

ELWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Discover. Connect. Imagine.



Summer Reading

Calling All Adults — Teens — Children

There's still time to join the summer reading club!

Read books and collect prizes. Sign up at the library and join Elwood's "World of Pure Imagination."

We'll have contests, raffles, prizes, and great programs throughout the summer!

Elwood Public Library hopes to help make this a summer of happiness for you...with memories that will last longer than an everlasting gobstopper.

Bring your family to the library for Summer Saturdays

10am to 4pm on select Saturdays

Visit the Library for a variety of fun and creative outdoor activities. Activities may include a photobooth, buttonmaking, bubbles, coloring sheets, and more! We will also have a sidewalk book sale every Saturday.

Check out the theme days below!

July 3rd: Stars and Stripes
July 10th: Snow Day
July 17th: Day at the Beach
July 24th: The Olympics
July 31st: Pokémon Celebration
August 7th: Pirate Day



Library in the Park

4pm to 5pm on Thursdays @ Elwood Park
on Cuba Hill Road

Join us for special programs at Elwood Park. Each day features a fun outdoor activity. Come with your friends and have a great time! Please no dropping off of children. Sign up to receive a reminder.

See the dates below!

July 8th: Scavenger Hunt **ELJ490**
July 15th: Giant Games Day — Connect Four, Chutes and Ladders, and others **ELJ491**
July 22nd: Old Fashioned Games — Red Rover, Rabbit Hole, Wheelbarrow Race, and more! **ELJ492**
July 29th: Olympic Field Day — Get ready to be a champion in our games! **ELJ493**
August 5th: Water Battle — Be prepared to get soaked! Wear a bathing suit! **ELJ494**
August 12th: Jokes, Pranks, and Puzzles **ELJ495**
August 19th: Obstacle Course **ELJ496**

ON FACEBOOK, ZOOM, AND YOUTUBE:

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

REGISTRATION BEGINS THURSDAY, JULY 1ST

Please check our extensive library of story times and other programs for kids on our  Channel. Go to www.youtube.com and search for Elwood Public Library.

What Do U Do?

Wednesday, July 7th – Pizzeria Owner

Wednesday, August 11th – Veterinarian

Mr. Erik presents people with interesting jobs for kids!



Erik's SCIENCE Quest

Take Home Science Experiment

Pick up begins July 5th

Be a scientist! This time we will explore “Bugs in Your Backyard” with your very own bug catching kit. Kits are limited in number and are available on a first come, first serve basis.

(4th to 7th grade) **ELJ485**

Interview with a Theoretical Chemist

Wednesday, July 21st

On Facebook and YouTube

No registration required.  

Don't Trash Your Trash! Composting for Kids

Wednesday, August 25th

Premieres on Facebook and YouTube

No registration required.  



Sensory Time

Beginning July 3rd

Pick up a sensory kit for your toddler or preschooler. They will have fun exploring and playing with different materials. **Registration is required.**

(Ages 18 months to 5 years old) **ELJ489**



family FUN!

OREO BARK

Learn how to make easy and delicious Oreo bark! Register on Thursday, July 1st and pick up a kit containing all the supplies you'll need.

ELJ497



BOOK BUNDLES

Visit the library and check out our themed book bundles. We will have a variety of themes/topics such as Sharks, Dinosaurs, Fancy Nancy, Seasons, Space, and Disney, with a mixture of 5-6 fiction and nonfiction books.

FAMILY PROGRAMMING



Family BINGO

Monday, July 12th, 7:00pm

Enjoy some family time playing BINGO!
ELJ454

Program is via Zoom. Register online or email reference@elwoodlibrary.org and we will send you a meeting link.



SCREEN FREE TAKE AND MAKE CRAFTS

For Kids of All Ages

Pick up a craft to do at home!
Please note! Supplies are limited.

**JULY 10
SAIL AWAY**

Make your own boat
to race with friends.



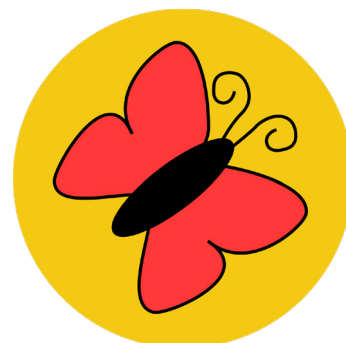
**JULY 24
WATTA-MELON**

Bite into a juicy,
fun-loving craft that's
ripe with summer fun!



**AUGUST 7
BUTTERFLY
WALL ART**

Create a beautiful
wall decoration
using colorful mini
butterflies. Let your
imagination soar!



**AUGUST 21
BACK TO
SCHOOL FRAME**

Make a frame to hold all
those first day of school
pictures!



Follow us on Social Media



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Stay-At-Home Storytime

Record yourself reading a children's book for our Facebook and YouTube pages! Send video to reference@elwoodlibrary.org to receive 2 hours of community service credit. The last day to submit videos is Saturday, September 4th. **Please note, video may be shared on Facebook. Use your first name and no other identifying information. Earn up to 4 hours of community service credit (2 videos maximum).**

July Take & Make: Pet Placemats

Create Placemats for underneath a pet's bowl, which we will donate to a local animal shelter! Kit includes: cardstock, animal-themed stickers, and alphabet stickers. You may also want to use: Sharpies to add a message or words, additional stickers, paper, scissors, or a glue stick. Pickup begins on Thursday, July 1st. The last day to submit placemats is Saturday, September 4th. **Return completed placemats to the Information Desk to receive community service credit. 1 placemat = 30 minutes. Earn up to 2 hours of community service credit (4 placemats maximum). Supplies are limited.**

Kindness Rocks

Promote random acts of kindness to unsuspecting recipients by painting and sharing inspirational rocks! **Send pictures of 4 kindness rocks to reference@elwoodlibrary.org. 1 rock = 30 minutes. Earn up to 2 hours of community service credit (4 rocks maximum).** The last day to submit pictures is Saturday, September 4th.

Read & Review

You can gain community service hours just for reading! Choose a book from any Suffolk County Library, then print and complete our evaluation form! Please hand in one evaluation form for each book that you read. All evaluation forms should be given to the Information Desk. Teens will receive 1 hour of community service for each completed evaluation. The last day to submit reviews is Saturday, September 4th.

To view and print Evaluation Form, visit:
<https://bit.ly/3ybO8Ae>

Read-Alikes List or Video

Pick library books, eBooks, audiobooks, movies, video games, manga and/or series, etc. Create a list or make a video recommending similar titles (if you like this -- then you may like that). The lists must contain short descriptions of the similarities to receive community service credit. The last day to submit lists is Saturday, September 4th. **Minimum length = 10 item list or 1-minute video. Send your list or video to reference@elwoodlibrary.org to receive 2 hours of community service credit.**

Homelessness Outreach with 2nd Precinct COPE Officers

Thursday, July 15th, 4:00pm

Learn about homelessness in our community from 2nd precinct COPE officers. After the program, complete a toiletry kit which will then be donated to those in need. Kits must be returned to the library by Tuesday, August 31st. Toiletry kits must include at least 5 items. Participants will earn 2 hours of community service. Zoom Link will be sent before the program.

Registration is required. ELYA626

For a list of item ideas, visit <https://bit.ly/3ybO8Ae>

Summer Reading Sign-Up

Earn volunteer hours by helping with Summer Reading 2021 Sign-up and outdoor fun! Volunteers cannot register for more than two sessions this Summer. Participants will earn 3 hours of community service per session. **ELYA625**

2 sessions every Saturday:

Saturday, July 10th:

10:00am-1:00pm OR 1:00pm-4:00pm

Saturday, July 17th:

10:00am-1:00pm OR 1:00pm-4:00pm

Saturday, July 24th:

10:00am-1:00pm OR 1:00pm-4:00pm

Saturday, July 31st:

10:00am-1:00pm OR 1:00pm-4:00pm

Saturday, August 7th:

10:00am-1:00pm OR 1:00pm-4:00pm

Drop in Volunteer Opportunity

Help us make autumn decorations for the Library while you earn community service hours! No registration required. Drop in on Mondays from 3:00 - 5:00pm or Thursdays from 6:00 - 8:00pm. **Earn up to 4 hours of community service. For Teens in grades 6 - 12. The last day to drop in is Monday, August 30th.**

TAKE & MAKE CRAFTS

Summer Birdhouses

Birdhouses provide important shelter for our feathered friends. Pick up a birdhouse kit to assemble and decorate. Give it to someone or hang in your backyard. Registrants will receive an email about picking up their birdhouse kit. Supplies are limited. **ELYA627**

ADULT SUMMER READING 2021

Now through August 7th

- Come in to pick up your starter kit.
- Enjoy our “World of Imagination” decorations.
- Submit reading ratings to be entered into our drawings.
 - Read 4 books and earn a prize.

Check these databases for reading suggestions:

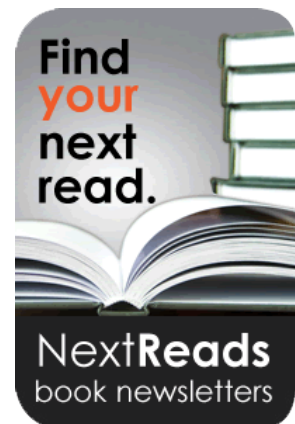


NoveList Plus

Your Guide to Reading

Find your next great read, author read-a-likes and more....

Both available on our website, www.elwoodlibrary.org,
under For Readers



Check out ebooks and audiobooks with the following:



Meet Libby

The One-Tap
Reading App



Both available on our website, www.elwoodlibrary.org, under Digital.

ADULT CLASSES

REGISTRATION BEGINS THURSDAY, JULY 1ST

HOW TO JOIN OUR VIRTUAL PROGRAMS:

 **zoom** Register online, give us a call, or email reference@elwoodlibrary.org and we will send you a meeting link.

facebook Log onto our FB page on the date and time of the program.

LIVE, LAUGH, LEARN

Open Mic Night

Tuesdays, July 6th and August 3rd, 7:00pm

Join Tammy Green for this open forum where writers share their original work. Call or email to join.  **zoom**

Writer's Workshop

Tuesdays, July 13th and August 10th, 7:00pm

For more information go to: www.cawanthology.com. Call or email to join.  **zoom**

Transportation Innovation Series - Part 3 Walk or Bike Huntington!

Wednesday, July 14th, 7:00pm

Learn about active transportation in Huntington! From biking to walking, you will uncover exciting routes, programs, and events right in your own neighborhood! **ELA999Z3**  **zoom**

Long Island Migrant Labor Camp History

Tuesday, July 20th, 7:00pm

Join author Mark Torres for a discussion about his new book, which reveals the dreadful history of these camps from their inception until their peak in 1960. **ELA771Z**

 **zoom**

Plant and Paint Night with Betty Cole via Zoom

Thursday, July 22nd, 7:00pm

Join Betty Cole of Off Your Wall Art for a fun night of flower pot painting and planting! We will notify you when the supply kit is ready for pick up at the Library.

Material Fee: \$10.00 cash only, exact change.

In-person registration required. A Zoom link will be emailed to you before the class. **ELA719Z**  **zoom**

Introduction to Personal Storytelling

Tuesday, July 27th, 7:00pm

Professional storyteller Terry Wolfisch Cole will teach you everything you need to know to engage any audience. Learn tips and tricks for effective storytelling. **ELA769Z**  **zoom**

Virtual BINGO via Zoom

Monday, August 2nd, 7:00pm

Join us for some fun and prizes. It's easy to play. We will email you the link for the virtual Bingo cards and for the

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Zoom meeting. **ELA706Z**  **zoom**

DIY Book Lover's Craft with Miss Karin:

Everything's Coming Up Roses

Thursday, August 19, 2:00 pm

Librarian Karin will walk you through the steps of creating lovely book-page rosettes. All materials included in a special "Take and Make" kit. **ELA728Z**

 **zoom**

The Ladies of Rock 'N Roll

Thursday, September 2, 7:00 pm

Join us for this presentation with videos and stories from groups such as the Bobbettes, the Angels, the Shangri Las, the Shirelles, and more. Bossman Kevin Westley of WRHV's Rock 'N Roll Oasis will ask Trivia questions. **ELA796Z**  **zoom**

BOOK DISCUSSIONS

If you're new to this group please email reference@elwoodlibrary.org and we'll send you a meeting link.

Donna Diamond Literary Gallery

Monday, July 12th, 11:00am

**FINDING FREEDOM: Harry & Meghan
& the Making of a Modern Royal Family**

by Omid Scobie & Carolyn Durand

Monday, August 9th, 11:00am

The Only Woman in the Room

by Marie Benedict

AM Book Discussion Group

Wednesday, July 14th, 10:30am

Close Enough to Touch by Colleen Oakley

Wednesday, August 11th, 10:30am

The Giver of Stars by Jojo Moyes

Kristie's Book Discussion Group

Wednesday, July 21st, 7:00pm

The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo

by Taylor Jenkins Reid

Wednesday, August 18th, 7:00pm

Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents

by Isabel Wilkerson

 **zoom**

SCREEN FREE

TAKE AND MAKE

Pick up your kit at the Information Desk.

Sunglasses Lanyard

Using recycled magazine pages, make your own beads. Then, string them onto wire to make this unique sunglasses lanyard.

BECAUSE WE CARE

Tips for Losing Weight and Keeping It Off

Monday, July 12th, 7:00pm

Join Donna Ingram of Cornell Cooperative Extension for some great tips in this Zoom discussion. **ELA751Z** 

Prostate Cancer

Tuesday, July 13th, 7:00pm

Dr. David Golombos of Stony Brook Urology will share information on prostate cancer, address screening tests, diagnoses, and treatment options. **ELA777Z** 

Thyroid Nodules: More Common Than You Think

Thursday, July 29th, 7:00pm

Dr. Justin Yozawitz, an endocrine surgeon at Northwell Health, will explain all you need to know about how thyroid nodules are found, their risks, and how they are treated. **ELA729Z** 

POSITIVE PARENTING

Risks and Facts About Adolescent Drug and Alcohol Consumption and Abuse with Sara Siddiqui, MD FAAP

Wednesday, July 14th, 7:00pm

Many adolescents will experiment with drugs, alcohol, and tobacco, at some point in their lives. Dr. Siddiqui will discuss the answers to important questions about adolescents and these risky behaviors. 

How to Talk So Your Teen will Listen with Sara Siddiqui, MD FAAP

Wednesday, August 11th, 7:00pm

You need to talk to your teen about important decisions.

Whether you are discussing their behavior, life's big moments like entering high school or college, dating, or everyday events, chances are they are going to give you the "eye roll." In this segment, Dr. Siddiqui will discuss the best ways to talk with your teens and how to deal with "attitude." 

*Dr. Siddiqui's Programs are for information and education purposes only. They are not a substitute for visiting or consulting with your own family doctor and/or pediatrician for medical advice concerning your own individual healthcare needs.

COOK'S CORNER

Take and Make with Chef Rob

Pick up your kits at the library beginning on the premier dates. Kits include non-perishable ingredients, recipe, and link. Limited registration. (Waitlist will receive the recipe and link without the kit.)

Strawberry Festival Bread

Tuesday, July 6th, 9:30am

Don't know what to do with all those sweet summer strawberries? Try this. **ELA753Z** 

Farmers' Market Peach Streusel Muffins

Friday, August 6th, 9:30am

You'll love this amazing and versatile streusel topping! **ELA761Z** 

NOT JUST FOR SENIORS

Understanding Arthritis: Types, Causes, and Treatment

Thursday, August 12th, 2:00pm

Join Garry Kushnir, DPT for this informational Zoom presentation on different types of arthritis. **ELA738Z** 

One-On-One Medicare

Wednesdays, July 14th and August 11th, 10:00am-1:00pm

A Suffolk County RSVP volunteer from HHCAP will call you between 10am-1pm to answer questions and provide information regarding Medicare insurance and benefits. Register online, call the library, or email reference@elwoodlibrary.org **ELA736PH**

Legal Documents You Need in the Time of Covid

Tuesday, August 17th, 7:00pm

COVID-19 has changed the way we view our own mortality. There are legal documents you can get right now that will help you navigate this new landscape. Find out more during this workshop conducted by the Law Office of Craig A. Andreoli, P.C. **ELA792Z** 

FABULOUS FITNESS

Elwood Zoom Hatha Yoga

Tuesdays, 7/6, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27, 8/3, 8/10, 8/17, and 8/24, 4:00pm

Join us for this free online yoga class. Wear comfortable exercise attire. **ELA702Z** 

Elwood Zoom Chair Yoga

Monday, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26, 8/2, 8/9, 8/16, 8/23, and 8/30, 1:00pm

Join this free online version of chair yoga. All you need is a chair, a computer, and comfortable attire to do this class in the privacy of your own home. This program is via Zoom. **ELA704Z** 

Dance Therapeutics via Zoom

Tuesdays, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27, 8/3, 8/10, 8/17, 8/24, and 8/31, 11:00am

Barbara will be teaching her fabulous exercise class. Dress comfortably. **ELA705Z** 

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MUSEUM PASSES

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

We have 2 different types of passes:

1. Print on Demand: Passes with an asterisk can be printed from home or printed at the library. The pass will only be valid for the date of the visit on the confirmation page, so request your pass for the day you wish to use it. No return is necessary!

2. Pick Up / Return Pass: Passes without an asterisk are available for 3 days and must be returned to the Information Desk, not in the Drop Box. There is a \$10 per day late fee. Replacement costs depend on each museum but start at \$10.

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.

PRINT ON DEMAND

- *COLD SPRING HARBOR FISH HATCHERY & AQUARIUM
- *INTREPID
- * FIRE ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE
- *OLD BETHPAGE VILLAGE RESTORATION
- *OLD WESTBURY GARDENS
- *VANDERBILT MUSEUM AND PLANETARIUM

PICK UP / RETURN PASS

- CRADLE OF AVIATION MUSEUM
- FIRE ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE
- LONG ISLAND CHILDREN'S MUSEUM
- NYS EMPIRE PASS

DISCOUNTED TICKETS (while supplies last)

- LONG ISLAND AQUARIUM & EXHIBITION CENTER
- Discounted tickets available at the Circulation Desk for \$20.00. Cash or check only.

LIBRARY HOURS

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

Please take note:
The Library will be closed:
July 4th

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, July 15th
Thursday, August 19th

All meetings begin at 6:30pm.
Please contact the library at
(631) 499-3722 for more
information about how to attend.



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