



# East Williston Public Library

## Happenings... your Library's Newsletter

June 2008

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### Director's Message

With the support of the Board of Trustees and dedicated staff, the Library strives to provide an array of services for all community residents. As you can see, the Library now has a new vibrant newsletter. It will be used to update you on "What's Happening" at the Library and offer helpful hints to assist you with making the most of the valuable resources your Library has to offer.

We invite you to view our newly updated and enhanced website. It will inform you of Library news and events as well as allow you to order online library materials from any public library in Nassau County. Take a moment and visit our site at [www.ewlibrary.org](http://www.ewlibrary.org) and discover all your Library has to offer!

*Diane Bondi*  
Library Director

### Annual Report to the Community

Collection Size	2007	2006
Print Materials	17,665	17,937
Non-Print Materials	1,450	1,142
Total Holdings	19,115	19,079

Circulation	2007	2006
Books	15,398	13,814
Audiovisual Materials	3,477	3,323
Total Circulation	18,875	17,137

Interlibrary Loan	2007	2006
Materials Borrowed	1,907	1,820
Materials Loaned	1,812	1,134

Library Programs	2007	2006
# of Programs	102	84
# of Attendees	2,304	1,623

Registered Borrowers	1,152	1,107
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### 2008 New York State Summer Reading Program

#### "Catch the Reading Bug"

#### Calendar of Events



#### Create a Bug Contest - Begins June 23<sup>rd</sup> and ends July 9<sup>th</sup>

Pick up instructions and supplies for this incredibly fun contest at the Library.



#### Story and Craft Hour

Join us on Tuesdays and Thursdays, July 1<sup>st</sup> - July 31<sup>st</sup> from 10:30am - 11:30am for stories and crafts.



#### The Emperor's New Clothes - Wednesday, July 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm

Live family theater on the Village Green. In case of rain, the performance will be held at the East Williston Community Church.



#### Erik's Bug Edventures - Monday, July 21<sup>st</sup> @ 7:00pm

Erik is back with an all new program featuring bugs!



#### Summer Reading Pool Party - Tuesday, August 12<sup>th</sup> from 11:00am - 1:00pm

Completion of the Summer Reading Program is required for an invitation.

The Summer Reading Program is sponsored by the Rotary Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

## *Spotlights*

- **Notary Service** – the Library now offers Notary Service free of charge. Please call ahead to check for availability.
- **Wi-Fi @ the Library** – Yes! We now have Wi-Fi access which makes it possible for you to bring your laptop and connect to the Internet for free.
- **Old Westbury Gardens** – the Library has two free family passes to Old Westbury Gardens. These passes may be borrowed for three days and may be reserved in advance. When you use these passes, you will be entitled to free parking, 10% discount at the Garden Gate Gift Shop, the Garden Plant Shop plus admission and discounts at the Preview Weekend Plant Sale. Please call the Library to check the availability of these passes.
- Explore local history via the Long Island South Shore History Wiki at <http://Usshistory.dowling.edu> . This includes a list of Genealogical sites and a growing collection of photo archives hosted by Flickr.

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### **Library Hours**

**Monday - Friday**  
**10 a.m. - Noon &**  
**2:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.**

**Monday, Wednesday, and**  
**Friday Evenings**  
**7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**

**Saturday**  
**10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**  
**(September - May)**  
**10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

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