

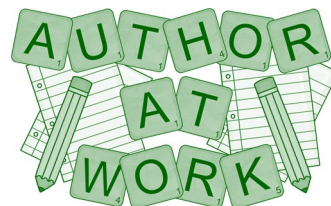
GLEN COVE PUBLIC LIBRARY'S CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2018

30TH ANNUAL WRITE AND ILLUSTRATE YOUR OWN BOOK CONTEST

Sharpen those pencils and get your creative juices flowing! It's time for our annual book contest. We invite all children in grades 2 to 5 to submit an original book they both wrote and illustrated. Glen Cove Librarians will read the books with consideration to grade level. Books will be judged on originality, creative expression, storyline, correct grammar usage and neatness of presentation. Author and illustrator may collaborate on one book, but only two students per book, please. If computer art or photography is used, credit must be given and it will be judged by its creative use within the story.

Be sure to label all books with name, age, grade, school and phone number. Teachers, if you are sending in books for your class, please include a separate typed list of the students who are entering the contest.

Books are due the week of February 25th. Winners will be notified in March. The winning books will be displayed in the Children's Room and all entrants will receive participation certificates. Our Award Ceremony will be on Monday, March 18th.



Glen Cove Library's 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten is a fun, exciting and free way to start your child on the path to success. Pick up a reading log at the Children's desk and sign up for this program. Download the 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten app and make it even easier to track the books you are reading to your child.

Programs for Preschoolers

Thanksgiving Stories and Craft
Friday, November 16, 10:30am
Ages 2 - 5, with adult

A Time for Kids - "Weather Windmill"
Friday, December 7, 10:30am
Ages 18 months - 5 years, with adult
Have fun in this movement and music program and create a weather craft.

A Special 'Thank You' to our Soldiers



Join us in sending holiday wishes and donations to our soldiers serving overseas. During our Children's programs until December 7th, we will be offering children and their families the chance to write letters, draw pictures and bring donations to be mailed to our soldiers in Afghanistan for the holiday season. The AnySoldier holiday mailing is Monday, December 10th at 4pm.

Fall Storytime

Storytime continues through the week of November 12th

SIDE BY SIDE STORYTIME
Thursdays at 10:30am
Ages: Birth to 5 years

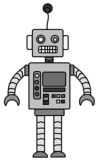
SATURDAYS TOGETHER STORYTIME
Saturdays at 10:30am
Ages: Birth to 5 years

HISTORIAS EN ESPAÑOL
Todos los miércoles a las 4:30 pm
Edades de 4 a 8
Venga con sus hijos a disfrutar de historias en español con nuestra bibliotecaria bilingüe. Habrán historias, canciones, manualidades y galletas. Por favor regístrese.

Registration for all programs is ongoing. Register online at glencovlibrary.org.
You may also register in the Children's Room or by calling 676-2130. The Children's Room welcomes children of all abilities.
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School Age Programs



Toothbrush Robots

Thursday, November 29, 4:30pm

Have fun while getting your science on with toothbrush robots.

(Grades 2 - 5)

Sea Glass Ornaments

Presented by the

Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum

Saturday, December 8, 11am

Have fun learning about glass! Touch old bottles from the Cold Spring Harbor Whaling Museum's collection and find out if glass is a liquid or a solid in hands-on experiments - you'll be surprised! Create your own sea glass mosaic holiday ornament or decoration.

(Grades 2 - 6)



Snowman Stories and Cupcakes

Thursday, December 13, 4pm

Listen to stories and create and enjoy a sweet treat.

(Grades K - 5)



Parenting Workshops

Elementary Math with Teacher Mr. Bromberg

Thursday, November 15, 7pm

Is trying to figure out Common Core math creating stress for you and your child? Do you understand math less now than you did when you were a kid? Do you find yourself wondering why you can't just do it "the way you were taught?"

WE ♥
MATH

If you said yes to any of these questions, then join Mr. Bromberg from Connolly school at the Library for tips, games and fun ideas to make math better for everyone. For parents only. Suitable for parents of children in grades K-4.

Navigating Technology and Teaching Children to Exist "Unplugged" with Marsha Jacoby

Thursday, November 29, 7pm

Certified Parenting Life Coach Marsha Jacoby will help us learn the effects of too much or the wrong kind of screen time. Learn how to set limits and the importance of monitoring and existing "unplugged."

Tech View

Common Sense Media - This leading nonprofit organization is dedicated to helping children thrive in a world of media and technology by providing information, advice and tools to help families make smart media choices.

DaybyDayNY - This website offers a literacy calendar for young children and their families. It offers new books and ideas to share every day.

Snacksafely.com - Attention parents of children with allergies! Be sure to check out this informative website that has a huge, interactive list of allergy-friendly products used by thousands of schools nationwide to help keep allergens out of the classroom and the home.

Tutor.com - This online homework and tutoring service is available through the Library's homepage under the Homework Help link on the Children's Services tab. Live tutors are available online from 2pm to 10pm to help children with their assignments.

Check Our Parent Page

Be sure to visit our Parent Page tab on the Library's website, glencovlibrary.org, to keep up-to-date with all the resources and links of interest to parents. Here you'll find information for child education and development as well as many fun activities for your entire family.

Thanksgiving Weekend

Family Activities

All ages are welcome

Family Movie:

***Incredibles 2* (PG)**

Friday, November 23, 2pm



Family Animal Show

Traveling Pets

Saturday, November 24, 2pm

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