The LIBRARY will be CLOSED

Thursday | Friday December 24, 25 • Christmas Eve/Day
Thursday | Friday December 31, January 1 • New Year’s Eve/Day
Monday February 15 • President’s Day

Vistas and Landscapes
The Music of Copland and Dvořák

New Jersey Symphony Orchestra at BergenPAC
Thursday • February 25 • Bus departs at 6:45 pm

Escape winter’s chill with favorite music by Dvořák, Copland and David Popper. Guest conductor Miguel Harth-Bedoya has assembled a program connected to homeland, countryside and the promise of spring. Dvořák’s Symphony No. 9 blooms with melody, while Silent Wood evokes a walk in a misty forest. Copland’s beloved Appalachian Spring describes mountaintop panoramas, and Hungarian Rhapsody by Popper is a virtuoso showpiece bursting with energy that features NJSO Associate Principal Cellist, Stephen Fang.

$70 includes best mezzanine seating + bus (seats $75 retail) • No elevator • Limit 45 • Payment due at registration • Short (20 min.) ride by school bus • Bus loads at 6:30 pm • Departs at 6:45 pm • Sharp • Curtain 7:30 pm

Call Alice Ryan at 845 398-3590 or email (ryanahr@nol.com) for information

CELEBRATE AT THE LIBRARY

The Blauvelt Free Library Players present
An Old Time Radio Holiday Celebration
“Bathtub Time Machine”

Saturday • December 19 • 2:30 - 3:15 pm

Once again, the erstwhile crew at the library will attempt to entertain our beloved patrons with the 3rd annual staging of a holiday program in the style of a vintage radio broadcast. Staff and Friend (Alex, Laura, Alice, Janet and Barry) will present a time travel extravaganza imagining Judge Blauvelt in modern times with plenty of favorite holiday melodies. Save room for the legendary BFL table of seasonal sweets, and don’t forget to tune up the olde vocal cords for our holiday singalong!

www.blauveltfreelibrary.org | FACEBOOK: Blauvelt-Free-Library

Library Board of Trustees
Trustees meet on the 4th Tuesday of every month (except July/August) at 7 pm in the library’s Community Room. Meetings are open to the public.
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Tuesdays - 12 noon
MOVIE TUESDAYS
introduced by Paul Kaufman
with homemade goodies baked by Linda Kaufman
• December 15
Father of the Bride (1950) 92 min
Spencer Tracy, Joan Bennett, Elizabeth Taylor
• January 12
Pearl Window (1954) 112 min
Jimmy Stewart, Grace Kelly, Wendell Corey
• February 9
Oklahoma (1955) 145 min | 2 Oscars
Gordon MacRae, Gloria Grahame, Shirley Jones
• March 15
The Third Man (1949) 93 min | 1 Oscar
Orson Welles, Joseph Cotten

Wednesdays - 7:30 - 8:30 pm
BOOK + AUTHOR CHAT
with Evelyn Murphy • WEST WING
Varied genre. May include a Skype or conference call with author. Get books at front desk at beginning of the month. Call Evelyn at 845 480-4165 to register
• December 16
A Christmas Blizzard | Garrison Keillor
• January 20
guest host Judy Pocalyko
Housekeeping | Marilyn Robinson
• February 17
guest host Judy Pocalyko
The Secret Keeper | Kate Morton
• March 16
What Alice Forgot | Liane Moriarty

Tuesdays - 4 - 6 pm
MASTER DRAWING CLASSES
with Chris Raccipanni
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
• January 5 | 12 | 19 | 26
Master Class in Anatomy Drawing
• February 2 | 16 | 23 | March 1
Call 359-2811 to register for either or both classes - Teens welcome

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The Wines of Australia and New Zealand
Sunday • January 31 • 2 pm
with Janet Wheeler (CSW)
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• Register at (845) 359-2811
• Age 21 + up • Limit 26

DEVELOP DRIVING
Register for a day or evening safe driving class. Upon completion, you will qualify for auto insurance discounts of up to 10%. All NYS drivers welcome, including those with a learner’s permit.
Evening Class with Ian Prastien
• Wed + Thurs • Feb 17 + 18 • 6:45 - 8:45 pm
Snow Date: Fri, February 19
$23 check payable to Ian Prastien
Daytime Class with Arthur Aldrich
• Fri + Mon • March 4 + 7 • 10 am - 1 pm
Snow Date: Friday, March 11
$30 check payable to A. Aldrich

Tender Lovin’ COMPUTER TUTOR with Alex Carver
meet at various locations in library
One-on-one computer training for both Mac and PC platforms. Computer guru Alex Carver provides gentle instruction for beginners or seasoned pros. Notebook, laptop, Kindle, iPhone, iPad — all devices. Appointments preferred.
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Twist + Shout • 10 months to 3 years
Wednesdays • either 10:15 am OR 11:15 am • COMMUNITY ROOM
December 2 - 16 | January 6 - February 24 • no program Dec 23 + 30
Join Marybeth for stories, puppet play, songs, and movement

Preschool StoryCraft • ages 2½ to 5
Every Wednesday + Thursday • 2 - 3 pm • CHILDREN’S ROOM
December 2 - 16 | January 6 - February 24 • no program Dec 23, 24 + 30
Join Janet or Dolores for stories, puppets, songs, and a craft

Movement + Music with Fran • ages 1 to 5
Tuesdays • December 1 + 8 • 10:30 - 11:15 am • COMMUNITY ROOM
Interactive music class with puppets, instruments and a parachute!
Registration required | Limited to 15

Moovies + Popcorn • COMMUNITY ROOM
• ages 3 + up
Tuesday
Dec 29 • 3 - 4 pm
Thomas + Friends: Tales on the Rails | NR | 58 m

• ages 3 + up
Tuesday
Feb 16 • 2 - 3 pm
Peppa Pig: Cold Winter Day and Other Stories | NR | 50 m

• ages 5+ up
Friday
Dec 11 • 3:40 pm
Arthur Christmas | PG | 97 m

• ages 5+ up
Monday
Jan 18 • 3 - 4:35 pm
Minions | PG | 91 m

HEAD of CHILDREN’S + YOUNG ADULT SERVICES
Marybeth Damobid
STORYTIME ASSISTANTS
Dolores Doyle
Janet Kroboth-Weber
TO REGISTER for PROGRAMS
Call Marybeth at 645-359-2811
or email mdamobid@lyncts.org

Winter Holiday Singalong
Monday • December 14 • 4:30 pm • COMMUNITY ROOM
Local favorites Tom Dunn + Jan Lynch celebrate the holiday season with a fun family singalong for all ages

MUSIC SPECIAL
Sing and Dance with Mr. Kurt • ages 2 to 7
Mon • Dec 7 | Feb 22 • 4:30 pm • COMMUNITY ROOM
Funny songs, wacky props, dancing + bubbles!
Please stop in or call the library to register

LEGS CLUB
Legomania • ages 6 + up
4:15 - 5 pm • CHILDREN’S ROOM
Mon • Dec 28 | Thu • Jan 14 | Fri • Feb 19
Bring your Legos or use ours and get a-buildin’!
Please drop off your Legos at the library, No. 939

CHESS CLUB
CheckMates • ages 7 + up
4:30 - 5:30 pm • CHILDREN’S ROOM
Wed • Dec 30 | Wed • Jan 13 | Thu • Feb 18
Chessboards and pieces are provided by the library. Bring your brainpower!

BOOK CLUB
Chat + Game • ages 7 - 9
Wednesdays • 4:30 pm • CHILDREN’S ROOM
January 27 • Perfect Time for Pandas (#48)
February 24 • Season of the Sandstorms (#34)
Registration is required
Winter Crafts for Kids
To register for programs stop in or call Marybeth at 845 359-2811

**In the Kitchen with Debbie**
- ages 7 to 13
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Thursday • December 10 • 5:30 pm
Limit 12 | Registration required

**Gingerbread House**
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Thursday • December 10 • 6:30 pm
Limit 12 | Registration required

**Candy Making**
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Tuesday • February 9 • 6:30 pm
Limit 15 | Registration required

**Holiday Crafts**
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Limit 12 | Registration required

**Ceramic Snowflake with Kim**
- ages 6 to 9
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Tuesday • December 8 • 4:30 pm

**Bead Ornament with Marybeth**
- ages 7 to 11
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Wednesday • December 16 • 4:15 pm

**Polar Express Pajama Time with Marybeth**
- ages 3 to 6
- **CHILDREN'S ROOM**

Thursday • December 10 • 6 pm
Sip hot chocolate in your jammies, while you enjoy stories and listen to *The Polar Express*. A fun craft, too! Limit 12 | Registration required

**Winter Pajama Time with Marybeth**
- ages 3 to 6
- **CHILDREN'S ROOM**

Thursday • February 11 • 6 pm
Wear your jammies and bring a stuffed pal, while you enjoy stories and make a cool craft. Limit 12 | Registration required

**Animal Tracks with Master Gardeners**
- grades K to 4
- **CHILDREN'S ROOM**

Wednesday • February 17 • 4:30 pm
Learn about winter habitats and the survival methods of neighborhood woodland animals through stories, displays and a game. Limit 20 | Registration required

**Animal Track Detectives with Janet**
- grades K to 4
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Thursday • February 25 • 4:30 pm
Learn how to 'read' a track and hunt for animal prints throughout the library on a scavenger hunt. No limit | Registration required

**Valentines for Veterans with Marybeth**
- all ages
- **CHILDREN'S ROOM**

Wednesday + Thursday
- **January 27 + 28 • 3 - 5 pm DROP IN**
Honor a military veteran’s service by sending them a loving tribute

**Chicken Dance Accordion Craze with Janet**
- ages 6 to 9
- **COMMUNITY ROOM**

Thursday • January 21 • 4:30 pm
Make a chicken hat and learn the chicken dance! Live accordion music.

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**IN THE WORKS...**
- Chocolate Making Class • Tai Chi • Yoga
- Valentine's Concert with Ministers of Apollo
- Yogi Berra Museum and Minor League Game
Watch for more information and email updates

Snow global warming
Winter begins
Monday, Dec. 21

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