



# Check It Out

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## Close Encounters With Birds of Prey

**Tues., Dec. 27 @ 7:00 pm - All Ages**

Would you like to see a golden eagle, a peregrine falcon or perhaps, a saw-whet owl? If so, join Bill Streeter of the Delaware Valley Raptor Center to see and learn about these and other birds of prey. You will see six live raptors and spend a magical hour gaining a greater knowledge and appreciation of the raptors of the northeast.

## Sing Along to the History of the 1950's and 1960's With Marc Black

**Mon., Jan. 16 @ 7:00 pm**



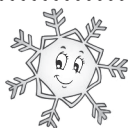
Join New York Blues Hall of Fame inductee, Marc Black, for a musical tour through these two historically defining decades. You will sing along with wonderful songs as diverse as Itsy, Bitsy, Teeny Weeny, Yellow Polka-Dot Bikini and Blowin' in the Wind, as well as tunes by artists ranging from Dean Martin to George Harrison. In addition to the music and discussion, this popular program features a slide show that's sure to slide you right back in time.



**FLOW  
CIRCUS**

**Science of Awesome**  
**Tues., Feb. 21 @ 10:30 am**

**Ages 5+** Explore the world of science and skill toys where things fall, balance and spin. Discover the mysterious forces of the invisible, physical world.



**Winter Weather Reminder:** To find out if the library is closed during inclement weather please call the library, visit our website, or go to [cancellations.com](http://cancellations.com)

## Children's Programs



### American Girl™ Doll Winter Vest Craft with Nanette Hardiman

**Fri., Dec. 16 @ 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm**

**Ages 8+** Come decorate a winter themed vest for your American Girl doll. Pick one style from six choices including: Christmas, Hanukkah and Kwanzaa. Choose your style vest when signing up.



### Snowman Cookie Decorating

**Tues., Jan. 10 @ 6:00 pm**

**Ages 8+** Have some winter fun by decorating snowman cookies.

**School is Closed...**



### An American Girl™ Story Melody 1963: Love Has To Win

**Mon., Jan. 16 @ 11:00 am**

**Ages 7+** Join us for a special movie event as we celebrate Martin Luther King Jr. Day and learn about the Civil Rights Movement of 1963 through the eyes of Melody, a 10-year-old African American girl.



### Snowman Decor

**Tues., Jan. 17 @ 4:30 pm**

**Ages 7+** Join Carolyn Travers for some winter fun and make a snowman out of a water bottle!



### Cookie/Cupcake Club

**Thurs., Jan. 26 @ 5:30 pm**

**Ages 10+** Share your baking ideas! Learn decorating tips, swap and receive recipes.



### Valentine Decor

**Tues., Feb. 7 @ 4:30 pm**

**Ages 7+** Join Carolyn Travers for some Valentine's Day fun!



### Giant Word Winder

**Thurs., Feb. 23 from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm**

**Ages 7+** How many words can you find in our huge 9ft x 9ft word puzzle? The first players to complete a winding path of words from one side of the board to the opposite side wins!



### Jiggly Wiggly

**Thurs., Jan. 12 & Feb. 9 @ 10:15 am**

**Ages 2-5** Let's jiggle and wiggle! Don't stand still! Join Valerie Boggis for puppets, music, dancing and lots of fun!



### Music and Fun With Mr. Kurt

**Sat., Feb. 25 @ 11:00 am**

**Ages 2+** Clap, slap, shake, spin, stomp and sing along with Mr. Kurt! Fun for all ages.



## Family Programs

### Local Hero Holiday Card Making

**Tues., Dec. 13 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

**All Ages** No registration required! Drop-in to the library and make a holiday card for our local police officers or a local hero of your choice.



### Family Giant Word Winder

**Weds., Dec. 28 from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm**

**All Ages** Sign up for 1/2 hour increments per family or team. How many words can you find in our huge 9ft x 9ft word puzzle? The first players to complete a winding path of words from one side of the board to the opposite side wins!



## Storytime

Every week join us for fun stories, rhymes, songs, finger-plays and a craft! All children must be registered to attend storytime.



### STORYTIME WITH MISS DOREEN

**Tues., Weds., Thurs., & Fri. @ 10:30 am**  
**Pre-School (Ages: 2-5 years)**

### STORYTIME WITH MISS JOANIE

**Mon. @ 10:30 am**  
**Mostly Mother Goose**  
**(Ages: 18-36 months)**

All programs are age-appropriate. Children must be within the specified age range by Dec. 2016. For safety reasons, the Library Board policy requires one adult for every two children. Siblings are always welcome!

# *The NEW Teen Room "Diner"*

**FOR GRADES 6-12 ONLY!**



**Cruise on down to the coolest spot in Sloatsburg!!! It's your place! Listen to music, play Xbox 360, hang with your friends and come to these fun activities!**



**Teen Green Screen Drop-In**  
Fri., Jan. 6, Feb. 3 & 17 from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

**Ages 13+** Get hands-on experience with special effects!

Shoot your own short movie or music video against our green screen and you can be anywhere in the world! The top of Mt. Everest! A rock concert! Outer space! Let your imagination run wild!



**Teen Movie Night**  
Thurs., Jan. 19 & Feb. 2 @ 6:00 pm

**Ages 13+** Meet with your friends in our NEW Teen Room and watch a movie on our retro flat-screen TV. In January we will be watching **Adventures in Babysitting** [1987] and in February we will be watching **Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day**.



**Free Guitar Lessons**  
Meets Every Tues. Starting Dec. 6 @ 4:00 pm

**Ages 13+** Want to learn to play guitar? Join us and learn how to read music, play chords and songs. Please bring your own guitar. **No class Dec. 27 or Feb. 14.**



**Magic: The Gathering Card Club**  
Dates & Times to Be Announced

**Ages 13+** Play Magic: The Gathering. Bring your own deck or borrow one from the library and have fun playing this popular game with your friends.



**Pom-Pom Snowman**  
Thurs., Jan. 5 @ 6:30 pm

**Ages 13+** Make a frosty friend that never has to melt from woolly white pom-poms, felt, and ribbon!



**Teen Fairy Mason Jars**  
Tues., Jan. 24 @ 6:30 pm

**Ages 13+** Believe in fairies! Illuminate a mason jar with a fairy inside!



**Giant Word Winder**

Thurs., Feb. 23 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

**Ages 13+** How many words can you find in our huge 9ft x 9ft word puzzle? The first players to complete a winding path of words from one side of the board to the opposite side wins!

## *Adult Programs*



**Disaster Preparedness  
Community Program**

Weds., Dec. 7 @ 1:00 pm & 7:00 pm

Learn how to develop a family emergency plan, stock up on emergency supplies and register for NY-Alert, the free statewide emergency alert system. Program will be presented by First Lieutenant Brett White and First Lieutenant Thomas J. Frost. **Please note: Due to the expected large turn-out, the event will be held at the Senior Center across the street from the Sloatsburg Library.**



**Gingerbread Houses  
for Adults & Teens**

Thurs., Dec. 8 & Dec. 15 @ 7:00 pm

Come create an 8"x5" gingerbread house decoration. Traditional materials will be provided, but feel free to bring any special trimmings. **Limit 12.**



**Arm Knitting For Adults & Teens**  
Date In December TBA

Learn the basics of arm knitting. Create your own scarf. Please bring two skeins of Lion Brand Wool Ease Thick & Quick Weight Category #6 80% acrylic 20% wool. Yarn available at Walmart or Michaels. **Limit 8.**



**Adult Game Night**  
Mon., Dec. 12 @ 6:30 pm

Come play Scrabble, Jenga and other fun games!



## Adult Programs Cont.



### FREE One-On-One Job Search Assistance

**Thurs., Dec. 15 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm**

Do you need help writing or updating your resume and cover letter? Applying for jobs online? Exploring career options? Preparing for interviews? Meet with Gregg Knowles, Career Coach and Resume Writer for help with your job search. **Each private session is 1 hour. Please reserve your spot by calling 753-2001.**



### Defensive Driving

**Sat., Dec. 17 @ 9:30 am**

Open to all NY State licensed drivers. You will receive a 10% discount on auto insurance. Bring a snack and lunch.

Teens with permits can attend class. **Sloatsburg / Suffern cardholders will be given priority. Fee: \$40. Cash only. No checks. Limit 30.**



### Warm Soups for Cold Days

**Mon., Jan. 9 @ 6:30 pm**

Come in from the cold! Learn how to make 3 easy soups with Nancy Kaufer.

We will do a little prepping and mixing... and A LOT of tasting! Bring your appetite and a container for some soup to go! **Limit 15.**



### Cookbook Club

**Tues., Jan. 3 & Feb. 7 @ 6:30 pm**

Join our new cookbook club! Make it! Sample It! Discuss It! Each month we will eat and talk about a different cookbook. We do have a microwave if needed. For

January we will be making, sampling and discussing recipes from The Pioneer Woman Cooks by Ree Drummond. Books will be available to check out at the Circulation Desk. February's featured cookbook will be Trisha's Table by Trisha Yearwood.



### Scrapbooking Crop Day

**Sat., Jan. 14 from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm**

Pictures tell a story like no book can. Stop procrastinating and gather your scrapbooking supplies and pictures and use this Crop Day to catch up on your memories. Bring your lunch. Raffles all day!



### Date Night at the Library

**Mon., Feb. 13 @ 6:30 pm**

Bring your loved one and celebrate Valentine's Day as we watch the movie, **Serendipity** on the big screen and enjoy some special treats. **Limit 12.**

## NEW YEAR NEW YOU



### Boot Camp

**Thurs., Dec. 29, Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26, Feb. 2, 9 & 16 @ 7:00 pm**

Get the ultimate workout with personal trainer, Lou Saviano, who will help you lose weight and get fit! Please bring dumbbells (any weight), mat, towel and water. Wear comfortable clothing. **Must attend all 8 classes. Limit 10.**



### Essential Oils for Emotional Support: Make A Diffuser Bracelet

**Mon., Jan. 23 @ 6:30 pm**

Join Joanie and learn about essential oils that can help calm and relax you, then make your own diffuser bracelet using lava beads. **Limit 10.**



### Regenerative Foods for Energy & Weight Loss

**Weds., Jan. 25 @ 6:30 pm**

Have you tried many diets only to find that the deprivation doesn't lead to permanent weight loss? Join award-winning author, holistic health coach and raw foods chef, Karen Ranzi, M.A. as she gives you the tools that will lead to pleasurable eating and sustained weight loss. A green smoothie will be prepared for you to sample.



### Healthy Habits for Your Brain & Body

**Weds., Feb. 1 @ 7:00 pm**

Four areas of lifestyle habits are associated with healthy aging: cognitive activity, exercise, diet, nutrition and social engagement. Learn how to improve or maintain your overall health with Jody Addeo, Community Engagement Manager for Westchester and Rockland Counties, Alzheimer's Association Hudson Valley Chapter.



**NEW!**

## BINGE BOXES

Why pay for Netflix each month when you can "binge watch" the same movies here at the library for free? Binge Boxes are in memory of Jack Watkins.



- ★ One week - no renewals
- ★ Must be returned to the Sloatsburg Library
- ★ \$1 fine per day per box

## Did You Know?



You can now borrow American Girl Dolls and Star Wars Figures right here at your library!

American Girl Dolls and Star Wars Figures come with a book, carrying case and journal to record all of your adventures together! **Sloatsburg residents only.**



## Clubs For Adults

### ADULT BOOK CLUB

Meets Weds. @ 7:00 pm - Jan. 4, Jan. 25 & Feb. 22

### CRAFT CLUB

Meets Weds. @ 6:30 pm - Dec. 14, Jan. 11 & Feb. 8

### KNITTING FOR CHARITY

Meets every other Thurs. starting Jan. 12 @ 7:00 pm  
(Jan. 26, Feb. 9 & Feb. 23)

### FRIENDS OF THE SLOATSBURG LIBRARY

Meets Mon. @ 7:00 pm - Dec. 12, Jan. 9, Feb. 13  
Join us for our next meeting! All are welcome.  
Meetings are an hour or less.



## New Releases

### Books

#### Echoes In Death

By J.D. Robb

#### Cross the Line

By James Patterson

#### Devil In Spring

By Lisa Kleypas

#### Right Behind You

By Lisa Gardner

#### Fatal

By John Lescroart

#### Wyoming Brave

By Diana Palmer

#### Heartbreak Hotel

By Jonathan Kellerman

#### Below the Belt

By Stuart Woods

#### Expecting To Die

By Lisa Jackson

#### Banana Cream Pie Murder

By Joanne Fluke

#### NYPD Reds

By James Patterson

#### The Mistress

By Danielle Steel

#### Double Plum

By Janet Evanovich

#### Law and Order

By Heather Graham

#### Ripper

By Patricia Cornwell

#### Most Dangerous Place

By James Grippando

#### Under Pressure

By Lori Foster

#### My Not So Perfect Life

By Sophie Kinsella

#### Death of a Ghost

By M.C. Beaton

#### Always

By Sarah Jio

#### True Faith and Allegiance

By Tom Clancy

#### A Million Little Things

By Susan Mallery

### DVDs & Blu-Rays

- Star Trek Beyond
- The Sea of Trees
- Christmas Eve
- The Secret Life of Pets
- Jason Bourne
- The Hollars
- Ben Hur
- Florence Foster Jenkins
- Bridget Jones' Baby
- Sully
- Storks
- The Disappointments Room
- Greater
- Snowden
- Max Steel
- The Whole Truth
- The Light Between Oceans
- Blackway
- Elle
- The 9th Life of Louis Drax

## Thank You!

Thank you to the following people and businesses for generously donating to our library events.

- **Wiklow Orchards**, Highland, NY
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- **Auntie El's Farm Market**
- **Home Depot**
- **Nature's Path**
- **Mark Nimal** for donating and carving the spectacular giant pumpkin for our Haunted House.
- **Thomas Gibbon, Alexa Hart, Aaron Honey, Gabriella Marsalisi, Erin McAnany, Bill Schlicher, and Andrea Lopez** - our AMAZING Haunted House volunteers. Thank you for all of your help!
- **Justin and Joan Wanamaker, John Hernandez and Anthony Puglia** for constructing and running our spooky and fun Haunted House.

## Other Library Services

**We are more than just books!**

- **FREE** Home Delivery Service for Sloatsburg residents who are housebound. Call for information.
- **FREE** Drop-In Computer/Tech Help - Mon. from 5:00pm to 9:00pm with Joanie. 1/2 hr sessions.
- **FREE** genealogy resources. Explore Ancestry.com and HeritageQuest.com. **Sloatsburg cardholders only.**
- **Notary Services** - call for availability
- Wireless printing from home
- Newsletter available in **LARGE PRINT**



## Holiday Closings

**Sat., Dec. 24** - Christmas Eve

**Sun., Dec. 25** - Christmas Day

**Sat., Dec. 31** - Closing @ 2pm

**Sun., Jan. 1** - New Year's Day

**Mon., Feb. 20** - Presidents' Day

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**Wishing you and yours a very Happy Holiday Season  
from the Staff of the Sloatsburg Public Library**