# CHILDREN'S CORNER

Baldwin School District residents receive priority over out-of-district residents. Out-of-district residents will be able to register one week after registration begins. Online and phone registration begins when the Library opens on the first day of registration. Ten minutes after an in-person program has begun, individuals from the waiting list who have come to attend the program will be allowed to enter and may take the place of individuals who have not yet arrived. Once you've completed one of our craft kits, take a picture and tag us on Facebook and Instagram @baldwinlibny or email it to Childrens@baldwinpl.org.

Register for children's programs online using EventKeeper, in person at the Children's Reference Desk, or by telephone, unless otherwise noted.



# September is National Library Card Sign-Up Month

IF YOU DON'T HAVE A LIBRARY CARD, OR IF YOURS NEEDS TO BE RENEWED, VISIT THE CIRCULATION DESK.

## Daddy Daughter

Hair Styling Workshop

Presented by Janelle Benjamin

Sunday, October 20 @ 2:00PM

This hands-on workshop, led by a licensed cosmetologist, will teach fathers the fundamental skills needed to style their daughter's hair. Attendees will be instructed in detangling, combing, brushing, parting, applying hair products, and the basics of twisting, braiding, and creating sleek ponytails. Daughters are welcome to attend but it is not mandatory.

Registration begins Monday, October 7.

## CHILDREN'S DISPLAY CASE

Barbie Collection by Natalie Cain

Sticker Collection by Lucy Cain

# ART CORNER

Drop-In Crafts (All Ages) Make a craft to take home!

#### September

Create your own bookmark for National Library Card Sign-Up Month

#### October Fall Dot Art

Materials available while supplies last. No registration required.

## 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten

#### (Newborn to Age 5, Not Yet in Kindergarten)

Work towards a reading goal of 1,000 books to give your child an advantage before they start school. Receive a free tote bag at registration and a prize for every 100 books read.



Registration is ongoing.

# Babies, Toddlers, and Preschoolers

## **My First Signs**

Presented by Miss Jessie (Ages 3 Months – 2 Years with Parent/Caregiver) Wednesdays @ 11:00AM

September 11, 18, 25 & October 2 Learn to communicate with your little one through sign language with an emphasis on vocabulary relevant to young learners. This program features songs, books, and fingerplays. Registration begins Tuesday, September 3.

## Learn & Play

(Ages 1- to 3-Year-Olds with Parent/Caregiver)

Tuesdays @ 10:00AM

#### September 17, 24 & October 1, 8, 15

Professionals (nutrition educator, speech-language pathologist, etc.) informally meet with parents/caregivers and answer questions while children enjoy playtime and circle time.

#### Registration begins Monday, September 9.

NOTE: Caregivers are advised that Playtime involves the use of toys that young children touch and may put in their mouths. The Library sanitizes toys between sessions.

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### Story Time (Ages 2 - 4 with Parent/Caregiver) Thursdays @ II:I5AM

Join us for stories, songs, and a craft.

September 19, 26 & October 3, 10, 17 Registration begins Tuesday, September 10.

October 31 & November 7, 14, 21 Registration begins Tuesday, October 22.

## A Time for Kids

(Ages I – 4 with Parent/Caregiver) Presented by A Time for Kids

#### Saturdays, October 5 & 12 @ 11:00AM

Kids and parents will clap, tap, and sing their way through books and stories, building early literacy skills through the use of rhythm, rhyme, and repetition.

Registration begins Monday, September 30.



Registration begins Monday, October 7.

## **Music for Aardvarks**

(Ages 4 Months – 4 Years with Parent/Caregiver) Baldwin School District Residents Only Wednesdays @ 11:00AM

#### October 23, 30 & November 6, 13

This series of classes incorporates singing, dancing, musical storytelling, and instrumental jam sessions for a rockin' good time. Registration begins Tuesday, October 15.

## Playtime

(Ages I to 3-Year-Olds with Parent/Caregiver)

Tuesdays @ 10:00AM Playtime and circle time for tots.

October 29 & November 12, 19, 26

#### Registration begins Monday, October 21.

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## Children in Grades K - 6

## Hispanic Heritage Month Painting Parties

Presented by Key to My Art

Saturday, September 21

SESSION 1- Grades K – 2 @ 2:00-3:00PM SESSION 2- Grades 3 – 6 @ 3:15-4:15PM

Join us for two painting parties inspired by Hispanic culture to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month. Registration begins Monday, September 9.

## Girls Who CODE (Girls in Grades 3 - 6)\*

#### Tuesdays @ 7:00PM

Build the foundational skills and understanding of computer science concepts through reading, discussion, coding activities, and sisterhood!

September 24 & October 1, 8, 15, 22 Registration begins Monday, September 16.

\*This program is designed for female participants but all children in Grades 3-6 are welcome irrespective of gender identity.

## DIY Pencil Pouch (Grades 3 - 6)

Saturday, September 28 @ 3:00PM Decorate your own pencil pouch with fabric markers to hold all of your school supplies. Registration begins Tuesday, September 17.



## Let's Learn About Diwali (Grades K - 3)

Presented by Miss Subrino Saturday, October 19 @ 3:00PM Celebrate the five-day festival of lights



holiday, Diwali, with us as we explore South Asian culture and traditions through engaging stories and crafts. Indian snacks will be served. Refreshments may contain allergens. Registration begins Monday, October 7.

#### Spooky Candleholder (Grades 3 - 6) Presented by Chris Vivas

#### Saturday, October 26 @ 11:30AM

Happy Halloween! Create a candleholder with a spooky scene on it that you can enjoy for many autumn seasons to come. Registration begins Tuesday, October 15.

### Haunted Treasure Chest (Grades K - 2) Monday, October 28 @ 4:00PM

Create your own haunted themed trinket box to hold your tiniest of treasures. Registration begins Monday, October 21.

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