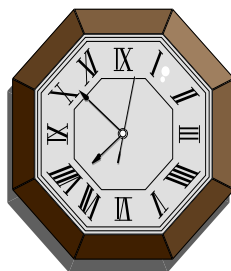




Library Hours



Sunday	11:00AM-3:00PM
Monday	9:00AM-5:00PM
Tuesday	9:00AM-9:00PM
Wednesday	9:00AM-9:00PM
Thursday	9:00AM-9:00PM
Friday	9:00AM-5:00PM
Saturday	10:00AM-4:00PM

The library will close at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 28. The library will also close at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 26, and all day on Thursday, November 27 for Thanksgiving. We will be closed on Wednesday, December 24, and Thursday, December 25 in observance of the Christmas holiday. The library will close at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, December 31, and all day on Thursday, January 1 for the New Year.

A special thanks to Laura Ronayne for her 15 years of dedicated service to the Greenwood Lake Public Library as a valued trustee. Laura was instrumental in the expansion of the library in 1997 and the addition of the program room and reference section in 2002.

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Dear Patrons:

Summer is over and the children have returned to school. During this past summer the library was a very busy place. Our Summer Reading Program was a great success. Two hundred twenty children participated in the program. Fifty-five special programs were available with a total attendance of 412. For the first time, a separate and involved teen summer reading program was offered with 28 teens (12 years and up) registering and actively participating. I would like to thank Mrs. Amy Garguilo, Head of Children's Services, the parents, the teens, and all the children for making the Greenwood Lake Library a wonderful place to be and be a part of this past summer.

As we move into the school year, I thought this would be the appropriate time to remind everyone of the resources the library has available to assist students with projects, papers, homework, reports and test preparation.

- **Learningexpresslibrary.com** – accessed from a library or home computer with your library barcode as the user name. This site provides practice tests in many areas. Some of the academic resources that can be found on this site are: New York State 4th Grade practice in math, reading and writing; 4th grade tests in math and reading; NYS 8th grade practice in reading and writing; 8th grade tests in reading and math; Advanced Placement practice tests in Biology, Calculus, English Lit and Composition, and U.S. History; ACT practice test (for college admissions); the Catholic High School entrance practice exams (COOP & HSPT); CUNY Freshman Assessment Test (reading, writing & math skills practice); NYS Regents writing practice; SAT prep courses and practice tests.
- **School Project Reserve Shelf** – consists of library materials that have been set aside pertaining to GWL students' research projects.

- **Coming soon to the Reserve Shelf** – copies of school textbooks (grades 1-8) – reference copies of school textbooks for use when your child has forgotten a textbook at school.
- **Ready Reference Web Folders** – contain links to sites categorized by topic, typically assigned to certain grade levels and curricula. Much of what is contained in these sites has been printed to hard copy and is kept in binders located on the school project reserve shelf.
- **Seven Public Access Computers** – each is fully equipped with various learning programs, Microsoft office programs, and access the Internet through a high-speed cable connection.
- **Research Computer** – Located in the Reference area, dedicated to databases containing academic journal articles with the majority being printable full-text.
- **A variety of children and adult library materials in print, audio, video, and combination of print and audio formats** – these materials are for research, study and recreation and are borrowed for a two-week period. In most cases, print materials may be renewed up to three two-week periods.
- **New Additions to our Children's Area** – 2003 *World Book Encyclopedia* set with research guide and index (23 volumes), *World Book Student Dictionary*, *World Book Biographical Encyclopedia of Scientists* (8 volume set), *Exploring the Solar System* (9 volume set), 2003 *World Book for Kids Illustrated Atlas*, and *Capstone Press State Book* set (appropriate for 3-5 grade reading level).
- Your library card also gives you access to other libraries' collections through the inter-library loan system. These items can usually be available for pick up here within a day or two.

We look forward to assisting your children in meeting their academic requirements for this school year, and seeing all of you in the library again soon.

Youth/Family Programs

Autumn Fun-times

Introduce your child to the joy of reading and the value of their public library through stories, crafts, music and more! Three age groups! Two sessions to choose from!

* Infants – 2 years: Wednesday 9:30-10am & 12:30 – 1pm

* 2-3 years: Friday 10:30- 11am & 1-1:30pm

* 4-5 years: Thursday 10:30-11:15am & 1-1:45pm)

Registration is required. Children under 4 must be accompanied by an adult. Sessions begin the week of October 1st. These programs are designed for the registered child and their parent(s). Please make other arrangements for siblings during this time.

Friday October 24 * 1:00-3:00pm

Halloween Crafts and Snacks

Join us for an afternoon of creepy crafts and snacks! Children 2-5 years and their parents are invited. Those who wear their costumes will receive a bag of Halloween goodies! All children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration required.

Wednesday October 29 * 6:45-7:30pm

Halloween Dance Party

Have you ever seen a skeleton dance the Monster Mash or met a friendly goblin? You will at THIS Halloween Dance Party! We will also listen to some Howlin' Halloween poetry and learn where in the world Halloween began. Don't forget to wear your Halloween costume! Each child will be given a special edition library trick-or-treat bag and tips on Halloween safety from Ms. Amy. Open to children ages 5-11. Kids only! Registration required.

Saturday November 15 * 11-12:30pm

Oodles of Noodles

Bring a buddy and learn how to cook a crazy Oriental noodle soup with tips from our gourmet guru Norma Chang! A sit down lunch will follow! Open to grades 5 and older. Register by Monday November 17th.

Picture This...Imagine That... READ!

Thank you to all those who participated in this past summer's reading program! You made us all VERY proud! Art work that was left on the Art Studio walls are now available to be picked up from Ms. Amy. Please pick up your artwork by October 30.

HEY TEENS! CHECK THIS OUT!

The following teen programs are open to young adults 12 years and older. Registration is required for all programs.

Let Your Voice Be Heard!

We need your unique thoughts and ideas! Join the library's **YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD (Y.A.B.)**. Assist in planning library sponsored programs for you and your friends. Get your hands on the latest Young Adult titles before they hit library shelves! Earn community service points by volunteering in the library! Y.A.B members will meet on the third Tuesday of each month, beginning September 23rd, 6-7pm. Bring a friend and meet new ones too! For more information contact Amy Gargiulo, Y.A.B. coordinator. Remember...it's not just about books anymore!

Tuesday October 7 * 6 -7:30pm

Horrorgami

Learn the art of Origami – Halloween Style! Create bewitching bats, ghastly ghosts, and freaky flying witches all with a few folds of a piece of paper! Help decorate the library's children's room window, your locker, or your front door for all those unsuspecting trick-or-treaters! All supplies and food will be provided. Register by Wednesday October 1st.

Tuesday October 21 * 6-7:30pm

Pumpkin Carving 101

You bring the pumpkins and we'll provide all the tools you will need to create the coolest, creepiest carved pumpkins your neighborhood has ever seen!! Food will be provided. Register by Monday October 13th.

Tuesday November 11 * 3-4:00pm

Grapevine Wreath Weaving

Use fresh grapevines donated by local wineries to weave a wreath for your family's Thanksgiving table. They make great holiday gifts too! All supplies and food will be provided. Register by Saturday November 1st.

Be on the LOOK OUT for library flyers and newspaper articles on upcoming events that are not listed in this newsletter. These events are still in the planning stages!

PREMIER AUTUMN FAMILY EVENT

Saturday November 22 * 11-12:00pm

KIDS KNITTING – Basics for Beginners of All Ages

Local author and editor, Melanie Falick will visit us for **KIDS KNITTING-Basics for Beginners of All Ages**, a special family event. Melanie will demonstrate the basic principles of knitting and bring finished examples of projects found in her most recent book, *Kids Knitting – Projects for Kids of All Ages*.

Kids Knitting explains in detailed, simple steps the basic principles and stitches of knitting. Copies will be on display and available for purchase at the library beginning October 1st.

THIS SPECIAL EVENT IS OPEN TO ANYONE who wants to learn or is just interested in the craft. Please bring your own yarn and needles. An adult must accompany children under 10. Registration by Saturday November 8th is required. Please call Amy Gargiulo, Head of Children's Services for more information.

Adult Programs

Saturday, October 4 ' 10 am – 4 pm

Defensive Driving Program

This course reduces the liability and collision portion of your policy by 10% for each principal driver that takes the course, and removes four points from your driver's license for points accrued in the last 18 months.

There is a fee of \$25.00 per person for all residents of the Greenwood Lake Union Free School District and \$35.00 for non-residents. You must register in person at the library. The fee is due at registration. Class size is limited to 40.

Saturday, October 18 ' 12:00-1:30 pm

"Putting the Garden to Bed"

Master Gardener Volunteer Les Blum of the Cornell Cooperative Extension advises you, via lecture and slide presentation, on how to successfully winter over your garden to ensure healthy plants the following spring. Lawn and garden clean up, house plants, rodent protection, protecting plants, renewing mulch, pruning, winterizing your lawn mower, sharpening tools, and snow plowing are some of the topics that will be addressed in this program.

This adult program is free, but registration is required. You may register either in person or by phone (477-8377).

Saturday, October 18 ' 2:30-3:30 pm

"The Gershwins, Cole Porter & Me:"

An Afternoon with the Louis Landon Trio

Join us for a lovely Saturday afternoon concert of movie, theater, and romantic music by three of America's best-loved composers – George & Ira Gershwin and Cole Porter – presented by the Louis Landon Trio!

Enjoy songs made famous during the golden years of Hollywood and the Big Band Era as well as original compositions by Louis Landon. This family program is free, but registration is required. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Saturday, October 25 ' 1-2:30 pm

Ghost Stories of the Hudson Valley

Through a slideshow and lecture, Linda Zimmerman will take you on a tour of the Hudson Valley's haunted locales.

Adult/Teen program is free, but registration is recommended.

Saturday, December 6 ' 1-3 pm

Norma Chang Cooking – Do-Ahead Party Ideas

Norma Chang will present festive dishes that can be prepared ahead of time for your special holiday gatherings.

This program is free, but registration is suggested, as seating is limited.

Ms. Chang's cookbooks will be available for purchase.

Programs in Development

Antiques Appraisal – TBA

Flower Arranging – TBA

Holiday Music Program – TBA

Christmas Crafts – TBA

Watch the library & Greenwood Lake News for information on these coming programs!

Saturday, November 1 ' 12-2 pm

"Cooking with Carmela"

Enjoy the culinary talents of Carmela Chase as she gives a cooking demonstration/workshop on Mediterranean cuisine.

Savor the flavors from some of the regions that surround the Mediterranean Sea: Spain, Portugal, Italy, Southern France, Greece, Turkey, North Africa, and the Middle East. Learn about dishes that use natural and simple ingredients with extra virgin olive oil as their main source of fat; dishes that concentrate their flavors on fruits, vegetables, legumes, fish, poultry, grains, sheep and goat cheeses, and nuts.

Carmela Chase is a food enthusiast and gourmet cook who has been taking courses for the past 11 years at the Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park.

This adult program is free but registration is required.

Saturday, November 8 ' 1-2:30 pm

Classical Ballet Lecture/Demonstration

Mr. Ilya Gaft will present a lecture/demonstration of classical ballet. Dancers from the Ilya Gaft Dance Theatre and students from the New York Ballet Institute will perform pieces from classical ballets.

This program is free, but registration is required. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

One Town, One Book

Warwick's three libraries (Albert Wisner, Florida, and Greenwood Lake) are sponsoring a town wide reading project featuring a book by Jack Finney, **Time and Again**. The book is a blend of science fiction, mystery and romance, telling a story of Si Morely, who is transported back to Manhattan in 1882.

This event kicks off on Wednesday, October 1 at 7:00 pm at the Landmark Inn in Warwick, where OCCC Professor Chris Godwin will introduce the book. **Time and Again** will be offered for sale and there will be a drawing to win a copy. The program is free, but registration is required. Call 651-7659 to sign up.

Following this kick-off event there will be a program related to the book in each participating library:

On Thursday, October 9 at 7:30 pm the Florida Library, with the Black Dirt Storytelling Guild, will present stories with this month's theme: *Through Time*. Call 651-7659.

On Friday, October 10 at 7:00 pm the Greenwood Lake Public Library will present the film *Somewhere in Time*, with a discussion by OCCC Professor Alexander Jakubowski, a science-fiction expert. Call 477-8377.

On Thursday, October 23 at 7:00 pm the Warwick Library will host Professor Jakubowski in a lecture entitled *Time Travel in Fiction and Reality*. Call 986-1047.

On Friday, November 7 at 7:30 pm the Florida Library will present *Early Railroads of Orange County*, which features a display by historian and collector Phil Simms, in addition to a multi-media presentation by RCCC Professor Doug Barbiero. Call 651-7659.

The wrap-up party will be presented in the Greenwood Lake Public Library's Program Room on Sunday, November 9 at 2:00 pm. Susan Meyer, a book publisher with special interest in New York City History, will lead a scholarly book discussion. Dessert and coffee will be served. The program is free, but registration is required. Call 477-8377 to sign up.

Ruth's Adult Picks Library Staff

Mystery
Scaredy Cat
By Mark Billingham
Sleepy Head
By Mark Billingham
The Killing Gift
By Leslie Glass

Fiction
The Room-mating Season
By Rona Jaffe
The Shadow Women
By Angela Elwell Hunt
Redemption
By Nancy Geary

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Jessica Rykowski
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Breanne Tempe

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Junior Fiction
A Series of Unfortunate Events
(we have all 10 volumes)
By Lemony Snicket

YA Fiction
Boston Jane
Wilderness Days
By Jennifer Holm

Junior Non-fiction
Halloween Hoots and Howls
By Joan Horton
A zany book of Halloween poems and rhyme!

YA Non-fiction
Horrorgrami- Spooky Paper
Folding for Kids
By Steve Biddle

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October: Breast Cancer Awareness Month
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