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# NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2019 CHILDREN'S EVENTS

#### TOY CHEST MONDAYS

Mondays from 10:30am to 11:30am

Our toy chest is open so you can spend the morning playing with your child! For children 6 months to 4 years old.

#### CIRCLE TIME Fridays from 10:30am to 11:30am

Join us for 15 minutes of songs, finger plays and a story, plus some playtime for you to share with your child. For children ages 6 months to 4 years old. \* There will be no Circle Time on November 29th and December 27th \*

#### 1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

This free program encourages you to read 1,000 books to your child before they enter kindergarten - a goal experts say children need to help them learn to read for themselves. Read three picture books a night and you will finish the program within a year! See a Children's Librarian for more information.

#### 100 BOOKS BEFORE 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

Finished with 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten or looking to take on a new challenge? Join our new reading program for independent readers! For children in Kindergarten to 6<sup>th</sup> grade. See a Children's librarian for more information.

#### REGISTRATION BEGINS OCTOBER 28TH

# JUST BRING THE BABY BOOK CLUB

#### Monday, November 4 at 6:30pm

Add some more adult time to your week! Join librarians, Stephanie & Nicolette, to discuss *The Bride Test* by Helen Hoang and other current reads. Toys will be available for your little ones to play with while we chat. Please check out the book and register before our meeting. If unable to attend this date, join our Facebook Group "Just Bring the Baby Book Club".

# RETHINK PINK STORYCRAFT

#### Thursday, November 7 at 4pm

Blobfish and armadillos and earthworms, oh my! Celebrate the weird side of pink. Geared towards children in Kindergarten to 4<sup>th</sup> grade, but all are welcome to attend.

# UNICORN STORYTIME

#### Saturday, November 9 at 3pm

Join Ms. Emily for a magical unicorn storytime and make a sweet treat. Geared towards children 4 years old to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, but all are welcome to attend.

# **DROP-IN CRAFT: FOAM MOSAIC**

#### Monday, November 11 from 11am to 2pm

Create a mosaic or other piece of art using foam pieces. While supplies last. For children up to  $6^{th}$  grade.

# TOTS NIGHT OUT

#### Thursday, November 14 at 7pm

Enjoy fun and educational activities with your young child! Please register in advance, space is limited. For children 18 months to 5 years old.

#### IN MOTION

#### Saturday, November 16 at 11am

Join us for *In Motion* to learn how to use music to create, connect and communicate with individuals on the autism spectrum. This interactive program will empower children of all abilities by teaching educational concepts, practice social skills, strengthen gross motor skills and coordination with expressive movement therapy. Parents, caregivers and aides are highly encouraged to participate. For children of all abilities in Kindergarten to 6th grade.

# STAFF PICKS

Here are some recently published books we love!

#### **MS. ANDREA**

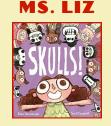


Graphic novel that tells a funny, warm tale about friendship.

# MS. EMILY



Middle grade novel that follows 12 year old Rain's family through loss and their move to a new city.



This book will remind you to love and be thankful for your skull.



A sweet and funny story about a baby mix-up! What's a royal couple to do when their fairy godmother gives them a goat instead of a baby?

# SNOWMAN BRUNCH

#### Saturday, November 23 at 11am-1pm

Join us for brunch! Build a delicious snowman using mini bagels and other yummy treats. May contain allergens. Please register in advance, space is limited. For children up to 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

# LEGOS @ THE LIBRARY

#### Saturday, December 7 at 10am

Come to the Children's Library for a morning of Lego building. Your creations will be put on display. Please register in advance. For children up to  $6^{th}$  grade.

# **CUENTOS Y CANCIONES: BILINGUAL STORYTIME**

#### Tuesday, December 10 at 6:15pm

Come listen to stories read in Spanish and English followed by a craft at the library! Geared towards children 4 years old to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, but all are welcome to attend.

¡Vengan oír cuentos leídos en español e inglés, seguido por una actividad divertida! ¡Los libros son seleccionados para niños de 4 años hasta 2º grado, pero todos son bienvenidos!

# SENSORY PLAYTIME

#### Wednesday, December 11 at 10am

Spend the morning playing and exploring with your little one. Please register in advance. Space is limited. For babies 6 months to 3 years old.

# FAMILY GINGERBREAD HOUSE

#### Thursday, December 12 at 6:30pm

Build your own gingerbread house using cookie cutouts, royal icing and lots of candy. One gingerbread house per family. Please register in advance, space is limited. For families with children up to 6th grade.

# TOTS DANCE PARTY

#### Monday, December 16 at 7pm

Get ready to sing, dance and play with your child! Play Hooray will be here to encourage cooperation, good manners and fun! Please register in advance, space is limited. For children 18 months to 5 years old.

# Miss Humblebee's Academy

An award-winning, online curriculum that prepares children ages 2 to 6 for kindergarten proficiency.

#### **TumbleMath**

**Comprehensive collection** of math picture books you will find anywhere. Includes lesson plans and quizzes.

Digital Magazines at your Fingertips! RB Digital lets you borrow magazines using your library card.

# TECH TALK

#### TUTOR.COM

One-to-one, personalized tutoring, homework help and test preparation all with your library card!

# Print Museum Passes

at Home Some museums will now allow you to print museum passes, without coming into the Library.

Libby is a new streamlined way to borrow digital books and audio books from the Library TumbleBooks Animated, talking picture books which teach kids the joy of reading in a format they'll love.

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### **Borrow a Kindle!**

The Children's Library has brand new Kindles for you to take home. They are pre-loaded with books for children of all ages.

# Connect with Us!

You can receive reminders via E-mail and text for Library Items. We can also E-mail you our bi-monthly newsletter.

For more information about all of these services, please visit us at www.westburylibrary.org

Don't Forget to Follow us on:

# DROP-IN CRAFT

Tuesday, December 17 from 5-7pm

Stop by the library to make a craft! While supplies last. For children up to 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

# MOTHER GOOSE PLAYTIME

#### Wednesday, December 18 at 10am

Celebrate traditional rhymes and songs using the parachute! Please register in advance, space is limited. For children 18 months to 4 years old

# CLAY WITH ME

#### Thursday, December 19 at 5:30-7:30pm

Work independently on your masterpiece, using air-dry clay. Please register in advance, space is limited. For children in Kindergarten to 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

# STEAMPUNKS

#### Thursday, December 26 at 11am

Come learn with Ms. Stephanie about the magic of cabbage! For children in Kindergarten to 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

#### **NOON YEARS PARTY**

#### Friday, December 27 at 11:30am

5, 4, 3, 2, 1...Happy New Year! Come dressed in your best to celebrate an early New Year's Eve at the library! For families with children up to 6th grade. Please register in advance.

# **PLEASE NOTE**

We ask that you arrive on time to participate in all programs. Your child's spot in a pre-registered program may be forfeited 10 minutes past the start time to make room for children on the waiting list. We kindly ask that you call in advance if you are unable to attend a program.

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Children's Library Hours: Mon: 10am - 8pm \* Tues - Thurs: 9am - 8pm \* Fri: 9am - 5pm \* Sat: 9am - 5pm \* Sun: 1pm-5pm \* The Library will be Closed November 28th, December 24th, 25th, 31st & January 1st \*

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