

July/August Newsletter 2025

Summer Reading Club 2025 Saturday, June 28 -Saturday, August 16

Registration for children, teens, and adults begins Saturday, June 28 in person or online.



See details on respective pages.

Join the 3rd Annual Suffolk County Public Libraries Summer Tour July 1 - August 31



Beginning July 1, grab your Summer Tour booklet from the Adult or Children's reference desk and start visiting public libraries all around Suffolk County. At the library, find the Color Swatch and receive a stamp in your booklet. At 5, 15, and 25 library visits you will be entered into prize raffles. At your 25th library, you will officially be a Summer Tour Library Artist and receive a special commemorative patch (while supplies last)!

Don't miss our Movie Nights @ the Gazebo!



Monday, June 30; 8:30 - 10:30 PM *Inside Out 2*



Join the Babylon Library and the Village of Babylon at the Gazebo for a family movie night! Snacks will be provided. Weather permitting. Open to families with children up to 5th grade.

> Thursday, August 7; 8:00 - 10:00 PM Tangled





Photographers of all ages are invited to capture the colors of our world and share them with the Babylon community!

Photos will be accepted from July 1 - 25 and displayed at the library in August.

Additional information and application forms will be available at the Adult Reference Desk.



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Director's Message

Can you believe I'm writing my message to you for Summer Reading 2025 already?!?!?! *Color Our World* looks to be an incredibly exciting theme this year – and we've already started coloring our world with a rainbow garden on the front patio! A few highlights for our Summer Reading Program this year are our ever-popular movie nights, and our Color Our World Photo Challenge! All event details are listed within this newsletter, and on our website at www.babylonlibrary.org.

The Summer Reading Program will go from June 28th – August 16th, and our cooperative public library system, SCLS, will once again be doing the Libraries Summer Tour, beginning July 1st, and going through August 31st. We have so many opportunities for reading, learning, and growing with us this Summer!

I'd like to thank the entire community for your overwhelming support of the library's 2025-2026 budget – and we're incredibly excited to have our current Board of Trustees President Gary Brunjes re-elected to another five-year term!

I'd also like to give a shout out to our amazing Friends of the Babylon Public Library who gave us funding for a new outreach tent, new play sets in the Children's Room, Museum Pass renewals, and our amazing new addition of an aeroponic tower garden! You can see this marvel in the alcove before you enter the Children's Room. This wonderous item will allow us to grow vegetables, herbs, fruit, and flowers all year round!

Don't forget to come see the library at all three Babylon Village Chamber of Commerce Summer Block Parties on Thursdays, June 12th, July 17th, and August 21st on Deer Park Avenue! We can't wait to have an amazing Summer with all of you!

Remember, libraries are for everyone – and that's a mission we're serious about!

Until next time, I am yours,

Tom Vitale



How to Register for 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. To register online, click on Events (top of website homepage), then click on the program you want.

Hours of Operation:

M/T/W/TH: 9:30 am to 8:00 pm

F/Sa: 9:30 am to 5:00 pm

Closed Sundays until October

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Wednesday, June 18, from 12:00 - 1:30 PM for staff training

Thursday, June 19 - All Day

Friday, July 4 - All Day

ADULTS - JULY 2025

Registration for JULY programs begins Monday, June 16 for Babylon patrons and Monday, June 23 for out of district patrons.

Short Story Writing Workshop Monday, July 7; 5:30 - 7:30 PM

The goal of this program is for each participant to start writing a fictional short story or to begin revising a short story that they currently have in progress. Creative nonfiction is welcome too! The class will begin with an introduction to short-story writing followed by a quiet period of writing. Prompts will be provided for inspiration, but participants are not required to use those prompts. The class will conclude with a workshopping session in which each participant shares what they have written and receives feedback.

Registration is required.

The Buzz of the Beekeeper Tuesday, July 8; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Get to know all about bees from local beekeeper, Jerry Raffa. Learn about the importance of bees for pollination, bee society and behavior, current threats to bee populations, and how to support and protect these important insects. Jerry will also discuss beekeeping and present tools of the beekeeping trade, including a beekeeper's suit and a small hive (don't worry – no bees!). And what better way to end a program about bees than with a honey tasting! Registration is required.



Dreamy Landscapes Workshop Monday, July 14; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Color your world! Join Chris Vivas to a create a beautiful, multilayered landscape from cardstock that will jump out in living color.

Registration is required.

Nutrition by Amal: Snack Smart Sorbet Wednesday, July 23; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Get creative about healthy eating with Clinical Dietitian Amal Villoth. Tonight's menu is Homemade Fruit Sorbet with Acai powder followed by a refreshing summer drink: Hibiscus Iced Tea. Tastings of both will be provided. Registration is required.

Healthy Spa Day: Aromatherapy Scrubs Tuesday, July 29; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Get ready for a healthy spa day at home! Learn how to make all natural aromatherapy salt and sugar scrubs, calming lavender bath salts, a detoxifying oatmeal bath soak and an energizing coffee scrub. Presenter Janice Imbrogno will discuss how the use of natural products can help soothe, calm and invigorate your mood as well as improve circulation and the appearance of your skin. Each participant will make a sugar scrub to take home and receive a sample of another demonstrated product. A non-refundable \$5.00 fee is due at registration.

Adult Summer Reading Club 2025



June 28 - August 16

Register at the Adult Reference Desk in person, by phone, or online.

Fill out a summary card for every book you read (or listen to).

For every summary you return to us, you will receive a raffle ticket.

You can put your raffle tickets in any bag you wish (for local prizes).

Random winners will be selected on Monday, August 18.



A Tower Garden Comes to Babylon!

The Friends of the Library have purchased a tower garden for us.

It is located just outside the Children's room.

We are hoping to grow/harvest various herbs and vegetables.



ADULTS - AUGUST 2025

Registration for AUGUST programs begins Monday, July 14 for Babylon patrons and Monday, July 21 for out of district patrons.



AARP Defensive Driving Saturday, August 2; 10:00 AM - 4:30 PM

AARP 6-Hour Smart Driver Safety Course. The entire class must be attended to get credit for your insurance discount, which is good for three years. You must bring your driver's license, AARP membership card (if applicable), and cash or check payment for the course (\$25.00 for AARP members, \$30.00 for non-members). You should also bring a pen, lunch (you get a 30-minute lunch break), water, and anything that will help you sit comfortably. Please arrive a few minutes early to sign in and pay the required non-refundable fee. Registration is required. Participants arriving after 10:10am will not be admitted into the class.

Sunflower Sand & Seashell Craft Tuesday, August 12; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Discover the transformative power of art with Anna Chan's sand and seashell workshop. Empower your creativity and take home a beautiful seashell sunflower wall art, a perfect addition to your home decor this beach season. A non-refundable \$5.00 fee is due at registration.



Recharge & Renew: A Journey to Inner Peace Monday, August 18; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Learn how to reconnect with your true self through guided reflection and engaging activities with Life Coach Linda Mazza. Explore your strengths and aspirations, identify what energizes you, and gain a more positive perspective. Registration is required.

Stems & Seashells Floral Arrangement Wednesday, August 20; 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Celebrate summer sunshine and explore the basics of floral design with Cynthia Gerard. This step-by-step workshop will have you leaving with a beautiful sand and seashell themed fresh flower arrangement created by you! Please bring a pair of scissors or clippers; all other supplies are included. A non-refundable \$5.00 fee is due at program registration.

Name That Tune: 1980s Edition! Monday, August 25; 6:00 - 7:00 PM

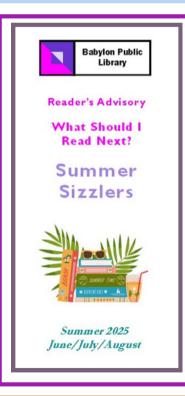


Do you love the music of the 1980s? You could be our next Name That Tune winner! Join us for a nostalgic trip back to this unforgettable decade with songs, snacks, and prizes. Registration is required.

Adults only, please.

Chef Rob's Summer Ratatouille Flatbread Wednesday, August 27; 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Learn how to use farm-fresh ingredients for delicious summer entertaining! Chef Rob will demonstrate how to make his Summer Ratatouille Flatbread with local eggplant, zucchini, and bell peppers, as well as his Chopped Shrimp Waldorf Salad with apples and grapes. A non-refundable \$5.00 fee is due at registration.



Remember to grab your Summer Sizzlers brochure so you know what titles are coming this summer!



Do you have a program recommendation for the library? Would you like to provide feedback on a library program you recently attended? Email us at adultprograms@babylonlibrary.org.

ADULTS - REGULARLY SCHEDULED PROGRAMS



<u>Friday Films</u> Fridays, 2:00 - 4:00 PM

July 25 - Captain America: Brave New World

(2025). Sam Wilson (Anthony Mackie) has officially taken up the mantle of Captain America. After meeting with newly elected U.S. President Thaddeus Ross (Harrison Ford), Sam finds himself in the middle of an international incident. He must discover the reason behind a nefarious global plot before the true mastermind has the entire world seeing red. Rated PG-13. Running time: 118 minutes.

No registration required.

August 29 - The Penguin Lessons (2024)

Inspired by the true story of a disillusioned Englishman who went to work in a school in Argentina in 1976. Expecting an easy ride, Tom (Steve Coogan) discovers a divided nation and a class of unteachable students. However, after he rescues a penguin from an oil-slicked beach, his life is turned upside-down.

Rated PG-13. Running Time: 111 minutes.

No registration required.

<u>Classic Film Club</u> Wednesdays, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

July 9 - The Court Jester (1955)

Danny Kaye, Glynis Johns, Angela Lansbury and Basil Rathbone star in one of the top rated comedies of all time. And don't forget: "The pellet with the poison's in the vessel with the pestle; the chalice from the palace has the brew that is true!" Running time: 101 minutes. No registration necessary.

August 13 - The Roaring Twenties (1939)

James Cagney and Humphrey Bogart are at it again – this time during the exciting days of prohibition. Released during that golden year of 1939, this film offers one of film's most memorable finales. Running time: 107 minutes. No registration necessary.

Writer's Workshop Tuesdays, 5:30 - 7:45 PM July 1, 15, & 29; August 12 & 26

Babylon Library's Writer's Workshop is an ongoing program that usually meets two Tuesday evenings a month. New and experienced writers are welcome to join at any time. Feel free to bring any works in progress to share and discuss. Adults only, please.

Registration is required.

Hatha Yoga Thursdays, 6:00 - 7:00 PM July 10, 17, 24, & 31; August 7 & 21

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 \$30.00 non-refundable fee due at registration.

Gentle Yoga Mondays, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM July 7, 14, 21, & 28; August 4, 11, 18, & 25

This 8-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 \$40.00 due at registration.

Chairobics & Strength Wednesdays, 2:30pm – 3:30pm July 9, 23, & 30; August 13, 20, & 27

Join instructor Debbie Krzyminski for this 6-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. Bring a bottle of water and wear clothing that you can comfortably move in. A non-refundable fee of \$23.00 is due at registration.

Adult Games in the Afternoon Mondays, 1:00 - 4:00 PM July 7, 14, 21, & 28; August 4, 11, 18, & 25

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.

Stitch and Chat Tuesdays, July 15 & August 12 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Bring your own needle craft supplies and projects, and enjoy some conversation while you work!

No registration required.

There are no book discussions over the summer.

See you in September!

COMMUNITY OUTREACH & DISCOUNTS

Stop by and see us at the 2025 Babylon Village Block Parties!



Thursdays, 5:00 - 9:00 PM June 12, July 17, & August 21



Babylon Village Summer Concert Series every Friday at 8:00 PM @ the Gazebo



June 27
July 11
July 18

July 25

August 1

August 8

Check the Village website to see who's playing!

Village Shops Discount Program

August 15 August 22 August 29

Remember to use your library card for discount shopping in the village! Participating stores include:

Art Sea Studio (\$10 off children's art session) the Blind Spot (\$50 off \$500)

Elevation Fitness (free consultation)

Hitch (10% off selected merchandise)

Juice 'N Blendz (10% off \$10 or more)

My Play Space (15% off Open Play/10% off Specialized Classes)

La La Land (50% off 1 play session)

Neverending Story (10% off)

Long Island Custom (15% off)

Positions Dance Studio (waived registration fee or 15% off retail purchase)

Pandemonium Boutique (10% off)

Royal Dance Center of Babylon

(50% off one month's tuition)

Discount Tickets



To purchase discounted **Bronx Zoo** tickets, visit the Bronx Zoo Ticket Website from our webpage and enter our company code: BabPL



Please visit the library to purchase . Children ages 3-12 and Adults 62+ are \$28. Adults 13-61 are \$39. Age 2 and under are free. Limit of 4 tickets per family per week. Babylon adult cardholders only.

American Museum of Natural History

Please visit the library to purchase. Tickets are \$10 apiece. Age 2 and under are free. Limit of 4 tickets per family per week. Babylon cardholders only.



Tickets are \$31.50 each. Age 1 and under are free. Limit of 4 tickets per family per week. Babylon adult cardholders only. Tickets are valid from June 1 to October 5, 2025.



To purchase discounted Splish Splash tickets, visit their website at https://www.splishsplash.com/buytickets/open-day/select-visitors. Select the number of tickets you need under Corporate Partner. Enter the Promo Code BABYLON25 in the section for Discounts and click Redeem.



Horton's Flower Farm

This pass grants up to 6 people one-day admission to Horton's Flower Farm in Riverhead. The pass includes a \$5 discount on any U-Pick Bouquet when you reserve through the library. Opening day is July 13th. The farm will be open seven days a week from 11am-4pm. To reserve a time slot, visit

https://hortonsflowerfarm.com/product/reserveyour-u-pick-time-slot-libraries/

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:

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



TEENS

Unless posted otherwise, all teen programs are for grades 6-12 and registration is required.

Registration for July programs begins Monday, June 16 at 9:30am.

Registration for August programs begins Monday, July 14 at 9:30am.

Teens Summer Reading Club

Join our Summer 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. Registration begins June 28 - last day to submit raffles is August 16.

Color Our World Photo Challenge

Photographers of all ages are invited to capture the colors of our world and share them with the Babylon community! Photographs will be accepted from July 1 - 25 and displayed at the library in August.

Please see the Adult Reference Desk for more information.

Beach Adventure in a Tin Wednesdαy, July 9 from 5:00 - 6:30pm

Create a miniature summer beach adventure in a tin! Artist Samantha He will be here to show how paint and beach-y materials can transform an Altoids tin into a tiny creative scene.

Dreamy Landscapes Workshop Monday, July 14 from 4:15 - 5:45pm

Color your world! Join artist Chris Vivas to create a beautiful, multilayered landscape from cardstock that will jump out in living color.

Summer Paint Night Tuesday, July 22 from 5:30 - 7:30pm

Paint a beach scene on a canvas - then add real sand and shells for a textured 3D finale!

Artist Donna Krumm will be here to help guide you to a masterpiece.

Ocean Origami with the Whaling Museum Tuesday, August 5 from 4:00 - 5:00pm

Did you know that in April of 1845, the Long Island whaleship Manhattan became the first foreign ship to enter Tokyo Bay in over 200 years? Celebrate America's enduring appreciation of Japanese culture by creating some ocean-inspired origami.

First Aid Kits Community Service Monday, August 11 from 4:00 - 5:00pm

Help us decorate bags, organize supplies, and assemble first aid kits to distribute to those in need!

Get a head start on your community service hours.

Dungeons & Dragons Wednesdays, July 2, 16, & 30 from 5:30-7:30pm Wednesdays, August 13 & 27 from 5:30-7:30pm

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. New and experienced players welcome!

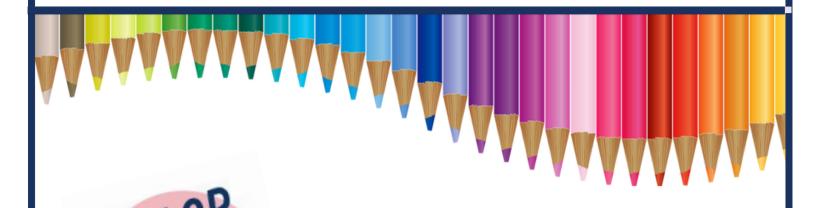
Teens Battle of the Books

Battle of the Books, an annual county-wide book trivia competition, will take place on Friday, August 1. Don't forget to cheer on your Babylon Village team - we're working hard to bring home that trophy!

Babylon Public Library

Children's Summer Reading Club 2025

June 29 - August 16



Registration will be

In Person and Online

Beginning on

Saturday, June 28 @ 9:30am

You must have your child's current Babylon Library Card available to register.

Birth - 5th grade

When registering, please note that grade requirements refers to the grade entering in September.

Out of district residents may register for programs with an asterisk (*) beginning on Monday, July 14 @ 9:30am IN PERSON ONLY, using your child's library card.

4th of July Crafts

Tuesday, July 1. 1:00 - 4:00pm *Grades K - 5* Drop in and celebrate the 4th of July by making some fun, patriotic crafts! (while supplies last) **No registration required.**

Family Bingo

Monday, July 7. OR Monday, August 11. 6:30 - 7:30pm Families with children K - 5th grade Play an exciting game of BINGO and win a prize! Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

Playtime Storytime

Tuesdays, July 8, 15, 22, 29. August 5, 12. 10:00 - 11:00am *Birth - Preschool* Join Ms. Shannon for stories and playtime! **Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.**

*Minecraft

Tuesdays, July 8, 15, 22, 29. August 5, 12. 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 @ the Gazebo

Wednesdays, July 9, 16, 23, 30. August 6, 13. 10:00 - 10:30am *Birth - Preschool* Meet Mr. Josh and his guitar at the Gazebo for music and stories! No registration required. Weather permitting.

Stories in the Park

Thursdays, July 10, 17, 24. 10:00 - 10:30am Birth - Preschool Meet Ms. Ann at Argyle Park for a fun storytime! Please bring a blanket or chair to sit on. No registration required. Weather permitting.

Color Burst Teddy Bear

Thursday, July 10. 4:30 - 5:15pm *Grades K - 5* Bring your Teddy Bear to life by stuffing it with fluff and adding a burst of tie-dye color! Dress for a mess! Dye will stain clothes. **Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.**

Playhooray!

Fridays, July 11, 18, 25. August 1. 10:00 - 10:30am

Birth - 4 years

Music and fun for your little one!

Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

Art with Ms. Mandi

Fridays, July 11, 18. 2:00 - 3:00pm
Grades 3 - 5
Add a splash of color to your summer by creating art
with Ms. Mandi!
Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

*Binho League

Fridays, July 11. August 1, 8, 22. 3:30 - 4:30pm Grades 3 - 5

Mr. Josh will teach you how to flick your way to victory on the Binho Board! Enjoy friendly competition with a unique game that is easy to play but hard to master.

Registration required.

Universal Yums

Monday, July 14. 4:00 - 5:00pm Grades 3 - 5 Discover new countries through trivia and snacks! Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

S'mores Muffin Tops

Wednesday, July 16.

4:00 - 5:00pm OR 5:30 - 6:30pm
Families with children K - 5th grade
Chef Rob will help you prepare delicious
S'mores Muffin Tops to take home and bake!
Please bring a cookie tray, large bowl, mixing spoon
and whisk.

Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

Tie-Dye Cookies

Thursday, July 17. 4:30 - 5:15pm Grades K - 5 Decorate delicious T-shirt shaped cookies using a special technique that results in each cookie having a unique tie-dye icing design!

Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

LEGO Build

Friday, July 18. 3:30 - 4:30pm
Grades 3 - 5
Join Mr. Josh for a fun LEGO build! Everyone will get their own LEGO set to build and take home.
Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

Mysteries of Owls

Monday, July 21. 6:30 - 7:30pm
Families with children up to 5th grade
Meet some of Sweetbriar Nature Center's most
mysterious birds of prey and discover the wondrous
adaptations these creatures have for surviving
under the cloak of darkness.

Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

Book Discussion

Wednesday, July 23. 4:30 - 5:15pm *Grades 3 - 5* Enjoy pizza and a special craft while discussing the graphic novel, *Sea Legs* by Jules Bakes. Pick up a copy of the book when you register. Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

*Library Luau

Thursday, July 24. 3:00 - 4:30pm
Families with children up to 5th grade
Legendary Entertainment will be here for a Library
Luau themed party featuring face painting by Joanie
Baloney, green screen photos, crafts and more!
Snacks will be provided.
Registration required.

Universal Yums

Monday, July 28. 4:00 - 5:00pm Grades 3 - 5 Discover new countries through trivia and snacks! Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

Axolotl Fun!

Wednesday, July 30. 4:30 - 5:15pm Grades K - 5 Have a LOTL of fun painting a ceramic axolot!! Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

*Happy Birthday, Harry Potter!

Thursday, July 31. 3:30 - 5:00pm
Families with children up to 5th grade
Join Babylon Library and Village of Babylon at the
Gazebo for Harry Potter's Birthday celebration
featuring Amore the Magician, face painting by
Joanie Baloney, crafts and more!
Snacks will be provided.
Registration required.

Art with Ms. Mandi

Fridays, August 1, 8. 2:00 - 3:00pm

Grades K - 2

Add a splash of color to your summer by creating art with Ms. Mandi!

Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

Hawaiian Pineapple Banana Bread

Monday, August 4.

4:00 - 5:00pm OR 5:30 - 6:30pm
Families with children K - 5th grade
Chef Rob will help you prepare delicious Hawaiian
Pineapple Banana Bread to take home and bake!
Please bring a 9x5 loaf pan, large bowl, medium
bowl, whisk and rubber spatula.
Registration required. Babylon cardholders only.

*Princess and Superhero Dance Party

Wednesday, August 6. 3:00 - 4:30pm Families with children up to 5th grade Legendary Entertainment will be here for a dance party featuring a Princess and Superhero character meet-and-greet, face painting by Joanie Baloney, crafts and more! Snacks will be provided. Registration required.

Movie Night @ the Gazebo Tangled (PG)

Thursday, August 7.
Character meet-and-greet: 7:00 - 8:00pm
Movie: 8:00 - 10:00pm
Families with children up to 5th grade
Join Babylon Library and Village of Babylon
at the Gazebo for a character meet-and-greet
followed by a family movie night!
Snacks will be provided.
No registration required. Weather permitting.

*Turtle Dance Music

Thursday, August 14. 6:30 - 7:30pm
Families with children up to 5th grade
Mr. Matt from Turtle Dance Music will be here for
an end of summer celebration! This "turtle-riffic"
show will engage children through comedy, bubbles,
music and dance!
Registration required.

Colorful Crafts

Friday, August 15. 10:00am - 12:00pm Grades K - 5 Drop in and bring your creativity to make fun, colorful crafts! No registration required.

LEGO Build

Friday, August 15. 3:30 - 4:30pm Grades 3 - 5 Join Mr. Josh for a fun LEGO build! Everyone will get their own LEGO set to build and take home.

Registration required. Babylon cardholders 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:

9/11 Memorial & Museum

American Airpower Museum

*Children's Museum of the East End

Cradle of Aviation

Empire Pass

*Fire Island Lighthouse

Frick Museum

Guggenheim Museum

*Intrepid

Long Island Children's Museum

*Long Island Maritime Museum

*Long Island Science Center

Museum of Modern Art

*Old Westbury Gardens

*Parrish Art Museum

Sagtikos Manor

Town of Babylon Beach Permit

*Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium

Library of Things

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

3D Printing Pen

Amazon Fire TV Stick

Badminton Set

Basket Pong

Bingo

Bocce

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Bubble Wand Set

Code Reader

Congratulations Lawn Sign

Cornhole

Digital Luggage Scale

Digital Microscope

Disinfecting Wand

Giant Tumble Tower Blocks

Handheld Magnifier

Happy Birthday Lawn Sign

Horseshoe Set

Hot Spots

Household Tool Set

Karaoke Machine

Kodak Instant Printer

Laminator

Laser Level

Level

Light Meter

Metal Detector

Mobile Scanner

Photography Crystal Ball

Pickleball Set

Play Parachute

Portable DVD Player

Portable Tire Inflator

Roku Streaming Stick 4K

Sprinkler (Crazy Caterpillar)

Stud Finder

Studio Light

Telescope

USB Travel Adaptor

Ukulele

Video to Digital Converter

Wagon (Beach) and Cooler

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.



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WHY DO SOME LIBRARY PROGRAMS REQUIRE REGISTRATION?

- Program presenters often require a minimum number of attendees. If we don't have that number, we have to cancel the program.
- If patrons register and don't show up, we still have to pay our presenters. Many programs have a waitlist please let us know if you can't make it!
- Most programs require supplies or offer snacks. The library purchases enough for registrants and may not have extras for walk-ins.
- The Library makes an effort to spend the budget as wisely as possible. We need your help with this!

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 for an appointment. The library does not charge for a notarization.



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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!



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 Meetings

Tuesday, July 8, 6:30 PM Tuesday, August 19, 6:30 PM Please be generous with your food, toiletry, and pet donations for Long Island Cares!