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Dr. John Hiromi

Adult Programs

Teen Summer Reading Preview!
For teens entering 6th-12th grades
The Teen Summer Reading Program — Get in the Game, Read! — will run from Monday, June 20, through Friday, August 5. Participation is easy: For every book you review, you’ll be entered into a raffle to win an Amazon gift card provided by the Friends of the Library.

Teen summer events this summer will include yoga, giant Jenga, “the Chocolate Games” and more!

We’re also looking for teen volunteers to help out with the Children’s Reading Program if interested contact Erin at teens@malvernelibrary.org.

Adults

April is National Poetry Month @ the Library

In our first Open Mic Night, we’ll feature Eric Haft, a local Malverne poet. Plus, we’re offering three-to-five minute spots for others to share their poetry. Program is open to adults 18 years old and older. Please sign up for a time at the library so we can schedule our program accordingly. No profanity or offensive language. Everyone is invited to join the audience. Light refreshments will be served.
Thursday, April 7; 7:00-8:45 pm

Color Me Calm
Monday, April 4; 7:00-8:00 pm
Join us for a special coloring program for grownups! You’ll instantly de-stress with this creative and relaxing activity. We supply the coloring sheets, colored pencils, relaxing music, and light refreshments. Register now!

Chair Yoga
Tuesdays, April 5, 12, 19 & 26; 11:00 am-12:00 noon
Mary Mazzone will lead you through classic postures and meditation to help you relax. This class is suitable for all levels and will help you learn how to perform gentle stretching and breathing exercises. Please wear loose, comfortable clothing. Register today. There is a $15 fee for all 4 sessions, payable in cash at registration.

Senior ID Cards
Tuesday, April 12; 11:00 am-2:00 pm
The Town of Hempstead will be here to provide FREE Senior ID Cards. These cards are useful for first responders and medical techs in the event of an emergency. Emergency contact phone numbers, including those of your primary physician and family members will be listed. Note that this is a second source photo ID card. No registration necessary.

Affordable Health Care Enrollment Assistance
Monday, April 18; 2:00-6:00 pm
Monday, May 16; 2:00-6:00 pm
If you have had a change in circumstance since last enrollment, you can get help from our navigators to apply for health insurance. Also, if you need to apply for Medicaid or Child Health Plus, the navigators can help. Spots will be assigned to walk-ins on a first-come, first-served basis, starting at 1:00 pm. No advance registration.

Elegant Beaded Wire Bracelet Workshop
Monday, April 18, 7:00-8:30 pm
Join Linda Reilly in making a one-of-a-kind bracelet with hundreds of bead choices. Get creative! Registration began March 14 for Malverne residents and March 28 for all others. A $6 materials fee in cash is due at registration.

Dried Flower Wreath Workshop
Monday, April 25; 7:00-8:45 pm
Create a stunning arrangement for your home using dried flowers, grasses, and leaves. Registration for Malverne residents began March 21; all others, April 4. A $4 materials fee in cash is due at registration. Space is limited!

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**Museum Passes**

You can visit local museums at no additional cost. We provide free passes to selected museums for resident adults and children.

**Travel Italy With Elena**

Rome: Wednesday, April 27; 7:00-8:45 pm
Naples: Saturday, May 21, 3:00-4:45 pm

Whether you’re an armchair traveler or want some help planning a trip to Italy, these programs will enthral, enrich and entertain you! On Wed., April 27, visit Rome’s lesser-known locations. On Sat., May 21, discover Naples and the Campania region.

Registration for both programs began March 23.

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**Stories and Fun**

**Preschool Story Time**

Wednesdays, April 6, 13, 20 and 27. 2:00-2:45 pm

For children 3 years old to 5 years old and not yet in kindergarten.

Let’s spring into action with our fun-filled story times. We’ll read books, sing songs, learn new things, and do a craft. Register today!

**Nursery Rhyme Time**

Tuesdays, May 3, 10, 17 and 24. 10:30-11:30 am

For babies up to 36 months.

A playtime and story time just for babies! Come listen to some nursery rhymes and simple stories and have time to play with other babies (and meet other parents).

Registration begins April 11.

**Read, Build, Play!**

Wednesdays, June 1, 8, 15 and 22. 7:00-8:00 pm

For children 5 to 7 years old.

Our LEGO storytime is especially designed for young school children. In addition to reading books and learning songs, we add play, an important component of early literacy.

Registration begins May 9.

**Time for Tots**

Thursdays, June 2, 9, 16 and 23. 10:30-11:30 am

For children 18 months to 5 years old and not yet in kindergarten.

Bring your child in for 4 hour-long sessions of interactive pre-school time. There will be singing, dancing, school readiness, and a simple craft.

Registration begins May 9.

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**Malverne Kids Book Clubs!**

The Malverne Kids Book Clubs are THE place to be to talk about books, share the reading experience, and learn something new (all while having some snacks and even doing a craft). If you’d like to join, please see Miss Marie at the Youth Services Desk, call 516-599-0750, Ext. 303, or email malvernekids@malvernelibrary.org.

**Malverne Book Worms**

For 5th, 6th, and 7th graders. 2:30-3:30 pm

Meets Saturdays, April 16, May 14, and June 25

**Pineapples Book Club**

For 3rd and 4th graders. 4:00-4:45 pm

Meets Wednesdays, April 13, May 11, and June 15

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**LEGO Club**

Our popular LEGO Club welcomes kids 6 years old and older (younger kids welcome if accompanied by an adult). We supply the bricks, you bring your imagination.

No registration necessary.

All sessions are 3:30-4:30 pm

• Friday, April 15
• Wednesday, April 27
• Friday, May 6

• Wednesday, May 25
• Friday, June 10
• Wednesday, June 22

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**Craft Days**

Stop in at the Library to create a seasonal craft.

No registration necessary; while supplies last.

• Thursday, April 21: 4:00-7:30 pm
• Make an owl for your wrist!

• Thursday, May 19: 4:00-7:30 pm
• Plant seeds for yourself and the library.

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**Town of Hempstead Mobile Passport Service**

Saturday, May 7; 11:00 am-2:00 pm

Come to the library to get a passport or renew an existing one. Bring your documents, get your photo taken, write a check, and in a few weeks you’ll be ready to go... wherever! For fee schedule and necessary forms of ID, contact the TOH Passport Department at 516-812-5100 or visit them online at www.TOH.LI and click on “Town Clerk’s Office.”

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**Children’s Events**

**Zen Gardens**

Thursday, April 28; 3:30-4:30 pm

For kids in 1st-5th grades

Create a small piece of serenity for your room. Learn about the history and the art of Zen gardening, then create your very own tranquil garden to take home. Register now!

**Paint Your Own Ceramic Bank**

Saturday, May 14, 10:30-11:30 am

For kids in Kindergarten-5th grades

Paint and decorate your own turtle bank at the library. We’ll provide all the materials, you provide the fun. Registration begins April 11.

**Family Movie Night**

Thursday, May 26, 6:45 pm

For children and adults of all ages.

Join us for a family movie night. Bring a pillow or sleeping bag for comfy on-the-floor seating. We’ll provide refreshments. Movie: The Good Dinosaur . No registration required.

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**Summer Reading Preview!**

The kids’ Summer Reading Program — On Your Mark, Get Set, Read — starts Monday, June 27! As in years past, you’ll keep track of the time you spend reading throughout the month of July and earn cool prizes. To kick off the summer fun, we’re bringing back Steve Petra and his puppets on Saturday, June 25!

**Petra’s Puppets**

Saturday, June 25; 3:00-4:00 pm; all ages!

Get ready for Extreme Pickle Balancing, Champion Tiger Tennis, the Ultimate Chicken Challenge, and more! Steve Petra’s Animal Games is racing to the Malverne Public Library with a team of uproarious animal athletes ready to compete with our readers.

**Chalk Walk**

Monday, June 27; 10:00 am-4:00 pm; all ages!

Unleash your inner artist and help beautify the space outside the library. Help us decorate the sidewalk on both St. Thomas Place and Lindner Ave. We’ll provide the chalk and other materials, you provide the inspiration!

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**Friends of the Library**

The Malverne Public Library strives to maintain the quality programs and services that have made it so effective in serving the needs of the community. It is through the generosity of people like you that Friends are able to help fund the library’s numerous programs and services.

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**Other events planned for this summer include our popular tie-dye day, yoga, the Jump Bunch, craft days, story times, and more!**