

EXHIBITS

In the Karen and Ed Adler Gallery

JOAN MILLER: *Lyrical Abstractions*. May 3 through 30.

In the Vogel Photography Gallery

PCI: *37th Annual Exhibition*. May 4 through 31. "Musical Images," a multimedia presentation, will be featured on Wednesday, May 11 at 7:30 p.m.

REGISTRATIONS

In progress

Job Search Strategies.....May 14
Resume Workshop.....May 14
Long-Term Care Insurance.....May 23

Beginning

AARP Defensive Driving.....May 3

EVENTS

1 Sunday

FEI-FEI DONG. The pianist will perform selections from Scriabin, Lieberman, Schumann and others. 3 p.m.

2 Monday

FOOD FILM FESTIVAL continues with *Mostly Martha (La Bella Martha)* (2002-105 min.). German chef Martha (Martina Gedeck) lives a loveless life until the arrival of her orphaned niece and a sympathetic cook. In German with English subtitles. Professor Val Franco will introduce the film and lead a discussion afterwards. 7 p.m.

3 Tuesday

AARP DEFENSIVE DRIVING. Registration begins today at 9 a.m. The class will take place on Saturday, June 11 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For Port Washington residents only. Check or money order payable to AARP due at registration. \$20 for members (membership # on check), \$25 for non-members. 9 a.m.

CHESS. Join us for a game! Tuesdays in May from 2:30 to 4 p.m.

ADULT COLORING. Tuesdays, May 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31. The adult coloring craze comes to Port! It's just like coloring for kids, but more complex - it's definitely harder to stay in the lines. These informal sessions are great for stress relief and getting to know your neighbors. 7 p.m.

"MISTRESS AMERICA" (2015-84 min.). The life of lonely college freshman Tracy (Greta Gerwig) is turned upside down by her impetuous, adventurous soon-to-be best friend, Brooke (Lola Kirke). 7:30 p.m.

4 Wednesday

GREAT BOOKS: Jane Austen's *Northanger Abbey*. 1 p.m.

TECHDESK. Every Wednesday in May from 2 to 4 p.m., bring your tech questions and devices to the South Wing for one-on-one assistance. Learn to use online resources and get tips on how to make the most of your gadgets. Don't forget to bring your passwords!

CONVERSATIONS FROM MAIN ST.: BILL AYRES AND JEN CHAPIN. The founders of WHY Hunger present "Thinking Globally, Acting Globally: WHY Hunger and the World Hunger Crisis." Ayres and Chapin will discuss the ongoing hunger and poverty crisis, and the important roles that artists and individuals can play in finding sustainable solutions. The conversation will include four musical numbers by Ms. Chapin. No tickets are necessary; free admission to the event is made possible by a grant from the Angela & Scott Jaggard Foundation. At Landmark on Main Street. 7:30 p.m.

5 Thursday

FREE ONLINE RESOURCES THAT ANYONE CAN USE! Media librarian Tony Traguado offers a look at some of the best free online research, reference, freeware, entertainment and money-saving resources. He will reveal techniques that can help you to weed out inaccurate and non-authoritative results from your online searches. New computer users are welcome, but attendees with some computer and internet experience will get the most out of this fun, information-packed presentation. 3 p.m.

DIRECTOR'S CUT. Film expert John Bosco will screen and discuss *Room* (2015-118 min.). Kidnapping victim Joy Newsome (Academy Award winner Brie Larson) struggles to make a life for her son (Jason Tremblay) in the single room provided by their captor. Emma Donoghue scripted, from her novel, for director Lenny Abrahamson; both were Oscar-nominated. 7 p.m.



6 Friday

SANDWICHED IN: "Artists and Springtime." Professor Thomas Germano explores the ways in which great artists depicted and were inspired by the beauty of spring. Tiffany, Chase, Klimt, Pissarro, Cezanne, Van Gogh, Gauguin and Matisse are among those who will be discussed. 12:10 p.m.

SCRABBLE. Join us for a game, every Friday in May. 2 to 5 p.m.

THE LONG ISLAND MUSIC HALL OF FAME: "THEY'RE FROM HERE!" The LIMHoF is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to preserving and celebrating the Island's rich musical heritage. This multimedia event will feature rare footage from LIMHoF gala ceremonies and a look at prominent inductees, including Billy Joel, Johnny Maestro, and Little Anthony and the Imperials. Presenter Tony Traguado served on the first Board of Directors of LIMHoF, and spent many years as the group's archivist. Current members of the Board will participate in a Q&A segment following the presentation. 7:30 p.m.

8 Sunday

A LOVE DOUBLE FEATURE. We begin this love-fest with William Dieterle's *Her Majesty, Love* (1931-75 min.). Playboy Fred (Ben Lyon) falls for cabaret barmaid Leah (Marilyn Miller), but his family is even more shocked at her father (W.C.Fields), who juggles deserts at a formal dinner. Will the wedding be called off? After a brief intermission, George Archainbaud's *Her Jungle Love* (1938-77 min.) whisks us to the South Seas, where downed pilot Bob (Ray Milland) is enchanted with island girl Tura (Dorothy Lamour). But what of Bob's fiancée, Eleanor (Dorothy Howe)? 2 p.m.

9 Monday

VIRTUAL VISITS: "The J. Paul Getty Museum, Part 2." The Getty Center in Los Angeles has a remarkable collection of European art from medieval times to the present, while the Getty Villa in Malibu is dedicated to the study of the arts and cultures of ancient Greece, Rome and Etruria. Join Ines Powell for this illustrated lecture. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. 2:30 p.m.

FOOD FILM FESTIVAL concludes with Ritesh Batra's *The Lunchbox* (2013-104 min.). A mistaken delivery in Mumbai's famously efficient lunchbox delivery system connects lonely young housewife Ila (Nimrat Kaur) with Saajan (Irrfan Khan), an older man preparing to retire. In English and subtitled Hindi. Professor Val Franco will lead the discussion. 7 p.m.

10 Tuesday

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

WINTER BROOK: "What Is Mediumship?" 7:30 p.m.

11 Wednesday

FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION: *The Constellation of Vital Phenomena* by Anthony Marra. In early-2000s Chechnya, two doctors try to protect a girl whose father has been abducted by Russian forces. Discussion led by Keith Klang. Books available at the Information Desk. 7:30 p.m.

12 Thursday

RESEARCH INVESTIGATORS' SCIENCE EXPO. Join us for a visit from participants in this year's Research Investigators' Science Expo (RISE), an annual competition held by the Young Investigators Society at the Feinstein Institute. The work of these medical researchers represents the best of the research activities of Northwell Health (formerly the North Shore/Long Island Jewish Health System), and will be presented in non-technical language. Students and teachers are particularly encouraged to attend. For more information, visit feinsteininstitute.org. Co-sponsored by the Fay J. Lindner Foundation. 7:30 p.m. HAC

13 Friday

SANDWICHED IN FILM: *Why Be Good?* (1929-81 min.). Pert Kelly (Colleen Moore) is a department store clerk by day and a flapper by night. She sparks with wealthy playboy Winthrop Peabody, Jr. (Neil Hamilton), who turns out to be her new boss! William A. Seiter's silent boasts a jazzy score and sound effects courtesy of Vitaphone, cinema's first financially successful sound system. 12:10 p.m.

GREAT STREETS OF NYC: "Broadway: The Street That Created the Musical." Join Prof. Ronald Brown for a virtual stroll along the longest and oldest street in the city, and explore its transformation from a center of political power to the world's entertainment capital. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. 3 p.m.

"EFFIE GRAY" (2014-109 min.). When Victorian-era art critic John Ruskin (Greg Wise) declines to consummate his marriage to young Effie Gray (Dakota Fanning), she seeks affection from his protégé, painter John Everett Millais (Tom Sturridge). Screenwriter Emma Thompson plays Lady Eastlake. Richard Laxton directed. 7:30 p.m.

14 Saturday

NEXT CHAPTER: Discuss current events. Bring your opinions! 10 a.m.

JOB SEARCH STRATEGIES WORKSHOP. Learn how to optimize your career search and increase your odds of finding successful employment. Register at the Reference Desk, or call 516-883-4400, ext. 111. 10 a.m.

RESUME & COVER LETTER WORKSHOP. Small group workshop for job seekers. Register at the Reference Desk, or call 516-883-4400, ext. 111. 1 p.m.

16 Monday

AFTERNOON AT THE OPERA: *La Fanciulla del West* introduced audiences to some Puccini's most sumptuous music. Set in a California mining camp during the Gold Rush, the opera tells of the love between Minnie, a saloon-keeper, and Dick, a bandit. Unusual in opera, and for Puccini especially, the work has a happy ending! Join Prof. James Kolb for this audio/visual lecture. 3 p.m. MAC

17 Tuesday

MEET REBECCA SCHIFF. *The Bed Moved* offers a singular view of growing up (or not) and finding love (or not). Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. 7:30 p.m.

18 Wednesday

GREAT BOOKS: Italo Calvino's *The Non-Existent Knight*. 1 p.m.

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING. The public is invited at 7:30 p.m.

19 Thursday

NON-FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION: *The Prize: Who's In Charge of America's Schools?* by Dale Russakoff. A behind-the-scenes look at the race to reform Newark's failing school system. Led by Keith Klang. Books available at the Information Desk. 1:30 p.m.

3RD THURSDAYS at 3: "Great Themes in European Paintings, Part 2." Learn how popular artistic subjects evolved over time. Marc Kopman, Adjunct Professor of Art History at LIU Post, will examine works that range from the early Renaissance to the beginning of the 20th century. 3 p.m. AAC

"BRIDGE OF SPIES" (2015-141 min.). During the Cold War, American lawyer James Donovan (Tom Hanks) is recruited to defend arrested Soviet spy Rudolf Abel (Academy Award winner Mark Rylance), and then to help the CIA arrange for an exchange of Abel for a captured American U2 spy plane pilot. The Oscar-nominated screenplay is by Matt Charman and Joel & Ethan Coen. A Steven Spielberg film. 7 p.m.

20 Friday

SANDWICHED IN: "Landmarks and Historic Sites of L.I." Ralph Brady, author of *Landmarks and Historic Sites of Long Island*, reveals what makes this little-big island so special with a tour of some of Nassau and Suffolk's most historic locations. 12:10 p.m.

"STAR WARS: EPISODE VII: THE FORCE AWAKENS" (2015-136 min.). Can a ragtag group of heroes save the galaxy from the villains of the First Order? J.J. Abrams' movie stars Adam Driver, Daisy Ridley, John Boyega—and some old friends. 7 p.m.



22 Sunday

FREEMPORT COMMUNITY BAND. Established in 1911, the all-volunteer band has over sixty members from Nassau, Suffolk, Queens and Brooklyn. Their repertoire includes marches, showtunes, rock 'n roll, opera, folk songs and symphonic pieces. 3 p.m.

23 Monday

BLOOD DRIVE. The Library Staff Association's annual blood drive. Remember, twenty minutes can save a life. No registration necessary—walk-ins welcome! 2:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE. Half of all retirees will require long-term care. This workshop will explore the benefits of insurance along with the options and costs. Register at the Information Desk, or call 516-883-4400, ext. 136. 7 p.m.

24 Tuesday

"PAWN SACRIFICE" (2015-116 min.). American chess prodigy Bobby Fischer (Tobey Maguire) finds himself caught between two Cold War superpowers. The cast also includes Peter Sarsgaard, Michael Stuhlbarg, Lily Rabe, Robin Weigert and Liev Schreiber as Boris Spassky. Steven Knight scripted for director Edward Zwick. 7:30 p.m.

25 Wednesday

OUT EAST ON THE NORTH FORK BUS TOUR. For those who registered, the bus will depart the library at 9 a.m.

PORT WRITES. Discuss your work and how to get it published. 8 p.m.

26 Thursday

MEET DANIEL PAISNER. The author discusses his latest novel, *A Single Hap-pened Thing*. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. 7:30 p.m.

27 Friday

SANDWICHED IN: "Art Under Roosevelt." In the 1930s, the U.S. government subsidized artists through the WPA, but subject-matter and style were not dictated. The result was the political radicalization of many artists. With the postwar rise of abstract art and anti-communism, much of this art was lost or forgotten. Join Dennis Raverly, Associate Professor at New Jersey City University, for this illustrated lecture. 12:10 p.m.

SOUNDSWAP: HOOTENANNY. The Library transforms into a 1960s coffee house for local musicians, singers and songwriters to come together for an evening of music that offers our audience unique musical team-ups and performances. Soloists may share the bill with duo, trio and group performances, summoning up a spirit of musical camaraderie and spontaneity that will cover a wide range of genres. Performers interested in participating should contact Tony Traguado at 516-883-4400, ext. 142. 7:30 p.m.

31 Tuesday

"THE GIFT" (2015-109 min.). The complacent lives of young married couple Simon and Robyn (Jason Bateman, Rebecca Hall) are thrown into a harrowing tailspin when Gordo (writer/director Joel Edgerton), an acquaintance from Simon's past, arrives bearing a mysterious gift and a dark secret. 7:30 p.m.

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

FOOD ALLERGY DISCLAIMER: Participants with food allergies need to be aware of the risk of foods consumed or items one may come in contact with while at any of our programs.

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LIBRARY HOURS

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