

SACHEM PUBLIC LIBRARY

MAY 2026   

Special Recycling Event

with Brookhaven Councilman Manzella
Saturday, May 2 • 9:00am-1:00pm

Dispose of electronics, discard medications, recycle cardboard, and shred personal documents. Call Councilman Manzella's office at 631-451-6647 with questions.



Saturday, May 16 • 11:00am-2:00pm

Celebrate 110 years of Sachem Library!

Petting Zoo • Face Painting
Live Music • Craft Fair • Giant Slide
Friends Book Sale • Carousel Rides
Food Trucks • Interactive Art

American Revolution Reenactment

Saturday, May 30 • 11:00am

See history come alive and view soldier encampments from both sides of the revolution.



2026

Thanks for Voting Us
Best Public Library!

PROUDLY SERVING THE COMMUNITY FOR 110 YEARS.

ADULTS

IN-PERSON PROGRAMS Registration is required and ongoing unless otherwise noted.
Expanded descriptions on the online library calendar

Line Dancing with Country City

Tuesdays, May 5, 12, 19 & 26 • 6:00pm
Fee: \$20
See Express Yourself box for registration information.

Navigating Dementia Together: A Guide for Families

Friday, May 1 • 2:00pm
Parker Jewish Institute will provide insights into the causes and symptoms of dementia. Families facing cognitive impairment can learn how to effectively communicate with their loved ones, provide proper care, and navigate the healthcare system.

From Revolution to Republic: 1776-1789

Monday, May 4 • 1:00pm
Professor Les Paldy will discuss how experiences during the revolution carried over into the early republic and how the Founders came to understand secrecy and the need for reliable intelligence.

Estate Planning 101

Monday, May 4 • 7:00pm
Join Daniel J. DeRosso, Esq. to learn about basic estate planning documents such as a Will, Power of Attorney, Health Care Proxy, and Living Will. Revocable and Irrevocable Trusts will also be discussed.

Job Readiness Program for Women

Thursdays, May 7, 14, 21 & 28 • 6:00pm
Gain professional skills, accelerate your job search, and build confidence. Contact the Town of Brookhaven Women's Services Division at 631-451-9127 or brookhaven@dressforsuccess.org to register.

United States Trivia

Friday, May 8 • 2:00pm
Team up and go head to head in a pub-style trivia game all about the United States! *No registration required.*

Lowering Prescription Costs

Tuesday, May 12 • 11:00am
This workshop will provide you with information on the demographics of prescriptions in the U.S. today. Prescription safety will be addressed, as well as education on how to reduce the cost of medications.

All Ages Art Club

Friday, May 15 • 2:30pm
This intergenerational art club is open to all! We will provide art supplies and the rest is up to you. *No registration required.*

Getting in Shape: Nutrition & Exercise Tips

Monday, May 18 • 7:00pm
Certified fitness and yoga instructor Toni Riedel will discuss practical nutrition and exercise tips to support weight management, maintain muscle, and boost energy.

Meet Our New Catalog, Vega Discover!

Tuesday, May 19 • 3:00pm
You may have seen the library has a new catalog when looking for a book or movie. Come learn how to look for, locate, and request items using the new Suffolk County Library Catalog.

Adolph Weichers Sr. and Lake Ronkonkoma

Wednesday, May 27 • 7:00pm
The Ronkonkoma Historical Society will discuss Weichers' influence on the growth of Lake Ronkonkoma with mansions, hotels, and more.



In the Gallery & Display Case
Alyssa Denis

ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS


Game On for Adults

Monday, May 11 • 11:00am
Get a chance to independently play popular video games during this gaming session. Crafted with a focus on meeting the specific needs of adults with special requirements. *Bring your own wired headphones for gaming sound feature.*

Paper Plate Wallflowers

Wednesday, May 20 • 6:30pm
Join Doreen in making beautiful paper plate flowers as decorations for your home.

Did You Know...

It's the 250th anniversary of our country! Look for  in our newsletter throughout this year for programs and services that celebrate our great nation.

English Help

Zoom Basic English with Doris

Tuesdays • 7:15pm
Register at: sachem.librarycalendar.com.

Zoom English Conversation

Wednesdays • 10:30am
Email: programs@sachemlibrary.org to get the Zoom link.



IN-PERSON COOKING

Registration begins at 9:30am Wednesday, April 22 online or by phone only. Non-refundable fees are due within three days of registration. Adult Sachem cardholders only.

Patriotic Fondant Pinwheel Cupcakes with Fannycakes

Friday, May 8 • 6:00pm OR 7:30pm
Fee: \$10
Decorate four cupcakes with fondant.



Join the Friends!

Find an application online or at the Welcome Desk.

Meeting: Thursday, May 14 • 10:30am
Speaker: Alice Price, Organize Long Island Inc.

On-Your-Own Train Trip to NYC

Saturday, May 9 • 9:31am
\$11.25 round trip (non-refundable)
Meet at the Ronkonkoma station no later than 9:15am and ride together into Penn Station on 9:31am train. Return any time that day. Call the Welcome Desk for availability. *Non-refundable tickets must be purchased in advance per person over the age of 5. Tickets are available on first-come, first-served basis while supplies last.*

MONTHLY IN-PERSON ADULT PROGRAMS *Registration is not required.*

Open Play Mahjong & Cards

Mondays • 9:30am-2:30pm
Bring your own supplies and play with your friends.

Art Encounter

Wednesdays • 11:00am-1:30pm
Led by Artist Tobio. *Bring your supplies.*

Italian Language & Culture

Wednesdays • 12:00pm

Adult Dungeons & Dragons

Friday, May 1 & 29 • 5:30pm-8:30pm
Adult adventurers are invited to play D&D with Quest Masters Guild. *Please register.*

Quilters Sew-In

Saturday, May 2 • 10:00am-3:00pm
Share your ideas with others and work on your projects.

Walking Club at Raynor Beach County Park

Thursday, May 7 • 10:00am
Meet us for an hour-long walk. *Please register.*

Meditation & Reiki Healing

Friday, May 8 & 29 • 6:00pm
Join Reiki Master Michele Cayea for a guided meditation and healing experience.

Crochet for Charity

Saturday, May 9 • 10:00am-12:00pm
Bring your own hooks and yarn to crochet items that will be donated to local charities. Email crochetforcharity@att.net with questions.

Saturday Morning Board Games

Saturday, May 9 • 10:00am-12:00pm
Play board games like Settlers of Catan and Telestrations with Marc.

Ukulele Jam Session

Saturday, May 9 • 10:00am-12:00pm

Writer's Workshop

Tuesday, May 12 • 6:45pm
Come down for line-by-line critiquing and learn new writing techniques.

Bunco Time!

Wednesday, May 13 • 2:00pm
Play Bunco in casual setting. See *Express Yourself* box for registration information.

News & Views

Monday, May 18 • 10:30am
Discuss hot topics with local resident Peter Hanson.

Socrates Café

Tuesday, May 19 • 7:00pm
TOPIC: *Does the owner of American media, the 'microphone', have a moral obligation to the truth, or only to the shareholders?* Exchange ideas and engage in the Socratic practice of questioning, led by local resident Charles Payret.

Picture This!

Thursday, May 21 • 10:00am
TOPIC: *In the Garden*
Robert Silvering shares tips to help sharpen your photo skills.

Knit & Crochet

Thursday, May 21 • 12:00pm-1:30pm

Bingo

Friday, May 22 • 2:00pm

Bards Poetry Night

No meeting this month.

Defensive Driving

Call the Welcome Desk for dates.

One-on-One Services

Drop-In Career Coaching

Tuesday, May 5 • 3:00-6:00pm

Medicaid Enrollment

Monday, May 11 & 18 • 1:00pm-3:30pm
Representatives from the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council: Services for the Aged, Blind, and Disabled, will provide Medicaid enrollment assistance/general help to adults and children who are disabled/blind and anyone over the age of 65.

Dementia Awareness

Thursday, May 14 • 2:00pm-4:00pm
Table hosted by the Willing Hearts, Helpful Hands Caregiver Support Initiative

NYS of Health Enrollment Assistance

Wednesday, May 27 • 11:00pm-5:00pm
Meet with a certified Health Care Navigator from Health & Welfare Council of Long Island to help apply/renew your health insurance plans through NYS Health Marketplace.

NARCAN Training & Kits with Phoenix House

No meeting this month.

Medicare Counseling & Senior Advocate

Call the Welcome Desk for dates and information.



Notary Public

Call to make an appointment.

EXPRESS YOURSELF *In Person*

Registration begins at 9:30am Wednesday, April 22 online or by phone only. Non-refundable fees are due within three days of registration. Adult Sachem cardholders only.

Korean Folk Art

Friday, May 1 • 11:00am • Materials fee: \$10

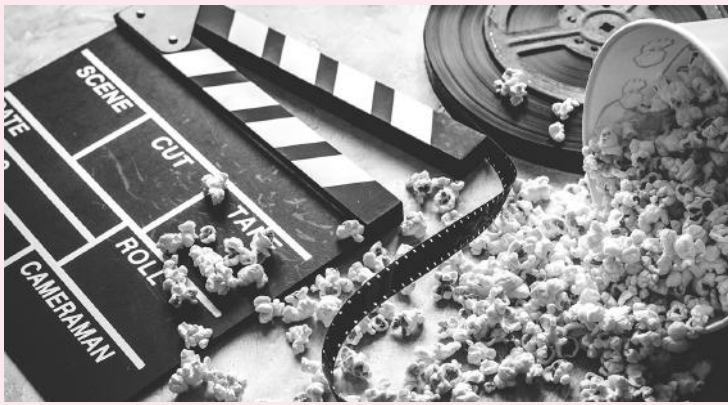
Octopus Sand Art

Wednesday, May 6 • 6:00pm • Materials fee: \$10

Pressed Flower Butterfly

Monday, May 11 • 6:00pm • Materials fee: \$10





In-Person Film Showings

THURSDAY MOVIES

The first Thursday of each month will feature a beloved Rom-Com.

Rom-Com Day: **50 First Dates**

May 7 • 1:30pm & 6:00pm

Henry finds the girl of his dreams then discovers that Lucy has short-term memory loss and forgets him the next day. (2003, PG13-1:39)

Regretting You

May 14 • 1:30pm & 6:00pm

A mother and daughter must grapple with what's left after a devastating accident reveals a shocking betrayal and forces them to confront family secrets, redefine love, and rediscover themselves. (2025, PG13-1:56)

Song Sung Blue

May 21 • 1:30pm & 6:00pm

Lightning and Thunder, a Milwaukee husband and wife Neil Diamond tribute act, experience soaring success and devastating heartbreak in their musical journey together. (2025, PG13-2:12)

The Housemaid

May 28 • 1:30pm & 6:00pm

A struggling young woman is relieved by the chance for a fresh start as a maid for a wealthy couple. Soon, she discovers that the family's secrets are far more dangerous than her own. (2025, R-2:11)

REEL REBELS: FILM DISCUSSION GROUP

The Five Obstructions

Tuesday, May 5 • 6:00pm

Filmmaker Lars Von Trier challenges his creative mentor Jørgen Leth, to remake his own classic short film five times under circumstances of increasing constraints. In *Danish, French and Spanish with English Subtitles*. (2003, Unrated-1:30)

SATURDAY FOREIGN FILM

A Bag of Marbles

Saturday, May 2 • 1:30pm

The adventure of a Jewish boy and his brother escaping Nazi persecution in occupied France. (French, 2017, NR-1:50)

BOOK DISCUSSIONS



At the Library

MURDER AMONG FRIENDS



The Four Queens of Crime

By Rosanne Limoncelli

Thursday, May 21 • 4:00pm

AFTERNOON BOOK DISCUSSION



The Measure

By Nikki Erlick

Thursday, May 28 • 12:30pm



THE AGE OF EXPLORATION

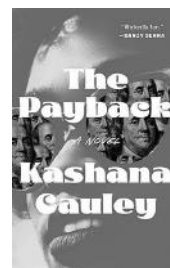
The Explorers: A New History of America in Ten Expeditions

By Amanda Bellows

Monday, May 11 • 3:00pm

Zoom Book Discussion

Register anytime at sachem.librarycalendar.com.



TNT (20 & 30-SOMETHINGS)

The Payback

By Kashana Cauley

Friday, May 1 • 7:30pm

Out & About



PUB FICTION @SHENNANIGANS

228 Hawkins Ave, Lake Ronkonkoma

Daughters of Shandong

By Eve J. Chung

Monday, May 18 • 5:30pm OR 7:30pm

Registration is required and begins on Tuesday, April 21 at 9:30am.

Limited to adult Sachem cardholders.

Live on ZOOM!

Register anytime at sachem.librarycalendar.com. Contact the Welcome Desk for help.

SCORE: Small Business Workshop

Tuesday, May 5 • 7:00pm

Details for weekly topics listed at sachem.librarycalendar.com.

Raising Giants: Whale Motherhood

Wednesday, May 6 • 7:00pm

Discover how whale mothers form lifelong bonds, enlist "babysitters" in their pods, teach calves their first songs, and nurse underwater.

Exploring the Period Piece Genre

Wednesday, May 13 • 7:00pm

Stephanie Reese talks about the ins and outs of what this film genre is all about.

Chair Yoga with Barbara

Tuesdays • 10:00am

No meeting on Tuesday, May 12

Architect of a New Nation: The Life of Alexander Hamilton

Friday, May 15 • 7:00pm

Rick Feingold discusses Hamilton's pivotal role as a military, legal and financial genius, and the forming of the basis of our government.

How to Manage Your Papers without Losing Your Mind

Monday, May 18 • 7:00pm

Organize Me! Of NY, LLC will teach you how to manage your everyday paperwork with ease.

Discover Your Patriot (or Loyalist) Ancestor

Wednesday, May 20 • 7:00pm

Learn how to find your revolutionary ancestor. We'll also discuss entrance requirements for the Sons/Daughters of the American Revolution.

Museum Passes

Free admission to area museums, parks, and cultural institutions! Reserve your museum pass online, by phone, or in person at the Welcome Desk. This month, explore the beautiful grounds of Old Westbury Gardens, a Long Island attraction featuring a historic mansion and formal gardens.

Discount Area Attraction Tickets

Contact the Welcome Desk for details on purchasing discount tickets. Pricing and availability subject to change.

Bronx Zoo • \$29

CM Performing Arts Center • 20% off

The Gateway Playhouse • 50% off

Long Island Aquarium

\$28 Child/Senior • \$39 Adult

Museum of Natural History • \$10

Library of Things

Rock, Mineral, and Fossil Kit

This kit includes a number of geological specimens, a magnifying glass, an identification sheet, and a guidebook.



Virtual Author Talks

Register anytime at sachem.librarycalendar.com. Contact the Welcome Desk for help.



On Courage, Turmoil, and the Transforming Power of Love with Marjan Kamali

Thursday, May 7 • 7:00pm

Internationally Bestselling and Award-Winning Author of *The Stationary Shop* and *Together Tea*



Reshape Your Beliefs and Unlock Your True Potential with Nir Eyal

Tuesday, May 19 • 2:00pm

Internationally Bestselling Author of *Hooked* and *Indistractable*



Dangerous Magic, Enchanting Romance, and Painting the Future with Elizabeth Lim

Wednesday, May 20 • 7:00pm

New York Times Bestselling Author of *Six Crimson Cranes* and *Spin the Dawn*

Through Our Eyes: Sachem at 110

Registration began Friday, April 17. In celebration of Sachem Public Library's 110th anniversary, help document what our community looks like today. Participants will receive a disposable camera to capture people, places, and everyday moments. The film will be developed and printed by the library for a gallery exhibition. No photography experience needed. *Registered participants may pick up their cameras beginning Friday, May 1.*

Database of the Month

Small Business Source includes business videos, case studies, help and advice, a start-up kit and tips for writing business plans.



This Month on YouTube



Video posting dates listed below program title.

Reading with Bernadette
Best Summer Reads 2026
Thursday, May 7

The Women of NYC
with Ron Brown
Madame Restell
Wednesday, May 20

From the Archives:
Battle of the Bands

Updated Weekly on our Channel To celebrate 110 years of Sachem Public Library, we're releasing never-before-seen footage of our 2004-2008 Battle of the Bands competitions.

TEENS

Registration begins Friday, April 17 at 9:30am. Register online, by phone, or in person with your teen library card. Follow us on Facebook, Instagram and TikTok. Advance registration required for all in-person classes.

Sachem Teen Volunteers

Additional opportunities available online at sachemlibrary.org Teen Volunteers page.

Lego Club Helpers

Friday, May 1 • 6:45pm-8:15pm

Work with children to build with Legos.

Authors Unlimited

Saturday, May 2 • 9:30am-2:30pm

Meet authors Rowana Miller (*Secrets of the Blue Hand Girls*), Dave Roman (*Unicorn Boy*), and Kara Thomas (*The Champions*) at panel and solo discussion sessions. Purchase books and get them signed! Earn three hours of community service credit by attending and filling out a day end survey. Register at au2026.eventbrite.com.

Lavender Sachets & Makeup Case

Wednesday, May 6 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Brighten someone's day at a local center. Bring 1-2 of these items: Lip balm, hand lotion, and compact mirror

Yearbook Scanning

Thursday, May 7 AND/OR 21

3:00pm-4:00pm

Help us scan our Sachem yearbook archive and make it accessible digitally.

Dog Treat Jars

Thursday, May 7 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Make decorative dog treat containers to be donated to Last Chance Animal Rescue. For three extra hours of community service, ask for the library's recipe to bake dog treats to fill the jars. Must be registered with the Muttigrees @ Home Club to participate.

Patio Planners

Thursday, May 14 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Help us design and maintain the patio. We'll be weeding and working in the gardens. Dress for the outdoors.

Spring Fest

Saturday, May 16 • 10:30am-12:30pm

OR 12:30pm-2:30pm

Assist with activities to celebrate the library's 110-year anniversary.

Farmer's Market Totes

Monday, May 18 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Create colorful totes that will be distributed at farmer's markets.

Chess Buddies

Saturday, May 23 • 10:45am-12:15pm

Play chess with a younger buddy. Volunteers must know the rules of chess and how to play the game.

Dungeons & Dragons

FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL Grades 6-8

Friday, May 1 AND/OR 15

5:30pm-8:30pm

FOR HIGH SCHOOL Grades 9-12

Friday, May 8 AND/OR 22

5:30pm-8:30pm

Adventurers of all skill levels are invited to play D&D with Quest Masters Guild.

Special Needs Craft:

Smiling Heart Flower Pot

Monday, May 4 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Create a flower pot decoration for spring.

Anime Night: Fruits Basket

Wednesday, May 6 • 7:00pm-8:00pm

Hang out with fellow anime fans and watch Fruits Basket.

Pre-Licensing

Saturday, May 9 • 9:30am-2:00pm

Fee: \$65

Take this five-hour course required by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Bring your learner's permit that includes the photo ID to class. Interim paper permits not accepted.

Beginner Crochet Circle

Saturday, May 9 • 10:00am-12:00pm

Learn the basic stitches of crochet.



Coffee Cake Streusel Muffins

Saturday, May 9

1:00pm-2:00pm

Join Chef Rob to make this delicious dessert.

After School Crafts:

Spring Has Sprung Wreath

Wednesday, May 13 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Join Ms. Rebecca in desTEENation to create a spring tulle wreath.

Pride Party

Monday, May 18 • 6:00pm-8:00pm

Join us as we recognize and celebrate the LGBTQIA+ community! Come hang out, listen to music, and get creative with hands-on projects that show off your pride. Be yourself, and find your community.

First Chapter Club

Tuesday, May 19 • 4:30pm-5:30pm

Listen to the first chapter of a new book, have snacks, and chat with others about what you're reading.

Creating a Compelling College Application

Wednesday, May 20 • 7:30pm-8:30pm

Understand how to use the summer productively to create a compelling college application. Register via Zoom link on the library calendar. Zoom

Civics & Debate Club

Wednesday, May 27 • 6:00pm-7:30pm

Boost your debate and public speaking skills by diving into fun and humorous discussion topics. Hosted by Sachem Teen Leaders.

Bee Hotel Building

Thursday, May 28 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Build your own bee hotel to take home using phragmites, bamboo, and other natural materials to support solitary native bees like mason bees and leafcutters, who are essential pollinators.

desTEENation Friday Nights

Register for each week. Hang out with friends beginning at 6:30pm in desTEENation. Walk-ins not guaranteed.

Star Wars Movie Night • May 1

(Belated) May Day Celebration • May 8

May the 4th Be with You • May 15

Puzzle Party • May 22

Craft Cleanup • May 29

CREATIVE CONNECTIONS

This series is crafted with a focus on individuals with special requirements ages 16-25.

Butterfly Suncatchers

Tuesday, May 12 • 4:00pm-5:00pm

Join Dianne to craft a colorful suncatcher to hang in a window.

FRIDAYS @HOME

Teen Swag Bag

May 1

Celebrate Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month with *To All the Boys I've Loved Before* by Jenny Han. Each bag will include the book and some book related items. Registrants can pick up their bag Friday, May 1.

Flower Power Clocks

May 15

Paint and create a clock shaped like your favorite flower. Registrants can pick up a supply kit beginning Wednesday, May 13.

CHILDREN

Registration begins, Thursday, April 23 at 9:30am. Register online or by phone. Check the children's events calendar for all our program offerings. **Children who are district residents MUST have a Sachem Library card to register for programs.**



View Complete
Discovery Grove
Calendar



View Complete
Children's Calendar

Bug Hotel Builders (Grades K-2)

Friday, May 1 • 4:45pm

Children will build a cozy home for their bug friends using recycled and natural materials.

Time for 2s and 3s (Ages 2-3 with Caregiver)

Fridays, May 8 & 15 • 10:00am OR 11:00am

Join us for a storytime and craft designed for our littlest learners.

Baby Play (3-15 months with Caregiver)

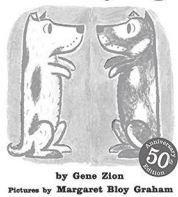
Thursday, May 21 • 10:00am OR 11:00am

Play, sing, dance, and learn some rhymes with us in this interactive program.

Check this Out! DayByDayNY.org

Families with preschoolers will want to check out this free, no login needed online literacy calendar. Content changes daily, including read-aloud picture books, songs, and games.

HARRY the Dirty Dog



StoryWalk®

in the Library's Inside/Out Garden

Walk and read Gene Zion's *Harry the Dirty Dog*, the classic tale of an adventurous pup who dislikes baths but loves his family. *The StoryWalk® Project* was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and developed in collaboration with the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. *StoryWalk®* is a registered service mark owned by Ms. Ferguson.

Family Connect Night: National Treasure

Monday, May 4 • 6:00pm

Come watch the action-adventure film following a historian and cryptographer who is searching for treasure hidden by the Founding Fathers. Activities and snacks will be provided. *No registration required.*



1,000 BOOKS Before Kindergarten

We're so proud of the amazing kids at **Sachem Public Library** who completed **1,000 Books Before Kindergarten.**



Discovery GROVE



Butterfly Release

(Families with Children up to Grade 5)

Look on our social media accounts this month for our sixth annual Painted Lady butterfly release. After we release the butterflies there will be a craft for every child.

Preschool Nature Play (Ages 2-5 with Caregiver)

Wednesday, May 6 • 11:00am

Have fun playing outside in our outdoor classroom. *Siblings welcome, please register them. Rain or shine.*

Gaga Ball @ Lil' Athletes (Grades 3-5)

Friday, May 8 • 5:00pm

Meet us at Lil' Athletes located in Yunique Gym in Ronkonkoma and learn how to play this interactive game. Please wear sneakers and bring a water bottle.

Citizen Science (Grades K-2)

Wednesday, May 13 • 4:30pm

Help us participate in a citizen science project.

All Around Town (Ages 2-5 with Caregiver)

Wednesday, May 20 • 2:30pm

RAIN DATE: Friday, May 22 • 2:30pm

Bring your own **unmotorized** ride-on toy to our Inside/Out Garden and ride around "town" with us. Don't get stuck in traffic as we drive through construction sites and busy intersections. *Siblings welcome, please register them.*

Pollinator Garden Planting Day

(Families with Children in Grades K-5)

Thursday, May 21 • 6:30pm

This year contribute to a healthy ecosystem; plant a pollinator garden in Discovery Grove and help support our bees, butterflies, and birds. *Siblings welcome. Please register one spot per family.*



Baby Nature Play (Under 24 Months with Caregiver)

Wednesday, May 27 • 11:00am

Enjoy the fresh air while exploring our outdoor classroom. *Rain or shine.*



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Library Board of Trustees Meeting
Tuesday, May 19 • 5:00pm

Hours

Monday-Friday 9:30am-9:00pm
Saturday 9:30am-5:00pm
Sunday 12:00pm-4:00pm
After May 3, Closed Sundays until October

Holiday Closings

Monday, May 25 • Memorial Day

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THE STUDIO

Studio classes are limited to adult Sachem cardholders and the name of the patron attending must match the library card used to register for that class. Registered adults may be accompanied by a teen age 16 or above. Register online or by phone Wednesday, April 15 at 9:30am. Registration limited to one program per patron for the first week of registration (including waitlists). You may register for additional classes starting on Tuesday, April 21 at 9:30am. Attendance at Studio classes is required to obtain class materials.

IN PERSON CLASSES Registration Required. Expanded descriptions on online library calendar.

Cricut: Window Cling

Saturday, May 2 • 10:00am

Materials Fee: \$5

In this hands-on workshop, patrons will use Cricut Design Space with Amy to design and cut a window cling perfect for decorating windows, mirrors, laptops, or seasonal displays.

Outdoor Smartphone Photography

Monday, May 4 OR May 11 6:00pm

Join Arooj, and learn how to get the best photos from your smart phone/tablet. This class will take place outdoors in *Inside/Out Garden*. This is a 2-part series.

Woodworking:

Pea and Bean Trellis

Thursday, May 7 4:30pm OR 6:30pm

Materials Fee: \$10

Construct your own trellis, made for growing peas and beans in your garden with Michele.

Intro to Podcasting

Saturday May 9 • 11:00am

Interested in starting a podcast? Join us as we show you what you'll need to start your very own.

Smart Home Devices:

Smart Plugs

Tuesday, May 12 OR Thursday, May 14 7:00pm • Materials fee: \$5

Join Jon as he demonstrates the setup and use of common smart plugs. Each participant will receive a smart plug to take home and try for themselves.

LED Vinyl Record Stand

Friday, May 15 • 6:30pm

Materials Fee: \$5

Build a light-up stand to display your vinyl records using acrylic and other materials.

Father's Day Photo Art

Thursday, May 21 • 6:30pm

Materials Fee: \$5

Using Canva, create a "DAD" artwork frame with text, a message, and decorative icons in time for printing in the Studio. Please bring at least three digital photos for this project.

Free-Motion Embroidery

Saturday, May 23 • 10:00am

Learn to free-form embroider using a sewing machine with MJ. Add details to old clothes, or create new designs to use as decoration.

SOFTWARE, CODING & TECH

Register online, in person, or by phone beginning Tuesday, April 21 at 9:30am. Seating is limited to district residents only, until the day prior to the scheduled class.

Creating a Winning Resume with MS Word

Tuesday, May 5 • 10:00am

Learn techniques to create a resume that stands out to potential employers. In addition, you will learn how to create, style, and format your resume using MS Word.

Excel Printing

Thursday, May 14 • 7:00pm

Spreadsheets can do amazing calculations. Take the next step in Excel and learn the basics of formulas.

Windows Basics

Tuesday, May 19 • 7:00pm

Learn the basics of Microsoft Windows! Join technology librarian Alison for an overview of the Windows operating system, including tips for navigating your computer, managing files, and customizing settings.

Excel Charts

Thursday, May 21 • 7:00pm

Logical functions are some of the most popular and useful in Excel. They can test values in other cells and perform actions dependent upon the result of the test.

Excel Tips

Thursday, May 28 • 7:00pm

Discover simple tips to build a better spreadsheet, explore ways to quickly analyze large amounts of data and leverage shortcuts to work quickly and efficiently.

Tech 30 Appointments

Call to make a 30-minute appointment for one-on-one help. Limited to two per month.

Attendance at library programs or public spaces constitutes consent to be photographed or videotaped for use in library publicity. If you do not want us to capture a photo or video of you or your child, please tell the library staff member coordinating the event PRIOR to the program.