

# ELWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY

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## SUMMER READING 2019

Blast off into **A Universe of Stories** at Elwood Public Library this summer! We have a reading program for everyone, from Babies to Baby Boomers and Beyond!

Registration begins **Friday, May 31st**. Begin logging your books and collecting prizes on **Monday, June 24th**. Record your books by **Saturday, August 11th** to collect your prizes.

## Summer Reading Kickoff Events

*For the family:*

### Space Disco

**Saturday, June 22nd, 1:00-2:30pm**

Games, music, dancin', food, and aliens!

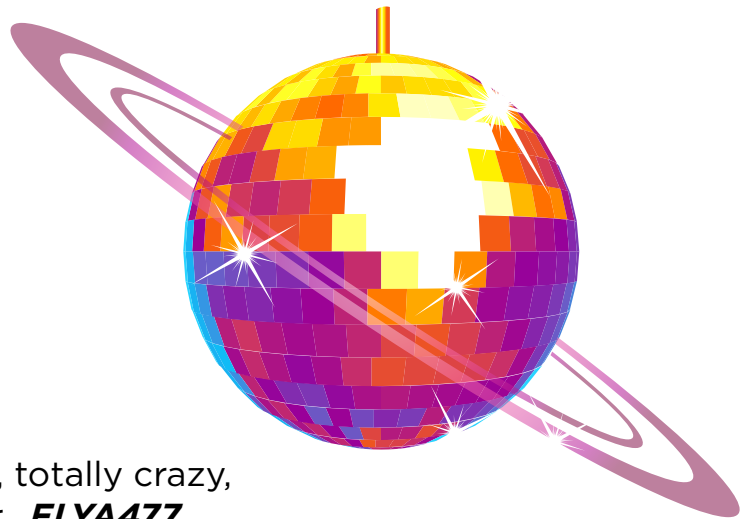
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*For teens:*

### Ultimate Milkshakes

**Wednesday, June 26th, 7:00pm**

Come make (and drink!) an over the top, totally crazy, delicious milkshake to celebrate summer. **ELYA477**



*For Adults:*

### Laura Lynne Jackson - Book Launch and Signing

**Friday, June 28th, 7:00pm**

We welcome Laura Lynne Jackson, psychic medium and author of *The Light Between Us*. Although Ms. Jackson will not be doing a reading, she will discuss her new book, *Signs: The Secret Language of the Universe*, where she tells stories of people who have received unexpected messages from the other side. There will be a question and answer session followed by a book signing. **ELA964**

# CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Registration for May and June begins on Wednesday, May 1st at 9:30am.  
Register for children's classes in person, online, or by phone.

## INFANTS & TODDLERS

### Dance with Me

**Monday, May 6th, 10:00-10:45am**

**Monday, June 17th, 10:00-10:45am**

Join Great South Bay Dance for creative movement dance activities, free play, tumbling on mats, and a story! (18-35 months) **ELJ157**

### Move, Groove and More!

**Fridays, 5/10, 5/17, 5/24 and 5/31, 10:00-10:45am**

Finger plays, movement and fun for all! **Registration includes 4 sessions.** (18-35 months) **ELJ392**

### Parachute Play

**Wednesday, May 22nd, 10:30-11:15am**

Singing, dancing, and parachute games, oh my! (18-35 months) **ELJ104**

### Babies Boogie

**Wednesday, May 29th, 10:15-11:00am**

**Thursday, June 27th, 10:15-11:00am**

Clap your hands, stomp your feet, and sing along with Nicole Sparling at this wonderful movement class. (6-23 months) **ELJ103**

### Mother Goose and More

**Thursday, May 30th, 10:30-11:15am**

Hip Hip Hooray! Come sing, rhyme, and play! (6-35 months) **ELJ101**

### Sensory Play

**Wednesday, June 12th, 10:30-11:15am**

Interactive fun for toddlers! Hands-on stations include sand, shredded paper, paints, and shaving cream! (18-35 months) **ELJ105**

### Block Party

**Thursday, June 20th, 10:30-11:15am**

Build wonderful creations with our assorted blocks. (18-35 months) **ELJ106**



## PRESCHOOL

### Let's Dance

**Monday, May 6th, 11:00am-12:00pm**

**Monday, June 17th, 11:00am-12:00pm**

Join Great South Bay Dance for a fun dance class. Props and creative games foster an exciting, engaging class. (3-5 years old) **ELJ158**

### We Love Mom

**Monday, May 6th, 4:30-5:15pm**

Join Doreen and Ellen in making special crafts for Mom or someone special. (3-5 years old) **ELJ408**

### Yoga Palooza

**Tuesdays, 5/7, 5/14, 5/21, 12:30-1:00pm**

Come join Barbara Schwenker for a half hour of children's yoga and mindfulness. **Bring a towel or blanket to lay on.** (3-5 years old) **ELJ412**

### Unicorns Galore

**Thursday, May 16th, 4:30-5:15pm**

Unicorns are everywhere! Come listen to a story and make a unicorn craft. (3-5 years old) **ELJ416**

### Toddler Tango

**Wednesday, May 29th, 11:15am-12:00pm**

**Thursday, June 27th, 11:15am-12:00pm**

Clap your hands, stomp your feet, and sing along with Nicole Sparling at this wonderful movement class. (2-5 years old) **ELJ112**

### Love You to Pieces

**Tuesday, June 4th, 4:30-5:15pm**

Decorate a picture frame for someone special using old puzzle pieces. (3-5 years old) **ELJ417**

### Dads are Special

**Monday, June 10th, 4:30-5:15pm**

Join Doreen and Ellen for a special story time with art activities designed to celebrate dads or someone special. (3-5 years old) **ELJ410**

### Messy Play

**Wednesday, June 19th, 10:30-11:15am**

Get MESSY and explore with finger paints and sponge painting. **Wear old clothes or bring a smock.** (2-5 years old) **ELJ107**

# SCHOOL-AGED

## Love Blooms for Mom

**Monday, May 6th, 5:30-6:15pm**

Make Mom or someone special a 3D paper vase filled with blooms of love, with help from Doreen and Ellen. (Grades K-4) **ELJ409**

## Ladybug Release

**Wednesday, May 15th, 5:15-6:15pm**

Come make a craft, learn about, and help release ladybugs outside the library! (Grades K-5) **ELJ368**

## Super Unicorns

**Thursday, May 23rd, 4:30-5:15pm**

Decorate a unicorn squishy with some of your friends at the library. (Grades K-5) **ELJ418**

## Pet Rocks

**Thursday, June 6th, 4:30-5:15pm**

Using paints and other materials, make a rock into something magical. (Grades K-5) **ELJ419**

## My Super Dad

**Monday, June 10th, 5:30-6:15pm**

Make Dad, or someone special, his own super hero symbol to show him that he is your super hero. (Grades K-4) **ELJ411**

## Ages of the Earth

**Wednesday, June 19th, 5:30-6:30pm**

Learn about how life began and changed over time on Earth. Examine fossils and then make an ice age snack! (Grades K-5) **ELJ359**

# FAMILY PROGRAMS

## Family Pizza Program

**Wednesday, June 5th, 5:15-6:15pm - Craft Night**

**Wednesday, July 3rd, 5:15-6:15pm - Bingo Night**

Bring your family and have a slice on us!

**Registration required. (Families) ELJ373**

## Family Movie Night

**Wednesday, May 1st**

**A Dog's Way Home (2018) PG**

**Wednesday, June 5th**

**Classic 90s: Anastasia (1997) G**

**Wednesday, July 3rd**

**Space Movie: WALL-E (2007) G**

**6:15-8:15pm**

Come with your family to watch a fun movie.

Popcorn will be served. **No registration required.**

## For Parents:

### How to Hire a Local Babysitter with Project Excel

**Wednesday, May 29th, 8:00pm**

Do you need a night out without the kids? Town of Huntington's Project Excel has created a database of local teens who have all been trained in safety tips, first aid, emergency procedures, and fire safety. Come to this meeting and learn more about how you can have access to community babysitters! **ELYA505**

## Space Disco - Summer Reading Kickoff

**Saturday, June 22nd, 1:00-2:30pm**

Games, music, dancin', food, and aliens! Sign up for the Summer Reading Club! (Families)

**No registration necessary.**

# MUSEUM PASSES

**Reserve online: [www.elwoodlibrary.org](http://www.elwoodlibrary.org)**

*Through the generosity of the Friends of the Elwood Public Library, we are able to provide free entrance to several museums.*

Passes may be reserved online or at the library up to 3 months in advance. Museum passes are for Elwood Public Library patrons with a card in good standing. Only two passes allowed per family within a 30 day period. There is a \$10 per day late fee for Pick up/Return passes. Replacement costs depend on each museum but start at \$10.

- AMERICAN AIRPOWER MUSEUM
- COLD SPRING HARBOR FISH HATCHERY & AQUARIUM
- CRADLE OF AVIATION MUSEUM
- FIRE ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE
- INTREPID
- LONG ISLAND CHILDREN'S MUSEUM
- LONG ISLAND MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART, HISTORY & CARRIAGES
- NYS EMPIRE PASS
- OLD BETHPAGE VILLAGE RESTORATION
- OLD WESTBURY GARDENS
- VANDERBILT MUSEUM AND PLANETARIUM



## DISCOUNTED TICKETS

(while supplies last)

## LONG ISLAND AQUARIUM & EXHIBITION CENTER

Discounted tickets available at the Circulation Desk for \$18.00.

Cash or check only.

The Friends of the Elwood Public Library

# Spring BOOK SALE

**Saturday, May 18th**

**9:30am - 4:30pm**

**\$3 per bag OR \$5 for 2 bags**

**Sunday, May 19th**

**1:00pm - 4:00pm**

**Sunday FUNday special:  
all you can carry for \$1.00!**

## Document Shredding Day

**Saturday, June 1st**

**10:00am-12:00pm**

Bring your old papers to the library parking lot and watch as your sensitive documents are shredded.

**Limit of 3 bags/boxes per person.  
Personal or household documents ONLY.  
NO business records.**



## Operation Medicine Cabinet

**Wednesday, June 12th**

**12:00-2:00pm**

Participate in this townwide program to safely dispose of expired or unwanted medications.

**Needles and liquid medications will not be accepted. Please place all medication in a plastic bag prior to disposal.**

### *Safely Dispose of Medication*



## E-Waste Recycling Day

**Saturday, June 22nd**

**10:00am-12:00pm**

Bring your used computers, cell phones, printers, televisions, keyboards, cables, wires, circuit boards, CD-ROMS, or stereos to the library parking lot for safe disposal.  
**No large appliances, microwave ovens, power tools, lawn mowers, fluorescent bulbs, or vacuum cleaners.**



# TEEN PROGRAMS

For Grades 6-12

Registration for May and June begins on Wednesday, May 1st at 9:30am.

Register for teen programs in person, online, or by phone.

## Introduction to Babysitting

**Wednesdays, 5/22 and 5/29, 6:00-8:00pm**

A 2-session workshop that'll teach you how to get started in babysitting. Topics include caring for infants and children, safety tips, first aid, emergency procedures, and fire safety. Teens that complete both sessions will be added to a community database supported by Project Excel. **ELYA413**

## Memorial Day Paint Night

**Thursday, May 23rd, 7:00pm**

Let's kick off Memorial Day weekend with a paint night and a patriotic treat! **ELYA506**

## Bracelets and Bites

**Thursday, June 6th, 7:00pm**

Wind down the school year with some relaxation. Make a bracelet and celebrate with some comfort food. **ELYA507**

## REGENTS REVIEW:

### Algebra I

**Tuesday, 5/28, 6:00-8:15pm ELYA501**

### Algebra II

**Thursday, 5/30, 6:00-8:15pm ELYA503**

### Earth Science

**Tuesday, 6/11, 6:00-8:15pm ELYA502**

### Biology

**Thursday, 6/13, 6:00-8:15pm ELYA504**

**\$40 per student, per class.** In-person or online registration. Payment is due at the time of registration. Patrons must register in advance. In-person registration is check only payable to *Elwood Public Library*. No refunds or pro-rated refunds.

Be on the lookout for our summer volunteer opportunities including our brand new *Teens and Kids Club* and *Wellness Community Service Series*.

## Teen Volunteer Opportunities

Registration is required for all volunteer opportunities, unless otherwise noted. Space is limited. **ELYA400**

### Drop-In Community Service

**Available Thursdays in May, 5:00-9:00pm**

No registration necessary, but volunteers MUST SIGN IN AND OUT at the Information Desk to receive credit. Volunteers cannot earn more than 2 hours of community service for this opportunity.

### Placemats for Meals on Wheels

**Thursday, May 9th, 7:00pm**

Brighten a Meals on Wheels recipient's day by creating a positive placemat for them!

### Teen Advisory Group

**Thursday, May 16th, 7:00pm**

This is our final meeting until the Fall! Participate in activities that help develop our library!

### Spring Book Sale

**Friday, May 17th, 3:00-5:00pm**

**Saturday, May 18th, 3 sessions:**

**9:30am-12:00pm OR 12:00-2:30pm OR 2:30-5:00pm**

**Sunday, May 19th, 3:00-5:00pm**

Volunteers must wear closed toe shoes when helping at this event.

### Family Pizza Program

**Wednesday, June 5th, 5:00-6:30pm**

**Wednesday, July 3rd, 5:00-6:30pm**

Come help run a program for younger kids.

### Summer Mural Program

**Thursday, June 13th, 7:00pm**

Help create a summer-themed chalkboard mural in our Teen Nook! **ELYA400**

### Summer Kickoff Volunteers: Space Disco

**Saturday, June 22nd, 12:30-3:00pm**

Earn volunteer credit by helping with games and refreshments at our Children's Summer Reading Kickoff Event! **ELYA400**

## SUMMER PROGRAMS

### Teen Summer Reading Program

Starting May 31st, teens entering grades 6-12 can sign up to win prizes and a raffle ticket for each book read. Collect your prizes beginning Monday, June 24th. Raffles will be drawn weekly.

### Summer Kickoff Party: Ultimate Milkshakes **Wednesday, June 26th, 7:00pm**

Come make (and drink!) an over the top, totally crazy delicious milkshake to celebrate the start of summer. **ELYA477**

### Battle of the Books

For teens entering grades 6-9. Join us this summer for Battle of the Books, a county-wide competition that pits library against library to see which team really knows their stuff! Register today and come to the library to pick up your first book after May 16th. **All Battle meetings will take place on Thursdays at 7:00pm, starting June 27th. ELYA425**

# ADULT CLASSES

## FABULOUS FITNESS

### Chair Yoga

**Mondays, 5/6, 5/13, 6/3, 6/10, 6/17, and 6/24,  
1:00pm-2:00pm**

Learn yoga poses using a chair. **In-person registration required. 6-Week Program fee: \$30. Non-refundable. Exact change or check payable to Elwood Public Library. ELA704**

### Dance Therapeutics

**Tuesdays, 5/14, 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25 and  
7/2, 11:00am-12:00pm**

Join us for this 8-week dance-based fitness program developed by physical therapists. Bring a water bottle. **In-person registration required. 8-Week Program fee: \$25. Non-refundable. Exact change or check payable to Elwood Public Library. ELA705**

### Hatha Yoga for the Experienced Practitioner

**Fridays, 5/10, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 6/14, 6/21, and 6/28,  
11:30am-12:30pm**

Stretch your bodies and focus your minds with Balance Yoga. **In-person registration required. 7-Week Program fee: \$35. Non-refundable. Exact change or check payable to Elwood Public Library. ELA702**

## BOOK DISCUSSIONS

### MORNING BOOK DISCUSSIONS

**2nd Wednesday of every month at 10:30am**

**May 8th**

***The Life We Bury***

by Allan Eskens

**June 12th**

***Anatomy of a Scandal***

by Sarah Vaughan

### EVENING BOOK DISCUSSIONS

**3rd Wednesday of every month at 7:00pm**

**May 15th**

***The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry***

by Rachel Joyce

**June 19th**

***The Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy***

by Rachel Joyce

### DONNA DIAMOND LITERARY GALLERY

**11:00am-12:30pm**

**May 13th**

***Tony's Wife***

by Adriana Trigiani

**June 10th**

***Where the Crawdads Sing***

by Delia Owens

## COOK'S CORNER

### High Protein Breakfast Options

**Saturday, June 1st, 10:30am**

Join Dr. Robert Dell'Amore. Sample and learn to prepare a breakfast that will taste great. **ELA934**

### Chef Rob says, "Let's Get Healthy-ish this Summer!"

**Wednesday, June 19th, 1:00pm**

Join us for this demo of Strawberry Fields and Feta Salad, Italian Chicken Salad in Lettuce Cups with Shaved Parmesan Cheese, and Watermelon-Mango Pico de Gallo served with Chips. **ELA944**

### Eating Better on a Budget

**Tuesday, May 21st, 3:30pm**

Learn the skills for healthy eating on a budget-planning, purchasing, and preparing. **ELA922**

## BECAUSE WE CARE

### One-On-One Medicare Counseling

**Wednesdays, 5/8 and 6/12, 10:00am-1:00pm**

Register for a 30-minute individual appointment. A Suffolk County RSVP volunteer from HIICAP will answer questions and provide personalized information regarding Medicare Health Insurance and Benefits, Medicare Savings Programs, and EPIC. **ELA736**

### St. Francis Hospital Bus

**Friday, May 10th, 10:00am-2:00pm**

Receive a brief cardiac history, blood pressure measurement, simple blood cholesterol test, and a diabetes screening courtesy of St. Francis Hospital Community Outreach. Patient education and referrals are included (as needed) for clients over the age of 18.

**No appointment or registration necessary.**

### Spirituality: A Journey to Wellness with Ken Corbin

**Thursday, May 16th, 2:00pm (Re-scheduled date)**

Join Pastoral Minister, Chaplain, and Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Ken Corbin, to explore and discuss the difference between religion and spirituality and how one can lead to the other. If you signed up in January, you don't need to register again. **ELA925**

## EYES ON THE ROAD

### AARP Driver Safety Course

**Wednesday, 5/8 and Thursday, 5/9, 9:30am-12:30pm**

\$20 for AARP members and \$25 for non-members.

**No cash. Check or Money Order payable to "AARP" required for registration. Driver's license and your AARP card required for registration and class.**

**Advance In-person registration only. ELA700**

Registration for May and June begins on Wednesday, May 1st at 9:30am. Register for adult classes in person, online, or by phone. In-person registration is required when a fee is involved.

## LIVE, LAUGH, LEARN

### Bingo

**Monday, May 6th, 7:00pm**

Join us for an evening of fun. **ELA706**

### Legendary Women of Long Island

**Monday, May 13th, 7:00pm**

Monica Randall will be here to examine the lives, loves, and scandals of an elite group of glamorous women who lived during the glory days of Long Island's fabled Gold Coast. **ELA941**

### Writer's Workshop with Tammy Green

**Tuesdays, 5/14 and 6/11, 7:00pm**

Do you love to write poetry or fiction? Come join us. Light refreshments. **No Registration Required.**

### Alcohol Ink Tile Craft

**Tuesday, May 14th, 6:45pm**

Join Marie Camenares for this interesting craft using alcohol ink to create a decorative tile. **Non-refundable Material Fee: \$5.00. Cash only. Exact change. ELA946**

### Pizza and a Podcast

**Thursday, June 20th, 7:00pm**

Enjoy pizza while we listen to the podcast, *Imagined Life* as it takes you on an immersive journey into the life of a world-famous person. You'll get clues to their identity along the way, but only in the final moments will you find out who they really are! Guess who the podcast is about before it ends and win a prize! **ELA951**

### Bus Trip: Tour and Cruise Around NYC! with Elwood Public Library & Commack Public Library

**Sunday, June 2nd, 8:00am**

Travel to NYC. Trip includes: 2 hour Double Decker Bus tour, lunch at Buca Di Beppo (choice of chicken or eggplant parmigiana), and a NYC cruise. **Program fee: \$135.00 per person. Includes: tours, lunch and tips. Check payable to Elwood Public Library. The bus will leave the Commack Public Library parking lot promptly at 8:00am. Seats are limited. ELA955**

### Last of the Red Hot Lovers

**Sunday, June 9th, 2:00pm**

The Lantern Theatre Group performs this classic Neil Simon play. **ELA947**

### Savvy IRA Planning

**Monday, June 10th, 7:00pm**

IRA planning is a complex process. Join us for a discussion on how the decisions that individuals make now can have a tremendous impact on their retirement. **ELA948**

### Canasta Tips and Tricks

**Tuesday, June 11th, 1:00-3:00pm**

Instructor Jacqui Palatnik will teach techniques and strategies of the card game Canasta. **ELA943**

### Wire Scroll Pendant

**Monday, June 17, 6:30pm**

Create a beautiful pendant with instructor Donna Irvine. Example at the Circulation Desk. **Materials fee: \$10.00. Exact change. Cash only. ELA954**

### Laura Lynne Jackson - Book Launch and Signing

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We welcome Laura Lynne Jackson, psychic medium and author of *The Light Between Us*. Although Ms. Jackson will not be doing a reading, she will discuss her new book, *Signs: The Secret Language of the Universe*, where she tells stories of people who have received unexpected messages from the other side. There will be a question and answer session followed by a book signing. **ELA964**

## NOT JUST FOR SENIORS

### SeniorNet: Buy a Desktop, Laptop or Tablet?

**Tuesday, May 14th, 2:00pm**

Join us to learn how to make the best choice on purchasing a new desktop, laptop, or tablet. **ELA940**

### The Language of Healthcare

**Wednesday, May 15th, 11:00am**

Learn the new language of healthcare that you or a loved one may need. Presented by Gurwin Family of Healthcare Services. **ELA953**

### Maximizing Social Security and Retirement Income: Timing Taxes and Healthcare

**Wednesday, May 15th, 7:00pm**

At what age should you apply for Social Security? What about long term healthcare? **Smart Decisions Require Good Information.** Please join us as we discuss the details and learn how you can keep more money in YOUR pocket during retirement! **ELA889**

### The Importance and Use of Powers of Attorney in Your Medicaid Planning

**Tuesday, June 6th, 10:30am**

Without a *Power of Attorney* your loved ones will NOT have the ability to help you protect your house or hard-earned wealth against Medicaid or nursing home recovery. Obtaining a *Power of Attorney* is easy, let us show you how! **ELA880**

### Senior Advocate

**Friday, June 14th, 11:00am-1:00pm**

A Senior Advocate from The Suffolk County Office of the Aging will assist seniors one-on-one with forms and applications, and answer questions regarding county programs and services for seniors. (Benefits, Medicare, Medicaid, ID cards, etc.) Participants taken on a first come, first served basis. **Registration requested. ELA809**

## Elwood Public Library District

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# Movies at the Library

## Friday Afternoon Movies

All movies begin at 1:00pm unless otherwise indicated.  
You may bring your own refreshments. Registration not required.

### MAY AND JUNE MOVIES

May 3

**Mary Poppins Returns**  
(PG) 130 Minutes

May 10

**If Beale Street Could Talk**  
(R) 119 Minutes

May 17

**NO MOVIE TODAY**  
**BOOK SALE SET UP**

May 24

**The Front Runner**  
(R) 113 Minutes

May 31

**Welcome to Marwen**  
(PG-13) 116 Minutes

June 7

**Bohemian Rhapsody**  
(PG-13) 135 Minutes

June 14

**Stan & Ollie**  
(PG) 135 Minutes

June 21

**The Mule**  
(R) 116 Minutes

June 28

**Vice**  
(R) 132 Minutes

## LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:30am - 9:00pm  
Friday & Saturday 9:30am - 5:00pm  
Sunday 1:00pm - 5:00pm  
elwoodlibrary.org open 24/7

Please take note:  
The library will be closed:  
Sunday, May 12  
Sunday, May 26  
Monday, May 27  
Sunday June 16

The library will be closed on Sundays for the summer beginning June 16, 2019.

Attendance at library programs or public spaces constitutes consent to be photographed or recorded for use in library publicity.

Priority is given to Elwood residents for program registration. Non-residents should call for more information (631) 499-3722.

## Upcoming Board Meeting Schedule

Thursday, May 16, 2019  
Thursday, June 20, 2019

All meetings begin at 7:30pm and are held at the Elwood Public Library; 1929 Jericho Turnpike, Elwood, NY. The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

## Elwood Public Library welcomed Senator Gaughran



Board Members Marla Band, Trisha Johnston, Senator Gaughran, Director Sue Goldberg, and Board Member John Gaynor

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