reading

Monday, June 30 from 10:30-11:30 am (P)

For grades K-3. This wild reading adventure combines a wildlife-themed story, crafting and real animal guests for an unforgettable experience.

Music Makers

Tuesday, July 1 from 6:30-7:30 pm (P)

For grades K-2. Make and keep your own instruments and play along with your favorite songs.

Let's Celebrate America!

Wednesday, July 2 from 5-6 pm (M)

Thursday, July 3 from 5-6 pm (M)

For grades 1-6. Read a book about our beloved USA and craft a red, white and blue wreath!

Monday through Friday at 12 pm • June 30–August 15

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!

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While Jessi and Erin enjoy their summer break, you can still access a wealth of expert parenting advice for every age and stage wherever you listen to your podcasts. Tune in to past episodes and get ready for their return with brand new content this fall!

DROP-IN!

No registration required.

Color Me Curious: Tinker Lab Activities

All day, every day (P)

For children ages 4 and up. Beat the heat at our Main Branch's Tinker Lab! Discover a new and colorful hands-on activity every week!

Pride Month Suncatchers

The month of June (P)

Celebrate Pride Month by creating a suncatcher, to hang in a sunny window to brighten any room.

Color Your World: A Summer Art Exhibit

For families. Starting Monday, June 2, pick up a kit at our Patchogue or Medford locations and return your completed artwork by June 23. Paintings will be displayed in the Main Building and Medford Branch from July 1 through August 27. Kits are limited. While supplies last.

Messy Medford Mondays

Mondays, June 9, July 14 and/or August 11 from 10:30 am-11:30 am (M)
For ages 2-5 years. Dress for a mess for some fun sensory play!

2025 PMLIB Talent Show Auditions

Friday, June 20 from 4-6 pm (M)

Monday, June 30 from 4-6 pm (P)

For details see page 3 - HIGHLIGHTS & COMMUNITY EVENTS.

Touch-a-Truck

Saturday, June 28 from 10 am-12 pm*

For families. For details see page 3 - HIGHLIGHTS & COMMUNITY EVENTS.

Color Our World Color-a-thon

Tuesday, July 1 from 1:30-3:30 pm (P)

For families with children ages 3 and up. Unleash your creativity in this open-ended coloring session.

Color Our World Chalk-a-thon

Wednesday, July 2 from 10 am-12 pm (M)

For families with children ages 3 and up. Spread color and creativity with vibrant chalk art!

Davis Park Story Times

Tuesdays, July 8, 15, 22, 29 and August 5 at 11 am*

For families. Take a break from the beach and join us on the boardwalk for a splashy storytime in the shade! *These programs will take place at Davis Park, Fire Island.

Let's LEGO

Friday, July 18 from 12-5 pm and/or Friday, August 15 from 11 am-5 pm (P)

For families with children ages 2 and up. LEGO and DUPLO sets will be out for some family fun.

Sunshine & Stories in the Park

Thursday, July 31 from 10:30-11:30 am*

For families. Enjoy an outdoor storytime with Miss Mary! *This program will take place at Eagle Estates Park in Medford.

Talent Show at Circus on Main

Friday, August 8 at 6 pm*

For families. Sing, dance and cheer along during an evening of performances right on Main Street!

JULY

Registration for these events begins on Tuesday, July 1 at 9:30 am.

INFANT, TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL WITH A PARENT/CAREGIVER

Babies & Books

Thursday, July 10 from 10:30-11:15 am (P)
For ages 2-11 months. Let's explore the best board books for infants and learn simple rhymes and games, too!

Music Together

Friday, July 11 (M)
from 10:30-11:15 am or 11:30 am-12:15 pm
For ages 2 months-5 years. Join us for a fun and interactive celebration of music!

Canta y Baila Conmigo

Friday, July 11 from 12:30-1:15 pm (M)
For ages 2 months-5 years. Join us for an immersive Spanish language experience in this music and movement class! All families are welcome.

Signing Stories

Wednesday, July 16 (P)
from 3-3:30 pm or 3:45-4:15 pm
For ages 2 months-4 years. Learn signs in a fun, playful way through stories and songs.

Color Your World Storytime

Monday, July 21 from 10:30-11:15 am (M)
Friday, July 25 from 4:30-5:15 pm (P)
For ages 12 months-3 ½ years. Let's create some amazing colors in this bright and cheerful storytime with rhymes and a simple craft!

What Makes a Rainbow?

Tuesday, July 22 (P)
from 10:30-11:15 am or 11:30 am-12:15 pm
For ages 2 ½-5 years. Learn all about colors in this interactive and engaging program!

Color Lab

Wednesday, July 23 (M)
from 10:30 am-11:30 am or 4:30-5:30 pm
For ages 2-5 years. Dress for a mess as we explore different scientific concepts with COLOR.

Campfire Sing-along

Wednesday, July 30 from 6-6:45 pm (P)
For ages 3-5 years. Get ready to move and groove around our kid-friendly campfire! After singing and dancing, wind down with a craft!

Kidnastics

Friday, August 1 (P)
from 1:30-2:15 pm or 2:30-3:15 pm
For ages 18 months-5 years. Move your body in this energetic movement program!

SCHOOL AGE INDEPENDENT PROGRAMS

Minecraft Club

Monday, July 7 from 7-8 pm (P)
For children in grades 3-6. Come to the Library for an hour of fun playing Minecraft. Hang out with other kids who love Minecraft while you play the game and complete in-game challenges.

Silent Reading Club

Tuesday, July 8 from 4-5 pm (P)
For grades 3-6. Relax by reading your favorite book or choose from our book collection. No book discussion! Enjoy refreshments!

Origami Workshop

Tuesday, July 15 from 10:30-11:30 am (P)
For grades 3-6. Learn the art of origami.

Town of Brookhaven: Safety Town

Thursday, July 17 from 10 am-12 pm*
For grades 3-4. Learn about safety, then practice in our simulated town. Children must wear sneakers and bring a helmet. ***This program will take place at the Town of Brookhaven Holtville Ecology Site in Holtville.**

Super Smash Bros Ultimate

Thursday, July 17 from 3-4 pm (P)
For grades 3-6. Compete in the ultimate video game battle.

This is Me!

Thursday, July 24 from 4:30-5:30 pm (P)
For grades 3-6. Create a biography about yourself and write it in your own book. Bring in photographs of yourself, family and pets to include in your book. Create your own bestseller!

Bucket Hat Fun

Monday, July 28 (P)
from 11 am-12 pm or 12:30-1:30 pm
For grades K-6. Use our Cricut machines to create a custom design for your own bucket hat. Young children may need adult assistance.

Hula-Hooping

Wednesday, July 30 from 10:30-11:30 am (M)
For grades 1-6. Get ready to learn some hula-hooping techniques and get some fun exercise.

Rainbow Grilled Cheese

Wednesday, July 30 from 4-5 pm (P)
For grades 3-6. Color your sandwich with veggie-tinted cheese packed with fun and flavor! ***This program may not be suitable for children with food allergies.**

Double Dutch

Monday, August 4 (P)
From 10:30-11:30 am - For grades K-2.
From 11:30 am-12:30 pm - For grades 3-6.
Have fun learning Double Dutch jump roping.

Minecraft Club

Monday, August 4 from 7-8 pm (P)
For grades 3-6. Come to the Library for an hour of fun playing Minecraft. Hang out with other kids who love Minecraft while you play the game and complete in-game challenges.

AUGUST

Registration for these events begins on Friday, August 1 at 9:30 am.

INFANT, TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL WITH A PARENT/CAREGIVER

Let's Sing!

Tuesday, August 5 from 6-6:30 pm (P)
For ages 2 months-5 years. Come enjoy a guitar sing-along to classic children's songs.

Parachute Play

Thursday, August 7 from 10:30-11 am or 4:30-5 pm (P)
For ages 18 months-3 ½ years. Sing songs, dance and play games with our parachute.

Sprouts & Friends

Wednesday, August 13 (M)
from 10:30-11:15 am or 11:30 am-12:15 pm
For ages 2 months-5 years. Come to the Library to make new friends at this music and movement program!

Time to Build Storytime

Thursday, August 14 from 10:30-11:15 am (P)
Monday, August 18 from 10:30-11:15 am (M)
For ages 12 months-3 ½ years. Grab your hardhat and toolbox for this construction-themed storytime with rhymes and a simple craft!

SCHOOL AGE INDEPENDENT PROGRAMS

Adventures in Keyboarding (piano)

Tuesday, August 5 (M)
From 10:30-11:30 am - For grades K-2.
From 11:30-12:30 pm - For grades 3-6.
Learn to play notes, rhythms and songs on a floor keyboard.

Monarch Butterflies

Wednesday, August 6 from 10:30-11:30 am (P)
For grades 2-6. Observe live caterpillars and specimens to learn about the stages of a monarch's life cycle. Explore its incredible migration and learn how you can help these beautiful creatures.

Drone Daze

Friday, August 8 from 11 am-12 pm (M)
For grades 3-6. Experience the wonder of flight by learning about and flying different drones.

Flippy Fun Dolphin Art

Wednesday, August 13 from 6-7 pm (P)
For grades 2-6. Create your own dolphin watercolor masterpiece.



CLASES EN ESPAÑOL

Para cualquier programa, regístrese en línea en pmlib.org o llame para inscribirse al 631-654-4700, ext. 153.

Tenga en cuenta las ubicaciones: (P) - Edificio principal (M) - Sucursal de Medford (C) - Biblioteca Carnegie *- Fuera de las instalaciones

Trabajadora Social (P)

Servicio profesional y confidencial en español para ayudar a familias, niños, adolescentes y adultos. Para su cita individual llame al 631-654-4700 ext. 153.

Práctica para la Entrevista de Ciudadanía (P/M)

Llame al 631-654-4700 ext. 252 para hacer una cita de 30 minutos. Si tiene una entrevista de ciudadanía próximamente, haga una cita con una bibliotecaria quien le ayudará a prepararse. En esta cita no se estudiará material para el examen de ciudadanía, simplemente se practicarán preguntas que pueden surgir en su entrevista.

Asesoramiento Profesional con Betty Velez

Los lunes de 5:30-8:30 pm (P)
Nuestra consejera profesional bilingüe está disponible para ayudar con currículums, asesoramiento profesional y solicitudes de empleo. Regístrese para una cita de 30 minutos.

Grupo de Conversación en Inglés

Los lunes de 7-8:30 pm (P)
Únase a nosotros en la biblioteca para practicar sus habilidades de conversación en inglés.

Consejería de Inmigración Bilingüe

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

Alfabetización en Español para Adultos

Los sábados a las 10 am (P)
¡Aprende a leer y escribir bien en Español con Aura! Las clases son presenciales en la biblioteca.

Club de Lectura en Español

Los lunes 9, 23 de junio, 7, 21 de julio y 11, 25 de agosto de 7-8:30 pm (P)
¡Aumente su motivación para leer!

Años Dorados

Los miércoles 11, 25 de junio, 9, 23 de julio y 6, 13 de agosto de 10:30 am-12 pm
Viva sus años dorados con nuevas amistades, juegos, diversión y un delicioso cafecito.

Madres Latinas Amigas

Lunes 16 de junio de 7-8:30 pm (P)
Grupo de apoyo y educación para mujeres que hablan Español.

Cabezones

Miércoles 18 de junio 6-7:30 pm (P)
Vamos a hacer retratos de graduados de tamaño superior al natural y a montarlos en asas de madera para que los seres queridos puedan llevarlos a la graduación de un niño.

Inglés para Principiantes

Los lunes, 7 de julio- 25 de agosto de 7-8 pm (P), los sábados, 12 de julio-30 de agosto de 10-11 am (P) o los miércoles, 9 de julio-27 de agosto de 6:30-7:30 pm (M)
Cada clase se reúne una vez por semana en persona en la biblioteca. Para adultos mayores de 18 años. **El cupo es limitado. La inscripción empieza el 23 de junio.**

Clase de Ciudadanía

Los martes, 8 de julio-12 de agosto de 7-8:30 pm (P)
Cada clase se reúne una vez por semana en persona en la biblioteca principal, para adultos mayores de 18 años. **El cupo es limitado. La inscripción empieza el 23 de junio.**

Conversación Sobre Libros en el Pub Paddle

Miércoles 21 de julio a las 6 pm*
Reme por el río Patchogue mientras comenta su lectura actual. Las plazas son limitadas y no se admitirán retrasos. Llueva o haga sol. **Los titulares de la tarjeta PMLIB sólo se registran a partir del 2 de julio. El barco saldrá desde el paseo marítimo frente al Harbor Crab.**

PARA NIÑOS

¡Comida Gratuita para Niños en la Biblioteca!

Lunes a Viernes a las 12 pm, 30 de junio - 15 de agosto
Para niños y jóvenes de 18 años y menores. Patrocinado por Island Harvest.

Canta y Baila Conmigo

Friday, July 11 from 12:30-1:15 pm (M)
For ages 2 months-5 years. Join Miss Monica for an immersive Spanish language experience in this music and movement class! All families are welcome.

PARA TODOS

Alive After 5

Los jueves 26 de junio, 10 y 31 de julio y 14 de agosto
Reúnase con nosotros frente al Edificio Principal para disfrutar de actividades familiares de 5-8 pm.
Fecha de lluvia: Jueves 21 de agosto

Fiesta de Baile en el Patio de Medford

Los siguientes viernes de 6:30-8:30 (M)
27 de junio - [Country](#)
25 de julio - [Disco](#)
22 de agosto - [Reggae](#)
Baila al ritmo de la música en directo y practica tus movimientos con un instructor de baile profesional en el patio de nuestra sucursal de Medford. En caso de lluvia se trasladará al interior. Este programa está patrocinado por una subvención cultural Omnibus concedida por la Oficina de Asuntos Culturales del Condado de Suffolk.

Toca un Camión

Sábado 28 de junio de 10 am-12 pm
Reúnase con nosotros en el estacionamiento de Patchogue-Medford High School. Sea arte de nuestro "Touch-A-Truck" donde usted tendrá la oportunidad de ver, tocar y explorar la maquinaria pesada y conocer a las personas que construyen, protegen y sirven a la comunidad. ¡Diversión para toda la familia!

Celebración de la Independencia de Ecuador

Jueves 7 de agosto a las 6:30 pm (P)
¡Aprenda sobre la cultura ecuatoriana mientras degusta algunos platos increíbles! **Regístrese ahora.**

Circo en Main

Viernes 8 de agosto de 5-9 pm
¡Main Street se cierra para una noche increíble de diversión familiar, juegos y actividades! Todos son bienvenidos. **no es necesario registrarse.**

Fiesta de Baile para Niños

Viernes 29 de agosto de 7-9 pm en Shorefront Park
¡Traiga a los niños a una divertida noche de música y diversión! Este evento está patrocinado por el Departamento de Parques y Recreación de Patchogue. **No es necesario registrarse.**

EXPERIENCIAS DE LECTURA DE VERANO PARA TODOS



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Para adultos

mayores de 18 años con la tarjeta de biblioteca

Este verano, ¡la lectura es tu arte! Los titulares de la tarjeta PMLIB mayores de 18 años están invitados a unirse a nuestro 2025 Reto de Lectura de Verano para Adultos No Tan Extremo, Pasapáginas Prismáticos.

Este spin-off ofrece un compromiso más ligero, perfecto para adultos ocupados. Da rienda suelta al artista (de la lectura) que llevas dentro enviando reseñas llenas de color inspiradas en el tema de este año, Colorea tu mundo. Los libros electrónicos y los audiolibros también cuentan.

Consigue boletos virtuales para sorteos y gana premios durante todo el verano. Al inscribirte, recibirás de regalo un boleto para el sorteo virtual, un minilibro de colorear para adultos y un lápiz de colores arco iris (hasta agotar existencias).

Para adolescentes en los grados 6-12

El Carnegie Teen Center ofrece a muchas oportunidades de ganar premios exclusivos (¡mientras agudizan el ingenio!).

Escanea el código QR o visita el Carnegie Teen Center para inscribirte y recibir una pegatina de vinilo de colores. Envía una reseña reflexiva de un programa, libro, videojuego, película o gadget para adolescentes de tu elección. Los envíos se realizan online, ¡envía tantos como quieras! Gana un boleto para el sorteo por cada opinión enviada. Consigue más de 5 opiniones y recibe una invitación para la fiesta de fin de verano del Carnegie Teen Center.

Para niños

Scribble Squad (edades Infant-Pre-K)
Masterpiece Makers (grados K-6)

Invitamos a los niños de todas las edades a "Strive for Five" este verano. Lee cinco libros para ganar boletos de rifa, una bolsa y gafas de sol. A continuación, gira nuestra ruleta de premios para ver lo que has ganado de nuestros coloridos cofres de sorpresas. Los niños seguirán ganando boletos de rifa y premios por cada cinco libros adicionales que lean.

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Saturday, August 9 at 3 pm (P)
All ages. Come in and laser design a custom wooden door hanger, so everyone knows that they are welcome (or not)! All materials provided. Young children may need adult assistance.