



Farmingdale Public Library
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NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2009

Farmingdale Library Cinema

The Proposal (2009)

Tuesday, November 3
 Time: 1:00pm, movie starts at 1:30pm
 Time: 7:00pm, movie starts at 7:30pm
 Rated: PG-13 108 minutes
 Stars: Sandra Bullock & Ryan Reynolds



High-powered Maggie is everyone's worst nightmare: ruthless, driven, and tactless. When she finds herself faced with going back to Canada, she coerces

her much younger assistant into marrying her. However, when the government becomes suspicious, they embark upon a charade in order to make the marriage seem legitimate.

My Sister's Keeper (2009)

Tuesday, November 24
 Time: 1:00pm, movie starts at 1:30pm
 Time: 7:00pm, movie starts at 7:30pm
 Rated: PG-13 110 minutes
 Stars: Abigail Breslin & Alec Baldwin



Anna (Breslin) was brought into the world to be a genetic match for her sister. Knowing she'll have to donate a kidney, Anna sues her parents for the rights to her own body.

Angels & Demons (2009)

Tuesday, December 1
 Time: 1:00pm, movie starts at 1:30pm
 Time: 7:00pm, movie starts at 7:30pm
 Rated: PG-13 139 minutes
 Stars: Tom Hanks & Ewan McGregor



Harvard symbologist Robert Langdon discovers evidence of the resurgence of the most powerful underground organization in history, the Illuminati. Upon an unstoppable terrorist act against the Vatican, Langdon travels to Rome and joins forces with Italian scientist Vittoria Vetra, and together they will follow the 400-year-old Path of Illumination that leads to the Vatican's only chance for survival.

Farmingdale Public Library

Newsletter



Sunday Afternoons at the Library

New York Cabaret

Sunday, December 13 Time: 3:00pm
 Part of the Town of Oyster Bay Distinguished Artist Series. The six members of the Westchester-based New York Cabaret Unlimited, who perform song-and-dance shows centered on one composer, have decades of collective theater experience behind them, including stints in regional theater, Gilbert and Sullivan troupes, orchestras and choruses. The songs they perform will also be blended with narration about that composer, focusing on his life and anecdotes from his shows and films. Each song is professionally choreographed. All are welcome.



Tea Time at the Library

Holiday Tea

Saturday, December 19 Time: 12:30pm-2:30pm
 Fee: \$15.00 per person
 Juliana Van Benthuysen is back by popular demand. The holidays are a special time for all. Celebrate them with family or friends at this special themed tea. Bring your favorite cup and saucer and enjoy an afternoon of tea, snacks, and fun. Pre-register beginning December 5 at 10:00am. Credit or Debit cards now accepted, as well as checks made payable to the Farmingdale Public Library. No refunds. Please have a valid Farmingdale Public Library Card with you at the time of registration.



New at Your Library! Nassau Digital Doorway



The Farmingdale Public Library is now part of the Nassau Digital Doorway <http://nassau.lib.overdrive.com>. You can now download audiobooks (and coming soon... e-books!) from the comfort of your own home! Download, listen, and transfer titles to your compatible MP3 player, iPhone, or iPod using your home computer. You will need a valid Farmingdale Public Library card to use this service. For more information/assistance contact the Reference Department at 516-249-9090.

Attention Monster Jam Fans Grades K-6th!

Join our 5-week reading program "Reading with Monsters" starting December 14 and help us win a real Monster Truck and driver visit here at the Farmingdale Public Library! Other fantastic prizes will include a free ticket voucher to the upcoming Monster Jam show at the Nassau Coliseum and a chance to win a trip to the 2010 Monster Jam World Finals in Las Vegas! All prizes courtesy of Feld Entertainment. You've got to be in it to win it!

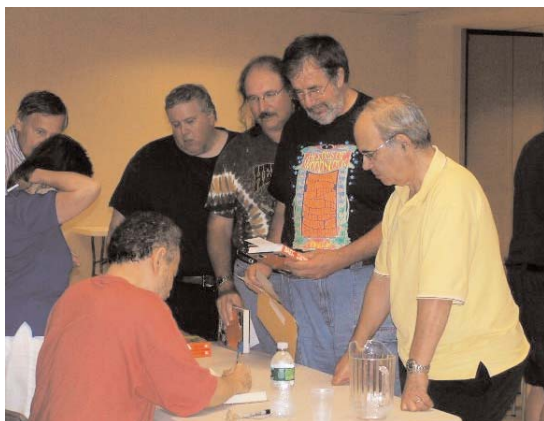


ADULT PROGRAMS

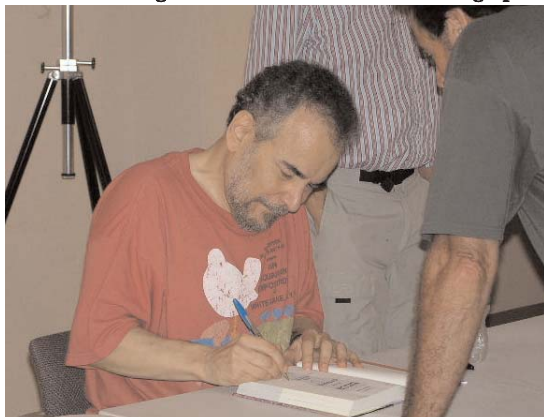
WHAT'S GOING ON AT YOUR LIBRARY!

Remembering Woodstock with Author & DJ Pete Fornatle

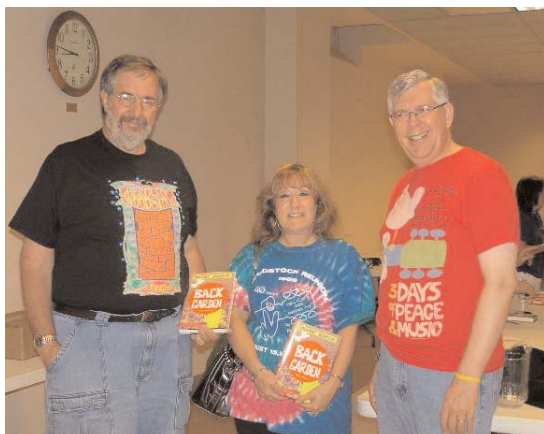
The Farmingdale Public Library experienced the summer of '69 all over again on Monday, August 24, 2009. Author and former WNEW-FM Radio DJ Pete Fornatle visited the library and gave a lively video presentation and talk on the music and spirit of Woodstock. If you would like to read his latest book, [Back to the Garden: The Story of Woodstock](#) stop by the library and check out a copy.



Patrons waiting in line for Pete Fornatle's autograph.



Pete Fornatle signing his new book.



Patrons with their autographed book.

A Letter From The Director: Debbie Podolski



Dear Library Patrons,

Pardon our appearance while we revamp your library to serve you better.

Please read the insert included in this newsletter that outlines the renovation plan. You can also read it on our website at www.farmingdalelibrary.org

Some things you need to know:

- The Library will be open during the renovation. The Library will have to close for a short period of time to move the collection, staff, and furniture to the Temporary Library in the lower level.
- Patrons will have access to the Library's collections. Our Temporary Library will have all the best sellers, DVDs, and popular materials available for you to browse and check out.
- Meeting rooms C, D, E and the Gallery will be used for the Library's collections.
- Meeting rooms A, B, E, and F will be used for programs, community organization meetings, and workshops.
- The Library is starting a new service called - Call Ahead Pick Up. Need a book, but don't have time to browse or wait, call ahead and have the librarians find what you need and put them aside for you.

On behalf of the Library Board of Trustees, I want to thank you in advance for your cooperation during the renovation period. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me at 516-249-9090 ext. 209.

Look Who's Talking

"Miss Natalie is wonderful! She's extremely friendly and always very, very helpful to my daughter who loves coming to the library." Allicyn Napoli

Monday Matinee

Calamity Jane (1953)

Monday, November 2

Time: 2:00pm

Not Rated

101 minutes

Stars: Doris Day and Howard Keel

Deadwood, Dakota Territory, is largely the abode of men, where Indian scout Calamity Jane is as hard-riding, boastful, and handy with a gun as any; quite an overpowering personality. But the army lieutenant she favors doesn't really appreciate her finer qualities. One of Jane's boasts brings her to Chicago to recruit an actress for the Golden Garter stage. Arrived, the lady in question appears (at first) to be a more feminine rival for the favors of Jane's male friends...including her friendly enemy Wild Bill Hickock.

Champagne for Caesar (1950)

Monday, November 16

Time: 2:00pm

Not Rated

100 minutes

Stars: Ronald Colman, Celeste Holm, and Vincent Price

An unemployed genius becomes a contestant on television's biggest quiz show and proceeds to win the company from the show's sponsor in this riotous comedy favorite!

Ziegfeld Follies (1946)

Monday, December 7

Time: 2:00pm

Not Rated

117 minutes

Stars: Fred Astaire, Lucille Ball, and Judy Garland

Celebrates the life, career, and showmanship of the late Florenz Ziegfeld, perhaps the most famous and influential Broadway producer in the early decades of the 20th century. It opens in Heaven, at the home of the late Ziegfeld who thinks back on his life and wonders what kind of show he would put on with the talent of today (meaning 1946).

Senior Connections

Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:00am - 12:00pm

This is an information referral and counseling service that is offered at the library.

Blog: fdaleseniorconnections.blogspot.com

Email: seniorconnections116@gmail.com

Topic of the month: Knowing More About End-of-Life Issues

Come to Senior Connections and get resources from the government and non-profit organizations regarding this vital topic.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Exercise Classes

Tai Chi

Tuesdays, December 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, January 5, 12, 19, 26, February 2 Time: 11:00am
Fridays, December 4, 11, 18, January 8, 15, 22, 29, February 5, 12 Time: 10:00am
\$15.00 per person
Learn the basic exercises with Suzanne Ernst. Pre-register beginning November 24 at 10:00am. Checks and Credit or Debit cards accepted. Checks payable to the Farmingdale Public Library. No refunds. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Getting Fit

Thursdays, December 3, 10, 17, January 7, 14 \$15.00 per person Time: 7:00pm
Join Toni Riedel-Lehmann for this beginning exercise program. Bring a yoga mat. Pre-register beginning November 5 at 7:00pm. Debit cards now accepted, as well as checks made payable to the Farmingdale Public Library. No refunds. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Please have a valid Farmingdale Public Library Card with you at the time of registration.

Body Sculpting

Wednesdays, December 9, 16, 23, 30, January 13 Time: 7:30pm
\$15.00 per person
Learn to tone your muscles with Liz Faust. Please bring your own hand weights and mat. Pre-register beginning November 3 at 7:00pm. Debit cards now accepted, as well as checks made payable to the Farmingdale Public Library. No refunds. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Please have a valid Farmingdale Public Library Card with you at the time of registration.

Yoga with Elaine


Saturdays, December 12, 19, January 9, 16, 23, 30 Time: 10:00am
\$15.00 per person
Learn the yoga with Elaine Fruchtmann. Bring a floor mat or towel. Pre-register beginning November 28 at 10am. Debit cards now accepted, as well as checks made payable to the Farmingdale Public Library. No refunds. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Please have a valid Farmingdale Public Library Card with you at the time of registration.

Yoga with Linda


Mondays, December 21, 28, January 4, 11, 25 \$15.00 per person Time: 7:00pm
Learn the art of yoga with Linda Cafiero. Bring a floor mat or towel. Pre-register beginning November 23 at 7:00pm. Debit cards now accepted, as well as checks made payable to the Farmingdale Public Library. No refunds. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Please have a valid Farmingdale Public Library Card with you at the time of registration.

Lectures and Workshops Ongoing Events


Cruise Experience

Tuesday, December 8
Time: 7:30pm

Have you always wanted to take a cruise but felt you didn't know enough information? This lecture is for you. Cruise ship lecturer Joe Valenti will be on hand to tell you everything you need to know about the cruise experience. He will cover everything from how to pack for your cruise to information about shore excursions. He will also answer any concerns you have about money matters and medical information. Pre-register beginning November 2. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.


Hypnosis

Saturday, December 12
Time: 11:00am

Hypnosis is plagued by misconceptions. A person who does not want to be hypnotized cannot be hypnotized or be induced to do or say anything they do not want to. Hypnotherapist Angel Donnelly will be here to discuss the various benefits of hypnosis. From quitting smoking to reducing anxiety or stress, hypnosis can help you. Learn how to cope with fears, manage your anger or pain, and more. Pre-register beginning November 2. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.


Fall Prevention

Monday, December 14
Time: 2:00pm

Falls and fall related injuries are among the most serious and common medical problems experienced by older adults. Nearly one-third of older persons fall each year, and half of them fall more than once. Physical Therapist Michael Sicignano will be here to give you guidelines on how to keep yourself safe in the cold weather. Learn how to prevent falls, both indoors and outside, how to modify your environment if needed, and exercises you can do to improve your balance. Pre-register beginning November 2. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.


Death by Nutrition

Monday, December 21
Time: 7:30pm

Modern day stress, pharmaceuticals, and the standard American diet cause multiple nutrient depletion which promote disease states. Nutritionist Jill Mazzeo will talk about setting realistic goals that will reflect your individual needs and lifestyle. Learn various diets and supplement protocols to achieve optimal health and vitality and how to separate fact from fiction based on scientific data. Pre-register beginning November 2. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.


Poetry Group

Wednesdays, December 2, 16, 30
Time: 7:00pm-9:00pm

All poets are encouraged to come prepared to read what they have written and to appreciate the work of others. All are welcome.


Short Story Group

Mondays, November 9, 23, 30
December 7, 14, 21, 28
Time: 10:30am-Noon

Join us for a lively discussion of short stories. Copies are available at the Reference Desk. All are welcome.

Writers' Group


Wednesdays, December 9 and 23
Time: 7:00pm - 9:00pm

All writers are encouraged to come prepared to read what they have written and to share ideas with others. All are welcome.

LEARN AND IMPROVE YOUR ENGLISH SKILLS WITH LITERACY NASSAU

 English Conversation Group and Tutoring for speakers of other languages, sponsored by Literacy Nassau, are going to be held at the Farmingdale Public Library. The classes will begin in January 2010. All classes are free. Pre-register beginning November 30 at 6:30pm. Please contact Reference Department at (516) 249-9090 for more details.

LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO READ?

Book Fanatics of Farmingdale

 Looking for a good book? Read everything your favorite author has written and want to read more? Want a read-a-like of a favorite title? Look no further! The Farmingdale Public Library has created a virtual reader's advisory service just for you called Book Fanatics of Farmingdale (BFF)! Pick up a form at any service desk or fill one out online at our website www.farmingdalelibrary.org and a staff member will respond via email within 72 hours. Patrons of any age, reading level or interest (fiction, non-fiction, graphic novel) are more than welcome to fill out the form. Never be without something to read again.



WHAT'S GOING ON AT YOUR LIBRARY!



The Traveling Science Museum



Musical Fun Craft Program



Wonderful Wednesdays



Scooby Doo Celebration



Pop Art Messenger Bag Workshop

JUST FOR KIDS!

Storytimes

ABC and Me

Wednesdays, January 6, 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10, 17, 24

Time: 1:30pm

Ages: 4-5 years

This special Pre-Kindergarten program will focus on a different letter of the alphabet each week. Pre-register beginning December 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Birth-5 Years

(not in Kindergarten)

Musical Morning

Saturday, November 21

Time: 10:00am

Ages: 3 years - 2nd grade

Add a little music and fun to your morning with stories, songs, and a special craft. Pre-register beginning November 7. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Proof of age required for preschoolers.

Lions, Tigers, & Bears

Wednesday, December 2 Time: 6:30pm

OR

Tuesday, December 8 Time: 10:00am

Ages: 0-4 and parent

Join Miss Elena for stories, songs, fingerplays, and a craft. Pre-register beginning November 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Proof of age required.

Book Buddies

Thursday, December 3, 10, 17, January 7, 14, 21, 28

Time: 4:15pm

Ages: 3 1/2 - 1st grade

Share a special time reading and playing with a big buddy. Pre-register beginning November 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Proof of age required for preschoolers.

Can't Catch Me

Thursday, December 17

Time: 10:00am

Ages: 4-5 years and a grandparent

Bring a grandparent to this sweet story/craft program. (Child or grandparent must be resident.) Pre-register beginning December 3. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Proof of age required.

Snow Fun

Tuesday, January 5

Time: 10:00am

Ages: 0-4 years and a parent

Join us for a cool story time. Pre-register beginning December 22. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Bundle Up for Fun

Tuesday, January 12

Time: 1:30pm

Ages: 4-5

A fun filled story/craft program for preschoolers. Pre-register beginning December 29. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

My Fun Place

(programs for children with special needs)

Spongebob Squarepants Truth or Square

Monday, November 23

Time: 7:00pm

All Ages, Special Needs

The Krusty Krab celebrates its eleventy-seventh anniversary, and Mr. Krabs plans to sell lots of Krabby Patties. But SpongeBob, Patrick, Squidward, and Mr. Krabs accidentally get locked in the freezer before they have a chance to celebrate. Seating is first come, first served.

Painting with My Friends

Monday, November 30

Time: 7:00pm

All Ages, Special Needs

Wear old clothes and get ready to be creative. Let's have fun with paint and all the wacky brushes and stampers. Pre-register beginning November 2. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

The Wonders of Winter

Mondays, December 7, 21

Time: 7:00pm

All Ages, Special Needs

Join us each week with someone special for a fun surprise. Pre-register beginning November 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Arts and Crafts with

Joanne Manning

Mondays, December 28, January 4, 11, 25

Time: 7:00pm

All Ages, Special Needs

Come make a different masterpiece each week with artist Joanne Manning. Pre-register beginning December 14. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

TumbleBook Library

Did you know that the Farmingdale Public Library subscribes to TumbleBook? The TumbleBook Library contains online storybooks for children to listen and read along to. Visit our Children's Page on our web-site at www.farmingdalelibrary.org and click on the link to visit TumbleBook!



JUST FOR KIDS!



Kindergarten - 2nd Grade

Hats Off!

Thursday, November 19
Time: 7:00pm
Gr. K-2
Join Miss Sue for special stories and a craft you can wear home! Pre-register beginning November 5. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Musical Morning

Saturday, November 21
Time: 10:00am
Ages: 3 years - 2nd grade
Add a little music and fun to your morning with stories, songs, and a special craft. Pre-register beginning November 7. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Bingo

Friday, November 27
Time: 2:00pm
Gr. K-5
Spend an afternoon playing bingo and win some great prizes. Pre-register beginning November 5. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Book Buddies

Thursday, December 3, 10, 17,
January 7, 14, 21, 28
Time: 4:15pm
Ages: 3 1/2 - 1st grade
Share a special time reading and playing with a big buddy. Pre-register beginning November 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Proof of age required for Preschoolers.

Make a Gift Workshop

Monday, December 14
Time: 4:15pm
Gr. K-2
Choose a gift to make for someone special. Pre-register beginning December 1. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Monster Truck Storytime

Wednesday, December 16
Time: 4:15pm
Gr. K-2
Join us for an afternoon of monster truck fun! Pre-register beginning December 2. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Stuff a Friend

Tuesday, December 29
Time: 10:00am
Gr. K-5
We will be sharing stories, watching a short movie, and stuffing an animal to take home. Pre-register beginning December 15. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Family Movies

Aliens in the Attic

Tuesday, November 3
Time: 10:00am
All Ages and a parent
It's the Pearsons versus the aliens who came from upstairs, in an all-out battle that will decide the fate of the Earth - and kick-off the ultimate summer vacation. Pick up your tickets immediately. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Ice Age 3: Dawn of the Dinosaurs

Saturday, November 7
Time: 10:00am
All Ages and a parent
When Sid's attempt to adopt three dinosaur eggs gets him abducted by their real mother to an underground lost world, his friends attempt to rescue him. Pick up your tickets immediately. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Muffins and Movies on Monday Morning

Monday, December 28
Time: 9:30am
All Ages and a parent
Get up early and join us for a movie! Pick up tickets beginning December 14. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Monster Jam Movie Night

Tuesday, December 29
Time: 7:00pm
All Ages and a parent
Join us for an evening of monster truck madness! Pick up your tickets beginning December 15. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Wizards of Waverly Place

Wednesday, December 30
Time: 2:00pm
All Ages and a parent
What would happen if you cast a spell and made it so your parents never met? I can't imagine that would end well for the spell caster, but that is virtually what Alex does in Wizards of Waverly Place the Movie. Mad that she has to go along on a family vacation to the spot her parents met, Alex tries to use her magic to fix her predicament, but what will the consequences be? Pick up your tickets beginning December 16. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Family Fun @ the Library

Fun with Puppets

Saturday, November 14
Time: 10:00am
All Ages and a parent
Let your imagination go wild when you make this adorable animal puppet. Pre-register beginning November 2. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Paint Party

Wednesday, November 18
Time: 7:00pm
All Ages and a parent
Wear old clothes and get ready to be creative. Wait until you see all the fun brushes and stamper we have. Pre-register November 4. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Dough Party

Saturday, November 28
Time: 10:00am
All Ages and a parent
We have lots of colored dough for you to shape, mold, and cut. Pre-register beginning November 1. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Gingerbread Family Craft

Saturday, December 5
Time: 10:00am
All Ages and a parent
Make this sweet sign for Mom to hang in the kitchen. Pre-register beginning November 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

PJ Party

Wednesday, December 9
Time: 7:00pm
All Ages and a parent
Come in your pajamas to listen to stories and make a sleepy time craft! Pre-register beginning November 25. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Erik's Reptile Adventures

Saturday, December 12
Time: 2:00pm
All Ages and a parent
Erik is back with his snakes, turtles, and other assorted reptiles and bugs! Spend the morning with these amazing creatures. Pre-register beginning November 28. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Make a Magnet

Saturday, December 19
Time: 10:00am
All Ages and a parent
Come make a magnet to hold all those important memos. Seating is first come, first served. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Dough Party

Tuesday, December 29
Time: 2:00pm
All Ages and a parent
We have lots of colored dough for you to shape, mold, and cut. Pre-register beginning December 15. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Finger Painting Fun

Wednesday, December 30
Time: 10:30am
All Ages and a parent

JUST FOR TWEENS AND TEENS

Just for Teens



YA Blog

Attention all teens! The Farmingdale Teen Department has its own blog. Check it out at www.fdaleteen.blogspot.com. Upcoming programs, book reviews, and more will be posted here.

We're on Facebook!

You've seen our blog, now check out our Facebook page! See upcoming events, videos, pictures, book discussions, and more. Look us up under Farmingdale Public Library and see what we're doing.

Beads, Beads, Beads

Wednesday, December 2

Time: 4:15pm

Gr. 6-up

We'll supply the beads and supplies, all you need to supply is your imagination and craft skills. Pre-register beginning November 24. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Book Buddies

Thursday, December 3, 10, 17,

January 7, 14, 21, 28

Time: 4:15pm

Gr. 6-up

Read to a little one in this fun four-week program. Teens will get community service hours for attending this program. Pre-register beginning November 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Make Art with Michael Albert

Thursday, December 10

Time: 7:00pm

Gr. 6-up

Michael Albert will talk about his book, his art, and will teach you his trademark style of art, "Cerealism," a technique of collage work made from cereal boxes. Participants are encouraged to bring a cereal box from home so that Mr. Albert can teach them how to turn it into a work of Modern Art. Pre-register beginning November 25. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Veggie Nachos

Tuesday, December 22

Time: 7:00pm

Gr. 6-up

Make your own nachos to eat here or bring home. Pre-register beginning December 1. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Cupcake Decorating

Monday, December 28

Time: 3:00pm

Gr. 6-up

Create your own cupcake masterpiece. We'll provide the cupcakes and some decorating ideas. Pre-register beginning December 14. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Sophisticated Coloring

Tuesday, January 5

Time: 7:00pm

Gr. 6-up

Use the right side of your brain and create your own mini-masterpiece. Pre-register beginning December 22. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

iTunes for Teens and Tweens!



Bring your iPod to the library and download one of your favorite audio books! Come to the Reference Desk with your iPod and browse our iTunes binder for available titles and assistance.

Some of Our Titles Include:

Breaking Dawn by Stephenie Meyer

Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets
by J.K. Rowling

Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire
by J.K. Rowling

Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone
by J.K. Rowling

New Moon by Stephenie Meyer

Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants
by Ann Brashares

Twilight by Stephenie Meyer

For more titles visit our website at
www.farmingdalelibrary.org.

Teens and Tweens

Rubber Stamp Cards

Friday, November 20

Time: 4:15pm

Gr. 3-5

Create beautiful note cards to use yourself or to give to someone as a gift. Pre-register beginning November 6. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Bingo

Friday, November 27

Time: 2:00pm

Gr. K-5

Spend an afternoon playing bingo and win some great prizes. Pre-register beginning November 5. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Soap Decorating

Tuesday, December 1

Time: 7:00pm

Gr. 3-5

Decorate and wrap up these beautiful soaps for a special gift for someone. Pre-register beginning November 23. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Get Cooking

Wednesday, December 9

Time: 4:15pm

Gr. 3-5

Mom will love hanging this little gingerbread man in her kitchen. Pre-register beginning November 25. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Make a Gift Workshop

Tuesday, December 15

Time: 4:15pm

Gr. 3-5

Choose a gift to make for someone special. Pre-register beginning December 1. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Stuff a Friend

Tuesday, December 29

Time: 10:00am

Gr. K-5

We will be sharing stories, watching a short movie, and stuffing an animal to take home. Pre-register beginning December 15. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Sparkling Snowflakes

Friday, January 8

Time: 4:15pm

Gr. 3-5

Create a sparkling keychain of blue and white. Pre-register beginning December 22. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

Live Homework Help



Do you have questions about Algebra or other topics? Just log on to Tutor.com and you can connect one on one with a real, live tutor. Get answers to questions on topics as varied as Math, Science, Social Studies, and English! You'll get your answer fast and accurately. Tutor.com is available for users from Kindergarten through College Introductory classes. To access this database, please visit our homepage at www.farmingdalelibrary.org.

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Babytime: 9:15am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/19)
Monday Matinee: 2:00pm - AP, pg. 2 (all welcome)
Special Time at My Fun Place: 6:00pm - SN (RD 9/17)
Short Story Group: 10:30am - AP pg. 3 (all welcome)

Tuesday, November 3

Body Sculpting Registration: AP, pg. 3
Painting with My Friends Registration: SN, pg. 4
Around the World, Musical Holiday Tour Bus Trip Registration: AP, pg. 8
Aliens in the Attic: 10:00am - CP, pg. 5 (RD Now)
Farmingdale Library Cinema: 1:30pm, 7:30pm - AP, pg. 1 (all welcome)

Wednesday, November 4

Paint Party Registration: CP, pg. 5
Book & Cook: 10:30am - CP (RD 10/19)
SAT Class: 6:45pm - YAP (RD 9/16)

Thursday, November 5

Bingo Registration: CP, pg. 5, 6
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Friday, November 6

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Stomp It Up: 10:00am - CP (RD 10/23)

Saturday, November 7

Musical Morning Registration: CP, pg. 4, 5
Ice Age 3: 10:00am - CP, pg. 5 (RD Now)

Monday, November 9

Babytime: 9:15am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/19)
Special Time at My Fun Place: 6:00pm - SN (RD 9/17)

Tuesday, November 10

Terrific Toddlers: 10:30am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/16)

Thursday, November 12

Little Buddies: 10:30am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/19)

Friday, November 13

Stomp It Up: 10:00am - CP (RD 10/23)

Saturday, November 14

Fun with Puppets: 10:00am - CP, pg. 5 (RD 11/2)

Monday, November 16

Babytime: 9:15am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/19)
Monday Matinee: 2:00pm - AP, pg. 2 (all welcome)
Special Time at My Fun Place: 6:00pm - SN (RD 9/17)

Tuesday, November 17

Terrific Toddlers: 10:30am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/16)
Library Board Meeting: 7:00pm, pg. 8 (all welcome)

Wednesday, November 18

Book & Cook: 10:30am - CP (RD 10/19)
Paint Party: 7:00pm - CP, pg. 5 (RD 11/4)

Thursday, November 19

Little Buddies: 10:30am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/19)
Hats Off: 7:00pm - CP, pg. 5 (RD 11/5)

Friday, November 20

Stomp It Up: 10:00am - CP (RD 10/23)
Rubber Stamp Cards: 4:15pm - CP pg. 6 (RD 11/6)

Saturday, November 21

Musical Morning: 10:00am - CP pg. 4, 5 (RD 11/7)

Monday, November 23

Yoga with Linda Registration: AP, pg. 3
Getting Fit Registration: AP, pg. 3
Lions, Tigers, & Bears Registration: CP, pg. 4
Book Buddies Registration: CP, pg. 4, 5, 6
Wonders of Winter Registration: SN, pg. 4
Gingerbread Family Craft Registration: CP, pg. 5
Soap Decorating Registration: CP, pg. 6
Babytime: 9:15am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/19)
Short Story Group: 10:30am - AP pg. 3 (all welcome)
Spongebob Squarepants Truth or Square: 7:00pm SN, pg. 4 (all welcome)

Tuesday, November 24

Tai Chi Registration: AP, pg. 3
Beads, Beads, Beads Registration: YAP, pg. 6
Farmingdale Library Cinema: 1:30pm, 7:30pm AP, pg. 1 (all welcome)
Terrific Toddlers: 10:30am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/16)

Wednesday, November 25

PJ Party Registration: CP, pg. 5
Make Art with Michael Albert Registration: YAP, pg. 6
Get Cooking Registration: CP, pg. 6
Book & Cook: 10:30am - CP (RD 10/19)

Thursday, November 26

Library Closed - Thanksgiving

Friday, November 27

Stomp It Up: 10:00am - CP (RD 10/23)
Bingo: 2:00pm - CP, pg. 5, 6 (RD 11/5)

Saturday, November 28

Erik's Reptile Adventures Registration: CP, pg. 5
Yoga with Elaine Registration: AP, pg. 3
Dough Party: 10:00am - CP, pg. 5 (RD 11/1)

Monday, November 30

ESL Registration: AP, pg. 3
Painting with My Friends Registration: SN, pg. 4
Short Story Group: 10:30am - AP pg. 3 (all welcome)
Painting with My Friends: 7:00pm - SN pg. 4 (RD 11/2)

DECEMBER 2009

Tuesday, December 1

Make a Gift Workshop Registration: CP, pg. 5, 6
Veggie Nachos Registration: YAP, pg. 6
Around the World, Musical Holiday Tour Bus Trip: 10:00am - AP, pg. 8 (RD 11/3)
Terrific Toddlers: 10:30am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/16)
Tai Chi: 11:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)
Farmingdale Library Cinema: 1:30pm, 7:30pm - AP, pg. 1 (all welcome)
Soap Decorating: 7:00pm - CP, pg. 6 (RD 11/23)

DECEMBER 2009

Wednesday, December 2

Monster Truck Storytime Registration: CP, pg. 5
Book & Cook: 10:30am - CP (RD 10/19)
Beads, Beads, Beads: 4:15pm - YAP pg. 6 (RD 11/24)
Lions, Tigers, & Bears: 6:30pm - CP pg. 4 (RD 11/23)
Poetry Group: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (all welcome)

Thursday, December 3

Can't Catch Me Registration: CP, pg. 4
Little Buddies: 10:30am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 10/19)
Book Buddies: 4:15pm - CP, pg. 4, 5, 6 (RD 11/23)
Getting Fit: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/5)

Friday, December 4

Stomp It Up: 10:00am - CP (RD 10/23)
Tai Chi: 10:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)

Saturday, December 5

Holiday Tea Registration: AP, pg. 1
AARP Mature Driving: 9:30am - AP pg. 8 (RD 11/6)
Gingerbread Family Craft: 10:00am - CP pg. 5 (RD 11/23)

Monday, December 7

Short Story Group: 10:30am - AP pg. 3 (all welcome)
Monday Matinee: 2:00pm - AP, pg. 2 (all welcome)
All Ages Defensive Driving: 6:00pm - AP pg. 8 (RD ongoing)
The Wonders of Winter: 7:00pm - SN pg. 4 (RD 11/23)

Tuesday, December 8

Lions, Tigers, & Bears: 10:00am - CP pg. 4 (RD 11/18)
Tai Chi: 11:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)
Cruise Experience: 7:30pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/2)

Wednesday, December 9

Writers' Group: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (all welcome)
Get Cooking: 4:15pm - CP, pg. 6 (RD 11/25)
All Ages Defensive Driving: 6:00pm - AP pg. 8 (RD ongoing)
PJ Party: 7:00pm - CP, pg. 5 (RD 11/25)
Body Sculpting: 7:30pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/3)

Thursday, December 10

Book Buddies: 4:15pm - CP, pg. 4, 5, 6 (RD 11/23)
Getting Fit: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/5)
Make Art with Michael Albert: 7:00pm - YAP pg. 6 (RD 11/25)

Friday, December 11

Stomp It Up: 10:00am - CP (RD 10/23)
Tai Chi: 10:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)

Saturday, December 12

Yoga with Elaine: 10:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/28)
Hypnosis: 11:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/2)
Erik's Reptile Adventures: 2:00pm - CP pg. 5 (RD 11/28)

Sunday, December 13

New York Cabaret: 3:00pm - AP pg. 1 (all welcome)

Monday, December 14

Arts and Crafts with Joanne Manning Registration: SN, pg. 4
Muffins and Movies on a Monday Morning Registration: CP, pg. 5
Cupcake Decoration Registration: YAP, pg. 6

Monday, December 14

Short Story Group: 10:30am - AP pg. 3 (all welcome)
Fall Prevention: 2:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/2)
Make a Gift Workshop: 4:15 - CP, pg. 5 (RD 12/1)

Tuesday, December 15

Monster Jam Movie Night Registration: CP, pg. 5
Stuff a Friend Registration: CP, pg. 5, 6
Dough Party Registration: CP, pg. 5
Tai Chi: 11:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)
Make a Gift Workshop: 4:15pm - CP, pg. 6 (RD 12/1)
Library Board Meeting: 7:00pm, pg. 8 (all welcome)

Wednesday, December 16

Finger Painting Workshop Registration: CP, pg. 5
Wizards of Waverly Place Registration: CP, pg. 5
Yoga with Elaine: 10:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/28)
Monster Truck Storytime: 4:15pm - CP pg. 5 (RD 12/2)
Poetry Group: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (all welcome)
Body Sculpting: 7:30pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/3)

Thursday, December 17

AARP Mature Driving: 9:30am - AP pg. 8 (RD 11/6)
Can't Catch Me: 10:00am - CP, pg. 4 (RD 12/3)
Book Buddies: 4:15pm - CP, pg. 4, 5, 6 (RD 11/23)
Getting Fit: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/5)

Friday, December 18

Tai Chi: 11:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)

Saturday, December 19

Make a Magnet: 10:00am - CP, pg. 5 (all welcome)
Holiday Tea: 12:30pm - AP, pg. 1 (RD 12/5)

Monday, December 21

Short Story Group: 10:30am - AP, pg. 3 (all welcome)
Yoga with Linda: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/23)
The Wonders of Winter: 7:00pm - SN pg. 4 (RD 11/23)
Death by Nutrition: 7:30pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/2)

Tuesday, December 22

Snow Fun Registration: CP, pg. 4
Sophisticated Coloring Registration: YAP, pg. 6
Sparkling Snowflakes Registration: CP, pg. 6
Tai Chi: 11:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)
Veggie Nachos: 7:00pm - YAP, pg. 6 (RD 12/1)

Wednesday, December 23

ABC and Me Registration: CP, pg. 4
Writers' Group: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (all welcome)
Body Sculpting: 7:30pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/3)

Thursday, December 24

Library Closed - Christmas Eve

Friday, December 25

Library Closed - Christmas Day

Monday, December 28

Muffins and Movies on Monday Morning: 9:30am AP, pg. 5 (RD 12/14)
Short Story Group: 10:30am - AP, pg. 3 (all welcome)
Cupcake Decoration: YAP, pg. 6 (RD 12/14)
Yoga with Linda: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/23)
Arts and Crafts with Joanne Manning: 7:00pm - SN pg. 4 (RD 12/14)

Tuesday, December 29

Bundle Up for Fun Registration: CP, pg. 4
Stuff a Friend: 10:00am - CP, pg. 5, 6 (RD 12/15)
Tai Chi: 11:00am - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/24)
Dough Party: 2:00pm - CP, pg. 5 (RD 12/15)
Monster Jam Movie Night: 7:00pm - CP pg. 5 (RD 12/15)

Wednesday, December 30

Finger Painting Fun: 10:00am - CP, pg. 5 (RD 12/16)
Wizards of Waverly Place: 2:00pm - CP pg. 5 (RD 12/16)
Poetry Group: 7:00pm - AP, pg. 3 (all welcome)
Body Sculpting: 7:30pm - AP, pg. 3 (RD 11/3)

Thursday, December 31

Library Closed - New Year's Eve

FREE LIVE MUSIC Lounge



Thursdays
Time: 11:00am-1:00pm
Come listen and dance to the music of the Paul Gatto Music Ensemble in the lower level. All are welcome.

Driving Courses

All Ages Defensive Driving

Monday, December 7 & Wednesday, December 9
Time: 6:00pm - 9:00pm

(MUST Attend Both)

Fee: \$35.00 per person

Checks only; payable to "HPP Inc." Sponsored by National Safety Council 6 hr. course. Preference given to UFSD #22 residents.

AARP Mature Driving

Fee: \$12.00 for AARP members with card
\$14.00 for non-members

Registration Starts November 6 at 10:00am

Saturday, December 5

Thursday, December 17

Time: 9:30am - 5:00pm

Please have your AARP card with you. Checks only; payable to "AARP". Preference given to UFSD #22 residents. Each registrant is required to have a separate check. No show, no refunds. Please bring lunch.

BUS TRIPS



Around the World, Musical Holiday Tour and Luncheon at the Brownstone

Tuesday, December 1
Fee: \$70.00 per person

Time: 10:00am - 5:30pm



Celebrate the season with wonderful music, comic entertainment, singing and dancing, and a lavish meal at the beautifully decorated Brownstone in nearby Patterson, New Jersey. We will be greeted by the fabulous Robbie Scott Trio and dance host, Tom Stanton, followed by a one-hour open bar and lavish lunch. By popular request, our entertainment will feature the incredibly talented soprano, Mary Mancini, accompanied by her husband, world-renowned accordionist, Mario Tacca. Hilarious comic Tommy More, makes merry with plenty of laughter and some hysterical audience participation. Based on our trip two years ago, this venue and these particular entertainers, this promises to be a most entertaining and enjoyable way to kick off the holiday season. Pre-register beginning November 3. Each registrant must show proof of Farmingdale District #22 residency. Registration for non-residents begins November 10. Credit or Debit cards now accepted, as well as checks made payable to the Farmingdale Public Library. No Refunds.

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Hours: Wednesdays, 5:00pm-9:00pm

The library has a career development facilitator to help you with all your needs! Whether you are looking for employment, switching careers, or you have a question about the college application process, we can help. For an appointment, call the Reference Department at 516-249-9090.



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BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETINGS

Tuesday, November 17, 2009

Tuesday, December 15, 2009

Time: 7:00pm Downstairs in room F. All are welcome.

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Mon, Tues, Thurs: 9:00am-9:00pm Wed: 10:00am-9:00pm Fri: 9:00am-6:00pm

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HOLIDAY HOURS

OPEN: 9:00am - 9:00pm - Election Day - Tuesday, November 3

OPEN: 10:00am - 6:00pm - Eve of Thanksgiving - Wednesday, November 25

CLOSED: Christmas Eve - Thursday, December 24

CLOSED: New Year's Eve - Thursday, December 31

CLOSED: Veteran's Day, Wednesday, November 11

CLOSED: Thanksgiving - Thursday, November 26

CLOSED: Christmas Day - Friday, December 25