

FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

We are most pleased that many of our residents are using the resources in our "Employment Help Center" and some are reporting back to us that they have been successful in finding employment. Our center features a collection of current job hunting resources including books and computers dealing with cover letters, resumes, job interviewing and careers. There are also links to job opportunities. Our reference Librarians will provide assistance in using the Help materials in our center.

Marilyn Kappenberg

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EMPLOYMENT RESOURCES

Do you need help with writing your résumé? Mr. Melvyn Black, a Plainedge resident and a retired Human Resources V.P. has offered to review and make suggestions on improving your résumé! To make an appointment with Mr. Black, contact the Reference Department . . . **and remember** . . . Our Employment Help Center features direct links to jobsites and also includes an extensive collection of current books on cover letters, résumé writing, job interviewing and careers. Tutorials for MS Word, Excel and basic computer skills can also be found in our Employment Help Center.



DID YOU KNOW?

You may access your library account from the comfort of your home:

- Go to www.alisweb.org
- Click on My Account/E-mail signup
- Type in your name, and barcode that appears on your library card
- Type in your PIN # (the last 4 digits of your telephone number)
- Verify PIN #



Now you are ready to go! You may check the status of your account, renew your checkouts, and reserve new titles. Any problems, just call our Reference Desk at 735-4133 ext 14

LIBRARY VISITS

LEGAL ISSUES FACING SENIORS

Saturday, November 21 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

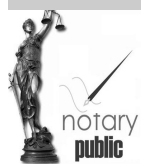
Free tickets available



Ida Epstein, CFP will speak about legal issues facing the senior population. Seniors do not always know where to turn to for these concerns. This workshop discusses various legal topics, including wills, living wills, health care proxies and durable powers of attorney. Limit 80

LIBRARY SERVICES

NOTARY PUBLIC



The Notary Public hours are:
 Mondays and Fridays, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
 Wednesdays, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
 Thursdays, 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.



SENIOR CONNECTIONS

Our Senior Connections Volunteer, Rosemary Styne, is available to assist with questions you may have regarding programs or services that may be available. Rosemary will be at your Library on the *first* and *third* Wednesdays of every month. Her hours are 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

NOTE: Photo identification required. Documents to be notarized **must** be signed at time of notarization, *not* before. Ask for Pat (Please call first).

LECTURES/COURSES/DEMOS

A.M. and P.M. YOGA

Monday mornings, 8 Sessions \$65 10:00 a.m.—11:30 a.m.

Instructor: Edith Jason, R.Y.T. (Registered Yoga Teacher)

New term begins Monday, November 9*

*If filled, please place your name & phone # on waiting list.

We will notify you if a spot becomes available.

Next term begins Monday, January 11, 2010

Resident sign-up begins Monday, December 14, 2009;

Nonresident, Monday, December 28, 2009



Monday mornings, 8 Sessions \$65 11:45 a.m.—1:15 p.m.

Instructor: Bette R. Collom, (Certified Kripalu Yoga Teacher)

New term begins Monday, November 16*

Resident sign-up in progress; Nonresident, Monday, Nov. 2

*If filled, please place your name & phone # on waiting list.

We will notify you if a spot becomes available.

Next term begins Monday, January 18, 2010

Resident sign-up begins Monday, December 21, 2009;

Nonresident, Monday, January 4, 2010

Thursday evenings, 12 Sessions \$100 5:30 p.m.— 7:00 p.m.

Instructor: Edith Jason, R.Y.T. (Registered Yoga Teacher)

500-hour Professional Level Kripalu Yoga Teacher

In progress through November 19

New term begins Thursday, December 3

Resident sign-up begins Thursday, November 12;

Nonresident, Wednesday, November 25

We invite you to join your Library's Yoga class and experience this unique system of exercise. **Beginners and Teens are always welcome**-you may work at your own level. Firm, tone and strengthen your body while reducing stress. It is best not to eat within 2 hours before the start of class. Please dress comfortably and bring a tapas sticky mat, exercise mat or thick blanket and a small throw pillow. Classes run continuously (unless otherwise noted) throughout the year. **PLEASE NOTE: This course is not appropriate for pregnant women.** Limit 18

SUNDAY MUSIC

TRADITIONAL COUNTRY MUSIC

Featuring Long Island's Native Son, Rich Sisson

December 6 2 p.m.

Resident free tickets available beginning Sunday, November 8;

Nonresident, Sunday, November 15

Enjoy the memorable music of country legends- Johnny Cash, Hank Williams, Jim Reeves, Eddie Arnold, Willie Nelson and many more! Limit 80

"GLEN ANTHONY: LAST OF THE CLEAN COMEDIANS"

November 8 2 p.m.

Free tickets available!

Direct from Atlantic City and numerous comedy clubs throughout the USA and Canada. Laugh and enjoy the master of wholesome, hilarious humor and impersonator extraordinaire. Hear renditions of Howard Cosell, Willie Nelson, Jacques Cousteau, Julio Iglesias, Jackie Mason, Henry Kissinger and more! Limit 80

NOTE FOR ALL EVENTS: Plainedge residents will be given preference registering for all courses and programs requiring sign-up. After 7 days, nonresidents will be placed on a waiting list and will be notified if space is available. Refunds can only be issued if your ticket is sold to a replacement.

LECTURES/DEMONSTRATIONS

BUDGET FRIENDLY MEALS AND HOLIDAY

ENTERTAINING IDEAS \$3

Monday, November 16 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Sign-up Now!

Robin Galardi invites you to learn budget friendly meal ideas. Discover how to feed your family delicious meals for under \$2 a serving. Additionally, we will share wonderful, fun and easy holiday entertaining dessert ideas for every holiday! Bring a friend, there will be recipes for you to taste! Limit 25

THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF CHOCOLATE

Tuesday, December 8 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Resident free tickets available beginning Tuesday, Nov. 10;

Nonresident, Tuesday, November 17

Do you like chocolate? If so, join Lucy Van Horn as she offers gift ideas, talks about table decorations and serving your guests! Limit 25

LECTURES/WORKSHOP

HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS/SENIORS

ACCEPTED: GETTING INTO YOUR FIRST CHOICE SCHOOL

Tuesday, December 1 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Resident free tickets available beginning Tuesday, Nov. 3;

Nonresident, Tuesday, November 10

Mindy Lampert, from Kaplan Test Prep and Admissions, explains to students and parents what college admissions officers expect from applicants' high school experiences. Topics covered include a variety of admissions policies and the key factors used by admissions officers when deciding who to accept. Limit 50



REMINDERS

ART LECTURE/WORKSHOP

THE IMPRESSIONIST

CLAUDE MONET: HIS LIFE, PAINTINGS AND TECHNIQUES

Tuesday, November 10 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Free tickets available Limit 20

COMPUTER INSTRUCTION*

[*At sign-up, you must select an operating system based on your familiarity with it.]

E-MAIL KINDERGARTEN *\$20

Tuesday, Nov 17, 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. (for Windows XP users)

or

Tuesday, Nov 17, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. (for Windows Vista users)

Sign-up in progress!

Introduction to sending e-mail. Learn how to compose, reply and forward e-mail. Register for a free e-mail account using one of the more popular e-mail providers. Basic computer knowledge required. *One person per laptop. Limit 15.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

In person registration required for all children's activities and story times unless otherwise specified. Sign-up for all programs begin Monday, November 9th in the Children's Room beginning at 10:00 a.m. for all Plainedge School District residents. If you arrive beforehand, there will be a clipboard where you can write your last name. Registration forms will be handed out at 10:00 a.m. in the order that names are listed. You will be registered in the order we receive your completed registration forms. Out-of-district residents may register starting Monday, November 16th depending on availability. All programs are age-specific, including those where adults attend with children. Please make necessary childcare arrangements. Proof of residency (Library card) is needed at sign-up.

The Library charges a materials fee for a number of the children's programs and payment is preferred at sign-up. If payment is not made at sign-up, you will have a *seven day* time frame to do so. If payment is not received within the 7 days, the Library reserves the right to offer the spot to another child from the waiting list.

PLEASE NOTE: We no longer mail postcards as reminders. If you still wish to be notified, please include your email address on the registration form.

FAMILY APPLE PIE MAKE & TAKE**

Saturday, December 5th

For families

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

**\$5.00 materials fee per family due at sign-up

If you enjoyed Melanie Jo Earl's Pizza Make & Take this past summer, then you'll really like this apple pie program she's doing for winter! Please bring a cookie sheet to carry the pie home for baking.

WINTER BOOK BUDDIES

Saturday, December 19th

Geared for Grades K - 2nd
(adults optional)

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

(Children's Room)

Students from the Plainedge High School National Honor Society will be here to read winter stories and have a craft for your children to make.

WII PLAY @ THE LIBRARY

Tuesday, December 29th

Grades 3rd - 5th

1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Please join us again for more fun and games with Wii and Playstation II!

FAMILY BOARD GAME, SNACK & CRAFT

Wednesday, December 30th

For families

11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Families and friends are welcome to come for games, crafting, coloring and snacking! Children must attend with an adult.

F.Y.I.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED (6TH Grade & Up) for Children's crafts/activities during the 2009/2010 school year. You may contact the Children's Services Staff for volunteer application information. Community service credit furnished upon request.

HOMEWORK HELP CENTER for Plainedge School District students in K - 8 is currently being held in the Children's Room. On Tuesdays, Homework Help Center takes place between 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. On Thursdays, H.H.C. time is between 6:15 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. Please contact Children's Services Staff for further information at 735-4133, ext. 12 or 13. Students from the Plainedge High School National Honor Society are once again volunteering their time in order to make this worthwhile program possible.



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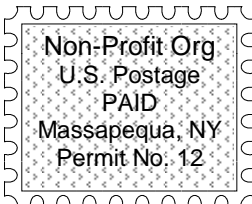


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LIBRARY HOURS	
Monday - Thursday	9:00 a.m. - 8:45 p.m.
Friday	9:00 a.m. - 5:45 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.
Sunday	1:00 p.m.- 4:45 p.m.
HOLIDAYS	
Tuesday, November 3 (<i>Election Day</i>)	9:00 am – 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday, November 11 (<i>Veterans' Day</i>)	CLOSED
Wednesday, November 25 (<i>Thanksgiving Eve</i>)	9:00 am – 5:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 26 (<i>Thanksgiving Day</i>)	CLOSED

Please note: The Board of Trustees meets monthly, usually the third Monday of the month, at 7:00 p.m., in the Local History Room. All meetings are open to residents of the community and all interested individuals are invited to attend. The agenda includes a period for community questions and comments. The next meeting is scheduled for *Monday, November 16, 2009.*



DRIVING COURSES

NOTE: Regarding the driving courses, please do not park in the Library parking lot, nor in front of stores in shopping center. Parking is available on Guttenberg Path, the street located parallel to Hicksville Road. Thank you.

AARP MATURE DRIVING: ONE DAY SESSIONS

\$12—AARP Members / **\$14**—Non-members

Event Date	Sign Up Dates
[Friday, November 20]* 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	<u>Filled</u>

DEFENSIVE DRIVING *\$35

Event Date	Sign Up Dates
[Sat., Dec. 19] 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	<u>Resident sign-up begins</u> Sat., Nov. 14; Nonresident, Sat., Nov. 28

**Please place your name and phone number on the waiting list. We will notify you if a spot becomes available.*

This course for drivers 50 years of age & older is given in one 8-hour session, including a break for lunch. If you have incurred violations on your driver's record during the 18 months prior to the completion of this course, 4 points will be deducted from the total. You will also be eligible for percentage discounts on your insurance premiums. If only one spouse is 50 years of age or older, you may both register for this course but you must attend together. Pay the \$12 fee, \$14 if non-member, at registration with undated checks made payable to AARP. If two are attending, we must receive undated checks from each individual wishing to attend. Please note that the \$12, \$14 if non-member, fee is nonrefundable. **IMPORTANT: If you are an AARP member, you must write your membership # on your check to receive the reduced rate. Also, please bring your driver's license & a black or blue ink pen to class. PLEASE NOTE: In person registration only but you may register your spouse. Thank you.**

This driving course is not limited to those 50 years of age or older. If you have incurred violations on your driver's record during the 18 months prior to the completion of this course, 4 points will be deducted from the total. You will also be eligible for percentage discounts on your insurance premiums. Checks only. Please make checks payable to La-Salle Driving School. NOTE: If two are attending, we must receive separate checks from each individual wishing to attend. *A senior discount is available for those 65 years of age or older. Fee is \$30 (Proof of age is required at time of registration). **Please bring your driver's license and a black or blue ink pen to class. Thank you.**

