

UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE WESTHAMPTON FREE LIBRARY

December

FAMILY

FAMILY HOLIDAY WREATHS

Friday, December 6 from 11:00am - 11:30am,
11:45am - 12:15pm, 12:30pm - 1:00pm, 4:00pm - 4:30pm,
4:45pm - 5:15pm, or 5:30pm - 6:00pm

Enjoy our traditional wreath making program at the Library or at home. We will provide one kit per family with a wreath and all the fixings.

\$20 per wreath due at registration. One wreath per family.

HOLIDAY GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING WITH JERRI'S CAKES AND CONFECTIONARY

Saturday, December 7 from 12:00pm - 12:45pm **or** 1:00pm - 1:45pm
Decorate your own Gingerbread House! Jerri will show you how to decorate your house for the holidays using delicious royal icing and a selection of candy. Due to allergens in the frosting and candy, please be aware if there are sensitivities.

\$30 per house due at registration.

SHERIFF'S PET NETWORK

Sunday, December 8 from 11:00am - 3:00pm

The Suffolk County Sheriff's Department Lost Pet Network is joining us for Pet Photos with Santa Day! Stop by for information and to register your pet. When you register, you will receive a printed pet identification card and your pet will be added to the LPN network to help quickly locate missing animals.

FAMILY HANUKKAH STORIES

Sunday, December 15 from 1:00pm - 1:45pm

Ms. Barbara will read Hanukkah stories and help you make a themed craft to celebrate.



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BOOK BITES

Wednesday, December 4 from 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Join us for story-themed snacks and some fun! We will read a silly reindeer book, make reindeer snacks, and play some holiday bingo. Please be mindful of possible allergens.

HOW DO WHALES STAY WARM?

Thursday, December 5 from 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Let's explore blubber in this fun STEAM activity!

CRAFTERNOONS WITH MS. GABRIELLA

Tuesdays, December 10, 17 from 4:00-4:45 pm

Join us for afternoons of amazing crafting adventures! Dress for a mess!

December 10: Snowflake Ornaments. Let's make your own snowflake ornaments for the winter season!

December 17: Hot Cocoa Pals. Let's read a winter story and make a friendly winter decoration!

HOLIDAY ART WITH MR TONY

Monday, December 16 from 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Join Mr. Tony for a special holiday art project here at the library!

INSTRUMENT PETTING ZOO

Wednesday, December 11 from 4:00pm - 5:00pm

The Staller Center for the Arts at Stony Brook University presents the Instrument Petting Zoo! The Instrument Petting Zoo provides a hands-on introduction to various musical instrument families. Join graduate and undergraduate students as they inspire the next generation of students.



FESTIVE NEW YEAR'S NOISEMAKERS

Monday, December 23 - Monday, December 30 during library hours
New Year's Eve is just around the corner! Let's craft some noise makers in this easy take-and-make kit. Happy New Year!

For grades Pre-K-5

PAWS AND TALES

Thursday, December 26 from 2:00pm - 2:15pm

This program aims to help children with self esteem, confidence, and reading skills by sharing stories with specially trained, certified dogs.

For grades Pre-K-5

TWEEN (GRADES 4-5)

SNOWMAN IN A CUP

Tuesday, December 3 from 4:00pm - 4:45pm

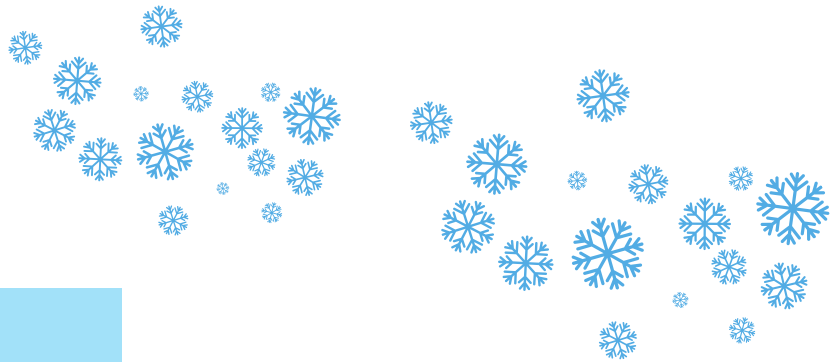
Make this delicious, chilly pudding snack!



DIY "MAGIC" SNOW

Thursday, December 12 from 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Make a blizzard indoors with this festive craft!



TRIALS OF THE ZODIAC

Fridays, December 13, 20 from 4:00-5:00pm

The stars above are full of tales and adventures!

Let's uncover their secrets through various challenges and activities throughout the year.

December 13: Take on the Trial of Ophiuchus! Did you know about the forgotten 13th Zodiac? Welcome to Dr. Ophiuchus' hot cocoa mixer! The perfect cure for a cold winter's day awaits! Solve puzzles and build the ultimate warm winter cure! You even decorate your own mug!



December 20: Take on the Trial of Sagittarius! This winter, we'll make ourselves bows and arrows! We'll compete in an archery contest and make music to cheer each other along, just like the Muses and Sagittarius!



For 3rd to 5th Grade

LONG ISLAND SCIENCE CENTER - PHYSICS OF TOYS

Saturday, December 14 from 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Join the Long Island Science Center to experience physics in action through hands-on activities and demonstrations using familiar and old-fashioned toys. Experiment with the forces of gravity and make your own toy to take home.

For 3rd to 5th Grade

BUILD A SLED STEAM CHALLENGE

Thursday, December 19 from 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Create with your team and race your sled!

