Glen Cove Public Library Newsletter

July/August 2019

JOIN THE 2019 NASSAU LIBRARY TOUR!

Road trip to as many of Nassau's public libraries as you can during July and August. Each one is your gateway into a new community--visit the library, then explore the attractions, restaurants, and parks nearby. Take the self-guided tour as a family, a team of friends, or go solo. In each library there's a unique feature to hunt for, and you'll earn prizes as you go along. Visit 45 or more and be entered to win a grand prize! Get started by picking up a map at the Glen Cove Public Library. For more information, visit *tour.nassaulibrary.org*.

LOOK WHAT'S NEW AT THE LIBRARY!

KANOPY FILM STREAMING SERVICE

The popular on-demand film streaming service Kanopy is now available for free at the Glen Cove Public Library. Card holders can access Kanopy and sign up to start streaming films instantly by visiting *http://glencovelibrary.kanopy.com*. For additional information, visit our website.

LIBRARY TRIP - TOOTSIE

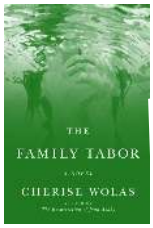
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 9:30AM - 6:30PM

2019 Tony Award winner Santino Fontana delivers "one of the best performances ever seen on a musical stage" (Rolling Stone) in the show critics are calling "the most uproariously funny new musical comedy to hit Broadway in years!" (The Hollywood Reporter). The cost of $115 includes orchestra seats and transportation. Enjoy time for lunch on your own before the 2pm show. Register at the Information desk and make check or money order payable to: The Glen Cove Library Bus Trip Fund. Tickets are non-refundable.

MEET THE AUTHOR

TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2PM
CHERISE WOLAS - AUTHOR OF *THE FAMILY TABOR*

The Family Tabor, the new novel from Cherise Wolas, acclaimed author of *The Resurrection of Joan Ashby*, is a fascinating story about family, faith and loyalty. Please register through the Adult Services tab at *glencovelibrary.org* or call the Information desk at (516) 676-2130.



A book signing (copies will be available for purchase), Q & A and refreshments will follow the discussion.

SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2019

KIDS! TEENS! ADULTS!

Summertime is a great time to READ! Why not consider joining one of our summer reading programs? There's something for everyone and chances to win prizes, not to mention all of the fun events we have planned.

Please see the rest of our newsletter for details on our Summer Reading events for all ages. There's a universe of stories just waiting for you at the Glen Cove Public Library.

ADULT SUMMER READING PROGRAMS

Develop a love of reading this summer. Read or listen to any book or attend a library program.
For each book you finish or program you attend, you get a chance to win a raffle prize.
The more you read and the more programs you attend, the greater the odds are in winning a prize.
We have many prizes including our grand prize of an Amazon Kindle.
Our summer reading program will start on July 8.

SUMMER READING KICKOFF EVENT: THE SPACE ROADSHOW
MONDAY, JULY 8, 7PM

Lee Ognibene will take you on video field trips to Venice, where Galileo first used his telescope, to Meteor Crater in Arizona, where you'll see how craters form, and to Kennedy Space Center. He'll also "take you" to distant stars, the moon, and through the Milky Way to the end of the known universe.

ALL ABOUT SPACE: ECLIPSES, EINSTEIN, APOLLO & FUTURE SPACE MISSIONS
WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 7PM

Astronomy educator Larry Gerstman shares great pictures of this past January's total lunar eclipse and July's total solar eclipse. Learn how Einstein's General Theory of Relativity had its first confirmation during the 1919 solar eclipse. The Apollo 11 moon landing will also be covered as well as the latest updates on exciting space missions. Stargazing through powerful tripod-mounted binoculars and a fine telescope will follow the program, weather permitting.

OUT OF THIS WORLD: SUMMER COOKING DEMONSTRATION & TASTING
MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 7PM

Liz Perone invites you to join her as we get ready for summer entertaining. Sample "out of this world" tasty summer treats that are easy to make and delicious to eat.

COSMIC CRAFT: CONSTELLATION SCARF
SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 10AM

Artist Doris Benter will teach you how to make a unique silk constellation scarf, using metallic markers that captures the magnificence of the stars in our night sky. Please register.

BEES: THE HEROES OF OUR PLANET WITH BUZZ THE BEEKEEPER
TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 7PM

Beekeeper Gerald Raffa will explain why bees are so important to our planet. Learn about the importance of bees for pollination, food and flowers as well as the ramifications of pesticides. A honey tasting will follow the lecture.

FAMILY GAME NIGHT
THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 7PM

Come to the Library for a fun-filled evening of board games, video games and more! Play an old favorite or learn a new game. The Library will supply games for all ages or bring your own favorite to share. Snacks will be served. Please register.

SUMMER READING TRIVIA PROGRAM
FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 2PM

Do you think you know your Academy Award trivia? If so, join "host" Saul Schachter as he challenges two teams on "Oscar Jeopardy"! Lots of laughs and fun guaranteed!

EXPLORING THE UNIVERSE: ASTRONOMY PROGRAM
SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 11AM

Charlie Eder, an astronomy educator from the Suffolk County Vanderbilt Museum and Planetarium, will take you on a journey through space. Learn all about space, solar astronomy, gravity, and black holes. Participants will be able to explore the sun using a solar telescope.

END OF SUMMER READING PROGRAM: BOOK SWAP AND GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE DRAWING
TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 2PM

Come and enjoy refreshments and the company of other book lovers! Share your thoughts of your favorite books, listen to what others have to share and get ideas about what you want to read next. You'll also have a chance to win our grand prize - an Amazon Kindle!

HEALTH & WELLNESS PROGRAMS

BRAIN FITNESS CLASS
TUESDAYS, JULY 2 & AUGUST 6, 2PM

Victoria Lanza will teach ways to improve memory skills, build brain strength and learn about positive thinking and nutrition for the brain.

REIKI HEALING PROGRAM
WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 7PM

Susana Armentia will teach you how to integrate the practice of Reiki into your daily routine to enhance overall health and well-being.

YOGA WITH REBECCA
THURSDAYS, JULY 11 - AUGUST 29, 5:30PM

The cost is $40 for the entire eight-week session and is payable at the time of registration. *Please register in person at the Information desk and make check/money order payable to: Rebecca Scaramucci.* Bring your own mat and water.

GET FIT WHILE YOU SIT: CHAIR YOGA
MONDAYS, JULY 22 & AUGUST 26, 2PM

Barbara Croen and Leslie Arluck's class combines gentle stretches, yoga poses, yoga chair dance and meditation to achieve a stronger, more flexible body and a calmer, more peaceful mind.

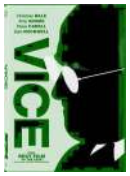
MOVIES AT THE LIBRARY

FIRST FRIDAY FLICKS

IF BEALE STREET COULD TALK
SPONSORED BY THE FRIENDS OF THE GLEN COVE LIBRARY
FRIDAY, JULY 5, 2PM

120 min. (R) 2019

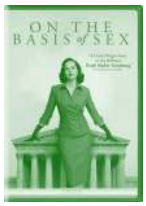
VICE
FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 1:30PM



132 min. (R) 2018

Discussion to follow with Saul Schachter & Carol Stern

OTHER UPCOMING MOVIES



ON THE BASIS OF SEX
MONDAY, JULY 22, 6PM
120 min. (PG-13) 2019

FREE SOLO - DOCUMENTARY
FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 2PM
97 min. (PG-13) 2018

PROGRAMAS EN ESPAÑOL

CLASES DE INGLÉS DE VERANO

Todos los días de lunes a viernes por tres semanas, empezando el lunes 15 de julio de 9:00 a 10:30 am. El costo es de $40 e incluye el libro de texto para el estudiante.

CLASES DE COMPUTADOR EN ESPAÑOL

Los martes a las 9:30 am y los jueves 6:30 pm empezando nuevos grupos el 10 y 12 de septiembre. Aprenda las habilidades básicas para escribir cartas, hacer anuncios y folletos, formatear documentos, insertar, guardar y mucho más en solo ocho sesiones. Pague $10 al registrarse.

CLASES DE INGLÉS-ESL

Empezando nuevos grupos el 9 de septiembre. Las clases son los lunes de 6:00 a 7:15 pm para principiantes o 7:30 a 8:45 pm para intermedios. Regístrese para las sesiones de otoño, invierno y primavera, por $50 o para una sola sesión $20. Pague con giro postal o en efectivo. Estas clases son para estudiantes mayores de 18 años y los cupos son limitados.

DISCUSIÓN DE LIBROS EN ESPAÑOL

Presentado por Maria Fernanda Pardo. El 7 de agosto a las 7 pm nos reuniremos para discutir el libro previamente seleccionado. Léalo en español o inglés, la discusión será en español. Regístrese

MANUALIDADES Y CHARLA --CRAFT AND TALK

Los miércoles 17 de julio y 21 de agosto a las 7 pm, nos reuniremos para trabajar en un proyecto en crochet y conversar en inglés. Haga nuevos amigos- Practique Inglés.

APLICACIONES DE TRABAJO Y FORMULARIOS EN LÍNEA

Aprenda como llenar aplicaciones de trabajo y formularios de todo tipo en línea y en papel. Las clases serán en español y limitadas a cinco personas por clase. Martes de 10:30 a 11:30 am o jueves de 7:30 a 8:30pm. Nuevos grupos empezando el 10 y 12 de septiembre. Regístrese!

PREPARACIÓN PARA EL EXAMEN DE CIUDADANÍA

La Biblioteca ofrece ayuda gratis para la preparación del examen de ciudadanía en inglés o en español. Se requiere que los interesados hayan enviado el formulario N-400 al Departamento de Inmigración USCIS. Para más información llámenos.

CLASES DE CROCHET-GANCHILLO

Venga y aprenda! Tendremos clases los días miércoles 24 de julio, 6 y 20 de agosto a las 7:00 PM. Regístrese.

DISFRUTE GRATIS MUSEOS, PARQUES Y JARDINES

Entreténgase gratis con su familia! La tarjeta de la Biblioteca de Glen Cove, le permite pedir prestado pases de admisión a muchos lugares y visitarlos completamente gratis.

APRENDA A USAR LA DIVERTIDA APLICACIÓN PINTEREST!

Con Lisa Colon, el martes 16 de julio a las 7 PM. Regístrese.

MAJOR MELANCTHON LLOYD WOOLSEY

Melancthon Lloyd Woolsey, a major in the New York State Levies, held the highest rank of all the men from Glen Cove who served the Patriot cause in the Revolutionary War. Melancthon Lloyd was the grandson of the Reverend Benjamin Woolsey, the noted clergyman who gave Dosoris its name (from the Latin "dos" and "uxoris," meaning wife's dowry).

When Long Island fell into the hands of the British, Melancthon's mother and his two sisters fled to the safety of Connecticut. Melancthon was given the command of Middle Fort, now Middlesburg, in Schoharie County, New York. These "forts" were little more than entrenchments and earthen-works constructed around a central building, which served as a shelter for the women and children.

In the fall of 1780, soon after Woolsey had taken over his new command, an immense force of British regulars, Loyalist militia, and Indians assembled to lay waste to the Mohawk and Schoharie valleys. This army was about 1000 men strong and was under the joint command of Sir John Johnston and the Mohawk Indian chieftain, Joseph Brant.

On the night of October 16, the army had stopped to make camp just a few miles north of Middle Fort. It was Sir Johnston's strategy to attack Middle Fort at daybreak. Johnston's plan was nearly successful. The largest portion of his army was able to pass beneath Upper Fort unobserved, but the rear guard had been discovered, and an alarm cannon fired to alert the garrison at Middle Fort of the impending attack. Their chance of a surprise attack thwarted, the British laid waste to the settlements surrounding Middle Fort. By eight in the morning, Sir Johnston's forces began their assault on Middle Fort. Most of their shots and shells either fell short, or exploded too high to do any real damage. The Indians, who had hidden behind a clump of willows, directed a heavy musket fire towards the fort, but were too far away to hit anything.

There were only 150 regulars under the command of Major Woolsey, plus an additional 100 armed farmers from the local settlements. To make matters even worse, there were only a few pounds of powder left in the fort's magazines. Woolsey's first instinct, on seeing how badly his men were outnumbered, was to surrender the fort, but the militia officers, resolving to defend the fort to the last man, refused to let him raise a white flag. In fact, they threatened to shoot him if he tried.

About this time, Major Woolsey sought refuge in the stone house amidst the women and children. Driven out by their jeers, the courageous Major Woolsey spent the remainder of the engagement crawling around the entrenchments on his hands and knees. It is said that Woolsey's faintheartedness was a source of great amusement to his men, and greatly raised their spirits.

After shelling the fort for several hours, without any visible results, the British decided to attempt to take the trenches by assault. They sent out a scout, under the guise of a white flag of truce, to assess the exact strength of the garrison at the fort. Timothy Murphy, the fort's Indian scout, realized the true nature of the white flag and opened fire upon the British scout. The British attempted to get inside the fort several more times under the ruse of a white flag, but were repelled each time by Murphy and his comrades. The British then decided to withdraw. The Patriot losses were light: two dead, one wounded.

Precisely what Major Woolsey did after suffering such humiliation in the eyes of his men is unclear. He settled on the shores of Lake Champlain, never returning to his ancestral home at Dosoris.

This article is an abridged version of an essay written by the late Robert R. Coles and the late Daniel E. Russell.

TEEN SUMMER PROGRAMS - GRADES 6 & UP
JULY/AUGUST 2019

Registration is appreciated. Register online through the Teen Services tab at *glencovelibrary.org* or call the Teen Services desk @ 516-676-2130.

Teen Summer Reading Program - "Universe of Stories"

June 24 - August 8

Registration for the Teen Summer Reading Club (6th - 12th graders) - "A Universe of Stories" begins Thursday, June 24th. Receive a prize when you register.

Register for the Summer Reading Club and report on the books that you read by filling out a reading record online. Attend our weekly programs and participate in the Summer Reading Program and make this a memorable summer. Raffles will be awarded after every weekly Summer Reading event. The teen that reads and reports on the most books will win a telescope!

Teen Summer Reading Club Events - Thursdays at 7pm

Participation in the Teen Summer Reading Club encouraged.

June 27 - Summer Reading Program Kickoff: Mixed Media Mosaics with Claynation

Create a mixed media mosaic in the shape of a star or moon.

July 11 – Looking Sharp! Make Cute Cacti from Painted Rocks

Cacti aren't just limited to the desert anymore. The prickly plant is the latest home decor trend. Get the statement look of live cacti without thorns by creating your own rock art! It's a perfect accessory for a desk, nightstand or any small space.

July 18 – Out of this World! Space Activities for Teens

Put together a LED Constellation lightbox, participate in an alien cupcake making challenge and other space-related activities.

July 25 – Exploding Comets and Other Flying Objects

Explore the world of space and flying objects by having hands- on fun making your very own comet using dry ice and flying water bottle rockets. Prepare to be amazed!

August 1 – Galaxy Throw Pillows

Teens will have a blast creating space-themed throw pillows to keep.

August 8 – Planet Cake Pops

Join the Baking Coach and make four planet cake pops of your choice to take home in a bakery box. Refreshments will be served following this final Summer Reading Club event.

book buddies

Tuesdays, July 16, 23 & 30 @ 4:30pm

(Tuesday, July 16 at 4pm is a training session for the teens only)

Teens and kids make great reading partners! Join us each week to read books and create a craft together with your young book buddy. Earn community service credit.

Teen Movie: *Spaceballs*

Wednesday, July 10, 5:00-7:00pm

Relax & enjoy an evening with your friends watching this funny 80s movie parody of Star Wars and other Sci-Fi thrillers. Snacks will be served.

Family Game Night

Thursday, August 15, 7pm

Join us for a family game night with board games and Xbox one/PS4 games.

GLEN COVE PUBLIC LIBRARY'S CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES JULY/AUGUST 2019

SUMMER READING CLUB 2019

Our Librarians are ready to begin our Summer Reading Club. This year's theme is "A Universe of Stories."

Summer Reading Club Kickoff Event: Steel Impressions Band

Tuesday, July 2, 6:30pm

Come One, Come All – Join us for our Summer Kickoff with The Steel Impressions Band! All ages. Outside if weather permits; bring chairs or blankets.

A special Thank You to the Friends of the Library. The Friends have graciously donated funds for our Summer Reading Club.

Annual Family Bus Trip

American Museum of Natural History
Tuesday, August 13, 2019
8:30am - 5pm

The bus will leave the Library at 8:30am and depart the Museum at 4pm. This trip includes transportation by luxury coach bus, admission to the museum and all its exhibits, plus T.Rex: the Ultimate Predator, the giant screen film, "Unseen Oceans," and the Space Show. Lunch is on your own. The cost is $49 for adults and $40 for children ages 2 to 12. Make check or money order payable to the Glen Cove Library Bus Trip Fund. Registration closes on Monday, August 5th.

Fun Stuff

Follow us on Instagram @glencovelibrary. See if you can figure out where Astro, the Library astronaut, is around Glen Cove.

Help decorate the Library rocket ship. Use stickers and crayons to express your creativity.

Families will enjoy playing with our kinetic sand tray, complete with astronauts and space objects.

And for those of you who want to stay on Earth, gardening kits are available to check out! Ask us!

2019 Nassau Library Tour

Road Trip to our wonderful Nassau Libraries and see how special they are. *tour.nassaulibrary.org.*

Book Buddies (K-2)

Tuesdays, July 16, 23, 30, 4:30pm

Practice reading with a teen volunteer, and create a craft together.

Summer Reading Club

"A Universe of Stories"

Children in preschool to grade 5 can register for our Reading Club which has fun and educational programs. Get your Reading Club folder, and a prize for signing up, keep a record of your books and earn prizes!

Summer Vacation Packets

Going on a trip this summer or taking a day trip? Come to the Children's Room and pick up your packet of fun and interesting things to do while on the go.

Registration for all programs is ongoing. Register online at *glencovelibrary.org.*
You may also register in the Children's Room or by calling 676-2130. The Children's Room welcomes children of all abilities.
If you require special accommodations, please contact Anna E. Dunlop, Head of Youth Services.

GLEN COVE PUBLIC LIBRARY'S CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES JULY/AUGUST 2019

Programs for Preschoolers

Daycares/Camps Welcome!
Please let us know you're on the way - 676-2130.

Steel Impressions Band - All Age Kickoff
Tuesday, July 2, 6:30pm

Happy Birthday America!
(ages 4 +)
Wednesday, July 3, 1-3pm

Super Soccer Stars
(ages 3 – 5)
Friday, July 12, 10:30am

Time for Kids "Rocket Ship"
(18 months – 5 years)
Friday, July 19, 10:30 am

Music Together
(18 months – 5 years)
Friday, July 26, 10:30am

Animals Alive
with Alley Pond Environmental Center
(ages 3 – 6)
Friday, August 2, 10:30am

Animals of the Universe
with Green Meadow Farm (all ages)
Wednesday, August 7, 4:30pm

Little Gym
(ages 18 - 36 months)
Friday, August 23, 10:30am

Kindergarten Skill Packs

The Library will distribute skill packs for students entering Kindergarten during the month of August. Activities are appropriate for students entering Kindergarten in August, 2019.

Programs for Grades K & Up

Daycares/Camps Welcome! Please let us know you're on the way - 676-2130.

Steel Impressions Band - All Age Kickoff
Tuesday, July 2, 6:30pm

Happy Birthday America! (ages 4+)
Wednesday, July 3, 1-3pm

Ice Cream Making Workshop (K-5)
Tuesday, July 9, 7pm

Alien Ceramic Bank Painting (K-5)
Thursday, July 11, 2pm

Starry Night Painting (grades 2-5)
Monday, July 15, 7pm

Chess Workshop (grades 3 and up)
Wednesday, July 17, 7pm

Seashore Safari (K-5)
Monday, July 22, 4:30pm

Siren Songs (grades 3-6)
Tuesday, July 23, 7pm

Chess Workshop (grades 3 and up)
Wednesday, July 24, 7pm

My Favorite Martian Pet Rock (K-5)
Thursday, July 25, 2pm

Phases of the Moon (K-5)
Tuesday, July 30, 7pm

Chess Workshop (grades 3 and up)
Wednesday, July 31, 7pm

Animals of the Universe (all ages)
Wednesday, August 7, 4:30pm

My Solar System Box (K-5)
Thursday, August 8, 2pm

Brixology & Aerospace Engineering
with Mad Science (grades 2 -5)
Wednesday, August 14, 4:30pm

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GOT GARLIC?
SATURDAY, JULY 13, 9:30AM

We'll harvest our garlic from the Seed Library garden, talk about methods for drying and curing it and answer any questions. Attendees will have the opportunity to join in a group garlic order for fall planting, so bring your checkbook! Group garlic orders will be available for pick up September/October.

PLANTS THAT ARE PET FRIENDLY
SATURDAY, JULY 13, 11AM

Join horticulturist Paul Levine for some pet-friendly gardening tips that can help ensure your garden is safe and enjoyable for the whole family.

LATE BLOOMERS?
WHAT LATE STARTERS CAN PLANT RIGHT NOW
SATURDAY, JULY 27, 10AM

There are many summer-bearing vegetables and flowers you can plant right now. You'll learn about succession planting, the unknown benefits of that late start and some quick-start methods so that you can enjoy home-grown produce this year.

TOMATO TASTING & SEED SAVING DEMO
SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 10AM

It's back! The Seed Library's second tomato tasting! Come try a selection of delicious tomatoes and vote on your favorite. We'll show you how easy it is to save tomato seeds so you can start your own personal tomato seed library. Please register.

LIBRARY EXHIBITS

July & August - Nassau County Photo Archive Exhibit

Library Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 6:45pm in the Library's Robert R. Coles Long Island History Room. The public is encouraged to attend.

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WRITERS' GROUP
SATURDAYS, JULY 6 & AUGUST 3, 11AM

If you are a serious writer, come join the Writers' Group for a lively exchange of ideas.

AARP SMART DRIVER COURSE
FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 9AM - 5PM

The cost is $20 for AARP members and $25 for non-members (payable by check or money order to AARP). *Register in person at the Information desk.*

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Monday-Thursday 9 - 9
Friday 9 - 5
Summer Saturday 9 - 1
Sunday 1 - 5 (October - May)

History Room Hours

The Robert R. Coles Long Island History Room is open to the public every Monday, from 2pm to 5pm and Thursday, 9am to 12 noon.
Please stop in and browse our collection.

Library Closings:

Thursday, July 4 (*Independence Day*)