

SHELTER ISLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY

MONTHLY EVENTS - APRIL 2017

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HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:30am - 7:00pm

Saturday: 9:30am - 5:00pm

Closed Sunday

Serving the Shelter Island Community Since 1885



NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

Libraries are for everyone. One of the hallmarks of our public library system is inclusion - all are welcome here. That is the theme that we will emphasize during National Library Week, April 9th through the 15th. In that spirit, we want to remind you that we are so much more than books (though we love books!) We have programs for all ages, movies, computer access, a seed library, museum passes and other resources to meet your needs.

What can Shelter Island Public Library do for you? We welcome suggestions for services or programs. Speak to one of our friendly staff members or send us an email. We would like to see a library card in every Shelter Islander's pocket. See you at the library!

THE GREAT DECISIONS PROGRAM RETURNS

On April 27th at 5:30 pm, the Great Decisions program will resume. Great Decisions is a monthly discussion series developed by the Foreign Policy Association. A short film is followed by a general discussion of a designated issue. This year we will be exploring topics as diverse as nuclear security, trade policy and the geopolitics of energy. Join your neighbors for a glass of wine and a thoughtful discussion about issues that affect our ever-changing world.



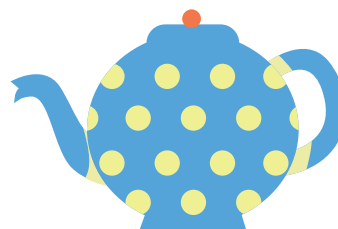
THE BOOK SALE WANTS YOU!



We are looking for a few good book lovers to help out with the Library Book Sale. Volunteers are needed to help with sorting and shelving the books during the week and Saturday volunteers to be available to help shoppers and take donations. Contact Library Director Terry Lucas for more information.



IN THE GALLERY
Paintings
by
MaryPat Mosca



IN THE
DISPLAY CASE
Teapots!

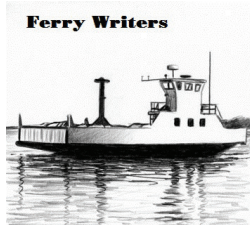
The monthly Board of Trustees meeting
will be held on MONDAY, APRIL 13TH at 7:00pm

ADULT PROGRAMS

ESSENTRICS WITH LAURY! NEW PROGRAM

Wednesdays April 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th, 5:00pm

This low-impact, equipment-free class is perfect for men or women and will leave you feeling energized, youthful and healthy. This dynamic stretch program is designed to lengthen, strengthen and tone the body. There is no charge for this class led by Laury Dowd.



FERRY WRITERS

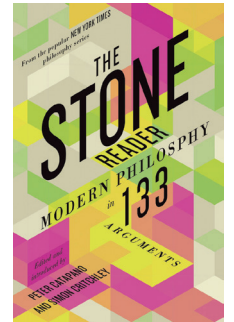
Thursday, April 6th, 5:00pm

Writers, are you looking to share and discuss your work and the work of others in a supportive, creative, non-competitive environment? Writers of all levels and genres are invited to join. Bring 3 to 5 pages of your work. Contact Jocelyn Ozolins at jozolins@silibrary.org or sign up at the Circulation Desk.

THE EXAMINED LIFE PHILOSOPHY DISCUSSION GROUP

Friday, April 7th, 2:00pm

Philosophy is sometimes seen as a quaint and esoteric activity limited to college campuses. But philosophy is really the quintessential human activity as we try to make sense of our confusing world. *The New York Times* publishes a regular column called *The Stone*, written by philosophers on a range of contemporary questions. These columns have recently been collected into a book, *The Stone Reader*. This group will read and discuss essays chosen by the participants and will explore how philosophy can help us think about important issues in the modern world. Discussion will be facilitated by Professor Wendy Turgeon. Contact Jocelyn Ozolins for more information and to register at jozolins@silibrary.org



COFFEE AND COLORING FOR ADULTS

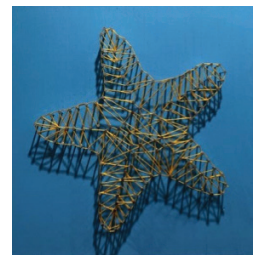
Saturday, April 8th, 1:00pm

Coffee, tea and refreshments provided while you color away your stress. We provide coloring pages and pencils. No registration required.

STRING ART FOR ADULTS WITH CASEY FEHN

Saturday April 15th, 1:00pm

Join us for a fun afternoon of crafting! With simple string create a beautiful piece of art. There is no charge for this class which is limited to 12 adults. Please sign up at the Circulation Desk.



FRIDAY NIGHT DIALOGUES

Friday, April 7th, 7:00pm: Bliss Morehead: *Poetry Nation ... Poets look for America*

April is National Poetry Month. Every April for almost a decade the Shelter Island Poetry Project has presented a different Poetry Month event, read by the people of Shelter Island, to honor the impact of poetry in our daily lives.

This year's reading will explore the multiple ways poets across the nation view their country. A wide range of poets such as Philip Levine, Grace Paley, Ernest Hemingway, Richard Blanco, Ida Limon, Sherman Alexie, Langston Hughes, Robert Lowell, James Dickey, Juan Felipe Herrera and Ocean Vuong will be included.

April 21st, 7:00pm: Cara Loriz: *Seeding a Resilient Future of Food*

Cara Loriz, formerly of Shelter Island and now Executive Director of the Organic Seed Alliance, will speak about the ties that bind people and seed, seed saving, growing the heirlooms of tomorrow, why food security and integrity begins with seed, and more. We'll also have information about The Shelter Island Seed Library now in its second year. Join us for this timely presentation and discussion.



BOOK CLUBS

Are you interested in reading a great book and meeting with others for a lively discussion?
We have a book club that might interest you!



SHELTER ISLAND LIBRARY BOOK CLUB:

Thursday, April 13th, 5:00pm

Song of Solomon by Toni Morrison

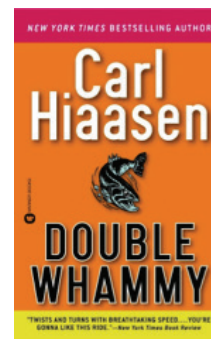
Critically acclaimed, *Song of Solomon* follows the life of Macon "Milkman" Dead III, an African-American man living in Michigan, from birth to adulthood.

MYSTERY MONDAY BOOK CLUB:

Monday, April 17th, 5:00pm

Double Whammy by Carl Hiaasen

Carl Hiaasen is known for his arresting characters and ferociously dark humor. In *Double Whammy*, a newly minted detective investigates the professional bass fishing industry and encounters millionaires, hucksters, mad hermits and assorted oddballs along the way.



COOKBOOK CLUB:

Tuesday, April 25th, 6:00pm

Quiche

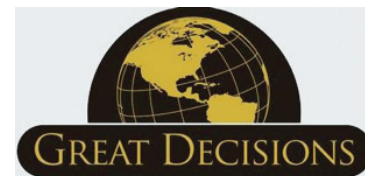
Pick out a recipe from our cookbook collection and bring a quiche to share and compare! Sign up requested (but not mandatory) so we know what you will cook.

HISTORY BOOK CLUB:

On hiatus until June – stay tuned!

GREAT DECISIONS: *The Future of Europe: Coping with Crisis*

Our popular Great Decisions program begins its second season with the first of eight topics moderated by J. Paul Martin, Professor and Director of Human Rights Studies at Barnard College. A short film will be followed by a group discussion. Join us on April 27th at 5:30pm for a glass of wine and an engaging program!



VISIT US FOR SPECIAL SALES IN THE BOOK SALE ROOM ON THE 4TH SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH AND ON SELECTED HOLIDAY WEEKENDS.

We will accept donations of gently used books on the second Tuesday and Saturday of each month. Please leave your donations in the Book Sale Room. We are sorry that we cannot accept textbooks, magazines, encyclopedias, dictionaries or books in poor condition. Thank you!

MOVIES AT THE LIBRARY

Tuesday, April 18th, 1:00pm

Anastasia

Ingrid Bergman and Yul Brynner star in this classic 1956 film about an impostor posing as the Grand Duchess Anastasia who is so convincing that even the staunchest skeptics come to believe in her.



WEEKLY PROGRAMS

MAH JONGG

Mondays @ 10:00am

ZUMBA

Mondays @ 5:30pm & Saturdays @ 8:30am

ART BARNETT POETRY ROUNDTABLE

Tuesdays @ 4:00pm

ESL CONVERSATION

Thursdays @ 4:00pm

KNITTING CLUB

Thursdays @ 5:00pm

SHAKESPEARE IN COMMUNITY DISCUSSION



HENRY VI, PART THREE

Saturday, April 29th, 12:30pm

Join us for a discussion of Shakespeare's *Henry VI, Part Three*.

Discussion facilitated by author Becky Cole. New members welcome. Contact Jocelyn Ozolins for more information:
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YOUTH PROGRAMS

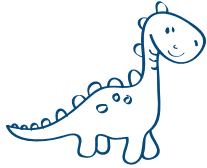


CHILDREN:

STORY & A CRAFT:

Saturdays, April 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th, 10:30am. All Ages

Stop by to hear stories and do fun crafts!



DINOSAUR TUESDAY!

Tuesday, April 4th, 3:00pm

Have you ever wanted to be a Paleontologist? Let's hunt for fossils and dig up some dinosaur bones in this exciting Diggin Up Dinos science kit!

LEGO CLUB

Tuesdays, April 11th & 18th, 3:00pm

How epic are your LEGO builds? Come join your neighborhood friends and get building! **just imagine...**



AFTER SCHOOL MOVIE: "MOANA"

Friday, April 14th, 3:00pm (Running time: 2 hrs)



Moana Waialiki is a sea voyaging enthusiast and the only daughter of a chief in a long line of navigators. When her island's fishermen can't catch any fish and the crops fail, she learns that the demigod Maui caused the blight by stealing the heart of the goddess, Te Fiti. The only way to heal the island is to persuade Maui to return Te Fiti's heart, so Moana sets off on an epic journey across the Pacific.

HOMEMADE LAVA LAMPS

Thursday, April 20th 3:00pm

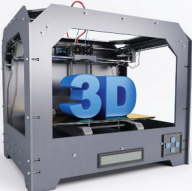
How Scientific are you? Using ingredients that are available right in home, come check out this bubbly explosive craft.



EARTH DAY CRAFT

Friday, April 21st, 3:00pm

Let's celebrate Earth Day by planting seeds and other nature crafts!



BE SURE TO CHECK OUT OUR MAKERBOT 3D PRINTER COMING TO THE LIBRARY ON APRIL 1ST

CAN YOU GUESS HOW MANY JELLY BEANS ARE IN APRIL'S GUESSING JAR?



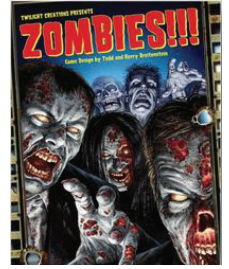
YOUNG ADULT:

Teen Game Zone

Wednesday, April 12th, 3:00pm

Sushi, Zombies, and Vampires?!

Come play this wild assortment of board games!



Inverted Pi-Day (4.13)

Thursday, April 13th, 3:00pm

Let's get scientific and experiment with some delicious [pizza] pie and a genius craft!

Wii U for Teens

Thursday, April 6th, 3:00pm

Wednesday, April 26th, 3:00pm

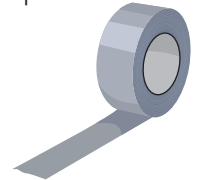
Get ready to battle your way to the top with some Wii-U fun!



Duct Tape

Wednesday, April 19th, 3:00pm

Get crafty with our bin of duct tape!



FAMILY MATINEE: SING (RATED PG)

Saturday, April 29th, 1:00pm (Running time: 1 hr 48 mins)

When a koala impresario is in danger of losing his grand theater after one flop too many, he hatches a plan to stage a gala singing competition to save the day.



But when a typo inflates the grand prize to \$100,000, the contest attracts the attention of a number of singing animals, including a harried pig mom, a teenage gorilla, a shy elephant, and a punk porcupine.

AUTHOR'S UNLIMITED

Saturday, April 22nd, 10:00am - 3:00pm

Free admission. A grand opportunity for teens and authors to meet. This event takes place at St. Joseph's College in Patchogue, NY. Teens have the opportunity to gain community service credit by attending and filling out a survey (at event). For more information, please visit the Youth Services desk.

Interested in interning at the SI library this Summer? Shelter Island Youth Services seeks two creative and responsible interns to work this summer. The Shelter Island High School Job Fair is April 21st, 1:30pm. Please visit the library table at the Job Fair or visit us at the Youth Services desk for more details.



DAY-BY-DAY CALENDAR APRIL, 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	31	1 8:30 AM Zumba
2	3 10:00 AM Mah Jongg 5:30 PM Zumba	4 4:00 PM Art Barnett Poetry Roundtable	5 5:00 PM Essentrics with Laury!	6 4:00 PM ESL 5:00 PM Knitting Club 5:00 PM Ferry Writers	7 2:00 PM Philosophy Group 7:00 PM Friday Night Dialogue Bliss Moorehead: <i>Poetry Nation...Poets look for America</i>	8 8:30 AM Zumba 1:00 PM Coffee and Coloring
9	10 10:00 AM Mah Jongg 5:30 PM Zumba 7:00 PM Library Board of Trustees Monthly Meeting	11 4:00 PM Art Barnett Poetry Roundtable	12 5:00 PM Essentrics with Laury!	13 4:00 PM ESL 5:00 PM Knitting Club 5:00 PM Shelter Island Library Book Club: <i>Song of Solomon by Toni Morrison</i>	14	15 8:30 AM Zumba 1:00 PM String Art for Adults
16	17 10:00 AM Mah Jongg 5:00 PM Mystery Book Club <i>Double Whammy by Carl Hiaasen</i> 5:30 PM Zumba	18 1:00 PM Movies at the Library <i>Anastasia</i> 4:00 PM Art Barnett Poetry Roundtable	19 5:00 PM Essentrics with Laury!	20 4:00 PM ESL 5:00 PM Knitting Club	21 7:00 PM Friday Night Dialogues Cara Loriz: <i>Seeding a Resilient Future of Food</i>	22 8:30 AM Zumba 1:00 PM Metropolitan Opera Live in HD at Guild Hall
23	24 10:00 AM Mah Jongg 5:30 PM Zumba	25 4:00 PM Art Barnett Poetry Roundtable 6:00 PM Cookbook Club <i>Quiche</i>	26 5:00 PM Essentrics with Laury!	27 4:00 PM ESL 5:00 PM Knitting Club 5:30 PM Great Decisions <i>The Future of Europe: Coping with Crisis</i>	28	29 8:30 AM Zumba 12:30 PM Shakespeare Discussion Group <i>Henry VI, Part Three</i>



APRIL 2017 YOUTH CALENDAR

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26	27	28	29	30	31	1 10:30 AM Story and a Craft Saturday
2	3 1:00 PM Storytime	4 3:00 PM Dinosaur Tuesday	5 2:15 PM 2 R's 4 Fun!	6 3:00 PM Wii U for Teens	7	8 10:30 AM Story and a Craft Saturday
9	10 1:00 PM Storytime	11 3:00 PM Lego Club	12 3:00 PM Teen Game Zone	13 3:00 PM Inverted Pi-Day	14 3:00 PM After School Movie: <i>Moana</i>	15 10:30 AM Story and a Craft Saturday
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23	24 1:00 PM Storytime	25	26 2:15 PM 2 R's 4 Fun! 3:00 PM Wii U for Teens	27	28	29 10:30 AM Story and a Craft Saturday 1:00 PM Family Matinee: <i>Sing</i>