

MAIN LIBRARY HOURS

Monday, 9am-9pm
Tuesday, 11am-9pm
Wednesday, 9am-9pm
Thursday, 9am-9pm
Friday, 9am-5pm
Saturday, 9am-5pm

Closed Sundays for summer beginning 5/11

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Monthly Mommy Mixer!

Monday, July 21,
11:30am-12:30pm

Mommies (or Daddies, Nannies & Grannies) of children 18 months & under, come join Moms/Librarians Eileen & Nicole for our new Monthly Mommy Mixer!

Please Register.



Empire Defensive Driving
Tuesday, July 22, 7-8pm

Empire Safety Council is offering a 2-day, 6-hour defensive driving course in person at Long Beach Public Library on Tuesday, 7/22 from 6-9pm and Tuesday, 7/29 from 6-9pm. *Participants must attend both classes to complete the course.* **Please register to attend both sessions.**

CANASTA CLUB



Wednesdays, 11am

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Wednesdays, 11am



Thursday, July 3
Library Closes at 6pm

Friday, July 4
Library Closed for
Independence Day

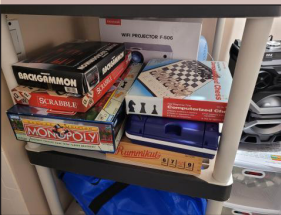
Saturday, July 5
Library Closed for
Independence Day



COLOR OUR WORLD

READ • COLOR • WIN!

ADULT
SUMMER
READING
2025
JUNE 23 TO
AUGUST 18



Game Night at West

Wednesday, July 16, 5:45pm

Come play board games or cards at West! We have several games including Monopoly, Scrabble, Pictionary, Backgammon, and Connect 4. Pizza and prizes will be provided!!



Craft
Projects
for Adults

Registration required

Adult Craft: Beach Pass Bag Charm

Tuesday, July 1, 7pm

This week, create your own beach pass holder adorned with beads and charms.

Crochet & Knit Club

Saturdays, July 12, 19, 26, 10:30am

Whether you're a pro or a beginner, bring your supplies and enjoy a creative, supportive space to work on projects, learn new stitches, and connect with fellow crafters.

Adult Craft: Teacup Fairy Garden

Thursday, July 17, 11am

Explore your inner artist and celebrate Summer Reading Club Science Week by making a fairy garden inside a teacup.

Maker Monday: Drift Wood Keychains

Monday, July 21, 2pm

Making drift wood keychain.

Adult Craft: Upcycled Book Vase

Tuesday, July 29, 6:30pm

Create a charming upcycled book vase by transforming an old, hardcover book into a unique decorative piece.



LONG BEACH
PUBLIC LIBRARY

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JULY 2025

@LBPLNY

DIVE INTO THE DARKNESS OF WELLNESS CULTURE WITH HAYLEY KRISCHER'S SIZZLING NEW YA THRILLER

AUTHOR TALK: HAYLEY KRISCHER

YOU BELONG TO ME

TUESDAY, JULY 8 | 7-8 PM

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WHAT IF LIVING YOUR
BEST LIFE LEAVES YOU DEAD?

HAYLEY KRISCHER IS COMING TO
LONG BEACH LIBRARY!

HER NEWEST YA NOVEL IS A TWISTED PSYCHOLOGICAL
THRILLER PACKED WITH ROMANCE, CULT-LIKE WELLNESS
CULTURE, + THE RAZOR-EDGE TENSION OF BEING A TEEN
GIRL IN A WORLD THAT DEMANDS PERFECTION.



TREAT YOURSELF TO:
DUBAI CHOCOLATE
DIY SCENT BAR
PINK DRINKS
GIVEAWAYS

HAYLEY
KRISCHER

NEW YORK TIMES JOURNALIST

"MIDSOMMAR MEETS THE WELLNESS SPACE..."
- RAEGAN REVORD

DON'T MISS THIS ELECTRIFYING AUTHOR TALK
FREE & OPEN TO ALL. BOOK SIGNING TO FOLLOW.



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READ • COLOR • WIN!

Treat yourself to the joy of reading with our Adult Summer Reading Program—where your next great read could lead to exciting prizes! Whether you're diving into thrillers, exploring memoirs, or rediscovering literary classics, every book you finish brings you one step closer to prizes and unexpected adventures.

JULY 2025
PROGRAMS & EVENTS

Tuesday, July 1	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
6-8 PM	Beach Yoga and Meditation (Lafayette Boulevard Beach)
7-8 PM	Adult Craft: Beach Pass Bag Charm
Wed, July 2	
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club
11 AM-12:30 PM	Mah-Jongg Club
1-3 PM	NY State of Health Marketplace Enrollment Assistance Info
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
3-4 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
5:30-6:30 PM	Teen Night: Decorate Water Bottles for Summer!
6:30-8PM	West End Book Club: <i>Dear Edward</i> (West End)
Thursday, July 3	
Friday, July 4	
Saturday, July 5	
Sunday, July 6	
Monday, July 7	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
11 AM-1 PM	Writers' Circle (Zoom)
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2:4 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Boiling Point</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
Tuesday, July 8	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
2-4 PM	Baseball and Basketball in Days Gone By (Zoom)
2-2:30 PM	Charla del Autor con Raúl The Third (Zoom)
4-4:30 PM	Author Talk with Raúl The Third (Zoom)
7-8 PM	Author Event: Hayley Krischer
7-8:45 PM	LBNY Arts Council meeting
Wed, July 9	
9:15-12:15	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club
11 AM-12:30 PM	Mah-Jongg Club
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
3-4 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
5-6 PM	Teen Night: The Candy Bar Game
6:30-8:30 PM	Poetry Open Mic Night!
Thursday, July 10	
9:15 AM-12:15 PM	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
6-8 PM	LGBTQ+ Cinema: Chasing Chasing Amy
6:30-7:30 PM	Alzheimer's/Dementia Caregivers Support Group
7-8:30 PM	Open Mic Night at West (West End)
7:30-8:30 PM	Meditative Dance on the Beach
Friday, July 11	
9:15-10:15 AM	Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Film 101: The Outlaw Josey Wales
Saturday, July 12	
9:45-10:45 AM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet Club
3:30-4:30 PM	Self Care Saturday: Restorative Yoga

Sunday, July 13	Library Closed for Summer Hours
Monday, July 14	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2-4 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Trust Me</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
7-8 PM	The Romance Book Club: One Last Stop (West End)
7-9 PM	Library Board of Trustees Meeting
Tuesday, July 15	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
6-8 PM	Beach Yoga and Meditation
6-8:30 PM	West End Arts Photo Reception
Wed, July 16	
9:15-12:15	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club
11 AM-12:30 PM	Mah-Jongg Club
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
3-4 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
5:30-6:30 PM	Teen Night: Terrariums
5:45-7:45 PM	Game Night at West (West End)
7-8 PM	FUN FOR ALL! Beach Blanket Bingo (Lafayette Blvd Beach)
7-8 PM	Vinyl Collectors Club
Thursday, July 17	
9:15 AM-12:15 PM	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
11 AM-12:15 PM	Adult Craft: Teacup Fairy Garden
4-5 PM	Author Talk with Marie Lu (Zoom)
Friday, July 18	
9:15-10:15 AM	Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
11:30 AM-12:30 PM	LB Garden Club
1-3 PM	Film Friday: <i>Working Man</i>
Saturday, July 19	
9:45-10:45 PM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet Club
1-3 PM	LBPL Scribblers Writers Workshop
Sunday, July 20	
Monday, July 21	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
11 AM-1 PM	Writers' Circle (Zoom)
11:30 AM-12:30 PM	Monthly Mommy Mixer!
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2-3 PM	Maker Monday: Drift Wood Keychains
2-4 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Road Dance</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
Tuesday, July 22	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
6-9 PM	Empire Defensive Driving
7-8 PM	Long Beach Roots: Newspaper Discovery
7:30-8:30 PM	Sci-Fi & Fantasy Book Club: <i>"The Three-Body Problem"</i>

Wed, July 23	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
9:15-12:15	Zumba
9:30-10:30 AM	Canasta Club
11 AM-12:30 PM	Mah-Jongg Club
11 AM-12:30 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
2-3 PM	Meditation (Hybrid)
2:15-3 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
3-4 PM	Author Talk with Rex Ogle (Zoom)
4-4:45 PM	Teen Night: Clay Dragon Eyes
5:30-6:30 PM	West End Neighbors Civic Association
6:45-8 PM	
Thursday, July 24	
9:15 AM-12:15 PM	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
Friday, July 25	
9:15-10:15 AM	Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
Saturday, July 26	
9:45-10:45 AM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet Club
2-4 PM	Writing Free Verse Poetry
Sunday, July 27	
Monday, July 28	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2-4 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Agatha and the Truth of Murder</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
8-8:45 PM	Tech Guy Talks: Big Data
Tuesday, July 29	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
6-9 PM	Empire Defensive Driving
6:30-7:30 PM	Adult Craft: Upcycled Book Vase
Wednesday, July 30	
9:15-12:15	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club
11 AM-12:30 PM	Mah-Jongg Club
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
3-4 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
5:30-6:30 PM	Teen Night: Upcycled Book Vase
7-8:30 PM	LBNY Bestseller Book Club: <i>Intermezzo (Hybrid)</i>
Thursday, July 31	
9:15-12:15	ESL with the Adult Learning Center
2-3 PM	Author Talk with Pria Anand (Zoom)
3-4 PM	Hoopla Overview (Zoom)

College Essay Writing Workshop

Tuesday, July 15, 7-8:30pm

Join college expert Debbie Gershow Lindell for a college essay writing workshop. Learn how you can show yourself in best light to the colleges of your choice!

Hoopla Overview

Thursday, July 31, 3pm (Zoom)

Join librarian Ron Carroll for an overview of the Hoopla streaming service!

Crafts & Giveaways

Outdoor Games

Hosted by DJ Mahtzie 11-2pm

Facepainting

Tomatomania Contest

Live Performance by NON STOP JC AIRO

Bounce House & Slides

Join us for our 2nd Annual

FUN FAIR

Kennedy Plaza

Sunday, August 17th

11-3pm

Food trucks

Community Legal Help Information

Wednesday, July 2, 1-3pm

Do you need help with a legal problem?

Alzheimer's/Dementia Caregivers Support Group

Thursday, July 10, 6:30pm

Join a trained facilitator and other caregivers in this safe place for family members and friends of people living with dementia to develop a support system.

Library Board of Trustees Meeting

Monday, July 14, 7-9pm

Please join LBPL's Board of Trustees and Library Administration for the monthly Board meeting. Please register.

West End Arts Photo Reception

Tuesday, July 15, 6-8:30pm (Main)

Come see an exhibition featuring artists who express voices and visions of poetry and words.

Long Beach Roots: Newspaper Discovery

Tuesday, July 22, 7-8pm

Join library staff for an introduction to searching Long Beach history using the New York State historic newspapers website.

NOTE: UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED, EVENTS ARE HELD AT MAIN LIBRARY. Programs are subject to change and may require prior registration. Scan this code on your phone to view the online calendar for details and registration.

FOR MORE PROGRAM AND EVENT INFORMATION

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE:

HTTPS://LONGBEACHLIBRARY.ORG



MOVIES

LONG BEACH INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

TBA
Wednesday, July 23, 1:00pm

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Wednesday, July 23, 6:00pm

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Thursday, July 24, 1:00pm

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Thursday, July 24, 6:00pm

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Friday, July 25, 12:30pm

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Saturday, July 26, 12:30pm

JOIN A BOOK CLUB

DEAR EDWARD
ANN NAPOLITANO

WEST END
WED, JULY 2, 6:30PM

ONE LAST STOP
CASEY MCQUISTON

ROMANCE BOOK CLUB
MON, JULY 14, 7PM

THE THREE-BODY PROBLEM
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TUESDAY, JULY 22, 7:30PM

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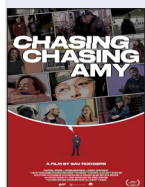
LBNY BESTSELLER
WED, JULY 30, 7PM



Poetry Open Mic Night

Wednesday, July 9, 6:30pm

Calling all poets, spoken word artists, lyricists, and songwriters! Welcome to Long Beach Library's Unplugged Open Mic Night, hosted by former Nassau County Poet Laureates Paula Curci and Peter Dugan.



LGBTQ+ Cinema

Thursday, July 10, 6:00pm

Our monthly series highlighting LGBTQ+ films. This month's film is, *Chasing Amy*. Documentary, 2024, 1hr 35min



Open Mic Night at West

Thursday, July 10, 7pm (West End)

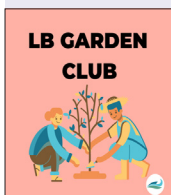
Come perform five minutes of standup comedy, play an instrument, sing, or recite poetry at our West End Open Mic! (For Adults 18+) **Please register.**



Vinyl Collectors Club

Wednesday, July 16, 7pm

Share your love of vinyl with fellow collectors! This month our theme is Favorite Song/Album from the 1970s. **Please register.**



LB Garden Club: Seedling Swap!

Friday, July 18, 11:30am

Do you love gardening and want to meet others in your community who love gardening too? Whether you're experienced, a beginner, or just love to garden, all are welcome! **Please Register.**



FUN FOR ALL! Beach Blanket Bingo

Wed, July 16, 7pm

(Lafayette Blvd Beach)

Beach Blanket Bingo is back for its second summer! Join Library staff for several rounds of bingo on the beach. Bring a blanket or chair and your beverage of choice. We'll provide the bingo cards and prizes. **Please Register.**



Monthly Mommy Mixer!

Monday, July 21, 11:30pm

Mommies (or Dads, Nannies & Grannies) of children 18 months & under, come join Moms/Librarians Eileen & Nicole for our Monthly Mommy Mixer! **Please register.**



Mondays at 1pm Wednesdays at 1pm

Book a 30-minute appointment with Lenora, an LBPL reference librarian with training in job search help and resume assistance. **Please register.**

LBPL Scribblers Writing Workshop Saturday, July 19, 1pm

Join published author and creative writing teacher Marc DeSantis for this interactive writing circle. Bring works in progress and writing materials. **Please register.**



Writing Free Verse Poetry with Paula Curci

Saturday, July 26, 2pm

Express yourself and indulge your creative side! Join Poet Laureate

Emeritus, Paula Curci for this interactive writing program on writing free verse poetry.

Please register.



Tech Guy Talks: Big Data

Monday, July 28, 8pm

Do you want to know what Internet companies and data brokers (Big Data) do with your personal data? Learn what Big Data is, and what you can do about it.

Please register.

JULY AUTHOR TALKS



RAÚL THE THIRD
JULY 8 | 2PM
SPANISH TALK
JULY 8 | 2PM
ENGLISH TALK

MARIE LU
JULY 17 | 4PM

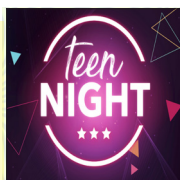


REX OGLE
JULY 23 | 4PM

PRIA ANAND
JULY 31 | 2PM



ON ZOOM. Join us! Register online now!
Visit <https://library.org/longbeachlibrary> to sign up.



TEEN NIGHT

Decorate Water Bottles for Summer!

Wednesday, July 2, 5:30pm

The Candy Bar Game

Wednesday, July 9, 5:00pm

Terrariums

Wednesday, July 16, 5:30pm

Clay Dragon Eyes

Wednesday, July 23, 5:30pm

Upcycled Book Vase

Wednesday, July 30, 5:30pm



Registration Required for all Exercise Classes

Pilates

Mondays at 6pm

Join instructor Pat Cappeto for this engaging Pilates class! Bring a mat to practice on!

Chair Yoga

Fridays at 9:15am (Hybrid)

A full-body practice that will help strengthen your nervous system and reduce stress and stiffness.

Accessible Yoga for Every Body

Mondays at 10am (Hybrid)

Build strength and flexibility along with a calmer mind in this accessible yoga for every body with Miriam Abrahams. Beginners are welcome, and this class is open to all.

Zumba

Wednesdays at 9:30am

Zumba is a fitness program that involves cardio and Latin-inspired dance.

Meditation

Wed, July 23, 2:15pm (Hybrid)

Meditation session with Lisa Wisel, MS, BC-DMT, LCAT. Learn how to be in alignment and replenish the peace that resides within you. You can join on Zoom or In Person.

Chair Yoga (West End)

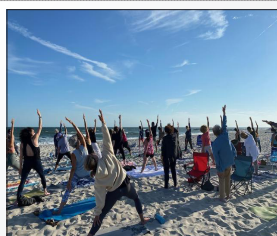
Wednesdays at 3pm

Join us at the West End Branch of the Long Beach Library for this beginner-friendly Chair Yoga class.

Yoga for Health & Peace

Saturdays at 9:45am (Hybrid)

This Hatha yoga class, with Stephanie Durso, is designed to strengthen and lengthen your muscles and free your mind.



Beach Yoga and Meditation

Tuesday, July 1 & 15, 6-8pm (Lafayette Blvd. Beach)

Join librarian Nicole and Deepak Chopra Certified Meditation Instructor Gary Jansen for a yoga and meditation session at scenic Lafayette Boulevard Beach. Let the sounds of the ocean wash over you as you become more in tune with your body and nature.

Please register.



Meditative Dance on the Beach

Thursday, July 10, 7:30pm

This meditative movement class with Marissa Moser promotes profound somatic healing. If you've ever tried to sit still to meditate and struggled to stop the thoughts in your head, this is for you! As a Licensed Mental Health Counselor and a lifelong dancer, Marissa is inspired by the connection between mind + body + soul. **Please Register.**



Self Care Saturday: Restorative Yoga

Saturday, July 12, 3:30pm

Unlike more active forms of yoga, restorative yoga focuses on long-held poses with the support of props to help the body fully relax. **Please Register.**