

# October Calendar

## Exhibits

### In the Karen and Ed Adler Gallery

ALEKSANDER BETKO. *Animals*. Through October 31.

## Registrations

### In progress

Crowdfunding Basics.....October 3  
Medicare.....October 24  
Resume Workshop.....October 29  
Interviewing Skills.....October 29

### Beginning

Tai Chi.....October 18

## Events

### 2 Sunday

**HALLOWEEN HORRORS.** We get a jump on the holiday with Agnieszka Holland's *Rosemary's Baby* (2014-170 min.), the second screen version of Ira Levin's best-seller about young Rosemary (Zoe Saldana), who begins to suspect that her husband is conspiring with Satanic cultists hellbent on getting their hands on her unborn child. 1:30 p.m.

### 3 Monday

**CROWDFUNDING BASICS.** A three-part series, on Mondays, October 3, 17 and 24, at 7 p.m. Learn how to launch your own crowdfunding initiative. Sign up at the Information Desk, or call 516-883-4400, ext. 136. **Participants must register for all three sessions.** 7 p.m.

**"THE GIRL BY THE LAKE"** (2007-95 min.), Prof. Val Franco presents Andrea Molaioli's mystery. In Italian with English subtitles. 7:30 p.m.

### 4 Tuesday

**CHESS.** Join us for a game! Tuesdays from 2 to 4 p.m.

**ADULT COLORING.** Tuesdays, October 4, 11, 18, 25. Meetups are relaxed and informal; they're great for stress relief and getting to know your neighbors. 7 p.m.

### 5 Wednesday

**TECHDESK.** Every Wednesday from 2 to 4 p.m., bring your tech questions and devices to the Reference Desk for one-on-one assistance.

**GREAT BOOKS:** *Immoderation of Ifat* by Sara Suleri, and *Now We Are Free* by David Sedaris. 2:30 p.m.

**"JOYRIDE"** (1977-92 min.). Four friends (Desi Arnaz Jr., Robert Carradine, Anne Lockhart and Melanie Griffith) decide to start a new life in Alaska. 7:30 p.m.

### 6 Thursday

**PROSTATE HEALTH SCREENING.** For an appointment and more information, please call Senator Jack Martins office at 516-746-5924. 4 to 6 p.m.

**"IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME: IT'S NOT ALL IN YOUR HEAD."** Dr. Bethany DeVito discusses this common gastrointestinal condition. Made possible by the PWPL Health Advisory Council, the Friends of the Library and the Katz Institute for Women's Health at Northwell Health. 7:30 p.m.

### 7 Friday

**SANDWICHED IN FILM:** *The Orange Thief* (2007-84 min.) Living on the outer boundaries of society, ruffians steal fruit for sustenance, sale, and the sheer excitement of courting danger. In Italian with English subtitles. Sponsored by Sons of Italy, John Michael Marino Lodge. 12:10 p.m.

**SCRABBLE.** Join us for a game! Fridays from 2 to 5 p.m.

**LIVE AT PWPL:** Streetfighter. This tribute band captures the sound, look and spirit of The Rolling Stones. 7:30 p.m.



### 8 Saturday

**NEXT CHAPTER.** Join a discussion of current events. Bring your opinions! 10 a.m.

**DRONES: TAKING FLIGHT & AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY.** Learn flight fundamentals and operational best practices, as well as creative techniques that are used in real world video/photo production. Weather permitting, there will be a live drone demonstration. 2 p.m.

### 9 Sunday

**NEW YORK CLASSIC FILM CLUB.** Dr. Dan Pompa hosts *Hangmen Also Die!* (1943-134 min.). Director Fritz Lang collaborated with screenwriter Bertold Brecht on this noirish tale of espionage and assassination in Nazi-occupied Czechoslovakia. 2 p.m.

### 10 Monday

**COLUMBUS DAY HOURS.** We will be open from 1 to 5 p.m.

### 11 Tuesday

**HYPERTENSION SCREENINGS.** Free and no appointments needed. Courtesy of St. Francis Hospital. 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**"PELICAN DREAMS"** (2014-80 min.). Filmmaker Judy Irving follows a wayward pelican from her "arrest" on the Golden Gate Bridge to her new life at a rehab facility. This family-friendly documentary is rated G. 7:30 p.m.

### 12 Wednesday

**MEDICAID SIGN-UP HELP.** Free, walk-in assistance from Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council. 2:30 to 5 p.m.

**"IL POSTINO"** (1995-108 min.). A postman (Massimo Troisi) enlists the help of poet Pablo Neruda (Philippe Noiret) to help him woo the most beautiful woman in town. In Italian with English subtitles. Sponsored by Sons of Italy, John Michael Marino Lodge. 7:30 p.m.



### 13 Thursday

**CLUB DE LECTURA EN ESPAÑOL (BOOK CLUB IN SPANISH).** Hispanohablantes y aquellos que estén interesados en nuestra cultura y tradiciones, nos reuniremos frecuentemente para hablar de las publicaciones de nuestros autores. 7 p.m.

### 14 Friday

**SANDWICHED IN:** "Illustrating the Romantic Horizon: Early Expeditions to the Western Front." Prof. Dennis Raverty discusses the inclusion of illustrators on early nineteenth century expeditions of the Western frontier. The drawings were an attempt to document the land and native peoples, but the results were highly romanticized, exotic and often racist—a mythologized vision of the West. 12:10 p.m.

**ITALIAN GENEALOGY.** Seeking your roots? Dr. Marilyn Verna will show you how to proceed. Dr. Verna taught at St. Francis College, presents on Italian research and culture, and assists with the acquisition and translation of Italian documents and records. Sponsored by Sons of Italy, John Michael Marino Lodge. 7:30 p.m.

### 16 Sunday

**16th ANNUAL DILL JONES JAZZ CONCERT** featuring the Gail Nelson Group. 3 p.m. MAC

### 17 Monday

**AFTERNOON ON BROADWAY:** Professor James Kolb discusses *Show Boat*. Based on a best-selling novel by Edna Ferber, adapted for the stage by Oscar Hammerstein II, and featuring an extraordinary score by Jerome Kern, *Show Boat* stands as the landmark musical of the 1920s. Hear standards such as "Old Man River," "Make Believe" and "Bill" and examine the ways in which *Show Boat* has been altered in its many productions and adaptations. 3 p.m. MAC

**"A FAIRY TALE WEDDING"** (2014-91 min.). Presented by Prof. Val Franco. When five high school friends get together decades later for a wedding in Zurich, they see just how much they have (or haven't) changed. In Italian with English subtitles. Recommended for adults. 7:30 p.m.

### 18 Tuesday

**TAI CHI.** Registration begins today for seven Thursday classes, 12:45 to 1:45 p.m., November 3 to December 22. \$20 fee due at registration. HAC

**POWERUP COMMUNITIES INFORMATION WORKSHOP.** Learn about the PowerUp Communities program, an energy efficiency initiative that provides homeowners with low-cost energy assessments, as well as grants and financing for energy improvements. In recognition of National Energy Awareness Month. No registration. 7 p.m.

### 19 Wednesday

**GREAT BOOKS:** *The Little Mermaid* by Hans Christian Andersen and *The Pangs of Love* by Jane Gardam. 2:30 p.m.

**FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION:** *We Need to Talk About Kevin* by Lionel Shriver. After her son kills seven classmates and his high school English teacher, Eva writes to her estranged husband trying to solve what went wrong in raising their son. Led by Michelle Karnsomb. Books available at the Information Desk. 7:30 p.m.

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

### 20 Thursday

**NON-FICTION BOOK DISCUSSION:** *The Wright Brothers* by David McCullough. A fascinating look at the aviation pioneers. Led by Keith Klang. Books available at the Information Desk. 1:30 p.m.

**3rd THURSDAYS AT 3:** "Italian Renaissance." With Marc Kopman, Adjunct Professor of Art History at LIU. Co-sponsored by Sons of Italy, John Michael Marino Lodge and the PWPL Art Advisory Council. 3 p.m.

**DIRECTOR'S CUT.** Film expert John Bosco will screen and discuss *The Age of Adeline* (2015-113 min.). Blake Lively stars as Adeline, a 29-year-old who survives a near-death experience and, from that day on, never grows older. This fantasy also stars Kathy Baker, Harrison Ford and Ellen Burstyn. 7 p.m.

### 21 Friday

**SANDWICHED IN BOOK DISCUSSION.** Celebrate the Friends of the Library's 50th Anniversary with a discussion of Maeve Binchy's *Circle of Friends* (1990), the story of a pair of childhood friends who grow up together in the cozy village of Knockgleng during the 1950s. Led by Michelle M. Young. Copies available at the Information Desk. 12:10 p.m.

**SILVER CITY BOUND.** This New York City band promotes cross-cultural collaboration and dialogue through American roots music. This concert is appropriate for adults, teens and families with school-age children. Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library in celebration of their 50th Anniversary. 7:30 p.m.

### 22 Saturday

**PAPERBACK SWAP.** Return of the popular event with books available for all ages. Hundreds of patrons swap thousands of books at this community-friendly gathering. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library in celebration of their 50th Anniversary. 1 to 4 p.m.

### 23 Sunday

**PAMELA PAUL.** The FOL's 50th Anniversary Distinguished Speaker is the Editor of *The New York Times Book Review*. Paul is also an author and TV commentator. She has written four non-fiction books and will publish her fifth, the memoir *My Life with Bob*, in 2017. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library in celebration of their 50th Anniversary. 2 p.m.

### 24 Monday

**MEDICARE HEALTH PLANS.** Find out how changes to Medicare affect you. Samuel Schiff, LUTCF, will discuss the different parts of Medicare and upcoming health reform. A comparison of health plan options available in our area will be given. Participants will have an opportunity to sign up for individual follow up appointments. Sign up at the Information Desk, or by calling 516-883-4400 ext. 136. 7 p.m.

**FOOD DAY.** A screening of *Fresh*, which looks at people who are working to re-invent our food systems, followed by a discussion led by Patti Wood and a cooking demonstration by natural foods chef Bhavani Jaroff. 7 p.m. HAC

### 25 Tuesday

**"THE BOSS IN THE LIVING ROOM"** (2014-90 min.). Presented by Prof. Val Franco. A mobster from the South of Italy hides in the home of his sister, who lives in the very different North. In Italian with English subtitles. Recommended for adults. 7 p.m.

### 26 Wednesday

**"WONDRIOUS BOCCACCIO"** (2015-120 min.). In fourteenth century Italy, ten young friends relocate to the countryside to avoid the plague. In Italian with English subtitles. 7:30 p.m.

### 27 Thursday

**HALLOWEEN HORRORS:** *The Boy* (2016-97 min.). Greta (Lauren Cohan) takes a job as a nanny in a remote English village. She is shocked to discover that the boy she has been hired to look after is actually a life-sized doll. 7:30 p.m.

### 28 Friday

**SANDWICHED IN:** "Haunted Long Island." Join Christopher Weaver and Michael Salvarezza of Eco-Photo Explorers as they uncover the spine-tingling stories of our resident ghosts, ghouls and monsters. This is a fun-filled presentation that's sure to raise some goose bumps! 12:10 p.m.

**HARLEM.** Dr. Ron Brown discusses the past and present of the storied neighborhood. Part two of four. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. 3 p.m.

**HALLOWEEN HORRORS:** *The Witch: A New-England Folktale* (2015-92 min.). In seventeenth century New England, a family is exiled by their Puritan community. They settle in the wilderness, but when their newborn son disappears, they turn on each other with accusations of witchcraft. 7:30 p.m.

### 29 Saturday

**RESUMES AND COVER LETTERS.** A small group workshop presented by career counselor Karen McKenna. Sign up at the Reference Desk, or call 516-883-4400, ext. 111. 10 a.m.

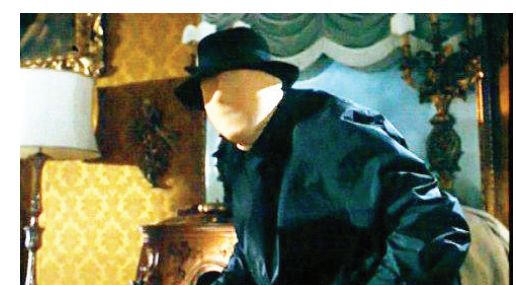
**INTERVIEWING SKILLS.** This small group workshop will cover how to conduct research, answer challenging questions, write thank you letters and present references. Presented by Karen McKenna. Sign up at the Reference Desk, or call 516-883-4400, ext. 111. 1 p.m.

### 30 Sunday

**HOLA CUBA!** Cofradia Duo performs traditional and contemporary Cuban music in this first of a series of events spotlighting Cuban culture. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. 3 p.m.

### 31 Monday

**HALLOWEEN HORRORS.** Prof. Val Franco presents *Blood and Black Lace* (1964-84 min.) and a discussion of the Italian horror genre known as "giallo" (yellow). Tame by today's standards, these films were daring when they were made in the 1960s. Diehard fans love these "spaghetti thrillers" by such masters Mario Bava, Dario Argento and Lucio Fulci. Bava's masterpiece, *Blood and Black Lace*, is one of the most influential Italian horror films of all time, with a combination of mystery, eroticism and horror. In Italian with English subtitles. Recommended for adults. 7:30 p.m.



## PWPL hours

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

## Sponsorships

AAC Art Advisory Council  
CAC Children's Advisory Council  
HAC Health Advisory Council  
MAC Music Advisory Council  
NAC Nautical Advisory Council

Programs sponsored by the Advisory Councils are funded by donations to the Port Washington Library Foundation.

In addition to the FOL-sponsored programs listed, refreshments for Sandwiched In are courtesy of the Friends of the Library.

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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