

The Hurricane of '38

Quogue Historical Society
Multimedia Presentation
& Annual Meeting
Thursday, July 8, 8 p.m.

The Quogue Historical Society has spent the winter transforming its wonderful collection of '38 Hurricane slides into a digital presentation. See this classic collection newly enhanced and restored on our large screen. Learn about how this devastating storm affected the local communities, see actual film footage of the damage, and hear survivor's stories.

Sponsors Help Our Author Series

This year's stellar lineup of authors is made possible by several generous donations. While we were planning this year's series back in January, The Inn at Quogue called us up to ask what they could do to help. The Inn at Quogue is a major corporate sponsor of the series, not only through a cash grant but also by providing rooms for authors who are arriving from out of town. We thank The Inn at Quogue for their generosity and community spirit! The Wallace Special Projects Fund of New York Community Trust has once again become a major series sponsor by increasing their donation. This grant enabled us to launch the series last year by providing startup funds. Quogue resident Lorraine Rothenburg, a patron of the arts, was of special assistance in securing this funding. In addition, an anonymous Quogue donor has made a special gift to enable the continuation of this series. Thank you to all for your continuing support of great literature.



Lawrence Austin, General Manager of the Inn at Quogue presents Library Director Tara D'Amato with a Donation.

Art Gallery Events

C.P. Beaty, paintings now showing
from July 2 – July 31. Artist's
Reception July 2 from 5-7 p.m.

Liz Holtz, paintings showing
August 2 – August 30. Artist's
Reception August 6 from 5-7 p.m.

Quogue Historical Society Annual Art Show and Sale

Saturday, August 14 on the Library
Grounds from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

All proceeds benefit the Quogue Historical Society.
Your favorite local artists are all here!

Children's Juried Art Show

Saturday, August 14

Children may enter original work for our annual art competition. Works must have child's name, age, phone number and address clearly labeled on the back of piece. Pieces may be dropped off by 9 a.m. at the library on the morning of the show only.

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Conversations with the Author Series Returns

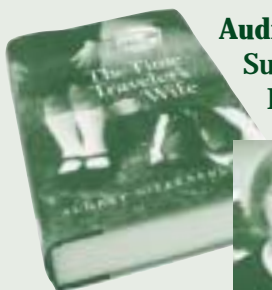
The Library's "Conversations with the Author" brings bestselling and award winning writers as well as emerging talent to the community for a reading and lecture followed by a book signing and cocktail reception. Weather permitting, events will be held on the lovely grounds of the Library. You may purchase tickets to individual lectures at \$15 each or a series pass at \$100. Tickets are on sale now.



Annette Gordon-Reed –
 Sunday, July 11, 2004, 5 p.m.
Thomas Jefferson and Sally Hemings: An American Controversy



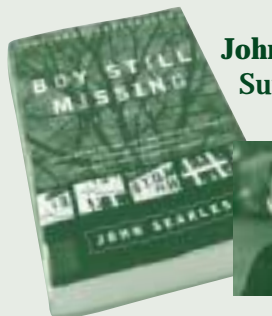
Colin Harrison –
 Sunday, August 8, 2004, 5 p.m.
 New York Times Bestselling Author. *Break and Enter; Bodies Electric; Afterburn; The Havana Room; Manhattan Nocturne*



Audrey Niffenegger –
 Sunday, July 18, 2004, 5 p.m.
 Her first novel was a national bestseller and a *Today Show* Book Club selection.
The Time Traveler's Wife



Shirley Hazzard –
 Sunday, August 15, 2004, 5 p.m.
 Winner of the National Book Award for Fiction, 2003. Novels: *Transit of Venus; The Great Fire*



John Searles –
 Sunday, July 25, 2004, 5 p.m.
 Searles is the Books Editor for *Cosmopolitan Magazine*.
 Works: *Boy Still Missing; Strange but True*



Michael Carroll –
 Sunday, August 22, 2004, 5 p.m.
 Mr. Carroll's first book, *Lab 257 – The Disturbing Story of the Government's Secret Plum Island Germ Laboratory* took five years to research.



Carlos Eire –
 Sunday, August 1, 2004, 5 p.m.
 Winner of the 2003 National Book Award for non-fiction. Eire teaches at Yale University.



Paul Muldoon –
 Sunday, August 29, 2004, 5 p.m.
 Winner of the 2003 Pulitzer Prize in Poetry. Muldoon teaches at Princeton University.
The Annals of Chile; Maddoc: A Mystery; Hay: Poems; Moy Sand and Gravel



The Library aims to make our programs accessible to everyone. If you would like to participate in an event but the cost presents a financial hardship please call our Director at 653-4224 or write us at P.O. Box 5036, Quogue, N.Y. 11959 at least 1 week before a program begins.

Meditation Made Easy & Introduction to Reiki

Tuesdays, 7 p.m. July 6th - August 10th
registration required, space is limited call 653-4224
 Join Rita Davies Wild, certified Reiki master and Transformational Breath facilitator for a six-session series. Included will be one hour of learning the basic steps of meditation, enabling you to understand its benefits and successfully practice it on your own plus 30 minutes in which you can experience the healing energy of Reiki firsthand and learn how it can enhance the meditation process.

Weeds that Hurt

Thursday, July 15, 7 p.m.
A computerized, color slide show on our big screen enhances this presentation.
 What are your weeds trying to tell you? This program will analyze conditions that encourage certain types of weeds. By changing conditions through fertilizing, integrated pest management, drainage, removal and planting competing plants or protective companions, you can defeat your weeds! Tips for identification, including comments on look-alikes will be covered.

Nonfiction Book Discussion “The Founding Mothers” by Cokie Roberts

Thursday, July 22, 7 p.m.
 While much has been written about the men who signed the Declaration of Independence, battled the British, and framed the Constitution, the wives, mothers, sisters, and daughters they left behind have been little noticed by history. Roberts brings us the women who fought the Revolution as valiantly as the men, often defending their very doorsteps. While the men went off to war or to Congress, the women managed their businesses, raised their children, provided them with political advice, and made it possible for the men to do what they did. The behind-the-scenes influence of these women, and their sometimes very public activities, was intelligent and pervasive. Copies of the book are at the front desk or can be mailed to you on request, please call 653-4224 to register.

Basics of Knitting

Thursdays, July 22, 29, August 5, 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
 Bring worsted weight yarn and size 7 or 8 needles, either straight or circular. Students will learn the basics, such as knit and purl, how to read patterns, and how to start a project. Please register for this class.

Fiction Book Discussion: *Monkeyhunting* by Cristina Garcia

Sunday, July 25, 12 noon (lunch will be served)
 The new novel from the acclaimed author of *Dreaming in Cuban* and *The Agüero Sisters* follows one family from China to Cuba to America in an emotionally resonant tale of immigration, assimilation, and the powerful integrity of self. In 1857, when Chen Pan signs a contract that will take him from China "beyond the edge of the world to Cuba," he has no idea that he will be enslaved on a sugarcane plantation or that he will eventually, miraculously, escape his bonds and embark on a prosperous life in Havana's Chinatown. Pick up a copy at the front desk or call 653-4224 to have one mailed to you. Please register for this program.

Partnership for Long Term Care

Thursday, July 29, 7 p.m.
 Learn how to protect 100% of your assets while remaining Medicaid eligible. The Partnership Program allows people to stay in financial control should they need help in a nursing home, assisted living facility or in their own home. Learn how to qualify and what is involved. Please register for this program.

French Cuisine: A Cooking Class

Friday, August 20, 7 p.m.
 Join Master Chef Charlie Walsh of the NY Culinary Institute for this special cooking demonstration followed by a tasting. You will learn the key ingredients and technique that makes this cuisine special, and be able to prepare some recipes at home! A \$10 fee is payable at registration to help cover the costs of ingredients. This class is enhanced by a special video screen projection which enables you to see what the chef is doing on the table even if you are seated at the back of the room! Bring your own beverage and call it an early dinner. Please register by calling 653-4224.

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Preference will be given to Quogue and East Quogue Library cardholders, as space is very limited. Registration for the Summer storytimes begins on Saturday June 26th and will be conducted in the library only; we will not accept registration by telephone.

Summer 2004

Summer Storytime Schedule

Tuesdays

10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Play! Parents and Pixies (Infant – 1 years of age)
Join other mothers raising young children for an informal play session. A wide variety of manipulatives, puzzles, puppets, and toys designed to stimulate the interest, and challenge the fine motor skills of your youngster will be explored.

11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

Tiny Tot Tales (1- 2 years of age)
Sing traditional nursery rhymes, learn finger plays, and practice singing songs that incorporate movement and participation. Then listen to a few short stories that focus on rhyme, repetition, and beginning literacy skills.

Wednesdays

10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

Mommy and Me Storytime Plus (2-3 years of age)
Storytime at its best and a jump-start to literacy! Listen to three age appropriate stories and participate in a simple art activity or discovery through play with educational toys and puzzles.

Thursdays

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Fridays

10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Preschool Themed Storytime (4 - 5 years of age)
Listen to great stories from our picture book collection and learn about the best in children's literature and the collections of relevant authors. Themes change weekly; a related arts and crafts project follows.

Special Events

It's a Carnival! Summer Reading Program Party
Saturday, July 10, 12 -2 p.m. (All Ages)

Join us as we kick off the summer reading program with a fun filled family event for all. Music, a carnival booth, games, prizes, balloon sculpting, cotton candy, temporary tattoos, and face painting are just some of the treats you can expect! Sign up for our summer reading clubs today and start reading and winning prizes.

PJ Storytime

Thursday, July 15, 7:00 – 7:45 p.m., Ages 3-6

Tonight's theme is Teddy bears! Bring a favorite stuffed animal and do not forget to wear your favorite pajamas.

Mr. Mouse Puppet Show and Puppet Making

Saturday, July 17, 11 – 12 noon (Ages 3 – 10)

Participate in a puppet show and then make your own puppet with puppeteer Katie Polk. Katie will entertain children with over 25 different puppets in her most popular show. Guaranteed to make you giggle.

Lego Engineering with LI Science Center

Thursday, July 22, 11 – 12 noon (Ages 9-13)

Levers, pulleys, and simple machines come to life when children build them. Work through a series of models using LEGO dacta Technics Kits. Manipulate materials, interpret data, observe and predict.

School Age Storytime

Saturday, July 24, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m., Ages 6-9

Relax and listen to an age appropriate story. Discussion to follow.

Amphibians and Reptiles with the Fauna Society

Saturday, July 24, 11 – 12 noon (All ages)

Meet some of our favorite friends from the animal world. A snake, an alligator, a lizard, a frog, a tarantula, a tortoise, and a millipede, may be amongst the creatures to come to our library to see you!

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Children's Art Classes

Sponsored by the Quogue Historical Society
Mondays: July 26, August 2, August 9, 2 - 3 p.m.
Registration is required and participation in all three sessions is required. Space is limited. Children will complete special 3D art projects involving paint, colored markers and other materials. Projects may be entered in the Children's Art Show.

Floating and Flight

Saturday, July 31, 11:00 - 12 noon (Ages 6-12)
Density and buoyancy come alive with demonstrations and hands-on activities using a water tank. Gravity, lift, air pressure, and other scientific principles will be discussed.

Make your own aerodynamic paper glider and a Cartesian diver to take home!

Singing Stories with Brady Rymer

Saturday, August 7, 11:00 - 12 noon (Ages 2 - 7)
Join Brady as he visits our library again to delight and entertain children by singing and playing guitar to favorite big book stories. Audience participation is irresistible.

PJ Storytime

Tuesday, August 10, 7:00 - 7:45 p.m., Ages 3 - 6
Pajamas and a favorite stuffed animal are mandatory to ensure the most FUN possible.
Dreamy books and stories will ensure a good night's sleep!

Duplo-Lego Engineering

Thursday, August 12, 11:30 - 12:30 p.m. (Ages 4-7)
Technology at its best! Make a tambourine using machines built with dacta-lego pieces.

Ice Cream Making

Wednesday, August 18, 12 noon - 1:00 p.m. (Ages 5-12)
Ice cream is more than a sweet indulgence - it has nutritional value and an interesting history. During this workshop, children will actively learn to make ice cream the old fashioned way - by hand cranking! Taste the fruits of your labor when we're done.

Magic and Balloons: End of Summer Reading Program Party

Saturday, August 21, 12 noon - 2:00 p.m. (All Ages)
Now that you've completed the summer reading program, come and join us for a comedy magic show and a balloon twisting workshop. Followed by a picnic.

Quogue Library Summer Reading Program 2004

Registration for the Summer Reading Program will begin on Saturday, June 26 and will continue through Saturday, August 14. An adult must accompany children at registration to assist with the registration process; phone-in registration is not permissible. Children must have a library card to participate in this program. You may count books read for school Recommended Reading Lists as part of our program, but you should also read some books of your own choosing.

Children will receive small prizes for every 3 books read. You will be asked to report on ONE of those three books to a staff member to claim your prize. You will have until August 20 to complete your program. After reading the required number of books, children will be invited to a special party with magic, balloons, and a picnic on Saturday, August 21 from 12 noon to 2:00 p.m. Reading Certificates will be distributed to children at this time. For children unable to attend, certificates will be mailed to your permanent address in September.

At registration for the Summer Reading Program you will receive:

- A Reading Record so that your child may log the books he or she is reading.
- A grade appropriate bookmark with a short recommended reading list.



School Age Storytime

Saturday, August 28, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m., (6 - 9 years of age)
Relax and listen to an age appropriate story. Discussion to follow.

Young Adult “End of School, Start of Summer” Karaoke Party!

Thursday, July 1, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Celebrate your accomplishments this school year, graduation, and the start of your summer plans with a Young Adult party at the library. Join your friends for food and fun and see the new line-up of books for your summer reading pleasure. A great time to sign-up for the YA Summer Reading Program! You must call to register if you will be joining us. Please call 653-4224.

Young Adult Summer Reading Program

Attention all teens! This summer we will introduce a Summer Reading Program designed just for you. You will be encouraged to read a minimum of 6 books to fully participate in the Summer Reading Program. Incentives will be issued each time you present a short, written summary of the book read. Registration for the Summer Reading Program will begin on Saturday, June 26 and will continue through Saturday, August 14. Registration will take place in the library; phone-in registration is not permissible. You must have a library card to participate in this program.

The Summer Reading Program will end on Friday, August 20 and will culminate with a Picnic on Saturday, August 21 from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Reading Certificates will be distributed at this time. If you are unable to attend, certificates will be mailed to your permanent address in September.



Summer 2004 Young Adult Special Programs

*Please note that all registration for special programs will start at the beginning of the month the program takes place. Thank you.

Cartooning Made Easy with Ed Klein

Tuesday, July 6, 7 – 8 p.m. (5th – 12th Graders)

Learn the basics of cartooning so you can caricature the world around you. Create original cartoons and learn to draw your favorite cartoon characters. Space is limited to 25 participants.

Scrapbooking Workshop with Tina

Tuesday, July 20, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. (6th - 9th Graders)

\$5.00 material fee

Learn how to quickly and safely organize and store your photos by creating a two page layout for a scrapbook. Crop and mount your pictures, journal and adorn your page with stickers and pen decorations before protecting each page. Fun and easy! 12 children maximum, please register.

Wild About Horses with Tara D'Amato

2 Part Workshop

Thursday, July 22, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. (4th – 9th Graders)

Learn all about horses and how to take care of one. You will see real saddles, tack and horse equipment and learn about horse behavior and training. Find out about different types of riding and what you need to know to participate. Parents welcome to attend. Handouts provided including a directory of riding stables, tack shops and equestrian organizations and events on LI. Participation is limited to 10 children.

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Art & Design Lecture #2:

**The Ray Johnson Story and
How to Draw a Bunny**

Saturday, August 21, 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Join Francis Beatty Adler, Vice President of Richard L. Fergen & Co., scholar of Surrealist art, curator and art critic. She is the Director of the Estate of Ray Johnson, an enigmatic and extraordinary collagist who conceived Pop Art before Andy Warhol. Ms. Adler will discuss the significance of his conceptualist and performance pieces, placing them in the context of modern art at the time. She will also discuss his “mail art” and his film “How to Draw a Bunny”, for which she was co-executive producer. The film “How to Draw a Bunny” is being screened at the Westhampton Beach Performing Arts Center on August 25th.

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Friday, July 23, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Meet Tara’s horse, Clancy, at the library. Clancy is a 2 year old horse Tara adopted from a horse rescue when he was only 4 months old. Demonstration including grooming a horse and exercising one, plus the proper way to tack up. Make Clancy’s visit extra special by bringing some carrots!

Cartoon Animation: Create A Flip-Book

Tuesday, August 3, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. (5th – 12th graders)
Learn how to make your drawings move and express yourself through the use of animation. Limited to 25 participants.

Lights, Camera, Action!

Produce, Direct and Star in an Original Film
Thursdays, August 5, 12, 19, 26, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Participants must be available for all four sessions. Join local filmmaker Frank Cento to learn all you need to know about making a movie. Using real cameras, lights and a script, you will direct and star in a zany comedy taking place in the Library. Learn what’s involved in directing, editing and producing a film. We’ll screen our movie after the last session and children will get to take home a copy of the film to keep. Space is limited to 16 participants.

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Your Library Card is Important

During the summer months, we ask that you please try to remember to bring your library card to the desk with you. It takes time to look up your record in our files if you forget, causing a line at the front desk.

DVD Collection:

More Feature Films to Enjoy

Don’t forget to bring home a movie. Our DVD collection has expanded to include many more award winners, new releases, foreign and independent films. You may check out up to 2 DVD’s at a time and keep them for 3 days. Our new policy insures as many customers as possible get to enjoy the movie collection. Thanks to all of you who have been remembering to bring your DVD’s back on time, we are very impressed!

Heard any Good Stories Lately?

Check out our Audiobooks!

Books on Tape and CD are now in the Community Room. We have a wide assortment of fiction titles for your enjoyment, including the latest bestsellers. Narrated by professional actors, audiobooks bring a story to life! Try one on your next commute or family car trip.

Books for Sale Friday through Sunday

The library has a booksale room in the basement that is open during regular business hours Fridays through Sunday. Books are priced by publication date, with current year hardcover titles selling for \$5. We get many brand new and gently used books as donations. When we already own a title, we sell it to raise funds for buying new books.

Book Donations On Hold

Due to a lack of storage space, we are temporarily unable to accept your book donations. Please be patient and we will resume this service as soon as we have room!

Le Cercle Francais

Whether you are a Francophile, native speaker or would just like to practice speaking and hearing French - you are welcome to join our informal conversational group on Thursdays at 4 p.m. A moderator will be on hand to keep the discussion going. Please call 653-4224 to register.

Library Hours:
Sun. & Mon. 12-5
Weds., Fri., Sat. 10-5
Tues. & Thurs. 10-8

We are a Wireless HotSpot!

Quickly and easily check your email, and surf the web at high speed, right from your own laptop or mobile hand-held device! You can use the Library's HotSpot service to get on the internet throughout the building and even out into the backyard. You must have a WiFi wireless network card installed in your device to use this service. We're sorry, printing is not yet available with wireless. So take advantage of the peace, quiet and comfort of the Quogue Library to stay connected even when you're away from home. If you have any questions about this service please contact our Director at 653-4224.

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Hours: July/August
Wednesday & Friday, 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 12 noon



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