



LONG BRANCH
Free Public Library

MARCH

Programs for Kids

Every
MONDAY

4:00pm

Main
Library

**Children's
Chess Club**

Chess Club is open to anyone between 5 & 17 who wishes to practice their skills against other students. A chess teacher will be available. All levels welcomed!

CONTACT: nmarshall@longbranchlib.org

Every
TUESDAY

11:00am

Main
Library

**Toddler Time
with Ms. Nekesha**

Join Ms. Nekesha in our Main Library's Children's Department for stories, music & a craft!

CONTACT: nmarshall@longbranchlib.org

Every
WEDNESDAY

4:30pm

Elberon
Branch
Library

**Story Time
with Miss Tara**

Join Miss Tara at the Elberon Branch for stories and fun for children. Family and friends are welcome to attend as well!

CONTACT: tsullivan@longbranchlib.org

Every
FRIDAY

10:00am

Elberon
Branch
Library

**Toddler Time
with Miss Tara**

Join Miss Tara at the Elberon Branch for stories and fun for younger children. Family & friends are also welcome to attend!

CONTACT: tsullivan@longbranchlib.org

Every
SATURDAY

11:00am

Main
Library

**Craft & Story
with Ms. Yanique**

Join Ms. Yanique in the Children's Department at our Main Library for stories, music & a craft!

CONTACT: ythompson@longbranchlib.org

Begins Thurs.
MARCH 13th

4:00pm

Main
Library

Fine Art Class

Learn techniques to paint both deciduous and evergreen trees. Class dates are: 3/13, 3/27, 4/03, 4/10, 4/17 and 4/24.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/fineartkidsLB

Friday
MARCH 14th

4:00pm

Main
Library

**Thinking Money
for Kids: Pinching
Penny's Party**

Kids create party plans on a \$100 budget over five turns, presenting their choices to potentially win Party Champion for creativity and financial management.

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**ENDS Thurs.
MARCH 20th**

Virtual/
Online

**Winter Reading
Challenge**

Cozy up this winter with a good book and join our virtual Winter Reading Challenge! Readers of all ages can participate. Challenge ends on March 20th.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/longbranchreads25

Saturday
MARCH 22nd

2:00pm

Main
Library

**NJ Makers Day:
Makerspace Program
for All Ages**

Kids craft Wearable Circuits bracelets and teens build Solar Bugs during Makers Day, inspiring STEM learning in our vibrant library setting.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/suncatcherLB

Visit www.longbranchlib.org for more information!



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Programs for Adults

Every
MONDAY
Conversation Class

5:30pm
Main
Library

This is an advanced ESL class focusing on conversations and simple readings in English.

CONTACT: mservellon@longbranchlib.org

Saturday,
MARCH 1st
The Legacy of Rosa Parks

3:00pm
Main
Library

Celebrate Rosa Park during her Centennial year and learn more about her complicated and inspiring life with living-history interpreter Lorraine Stone.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/rosaparks25

Mondays,
MARCH 3rd
10th & 17th
Winter Art Series

4:00pm
Elberon
Branch
Library

Classes taught by Kelly Louis include drawing, free-flow art, collage, winterscapes, & more. Classes continue on March 3rd, 10th & 17th.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/winterart25

Thursday
MARCH 13th
Nonfiction Book Club

1:30pm
Elberon
Branch
Library

This month we are reading "All Creatures Great and Small" by James Herriot - one of the world's most beloved veterinarians!

CONTACT: awells@longbranchlib.org

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Friday,
MARCH 21st
Irish Movie Month: "Belfast"

2:30pm
Main
Library
Theater

"Belfast" follows a nine-year-old boy's life in 1969 Northern Ireland as his family confronts the decision to stay amid sectarian violence or flee to safety.

CONTACT: lkelly@longbranchlib.org

Saturday
MARCH 22nd
NJ Makers Day: Makerspace Program

2:00pm
Main
Library

Adults and families are invited to get creative and craft a beaded suncatcher, perfect for brightening up any space.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/suncatcherLB

Tuesday,
MARCH 25th
"Hello Girls" of WWI Get the Message Through

7:00pm
Main
Library

Join Professor Melissa Ziobro for a talk on the WWI "Hello Girls," the women who kept battlefield communications running and fought for veteran status.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/hellogirlsLB

Wednesday,
MARCH 26th
Protecting the Piping Plovers

7:00pm
Main
Library

Learn how to protect and share our shore with the endangered piping plover and other nesting shorebirds and coastal animals at Sandy Hook.

REGISTER: www.bit.ly/ploversLB

Thursday
MARCH 27th
Staff Book Club

2:30pm
Main
Library

Join us this March as we celebrate Women's History Month with a discussion of "The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek" by Kim Michele Richardson.

CONTACT: lkelly@longbranchlib.org

Monday,
MARCH 31st
Women's History Month Movie: "The Color Purple"

2:30pm
Main
Library
Theater

Join us for an inspiring tale of resilience and sisterhood starring Taraji P. Henson, Halle Bailey, and Fantasia Barrino!

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Happy
WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH