

## **NOVEMBER PROGRAMS ~ Long Beach Island Library**

**ED – November**

**Exhibit – Oil & Watercolor Paintings, Charcoal Sketches – Nadine Yura, Pine Shores Art Association**

**DIV/A –11/1, 10 am, Wednesday**

**Construction Paper Tree Craft for Adults with Special Challenges**

Take home a kit and create a 2D tree with 3D leaves to celebrate autumn. For adults with special challenges. Supplies provided by the Serving Adults with Special Challenges Work Group. While supplies last.

**CH – 11/2, 11/16, 11/30, 10 am, Thursdays**

**Songs with Miss Summer**

Little ones and their grown-ups will sit together as we will all sing some of our favorite songs. While we sing, we will be moving and wiggling to the music. Sing-along time can help with bonding, language recognition, and emotional development in babies and toddlers. **REG**

**DIV/CH – 11/2, 12 pm, Thursday**

**Craft It Out: Dia De Los Muertos**

Celebrate the Day of the Dead by making marigold tissue flowers.

**A – 11/2, 1 pm, Thursday**

**LBI Poets Studio**

To attend virtually contact Sue Cummings via email [scummings817@comcast.net](mailto:scummings817@comcast.net). Meets the 1st Thursday of every month from 1 pm – 3 pm. You can also choose to come to the Library meeting room to attend in person.

**A –11/3, 1 pm, Friday**

**Thanksgiving Puzzle Packs**

Pick up a pack of Thanksgiving themed puzzles to keep your mind sharp. While supplies last.

**TW/T – 11/6, 12 pm, Monday**

**Teen Poetry Cafe**

Get into the cozy fall spirit by joining us at the Library for a poetry cafe. We will share some of our favorite poems and collaborate on creating our own. Ages 12 – 18. **REG**

**A/PA – 11/6, 11/20, 11/27, 1:30 pm, Mondays**

**Monday Movie Matinee**

See it on our big screen. Bring your own refreshments. **REG**

11/6: *Are You There GOD? It's Me, Margaret* (PG) 106 min.

11/20: *Book Club* (PG-13) 104 min.

11/27: *Book Club, the next chapter* (PG-13) 107 min.

**DIV/A –11/8, 2 pm, Wednesday**

**Italian Cultural Society of LBI**

Sponsored by the Italian Cultural Society of LBI. **REG**

**TW/T – 11/8, 5 pm, Wednesday**

**Acorn Ink**

Learn how Native Americans removed the bitter tannins from harvested foods like acorns, to make them edible. Also, discussed are pigments made from tannins, using walnuts, acorns, oak galls, etc. The teens will get to make a small batch of ink and leave with a vial of tannin ink. **REG**

**A – 11/9, 2 pm, Thursday**

**Adult Coloring & Conversation**

Spend a relaxing afternoon coloring and listening to soothing music with like-minded adults. Materials are provided for use but feel free to bring your own coloring supplies. This program meets once a month on the 2nd Thursday from 2 pm – 3 pm.

**A – 11/10, 11/17, 2 pm, Fridays**

**LBI Canasta**

Play Canasta with other Teams and players. All are welcome to play for fun from 2 – 5 pm.

**CH/TW/T – 11/10, 3:30 pm, Friday**

**Button Making**

Design your own pin-back buttons. This event will be held in the Library's Teen Zone. **REG**

**DIV/CH/TW – 11/11, 2 pm, Saturday**

**Lenape Coil Pots**

WILD Jersey will help us learn about NJ's native people, the Lenape tribe, and how they lived. Then we'll make a traditional coil pot out of clay. Grades 3 – 6. **REG**

**A – 11/13, 10 am, Monday**

**Chair Ballet**

Experience the joy of chair-based dancing in a class that combines both ballet and exercise specifically for adults. A waiver must be signed before participating. **REG**

**DIV/CH – 11/13, 12 pm, Monday**

**Craft It Out: Diwali**

Learn about Diwali, the Hindu Festival of Lights. This craft will include educational information and is available while supplies last.

**A/PA – 11/13, 1 pm, Monday**

**Adult Movie Kit: *Paint***

(PG-13) 96 min. \*MOVIE KIT ONLY\* Copies of the movie available for check out while supplies last.

**CH – 11/14, 9:30 am, Tuesday**

**Toddler Time**

Come in to read stories and sing some songs together. Ages 1 – 3 with caregiver. **REG**

**DIV/T/A – 11/15, 10 am, Wednesday**

**Swedish Traditions and Today**

What do you know about Sweden? Get a glimpse into life in Sweden today and some of the traditions that are special to this Nordic nation. Join us as we explore Swedish culture, technology, environmentalism, and holiday celebrations, including a special look into the December Lucia festival. Create your own Swedish paper heart to use as a holiday decoration or to give as a gift. Generously sponsored by the Friends of the Island Library. **REG**

**A – 11/15, 11 am, Wednesday**

**Upcycled Book Turkey Craft for Adults with Special Challenges**

Take home a kit and create a 2D turkey craft using a book page, cardstock, coloring pages, markers, colored pencils, and construction paper. For adults with special challenges. Supplies provided by the Serving Adults with Special Challenges Committee. While supplies last.

**DIV/G – 11/15, 5:30 pm, Wednesday**

**Ballet Crafts**

Engage in ballet themed crafts and learn about the dancer Maria Tallchief, the first Native American to hold the rank of Prima Ballerina. **REG**

**G – 11/17, 12 pm, Friday**

**Playdate at the Library**

A variety of toys will be set out in our meeting room, where our young friends can freely play and socialize with each other. Perfect for if you are looking to make new friends or learn social skills before starting school. All ages. **REG**

**CH – 11/20, 10 am, Monday**

**Little Artists**

Participate in a craft geared towards those with little hands. Art can benefit fine and gross motor skills, cognitive development, and multisensory skills. Ages 1 – 4. **REG**

**CH – 11/21, 11/28, 10 am, Tuesdays**

**Toddler Time**

Come in to read stories and sing some songs together. Ages 1 – 3 with caregiver. **REG**

**G – 11/21, 2 pm, Tuesday**

**Friends of the Island Library Monthly Book Sale**

Get four books for \$1 and help the Friends of the Island Library continue to provide great programs and support.

**G/PA – 11/21, 6 pm, Tuesday**

**Family Movie Night: *Home***

(PG) 94 min. Bring your own refreshments to watch the movie in person at 6 pm. **REG**

**G – 11/25, 10 am, Saturday**

**LEGOS®/DUPLOS® with Movie: *Puss in Boots: The Last Wish***

(PG) 100 min. Children 8 and under must be accompanied by a guardian for the duration of the event. **REG**

**CH/TW/T – 11/29, 5:30 pm, Wednesday**

**DIY Fidget Toys**

Make your own fidget toys to use as a tool for mindfulness, self-regulation, and sensory stimulation. **REG**

**DECEMBER PROGRAMS ~ Long Beach Island Library**

**ED – December**

**Exhibit – Pastel Impressions: Pastels with watercolor underpainting – Scott Molnar**

**A/PA – 12/4, 12/18, 1:30 pm, Mondays**

**Monday Movie Matinee**

See it on our big screen. Bring your own refreshments. **REG**

12/4: *Missing* (PG-13) 111 min.

12/18: *Christmas in Connecticut* (G) 102 min.

**CH – 12/5, 12/12, 9:30 am, Tuesday**

**Toddler Time**

Come in to read stories and sing some songs together. Ages 1 – 3 with caregiver. **REG**

**A – 12/5, 11 am, Tuesday**

**Blood Pressure Clinic**

Free blood pressure screening by the Long Beach Island (LBI) Health Department. Walk ins welcome.

**A – 12/6, 10 am, Wednesday**

**Faux Gingerbread House Craft for Adults with Special Challenges**

Join us to create the front of a gingerbread house using cardboard, a cardboard stand, brown construction paper and various materials to decorate it. For adults with special challenges. Supplies provided by the Serving Adults with Special Challenges Committee. Available while supplies last.

**DIV/CH – 12/7, 10 am, Thursday**

**Craft It Out: Hanukkah**

Celebrate the first night of Hanukkah with a fun craft. Available while supplies last.

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**A – 12/8, 12/15, 2 pm, Fridays**

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**DIV/CH – 12/11, 12 pm, Monday**

**Winter Holiday Storytime**

Celebrate winter holidays such as Hannukah, Kwanzaa, Christmas, and New Years with stories and a craft.  
Ages 1 – 4. **REG**

**A/PA – 12/11, 1 pm, Monday**

**Adult Movie Kit: *The Santa Clause***

(PG) 97 min. \*MOVIE KIT ONLY\* Copies of the movie available for check out while supplies last.

**A – 12/13, 10 am, Wednesday**

**Birch Tree Painting for Adults with Special Challenges**

Join us to create a birch tree painting using cardstock, string, cotton balls, markers, and paint. For adults with special challenges. Supplies provided by the Serving Adults with Special Challenges Committee. Available while supplies last.

**CH/TW – 12/13, 3:30 pm, Wednesday**

**Flower Power: Youth Garden Club**

The Garden Club of LBI – make a flower arrangement to share with your family. Please register each family member individually. Grades 3 – 6. **REG**

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**A – 12/16, 2 pm, Saturday**

**Jazz with the Brian Betz Duo**

Enjoy the guitar stylings of Brian Betz and George Vanderbilt for an afternoon of jazz music. Sponsored by the Long Beach Island Library. **REG**.

**A – 12/18, 10 am, Monday**

**Chair Ballet: *The Nutcracker***

Perfect for the ballet beginner. Experience the joy of dancing in a class that combines both ballet and exercise specifically for adults to holiday music from *The Nutcracker* while seated in a chair. Learn the basic ballet positions and achieve correct posture, muscle usage, balance, and grace all while having fun. Please wear socks or sneakers (if you do not own ballet slippers) and wear comfortable clothing. No experience necessary. A waiver must be signed before participating. Space is limited. **REG**

**CH – 12/19, 12/26, 10 am, Tuesday**

**Toddler Time**

Come in to read stories and sing some songs together. Ages 1 – 3 with caregiver. **REG**

**G – 12/19, 2 pm, Tuesday**

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**G/PA – 12/19, 6 pm, Tuesday**

**Family Movie Night: *Smurfs: The Lost Village***

(PG) 90 min. Bring your own refreshments to watch the movie in person at 6 pm. **REG**

**CH/TW/T – 12/20, 5:30 pm, Wednesday**

**Holiday Perler Beads**

Make Perler bead decorations to align with the winter holiday you celebrate. **REG**

**CH – 12/22, 12 pm, Friday**

**Craft It Out: Merry Christmas**

Make a fun craft for the holiday. Available while supplies last.

**DIV/CH – 12/27, 10 am, Wednesday**

**Craft It Out: Kwanzaa**

Kwanzaa is celebrated from December 26 to January 1st. Learn about this holiday and make a fun craft. Available while supplies last.

**A – 12/27, 12 pm, Wednesday**  
**New Year's Pop-Up Card 2024**

Celebrate the New Year by creating your own 3D pop-up card to give to a friend or a loved one. Available while supplies last.

**CH/TW/T – 12/29, 12 pm, Friday**

**Amazing Artists - Alberto Giacometti**

Alberto Giacometti was a Swiss sculptor, painter, draftsman and printmaker. He was one of the most important sculptors of the 20th century. We will be making art projects inspired by his work. **REG**

**G – 12/30, 10 am, Saturday**

**LEGOS®/DUPLOS® with Movie: *The Super Mario Movie***

(PG) 92 min. Children 8 and under must be accompanied by a guardian for the duration of the event. **REG**