

Westbury Memorial Public Library

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Mission Statement: To provide excellent, proactive service to fulfill the informational, educational and recreational needs of the community. The library will:

- Celebrate the joy of learning, reading, the arts, local culture and history.
- Create a comfortable, welcoming atmosphere that supports intellectual freedom
- Sustain a future-focus in response to technological change.

Our Budget passed - Thank you for your support!

New Library Trustees elected

Carmen Lloyd 1,393, Shirley Darkeh 1,387 and Marie Antoinette Rousseau: 1,114

Zoom

Zoom is a cloud-based video conferencing platform that can be used for video conferencing meetings, audio conferencing, webinars, meeting recordings, and live chat.

All our programs will be held virtually on Zoom, but there's no need to create an account to attend - simply download the Zoom app or call in by phone and enter the Meeting ID code and password! See our Google calendar for all specifics.

Contact-less Curbside Pickup

We are happy to offer contact-less pickup on weekdays, Monday through Friday, from 9:30 am - 8:30 pm. To reserve items, please call the Library at 516-333-0176 and tell us what you are looking for, or visit the Library website www.westburylibrary.org. If you are unsure of what you would like to read or view, our librarians will be happy to help you make a selection. Once your items are ready to be picked up, we will call you and check them out to you. Patrons should call the Library upon their arrival to pick-up material so that a staff member can bring the requested library materials to the table that will be set up outside each library. The items will be placed on the tables for contact-less pick-up. A monitor will be present to ensure that this process goes smoothly.

Finding Peace through Meditation – Virtual

Tuesdays, July 21, 28, August 4, 11, 18, 25, 10:00 am - 11:00 am (6 sessions), **via Zoom**
When you meditate, you calm and focus your mind through your breathing. Learn how to beat that overwhelming feeling through meditation and start to experience a deep and authentic inner peace. Enjoy this six-week series with Stephany Taylor from Kadampa Meditation Center of Long Island.

Meeting ID: 941 4567 9258 Password: 847428

Tai Chi – Virtual

Fridays, August 7, 14, 21, September 4, 11, 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 and November 6, 13, 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am (15 sessions), **via Zoom**

Tai Chi has been called the perfect exercise. Learn this ancient Chinese healing art of meditative simple movements. It helps reduce stress and anxiety and increases flexibility and balance. Marvin Berg from NUMC will conduct this series.

Meeting ID: 942 9101 6342 Password: 544733

“Imagine Your Story” Summer Reading Program Theme – Virtual

Thursday, July 16, 3:00 pm, **via Zoom**

For this July session, you can make up a story; or Google one and tell us about it, or tell a personal story; or even share a happy/uplifting experience to cheer us up during these trying times.

Meeting ID: 945 8058 1890 Password: 7eZWa0

Thursday, August 6, 3:00 pm, **via Zoom**

Arthur Dobrin, local author, coauthor, and editor of more than twenty books, will discuss *Love the One You're With*, a short story from his book entitled *The Harder Right: Stories of Conscience and Choice*.

Meeting ID: 945 4965 9253 Password: 021761

The Westbury Friends of the Library Group is Launching

You, the community are invited to join us. Please contact Kathleen Gaskin at (516) 333-0176, Ext. 1151 or send an email to: kathleengaskin@westburylibrary.org to find out what the Friends are, what they can do for the Library, and how your talents and enthusiasm can fit in.

Note to Carle Place Westbury Library card holders

There is a need for volunteers to serve on the CP Library Funding Board.

This Board has been instituted for over 15 years. Two members of the 5 elected members have served for 15 years. One is up for election in December and is not going to run. The second Board member will also not run when his term ends. The present contract requires a 5 member board or the contract with the Westbury Library is voided and library privileges would end. Several people are needed. Please send your contact information to CPPLFD, P O Box #155, Carle Place, NY 11514.

Board of Trustees

Judy Gerrard, President
Denise Parillo, Vice-President
Marie-Antionette Rousseau
Shirley Darkeh
Carmen Lloyd

Board Meetings

Thursday, July 16.....7:00
Thursday, August 20.....7:00

Cottage Hours

Closed for the Summer

Children's Library Hours

Monday.....10:00 - 8:00
Tu, W, Th..... 9:00 - 8:00
Friday.....9:00 - 5:00
Closed Saturdays and Sundays

Library Closed

July 3.....Independence Day

Adult Library Hours

Monday.....10:00 - 9:00
Tu, W, Th, Fri.....9:00 - 9:00
Closed Saturdays and Sundays

Library Closed

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