A Little Consideration
that take place around us every day.
Borrowing that phrase for his title,
that reveal the constants of his daily
routine.

Shindig!
APRIL 8 at 2:00 pm
Shindig! is a 1960s/1970s
era cover band performing
music of The Beatles, The
Rolling Stones, The Who,
Creedence Clearwater Revival, Cream, Neil Young
and more. Lead vocalist Tony Traguardo is a
Librarian, Music Archivist, Researcher, Lecturer,
and Producer/Writer for multimedia presentations.

Manhattan School of Music
arranged by the Music
Advisory Committee
APRIL 15 at 2:00 pm
Join the talented graduate students from Manhat-
tan School of Music for an afternoon of arias and
art songs from some of your favorite operas!

The Memories and
Music of Leonard
Bernstein
with Caryn Hartglass,
Helene Williams and
Leonard Lehrman
APRIL 29 at 2:00 pm
Join us in honoring the Centennial of Leonard
Bernstein, an American composer, conductor,
 pianist, educator, and humanitarian. Co-sponsored
by The Prof. Edgar H. Lehrman Memorial Fdtn.
for Ethics, Religion, Science & the Arts, Inc.
This concert was made possible with funds from
the Decentralization Program, a grant program
of the New York State Council on the Arts with
the support of Governor Andrew Cuomo and the
New York State Legislature, administered by The
Huntington Arts Council, Inc.

The Wolf-Cats
MAY 6 at 2:00 pm
The Wolf-Cats are an
acoustically-oriented
string band focusing on
eclectic and traditional
styles of music including swing, gypsy, bluegrass,
blues and occasionally other styles that fit the
band's mood and taste. The repertoire also
features original music written by band leader
Bob Bernstein (Wolf-Man Bob), who started the
project together with his son Aaron in 2011.

Broadway Showstoppers
JUNE 10 at 2:00 pm
Broadway Showstoppers
is a professional musical revue featuring highlight
moments from the most popular shows ever
produced on the Great White Way. Sung by a cast
of incredibly talented theatrical artists, with live
accompaniment.

THESE EVENTS INCLUDE A BOOK SALE!
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**Give back to your community!**

The Great Neck Library is seeking prospective candidates for the Board of Trustees and Nominating Committee.

The Library’s election this year will be on MONDAY, OCTOBER 29.

There will be seven seats expiring in January 2019 – four on the Board of Trustees (Robert Schaufeld, Joel Marcus, as well as the remaining term for the seat currently held by Josie Pizer (2021) and the remaining term for the recently vacated seat held by Francine Terrante Krupski (2020)) and three on the Nominating Committee (Donald Panetta and Howard Estes, as well as the remaining term for the seat currently vacated by Sam Gottlieb (2021)).

Interested members should send a letter and résumé by FRIDAY, JUNE 1 to:

The Chair of the Nominating Committee, c/o The Director’s Office, Great Neck Library, 159 Bayview Avenue, Great Neck, NY 11023

Any nominee for a position on the Board of Trustees or the Nominating Committee must be a member of the Great Neck Library Association or a registered voter with the Nassau County Board of Elections by the Record Date of October 1, 2018.

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**Board Game Clubs**

Clubs meet every Wednesday. All skill levels welcome.

- **Chess at the Main Library**
  from 12:30 to 4:30 pm in the Small Multipurpose Room

- **Scrabble at the Station Branch**
  from 1:00 to 4:00 pm

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**Bring Old Memories Back to Life!**

Re-examine the world locked away in vintage microfiche and film negatives through our new microfilm viewer and scanner. Check out the library’s own historical copies of the Great Neck News, Great Neck Record, historical copies of telephone books and so much more.

These preserved films and microfiche are great for research, genealogy records or just remembering older days. Easily print a copy of your findings or download a scanned version to a USB drive and take it with you. Call the Reference Desk at ext. 218 to schedule an appointment.

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**We are now a U.S. Flag Drop Box location!**

The U.S. Flag Retirement Box was donated by Daren Chan of Great Neck, sponsored by American Legion Post 160. The box is located next to our book drop outside the Main Library. Thank you Daren, Boy Scouts of America, and American Legion!

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**IN THE GALLERY**

Held in the Main Library, Lower Lobby Art Gallery.

**GALLERY WALLS**

- **On the Easel and Through the Lens** presented by the Manhasset Art Association now through APRIL 17
  This juried show of paintings and photography represents the varied talents and media used by the Manhasset Art Association.

- **Dreamscapes and Journeys** presented by Ginger Balizer-Hendler JUNE 26 to JULY 30
  Ginger Balizer-Hendler is a Long Island-based artist, whose vibrant primitive work is based on her love for storytelling. She is continuing work on her Dreamscape paintings and is one of fourteen artists who belong to The Critique Group of Long Island.

- **José Seligson** APRIL 23 to MAY 25
  Acrylic ink and mixed media artist José Seligson will be featuring his most recent vivid and abstract acrylic ink pieces at the Library.

- **Great Neck North and South Selected Works** presented by Great Neck North and South High Schools Art Students JUNE 1 to 21

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**DISPLAY CASES**

- **Sun Discs** presented by Joan Brill-Pavlovic now through APRIL 25
  These natural clay discs are inlaid with semi-precious stones, including turquoise, tiger eye, onyx, mother of pearl, garnet and more. There are a number of influences in these creations, including Southwest Native American and Mesoamerican.

- **Collected Salt & Pepper Shakers** presented by Librarian Barbara Buckley MAY 1 to 31
  You may know of our wonderful Reference Librarian Barbara Buckley from the Station Branch’s English Language Conversation Group, but did you know she’s also an avid collector of eclectic salt and pepper shakers? Come see her collection on display at the Library!

- **History of Great Neck North and South High Schools & Levels** presented by the Great Neck North and South High Schools, and the Levels program JUNE 1 to 21 in the Local History Room
Adults

PRETATIONS

Edna St. Vincent Millay presented by Shirley Romaine FRIDAY, APRIL 13 at 2:00 pm
Celebrate National Poetry Month! Edna St. Vincent Millay was the first woman to win the Pulitzer Prize for poetry in 1923 and was a Jazz Age rock star - but there was a dark side... Shirley Romaine has performed both on and off Broadway, on daytime and primetime TV, and in original programs including Artscene on Long Island for Cablevision.

The Observational Comedy of Jerry Seinfeld presented by Dr. Ira Epstein TUESDAY, APRIL 17 at 2:00 pm
Jerry Seinfeld is one of the most successful and influential comedians of his generation. This lecture will trace his development, analyze his comedic style, and include audio-visual clips. Ira Epstein, Ph.D. served as professor and chairperson of the Communication Skills Department at LaGuardia Community College, CUNY and directed the college’s Technology Learning Center.

Bag It! - Documentary Film About Plastic and the Planet presented by All Our Energy WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18 at 7:00 pm
What starts as a film about plastic bags evolves into a wholesale investigation into plastic’s effects on our oceans, environment, and bodies. We see how our crazy-for-plastic world has finally caught up to us...and what we can do about it. Q&A will follow with representatives from All Our Energy, a not-for-profit that advocates, educates, involves and empowers the public to support renewable energy and act on environmental issues.

The Art of Cuba with Ines Powell TUESDAY, APRIL 24 at 2:00 pm
Cuban art is a rich mixture of influences that reflect the diverse demographics of the island. In the early 20th century, Cuban artists began to create their own vanguardism movements under the influence of European modernist styles. Ines Powell is an art historian and educator, and has been associated with the Metropolitan Museum of Art since 1982.

Depression Era Glass presented by Rosemary Trietsch WEDNESDAY, MAY 2 at 7:00 pm
During the Depression, glass companies gave away premiums when people made other purchases. Participants are invited to bring one Depression Era glass item for identification as time allows. Rosemary Trietsch is a show dealer, proprietor of The Glass Cupboard, and owner of Just Glass. She currently serves as Vice President and Show Chair of the Big Apple Depression Glass Club, and is a regular columnist for Antique Week and The Journal of Antiques & Collectibles.

Is our Technological World Putting our Health at Risk? presented by Patricia Wood, Grassroots Environmental Education WEDNESDAY, MAY 23 at 7:00 pm
Learn what researchers in the medical and environmental health communities are finding. This lecture focuses on our current consumption of plastic and our technological world’s exposure to all things tech, including our wireless devices and nighttime LED lighting. Patricia Wood is the Founder and Executive Director of Grassroots Environmental Education, a not-for-profit that relies on science to advocate for clean air, clean water, a safe food supply, and stricter regulation of chemical toxins.

Georgia O’Keeffe art lecture/slide presentation by Thomas Germano TUESDAY, JUNE 5 at 2:00 pm
Pioneering American modernist Georgia O’Keeffe (1887–1986) conveyed a distinct sense of place with innovative depictions of her surroundings, from stark New Mexican landscapes to New York cityscapes. Yet flowers and plants were subjects that engaged O’Keeffe throughout her career. This lecture focuses on her career and the current exhibition at the New York Botanical Gardens. Thomas Germano is an artist and art professor at Farmingdale State College, SUNY.

Tony Bennett presented by Jack Schnur TUESDAY, MAY 15 at 2:00 pm
Jack Schnur will give a multimedia presentation about the life and career of Tony Bennett, with stories and rare clips of performances and interviews. Jack was a videotape editor for CBS for thirty years.

Bob Hope & Jack Benny: It’s All in the Timing presented by Sal St. George TUESDAY, JUNE 12 at 2:00 pm
Jack Benny and Bob Hope were acknowledged masters of comedic timing, yet their styles were polar opposites of one another. Relive their lives and their humor in this entertaining examination of two of America’s most beloved comedy icons. Sal St. George is an adjunct professor and pop culture historian.

Wines of Italy with Elena Florenzano WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13 at 7:00 pm
Join us for a discussion of the most popular Italian wines and see slides of the different regions and wineries where these wines are produced. Although the program does not include wine tasting, participants will learn how to order wines in a restaurant, read the wine label, and pair wines with different foods.

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CONVERSATIONS

Project Independence Discussion Groups
weekly THURSDAYS at 11:30 am (Social) and FRIDAYS* at 10:30 am (Men’s)
in the Parkville Branch
Project Independence provides services and opportunities for seniors that enable them to live independently while maintaining socially active and healthy lives. No registration required.
*The groups will not meet April 12 & 13.

Socrates Salon
with Ron Gross
FRIDAYS at 3:00 pm: APRIL 6, MAY 4, and JUNE 1 in the Main Library, Large Multipurpose Room
Come share your life experiences, knowledge, and wisdom about topics that matter, as we move from small talk to Big Talk. Topics announced in advance on flip chart at the Information Desk. No registration required.
To receive further information about this session and ensuing ones, please send an e-mail to Ron at grossassoc@aol.com.

Great Decisions
facilitated by Librarian Christy Orquera
TUESDAYS, APRIL 10 & MAY 8 at 6:30 pm in the Main Library, Large Multipurpose Room
Great Decisions, America’s largest discussion program on world affairs, continues at the Library! The program model involves reading the Great Decisions Briefing Book, watching the DVD and meeting in a group to discuss the most critical global issues facing America today. Registration required.
$100 for all 2018 sessions and Briefing Book Please call ext. 254 for more information. Please note: the group will not meet in June.

New Beginnings: Singles 50 Plus
facilitated by Marla Matthews
SATURDAYS, APRIL 21 & JUNE 16 at 4:00 pm in the Main Library, Community Room
Marla Matthews, social worker and TV talk show host of “The Relationship Journey,” facilitates this growing discussion, social and support group meetup. If you are divorced, widowed, single, or an empty nester age 50 plus who would like a new beginning, come and be inspired to make new friends, network and learn new skills towards reinventing yourself. No registration required.

Current Issues in the News
with Rhoda Plotkin
MONDAYS at 2:00 pm: APRIL 30, MAY 21, and JUNE 18 in the Station Branch
For more than a decade, Rhoda Plotkin has led “Current Issues in the News” discussions at Independent Living programs on Long Island and Manhattan, regarding domestic and international issues facing America. She was Executive Director of the National Committee on American Foreign Policy, and co-produced a monthly radio series. Register online or by phone at ext. 208 beginning March 26.

Performance Poets Association Readings
coordinated and facilitated by George Pafitis
SATURDAYS from 1:00 to 3:00 pm: APRIL 7, MAY 5, and JUNE 2 in the Station Branch
Participate in reading your own work and/or listen and support others. Performance Poets Association is a non-profit organization that brings original poetry and related arts to the public. No registration required.

Writing Workshop
with Lynda Aron
FRIDAYS from 1:00 to 3:00 pm: APRIL 20, MAY 18, and JUNE 15 in the Main Library, Large Multipurpose Room
Access your authentic voice and explore the power of imagination, self-expression and storytelling. New writers, professionals and everyone in between are welcome. Sharing is encouraged but not required. Register online or by phone at ext. 208 beginning March 26 - come to one or all!

CREATIVITY

Adult Coloring
weekly MONDAYS* from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the Parkville Branch
Join us for laid-back afternoons of coloring. Pencils and coloring pages will be supplied. No registration required.
*There is no class May 28.

Sticks in the Stacks
weekly WEDNESDAYS at 3:30 pm in the Lakeville Branch
Come and learn the basics, perhaps just brush up on what you already know, and help us crochet and knit for a cause! All skill levels welcome. Supplies will be provided, or bring your own from home. Please call to register at ext. 232.

Knitting & Crocheting Circle
weekly THURSDAYS at 6:30 pm in the Parkville Branch
Love knitting and/or crocheting? Help, advice, and chitchat will be facilitated. No registration required.

Found Poetry from Old Books
with Librarian Christy Orquera
TUESDAY, APRIL 3 at 7:00 pm in the Main Library, Large Multipurpose Room
(Rescheduled from March!)
We’re upcycling discarded books to create something one-of-a-kind by choosing words or phrases from any page of any book and reframing it into a literary collage. Materials provided; no registration required.

ENGLISH CLASSES

Main Library
facilitated by Lisa Greenwald
weekly FRIDAYS from APRIL 20 to JUNE 8 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm in the Small Multipurpose Room
No registration required.

Lakeville Branch
with Librarian Jennifer Ransom
weekly THURSDAYS at 6:30 pm
Please call to register at ext. 232 starting March 22.

Station Branch
with Librarian Barbara Buckley
weekly TUESDAYS from 12:30 to 3:00 pm
Refreshments will be served. No registration required.

SPECIAL PROGRAM

Ceramics Workshop
facilitated by artist Lauren Bailey
TUESDAY, JUNE 26 and THURSDAY, JUNE 28 from 12:00 to 2:00 pm in the Main Library, Levels Teen Center
There will be two separate projects on each day for these clay workshops - come to one or both! Everything created will be on display in the cases at the Library’s Lower Level Art Gallery during August 2018. See page 2 for more info! The exhibit and workshops are funded thanks to the New York State Council for the Arts and the Huntington Arts Council.

For ages 16 and up! Materials will be provided. Registration required; go online or call ext. 208 beginning March 26.

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**WELLNESS**

Blood Pressure Screenings courtesy of St. Francis Hospital
**THURSDAYS from 12:00 to 2:00 pm:**
**APRIL 5, MAY 3, and JUNE 7 in the Station Branch**
Have your blood pressure checked by a clinical nurse from St. Francis Hospital, free of charge. No registration required.

**Aging & the Biology of Belief - Longevity: Secrets of Centenarians** presented by Librarian Mimi Rabizadeh
**THURSDAYS at 12:00 pm:**
**APRIL 12, MAY 10, and JUNE 14 in the Main Library, Large Multipurpose Room**
Please join us as we learn about anti-aging secrets and the art of staying young while growing old. Registration strongly suggested by calling exts. 218/219 or go online beginning April 2.

**Yoga & Meditation** facilitated by Sharon Epstein
**MONDAYS at 10:00 am:**
**APRIL 16 to JUNE 18 OR THURSDAYS at 7:00 pm:**
**APRIL 19 to JUNE 14 in the Main Library, Community Room**
Please bring a yoga mat, meditation pillow to sit on, water bottle and small towel. Dress in comfortable clothing. Open to all skill levels.

$40 fee for entire series of 8 classes. In-person registration only (check, cash or money order made payable to "Great Neck Library") begins March 26 for Great Neck Residents and April 2 for non-residents.

**Tai Chi** with Joseph Panco
**SATURDAYS at 10:30 am:**
**APRIL 14 to JUNE 16 in the Main Library, Community Room**
Joseph Panco has won numerous awards at the US Open Martial Arts Championship, performed at Citi Field, and appeared as a guest on the Project Independence Radio Show 88.1FM (WCWP). Please wear comfortable clothes and shoes.

$40 fee for entire series of 8 classes. In-person registration only (check, cash or money order made payable to "Great Neck Library") beginning March 26 for Great Neck Residents and April 2 for non-residents. There are no classes April 28 and May 26.

**Meditation** with Carolyn Carpenterie
**TUESDAYS at 7:15 pm:**
**APRIL 25, MAY 16, and JUNE 20 in the Main Library, Community Room**
Carolyn Carpenterie works with and studies many holistic solutions to health, including Mindfulness Meditation and Reiki. Open to all skill levels. Please bring a mat or use our chairs.

$40 fee for entire series of 7 classes. In-person registration only (check, cash or money order made payable to "Great Neck Library") begins March 26 for Great Neck Residents and April 2 for non-residents.

**AARP Smart DriverTEK Workshop** presented by Alan Lichtenthal
**MONDAY, APRIL 23 from 2:00 to 3:30 pm in the Main Library, Community Room**
Are you confused by all of the new buttons and tech on your new car? This workshop is for you! Registration required - $5 fee (cash or check made payable to AARP). Please bring payment on the day of the program! Register online or by phone at exts. 208/254.

**What is Mental Illness? How Families and Others Can Make a Difference in the Success of Someone Struggling** presented by Ellen Ritz & Carol Ann Viccra, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)
**TUESDAY, MAY 1 at 7:00 pm in the Main Library, Community Room**
Ellen Ritz (RN), president of NAMI Queens/Nassau and Carol Ann Viccra, NAMI Board member will discuss experiences and information to help us understand what a mental health disorder is. Q & A will follow after the presentation.

**Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction** presented by Dr. Joseph Diamond, Northwell Health
**THURSDAY, MAY 3 at 2:00 pm in the Main Library, Community Room**
Dr. Joseph Diamond is the Director of Nuclear Cardiology at the Long Island Jewish Medical Center, and an associate professor of the Donald and Barbara Zucker School of Medicine at Hofstra/Northwell.

**Face Yoga** with Rosanne Spinner
**MONDAY, MAY 21 at 7:00 pm in the Main Library, Community Room**
Focus on specific facial muscle exercises, as well as meaningful lifestyle changes, to create a firmer, more sculpted face, neck and jawline. Rosanne Spinner is a certified Holistic Health Coach, whose practices include Reiki, Color Therapy, and Qigong.

**St. Francis Community Outreach Van**
**TUESDAY, JUNE 19 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm in the Main Library, Outside Parking Lot**
Free health screenings for people ages 18 and over, include a brief cardiac history, blood pressure, cholesterol, and diabetes screenings with appropriate education and referrals. No registration required.

**WORKSHOPS**

**AARP Tax Assistance**
**WEDNESDAYS through APRIL 11 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm in the Parkville Branch**
AARP Tax Preparers will assist in preparing and filing simple Federal tax returns online. You must have an appointment and bring all relevant tax papers, including last year’s return. Register by phone at ext. 273 for remaining openings.

**AARP Driver Safety Class**
**SATURDAYS from 10:00 am to 4:30 pm:**
**APRIL 14, MAY 26, and JUNE 16 in the Parkville Branch**
This is a six-hour class: please bring your lunch. AARP member fee: $820; Non-AARP member fee: $25. Checks only, please (make payable to AARP.) Register by phone at ext. 273.

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**Town of North Hempstead Mobile Passport Service**
**MONDAY, APRIL 16 from 4:30 to 8:00 pm in the Main Library, Community Room**
Apply for or renew your passport at the Library. NO WALK-INS - please call 516-866-6111 to make an appointment or for any questions. All requirements and fee information can be found at www.travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/passports.html.

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The Water Knife by Paolo Bacigalupi
APRIL 26
In the American Southwest, Nevada, Arizona, and California skirmish for dwindling shares of the Colorado River. A Las Vegas water knife, Angel Velasquez “cuts” water for his boss, ensuring that her luxurious developments can bloom in the desert. When rumors of a game-changing water source surfaces, Angel is sent to investigate.

The Joy Luck Club by Amy Tan
MAY 31
In 1949, four Chinese women, recent immigrants to San Francisco, begin meeting to eat dim sum, play mahjong, and talk. United in shared loss and hope, they call themselves the Joy Luck Club. As each reveals her secrets, trying to unravel the truth about her life, the strings become more tangled, more entwined...

The Underground Railroad by Colson Whitehead
MAY 23
Cora is a slave on a cotton plantation in Georgia. An outcast even among her fellow Africans, she is coming into womanhood - where even greater pain awaits. When Caesar, a recent arrival from Virginia, tells her about the Underground Railroad, they decide to take a terrifying risk and escape. Matters do not go as planned and, though they manage to find a station and head north, they are being hunted.

1984 by George Orwell
JUNE 27
Winston Smith toes the Party line, rewriting history to satisfy the demands of the Ministry of Truth. With each lie he writes, Winston grows to hate the Party that seeks power for its own sake and persecutes those who dare to commit thoughtcrimes. But as he starts to think for himself, Winston can’t escape the fact that Big Brother is always watching...

Where’d You Go, Bernadette? by Maria Semple
APRIL 25
When Bernadette Fox disappeared, her daughter Bee compiles e-mail messages, official documents, and secret correspondence to locate her mother -- creating a compulsively readable and touching novel about misplaced genius, and a mother and daughter’s role in an absurd world.

Us by David Nicholls
JUNE 28
Connie, frustrated artist and Douglas Peterson’s wife of nearly 25 years, tells him that since their son Albie is about to leave home for college, she wants to leave too. Douglas resolves that their last family holiday together, a ‘grand tour’ of the cultural and artistic gems of Europe, will bring their family back together and reignite Connie’s love for him.

A Gentleman in Moscow by Amor Towles
JUNE 5
In 1922, Count Alexander Rostov is sentenced to house arrest in the Metropol, a grand hotel across the street from the Kremlin. He never worked a day in his life, and must now live in an attic while some of the most tumultuous decades in Russian history unfold outside the hotel’s doors.

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Free Museum Passes!
Scan the QR code with your smartphone or go to http://bit.ly/gnl-museums to reserve a pass. Passes can now be picked up/returned to Main or Parkville.

Museum passes may be borrowed for 3 days and may not be renewed. No pick ups on Sundays.
WEDNESDAYS at 2:00 pm in the Main Library, Community Room and THURSDAYS at 2:00 pm in the Station Branch

**Victoria & Abdul**
**APRIL 4 & 5**
2017, 111 minutes, PG-13
Cast: Judi Dench, Ali Fazal, Tim Pigott-Smith
Queen Victoria strikes up an unlikely friendship with a young Indian clerk named Abdul Karim.

**Alone in Berlin**
**APRIL 11 & 12**
2016, 103 minutes, R
Cast: Emma Thompson, Daniel Brühl, Brendan Gleeson
Set in 1940 Berlin, Otto and Anna Quangel are a working class husband and wife doing their best to ride out WWII. When their son is killed fighting on the frontlines, they begin pouring their rage and grief into postcards emblazoned with anti-Nazi slogans, risking everything to disseminate their messages across the city.

**Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri**
**APRIL 18 & 19**
2017, 115 minutes, R
Cast: Frances McDormand, Abbie Cornish, Woody Harrelson, Lucas Hedges, Sam Rockwell
After months have passed without a culprit in her daughter’s murder case, Mildred Hayes makes a bold move, painting three signs leading into her town with a controversial message directed out WWII. When their son is killed fighting on the frontlines, they begin pouring their rage and grief into postcards emblazoned with anti-Nazi slogans, risking everything to disseminate their messages across the city.

**Phantom Thread**
**APRIL 25 & 26**
2017, 130 minutes, R
Cast: Vicky Krieps, Daniel Day-Lewis, Lesley Manville
In 1950s London, Reynolds Woodcock is a renowned dressmaker whose fastidious life is disrupted by a young, strong-willed woman, Alma, who becomes his muse and lover.

**The Journey**
**MAY 2 & 3**
2016, 94 minutes, PG-13
Cast: Timothy Spall, Colm Meaney, John Hurt
A fictional account of the extraordinary story of two implacable enemies in Northern Ireland. Democratic Unionist Party leader Ian Paisley and Sinn Fein politician Martin McGuinness are forced to take a short journey together and take the biggest leap of faith to change the course of history.

**Wonder**
**MAY 9 & 10**
2017, 113 minutes, PG
Cast: Julia Roberts, Owen Wilson, Jacob Tremblay, Mandy Patinkin
Based on the New York Times bestseller, a 10-year old boy with a facial deformity attends school for the first time when he begins the fifth grade. With the support of his parents, he learns how to make friends and adjust to his new environment.

**The Shape of Water**
**MAY 16 & 17**
2017, 123 minutes, R
Cast: Sally Hawkins, Octavia Spencer, Michael Shannon
An otherworldly fairy tale, set against the backdrop of Cold War-era America circa 1962. In the hidden high-security government laboratory where she works, lonely Elisa is trapped in a life of isolation, when she and co-worker Zelda discover a secret classified experiment.

**The Darkest Hour**
**MAY 23 & 24**
2017, 125 minutes, PG-13
Cast: Gary Oldman, Lily James, Kristin Scott Thomas
During the early days of World War II, the fate of Western Europe hangs on the newly appointed British Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, who must decide whether to negotiate with Hitler or fight on against incredible odds.

**I, Tonya**
**MAY 30 & 31**
2017, 119 minutes, R
Cast: Margot Robbie, Sebastian Stan, Allison Janney
Competitive ice skater Tonya Harding rises up the ranks at the U.S. Figure Skating Championships, but her future is thrown into doubt when her ex-husband intervenes.

**Dunkirk**
**JUNE 6 & 7**
2017, 106 minutes, PG-13
Cast: Fionn Whitehead, Damien Bonnard, Aneurin Barnard, Tom Hardy
A World War II thriller about the evacuation of 400,000 Allied troops from the French city of Dunkirk before Nazi forces can take hold.

**Loving Vincent**
**JUNE 13 & 14**
2017, 95 minutes, PG-13
Cast: Robert Gulaczyk, Douglas Booth, Helen McCrory, Sioirse Ronan, Chris O’Dowd
Note: Animated film
The life and controversial death of Vincent Van Gogh, told by his paintings and the characters that inhabit them. The intrigue unfolds through dramatic reconstructions of the events leading up to his death.

**The Post**
**JUNE 20 & 21**
2017, 115 minutes, PG-13
Cast: Meryl Streep, Tom Hanks, Sarah Paulson, Bob Odenkirk, Tracy Letts, Bradley Whitford
A cover-up that spanned four U.S. Presidents pushed the country’s first female newspaper publisher and a hard-driving editor to join an unprecedented battle between journalist and government.

**Lady Bird**
**JUNE 27 & 28**
2017, 93 minutes, R
Cast: Saoirse Ronan, Odeya Rush, Katherlyn Newton
An artistically-inclined 17-year old girl comes of age in Sacramento, California.

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**Children’s PARKVILLE BRANCH**

**LEGO Night**
**TUESDAYS** at 6:45 pm:
**APRIL 3, MAY 1 and JUNE 5**
What you build may even wind up on display in the branch. Children under 10 must have a grown up with them. For all ages! No registration required.

**Tonal Tuesdays**
**TUESDAYS starting APRIL 3**
to **JUNE 26 at 4:00 pm**
Bring your instruments during this unstructured hour of musical fun! For grades 3 to 6. No registration required.

**Children’s Crochet Club**
**WEDNESDAYS starting APRIL 4**
to **JUNE 27 at 5:00 pm**
Join us whether you know how to crochet or not! Materials will be provided. For grades 1 to 6. No registration required.

**Preschool Art Lab**
**MONDAYS at 1:00 pm:** **APRIL 9 to MAY 14 AND APRIL 9 at 4:15 pm**
Dress for a mess as we engage, explore, and experiment in art! For ages 2 to 5 with parent/caregiver. Register online, in-person or by phone beginning April 3 at 10:00 am.

**Full STEAM Ahead**
**THURSDAYS at 6:00 pm:**
**APRIL 12, MAY 10 and JUNE 7**
Join us as we exercise design, problem-solving, and critical thinking skills while creating a different activity each session. For grades 2 to 4. Register online, in-person or by phone at ext. 273 beginning April 5 at 10:00 am.

**Saturday Seedlings**
**SATURDAY, APRIL 14 at 10:30 am**
Celebrate Earth Day early by planting vegetable seeds and flowers with us in our outdoor garden! For all ages! No registration required.

**Saturday Movie Matinee**
**SATURDAYS at 1:00 pm:**
**APRIL 14, MAY 26 and JUNE 16**
For all ages! No registration required.

**Free Comic Book Day**
**SATURDAY, MAY 5 from 2 to 4 pm**
Create your own comics, color your favorite characters, and chat with fellow comics lovers! We will also be raffling off prizes from Grasshopper Comics. For all ages! No registration required.

**Memorial Day Craft**
**TUERSDAYS from MAY 29 from 2 to 5 pm**
Stop by the Children’s Room to make an American flag windsock in honor of Memorial Day. For all ages! No registration required.

**“Cam Library” Lanyards**
**FRIDAYS at 2:00 pm**
Learn how to make lanyards using a variety of stitches! For grades 1 to 6. No registration required.

**JR. LEVELS**

**Video Game Club**
**MONDAYS** from **APRIL 16 to MAY 21 at 4:30 pm**
**in the Main Library, Levels Teen Center**
Come relax with your friends for video game battles and tournaments.

**Beginner Ukulele**
**MONDAYS** from **APRIL 16 to MAY 21 at 4:30 pm**
**in the Station Branch**
Bring your own or borrow one of ours!

**Just Dance!**
**TUESDAYS** from **APRIL 17 to MAY 22 at 4:30 pm**
**in the Main Library, Levels Teen Center**
Learn fun dance moves and choreography in a party-like atmosphere.

**Digital Storytelling**
**WEDNESDAYS from APRIL 18 to MAY 23 at 4:30 pm**
**in the Main Library, Levels Teen Center**
Use Google Slides to create your own digital stories. Laptops provided.

**Intermediate Ukulele**
**THURSDAYS from APRIL 19 to MAY 24 at 4:30 pm**
**in the Main Library, Levels Teen Center**
This class is for those who have already taken our Beginner Ukulele class, or those who have studied on their own. Bring your own or borrow one of ours!

**Intro to Java**
**FRIDAYS from APRIL 20 to MAY 25 at 4:30 pm**
**in the Main Library, Levels Teen Center**
Learn the basics of coding and programming in Java. Registration begins April 9 at 10:00 am. Laptops will be provided.

**Robotics and Coding: a Parent & Child Workshop**
**SATURDAY, APRIL 21 at 4:00 pm**
**in the Station Branch**
Join us for this special program where parent and child will work together on a LEGO robotics project. Please register parent and child together. Registration begins April 9 at 10:00 am.

**Story Crafting**
**MONDAYS at 4:30 pm:**
**APRIL 9, MAY 7, and JUNE 4**
Craft a story – right on the spot! For ages 7 to 10. Register online, in-person or by phone at ext. 232 beginning April 2 at 10:00 am.

**Family Bingo**
**SATURDAYS at 3:30 pm:**
**APRIL 21, MAY 19, and JUNE 16**
Players accepted on a first come, first served basis. Winners will have a choice of prizes. For ages 1 to 6. No registration required.

**Drive-In Movie**
**SATURDAY, MAY 26 at 2:00 pm**
Turn a box into a car and enjoy a movie. Cars can be taken home! For ages 3 to 8 with parent/caregiver. Registration begins May 18 at 10:00 am.

Please contact the Library when there is inclement weather before coming to a program.
Open Play Time
MONDAYS through SATURDAYS* at 10:00 am and 1:30 pm
Play with toys and your little ones in this unguided program. Please keep your children safe by ensuring that they’re closely supervised at all times. For all ages with parent/caregiver. No registration required.
*There will be no program May 28, or Wednesday afternoons.

Family Yoga
MONDAYS, APRIL 2 to 16 at 7:00 pm
You and your child will practice simple yoga exercises. Please Note: A medical release form must be completed before entering program! For ages 2 to 10.

Zumbini
THURSDAY, APRIL 5 at 11:00 am
Children dance, sing and move through the program using their bodies. For ages infant to 4 with parent/caregiver. Registration begins March 29.

Drive-In Movie
FRIDAY, APRIL 6 at 3:00 pm
Turn a box into a car and enjoy a movie. Cars can be taken home! For ages 3 to 8 with parent/caregiver. Registration begins March 30 at 10:00 am.

Homework Helpers
MONDAYS and THURSDAYS, APRIL 9 to MAY 24 from 4:30 to 6:00 pm
Receive homework help from high school students in a group setting. Stop by the Multipurpose Room on each day of the program to check-in. First come, first serve. For grades K to 5. No registration required.

B’Twixt & B’Tween Club
THURSDAYS, APRIL 12 to MAY 17 at 6:30 pm
This series of programs combines literature with hands-on activities in science, math, and the arts. For grades 3 & 4.

Creative Crawlers
WEDNESDAYS, APRIL II to MAY 16 at 2:30 pm
Come dressed to make a mess. For ages birth to 23 months with parent/caregiver.

Simply S.T.E.M.
WEDNESDAYS, APRIL II to MAY 16 at 6:30 pm
This is a series of programs created to inspire STEM learning through inquiry and play. For grades 5 & 6.

Storytime
FRIDAYS, APRIL 13 to JUNE 15 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm
Design characters, create stories, and learn a ton about cartooning! For grades 5 & 6. No registration required.

Imagination Playground
THURSDAYS, MAY 3 to 17 at 11:00 am
These large, lightweight foam blocks can be connected in all sorts of styles, giving kids the freedom to express themselves through play. For ages 2 to 5 with parent/caregiver. Registration begins April 26.

Fun-damental Forces
TUESDAY, MAY 22 at 7:00 pm
Who could ever imagine that an introduction to physics could be so much fun? Take home your own force experiments with a Gravity Game! For grades 3 & 4. Registration begins May 15.

Che-Mystery
TUESDAY, JUNE 19 at 7:00 pm
Demonstrations of crystals growing in water glass, and acetone reducing foam to slime. For grades 3 to 5. Registration begins a week before the program.

All children from infants through age 5 must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver. Please refer to our event calendar on our website for the most up-to-date program information, in case a change has been made.

STORYTIMES
All children from infants through age 5 must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver. Registration starts APRIL 4 at 9:30 am (online only), 10:01 am in-person or by phone, unless specified!

MONDAYS 4/9 - 5/14
2’s Storytime @ Main
11 - 11:30 am (2 years)
Babytale @ Station
4 - 4:30 pm (0 - 9 mos.)

TUESDAYS 4/10 - 5/15
Tiny Tots Storytime @ Parkville
11 - 11:30 am (ages 2 - 5)
Stories for Tots @ Main
11 - 11:30 am (18 - 23 mos.)
K-2 Story Crafts @ Main
4 - 4:40 pm (K to 2nd grd.)
Toy Time @ Station
4 - 4:45 pm (10 - 17 mos.)

THURSDAYS 4/12 - 5/17
Stories for Tots @ Station
11 - 11:30 am (18 - 23 mos.)
Baby Time @ Lakeville
11 - 11:30 am (0 - 9 mos.)
Little Listeners @ Main
3:15 - 3:45 pm (ages 3 - 5)

FRIDAYS 4/13 - 5/18
Toy Time @ Main
11 - 11:45 am (10 - 17 mos.)

Please call the Children’s Room to cancel your registration if you’re unable to attend a program. In this way, we are able to accommodate as many children as possible.

Please contact the Library when there is inclement weather before coming to a program.
THE GREAT NECK LIBRARY’S TEEN CENTER

Levels Newsletter
For more info, call us at (516) 468-8055 ext. 216, or pick up this month’s Levels Newsletter at any Great Neck Library location!

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LEVELS NOTES

...Levels is for teens 7th grade and up* -- teens decide our events and projects, and create projects they want to see happen! If you’re a teen, you can come to a weekend event or daily workshop, work on a project or just hang out with friends, do homework, etc. We also do several fully-staged theatre productions a year, traditionally directed, produced, designed and performed by teens, a film festival featuring original movies created by students, an outdoor summer arts festival and much, much more. And our adult staff of experienced working artists (in areas that include theatre, music, technology, video, visual art and more) can show you how to create almost anything you could imagine creating!

*Starting June 1 of every year, 6th graders who’ll be in 7th grade in the fall become eligible.

SOME OF OUR UPCOMING WEEKEND EVENTS

THE 24-HOUR FILM PROJECT
FRI., APRIL 13 and SAT., APRIL 14 at 7:30 p.m.
Get your subject on Friday, start filming and editing and premiere your short film Saturday night!

MURDER MYSTERY NIGHT: RAVENWOOD MASQUERADE
SAT., MAY 5 at 7:30 p.m.
Play a part in this interactive murder mystery -- you could be a detective, suspect, or even the murderer!

SPARK THE ARTS (THE LEVELS COFFEEHOUSE)
SAT., MAY 12 at 7:30 p.m.
Perform anything from music to stand-up comedy to balancing M&Ms on your nose -- or just watch!

IMPROV NIGHT
SAT., JUNE 9 at 7:30 p.m.
Play hilarious theatre games with us, Drew Carey-style, and see how strange and funny you can be!

LEVELS THEATRE

CLUE: THE MUSICAL
THURS., FRI. & SAT., MAY 1, JUNE 1 & 2 at 8 p.m.
The AUDIENCE solves the mystery in this weird and wacky takeoff on the classic board game -- with 216 possible endings, it’s a different show every night! Tickets available free of charge starting Mon. May 14.

THE PROPOSAL, BY ANTON CHEKHOV
FRI. & SAT., JUNE 8 & 9 at 8 p.m.
A “Next Stage” independent production, directed by student Rebecca Hirschkorn. This one-act comedy features a very nervous young man trying to ask his girlfriend’s father for her hand in marriage.

TEENS - COME DOWN AND USE OUR STUFF!!!

RECORDING STUDIO!
We have the equipment and software to help you record your own album!

MOVEMAKING!
We can show you how to use our cameras and gear, provide props and costumes, and edit your movie on Final Cut Pro™ in our editing suite!

LAPTOPS & IPADS!
Need one? We’ve got ‘em!

MAKERSPACE!
We’ve got materials, tools and the knowhow to help you make almost anything you can dream up!

PERFORMANCE SPACE!
Full stage with LED lighting system, props, costumes, set pieces -- perform in, direct or design one of our mainstage productions or talk to us about producing your own play, rock concert, comedy show, or whatever!
For teens in grades 7 to 12, unless specified. Register online, in person, or by phone at ext. 218. Teens and parents register with their own library cards.

Check the Teen Services Homepage by scanning the QR code with your smartphone or go to www.greatnecklibrary.org/ya/ya.php for more programs and information for teens!

STAYING SAFE!
SEXUAL ASSAULT PREVENTION
THURSDAY, APRIL 12 from 7:00 to 8:00 pm in the Main Library, Large Multipurpose Room

Join us for this workshop to help teens increase awareness and risk prevention as they begin to date, live more independently, and head to college. Parents are encouraged to attend. Registration is for teens in grades 9 and above, and starts Friday, March 23 at 1:00 pm.

TERRIFIC TERRARIUMS
SATURDAY, APRIL 21 from 2:00 to 3:00 pm in the Station Branch

Celebrate Earth Day! Join an instructor from the beautiful Clark Botanic Garden and make your own terrarium (miniature garden in a glass container) that can last for years with proper care and attention. Materials will be provided. Just bring your imagination. Registration starts Monday, April 2 at 1:00 pm.

SAT OR ACT PRACTICE TEST
AND COMEBACK PROGRAM FOR THE SCORE RESULTS:
A 2-PART PROGRAM
(Test) SUNDAY, APRIL 22 from 1:30 to 4:30 pm
(Results) TUESDAY, MAY 1 from 7:00 to 8:00 pm in the Parkville Branch

Curvebreakers will administer a fully timed and proctored SAT or ACT exam, just like the real exam. Teens will choose which test they want to take when they register. Parents are encouraged to attend the results session.

Registration is for teens in grades 9 and above, and starts Friday, April 13 at 1:00 pm. Teens who take the practice test are automatically registered for the score results session. Should the practice test registration and waiting list become full, walk-ins will be admitted on a first come first serve basis, if space permits.

ACT PREP COURSE
WEDNESDAYS, APRIL 25 from 5:30 to 8:30 pm, and MAY 2, 9, 16, & 23 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the Main Library, Large Multipurpose Room

Students will spend one class per week on a different topic, addressing not only the strategies, tips and tricks for that section but also a large amount of content and question review. The course starts with a diagnostic exam so students can assess their skills and bring their score up to a higher level. Students should bring a calculator, pen or pencil, and a notebook to class.

$25 registration fee (includes course materials) will be collected at the first class. Cash or check made out to “Great Neck Library.” Registration is for teens in grades 10 and above, and starts Wednesday, April 18 at 1:00 pm.

5-HOUR PRE-LICENSED COURSE
SATURDAY, MAY 12 from 12:00 to 5:00 pm in the Main Library, Community Room

The Pre-Licensing Course is a program designed to educate New York State’s new drivers by promoting safe, courteous, defensive, and alcohol/drug free driving. Please bring your driver’s permit to the class.

$30 registration fee will be collected at the class. Cash or check made out to “Great Neck Library.” Registration is for teens with a driver’s permit and starts Friday, April 20 at 1:00 pm.

FAFSA WORKSHOP
WEDNESDAY, MAY 23 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the Parkville Branch

Join Michael Turner, Client Service Manager, New York State Higher Education Services Corporation (HESC), for an informative presentation on FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) and the financial aid application process. There will be time for Q & A following the presentation. Registration starts Wednesday, April 25 at 1:00 pm.

5-HOUR CRASH COURSE
FOR THE JUNE SAT
THURSDAY, MAY 31 from 6:00 to 8:30 pm in the Station Branch

This is a one-night course where a Curvebreakers Test Prep instructor gives students all of the strategy they need to take the SAT. The instructor will go over strategies, tips, and tricks for each section of the exam. There will also be time for student questions. Registration is for teens in grades 9 and above, and starts Monday, May 14 at 1:00 pm.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED!

Are you a technology wizard? We are looking for teen volunteers to help senior citizens learn how to use their iPad or tablet, social media, Microsoft Office, smartphone apps, and more.

Must be available the following Tuesdays from 3:30 to 5:00 pm:
APRIL 10, 17, & 24; MAY 1, 8, 15, & 22

Interested in working with children? Want to help your community? Volunteer to be a homework helper!

Must be available the following Mondays or Thursdays from 4:30 to 6:00 pm:
APRIL 9, 12, 16, 19, 23, 26, & 30; MAY 3, 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, & 24

Please contact Adam Hinz at ext. 246 or e-mail ahinz@greatnecklibrary.org if you’re interested!
GNL Tech Squad is back!
TUESDAYS from 3:30 to 5:00 pm
at all Great Neck Library locations:
APRIL 10 to 24 and MAY 1 to 22

Teen volunteers will help you learn how to use your iPad or tablet, social media, Microsoft Office, smartphone apps, and more. Bring in specific questions and issues, or just learn the basics of technology. No registration required - stop by the Reference Desk to check-in. First come, first served.

Volunteers wanted - see page II!