



Newsletter 2025 (January/February)



Winter Reading Club 2025 Unfreeze Your Brain...Read

Thursday, January 2 - Wednesday, March 19

The more you read, the better your chances to win!
Register at the Adult Reference desk in person, by phone, or online. Rating forms will be accepted beginning Thursday, January 9.



Social Work Intern

Tuesdays, 1:00 - 7:45 PM, beginning January 28

Come meet Lola, our new Social Work Intern. She can provide referrals to organizations that assist with mental health issues, addiction, food insecurity, legal services, and other resources. She can also assist patrons in applying for government assistance programs and following up on applications and inquiries with government entities. Stop in or make an appointment at: l.harvey@babylonlibrary.org



Fill out a raffle ticket telling us why you love the library for a chance to win a Take & Make Cinnamon Roll Cake from A Mano Baking Company!



Blood Drive

Saturday, January 25; 10:30 AM - 3:00 PM



New York Blood Center will be in our Community Room collecting blood donations. Donors must be age 17 years or older (age 76 and over requires a note from doctor), in general good health, and have a photo ID or donor ID card with them. Registration is recommended but not required. For additional information about donor eligibility and to schedule an appointment time, visit www.nybc.org. Appointments can also be scheduled at the library's Adult Reference Desk.

Hours of Operation:
M/T/W/TH : 9:30 am to 8:00 pm
F/Sa: 9:30 am to 5:00 pm
Sunday: 1:00 - 5:00 pm

LIBRARY CLOSINGS
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1
(NEW YEAR'S DAY)

MONDAY, JANUARY 20
(MLK JR. DAY)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17
(WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY)

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From the Director

Dear Friends,

So a new year begins. May this year be filled with joy and prosperity! On a sentimental note, 2025 marks my tenth year in public library administration, and it's been a tremendously rewarding experience, and though I shouldn't have favorites, Babylon Village has been just that! Thank you all for your support and kindness as we continue our journey together.

I'm proud to announce that in November, Ann Burke was promoted to Assistant Library Director. She has more than proven how essential she is to our library and community, and I could not be more grateful for her counsel and service.

Our new year starts off with more Library of Things items and fantastic programming, broad material selection, and museum and destination passes to keep your spirits bright as we wait for Spring.

I want to thank the Friends of the Library and our custodial services department for a very successful Fall book sale, and holiday plant sale! Their contributions to the library make possible our museum passes and the items in our library of things.

We have also begun a special partnership with the Argyle Theater - please check out the rest of the newsletter, our social media and website for further details!

As always, we're here to serve you, and remind you that libraries are for everyone, and that's a mission we take seriously!

Until next time, I am yours,
- Tom Vitale



Discount Argyle Theatre Tickets

Looking for something to do on a Wednesday night? Go see a show at the Argyle Theatre! Using the code **BABL**, you can get discounted tickets for the following Main Stage shows:



A Christmas Carol: the Musical; December 11 & 18 @ 7:00 PM
Jersey Boys; January 29 & March 19 @ 7:00 PM
Fiddler on the Roof; May 7 & June 4 @ 7:00 PM
The Music Man; July 30 & August 20 @ 7:00 PM



Babylon Library patrons can purchase discounted tickets through the Argyle's Box Office in person, by calling (631) 230-3500, or through their website: www.ArgyleTheatre.com

How to Register for Library Programs

You can register for library programs online, by phone, or in-person. Programs with a fee require online or in-person registration. Please see each department's section of the newsletter for registration dates and other details.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Registration for all January programs begins Monday, December 16.

Out of district registration begins Monday, December 23.

Registration for all February programs begins Monday, January 13.

Out of district registration begins Tuesday, January 21.

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See front page for details.

Mediterranean Cooking with Chef Naela

Monday, January 6; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Cooking demonstration and tasting with Chef Naela. Learn how to make grape leaves stuffed with rice and sauteed vegetables, Middle Eastern salad, tzatziki sauce, and date cookies. A non-refundable \$5 fee is due at registration.

Plot for Prose Writing Workshop

Wednesday, January 8; 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Every tale—whether a memoir, short story, or other piece of creative prose—needs a plot. In this class, you'll learn all about the plot diagram and its nuances. After the instructional segment, all participants will be given time to write either a new piece of work or continue writing work in progress. The class will end with a workshopping session in which participants can share their writing and get feedback. New writers, seasoned scribblers, and everyone in between are welcome. Please register for this program.

Lotus Seashell Tealight Holder

Saturday, January 11; 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM



Join Anna Chan, an acclaimed mixed media artist, and create an exquisite coastal-themed tealight holder using seashells and her exclusive air-dry sand. A non-refundable \$5 fee is due at registration.

Create a Vision Board for 2025

Monday, January 13; 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Are you ready to make 2025 your best year yet? Join Life Coach Linda Mazza for an interactive, fun-filled vision board workshop. A vision board is a useful tool to inspire and motivate you to stay focused on achieving your goals. Please register for this program.

Using the Energy of Crystals and Gems

Wednesday, January 22; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Join Rev. Maria D'Andrea to learn about gemstones, crystals, and their intrinsic energies. You'll learn which stones are believed to be best suited for healing, luck, love, improving finances, and more.

Please register for this program.

Citizen Disaster Preparedness Training

Thursday, January 23; 2:00 - 3:00 PM

With severe weather events becoming more frequent and extreme, it is important for Long Islanders to be prepared for disasters. This program provides an introduction to responding to a natural or human-caused disaster. Participants are advised on how to properly develop family emergency plans and stock up on emergency supplies. Presented by the NYS Citizen Preparedness Corps. No registration required.

NYBC Blood Drive

Saturday, January 25

See front page for details.



Winter Bingo

Thursday, January 30; 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Shake off your winter blues with some rounds of Bingo!

Adults only, please. Please register for this program.

Information Tables in January

Family & Children's Association

Thursday, January 9; 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Get information about residential care options for youth and young adults on Long Island.

Community Mental Health Promotion and Support

Thursday, January 30; 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Learn more about Community Mental Health Promotion and Support (COMHPS), a program providing emotional support, mental health workshops, support groups, referrals to licensed mental health professionals, and more to community members.

ADULTS PROGRAMS - (CONTINUED)

FEBRUARY

Will and Elder Law Planning

Monday, February 3; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Attorney Kathleen Rose will discuss the importance of future planning and review how to make basic documents like wills, trusts, power of attorneys, and health care proxies. Other topics such as asset protection, tips on how to avoid probate, deed transfers, and Medicaid tips will also be addressed. Attendees are encouraged to bring questions to the workshop. Please register for this program.

Chairobics & Strength

Wednesdays, 2:30 - 3:30 PM

February 5, 12, 19 & 26

Join instructor Debbie Krzyminski for this 4-week chair-based exercise program which covers strength training, balance, aerobics and flexibility. Ropes and balls used for training will be provided; if you feel comfortable using your own free weights, please bring them. Please bring a bottle of water and wear clothing that you can comfortably move in. A non-refundable fee of \$15 is due at registration.

Faux Stained Glass Workshop

Wednesday, February 5; 6:00 - 7:00 PM



Learn how to create a beautiful faux stained glass picture. It's easier than you think, and Aimee Saccio will show you how to make one that will brighten up any window! A non-refundable \$5 fee is due at registration.

Chef Rob's Winter Morning Donut Muffins

Saturday, February 8; 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Chef Rob will help you prepare delicious donut muffins to take home and bake. Please bring a 12 cup muffin pan, a large and medium bowl, rubber spatula, and whisk. A non-refundable \$5 fee is due at registration.

Tax Planning and Your Retirement

Monday, February 10; 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Join financial advisor Christian LaPeter for this educational seminar and learn multiple tax planning strategies that may help you in retirement. Registration is required.

Libraries of the World

Saturday, February 15, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Celebrate Library Lovers Month with a global tour via the most interesting libraries in the world. Some are haunted, some have rooms to stay, many of them are really quirky! As today's libraries become our community centers, let's take a look at the role libraries have played throughout history.

Presented by Patricia Summers.

Please register for this program.

Sew Your Own Aromatherapy Packs

Wednesday, February 26; 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Brush up on basic sewing skills while making these comforting aromatherapy packs with floral, lavender or eucalyptus essential oil. These cozy packs can be used hot or cold to comfort sore muscles, offer sleep support, warm your hands and feet, and more. A non-refundable \$5 fee is due at registration.

Name That Tune!

Thursday, February 27; 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Are you a music lover? Join us for a fun afternoon of music and prizes as contestants try to name songs after hearing a short clip. This edition of Name That Tune features popular hits between the years 1950 and 2000. Please register for this program.

Clean Energy Community Series

The Town of Babylon Environmental Control Department, in association with NYSEDA, will present information about clean energy topics on the following dates:

Monday, January 27; 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Monday, February 24; 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Please visit the Events page on our website for more information and to register.



Library Lover's Month Raffle

February 1-28



Fill out a raffle ticket telling us why you love the library for a chance to win a Take & Make Cinnamon Roll Cake from A Mano Baking Company!

ADULTS - (CONTINUED)

Regularly Scheduled Adult Programs

Gentle Yoga

Mondays, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

January 6, 13, & 27; February 3, 10, & 24

This 6-session all-levels class is focused on moving mindfully and with ease. Each session consists of standing, prone, and seated postures. Please bring a mat and a large towel or blanket. There is a non-refundable fee of \$30 due at registration.



Hatha Yoga

Thursdays, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

January 9, 16, & 30; February 6, 13, & 20

This 6-week session is an active class, suitable for beginners as well as more experienced practitioners. Please bring a mat and a large towel or blanket. There is a \$30 non-refundable fee due at registration.

Social Work Intern

Tuesdays, 1:00 - 7:45 PM

January 28; February 4, 11, 18, & 25

Last appointment time is 7:30pm.

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Writer's Workshop

Tuesdays, 5:30 - 7:45 PM

January 7 & 21; February 4 & 18

New and experienced writers are welcome. Feel free to bring any works in progress.



Stitch and Chat

Tuesdays, January 14 & February 11

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Bring your own needlecraft supplies and projects, and enjoy some conversation while you work! Whether you're into knitting, crocheting, embroidery, or another form of needlecraft, you're welcome to join us once a month to stitch and chat. No registration required.

Evening Book Discussions

Thursdays, 7:00 - 7:45 PM

January 16

The Truth About the Devlins,
by Lisa Scottoline



February 13

*Wintering: The Power of Rest & Retreat
in Difficult Times*, by Katherine May



Plots & Pastries AM Book Discussion

Tuesdays, 10:00 - 11:00 AM

January 21

Long Island, by Colm Toibin



February 18

Lucy by the Sea, by Elizabeth Strout



Books will be available at the Adult Reference Desk approximately one month prior to meeting.

Adult Games in the Afternoon

Mondays, 1:00 - 4:00 PM

January 6, 13, & 27; February 3, 10, & 24

The Community Room is open for library patrons to play games of their own choosing. Patrons must bring their own games. Adults only. No registration required.

Friday Films

Fridays, 2:00 - 4:00 PM



January 24: Twisters (2024)

starring Daisy Edgar-Jones & Glen Powell



February 28: Here (2024)

starring Tom Hanks & Robin Wright



Classic Film Club

Wednesdays, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

January 15: The Letter (1940)

starring Bette Davis & Herbert Marshall



February 19: Pillow Talk (1959)

starring Doris Day & Rock Hudson



TEENS

Unless posted otherwise, all teen programs are for grades 6-12 and registration is required.
Registration for January programs begins on Monday, December 16 at 9:30am.
Registration for February programs begins on Monday, January 13 at 9:30am.

Winter Reading Club

Join our Winter Reading Club! Fill out a review for each book you read and submit it at the Reference Desk for a raffle ticket for the prize of your choosing. Open January 2 – March 19.

Suffolk County Teen Poet Laureate: Sarah Goodman – reading and open mic night Tuesday, January 7 from 6:00-7:30pm

The Babylon Library is happy to host Sarah Goodman, Suffolk County Teen Poet Laureate! Sarah will share some of her poetry and then we'll open the floor for an open mic! For those of you who've never been to an open mic, this is a safe space to share your work. All in grades 6-12 are welcome to participate and everyone else is welcome to attend. There will be no feedback given after you read, positive or negative. We are here to just listen to each other and appreciate everyone's writing. So read, listen, and enjoy! Earn one hour of community service for attending.

Fire Island Park Rangers: Explore the Sunken Forest Wednesday, January 29 from 4:00-5:00pm

Join a park ranger for a virtual visit to Fire Island National Seashore's Sunken Forest, a globally rare maritime holly forest. Learn about the plants, the animals, and the natural forces that created this unique ecosystem, and the threats it faces today. Earn one hour of community service for attending!

Advanced Battle of the Books

Advanced Division Battle of the Books, an annual county-wide book trivia competition, will take place on Saturday, March 1, 2025! Interested in finding out more? Come to the Adult Reference Desk to find out what two books we'll be reading, as well as how the competition will be structured! Weekly meetings will begin in January to prepare us for the competition. Participation is limited to the first twelve patrons entering grades 9-12. Registration is underway and books are available at the reference desk.

Teens Bibs & Bags for Babies in Need Monday, February 10 from 4:00-5:00pm

Come to the library to decorate bibs with special messages for babies in need. We will also decorate canvas bags for new mothers to use. Earn one hour of community service!

Teens: Living with Wildlife Tuesday, February 25 from 4:00-5:00pm

The Wildlife Center of Long Island is coming to the Babylon Library! Meet some of their Ambassador reptiles, mammals, and birds that call Long Island home, and explore their role in our local ecosystem. Discover why these animals are at the Wildlife Hospital and how you can help others like them. Earn one hour of community service for attending.

Teens Dungeons & Dragons Wednesdays from 3:30-5:30pm January 8 & 22 and February 5 & 19

Join us in the library for Dungeons & Dragons! Build a character, choose your weapons, and lay waste to nasty critters with a roll of the dice. Registration required – 8 players maximum!

Teens Minecraft

Saturday, January 18 from 1:00-4:00pm
Saturday, February 22 from 1:00-4:00pm

Bring your own device for Minecrafting fun! Please come with a Microsoft account and username.

Community Service Opportunities

Book Reviews and Streaming Film Reviews: *ongoing in the Teen Area and on our website*
Suffolk County Teen Poet Laureate: Sarah Goodman – reading and open mic: *Tuesday, January 7 from 6:00-7:30pm*
Fire Island Park Rangers: Explore the Sunken Forest: *Wednesday, January 29 from 4:00-5:00pm*
Teens Bibs & Bags for Babies in Need: *Monday, February 10 from 4:00-5:00pm*
Teens: Living with Wildlife: *Tuesday, February 25 from 4:00-5:00pm*

New for 2025!

Check out the new items in our Library of Things!

Amazon Fire TV Stick
BasketPong
Digital Microscope
Disinfecting Wand
Laminator
Laser Level
Light Meter

Photography Crystal Ball
Portable Tire Inflator
Roku Streaming Stick 4k
Stacking Blocks Outdoor Game
Studio Light
3D Printing Pen
Travel Adaptor



Adventure Academy is an educational massively multiplayer online game (MMO) for elementary and middle school-age students. It features thousands of enjoyable learning activities that are discovered on quests through an interactive virtual world. Expertly designed to create a highly engaging and educational environment, Adventure Academy focuses on building critical knowledge and skills in language arts, math, social studies, science, and more.



January 2025

Babylon Library Children's Room Happenings

Registration for January programs will begin on Monday, December 2 @ 9:30am.

*Out of district registration will begin on Monday, December 16 @ 9:30am.

Register in person or online with your child's library card.

Please note age requirements.



*Winter Reading Club!

February 2 - March 1

Birth - 5th grade

Earn prizes and raffles just for reading!

Sign up begins Monday, January 27.

Playtime Storytime

Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21. 10:00 - 11:00am

Birth - Preschool

Join Ms. Shannon for stories and playtime!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

*Minecraft

Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21. 4:30 - 6:00pm

Grades 3 - 5

Bring your device for Minecrafting fun! You will need to have a Microsoft account and know your username to register.

Registration required.

*Jammin' with Josh

Wednesdays, January 8, 15, 22. 10:00 - 10:30am

Birth - Preschool

Join Mr. Josh and his guitar for music and stories!

Registration required.

Story and a Craft

Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23. 10:00 - 10:30am

Birth - Preschool

Join Ms. Ann for a fun storytime and craft!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Stay & Play

Fridays, January 10, 17. 10:00am - 12:00pm

Birth - 3 years

Drop in and enjoy a warm and inviting space where you and your child can play and socialize with others in the community.

Art with Miss Mandi

Saturday, January 11. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Grades 3 - 5

Create a fun portrait of yourself catching a snowflake by using oil pastels, watercolor and tempera paint!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Universal Yums

Monday, January 13. 4:00 - 5:00pm

Grades 3 - 5

Discover new countries through trivia and snacks!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Snowflake Fun!

Thursday, January 16. 4:30 - 5:00pm

Grades K - 2

Join Ms. Amy for a winter story and paint your own 3D wood snowflake!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

PlayHooray!

Friday, January 24. 10:00 - 10:45am

Birth - 4 years

Music and fun for your little one!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Chinese New Year Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, January 29. 3:00 - 5:00pm

Grades K - 5

Drop in and celebrate Chinese New Year with us by going on a fun scavenger hunt!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Mini Art Show

Thursday, January 30. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Grades K - 5

Pick up your mini canvas starting **January 2**. Bring it home and create your mini masterpiece! Bring it back by **January 21**. Join us on **January 30** for a reception to celebrate your art work!

Art work will stay on display for February.
Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

February 2025

Babylon Library Children's Room Happenings

Registration for February programs will begin on Thursday, January 2 @ 9:30am.

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Register in person or online with your child's library card.

Please note age requirements.



*Winter Reading Club

February 2 - March 1

Birth - 5th grade

Earn prizes and raffles just for reading!

Registration is ongoing.

Winter Wonderland

Saturday, February 1.

Character Meet-and-Greet: 1:00 - 2:00pm

Movie: *Frozen* (PG): 2:00 - 4:00pm

Families with children up to 5th grade

Join us for our Winter Reading Club kickoff! Meet some of your favorite characters and watch the movie *Frozen*! Snacks will be provided.

Registration required.

Playtime Storytime

Tuesdays, February 4, 11, 18. 10:00 - 11:00am

Birth - Preschool

Join Ms. Shannon for stories and playtime!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

*Minecraft

Tuesdays, February 4, 11, 18. 4:30 - 6:00pm

Grades 3 - 5

Bring your device for Minecrafting fun! You will need to have a Microsoft account and know your username to register.

Registration required.

*Jammin' with Josh

Wednesdays, February 5, 12, 19. 10:00 - 10:30am

Birth - Preschool

Join Mr. Josh and his guitar for music and stories!

Registration required.

Story and a Craft

Thursdays, February 6, 13, 20. 10:00 - 10:30am

Birth - Preschool

Join Ms. Ann for a fun storytime and craft!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Black History Month Crafts

Thursday, February 6. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Grades K - 5

Drop in and celebrate Black History Month with us by making fun and inspirational crafts! (while supplies last)

Stay & Play

Fridays, February 7, 14, 21. 10:00am - 12:00pm

Birth - 3 years

Drop in and enjoy a warm and inviting space where you and your child can play and socialize with others in the community.

LEGO Build

Friday, February 7. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Grades 3 - 5

Join us for a fun LEGO build. Everyone will get their own LEGO set to build and take home

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Winter Morning Donut Muffins

Saturday, February 8. 1:00 - 2:00pm

Families with children K - 5th grade

Chef Rob will help you prepare delicious donut muffins to take home and bake! Please bring a 12 cup muffin pan, large and medium bowl, rubber spatula and whisk.

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.
For online registration, register only 1 child per family.

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February 2025

Babylon Library Children's Room Happenings

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Valentine Heart Canvas Painting

Monday, February 10. 4:00 - 5:00pm

Grades 3 - 5

Paint a heart on canvas to keep for yourself or give to your special Valentine!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Valentine Fun!

Thursday, February 13. 4:30 - 5:00pm

Grades K - 2

Join Ms. Amy for a Valentine's Day story and stuff your own adorable Bee Teddy Bear Plushie!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Valentine's Day Crafts

Friday, February 14. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Grades K - 5

Drop in and celebrate Valentine's Day with us by making fun crafts to keep for yourself or give to someone you love!

(while supplies last)

Art with Miss Mandi

Saturday, February 15. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Grades 3 - 5

Create a beautiful scene of birch trees against a colorful winter sky by using tempera paint and watercolors!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Family Bingo

Tuesday, February 18. 6:30 - 7:30pm

OR

Thursday, February 20. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Families with children K - 5th grade

Play an exciting game of BINGO and win a prize!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Yeti Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, February 19. 10:00am - 3:00pm

Grades K - 5

Yetis are loose in the library!! Drop in to go on a Yeti hunt to find them and earn a prize!

Winter Green Screen

Friday, February 21. 12:00 - 4:00pm

Families with children up to 5th grade

Reach the summit! Take a picture at the top of Mount Everest and tell your friends this is how you spent winter break.... We won't tell!

Universal Yums

Monday, February 24. 4:00 - 5:00pm

Grades 3 - 5

Discover new countries through trivia and snacks!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

Winter Wonderland Crafts

Wednesday, February 26. 3:30 - 4:30pm

Grades K - 5

Celebrate the end of Winter Reading Club with us by making some *cool* crafts!

Yeti Fleece Tied Pillow

Thursday, February 27. 4:30 - 5:00pm

Grades 3 - 5

Join Ms. Amy to make a cute and cuddly Yeti pillow!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

PlayHooray!

Friday, February 28. 10:00 - 10:45am

Birth - 4 years

Music and fun for your little one!

Registration required. Babylon patrons only.

What Can You Do with Your Library Card?



*Print on Demand pass.
(Reserve and print pass from home.)

The Fire Island Lighthouse pass is co-sponsored by the Babylon Village Historical Society.

RESERVE A MUSEUM PASS

Thanks to the Friends of the Babylon Public Library, Museum Passes are available to our patrons for the following institutions:

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| 9/11 Memorial & Museum | Long Island Maritime Museum |
| American Airpower Museum | *Long Island Science Center |
| *Children's Museum of the East End | Museum of Modern Art |
| Cradle of Aviation | *Old Westbury Gardens |
| Empire Pass | *Parrish Art Museum |
| *Fire Island Lighthouse | Sagtikos Manor |
| Guggenheim Museum | *South Fork Natural History Museum |
| *Intrepid | *Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium |
| Long Island Children's Museum | Town of Babylon Beach Pass |

Library of Things

The Babylon Public Library has a special collection of unconventional items like tools, games, WiFi Hot Spots, and more!

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| 3D Printing Pen | Giant Tumble Tower Blocks | Photography Crystal Ball |
| Amazon Fire TV Stick | Handheld Magnifier | Pickleball Set |
| Badminton Set | Happy Birthday Lawn Sign | Play Parachute |
| Basket Pong | Horseshoe Set | Portable DVD Player |
| Bocce | Hot Spots | Portable Tire Inflator |
| Bubble Machine | Household Tool Set | Roku Streaming Stick 4K |
| Code Reader | Karaoke Machine | Sprinkler (Crazy Caterpillar) |
| Congratulations Lawn Signs | Laminator | Studio Light |
| Cornhole | Laser Level | Telescope |
| Digital Luggage Scale | Light Meter | Travel Adaptor |
| Digital Microscope | Metal Detector | Ukulele |
| Disinfecting Wand | Mobile Scanner | Video to Digital Converter |
| | | Wagon |

Homebound Services

This service provides a convenient way for homebound Babylon Public Library cardholders of all ages to obtain and return library materials by mail. For more information, visit our website or call the Adult Reference Department.



Need a library card? Babylon Library cards are available to all Babylon School District residents and taxpayers. Library cards can be obtained at the Circulation desk with 2 forms of valid identification listing name and local address.



Babylon Public Library
24 South Carll Avenue
Babylon, NY 11702



Notary Services

Library employees who hold a valid New York State Notary license are available to provide notary services to patrons. Appointments are required. Please call the library to schedule an appointment. The library does not charge for a notarization.



Join the Friends!

By becoming a member of the Friends of the Babylon Public Library, you are showing your support for the resources this library offers, as well as your desire to see it flourish. To join the Friends, please inquire at the Circulation Desk

WE WELCOME ART WORK OR COLLECTIONS FROM OUR PATRONS TO BE DISPLAYED IN OUR HALLWAY GALLERY OR DISPLAY CASES.

Please speak with Adult Reference if you'd like to participate!

Are you looking for help or have a service to offer? Please check out our community bulletin board!



Please be generous with your food, toiletry, and pet donations for Long Island Cares!

BABYLON LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- Gary Brunjes, President
- Loretta Chillemi, Vice President
- Deborah Young-Szala, Finance Officer
- Sandra Levine, Secretary
- Anne Lotito-Schuh, Trustee
- Thomas S. Vitale, Library Director

Board of Trustees Meeting Dates

- Tuesday, January 14, 6:30pm
- Tuesday, February 11, 6:30pm