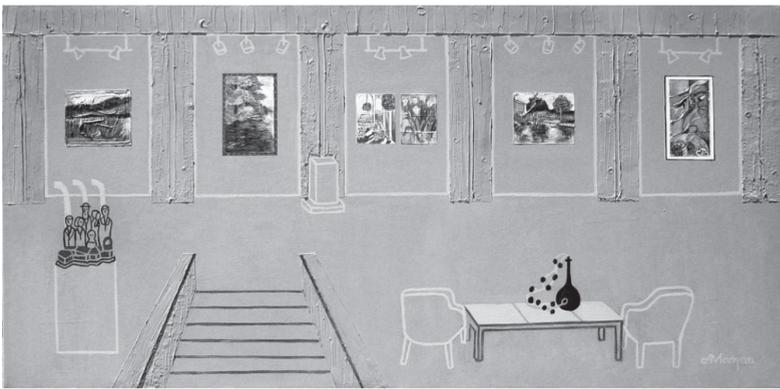


# July 2012

## EXHIBITS

In the Main Gallery



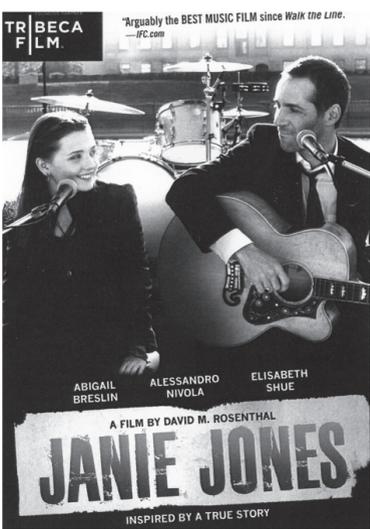
Aaron Morgans's *The Beige Gallery*

ART ADVISORY COUNCIL: Members of the library's Art Advisory Council exhibit "The Library Through Our Eyes," in celebration of the library's 120th anniversary, throughout the summer.

In the Martin Vogel Photography Gallery

ANDREW HOLLANDER: Photographs, July 6 through August 31. Meet the artist at a reception on Thursday, July 12 at 7:30 p.m. Story in this issue.

## 2 MONDAY



"JANIE JONES" (2010-107 min.). Thirteen-year-old Janie Jones (Abigail Breslin), a talented fledgling musician who has been abandoned by her mother Mary Ann (a former groupie), informs self-destructive former rock star Ethan Brand (Alessandro Nivola) that she is his daughter. Producer/director David M. Rosenthal also scripted. Gemma Hayes and Eef Barzelay provided the songs, which are sung by stars Breslin and Nivola. Caution: adult language! 7:30 p.m.

## 3 TUESDAY

CHESS PLAYERS: All are welcome. Bring a game if you have one. Tuesdays from 2 to 4 p.m.



"CARNAGE" (2011-80 min.). Two pairs of parents (Kate Winslet and Christoph Waltz, Jodie Foster and John C. Reilly) meet to discuss a schoolyard brawl involving their sons, but as the get-together progresses, the four lapse into increasingly childish behavior. Director Roman Polanski scripted with Yasmina Reza, from her play, *Gods of Carnage*. Note: strong language! 7:30 p.m.

## 6 FRIDAY

SANDWICHED IN: *Rainforest Butterflies*. A spectacular collection of tropical rainforest butterflies and moths, many collected by the presenter, will convey the unfathomable beauty and infinite variety of tropical rainforest life. Steve Fratello's passion for natural history led to his life as an explorer/naturalist in the world's tropical rainforests. 12:10 p.m.

SCRABBLE PLAYERS! Join us for a game! 3 to 5:30 p.m.



SOUNDSWAP: Highland (Brian Levenstein, Jimmy Sciacca and Greg Belmonte) offers up an acoustic set of material that applies the vocal styling of Crosby, Stills and Nash to songs originally performed by artists including The Beatles, Squeeze, Elvis Costello, and CSN themselves. These familiar covers blend in well with the trio's ever-growing repertoire of original acoustic rock songs. Singer-songwriter Scott Daly (aka 'Arms and Legs') is the opening act for this evening. Scott's set will be highlighted by songs from his most recent album *The Baggage Wheel*. 7:30 p.m.

## 9 MONDAY

"THE GREY" (2011-118 min.). After a plane crash in the wilds of Alaska, a huntsman named Ottway (Liam Neeson) tries to lead a group of oil workers to safety, but they are dogged by a pack of wolves. Producer/director Joe Carnahan scripted with Ian Mackenzie Jeffers, from the short story, "Ghost Walker." This suspense drama was filmed in Vancouver, British Columbia. Caution: strong language! 7:30 p.m.

## 10 TUESDAY

HYPERTENSION SCREENING: Free blood pressure screening conducted by St. Francis Hospital. 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

## 11 WEDNESDAY

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP: *We Need to Talk About Kevin* by Lionel Shriver, facilitated by Lee Fertitta. 7:30 p.m.

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES meet. 7:30 p.m.

PCL: The Photography Club of Long Island welcomes Marc Andres: Seeing with Photography. Seeing with Photography is a group of visually impaired, sighted and totally blind photographers, who use a unique process to realize the visual conceptions of the visually impaired and the blind. 7:30 p.m.

## 12 THURSDAY

ANDREW HOLLANDER: Meet the artist whose work is in the Photography Gallery. Reception 7:30 to 9 p.m. Story in this issue.

## 13 FRIDAY

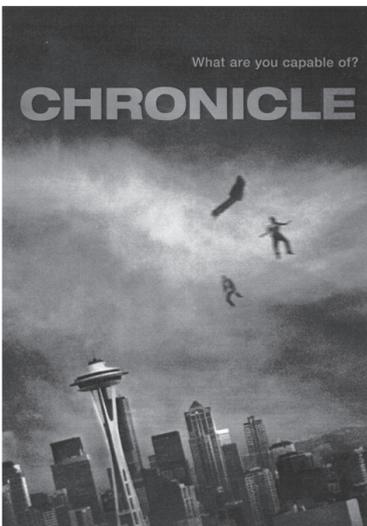
SANDWICHED IN: Meet Andrew Kane. The Great Neck resident will read from and discuss *Joshua, a Brooklyn Tale*. This gripping saga tells a story of racism, betrayal and redemption. Books will be available for purchase and signing. 12:10 p.m.

## 14 SATURDAY

NEXT CHAPTER: Join us for a discussion of current events. Bring your opinion! 10 a.m. to noon.

## 16 MONDAY

AFTERNOON AT THE OPERA: *Joan Sutherland*. "La Stupenda" was one of the most acclaimed sopranos of the 20th century, a singer of such power and range that she was crowned "La Stupenda" by Italian audiences. She had a voice of size and substance, but was trained by her husband Richard Bonyngue to sing bel canto roles, showcasing a technique that had incomparable facility for fast runs, elaborate roulades and impeccable trills. With plenty of audio and video clips, we will remember the glory of Joan Sutherland and the luxury of her voice. Facilitated by Marc Courtade, business manager for Tilles Center for the Performing Arts at Long Island University. 3 p.m. MAC



DIRECTOR'S CUT: Film expert John Bosco will screen and discuss *Chronicle* (2012-84 min.). High school buddies Andrew (Dane DeHaan), Matt (Alex Russell) and Steve (Michael B. Jordan) gain amazing telekinetic powers, but their bonds are tested as their lives spin out of control. Director Josh Trank scripted with Max Landis. Caution: strong language! 7:30 p.m.

## 18 WEDNESDAY



SOUNDSWAP: Singer/songwriter Jim Dawson. Mr. Dawson's illustrious recording career has continued to grow since it began at the turn of the 1970s, and his songs have been recorded by artists as diverse as Mary Travers and Elmo from *Sesame Street*. Story in this issue. 7:30 p.m.

## 19 THURSDAY

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP: *Townie*, by Andre Dubus III, facilitated by Lee Fertitta. 1:30 p.m.

3rd THURSDAYS @ 3: *Orientalism*. The term "Orientalism" is used to define a group of Western artists who focus on the depiction of Eastern culture, and was a specialty of 19th century academic art. Several Orientalist painters actually traveled great distances, such as North Africa, to sketch "exotic" scenes. Delacroix, Gericault, Ingres, Gerome are a few of the many painters of this period who became known for their depictions of scenes from faraway cultures. Eroticized harem scenes became very popular at this time. Join Ines Powell for an exploration of this genre. 3 p.m. AAC

## 20 FRIDAY

SANDWICHED IN: Meet J. McCullough: *Golf in the Year 2000 or What We Are Coming To* (Unwin, London, 1892). In which Alexander Gibson goes to sleep on March 24, 1892 and awakes 108 years later, finding himself in an amazing new world. Dramatized by Mr. David Houston, Mr. Steven Corbellini and Miss Sara Lyons. *Celebrating our 120th Anniversary: What Might Have been on July 20, 1892*. 12:10 p.m.

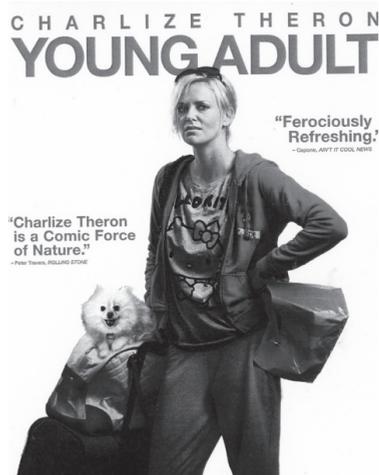
IN THE NEWS: On July 20, 1892, Dr. C.D. Scudder mysteriously commits suicide in Northport, Long Island, with no known motive or note explaining his actions. This, and many other intriguing news items of the day, will be discussed by Mr. John Bosco. *Celebrating our 120th Anniversary: What Might Have been on July 20, 1892*. 3 p.m.

LIVE@PWPL: *Songs of the Gilded Age*. Performed by Mr. Frank Hendricks & Madam Connie Shakalis, with pianist Mr. William Barash. *Celebrating our 120th Anniversary: What Might Have been on July 20, 1892*. 7:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be served at all events. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

SCRABBLE PLAYERS! Come and join us for a game! 2 to 5 p.m.

## 23 MONDAY



"YOUNG ADULT" (2011-93 min.). Novelist Mavis Gary (Charlize Theron) returns to her small hometown in a misguided attempt to relive her glory days and steal her high school sweetheart Buddy Slade (Patrick Wilson) away from his wife. Screenwriter Diablo Cody and director Jason Reitman also produced this comedy. Note: strong language! 7:30 p.m.

## 24 TUESDAY

STEAMBOY THE FILM (2005-104 min.). Ray Steam receives a Steam Ball from his inventor grandfather and finds himself in a murderous conflict. Directed by Katsuhiro Otomo. 7 p.m.

## 25 WEDNESDAY

PORT WRITES: The group discusses their work and how to get it published. Facilitated by Michael Chaplan. No meeting in August — will resume in September. 8 p.m.



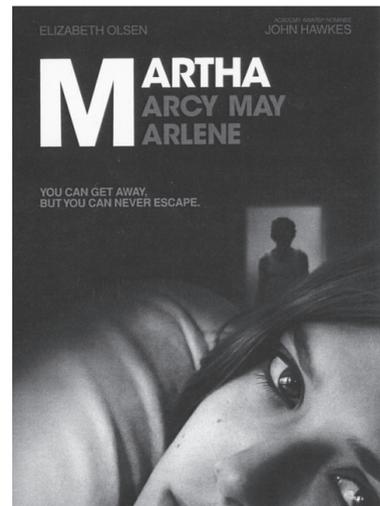
## 27 FRIDAY

SANDWICHED IN: Meet Alex Stone: *Fooling Houdini*. When he was 5-years-old, Alex Stone's father bought him a magic kit — a gift that would spark a lifelong love. *Fooling Houdini* (HarperCollins, June 2012) recounts Stone's madcap quest to join the pantheon of international magical masters. Books will be available for purchase and signing. Sponsored by Friends of the Library. 12:10 p.m.

FAMILY FILM: *The Muppets* (2011-103 min.). With the help of fans Gary (Jason Segel), Mary (Amy Adams) and Walter (voiced by Peter Linz), the Muppets reunite to save their old theater from greedy oil tycoon Tex Richman (Chris Cooper). Segel scripted and produced with Nicholas Stoller. Guest stars include Alan Arkin, Zach Galifianakis, Emily Blunt, Whoopi Goldberg, Selena Gomez, Neil Patrick Harris and Mickey Rooney. James Bobin's movie is rated PG. Note the early start time: 7 p.m.

## 30 MONDAY

"MARTHA MARCY MAY MARLENE" (2011-102 min.). Haunted by painful memories and increasing paranoia, Martha (Elizbeth Olsen) struggles to re-assimilate with her family after fleeing an abusive cult. Director Sean Durkin also scripted. Caution: adult content! 7:30 p.m.



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PRIORITY SEATING at all events is given to Port Washington residents and cardholders.

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