

Calendar of Events

LIST YOUR EVENTS!

Our monthly listings are free to all non-profit organizations and fundraising events.

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NFCT AUDITIONS FOR OLIVER

Monday, March 12, 7 p.m. (kids and adults)

Wednesday, March 14, at 7 p.m. (adults only)

Saturday, March 17, 1pm (kids only)

Adults (18- 70): Please prepare 16-32 bars from an appropriate musical; you may sing from the show. Callbacks will be held Sunday, March 18, at 6pm. Callbacks will include character specific songs, sides from the show and brief dance call, if needed.

Kids (8-16): Please be familiar with "Consider Yourself" from the show; kids will be taught a brief section of the song together then asked to sing individually. Please be prepared to dance. Callbacks will be held Sunday, March 18, at 5pm. Callbacks will include character specific songs, sides from the show and additional dance if needed.

Performances will be held May 17, 18, 19 20, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 31 and June 1, 2 and 3. Show times: Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 2:30 p.m. No performance conflicts will be accepted. For more information, please contact director Kelsey Cheslock at kelsey@kelseycheslock.com.

Character Breakdown:

Oliver Twist: Male, age range 8-12. A workhouse boy about 11 years of age.

Fagin: Male, age range 30-70. An elderly criminal; runs training academy for young pickpockets.

The Artful Dodger: Male, age range 12-16. Fagin's brightest pupil - an undersized 16.

Bill Sikes: Male, age range: 30-45. A villain in his prime.

Nancy: Female, age range 20-30. A graduate of Fagin's academy and Bill's lady.

Bet: Female, age range 14-18. A lass in Fagin's establishment - idolizes Nancy.

Mr. Bumble: Male, age range 40-70. A large and pompous bureaucrat of the workhouse.

Mrs. Corney: Female, age range: 30-60. Sharp-tongued, domineering widow, workhouse mistress.

Mr. Brownlow: Male, age range 50-70. An old gentleman of wealth and breeding.

Mr. Sowerberry: Male, age range 30-60. The undertaker [will double as ensemble]

Mrs. Sowerberry: Female, age range 30-60. Mr. Sowerberry's wife and overseer. (will double as ensemble)

Charlotte: Female, age range 16-25. Sowerberrys' floozy young daughter. (will double as ensemble)

Noah Claypole: Male, age range 16-25. Mr. Sowerberry's cocky apprentice. (will double as ensemble)

Mr. Grimwig: Male, age range 30-50. A doctor. (will double as ensemble)

Mrs. Bedwin: Female, age 30-60. The Brownlows' housekeeper. (will double as ensemble)

Old Sally: Female, age range 50-70. A pauper. (will double as ensemble)

Charley Bates: Male, age range 8-15. A boy in Fagin's establishment. (will double as ensemble)

Kids Ensemble: Male and female, age range 8-16. Workhouse boys, police (Bow Street Runners), etc.

Adult Ensemble: Male and female, age range 16-70. Workhouse assistants, police (Bow Street Runners), street vendors, crowd, etc.

NORTH FORK COMMUNITY THEATRE SHOW SCHEDULE

12700 Old Sound Avenue, Mattituck, NY 11952 • www.nfct.com

YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN • MARCH 8-11, 15-18, 22-25

Presented in its original 1967 version, this popular musical takes us all back to a simpler time-when all that was needed for "Happiness" was a security blanket, a full supper dish, and 5-cents' worth of psychiatric help. Relive your beloved childhood memories with Charlie Brown, Lucy, Linus, Snoopy, and the gang. Or bring your children or grandchildren to see characters they may only know through two annual holiday TV specials. Is "Peanuts" just for children? Good Grief, no.

OLIVER! • MAY 17-20, 24-31, JUNE 1-3

The streets of Victorian England come to life as Oliver, a malnourished orphan in a workhouse, becomes the neglected apprentice of an undertaker. Oliver escapes to London and finds acceptance amongst a group of petty thieves and pickpockets led by the elderly Fagin. When Oliver is captured for a theft that he did not commit, the benevolent victim, Mr. Brownlow takes him in. Fearing the safety of his hideout, Fagin employs the sinister Bill Sikes and the sympathetic Nancy to kidnap him back, threatening Oliver's chances of discovering the true love of a family.

SEUSSICAL™ • JULY 19-22, 26-29, AUGUST 2-5

The Cat in the Hat tells the story of Horton, an elephant who discovers a speck of dust that contains the Whos, including Jojo, a Who child sent off to military school for thinking too many "thinks." Horton faces a double challenge: not only must he protect the Whos from a world of naysayers and dangers, but he must guard an abandoned egg, left in his care by the irresponsible Mayzie La Bird. Although Horton faces ridicule, danger, kidnapping and a trial, the intrepid Gertrude McFuzz never loses faith in him. Ultimately, the powers of friendship, loyalty, family and community are challenged and emerge triumphant.

SOCIAL JUSTICE PROGRAM SUNDAY, MARCH 18

Tikkun Olam (in Hebrew) means commitment to making the world a better, more caring place. According to the new mission statement of the Federal Agency in charge of Immigration Services, we are no longer a nation of immigrants. How is it going to effect the lives of 800,000 Dreamers and others who are already living in fear? Speaker Sonia Spar will help us understand the issues at stake. She has worked for a national Jewish civil rights and human relations organization. She is a community leader and a member of the Southold Anti-Bias Task Force. Join her at the Cutchogue Library, 27550 Main Road, Cutchogue from 2 – 3:30pm for this free program with light refreshments. Sponsored by North Fork Reform Synagogue. Info: 631 921-3354 or visit Northforkreformsynagogue.org



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MONTAUK OBSERVATORY EVENTS

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The Hunt for Dark Matter Friday, March 9

Astronomy Lecture, 7-8PM at Montauk Library, 871 Montauk Highway, Montauk
Scientists have an enormous amount of evidence that 80% of the matter in our Universe is “dark” and unknown. A broad range of experiments, ranging from sensitive detectors located deep underground to powerful instruments on satellites, are searching for signs of this mysterious matter. This free talk by Prof. Rouven Essig will review the evidence for dark matter and the exciting scientific quest to uncover its identity. Prof. Rouven Essig joined the Stony Brook Physics and Astronomy Department and the Yang Institute for Theoretical Physics in 2012. Among his research interests in theoretical particle physics is the nature of dark matter. To register call the library 631-668-3377

New Moon Star Party Friday, March 16 (weather permitting)

7 - 10PM Montauk Observatory astronomers will set up their telescopes under the dark skies at the South Fork Natural History Museum (www.SoFo.org) in Bridgehampton (SoFo), 3777 Bridgehampton-Sag Harbor Turnpike, Bridgehampton NY 11932 and give guided tours of the heavens to all who attend. The first half hour will consist of a brief lecture about stargazing, star-hopping, and general tips for observing. Then it’s out to the field for a look at the wonders of the night sky. Feel free to bring and set up your own telescope or binoculars, even do some astrophotography. Bundle up! Bring something to sit on if you plan to stay for a while. On the day of the event, you may check viewing conditions on the Clear Sky Chart on Montauk Observatory’s website. **The star party will not be held if the temperature falls below freezing, if it is snowing, raining, or if it is cloudy.** Refreshments will be available. FREE, but donations appreciated. Call Sofo at (631) 537-9735 to register.

NFRS WINTER CINEMATIC SERIES

www.northforkreformsynagogue.org — 631 722-5712

NFRS Cinematic Series 2018 Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. at Cutchogue Presbyterian Church
Refreshments served. Suggested \$5 donation. Handicap accessible.

MARCH 24 — *The People vs. Fritz Bauer*

The title character of this film was a fascinating man whose career as a prosecutor, trying to expose the crimes of the Nazis, deserves the dramatic treatment given here. A Jew born in Germany, Fritz Bauer had begun a legal career that was interrupted when he was sent to a concentration camp in the 1930’s. After managing to extricate himself, he spent the war years in Denmark and Sweden, then returned to Germany and the law in the late ‘40’s.

APRIL 28 — *Europa, Europa*

A Jewish boy, separated from his family in the early days of WWII, poses as a German orphan and is thereafter taken into the heart of the Nazi world as a “war hero” and eventually made a Hitler youth. Based on a true story — inominated for for Best Foreign Film.

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REGISTER BEFORE MARCH 25:

RULES OF THE ROAD BOATING SEMINAR APRIL 14

The United States Power Squadrons will present “Mastering the Rules of the Road”, part of the USPS University seminar series, at 1pm on April 14 at West Marine, 1089 Old Country Road in Riverhead. This seminar simplifies the sometimes complex U.S. Inland Rules and International Rules, or COLREGS, for the recreational boater. Through examples, you’ll discover how to avoid collisions in various situations, the differences between power and sailboat rules, and the special rules for fishing vessels. Don’t leave the dock without knowing the rules of the road. This seminar is a starting point to prepare for the USCG License examination. There is a \$35.00 fee, which includes the Mastering the Rules of the Road booklet that contains the presentation information. A downloadable US Coast Guard Navigation Rules and Regulations Handbook is also available as a supporting text. Register on line before March 25 at www.PBPS.us/education/schedule or call Vince Mauceri at 631-725-3679 to learn more. (This seminar is presented locally by Peconic Bay Power Squadron, Eastern Long Island’s local unit of the United States Power Squadrons, America’s Boating Club.)

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LIRR SLIDE SHOW SATURDAY MARCH 31

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The Railroad Museum of Long Island will present its 12th Annual Educational Forum at 1pm in the Riverhead Public Library education hall, 330 Court Street (across from the Suffolk County Historical Society) in Riverhead. Ample municipal parking is available in the Town parking lot, Osborn and Courts Streets, across from the entrance to the Library. The slide show and discussion will be presented by author and LIRR Historian Dave Morrison. View numerous photographs taken by LIRR Claims Department photographer Fred J. Weber. Taken in the mid to late 1940s, they have never before been in print. Subjects include a 140 year old brick-lined turntable pit, "B" Tower, a hospital spur, a WWI military camp, and the LIRR 160th Anniversary train. Dave will have his latest book "Long Island Rail Road - Oyster Bay Branch" available for sale and autographing. Dave is a retired LIRR Branch Line manager and one of the founding members of the Railroad Museum of Long Island. Admission is free and open to the public. Visit us at www.rmli.org or direct questions to Don Fisher at 631-765-2757 or via email at dfisher@rmli.us.

SOUTHOLD HISTORICAL SOCIETY**APRIL SHOWERS DINNER THURSDAY APRIL 12**

Tickets on sale at the Southold Historical Society, Prince Building, 54325 Main Road, Southold (10am-2pm, Monday to Friday) or at the door the day of the dinner. Join us Noon-8pm at O'Mally's Restaurant, Route 48, Southold. Tickets: \$30. (Gratuity included). For more info: Karen Lund Rooney, Executive Director, K.Lund@optonline.net or call 631-765-5500 ext.3.

BOOK AND AUTHOR PROGRAM SUNDAY, APRIL 22

The public is invited to learn about compelling stories of Jewish history in a book and author program with Ira Poliakoff, the writer and researcher of Synagogues of Long Island, just published by The History Press. The program is sponsored by three North Fork synagogues — Congregation Tifereth Israel in Greenport, the North Fork Reform Synagogue in Cutchogue, and Temple Israel of Riverhead — and will be held in the community room of the Greenport synagogue at 2 p.m. The public is invited to attend at no charge. Light refreshments will be offered.

After WWII, thousands of Jewish soldiers returned from the war, looking for a life in the suburbs. In 1946, to accommodate the new arrivals on Long Island, Rabbi Elias Solomon called a meeting of Conservative rabbis to map out a plan. The group came up with a scheme to provide a synagogue at every railroad stop along the south shore of Long Island, from Valley Stream to Patchogue. Once Reform Judaism took hold in the later decades of the 20th century, Central Synagogue of Nassau County and Beth El in Great Neck each grew more than 1,000 families strong. More recently, the growth of the Chabad movement has spurred an increase of Orthodox Judaism. Synagogues to accommodate the three branches of Judaism — Orthodox, Conservative and Reform — continue to flourish.

The author has studied the histories of nearly 300 synagogues in Nassau and Suffolk Counties, some that once thrived and others that continue to prosper. His research is documented by dozens of photographs and also copies of rare documents of development and incorporation. In his book and his talks, he reveals the oldest synagogues in both counties, and includes Congregation Tifereth Israel among the historic synagogues now listed on the National and State Registries of Historic Places. This history-unveiling catalogue illuminates the synagogues and congregations that have shaped Long Island's Jewish past and present.

Ira Poliakoff grew up in Manhattan and in Rockville Center on Long Island. He served as a youth director at the Oceanside Jewish Center and the Queensboro Hill Jewish Center. A retired small business owner, he now lives with his wife in Wynnewood, PA, where they are active members of Temple Beth Hillel-Beth El.

Congregation Tifereth Israel is located at 519 Fourth Street in Greenport, immediately south of the intersection of Fourth and Front Streets. For more information about the book and author program, call the synagogue at 631-477-0232.

SUNSHINE SOCIETY FUNDRAISER MONDAY MAY 7

Southold Sunshine Society Inc. is holding its 12th annual fundraising event at the Wharf House, Founders Landing, Southold. Along with a scenic setting, attendees will enjoy a sandwich luncheon and an afternoon of game playing, complete with a prize for the high scorer at each table. Admission is \$15 per person. **Pre-registration is necessary!** Contact Anne Swanson to make your reservation at 765-5735. Gather your foursome, select and bring the game of your choice and make your reservation. Space is limited. The folks of the Sunshine Society look forward to greeting you at 12 noon for lunch. Play will continue until 3pm.

**TRIP TO VIRGINIA BEACH, WILLIAMSBURG & NORFOLK
MAY 21 TO MAY 25**

Come with the Southold-Peconic Seniors to enjoy some sunny warm weather on a trip including four nights at an oceanfront hotel, four full breakfasts and dinners, the Fort Monroe Casemate Museum, Douglas MacArthur Memorial, Norfolk Naval Base, Hampton Roads Museum, Williamsburg visit, Yankee Candle, time on the beach and boardwalk plus much more. Total price of \$529 includes all of the above with motor-coach transportation, taxes and tips. Please contact Mary Pedersen at 631-765-9243 or 516-607-4504 for further information. You deserve it after a long and cold snowy winter. Don't miss out on this great trip.

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ONGOING CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP for caregivers of the chronically ill or elderly. 3rd Tuesday each month, 1:30-2:30pm, sponsored by Southold Town Senior Services, 750 Pacific St, Mattituck. For more info: 631.298.4460.

SUFFOLK COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETYMuseum – Library – Art Gallery, 300 W. Main St., Riverhead, NY 11901
631-727-2881 • www.suffolkcountyhistoricalsociety.org**EVENTS & EXHIBITS**

Through May 19 The Paintings, Highlights from the Permanent Collection — the first in a new Spotlight Series of exhibits designed to bring some of our wonderful objects out on display. With over 250 paintings in our collection, this exhibit of selected oil paintings by a range of well-known 19th and 20th-century professional and amateur artists chosen for their beauty, quality, and community connection. On exhibit in our Weathervane Galley.

Saturday, March 10, Long Island and the Great War: A Symposium 8:30am-4pm: Continuing our commemoration of the centennial of WWI, featuring a group of distinguished First World War researchers and authorities:

Libby O'Connell: Feeding the Fight: Food, Propaganda, and WWI

James McKenna: Camp Mills in Mineola

David Clemens and Suzanne Johnson: Camp Upton

Laura Cinturati: Divided Between Pride & Anxiety: The Roosevelt Family and the Great War

Bert Cunningham: New York's Fighting 69th and the World War

The symposium will conclude with a curator's tour of the SCHS's acclaimed exhibition "Over Here, Over There: Long Island and the Great War." Join us for a day of informative presentations and discussions on the Long Island involvement in the transformative cataclysm of the twentieth century. \$25pp includes morning refreshments and light lunch. RSVP Required: 631-727-2881 x100

April 4 – 7 Kids Week at SCHS! A children's museum experience within the Suffolk County Historical Society Museum! Wednesday, thru Saturday 10am-4:30pm. Free Admission for Children and \$5/adult. All museum signage temporarily re-interpreted for school-age children. Touch-table educational play stations for hands-on experiences. "The Historical Play Room" for playtime the old-fashioned way! Dress in colonial garb, historic role-playing, old-world games, toys, and crafts. Play out life in the past! Scavenger hunt with prizes. Cookies & juice. More information: 631-727-2881.

Saturday, April 21, 1pm: ORCHID TEA & TALK featuring Special Guest Speaker Bill Bianchi. \$25pp includes assorted teas, fancy finger sandwiches and sweets! Paid reservation by 4/14. Local grower of orchids and owner of Bianchi-Davis Greenhouses in Riverhead, Bill Bianchi will speak on the history and care of orchids. There will also be a sale of orchid plants at this event to benefit the SCHS. Reserve early, space is limited, Call to reserve: 631-727-2881 x100.

Saturday, April 28, 1pm – BOOK & BOTTLE: George Giannaris, Ferry Tales II: When Hellenic Freezes Over. Hellenic owner and author George Giannaris will sign copies of his new book and share the local history of his family's landmark East Marion restaurant, along with coveted recipes, comical short stories, and philosophical insights. Members Free; Non-Members \$5. Includes book sale and signing, light refreshments, and admission to current exhibits. RSVP Requested: 631-727-2881 x100.

Thursday, May 10, 6pm – BOOK & BOTTLE: Stephen Sanfilippo on East End Whalemens' Love of "Mother" in Songs and Poems of the East End Whalemens. This special Mother's Day-inspired event will feature live music and poetry readings, along with discussion of the songs and poems about mothers and motherhood that the whalemens of the East End sung and wrote on their long journeys from home. Songs such as "Mother, Kiss Me in My Dreams" and "The Indian Mother's Lullaby" will be performed and discussed. Members Free; Non-Members \$5. RSVP Requested: 631-727-2881 x100.

CURRENT EXHIBITS

Over Here, Over There: Long Island & the Great War. Commemorating the centennial of America's entry into the First World War, the exhibit features artifacts, maps, photographs, weaponry, posters, and more depicting Long Islanders' experiences during the war from the front lines to the home front, neutrality to belligerence, and mobilization to victory. Curated by Richard F. Welch. Exhibit Design by Richard P. Doctorow. In our Grand Staas Gallery until March 2018.

Votes for New York Women (1917-2017) When women in New York State won the right to vote 100 years ago (making Nov. 2017 the centennial of that historic civil rights victory) their success changed the national political landscape and was a critical tipping point on the road to a constitutional amendment three years later. This exhibit celebrates the New York suffrage centennial by narrating the stories of Long Island women activists who dedicated themselves to the powerful grassroots movement. Curated by head librarian Wendy Polhemus-Annibell. In our History in the Hall Gallery thru Spring 2018.

OFF-SITE EXHIBITION: Suffolk County Pine Barrens Pictorial Exhibit. A standing display, an overview of the history of the Pine Barrens and the critical role this region plays in the protection of Suffolk County's precious groundwater. On display at the Suffolk County Water Authority Education Center: 260 Motor Pkwy, Hauppauge, NY.

SCHS Photo of the Week Series! To subscribe to our free and popular historic photo-story series, visit our website or send an email request to librarian Wendy Polhemus-Annibell: wannibell@schs-museum.org

ONGOING: Membership Drive! Celebrating 131 years! Join the SCHS and support local history preservation. Founded in 1886, SCHS is a non-profit organization that collects and preserves the rich history of Suffolk County. We operate a history museum, offer an expansive library and archives, and host a multitude of events, programs, and educational lectures and workshops. Our unique collection reflects more than three centuries of local history! Visit our website or call 631-727-2881 to become a member! 727-2881 to become a member!

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Sat., March 10, 9am **Yoga** Instruction for all levels. 8-week session begins. Gain strength, flexibility and balance. Bring yoga mat or towel. Fee: \$70. Walk-ins \$15 per class. Register in advance at the Circulation Desk.

Sat., March 10, 9am- 4pm **AARP Safe Driving Course.** For motor vehicle operators age 50+. Register in person at the Circulation Desk. \$20 for AARP members, \$25 for non-members, by check payable to: AARP.

Sun., March 11, 2pm **Benjamin Franklin and his Loyalist Son.** This staged reading by actors portrays the last meeting between this father and his illegitimate son, William, and their attempts to reconcile their viewpoints after the Revolution. All welcome. FREE.

Mon., March 12, 6pm **Library Board of Trustees Meeting.** Open to the public.

Tues., March 13, **Toddler Basketball** 2pm for ages 18-35 months (with caregiver); **Pre-school Basketball** 3pm for ages 3-5 years (preschool); **K-1 Basketball** 4 pm (for grades K-1). Learn in a non-competitive way through drills and games. Registration required. FREE.

Wed., March 14, 9am **Chair Aerobics & Strength** with Laurie Short. 7-week session begins. Non-impact aerobic movement while seated in a chair and functional strength training. Bring dumbbells (3-5 lbs.) and water. Fee: \$35. Register in advance at the Desk.

Wed., March 14, 4pm **Bunnies, Bunnies, Bunnies** for grades K-1. Hold and pet real live bunnies and listen to a story. Registration is required. FREE.

Thurs., March 15, 11am **Green Pancakes** for ages 3-5 preschool (with caregiver). Join Chef Rob for green pancakes. Registration is required. FREE.

Thurs., March 15, 6pm **Luck O' the Irish Tea.** Chef Barbara Sheridan reveals her secrets to making a "real" Irish Scone, delightful tea sandwiches, Irish Soda Bread and Tip-sy Square Trifle. Bring your favorite teacup (optional). Register. \$5pp. Space is limited.

Fri., March 16, 1:30pm **FILM:** "Just Getting Started"(2017 PG-13) Action comedy about an ex-FBI agent and an ex-mob lawyer who put off rivalry to fend off a mob hit. FREE.

Fri., March 16, 4:15pm **Intro to Minecraft** for grades K-1. Learn how to play, ask questions and play at your own pace. Registration is required. FREE.

Fri., March 16, 5pm **Games Night** Teens grades 7-12. Registration is required. FREE.

Sun., March 18, 2pm **Benjamin Franklin and his Loyalist Son.** (see Mar. 11)

Tues., March 20, 10:15am **Babies Boogie** for ages 3-24 mo. (with caregiver). Enjoy this high-energy, interactive movement and music program. Registration is required. FREE.

Tues., March 20, 11:15am **Toddlers Tango** for ages 25mo.-3yrs. (/caregiver). A high energy experience with fun musical props. Registration is required. FREE.

Tues., March 20, 1:30-3pm **Health Insurance Counseling.** Individual, confidential, information and guidance for seniors, and Medicare eligible persons, sponsored by the Suffolk County Office for the Aging. Call the circulation desk for an appointment. FREE.

Wed., March 21, 4pm **Lego 4-6** for grades 4 – 6 use Library Legos to design your own creation, then see it on display. Registration is required. FREE.

Wed., March 21, 6:30pm **College Financial Seminar** for High School students and parents. Join Rob Martino, a financial advisor, in an open space at the Library. Ask questions and learn about personal financial management and college preparedness. FREE.

Wed., March 21, 6:30pm **FILM** "Dear America: Letters Home from Vietnam." Hear the letters of young men and women read by renowned actors, with images from home movies and actual newsreel coverage. 86 minutes. Rated PG13; intense war scenes. FREE.

Thurs., March 22, 1pm **Frog Fun** for ages 3-5 preschool. Enjoy stories about frogs, picture books, magnetic board tales, songs, films and art activities. Meets again on March 29 and April 5. Registration is required. FREE.

Thurs., March 22, 4pm **"How Green Was My Valley" Book, Dinner & Movie.** Discuss the book, enjoy a pot luck dinner and watch the movie. FREE.

Fri., March 23, 1:30pm **FILM:** "Man Who Invented Christmas"(2017 PG) The journey that led to Charles Dickens' creation of "A Christmas Carol". FREE.

Fri., March 23, 6pm **Lip Balm** for grades 7-12. Make a natural lip balm using essential oils and coconut oil, plus a flavored lip scrub. Registration is required. FREE.

Sat., March 24, 3pm **The Fisherman's Wife: Stories & Recipes.** Join Stephanie Villani, part of a local commercial fishing family, as she shares stories and recipes from her seafood cookbook/memoir. Book available for purchase. Enjoy smoked fish samples. FREE.

Thurs., March 29, 6:30pm **National Vietnam War Veterans Day Commemoration.** To honor the men and women who served and sacrificed, we will share memories of soldiers from the Story Corps archive and pay tribute to our veterans in attendance. All are welcome; refreshments will be served. FREE.

Fri., March 30, 1:30pm **FILM:** "Lad: A Yorkshire Story" (2013 NR). A teenage boy forms a friendship with a park ranger in the Yorkshire Dales after the death of his father. FREE.

Wed., April 4, 11am **Baby's Rhyme Time** for ages birth-12 mo. (with caregiver). Mother Goose rhymes, puppets, finger plays, action songs and flannel board tales. Program will be repeated on April 11th. Registration is required. FREE.

ON-GOING CLASSES:

Low Impact Dance Aerobics: Mondays from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. \$\$

Mahjong: Mondays at 10 a.m. & Tuesdays at 11 a.m. FREE

Apple Users Group: First Monday each month at 6 p.m. FREE

Knitting Circle: Tuesdays through 3/20/18 from 3-4 p.m.

Yoga Instruction: Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. & Saturdays at 9 a.m. \$\$

English Conversation Group: Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m.

Chair Aerobics: Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. \$\$

IN THE LIBRARY'S ART GALLERY

MARCH: **"Wild Life"** – Group photography show by The Light Painters

Images will depict nature scenes, birds, and even humans taking a walk on the wild side.

IN THE DISPLAY CASE: Pysanky (Ukrainian) Eggs

Carrying on a family tradition that has spanned generations, Pat DeRidder and her grandchildren look forward to Easter and the making of Pysanky Eggs. There are several thousand different symbolic motifs in Ukrainian folk designs; the DeRidders use both these and their own original designs to decorate eggs of all sizes.

What's Happening



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2018 Events

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Annual Golf Classic

Wednesday, June 6, 2018

2018 Honoree: Robert J. Syron, CEO/President, Peconic Landing, Inc.
Choice of Shotgun Starts: AM or PM
New Year, New Course...
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Annual ELIH Gala

Saturday, August 11, 2018

Sunset in the Vineyard
5 PM - 9 PM
Dinner and Dancing, Live & Silent Auction, Luxury Raffle
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2nd Annual 5K Walk/Run

Sunday, September 9, 2018

Join us on the track to recovery
5K Walk/Run Start Time: 8 AM
Orient Beach State Park
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For more information, contact Linda Sweeney, Executive Director Foundation/Community Relations at 631.477.4598 or Linda.Sweeney@ELIH.org

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Through May, The Serious Side of Food: Past, Present and Future — A Reading and Discussion Program funded by Humanities New York

FREE PROGRAM. All to be held at 2pm at either the Southold Historical Society Museum Complex (SHS) or at Peconic Landing Community Center, 1500 Brecknock Road, Greenport, NY 11944 (PL). Participants will have the opportunity to read a series of books that tell the story of our fascination with food: past, present and future. Participants are welcome to any and all of the book discussions, to be led by Karen Lund Rooney, SHS Executive Director. Copies of the books, provided by Humanities New York, will be available for loan at the Society office (Prince Building, 54325 Main Road, Southold) and at Peconic Landing. For further info: 631-765-5500.

March 19, In Defense of Food by Michael Pollan (PL) In this New York Times bestseller, author Michael Pollan shows us how we can start making thoughtful food choices, begin to understand what it means to be healthy and to find pleasure in what we're eating.

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Thursday, March 15, 6-8:30pm **First Time Homebuyer Seminar**
Tuesday, March 20, 6-8pm **Let's Go Fishing**
Wednesday, March 21, 11am-1pm **Access To Care: Health Home Care Coordination**
Wednesday, March 21, 6-7pm **Joseph P. Dwyer Peer Support Project**
Saturday, March 24, 2-3pm **Antarctica: Journey to the Extreme**
Tuesday, March 27, 11am-12pm **Peconic Bay Medical Center (PBMC) A Member of Northwell Health, Lecture at the Library**
Tuesday, March 27, 6-7pm **How to Hire: Home Health Assistance**
Tuesday, March 27, 6:30-8pm **MEET THE AUTHOR Village of Immigrants: Latinos in an Emerging America** by Diana R. Gordon who writes about her hometown of Greenport.

CHILDREN & TEENS:
Saturday, March 10, 10-11am **Saturday Stay and Play!** For families w/children 1-3yrs old
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