Library Update

Curbside Pick Up is Coming on June 15th

Whether you are requesting a specific book or would like us to do the browsing for you, Curbside Pick Up gives you access to the library's collection of books, audiobooks, DVD's, music and magazines. Borrow up to 5 items at a time.

There are three ways to reserve materials:

Call 914-793-5055 on weekdays from 9 am - 5 pm.
Email us at eastchesterlibrary@wlsmail.org
Visit us at www.westchesterlibraries.org to place a hold. This option is only for Eastchester cardholders only. There are no interlibrary loans at this time.

Once you place a request, we will arrange a time for you to pick up your items at the upper level entrance. The items are yours to enjoy for 14 or 21 days. Vacation loans are also available on older materials.

At this time we are limiting curbside pick up to 5 items. Our curbside hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10:00 am - 4:30 pm and Wednesday from 10:00 am - 7:00 pm. We will reevaluate our curbside hours on July 1st based on need.

Book Drops

Book Drops are now open 24/7 and you are able to return books from other libraries. We have put one book drop at the upper level of the library to make it easier to drop off materials.

Need Help Accessing Zoom?

Most of our virtual library programs use the platform Zoom. Need help accessing Zoom? You can call the library at 914-793-5055 or email Elizabeth at enguyen@wlsmail.org and she will be happy to talk you through the process of joining a Zoom program by phone, tablet or computer!

To Access Zoom from a Computer

Type Zoom.us into your web browser. Google Chrome and Internet Explorer seem to work best.
Click on the blue "Join a meeting" button on top right-hand side of the screen.

Type in the meeting ID number to join. Enter password if required.

Click join and then click the box that says Open Zoom. If box doesn’t appear, click on the text that says "click here to launch the meeting".

**To Access Zoom via iPhone or Tablet**

Download the Zoom app from the app store

Open the app and click join a meeting

Type in the meeting ID number for this program. Enter password if required.

Please note: the email address that use to register for a program should match the email address tied to your ZOOM account.

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**Adult Yoga via Zoom**

**Monday, June 15th**

**Thursday, June 18th**

**7:30 pm**

Join us for a half hour yoga class to relieve stress and help balance the body and mind! Online registration is required to receive the Zoom ID meeting number and password.

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**Limber Up Chair Yoga via Zoom**

**Tuesday, June 9th**

**11:15 am**

Certified Yoga and fitness instructor Diane D. Negvesky will host a 30 minute chair yoga program via ZOOM. It is a great way for older adults to get the health benefits of yoga including loosening muscles, reducing stress and improving circulation.

Online registration for this class is required. You must register in order to receive the full login information and password.

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**Author Visit with Linda Cartolano**

**Tuesday, June 16th**

**3:00 pm**

Join us for a Zoom author reading with debut author Linda Cartolano! Linda is a preschool teacher who wrote her first picture book, *Bird Stays Home*, which tells the story of a little bird struggling to understand the many feelings that can come along with being quarantined. Ultimately, Bird learns that it is okay to experience a wide range of emotions, and that sometimes, all you can do is get through one day at a time.

For ages Pre -K and up.
Check out the read-aloud here by her:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GEGFxX1nCBM

To purchase a copy from Amazon:
https://www.amazon.com/Bird-Stays-Home-Linda-Cartolano-ebook/dp/B087QVXXFS/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=birds+stay+home&qid=1589921286&sr=8-1

Registration is required.

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**Kids Yoga via ZOOM**
**Wednesday, June 17th**
**11:00 am**

Budding Buddhas Kids Yoga will host a 30 minute yoga program for children ages 3-8 years old. Space is limited and you must register in advance. Once registered, attendees will receive an email from the host with the Zoom meeting ID and password information.

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**Kids Book Club via Zoom**
**Wednesday, June 17th**
**3:45 pm**

In place of our usual book club, today we will have a special discussion of Season 1 of the Netflix series, *A Series of Unfortunate Events*, starring Neil Patrick Harris. This was chosen by participants in the Graphic Novel club on 5/13. Participants are asked to watch some, or all, of the eight-episode season that is based on the first 4 books in the series by Lemony Snicket a/k/a/ Daniel Handler.

We will have trivia questions drawn from the TV series (not the books.) Please note, the books are available for listening through Hoopla Digital as well; e-books for reading are on Overdrive/Libby and subject to availability.

Registration required for Zoom ID and password.

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**Oscar Songs with Richard Knox via Zoom**
**Thursday, June 18th**
**1:30 pm**

Tune in for Part Five of Richard Knox's engaging online program, Songs that Won (and Lost) the "Oscar" via the video conferencing application ZOOM.

Beginning in 1934 the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences has awarded "Oscars" to the composer and lyricist responsible for an original song considered to be the best from the films released in the prior year. During this presentation we will have the opportunity to revisit many of these beloved songs, often performed by the original artist. We will view archival footage of presenters and recipients in Hollywood on the evening of the award show. As a bonus we will look back at many other great songs that
were nominated but failed to take home the prize.

Online registration is required to receive the ZOOM meeting information.

The final program date in this series is July 2nd.

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**Storytime with Ms. Teresa via Zoom**

**Thursday, June 18th**

**2:00 pm**

Join our Children's Librarian Ms. Teresa for a fun-filled interactive story time via Zoom. This week we will have a "take-home" activity after our reading. If you signed up for the previous session, you do not need to sign up again. If you wish to join, please email Ms. Teresa directly at tchang@wlsmail.org.

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**Beginner Crochet Class for Teens and Adults**

**Thursday, June 18th**

**4:00 pm**

Are you interested in learning to crochet? Join us for a virtual beginner 90 minute crochet class. Registration required for each class to receive the class ID & Password. Because this is an online class, attendees need to provide their own number 5 crochet hook and yarn.

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**Cartooning Class via Zoom**

**Friday, June 19th**

**2:00 pm**

Join us for a drawing/cartooning class with artist Mike Teator. More details to come on future classes. Registration required to receive Zoom ID and password.

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