



Serving the communities of Cold Spring Harbor, Laurel Hollow & Lloyd Harbor | September / October 2022

## ALL ABOUT OLIVE OIL WITH THE CRUSHED OLIVE

**Thursday, September 29, 6:00-7:00pm \*In-Person Event**

Mona Rossero and her husband, Bob, are the owners of the Crushed Olive stores on Long Island with locations in Huntington, Babylon, Sayville, Stony Brook, and Commack. After a short introduction and history of the stores, Mona will discuss the history of olive oil, how it's produced, health benefits, how to incorporate it into your everyday diet, and the importance of buying fresh olive oils. There will be a tasting of a few of the Crushed Olive's favorites. Limit: 30.

## GREAT GIVE BACK: BEACH CLEANUP

**Saturday, October 15, 10:00-11:30am**

**For teens in grades 7-12**

Clean up Shore Road Sanctuary as part of our Great Giveback volunteer day. Learn about the local ecosystem, as stewards from the North Shore Land Alliance guide us through the sanctuary. Permission slips required.

## PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

Submit a pumpkin for the library's Third Annual Pumpkin Walk! Pumpkins can be decorated however you choose. Get creative! Drop off your finished pumpkins at the library between Monday, October 24 and Friday, October 28. Votes may be cast at the Pumpkin Walk on Sunday, October 30 from 2:00pm to 4:00pm. The top three winners will be announced at 4:00pm and will receive prizes. Teens who submit pumpkins will be eligible for two hours of community service credit. Registration required; please register your pumpkin before delivering.

## PUMPKIN WALK

**Sunday, October 30, 2:00-4:00pm**

Stroll through our outdoor Pumpkin Walk! Light refreshments/trick-or-treating will be provided.

## Library Hours

Monday – Thursday, 9:30am – 9:00pm

Friday & Saturday, 9:30am – 5:00pm

Sunday hours will resume on September 11.

**THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED**

Monday, September 5 (Labor Day)

## Library Board Meetings

All are welcome.

Monday, September 12, 7:00pm

Monday, October 3, 7:00pm

## Contact Us

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## CSH LIONS CLUB

### ANNUAL FISHING DERBY

**Saturday, September 24**

Open to children up to and including 16 years old. Awards and refreshments! Registration will be from 9:00am to 12:00pm at Seafarer's parking lot, West Main St. (25A), Cold Spring Harbor. Weigh-in starts at 2:00pm. The entry fee is \$20; proceeds benefit the CSH Library Children's Department and the Guide Dog Foundation. You are welcome to bring your own fishing pole and pail. For more information, email [cshlions@gmail.com](mailto:cshlions@gmail.com) or call (516) 241-0761.

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# Letter

from the Director



Dear Residents,

It is hard to believe that fall is already here! We have a wide selection of entertaining and educational programs available for you during September and October!

For teens in grades 7-12, the cleanup of the Shore Road Sanctuary on October 15 is our part of the Great Give Back volunteer day, which hundreds of libraries are participating in statewide. Additional volunteer opportunities for teens are listed on page 4 of this newsletter.

Our Third Annual Pumpkin Walk will take place on Sunday, October 30, from 2:00pm to 4:00pm. This is a great time to be creative and enjoy the fall weather! See the cover for details.

As always, we offer a wide variety of programs for all ages, both online and in person. Please review the newsletter or check the library's website to find the program that is right for you and your family.

I look forward to seeing you at the Library!

Sincerely,

Dr. Roger Podell

Executive Director

## SIGNATURE EVENTS

### SEED SAVING & PLANT STARTS

**Thursday, September 1, 6:00-8:00pm** \*In-Person Event

Saving your own seeds is easy and incredibly rewarding. In this program presented by Renato Stafford of Homegrown, you will learn how to correctly save and store the seeds you will need to eventually start next year's garden. Topics will include identifying the right seeds to save, drying and storage, and purchasing seeds. Q&A will follow. Limit: 30.

### THE FAMILY KITCHEN

**Thursday, September 22, 6:00-8:00pm** \*In-Person Event

From garden to table, learn how to grow, prepare, and store high-quality organic food for your family to feed them all year long. With over 20 years' experience, Renato Stafford of Homegrown will fully explain the methods necessary for a successful organic garden. Topics will include design and garden layout, soil preparation, preparing your garden beds, seeds, planting, weeds, insects, fencing, gathering your harvest, winter garden, cooking, canning, and food storage. Limit: 30.

## DONATION DRIVES

### SEPTEMBER FOOD DRIVE

Drop off canned and nonperishable food to our donation bin in the lobby to benefit local families in need before the fall holiday season. All items will be donated to Helping Hand Rescue Mission. Please drop donations off by September 30. Check our online calendar for a list of suggested items.

### OCTOBER/NOVEMBER CLOTHING DRIVE

Drop off washed and/or unused cold weather clothing to our donation bin in the lobby to benefit local families. Clothes will be donated to Helping Hand Rescue Mission. Please drop donations off by November 30. Check our online calendar for a list of suggested items.



# Children's Programs

Registration with a Cold Spring Harbor Library card is required and ongoing for all programs.  
For all online events, a link will be emailed to you the day of the program.

## FOR CHILDREN AGES 2-5 WITH ADULT

### BACK TO SCHOOL STORIES & SONGS

Thursday, September 8, 10:30am

Join us for a back to school-themed storytime!

### TASTY APPLE CRAFT

Tuesday, September 13, 4:00pm

Make a fun apple-related craft.

### BABY START

Monday, September 19, 10:00am

For children ages birth-18 months with adult

An introduction to library programs and circle time for our littlest learners, with a focus on early literacy, early language development, and socialization.

### A TIME FOR KIDS PRESENTS:

1-2-3 FULL S.T.E.A.M. AHEAD

Mondays, September 19 & October 3, 11:00am

An introduction to science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics with a focus on critical thinking and problem-solving skills.

### HALLOWEEN STICKER SCENE

Tuesday, October 11, 4:00pm

Create a cool Halloween scene using assorted stickers.

### PUMPKIN DECORATING

Thursday, October 20, 2:00pm

Come to the library and paint a pumpkin!

### LITTLE SCIENTISTS

Monday, October 24, 2:00pm

For children ages 3-5 with adult

Join Miss Lisa, and explore the wonderful world of science through books and hands-on activities.

### SPOOKTACULAR HALLOWEEN STORIES & SONGS

Monday, October 31, 10:30am

Join us for a Halloween-themed storytime followed by a Halloween parade.

## FOR KIDS IN GRADES K-5

### CRAYON PENCIL JARS

Tuesday, September 6, 4:30pm

Come and make a cool container for all your writing utensils.

### ADVENTURES IN ART: MEET THE MODERN MASTERS

Wednesday, September 14, 4:30pm

What is modern art anyway? Find out this and more as you discover the famous paintings of modern artists Piet Mondrian and Jackson Pollock, then create your own art inspired by their work.

### WITCH CUPCAKES

Thursday, October 6, 4:30pm

Decorate cupcakes to look like witches.

### ADVENTURES IN ART: PUMPKINS & POLKA DOTS WITH YAYOI KUSAMA

Wednesday, October 12, 4:30pm

Explore the work of world-famous contemporary artist Yayoi Kusama, including her iconic pumpkins, then create your own art inspired by hers.

### MONSTER STAKES

Thursday, October 13, 4:30pm

Decorate your lawn with spooky monsters.

### RICE KRISPIE MONSTERS

Tuesday, October 18, 4:30pm

Make monsters using Rice Krispie Treats, colored chocolate, and candy eyes.

### PUMPKIN DECORATING

Wednesday, October 26, 4:30pm

Come to the library and paint your very own pumpkin!

## FOR KIDS IN GRADES 3-5

### MUMMY JARS

Tuesday, October 4, 4:30pm

Make a spooky mummy jar to celebrate Halloween.

### BUTTON WITCH HAT

Monday, October 17, 4:30pm

Using buttons, make a decorative wall hanging.

### PUMPKIN WALK PUMPKINS

Thursday, October 27, 4:30pm

Decorate a pumpkin to be entered into our Pumpkin Walk contest. Paint and mixed materials will be provided.

## FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES

### APPLE PRINT DROP-IN CRAFT

Friday, September 16, 3:30-4:30pm

Create fun prints using apples and paint.

### OUTDOOR MOVIE: HOCUS POCUS

Friday, October 7, 7:00pm

Bring a beach chair and/or blanket and enjoy an outdoor movie! We'll be showing the movie Hocus Pocus (PG; 96 min).

### LIFE-SIZE BOARD GAMES

Monday, October 10, 2:00pm

Drop in and play a round of Uno, Connect 4, Sorry!, Jenga, or Mental Match!

### PAPER PLATE MONSTERS DROP-IN CRAFT

Friday, October 14, 3:30-4:30pm

### MAKE A LIFE-SIZE SCARECROW

Sunday, October 16, 2:00pm or 3:00pm

Make a 5-foot tall scarecrow! Please be sure to bring adult-sized clothing for your scarecrow.

### DROP-IN CRAFT: CARDBOARD CANDY CORN

Saturday, October 22, 2:00pm

Using various materials, make a decorative candy corn.

# Storytimes

Session 1: Tuesday, September 13 – Friday, September 30

Session 2: Tuesday, October 11 – Friday, October 28

## MOTHER GOOSE TIME

Tuesdays & Wednesdays, 10:30am

For children 6-24 months with adult

Enjoy sharing rhymes, songs,  
and movement with your child.

## TODDLER TIME

Thursdays & Fridays, 10:30am

For children ages 2 & 3 with adult

A beginning storytime filled with more advanced stories,  
songs, fingerplays, movement, and crafts.

## FOR TEENS & TWEENS

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#### FOR KIDS IN GRADES 5-12

**NEW:** EARN ONE RAFFLE TICKET TOWARD OUR FALL RAFFLE BASKET (ON DISPLAY IN THE TEEN ROOM) FOR EVERY PROGRAM YOU ATTEND. THE WINNER WILL BE PULLED ON DECEMBER 1.

#### ONLINE: HOMEWORK HELP WITH BRAINFUSE

Monday, September 12, 6:00-7:00pm

Learn how to use Brainfuse and other library resources to help you with homework and studying! Register for an online link so you can follow along.

#### RETRO GAME NIGHT

Thursday, September 15, 6:00-8:00pm

Play lots of retro video games in the Underground, including NES, SNES, PlayStation, Sega Genesis, Gameboy, and more!

#### BABYSITTING COURSE

Mondays, September 19 & 26,  
and October 3 & 17, 6:00-7:00pm

In this multi-week course, you will learn how to run your own babysitting business, as well as tips for child care. A certificate will be awarded by Project Excel upon completion.

#### SNACK TOUR: TURKEY

Monday, September 19, 7:00pm

Try a variety of Turkish snacks as we learn facts about Turkey!

#### COLLEGE ESSAY WORKSHOP

Thursday, September 22, 7:00-8:00pm

Writing your college essay? Learn tips and strategies from Naushad Mehta, and write a college essay that will stand out!

#### PRACTICE SAT OR ACT

Saturday, September 24, 11:00am-2:15pm

For students preparing for the SAT and ACT.

Take your choice of test and receive a diagnostic report after it is scored by Curvebreakers. Fee: \$20.

#### TEEN ADVENTURES IN ART: INFINITE PUMPKINS

Sunday, October 2, 2:00-3:30pm

Discover the work of contemporary artist Yayoi Kusama, including her world-famous polka-dotted pumpkins, then create your own art inspired by hers. Optionally, donate your art for display in the Underground to earn 1 hour of community service credit.

#### MINDFUL ART HOUR

Tuesday, October 4, 6:00pm

Relaxation and art is what it's all about! Be mindful as you express yourself in this light art program conducted by Huntington Youth Bureau's Sanctuary Project.

#### INTERNATIONAL COOKING: AUSTRIA

Tuesday, October 18, 6:30pm

This month, we will make apple strudels to get into the autumn spirit with Project Excel!

#### PAINTED SKULLS

Wednesday, October 26, 7:00pm

Paint and decorate paper skulls for the holiday season.

### COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

#### FOR TEENS IN GRADES 7-12

*Check our website for additional details. Many of our general events have an optional service element.*

#### WE ARE SEEKING TEEN TEACH VOLUNTEERS!

Want to teach a class or make a video for us?

Use your unique skills to be one of our teen teachers. For more information, contact [teen@cshlibrary.org](mailto:teen@cshlibrary.org).

#### TEEN CRAFT HELPERS

Saturdays, September 17 & October 22,  
2:00-3:00pm

Assist our Youth Services Librarians in organizing our children's crafts for the following month, and earn 1 hour of community service credit.

#### VOLUNTEER ORIENTATIONS

Thursdays, September 22 & October 20, 6:30pm

Newcomers to the teen volunteer program will get an overview, introductory folder, and information on some upcoming volunteer opportunities.

#### TAKE-HOME SERVICE CRAFT: FALL DECORATION

Monday, October 3, pickup begins 9:30am

Make a pumpkin decoration using this kit, return it to the library by the end of the month, and earn 1 hour of community service credit.

#### YES-YOU-CAN DONATION ART

Thursday, October 6, 6:00-7:00pm

Decorate food can labels with Andy Warhol-inspired art. The canned food (we will provide, but you can bring your own!) will be donated to our food drive.

#### TEEN HELPERS: MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, October 7, 7:00-9:00pm

Help by handing out snacks and assisting our librarians with setup.

#### TEEN HELPERS: LIFE-SIZE BOARD GAMES

Monday, October 10, 2:00-4:00pm

Assist our librarians with this children's event by setting up oversized board games!

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#### TEEN HELPERS: SCARECROWS

Sunday, October 16, 2:00-4:00pm

Help families make their scarecrows.

#### TEEN LIBRARY COUNCIL

Thursday, October 20, 7:00-8:00pm

Meet with peers to discuss library programs, collection development ideas, and overall feedback about being a teen at the library! Earn 1 hour of community service credit.

# ADULT & INFORMATION SERVICES

Register for adult programs at the Circulation Desk, online, or by phone at (631) 692-6820.

## Programs for Adults

Programs will be held online via Zoom unless indicated as an "In-Person Event." Register for online programs by 10:00pm the evening before in order to receive meeting links. Please log on 5-10 minutes before the start of the program. If you would like to receive weekly emails about events for adults, email [programs@cshlibrary.org](mailto:programs@cshlibrary.org).

### THE FALL GARDEN WITH PAUL THE PLANT GUY

**Thursday, September 8, 2:00-3:00pm \*In-Person Event**

Horticulturalist Paul Levine, aka Paul the Plant Guy, will present plants to brighten your fall landscape. Paul will discuss indoor and outdoor mums, ornamental cabbage, kale, peppers, pansies, fall sedum, and many more. Limit: 30.

### MEDITATION WITH LINDA CAFIERO

**Thursdays, September 8 & 22 and October 6 & 20, 3:00-3:30pm**

Come for a relaxing half-hour of guided meditation.

### MAH JONGG CLUB \*In-Person Event

**Mondays, September 12-October 3, 10:00am-12:00pm**

Cathy Crocetti returns to lead a class for those who know the game, but need to refresh and add to their knowledge. Students MUST bring a 2022 National Mah Jongg League card. Fee: \$50. Limit: 12.

### A WRITER'S WORKSHOP

**Eleven classes, either Monday afternoons, September 12-December 12, 1:00-3:00pm OR Tuesday evenings, September 13-December 13, 7:00-9:00pm**

No matter where you are in your creative journey, now is the perfect time to join a writing workshop. Through instruction, story prompts, and gentle critiques, author and publisher Debby Peoples will help you hone your skills and gain confidence in your writing ability. Fee: \$132, payable by credit card only. Limit: 9 students per session.

### FIGHTING SENIOR FRAUD

**Tuesday, September 13, 7:00-8:00pm**

This webinar will help you recognize the most common scams targeting seniors, discover how to prevent and report senior fraud, and find out ways to protect yourself and loved ones from financial loss. Presented by Judy Serino, Home Instead Senior Care representative and member of the National Aging in Place Council.

### ART TALK: REMBRANDT

**Thursday, September 15, 7:00-8:30pm**

Explore the life and work of one of the leading artists of the Dutch Golden Age of Painting, Rembrandt van Rijn, with art historian Jay Schuck.

### FROM PLANKTON TO WHALES

**Tuesday, October 4, 7:00-8:30pm \*In-Person Event**

Chris Paparo, manager of the Stony Brook University Marine Science Center, will help you regain your enthusiasm for protecting our marine environment through this presentation on some of the fascinating marine life that inhabits the waters of Long Island. Limit: 30.

### SMARTER SOCIAL SECURITY

**Thursday, October 6, 7:00-8:00pm \*In-Person Event**

Daniel Mazzola, CFA, CPA, will provide a broad overview of the Social Security program as it pertains to retirees and their beneficiaries, while emphasizing spousal and survivor benefits. This lecture will be of particular interest to those who are nearing retirement. Limit: 30.

### HAUNTED LONG ISLAND MYSTERIES

**Wednesday, October 12, 7:00-8:30pm \*In-Person Event**

Award-winning author and historian Kerriann Flanagan Brosky, along with medium/paranormal investigator Joe Giaquinto, will delight their audience with tales of their ghostly adventures which weave local history with the spiritual realm. Join them as they discuss their research and investigations. Limit: 30.

### WHAT STAYS & WHAT GOES?

**Wednesday, October 19, 7:00-8:00pm**

Learn techniques for making well-thought-out decisions on what to keep and what to let go. Learn how to establish a clear vision for your space, the importance of using "Prime Real Estate" areas effectively, the "neat and tidy" clutter that nobody talks about, why keeping things you aren't using leads to clutter, and much more! Q&A will follow.

### EMPIRE SAFETY COUNCIL DEFENSIVE DRIVING

**Saturday, October 22, 10:00am-4:00pm \*In-Person Event**

Defensive driving class sponsored by Empire Safety Council, a NYS DMV approved company. Please bring a check for \$30 made payable to Empire Safety Council. Remember to bring your NYS Driver License and a bag lunch to the program! Limit: 30.

### OPERATION MEDICINE CABINET

**Tuesday, October 25, 11:00am-1:00pm**

Clean out your medicine cabinet! Safely dispose of your unwanted, unused, or expired medications at the library through this Suffolk County Police Department program. No needles or liquid medications; please remove medications from their original packaging and place them in a plastic bag.

### BREAST CANCER AWARENESS:

#### PREVENTION, DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENT OPTIONS

**Tuesday, October 25, 5:00-6:00pm**

Breast cancer is the second most common cancer among women in the U.S. Jana L. Deitch, MD, FACS, breast surgical oncologist, and director of the Breast Health Program at St. Catherine of Siena Hospital, will discuss the importance of annual screenings, self-exams, and the latest treatments.

### ART TALK: LEONARDO DA VINCI

**Friday, October 28, 2:00-3:00pm \*In-Person Event**

Join us for an engaging conversation with art historian Jay Schuck as he discusses Leonardo da Vinci's artistic theories and practices in relation to the conditions of his time. Works to be examined include the *Virgin of the Rocks*, the *Last Supper*, the *Mona Lisa*, and more. Limit: 30.

## Book Discussions

### HEART OF THE HARBOR

**Thursdays, 7:00pm**

Looking to join a lively book discussion group? Join librarians Carolyn and Scott on Zoom and explore different books each month. Books will be available at the Circulation Desk.

September 8 – *Dune* by Frank Herbert

October 13 – *The River of Doubt* by Candice Millard

### BREEZY READERS

**Wednesdays, 11:30am \*In-Person Event**

Join librarians Carolyn and Shelby for a monthly book group! Dive into a new read and meet for an in-person book discussion. Books will be available at the Circulation Desk.

September 21 – *Ordinary Grace* by William Kent Krueger

October 19 – *The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides

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# Classes & Crafts for Adults

## Fitness Classes

Fitness programs are \$60 each for the entire session. Register online with a credit card. Fees are nonrefundable. Register by 10:00pm the evening before the session to receive program links to classes held on Zoom. Please log on 5-10 minutes before the start of the program.

### **FITNESS FUSION \*In-Person Event**

**Wednesdays, September 7-October 26, 1:00pm**

Taught by Dorothy Mandrakos, Fitness Fusion will introduce you to the healing arts of Qigong, yoga, and meditation. Please bring a mat.

### **FITNESS FUSION \*Virtual Event**

**Mondays, September 12-October 31, 7:00pm**

Taught by Dorothy Mandrakos, Fitness Fusion will introduce you to the healing arts of Qigong, yoga, and meditation. Please have a wall, sturdy chair, and a mat available during class.

### **TAI CHI \*Virtual Event**

**Fridays, September 2-October 21, 10:00am**

Cultivate internal energy, release stress, and balance the body, mind, and spirit with Linda Cafiero. Beginners welcome!

### **YOGA FOR ALL LEVELS \*Hybrid Event**

**Wednesdays, September 7-October 26, 10:00am**

Instructor Nancy Kelly modifies her teaching to match each student's abilities. Please have a yoga mat and a blanket or cushion available. You can attend this program via Zoom, or in-person at the library.

## Art Classes & Workshops

### **DRAWING FOR THE PAINTER \*In-Person Event**

**Wednesdays, September 14-October 26, 10:00am-12:00pm**

Learn drawing and composition techniques to enhance your paintings. Appropriate for all levels of experience. Register to receive supplies list. Fee: \$175. Limit: 10.

### **THE JOY OF PAINTING WITH PASTELS \*In-Person Event**

**Fridays, September 16-October 28, 1:00-3:00pm**

Learn to paint with pastels with Marie Sheehy-Walker; for both beginners and continuing students. Register to receive supplies list. Fee: \$175. Limit: 15.

### **CRYSTAL PENDANT WORKSHOP \*In-Person Event**

**Wednesday, September 14, 3:00-4:30pm**

Create your own unique, beautiful wire-wrapped crystal pendant. Choose from a variety of different colors and shapes, and learn the healing qualities of your chosen crystal. All supplies will be provided, along with a step by step demonstration to teach and guide you in creating your pendant. All crystals are cleared, blessed, and infused with Reiki to enhance healing properties. Fee: \$14. Limit: 15.