

## From the Director's Desk

Welcome to our first edition of the *Malverne Express*! We hope you enjoy our updated newsletter and the information it contains. There are lots of new things going on in the library. We have several new databases that you can access from home through our website [www.nassaulibrary.org/malverne](http://www.nassaulibrary.org/malverne). Click on eResources and then the database you want to use. Did you get a hot new e-reader or iPod for Christmas? Did you know that you can download e-books and audio books for free from the Nassau Digital Doorway link on our homepage? You can now also reserve your museum passes through our homepage. The Long Island Children's Museum pass, given to us by the Friends of the Library, is a big hit. You can also follow us on Facebook and keep up with all the activities that are taking place here in the library. There are two Facebook pages – Malverne Public Library and Malverne Public Library Youth Services. You can also see our librarians on our cable TV show "Page Turners" on channel 18 (Cablevision) or channel 30 (Fios) as they discuss the books they've read during the month. The show airs at 3:00 and 7:00. We invite you to visit and enjoy the library and its wonderful resources.

**Malverne Public Library**  
**61 St. Thomas Place**  
**Malverne, NY 11565**  
**516-599-0750**

### Hours:

9:30 – 9:00 Monday  
9:30 – 5:00 Tuesday  
9:30 – 9:00 Wednesday  
9:30 – 9:00 Thursday  
9:30 – 5:00 Friday  
9:30 – 5:00 Saturday\*  
(\* September-June)

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**Watch for information  
on the upcoming  
September 28, 2010 library  
vote in your district.**

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Summer 2010

## What's New at the Malverne Public Library?



### Free Museum Passes!



Malverne cardholders can reserve museum passes online or in person for :

- The Long Island Children's Museum
- Old Westbury Gardens
- The Cradle of Aviation Museum

Passes are loaned out just like books, with fees if returned late.

### Upcoming Events for Adults

8/2 7-8:30 pm **Adult Summer Reading Club**  
10/14 7:00-8:30 p.m. **Clavin Tax Forum**  
10/15 2:00-3:30 **Clavin Tax Forum**  
10/19 & 10/20 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. **AARP Defensive Driving \$12 for AARP members, \$14 for non-members. Checks only.**

### Ongoing Programs

Mondays: **Matinee Movie** 2 p.m.  
Wednesdays: **Senior Advocate** 10 am-12 pm.  
He will answer questions and direct you to a helpful senior resource.

### More Programs (Dates to be Announced)

- **Marilyn Bunger's Low-Impact Exercise Program**
- **Financial Planning Workshop**
- **Zumba Fitness Evening Classes**

Come in and experience our new and improved audio visual system! New, hit movies are shown every Monday at 2:00 p.m. and everyone is welcome to attend.

### New Movie Titles

The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo  
The Bounty Hunter  
Cop Out  
Clash of the Titans  
Repo Men  
When in Rome  
The Last Station  
Mari Winsor Pilates  
Green Zone  
Remember Me

New DVDs go out for 3 days (50¢ fee at checkout per DVD)

### New Language Database: Byki Online

This online foreign language learning database allows users to learn by collecting words and phrases in their memory as they progress through the lessons. There are dozens of languages available, including Spanish, French, Chinese, Russian, and Hindi. After setting up a free account in the library, you can access Byki online from anywhere!

# Children's Services



## Upcoming Programs

We are constantly adding programs! Please check our website (click the "calendar" tab) and flyers in the library for more programs and information, including how to register.

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| Children's Movie: Disney's The Princess and the Frog (Rated G)<br>2:00 p.m. Fri. July 30th (Ages 3+) | Tail Waggin' Tutors: Reading to Dogs<br>4-6 p.m. (20 minute time slots) (Grades K-4)<br>Thurs. August 12th  |
| PlayHooray Baby (Ages 0-18 mos)<br>10:15-10:45 a.m. Mon. August 2nd                                  | Disney's Little Mermaid (Rated G)<br>2:00 p.m. Fri. August 13th (Ages 3+)   |
| PlayHooray Toddler: Surf's Up with Molly Mouse (Ages 18 mos-4)<br>11:00-11:45 a.m. Mon. August 2nd   | Check our website for information on upcoming fall programs, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grade K-2 Storytime<br/>Wed. 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20</li> <li>PreSchool Storytime (Ages 3½-5)<br/>Thurs. 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21</li> <li>Play Hooray for Toddlers &amp; Babies</li> <li>Jump for Joy (Ages 18 mos-5)<br/>Tues. 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/26, 11/2                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Halloween Activities</li> </ul> </li> <li>Tail Waggin' Tutors: Reading to Dogs                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Children's Crafts</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| Fish 'n Kids with Capt. Jerry McGrath<br>3:30-4:30 p.m. Wed. August 4th (Ages 5+)                    |   |
| PreK Rubber Ducky Painting (Ages 2½-5)<br>11:00-11:30 a.m. Thurs. August 5th                         |   |
| Pajama Storytime<br>7:00-7:30 p.m. Wed. August 11th (Ages 3-7)                                       |   |

## Wonderful Children's Resources on the Library Website

You can access many resources from our website (<http://www.nassaulibrary.org/malverne>) using your library card number!

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spotlight on Databases for Children (many others!)</li> <li>Tumblebooks: "Talking" animated picture books, puzzles, games, and more!</li> <li>Live Homework Help from certified tutors (2-10 p.m.)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Encyclopædia Britannica for Kids: Articles, educational games, and more!</li> <li>Reserve Museum Passes</li> <li>L.I. Children's Museum</li> <li>Cradle of Aviation Museum</li> <li>Old Westbury Gardens</li> </ul> |
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# Teen Corner

## Upcoming Programs:

- Teen Summer Reader/Volunteer Pizza Party  
September date to be announced
- Writing College Essays Seminar  
September 27th 7- 8:30 pm
  - SAT/ACT Practice Exams  
October 23rd 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
  - Scores Back/Test Strategy Seminar  
October 28th 7 p.m.-8 p.m.
  - Teen Yoga Sessions  
Dates to be announced



## Family Video Games

Try a classic or a new game today!  
(For Malverne Card Holders Only!)



## Worried About H.S. or College Entrance Exams?

Try "LearningExpress," an electronic resource of practice exams such as AP, PSAT, SAT, GED, or topic exams such as Vocabulary & Spelling, Math Skills or Reading Comprehension. Just register on the "LearningExpress Library" page found on Malverne Library's "E-Resources" tab.

# Database Spotlight

To access, go to our website ([www.nassaulibrary.org/malverne](http://www.nassaulibrary.org/malverne)) & click the E-Resources tab.



Global Road Warrior contains extensive historical and practical information about 175 countries, with thousands of photographs and maps. Business people doing research for international trade, students working on reports and anyone planning international travel will find this database very helpful!

Looking to ace the SATs, learn Microsoft Excel, prepare for civil service exams, or land a job? Whatever your goal, LearningExpress Library can help you succeed! This database offers the practice tests, exercises, skill-building courses, and information you need to achieve the results you want—at school, at work, or in life.

What film won the Oscar for best picture in 1959? What on earth was a "pet rock?" Learn about films, music, fashion, people, events and more! This database contains fascinating and fun information about popular culture, from 1920 through today. In addition, the Skills Center provides lesson plans for teachers.