

Spring Crafts for Kids

In the Kitchen with Debbie

Green Pancakes for St. Patrick's Day

• ages 7 to 13 • CHILDREN'S or COMMUNITY ROOM

Thursday • 6pm
March 16

Favorite meal of leprechauns everywhere
Limit 15 | Registration required

Cinco de Mayo TaCo Time

• ages 11 to 14 • CHILDREN'S or COMMUNITY ROOM

Thursday • 6pm
May 4

You choose the fixins' for a tasty Mexican treat
Limit 15 | Registration required

Morning StoryTime with Marybeth

• ages 2½ to 5 • CHILDREN'S ROOM

Tuesdays • 10:30 am

March 14 + 28
April 11 + 25
May 16 + 30

Enjoy stories and make a craft
Limit 15 | Registration required

Spring PajamaTime with Marybeth

• ages 3 to 6 • CHILDREN'S ROOM

Thursdays • 6pm

March 23 | April 20 | May 25

Wear your jammies and bring a stuffed pal, includes story, craft + snack

Limit 12 | Registration required

To register for programs
stop in or call Marybeth
at 845 359-2811

Dr. Seuss Birthday Party!

with Marybeth, Fran + Nicole

• ages 2½ to 5 • CHILDREN'S ROOM

Thursday • 2pm
March 2

Celebrate with stories, a craft + cupcakes
Limit 12 | Registration required

Art Class with Fran

• grades K to 3 • CHILDREN'S ROOM

Thursdays • 4:30pm

March 9 | April 20 | May 18

Learn while you create
your masterpiece

Limit 15 | Registration required



Blauvelt Free Library
541 Western Highway
Blauvelt, NY 10913



DAYLIGHT SAVING BEGINS
Sunday, March 12

FIRST DAY of SPRING
Monday, March 20

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Blauvelt, NY 10913
845 359-2811
845 398-0017 FAX
email: blv@rcfs.org

HOURS

Monday to Thursday • 9 to 9
Friday • 9 to 5
Saturday • 11 to 5
Sunday • 1 to 5
closed Sundays in summer

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The LIBRARY will be CLOSED (closed Sundays beginning June 18th)

Friday April 14 • Good Friday

Sunday April 16 • Easter

Sunday | Monday May 28 + 29 • Memorial Day Weekend

***PLEASE NOTE**
On-premise programs
may be affected by
building renovation.
Call 845 359-2811

MARCH | APRIL | MAY 2017

News from the
Blauvelt Free Library

COMMUNITY

Blauvelt Spring Yard Sale

The Western Highway 5 Roundup

Saturday + Sunday • May 6 + 7
9 am to 4 pm • at homes all around Blauvelt

Want to clear out the house after a winter's hoarding? Join in on the *Western Highway Roundup*, Blauvelt's 5th annual home-site, hamlet-wide yard sale. The library's free *Roundup Treasure Map* — a jumbo tri-fold that lists items and shows where to find them — is printed and distributed as well as posted online, so buyers can identify sellers of prime interest, and sellers can make quick sales. We handle all advertising and signage, and post the latest updates at:

www.facebook.com/Blauvelt-Free-Library

Recruit the whole family, set up a table + make some *happy deals*!

Blauvelt addresses only • Registration ends Friday, April 28 • Call 845 359-2811 or email: bkoch@rcfs.org • Be sure to pick up a Seller's Guide • Maps available at the Blauvelt Library on Wednesday, May 3 — or online at www.blauveltfreelibrary.org

Workshop: Running a Successful Yard Sale

Sunday, April 23 • 2 pm or Tuesday April 25 • 7 pm with Barry Koch

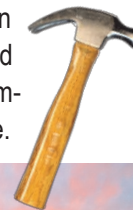
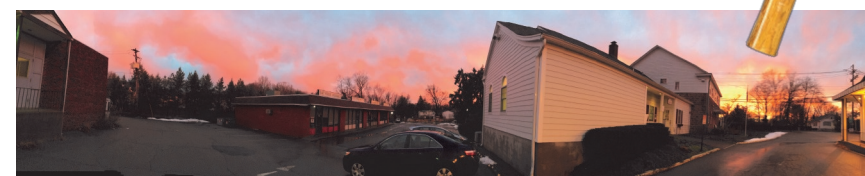


Will 2017 be your first go around with the Blauvelt Yard Sale? Do you have questions on how to do it? Or, are you a *Western Highway Roundup* veteran with experience to share? Event coordinator, Barry Koch will host a pair of workshops for newbie and returnee yard sellers to connect and discuss hosting a successful sale. **Register at 845 359-2811 • Location in library TBA**

LIBRARY RENOVATION

Renovation's Temporary Entrance

Please note that the Library is now using the **Red Door** at the Western Highway end of the parking lot as its front entrance for the duration of the renovation. We expect construction to continue through the summer. Soon we will be sequestered in the West Wing of the building with limited access to the rest of the library. We will make every effort to accommodate your needs and hope to remain open as much as possible.



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FRIENDS EVENTS



Great Live Theatre

at the Elmwood Playhouse in Nyack

Wednesday, May 17 • 8 pm

The *Friends of the Blauvelt Free Library*, along with St. Catharine's Parish, take over the 100-seat Elmwood Playhouse in Nyack for a private performance of the rousing musical, *La Cage aux Folles*. Adding to the fun will be a wine and cheese intermission. Call Joe or the Library for tickets — they are going fast!

• \$45 cash or check to Friends of Blauvelt Free Library • Open seating • No transport • Parking maps of Nyack will be available • Call Joe Onativia at 656 648-0823



Bus + Boat Tour of New York City

Saturday, September 2 • 8 am

Take a coach to the NYC piers with the *Friends* and St. Catharine's for a boat trip 'round NYC, then ride a double decker, open-top *Gray Line* bus to see the sights in Manhattan and Brooklyn Heights while the locals are away for Labor Day weekend. The combined tour takes about five hours.

• \$95 cash or check to Friends of Blauvelt Free Library • Open seating • Coach leaves St. Catharine's lot 8 am • Box lunch will be provided • Call Joe at 656 648-0823

Library Board of Trustees

Trustees meet on the 4th Tuesday of every month (except July/August) at 7pm in the library's Community Room. Meetings are open to the public.

John Lounibos, *President*
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programs

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CLASSIC FILMS

Tuesdays • 12 noon

MOVIE TUESDAYS

films introduced by Paul Kaufman

NOTE: Construction affects film scheduling. Movies will only be shown if the Community Room is available. Call 845 359-2911

- March 14**
Showboat (1951) 115 min
Kathryn Grayson, Ava Gardner, Howard Keel
- April 18**
The Fabulous Baker Boys (1989) 116 min
Michelle Pfeiffer, Jeff Bridges, Beau Bridges
- May 16**
Saturday Night Fever (1977) 118 min
John Travolta | Karen Lynn Gorney
5 Oscar nominations

INSTRUCTION

Mondays • 4 - 6 pm

MASTER DRAWING CLASSES
with Chris Raccioppi
2-hour sessions | 4 or 8 weeks of class

Instruction with a classically trained sculptor and draftsman. Four weeks of *Drawing Fundamentals* followed by a four-week *Master Class in Anatomy Drawing*. Register for either or both.

Fundamentals of Drawing
March 13 | 20 | 27 | April 3

Master Class in Anatomy Drawing
April 10 | 17 | 24 | May 1

Call 845 359-2811 to register for either or both classes • Teens welcome

DISCUSSION

Wednesdays • 7 pm

BOOK + AUTHOR CHAT
with Evelyn Murphy
meets in various locations

Discussion of works of varied genres. Books are available at the front desk at the beginning of each month.

Call Evelyn at 845 480-4165 to register

- March 15**
Star of the Sea | Joseph O'Connor
- April 19**
Rosemary: The Hidden Kennedy Daughter | Kate Clifford Larson
- May 17**
Our Souls at Night | Kent Haruf

CONFECTIONERY HUSBANDRY TEEN WELLNESS

Welcome Spring + St. Patrick's Day with

Chocolate Making

Thursday • March 16 • 6:30 pm
Matisse Chocolatier • Orangeburg

Chat and relax with the *Friends of the Library* as you make a chocolate creation to take home. Open to adults and teens age 16 + over.

\$20 cash or check to The Friends of Blauvelt Free Library • Meet at Matisse Chocolatier at 32 Orangetown Center, Orangeburg • Call Friends President, Alice Ryan for info at 845 398-3590

Spring Gardening Tips
Introducing the Blauvelt Seed Bank with Aurelio Orlandini

Tuesday • April 4 • 7pm

As the growing season arrives, you may have questions about starting a your garden. *Master Gardener*, Aurelio Orlandini returns for his 4th Q+A session to give you the confidence to get it right. Topics may include: *When to plant seeds and seedlings | Vegetables, annuals, perennials | Composters, composting and how and what to compost | Watering - when and how much to water, drip irrigation systems, and mulching to save moisture.*

Recognizing Signs of Mental Health Issues in Adolescence
A must-attend expert panel for parents + teens

Wednesday • March 29 • 6pm
Tappan Library • Tappan

Learn what is typical and reasonable behavior as well as the warning signs of emotional difficulties in adolescence. Identify unique risk factors and signs of substance abuse, eating disorders, depression, suicide and other mental health issues, so you can recognize when your teen or friend is in trouble. Discover the professional, peer and self-help resources in your community.

LOCAL WILDLIFE

Western Highway Turtle Watch 2017

Folks who would like to learn about Blauvelt's egg-laying snapping turtle migration are invited to events beginning in mid-April presented by the *Hudson Valley Humane Society* and *Turtles of Western Highway*.

To learn more or volunteer call Barry at 845 359-2811 or email bkoch@rcls.org

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FREE NOTARY SERVICE 845 359 - 2811 • Ask for Barry, Kyle or Tonie

Notaries administer oaths, authenticate contracts, acknowledge deeds, affirm affidavits, take depositions, and issue subpoenas. *Appointments recommended*

The Mighty 5 Libraries of South Orangetown
Blauvelt • Orangeburg • Palisades • Piermont • Tappan

Kid stuff

at the Blauvelt Free Library

BLAUVELT Free Library
Your Name HERE

Sign the kids up for library cards now!



HEAD of CHILDREN'S + YOUNG ADULT SERVICES
Marybeth Darnobid

STORYTIME ASSISTANTS
Fran Roesemann
Nicole Bermudez

TO REGISTER for PROGRAMS
Call Marybeth at 845 359-2811 or email → mdarnobid@rcls.org

Twist + Shout • 10 months to 3 years

Wednesdays • either 10:15am OR 11:15am • COMMUNITY ROOM
March 1 to May 31 (alternate location during renovation: CHILDREN'S ROOM)

Join Marybeth for stories, puppet play, songs and movement

StoryCraft • ages 2½ to 5 • CHILDREN'S ROOM

Wednesdays + Thursdays • 2 - 3 pm • March 1 to June 1

Join Fran or Nicole for stories, puppets, songs, and a craft

Music + Movement with Fran • ages 1 to 5

10:30 am • COMMUNITY ROOM • Limit 25 | Must register

Monday • March 6 | Friday • March 24
Mondays • April 3 + 24 | Friday • May 26

Interactive music class with puppets, instruments and a parachute!

MUSIC SPECIAL

Sing + Dance with
Mr. Kurt • ages 1 to 7

4:30 pm • CHILDREN'S or COMMUNITY ROOM
Monday • March 13 | Thursday • April 27
Funny songs, wacky props + bubbles!
Please stop in or call the library to register

LEGOS CLUB

Legomania • ages 6 + up

3:30 - 5:30pm • CHILDREN'S ROOM
Mon • Mar 27 | Weds • Apr 12 | Thur • May 11

Bring your Legos or use ours and get a-buildin'!
Please drop off any Lego donations to Marybeth

BREAK THE BOX!

Dungeons & Dragons
with Larry • grades 6 to 12

4 - 6 pm • CHILDREN'S or COMMUNITY ROOM
Thursdays • March 2 to May 25

Choose a character, join a group and play with a Dungeon Master • *Beginners welcome*

Teenz
You make a difference when you open your mouth and

TAWK
*Teens@Work Klub
• Grades 6 - 12

Earn community service hours when you help us plan programs and order books and media. Snacks, too!

Tuesdays • 4 pm • CHILDREN'S ROOM
April 11 • May 23

Ask for Marybeth at children's desk or call 845 359-2811

Moovies + Poopcorn
CHILDREN'S ROOM or COMMUNITY ROOM

- ages 3+ up**
Friday
March 31 • 11 am
Thomas + Friends: Extraordinary Engines
NR | 30 m
- ages 5+ up**
Thursday
April 13 • 3 pm
Elena and the Secret of Avalor
TV-Y | 109 m
- ages 6+ up**
Friday
May 12 • 3:30 pm
Trolls
PG | 92 m

Read to Buster and Paco

• grades K to 5

4:15 - 5:15 pm • CHILDREN'S ROOM
Mondays • Mar 20 | Apr 17 | May 15

Therapy dogs love to hear kids read
Register for one of eight 15-minute slots

Knitting with Arlene
• ages 9 + up

4:30 - 6 pm • CHILDREN'S ROOM
Tuesdays • March 7 + 28
April 4 + 18
May 2 + 16

Create a project of your choice
Limit 6 | Must register

MUSIC SPECIAL

Music Time with
Danna Banana • ages 1 to 7

4:30pm • CHILDREN'S or COMMUNITY ROOM
Mondays • May 8 + 22

Sing and dance along with Danna
Please stop in or call the library to register

All programs are in the Community Room unless noted



Friends of the BLAUVELT Free Library

Become a Friend!

Friends provide programs, raise funds, manage book sales, and support the library in countless ways.

Call or email *Friends* President, Alice Ryan:
(845) 398-3590



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