

MAIN LIBRARY HOURS

Monday, 9am-9pm
 Tuesday, 11am-9pm
 Wednesday, 9am-9pm
 Thursday, 9am-9pm
 Friday, 9am-5pm
 Saturday, 9am-5pm
 Sunday, Closed Summer Hrs.

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Chess Club for Adults at West
Thursday, August 20,
6:30-8pm

Open to adults, this club is a hub for community members to connect through chess.

Please bring your own chess set!

Tech Guy Talks:**How to set up your Router**

Monday, August 24, 8-8:45pm

We will go over how to secure your email, how to help spot fake emails, and how to handle phishing emails.

Please register.

Canasta 101: A 4-Part Series

Wednesdays, August 12, 19, 26 & September 2, 11:00am-12:30pm

A four-week Canasta learning series designed for beginners and newer players who want to build a strong foundation. **Registration required.**

**ADULT CRAFTS - Registration Required****Crochet, Knit & More Club**

Saturdays, 10:30am-12pm

Enjoy a creative, supportive space to work on projects, learn new stitches, and connect with fellow crafters.

Water Color Techniques with Julia

Tuesdays, August 4, 11, 18, 1-3pm

Explore dynamic relationship between pigments and water. 6 consecutive classes. \$10 materials fee.

Adult Craft: Garden Terrariums

Thursday, August 6, 11:30am-12:30pm

Join us to design and build a mini terrarium using plants, soil, and decorative elements to take home. \$10 fee.

Learn to Crochet

Thursday, August 6, 6-6:45pm

You'll learn how to create classic granny squares, one of the most versatile and recognizable crochet patterns. \$10 fee.

Summer Cake and Sip

Thursday, August 6, 7-9pm

Cake and sip as you sprinkle embroider your cake with a summertime stenciled design. \$10 fee.

America 250: Patriotic Sunflower

Tuesday, August 11, 7-8pm

Design and paint your own wooden red, white and blue patriotic sunflower!

Learn to Crochet: Granny Squares

Thursday, August 13, 20, 27 11:30am-1pm

You'll learn how to create classic granny squares. \$10 fee.

If Tara can do it, you can too! Easy crafts for adults.

Saturday, August 15, 9:15-10:45am

Books I've Read This Year" craft. \$10 fee.

Acrylic Painting 101

Saturday, August 15, 1-3pm

Join instructor Joan Lazarus as you create a painting! \$10 fee.

Adult Craft: Shell Compass Wall Art

Monday, August 17, 2-3pm

We'll be making a shell compass themed piece of art to hang in your home. \$5 fee.

Macrame Plant Hanger

Wednesday, August 19, 7-8:30pm

Learn the art of macramé and create your own hand-made plant hanger. \$5 fee.

Artful Salon

Wednesday, August 19, 1-2:30pm

Join Carolyn DeSoucey. This month's topic: How did you become interested in art or decide to become an artist?

Adult Craft: Scrapbooks & Junk Journals

Thursday, August 20, 11:30am-2pm

Design your own scrapbook pages or junk journals using paper, stickers, and other fun materials—in a relaxed, social setting.

**GRAB YOUR KICKS AND EXPLORE LONG BEACH!****Walking Tour of Long Beach**

with Joel Greenberg

Sunday, August 2 at 10am



The 90-minute tour will begin at the boardwalk entrance of the Allegria Hotel at 10am. No registration is required.



AUGUST 2026
PROGRAMS & EVENTS

Saturdy, August 1	
9:30-10:30 AM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet, Knit & More Club
2-3 PM	True Crime Book Club: 50 States of Murder
2-3:30 PM	Live Music: 4 Ways from Sunday
Sunday, August 2	
10 AM-11:30 AM	Library Closed - Summer Sundays
Monday, August 3	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
11 AM-1 PM	Writers' Circle (Zoom)
1-3 PM	Writers' Support Group
2-4 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Crime 101</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
7:30-8:30 PM	Travel Solo, Snack Together
Tuesday, August 4	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Watercolor Techniques with Julia
2-3 PM	Author Talk with Paula J. Johnson
6-7:30 PM	Beach Yoga and Meditation (Lafayette Boulevard Beach)
Wed, August 5	
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Mah-Jongg 101 part 4 (rescheduled from 7/29)
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club & Mah-Jongg Club
1-3 PM	Community Legal Help
1-3 PM	NY State of Health Marketplace Enrollment Assistance
1-3 PM	Resume Help
1:30-2:30 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
5:30-6:30 PM	Teen Night: Scrapbooks & Junk Journals
6:30-8 PM	West End Book Club (West End)
7-8:30 PM	Vinyl Collectors Club (LB Coffee and Tee)
Thursday, August 6	
11:30 AM-12:30 PM	Adult Craft: Garden Terrariums
6-6:45 PM	Learn to Crochet
6-8 PM	Open Mic Night at West (West End)
6-8 PM	Learn to Crochet
6:30-7:30 PM	Alzheimer's/Dementia Caregivers Support Group
7-9 PM	Summer Cake and Sip
Friday, August 7	
9:15- 10:15 AM	Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Film Friday: <i>Stand by Me</i>
Saturday, August 8	
9:30-10:30 AM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet, Knit & More Club
1-3 PM	LBPL Scribblers Writers Workshop
Sunday, August 9	
Monday, August 10	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Writers' Support Group
2-4:30 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>The Help</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
7-8 PM	The Romance Book Club: <i>Summer Romance</i> (West End)
Tuesday, August 11	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Water Color Techniques with Julia
2-4 PM	Baseball and Basketball in Days Gone By (Zoom)
6-8 PM	Beach Yoga and Meditation (Lafayette Boulevard Beach)
7-8 PM	Adult Craft: Patriotic Sunflower

Wed, August 12	
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club & Mah-Jongg Club
1:30-2:30 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
5-6 PM	Teen Night: Paint a Sea Turtle Decorative Light
6:30-8:30 PM	Poetry Open Mic Night!
7-8 PM	Silent Book Club @ Lafayette Beach
Thursday, August 13	
10-11 AM	Books & Bagels: A Literary Breakfast Club
11:30 AM-1 PM	Learn to Crochet: Granny Squares
1-2:45 PM	The Poet's Craft with Mindy Mangot
6:30-7:30 PM	Yoga Nidra on the Beach
7-8:30 PM	Pamela Laskin and Ellen Paige Author Visit
7-9 PM	Perspectives in Art
Friday, August 14	
9:15-10:15 AM	Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Film Friday: <i>The Dark Knight</i>
Saturday, August 15	
9:15-10:45 AM	If Tara can do it, you can too! "Books I've Read This Year" craft
9:30-10:30 AM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet, Knit & More Club
1-3 PM	Acrylic Painting 101
Sunday, August 16	
Monday, August 17	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
11 AM-1 PM	Writers' Circle (Zoom)
1-3 PM	Resume Help
1-3 PM	Writers' Support Group
2-3 PM	Adult Craft: Shell Compass Wall Art
2-4:15 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Michael</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
Tuesday, August 18	
11 AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Water Color Techniques with Julia
6-8 PM	Beach Yoga and Meditation (Lafayette Boulevard Beach)
Wed. August 19	
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta 101: A 4 Part Series
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club & Mah-Jongg Club
1-2:30 PM	Artful Salon
1-3 PM	Resume Help (Hybrid)
1:30-2:30 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
2:15-3 PM	Meditation with Lisa Wisel (Hybrid)
5:30-6:30 PM	Teen Night: Decorative Decoupage Shells
7-8 PM	FUN FOR ALL! Beach Blanket Bingo (Lafayette Blvd Beach)
7-8 PM	Point Lookout Book Club
7-8:30 PM	Macrame Plant Hanger
Thursday, August 20	
11:30 AM-1 PM	Learn to Crochet: Granny Squares
11:30 AM-2 PM	Adult Craft: Scrapbooks & Junk Journals
6:30-8 PM	Chess Club for Adults at West (West End)
7:30-9 PM	Comedy After Dark
Friday, August 21	
9:15-10:15 AM	Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
12-2 PM	LB Garden Club: Tomatomania
1-3 PM	Film Friday: <i>Weird: The Al Yankovic Story</i>
Saturday, August 22	
9:30-10:30 AM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet, Knit & More Club
2-4 PM	Mocktails & Bouquets: learn the art of floral arranging

Sunday, August 23	
Monday, August 24	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
10 AM-12 PM	Family Movie: <i>Goat</i>
1-3 PM	Writers' Support Group
2-4 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Pressure</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates
8-8:45 PM	Tech Guy Talks: How to set up your Router (In Person)
Tuesday, August 25	
11AM-12 PM	Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
1-2 PM	We the People: Understanding the Supreme Court
2-3 PM	Author Talk with Beronda Montgomery
Wed, August 26	
9:30-10:30 AM	Zumba
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta 101: A 4 Part Series
11 AM-12:30 PM	Canasta Club & Mah-Jongg Club
1:30-2:30 PM	Chair Yoga (West End)
2-3 PM	Ask the Tech Guy
2:15-3 PM	Meditation with Lisa Wisel (Hybrid)
5:30-6:30 PM	Teen Night: Bracelet Bar
7-8:30 PM	LBNY Bestseller's Book Club Kin by Tayari Jones (Hybrid)
7-8:30 PM	Women's Empowerment Group with Anissa Moore
Thursday, August 27	
11:30-1 PM	Learn to Crochet: Granny Squares
2-3 PM	Author Talk with Lucy Foley
3-4 PM	Hoopla Overview (Zoom)
6-8 PM	LGBTQ+ Cinema: <i>High Art</i>
6:30-8:30 PM	Sing-along Karaoke (West End)
7-9 PM	Perspectives in Art
Friday, August 28	
9:15-10:15 AM	Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Film Friday: <i>Ex Machina</i>
Saturday, August 29	
9:30-10:30 AM	Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
10:30 AM-12 PM	Crochet, Knit & More Club
Sunday, August 30	
9 AM-2 PM	Library Closed - Summer Sundays
Monday, August 31	
10-11 AM	Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
1-3 PM	Resume Help
1-3 PM	Writers' Support Group
2-4:45 PM	Monday Matinee: <i>Project Hail Mary</i>
6-7 PM	Pilates

Library Closed - Summer Sundays

Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
Family Movie: *Goat*
Writers' Support Group
Monday Matinee: *Pressure*
Pilates
Tech Guy Talks: How to set up your Router (In Person)

Low-Impact Cardio (Hybrid)
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Sing-along Karaoke (West End)
Perspectives in Art

Chair Yoga (Hybrid)
Film Friday: *Ex Machina*

Yoga for Health & Peace (Hybrid)
Crochet, Knit & More Club
Library Closed - Summer Sundays
Harriet Eisman Community School Graduation

Accessible Yoga for Every Body (Hybrid)
Resume Help
Writers' Support Group
Monday Matinee: *Project Hail Mary*
Pilates

Baseball and Basketball in Days Gone By

Tuesday, August 11, 2-4pm (Zoom)
Join Larry Liebenthal on Zoom for an extensive discussion about anything and everything baseball and basketball!

Women's Empowerment Group
with Anissa Moore

Wednesday, August 26, 7-8:30pm
Please join Anissa Moore, Deputy County Executive for Health and Human Services, for this monthly gathering of support. **Please register.**

Hoopla Overview (Zoom)

Thursday, August 27, 3-4pm
Join librarian Ron Carroll for an overview of Gale Academic Onefile!



NY State of Health Marketplace Enrollment Assistance Information
Wednesday, August 5, 1-3pm
NY State of Health is the official health plan marketplace for New Yorkers to shop for, compare, and enroll in health insurance coverage. **Please register.**

Community Legal Help
Wednesday, August 5, 1-3pm
Offering free legal services for low income residents of Nassau County.

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](https://longbeachlibrary.org)





MOVIES

Family Movie: Goat

Monday, August 24, 10-12 am

Animated, 2026, PG, 1hr 40min

Monday Matinee: Pressure

Monday, August 24, 2-4pm

Drama, 2026, PG-13, 1hr 40min

LGBTQ+ Cinema: High Art

Thursday, August 27, 6-8pm

Horror, Comedy, Drama, 2022, R, 1hr 35min

Film Friday: Ex Machina

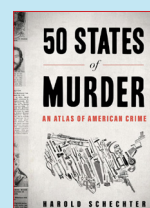
Friday, August 28, 1-3pm

Thriller, Sci-Fi, 2014, R, 1hr 48min

Monday Matinee: Project Hail Mary

Monday, August 31, 2-4:45pm

Sci-Fi, 2026, PG-13, 2hr 36min



TRUE CRIME
SAT, AUG 1, 2PM



ROMANCE BOOK CLUB
MON, AUG 10, 7PM



Vinyl Collectors Club

Wednesday, August 5, 7pm (LB Coffee and Tee)

Bring a record you've been dying to share with the group. Join us at Long Beach Coffee and Tee to enjoy tasty treats, drinks and great music. **Please register.**



Open Mic Night at West

Thursday, August 6, 6pm (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+)



Poetry Open Mic Night

Wednesday, August 12, 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.



SILENT BOOK CLUB
WED, AUG 12, 7PM



BOOKS & BAGELS
THURS, AUG 13, 10AM



POINT LOOKOUT
WED, AUG 19, 7PM



LBNY BESTSELLER'S
WED, AUG 26, 7PM



LB Garden Club: Tomatomania

Friday, August 21, 12pm

Tomatomania is back! Join the LB Garden Club for one of our favorite annual traditions celebrating the star of the summer garden—the tomato! **Please Register.**



Sing-along Karaoke

Thursday, August 27, 6:30-8:30pm (West End)

Show off your voice with an evening of karaoke at the West End Branch. All ages are welcome!





Mondays & 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, August 8, 1pm

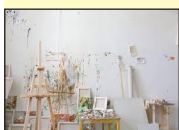
Join published author and creative writing teacher Marc DeSantis for this interactive writing circle. Bring works in progress and writing materials.

Please register.

Writers' Support Group Mondays 1-3pm

Here is an opportunity to connect with your inner-voice and express yourself in writing. All skill levels welcome!

Please register.



Perspectives in Art Thurs, August 13, 7-9pm

An open-studio multi-media art club for

every ability and interest whose members – from pre-beginners to pros – love creating, learning and sharing in a non-competitive supportive environment. Come enjoy sketching, painting, photography, collage, etc. while socializing with friends.

Please register.

AUGUST AUTHOR TALKS



PAULA J. JOHNSON
AUGUST 4, 2PM

BERONDA MONTGOMERY
AUGUST 25 | 2PM



LUCY FOLEY
AUGUST 27 | 2PM

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



TEEN NIGHT

Scrapbooks & Junk Journals
Wednesday, August 5, 5:30pm

Paint a Sea Turtle Decorative Light
Wednesday, August 12, 5pm

Decorative Decoupage Shells
Wednesday, August 19, 5:30pm

Bracelet Bar
Wednesday, August 26, 5:30pm



AMERICA



America 250: We the People: Understanding the Supreme Court with James Coll

Tuesday, August 25, 1-2pm

Our objective will be to get a better sense of how the Court works, how it deals with (or fails to deal with) controversial issues and how the “least dangerous branch” has secured its unique place in the American constitutional structure.

Please register.

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, August 26, 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 1:30pm

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

Yoga for Health & Peace

Saturdays at 9:30am (Hybrid)

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



Beach Yoga and Meditation

Tuesdays, Aug. 4, 11, 18 at 6-8pm (Lafayette Blvd. Beach)

Join Librarian Nicole and Certified Meditation & Health Instructor Gary Jansen for a yoga and meditation session at scenic Lafayette Boulevard Beach.

Please register.



Yoga Nidra on the Beach

Thursday, August 13, 6:30-7:30pm (Lafayette Blvd. Beach)

Marissa will guide you in Yoga Nidra meditation, also known as yogic sleep, which is a practice of deeply restorative rest. It's said that just one hour of Nidra meditation is equivalent to four hours of sleep at night.

Please register.