

SHELTER ISLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY

MONTHLY EVENTS - OCTOBER 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



WELCOME FALL!

We had an amazing summer full of great books, fun and enlightening programs for all ages, and visits from many old and new friends. Attendance at our programs skyrocketed this summer. We are so happy to be a gathering place for summer and year-round residents alike.

While things quiet down a bit in the fall, there is still plenty to do in the library. We have book clubs, discussion groups, and programs to suit all interests. There are plenty of activities for children of all ages, from sensory exploration for toddlers to Anime Club for our older children. We always do our best to bring you books in many formats, from bestsellers to romance to serious nonfiction.

Thank you all for making the Shelter Island Library your home library. It is a real privilege to serve as your library director. I welcome your visits to discuss your vision for our library's future, or just to talk about your latest favorite read. My door is always open.

Terry Lucas, Library Director

THE GREAT GIVE BACK

From October 14th through October 30th, the Shelter Island Public Library will ask the community to join them in The Great Give Back. The Great Give Back is a community service initiative created by the Suffolk County Public Library Directors Association and the Suffolk Cooperative Library System. The mission of The Great Give Back is to provide opportunities for the patrons of Suffolk County to participate in meaningful, service-oriented experiences.

Our Library will be collecting coats, hats, mittens and scarfs to be donated to Maureen's Haven. Maureen's Haven provides safe, warm, temporary housing for the homeless and a day center in Riverhead that provides



counseling and assistance. So bring your gently used warm clothing to the library during the Great Give Back, tie a warm scarf around the neck of Maisey the giraffe and give a little warmth to those less fortunate!

SHELTER ISLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE!

Wednesday, October 11th: PUBLIC HEARING at 5:00pm - Lower Level of the Library

Thursday October 12th: Voter Registration from 2:00pm to 6:00pm - Upper Level of the Library

Saturday, October 21st: LIBRARY VOTE from 10:00am to 4:00pm - Lower Level of the Library



We will be closed on October 9th in recognition of Columbus Day.



The Library will be closed on October 25th, in the morning for a Staff Development Workshop. We will be open at 1:00pm.

The monthly Board of Trustees meeting will be held on MONDAY, OCTOBER 16TH at 7:00pm

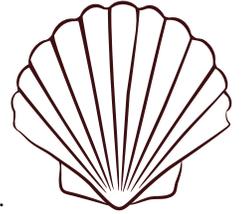
ADULT PROGRAMS

FRIDAY NIGHT DIALOGUES

Friday, October 6th at 7:00pm: *From Salty Estuaries and Glacial Till:*

The History and Incomparable Flavor of the Peconic Bay Scallop

Writer, editor and food columnist Charity Robey will talk about the history of scallop fishery in our area as well as the relationship of the Peconic Estuary to scallop flavor and the biology of scallops.



Friday, October 20th at 7:00pm: *Movie - One Big Home*

Thomas Bena was a carpenter on Martha's Vineyard who started feeling complicit in wrecking the place he calls home by building trophy houses. This documentary, twelve years in the making, follows Bena's journey to understand the trend toward giant houses and his attempts to pass a new bylaw to limit house size, often bringing him into conflict with angry homeowners and builders.



Ferry Writers



FERRY WRITERS

Thursdays, October 5th and 19th, 5:00pm

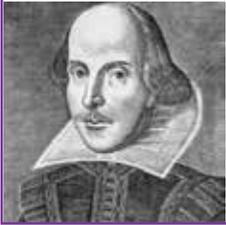
The Ferry Writers group seek committed participants. Join a supportive group to hone your writing skills with Becky Cole, JoAnn Kirkland and Matthew Quinn Martin. Registration is required.



COFFEE AND COLORING FOR ADULTS

Saturday, October 14th, 1:00pm

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



SHAKESPEARE IN COMMUNITY DISCUSSION: MACBETH

Saturday, October 28th, 12:30pm

Join us for a discussion of 'the Scottish play'. Discussion is facilitated by writer Becky Cole. New members are welcome.

Saturday, October 7th at 1:00pm: *Cold Stunned Sea Turtle Lecture*

Help Save Sea Turtles! The Riverhead Foundation for Marine Research and Preservation is looking for volunteers to patrol our beaches in search of sea turtles in distress. Cold stunning is a condition similar to hypothermia that is brought on when cold-blooded sea turtles are in water temperatures below 50 degrees Fahrenheit. Cold stunning can cause the animals to get washed ashore on New York beaches - and can become fatal. Find out about how to save these precious creatures.



MINDFULNESS MEDITATION

Saturday, October 7th, 10:30am

Twin Healers Gail and Tal, Psychotherapist and Acupuncturist, will show you ways to quiet 'monkey mind' and manage stress. New meditators and seasoned meditators are all welcome. Register at the Circulation Desk.



ADULT CRAFT: BANDANA PUMPKINS

Saturday, October 14th, 11:00am

So easy sewing project - make your own bandana pumpkins! Register at the Circulation Desk.

GREAT DECISIONS: PROSPECTS FOR AFGHANISTAN AND PAKISTAN

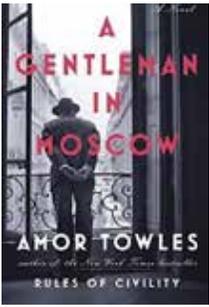
Thursday, October 26th, 5:30pm

Great Decisions is a monthly discussion program from the Foreign Policy Association. A short film is followed by a group discussion.



For more information about Adult Programs contact Jocelyn Ozolins at jozolins@silibrary.org

BOOK CLUBS



SHELTER ISLAND LIBRARY BOOK CLUB:

Tuesday, October 10th, 5:00pm

A Gentleman in Moscow by Amor Towles

In 1922 Count Alexander Rostov has been sentenced by the Bolsheviks to house arrest in the grand Hotel Metropol, for being an unrepentant aristocrat. He spends the next few decades in his attic room while Russia's tumultuous changes take place outside. *A Gentleman in Moscow* has been critically lauded for its elegance, wit, and fascinating cast of characters.



MYSTERY MONDAY BOOK CLUB:

Monday, October 23rd, 5:00pm

Light Thickens by Ngaio Marsh

A London production of *Macbeth* is plagued with gruesome pranks and ends in tragedy. Detective Roderick Alleyn uncovers a heartbreaking secret and the reason for the murderous jealousy. *Light Thickens*, Marsh's last, and one of her best books, immerses us in the world of the theatre and of "the Scottish play".



COOKBOOK CLUB:

Tuesday, October 24th, 6:00pm

Anything Chocolate!

Let's explore the varied uses of chocolate from sweet to savory, from dessert to main course dishes.



MOVIES AT THE LIBRARY

Tuesday, October 17th, 7:00pm: *The Haunting*

Julie Harris and Claire Bloom star in this 1963 adaptation of a Shirley Jackson novel about a small group of people who are invited by a paranormal investigator to stay in a haunted house. A psychological horror classic.



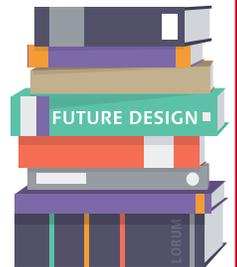
THE BOOK SALE ROOM WILL BE OPEN FOR A SPECIAL SALE

Saturday, October 7th and Saturday, October 28th!

We will accept donations of gently used books on Tuesday, October 10th and Saturday, October 14th this 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.



IN THE GALLERY
Paintings of
Alexandra Corcoran



IN THE DISPLAY CASE
Pumpkin Time!



The Metropolitan
Opera

**THE METROPOLITAN
OPERA LIVE IN HD
AT GUILD HALL**

Tickets \$15.00; Available for purchase at Circulation Desk.



Saturday, October 21st, 2017 at 1:00pm: *Norma*
Saturday, November 18th, 2017 at 1:00pm: *Exterminating Angel*
Saturday, January 27th, 2018 at 1:00pm: *Tosca*
Saturday, February 10th, 2018 at 12:00pm: *L'Elisir d'Amore*
Saturday, February 24th, 2018 at 12:30pm: *La Boheme*
Saturday, March 31st, 2018 at 1:00pm: *Così fan tutte*

WEEKLY PROGRAMS

ART BARNETT POETRY
ROUNDTABLE

Tuesdays @ 4:00pm

ESL CONVERSATION

Thursdays @ 4:00pm

KNITTING CLUB

Thursdays @ 5:00pm

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Mondays @ 10:00am



YOUTH PROGRAMS



EARLY CHILDHOOD:

FAMILY STORYTIME

Monday, October 2nd, 16th, 23rd & 30th, 11:30am

Come by the library for some unique stories right before lunch.



SENSORY EXPLORATION

Wednesdays, October 4th, 11th & 18th, 11:15am

Dress for a mess! Spend time with your child playing in multiple sensory and tactile stations. *No program 10/25.

STORYCRAFT SATURDAYS

Saturdays, October 7th & 14th, 11:00am

Stop by for some silly stories and a fun craft.



YOGA STORYTIME

Saturday, October 28th, 11:00am

Get ready to stretch, pose, and bend with yoga instructor Leith. Limited mats available.



SCHOOL-AGE PROGRAMS:

VIRTUAL REALITY

Tuesday, October 3rd, 3:00pm

Protect your fortress, dive into the oceans, or fly through the sky. Make sure to take advantage of the VR kit before it leaves the library.

SNACKS AND COLORING

Tuesday, October 10th, 3:00pm

Join the library's advisory board and discuss ideas and events you want at the library, all while enjoying a treat.

DUCT TAPE FUN

Wednesday, October 11th, 3:00pm

Get creative and concoct some quirky crafts made out of duct tape.



FALL BOOK BINGO

Tuesday, October 17th, 3:00pm

Everyone's favorite game with a fall twist. Will you win?

DECOUPAGE LANTERNS

Thursday, October 19th, 3:00pm

Make your own lantern to light up an autumn night.

AFTER SCHOOL SPOOKY MOVIE: TBD

Tuesday, October 24th, 3:00pm

Add some horror to your Halloween season with a spooky movie.

PUMPKIN DECORATING

Thursday, October 26th, 3:00pm

How will you decorate and design your own pumpkin? Come to the library and show us what you can do! Supplies limited.



HALLOWEEN SPOOKY WALK AT THE LIBRARY

Tuesday, October 31st, All Day

Ghosts and monsters have turned the library's downstairs into a haunted walkway! Are you brave enough to walk through?



YOUNG ADULT:

VIRTUAL REALITY

Monday, October 2nd, 3:00pm

Protect your fortress, dive into the oceans, or fly through the sky. Make sure to take advantage of the VR kit before it leaves the library.

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Tuesday, October 10th, 3:00pm

Join the library's advisory board and discuss ideas and events you want at the library, all while coloring and enjoying a treat.

TEEN GAME ZONE

Thursday, October 12th, 3:00pm

How competitive can you be? Come find out and play some fan favorite board games: Tsuro, BANG, Sushi GO, and many more!

FUN FRIDAY: WII U

Fridays, October 13th & 27th, 3:00pm

Battle your friends to reign supreme in Super Smash Bros and other Wii games. Will you be champion?



FUN FRIDAY: ANIME CLUB

Friday, October 20th, 3:00pm

Anime fans unite! Let's watch and discuss some of our favorite anime shows over a light snack.

SNACK ATTACK

On Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 2:30pm to 3:30pm, bring your after-school snack to the community room. We will provide games, crafts or other activities!

Food prepared for or served at programs may contain milk, eggs, wheat, soybeans, peanuts, tree nuts, fish and/or shellfish.



DAY-BY-DAY CALENDAR, OCTOBER 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 10:00 AM Mah Jongg	3 4:00 PM Art Barnett Poetry Roundtable	4	5 4:00 PM ESL 5:00 PM Ferry Writers 5:00 PM Knitting Club	6 7:00 PM Friday Night Dialogues: <i>Peconic Bay Scallops</i>	7 BOOK SALE ROOM OPEN 10:30 AM Mindfulness Meditation 1:00 PM Cold Stunned Sea Turtles
8	9 COLUMBUS DAY LIBRARY CLOSED	10 4:00 PM Art Barnett Poetry Roundtable 5:00 PM Shelter Island Library Book Club: <i>A Gentleman in Moscow</i> by Amor Towles	11 5:00 PM Budget Hearing	12 2:00 PM Voter Registration 4:00 PM ESL 5:00 PM Knitting Club	13	14 11:00 AM Bandana Pumpkins 1:00 PM Coffee and Coloring
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OCTOBER 2017 YOUTH CALENDAR

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