



Library Budget and Trustee Election Tuesday, May 19, 7AM-9PM @ Baldwin High School

Annual District Meeting / Library Budget Hearing
Wednesday, May 6, 7PM at Baldwin High School

For voter and absentee ballot information, call the District Clerk's Office at 516-434-6011 or email districtclerk@baldwinschools.org.

**View the 2026/2027
Proposed Library
Budget here:**

[Information on the
Proposed 2026/2027 Budget](#)

[Información sobre el
presupuesto propuesto para
2026/2027](#)

Budget Message from the Board of Trustees for Fiscal Year 2026-2027

For your consideration, the Board of Trustees of the Baldwin Public Library respectfully presents a budget for 2026-2027 in the amount of \$6,489,946.

This includes a Tax Levy of \$6,187,329, which represents an increase of \$127,985 (2.11%). This amount is within the Tax Cap.

As always, we have carefully considered every budget line and the impact that expenses have on public service. We have increased the Materials budget by \$11,800 to continue to provide the community with a robust mix of physical and digital materials. We propose adding \$42,624 to our Operating Expenses which includes programs, supplies, and equipment maintenance. It also includes the fees we pay in order to have an online catalog and services such as the delivery of materials from other libraries. Buildings & Grounds has an increase of \$13,000; we will need more custodial supplies to care for our newly renovated spaces and we anticipate a modest increase in utilities. This budget also allows us to support the staffing levels that the community has come to value.

The Baldwin Public Library is a distinct entity with its own budget and trustees that are presented as separate propositions at the same time as the annual school district vote. One seat on the Library Board will be presented for election.

This past year has brought many changes to the Library and more great things are on the way. We thank you for your support and encourage you and your entire family to visit the Library to take advantage of one of the best values you will ever get for your tax dollars.

Mensaje de presupuesto de la Junta de Fideicomisarios para el año fiscal 2026-2027

Para su consideración, la Junta de Fideicomisarios de la Biblioteca Pública de Baldwin presenta respetuosamente un presupuesto para 2026-2027 por un monto de \$6,489,946.

Esto incluye un gravamen fiscal de \$6,187,329, lo que representa un aumento de \$127,985 (2.11%). Este monto se encuentra dentro del límite del impuesto.

Como siempre, hemos considerado cuidadosamente cada línea del presupuesto y el impacto que los gastos tienen en el servicio público. Hemos aumentado el presupuesto de Materiales en \$11,800 para continuar proporcionando a la comunidad una sólida mezcla de materiales físicos y digitales. Proponemos añadir \$42,624 a nuestros Gastos Operativos, lo que incluye programas, suministros y mantenimiento de equipos. También incluye las tarifas que pagamos para tener un catálogo en línea y servicios como la entrega de materiales de otras bibliotecas. Edificios y Terrenos tiene un aumento de \$13,000; necesitaremos más suministros de limpieza para cuidar nuestros espacios recientemente renovados y anticipamos un aumento modesto en los servicios públicos. Este presupuesto también nos permite apoyar los niveles de personal que la comunidad ha llegado a valorar.

La Biblioteca Pública de Baldwin es una entidad distinta con su propio presupuesto y fideicomisarios que se presentan como propuestas separadas al mismo tiempo que la votación anual del distrito escolar. Un puesto en la Junta de la Biblioteca será presentado para elección.

Este último año ha traído muchos cambios a la Biblioteca y más cosas excelentes están en camino. Les agradecemos su apoyo y los animamos a usted y a toda su familia a visitar la Biblioteca para aprovechar uno de los mejores valores que jamás obtendrán por sus dólares de impuestos.

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BALDWIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

YEAR IN REVIEW

Visits to the Library

109,213 

 Visits to the
Library's Website 
213,643

Total Collection Use:

176,796



ASK A LIBRARIAN

Reference Transactions

20,527

Did You Know the Library Offers These Services?



Little Free Library at LIRR Station
Donation Drives
Homebound Services
Library of Things
Seed Library
Summer Lunch for Kids & Teens
Social Work Consultant
Notary Services
Passport Services
Smart Lockers



6,770

Total Program Sessions

20,114 

People Attended Programs

249 Meetings by Community Groups

**Summer
Reading
Clubs**

537 Members



**Best
Sellers
Club**

**80
Members**

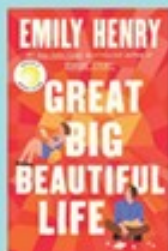


242 Passport Applications Processed

568 Notarizations



TOP CIRCULATING TITLES 2025



TEENS - GRADES 6-12

Register for teen programs via the Library Events Calendar, in person at the Teen Reference Desk, or by telephone, unless otherwise noted. All programs are open to grades 6-12 unless otherwise noted. Library card required for registration. Baldwin School District residents receive priority when registering for programs. All others may register for programs one week after registration begins.

Prom Attire Boutique: May 1 - June 25

Prom is almost here! It can be a lot of fun, but it can also be stressful because of the high cost. Teens are invited to come in to look at our Prom items, where they may "shop", try on, and take home one gown/suit (free of charge) from among the clothing that was donated to the Library.



Summer Reading Club

(Teens Entering Grades 6-12 in the Fall)

UNEARTH A STORY!

Register and report online at: <http://baldwinpl.org/src-teens> or in-person beginning Monday, June 1. Earn prizes along the way for reviewing materials (books, eBooks, podcasts, and movies). If you are entering 6th Grade, you may choose to be a member of both the Children's and the Teen Club. Reporting ends on Monday, August 10.



Summer Reading Kick-Off Kit

June 2 - 30

Sign up for the Teen Summer Reading Club and receive a kit with the recipe to make a Jamaican hummingbird cake from Chef Rob Scott.

First come, first served while supplies last.

Summer Reading Community Party

Saturday, June 6, 11:00AM-1:00PM (ALL AGES)

Join SiStars Stepping Out for some double dutch and line dancing as we celebrate the beginning of summer reading and the start of our Semiquincentennial programming. Ice pops and ice cream cups will be served while supplies last.

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 15. All others may register beginning Saturday, May 23.

TAKE-HOME KIT: May 1 - 31

Strawberry Boba Tea

Celebrate Asian and Pacific Islander Heritage Month! Come to the Teen Room and pick up a recipe to make your own strawberry boba tea. Tapioca pearls, a green tea bag, sugar, and straws will be provided.

No registration required. Available while supplies last.

Celebrate Doughnut Day!

Friday, June 5, 3:00-4:00PM

Come into the Teen Room and grab a doughnut to celebrate the last month of school on National Doughnut Day!

One doughnut per teen while supplies last.

Teen Study Sunday (Grades 9-12)

Sunday, June 7, 1:30-4:30PM

Study for the Regents and finals in the Teen Room. Test prep books are available. The Study Room will also be available. To reserve a time slot for the Study Room, please call 516-223-6228, ext. 151, or email teens@baldwinpl.org. The maximum time to use the Study Room is two hours per appointment with a maximum of six people.

Free Practice Tests with The Princeton Review

The Princeton Review

Princeton Review offers free practice SATs and information about the college admission process.

Go to: www.princetonreview.com/college/free-sat-practice-test?ceid=nav-hs#!practice

Research Databases

We offer a variety of databases for research papers, career and test preparation, and language learning that are free with your library card. You can access the databases from a Library computer or from home.

Go to: <https://www.baldwinpl.org/findinfo/>



100 Books Before Graduation is a reading initiative for teens to read 100 books before they graduate from high school. You can sign up on our website at: www.baldwinpl.org/100. Receive prizes for every 25 books you read.

Pride Day

Saturday, June 20, 2:00-4:30PM

Hang out with other teens while reading and discussing your current book selection, or choose from a variety of LGBTQIA books that the Library will have on display. Make your own Pride bracelet as well! Items will be provided by the Library.

No registration required.

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Community Service Opportunities

For more information, go to: www.baldwinpl.org/teen-community-service/

Love For Our Elders

Friday, May 1 - Saturday, May 31

May is Senior Citizens Month. There will be a table set up in the Teen Room with supplies to make cards for seniors to brighten their day. Cards will be mailed to and distributed by the Love For Our Elders organization.

One hour of community service credit.

Kids Inspiring and Helping Kids Cards

Presented by Little Saint Nick Foundation

Monday, June 1 - Tuesday, June 30

Come to the Teen Room to join our "inspiration cards" initiative, where teens write heartfelt messages to bring joy and encouragement to children facing medical challenges.

One hour of community service credit.

Social Media

Create a BookTok, Bookstagram, or Spotify playlist about a book you've enjoyed reading. Make sure to tag the Library. Once you've posted it, email teens@baldwinpl.org to let us know it's for community service.

One post = one hour credit.

Students Rebuild: Unique and United

Unique and United invites students to explore their identities—what makes you different and what shapes your perspectives. You'll use that discovery to build bridges across cultures, communities, and experiences. You will have the opportunity to explore the topic through two themes—Celebrate Uniqueness or Build Unity. Create a project in any medium, including visual art, writing, performance, digital media, or STEM. Each work will spark a \$5 donation to support organizations worldwide that foster connection and champion collaborative change. You will receive three hours of community service per art piece by emailing your art to teens@baldwinpl.org. For more information, go to: www.studentsrebuild.org/projects

Summer Community Service Opportunities

Book Buddies

Tuesdays July 7, 14, 21, 28 & August 4
11:00AM-12:00PM

Volunteer to sit and read with kids. Register by emailing your name, grade, and phone number to teens@baldwinpl.org.

One session = one hour credit.

Help with Children's Programs

Go to the Children's Department to sign up to help with programs throughout the summer.

One hour of community service per program.

Tween Scene (Grades 4-7)



Mother's Day Craft: Flower Pot

Saturday, May 2
2:00-3:00PM

Paint your own flower pot for your mom or mother figure in your life.

Registration is ongoing.

Father's Day Craft: Picture Frame

Saturday, June 6
2:00-3:00PM

Paint a wooden frame for your dad or special father figure in your life.

Registration begins Monday, May 18.



CHILDREN'S CORNER

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ART CORNER

Drop-In Crafts

Make a craft to take home.

May: Velvet Flower Coloring Page

June: Strawberry Magnet

No registration required. While supplies last.

Babies, Toddlers, & Preschoolers

Learn & Play

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

Tuesdays, May 5 & 12 @ 10:00AM

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

Registration is ongoing.

Zumbini

(Birth – 4 Years Old with Parent/Caregiver)

Presented by Miss Johanna

Wednesdays, May 6, 13, 20 & 27 @ 11:00AM

Sing, dance, and play together while developing your little one's social, cognitive, emotional, and motor skills.

Registration is ongoing.

Wednesdays, July 8, 15, 22 & 29 @ 10:15AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Tuesday, June 23. All others may register beginning Tuesday, June 30.

Story Time

(Ages 2 - 4 Years with Parent/Caregiver)

Join us for stories, songs, and a craft.

Thursdays, May 7 & 14 @ 11:15AM

Registration is ongoing.

Thursdays, May 28, June 4 & 11 @ 11:15AM

Registration for Baldwin School District Residents begins Wednesday, May 13. All others may register beginning Wednesday, May 20.

Little Learners

(Ages 18 Months - 4 ½ Years with Parent/Caregiver)

Presented by A Time for Kids

Celebrate the spring season with this fun and fast-paced programming for your little one. Activities include music, movement, fine and gross motor skills, storytelling, and a craft. Sign up for one session or all four. Each session has a separate registration date.

Birds in a Nest

Saturday, May 2 @ 11:00AM

Registration is ongoing.



Spring Carnival

Saturday, May 23 @ 11:00AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 8. All others may register beginning Friday, May 15.



Bee Kind

Saturday, May 30 @ 11:00AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 15. All others may register beginning Friday, May 22.



Sea Turtle

Saturday, June 20 @ 11:00AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, June 5. All others may register beginning Friday, June 12.



Playtime

(Ages 1 - 3 Years with Parent/Caregiver)

Playtime and circle time for tots.

Tuesdays @ 10:00AM

May 26, June 2 & 9

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Tuesday, May 12. All others may register beginning Tuesday, May 19.

Music for Aardvarks

(Ages 4 Months - 4 Years with Parent/Caregiver)

Presented by Music for Aardvarks

Wednesdays @ 10:00AM

June 3, 10, 17 & 24

Singing, dancing, musical storytelling, and instrumental jam sessions for a rockin' good time.

Registration for Baldwin Public School District residents begins Wednesday, May 20. All others may register beginning Wednesday, May 27.

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Babies, Toddlers, & Preschoolers

Tuney Tots

(Ages 1 – 4 Years with Parent/Caregiver)

Presented by Miss Jeannie

A fun-filled music and movement class featuring parachute activities, limbo, bubbles, dance, ribbons, scarves, and hula hoops to promote knowledge of colors, shapes, numbers, letters, seasons and the senses, spatial awareness, and body awareness.

Sign up for one session or all four.

Each session has a separate registration date.

Friday, May 15 @ 10:30AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 1. All others may register beginning Friday, May 8.

Friday, May 29 @ 10:30AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 15. All others may register beginning Friday, May 22.

Saturday, July 11 @ 11:00AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Thursday, June 25 @ 11:00AM. All others may register beginning Thursday, July 2 @ 11:00AM.

Saturday, July 18 @ 11:00AM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Wednesday, July 1. All others may register beginning Wednesday, July 8.

Read-to-Me Club

Summer Reading for Little Ones

(Birth – Entering Kindergarten in the Fall)

UNEARTH A STORY

Children listen to stories at home, parents bring in a list of titles to the Library or email them to us, and children are awarded stickers and prizes. Reporting begins Monday, June 22 and ends Monday, August 10.

In-person registration begins Monday, June 1.



Story Time

for Read-to-Me Club Members

(Ages 2 – 4 with Parent/Caregiver)

Thursdays, July 9, 16, 23 & 30 @ 11:15AM

Join us for stories, songs, and a craft.

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Wednesday, June 24. All others may register beginning Wednesday, July 1.

All Ages



Sidewalk Chalk

(ALL AGES)

Saturday, May 23 @ 12:00PM

Join us on the Library's outdoor patio and create sidewalk art with chalk.

No registration required.

Summer Reading Community Party

Saturday, June 6, 11:00AM-1:00PM (ALL AGES)

Join SiStars Stepping Out for some double dutch and line dancing as we celebrate the beginning of summer reading and the start of our Semiquincentennial programming. Ice pops and ice cream cups will be served while supplies last.

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 15. All others may register beginning Saturday, May 23.

FAMILY PROGRAM

BUS TRIP:

American Museum of Natural History

All ages are welcome. Each adult may purchase up to four tickets. Parents or designated caregivers must chaperone their children under 18 years of age at all times during the trip.

Date: Wednesday, July 8

Cost: \$75 per patron (Non-Refundable)

Departure time: 7:45AM (Approximate)

The trip includes round-trip transportation and general admission to the American Museum of Natural History in Manhattan, as well as tickets to "Encounters in the Milky Way" at the Hayden Space Planetarium. This is not a guided tour. You will explore the museum on your own and rejoin the group for the Planetarium show at 1:00PM.

Participants are encouraged to bring their own lunch, as there will be a room set aside for the group to eat (12:20-12:40PM). The museum also has a cafeteria, should you prefer to purchase lunch on site.

In-person ONLY registration at the Adult Reference Desk begins Wednesday, June 3. Payment in the form of cash, check, or money order payable to the Baldwin Public Library is required at registration (no exceptions). Trip purchase is non-refundable.



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Children in Grades K - 6

Summer Reading Club UNEARTH A STORY

(Entering Grades 1 to Grade 6 in the Fall)

Unearth a world beyond your imagination

as you read your way toward raffle tickets and special prizes from our treasure box! Our grand prize winner will receive a \$100 Amazon gift card. Come in and pick up all the information you'll need this summer to complete the program.

Reporting begins Monday, June 22 and ends Monday, August 10.

In-person and online registration begins Monday, June 1.

Register at: <https://www.baldwinpl.org/kids/>



Monogram Monday Craft

Create a fun framed design using your first initial.

Grades K - 2: Monday, May 18 @ 4:00PM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Monday, May 4. All others may register beginning Monday, May 11.

Grades 3 - 6: Monday, June 1 @ 4:00PM

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Monday, May 18. All others may register beginning Tuesday, May 26.

Boba Drinks & Keychains (Grades 3 - 5)

Tuesday, May 26 @ 7:00PM

Enjoy your own boba beverage while making a boba keychain.

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Tuesday, May 12. All others may register beginning Tuesday, May 19.

Mother's Day Craft: Flower Bouquet and Vase

Grades K - 5

Saturday, May 9

Grades K - 2 @ 11:00AM

Grades 3 - 6 @ 2:30PM

Create a colorful flower bouquet out of pipe cleaners and paint a ceramic vase to display them in. Gift it to Mom, Grandma, or another loved one for Mother's Day. Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Saturday, April 25. All others may register beginning Saturday, May 2.



Father's Day Craft: Comics with CreativiDAD

Saturday, June 13

Grades K - 2 @ 2:00PM

Grades 3 - 6 @ 3:30PM

Calling all kids and father figures! Under the guidance of artist and educator Candido Crespo, you and your loved one will come up with characters and a storyline for your very own comic strip.

In-person and phone registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 29. All others may register beginning Friday, June 5. No online registrations.



Make Your Own Mexican Tortilla!

Presented by Maria's Mexican Cooking

Saturday, May 16

Grades K - 2 @ 11:00AM

Grades 3 - 6 @ 1:00PM

Children will use wooden rolling pins to make flour tortillas and can choose to add rice, beans, cheese, and chicken. Rolling pins and wooden boards will be provided; however, participants are welcome to bring their own if they prefer.

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, May 1. All others may register beginning Friday, May 8.



Family Juneteenth Craft (Grades K - 5)

Monday, June 15 @ 4:00PM

Celebrate Juneteenth by making fun beaded bracelets and keychains with your loved ones.

In-person and phone registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Monday, June 1. All others may register beginning Monday, June 8. No online registration.

Children's Programs K-6 continued on next page.

ROBLOX: Dress to Impress

(Grades 3 - 6)

Presented by Arrayscape Gaming

Thursday, July 9 @ 1:00PM

Unleash your inner stylist on National Fashion Day and compete in a high-stakes fashion show! "Dress to Impress" turns fashion into a thrilling competition where players have just 300 seconds to create the perfect look.

Registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Thursday, June 25. All others may register beginning Thursday, July 2.

Animals Alive (2 SESSIONS)

Presented by Alley Pond Environmental Center

Friday, July 10

Grades K - 5 @ 2:00PM

Grades K - 5 @ 3:00PM

Observe and ask questions about a range of live animals.



In-person and phone registration for Baldwin School District residents begins Friday, June 26. All others may register beginning Thursday, July 2. Please register all children and parents/caregivers who will be in attendance. Out of respect to the animals, attendance is capped at 30 people per session.

Children's Display Case

May: Tribute to Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month
Presented by The Singson Family

June: Akedo Warriors® Collection
Presented by Peyton Rodriguez

Does your child have a special collection they would like to share? Visit the Children's Room and speak with a staff member.

Library Board Meetings

The regular monthly Library Board Meetings will take place on Wednesdays, May 20 and June 17 at 7:00PM in person and via Zoom.

Meeting ID: 830 7717 1570

Passcode: 236844

For call-ins: +1 646 558 8656 US (New York)

EXHIBITS



Art Squad Collective



This is the second group showing at BPL of the Island Park Art Squad Collective. These artists work collaboratively and individually on group and solo projects relating to self-expression, personal well-being, shared activities, and community concerns, as well as creating original works inspired by other fine art and artists. Art Squad is proud to share their work with the Baldwin community!

LOOKING FOR ARTISTS

If you are an artist living locally (age 18 and older) and would like an opportunity to exhibit your work at Baldwin Public Library, please send images of your artwork and your CV to emuller@baldwinpl.org. We will contact you when we have space in our exhibit calendar.



Friends of the BALDWIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Friends are a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit with a mission to support the Library through fundraising, awareness, and advocacy.

To become a member or make a donation, go to: www.baldwinpl.org/friends

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CURRENT HOURS

Monday-Wednesday: 9-9
Thursday: 11-9, Friday: 9-5
Saturday: 9-5, Sunday: 1-5

CLOSED

Mother's Day: Sunday, May 10
Memorial Day Weekend:
Sunday, May 24 & Monday, May 25
Juneteenth: Friday, June 19
Father's Day: Sunday, June 21

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BALDWIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The banner features the title "Summer Reading Community Party" in a large, stylized script font. "Summer Reading" is in red and "Community Party" is in orange. To the left of the text is an illustration of a green ice cream cup with a pink scoop and a red stick. To the right is an illustration of two red ice pops on sticks. The background is yellow with a string of colorful triangular bunting flags at the top.

Summer Reading Community Party

(ALL AGES)

An illustration of an open book with yellow pages, a yellow starfish, and a small pile of sand.

**Saturday, June 6
11:00 AM-1:00 PM**

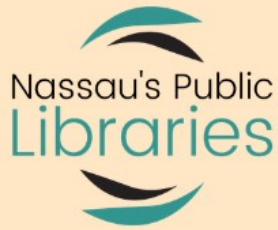
An illustration of a closed blue book, a pink seashell, a yellow starfish, and a small pile of sand.

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AMERICA 250 AT THE LIBRARY

May 26 - July 18, 2026

[NASSAULIBRARY.ORG/250](https://nassaulibrary.org/250)



LECTURE



PERFORMANCE



CRAFTS &
GAMES



FILM



FOOD



BOOK TALK

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TED Democracy: Founding Futures Livestream @ BPL



Saturday, June 13

Session 1: 11:00AM - 12:30PM EST

Session 2: 2:00PM - 3:30PM EST

Session 3: 4:00PM - 5:30PM EST



The Baldwin Public Library was chosen by TED Democracy to host a livestream of their day-long conference in Philadelphia on Saturday, June 13. The event's Founding Futures theme takes an active interpretation of the word "founding," exploring the evolving story of democracy, while both honoring our past and looking ahead. By attending the livestream, you will have the opportunity to hear some great thinkers and speakers reflect on what we will build together over the next 250 years. Additional information about the livestream will be shared as it becomes available.

No registration required. Free and open to the public.

Please note that the Library will remain open until 5:30pm only for those attending the program; no other services will be available.

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