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**FIND “BOOK OWL”**
Our BOOK OWL has returned from her summer vacation. Will you be able to find where the BOOK OWL is? Throughout the month of December, Family Center will be visited by a little snowy owl, and it will be your job to find her. Owls only move at night, and so does the BOOK OWL. Come morning she will be asleep in her nook. When you spot her, show a Family Center librarian where she is and you can get a little prize. As BOOK OWL likes to sleep in different nooks, you will always have to find her new nook each morning. Can you find BOOK OWL asleep in her nook?

**1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN**
The concept is simple, the rewards are priceless. Read a book (any book) to your newborn, infant, toddler, and/or preschooler. The goal is to have read 1,000 books (yes you can repeat books) before your precious one starts kindergarten. Does it sound hard? Not really if you think about it. If you read just one book a night, you will have read 365 books in a year. That is 730 books in two years and 1,095 books in three years. If you consider that most children start kindergarten at around five years of age, you have more time than you think. (So get started). The key is perseverance. To help, the Family Center will offer incentives. Come into Family Center and sign up today. You will receive a packet and bag to get you started. If your child was enrolled in the Summer Reading Program those books can be counted.

**SUNNY CRAYON WREATH**
Ages 3 to 5 years with accompanying adult
Decorate a large wooden square using a mirror, crayons, cork strips, and two hooks to hang your stuff on. Dress for a mess.
Sun. 3:00-4:00 pm
Dec. 1
Registration began Nov. 18.

**BABY AND ME**
Ages Newborn to 18 months with accompanying adult
Come sing and dance with your baby. This 30-minute program is a lively introduction to nursery rhymes, books, music, and movement. Older siblings welcome, but they must be registered.

Tues. 10:00-10:30 am
Dec. 3
Jan. 7
Feb. 25
Mar. 10

AND/OR

Wed. 10:00-10:30 am
Dec. 18
Jan. 22
Feb. 5
Mar. 18

* Registration began Nov. 19 for the Dec. sessions.

**PLAY HOORAY FAMILY**
Ages 6 months to 5 years with accompanying adult
This themed program includes nursery rhymes, books, music, dancing, and other movement activities.

Wed. 2:00-2:30 pm
Dec. 4 - Winter
Jan. 22 - Snow People
Feb. 19 - Hearts

* Registration began Nov. 20 for the Dec. session.

**MOLLY MOUSE STORYTIME**
Ages 3 to 5 years
This is an activity intended for children who are able to separate from their accompanying adult.

Wed. 2:00-2:30 pm
Dec. 4 - Winter
Jan. 22 - Snow People
Feb. 19 - Hearts

* Registration began Nov. 20 for the Dec. session.

**MUSIC FOR AARDVARKS**
Ages 6 months to 5 years with accompanying adult
We sing, we dance, we jam with real musical instruments.

Mon. 10:00-10:45 am
OR
11:00-11:45 am
Dec. 9
Jan. 13
Feb. 10

* Registration began Nov. 26 for the Mon. Dec. session.

Sat. 10:30-11:15 am
OR
11:30 am-12:15 pm
Dec. 21

* Registration begins Dec. 11 for the Sat. Dec. session.

Sat. 10:00-10:45 am
OR
11:00-11:45 am
Jan. 11
Feb. 15


**PRESCHOOL CRAFTS**
Ages 3 to 5 years with accompanying adult (NO KINDERGARTNERS)
Adults are welcome to create an art project and listen to a story with their preschoolers.

Tues. 1:15-1:45 pm
Dec. 10
Jan. 14
Feb. 4
Mar. 3

* Registration began Nov. 27 for the Dec. session.

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**See DATES AT A GLANCE for future program registration dates**

- Visit our online calendar @ www.poblib.org - look for the symbol 📅 to register.
- Get a Library Card online @ www.poblib.org/services/library-card-online-application
**Preschool Storytime**
Ages 3 through 5 years  
This is an activity intended for children who are able to separate from their caregivers.  
**Wed.**  2:00-2:30 pm  
Dec. 11 – Spunky Little Monkey  
Feb. 5 – Playful Penguin  
* Registration began Nov. 25 for the Dec. session.

**Little Listeners Storytime**
Ages 2 to 3½ years with accompanying adult  
Program includes stories, songs, and fingerplays  
**Wed.**  11:00-11:30 am  
Dec. 18  
Jan. 15  
Feb. 12  
Mar. 11  
* Registration begins Dec. 9 for the Dec. session.

**ROCK THE BLOCK**
Ages 2 to 4 years with accompanying adult  
Rock The Block program offers toys to provide the children with the opportunity to be creative, improve fine and gross-motor skills, build, develop an appreciation for how things work and all while having fun!  
**Mon.**  10:00-11:00 am  
Dec. 23  
Jan. 20  
Feb. 17  
* Registration begins Dec. 12 for the Dec. session.

**FULL STEAM AHEAD**
Ages 3 to 5 years with accompanying adult  
After listening to a story, children and their adults will have fun while playing and exploring in this interactive STEAM program.  
**Mon.**  10:00-10:45 am  
Jan. 6  
Registration begins Dec. 19.

**KIDNASTICS**
Ages 12 months - 4 years with accompanying adult  
**NO KINDERGARTNERS**  
Enjoy musical warm-ups, obstacle courses, fun inflatables, and other fine and gross motor skill activities. Comfortable clothing suggested.  
**Thurs.**  10:00 -10:45 am  
Dec. 12  
Jan. 23  
Feb. 27  
* Registration begins Dec. 3 for the Thurs. Dec. session.  
**Sat.**  10:00 -10:45 am  
Dec. 28  
Jan. 4  
Feb. 22  
Mar. 14  

**Playdate @ The Library Sponsored by the Friends of the Library**
Ages Newborn through 4 years old with accompanying adult  
Fun is the order of the day.  Children will have the opportunity to cook in our kitchen, build in our construction area and put their imaginations to work.  A wide variety of toys will be available for children ages birth through preschool.  
(please keep in mind that not all toys are appropriate for all ages and for all children.)  
The Playdate experience is designed to foster early literacy and school readiness skills through interactive discovery and play. This can only happen with your involvement. Please take advantage of this opportunity to engage with your children.  
**Mon.**  10:00-11:30 am  
Dec. 16  
Jan. 27  
Feb. 24  
* Registration begins Dec. 2 for the Dec. session.

**A Time for Kids, Inc.**
Ages 18 months to 5 years with accompanying adult  
This program features a mixture of stories, crafts, and musical activities  
**Tues.**  10:30-11:30 am  
Dec. 17  
Jan. 21  
Feb. 11  
**Thurs.**  10:30-11:30 am  
Dec. 26 - Winter  
* Registration begins Dec. 6 for the Dec. 17 session.

**Sesame Street Storytime**
Ages 3 to 5 years  
Children will listen to Sesame Street stories and create a simple craft.  This program is intended for children who are able to separate from their accompanying adult.  
**Fri.**  2:00-2:45 pm  
Jan. 10  

**Winter Wreath**
Ages 3 to 5 years with accompanying adult  
Create a winter scene that you can hang as a decoration using a round wreath, foam pieces, a forest of trees, and cute animals.  Hang your project from a beaded string.  
**Sun.**  3:00-4:00 pm  
Jan. 19  
Registration begins Jan. 9.

**Dara's Musical Storytime**
Ages 3 to 5 years  
This is an activity intended for children who are able to separate from their accompanying adult.  
**Wed.**  2:00-2:30 pm  
Jan. 29 - Snow Songs  
Feb. 26 - Songs with Heart  
* Registration begins Jan. 17 for the Jan. session.

**Special Storytime – Celebrate Dr. Seuss**
Ages 3 to 5 years  
Children will listen to Dr. Seuss stories and create a simple craft.  This is an activity intended for children who are able to separate from their caregivers.  
**Fri.**  2:00-2:45 pm  
Mar. 6  
Registration begins Feb. 24.

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**Student Programs**
**Online Registration Begins Jan. 2.**  
Check Dates-at-a-Glance. Each child MUST have their own library card.

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**Registration is required and limited**

**Minecraft Mania – Grades 2 and Up**
Calling all Minecraft Players!  Come join our Minecraft server and play in creative mode.  Participants will be provided with a laptop.  PLEASE DO NOT BRING YOUR OWN.  
**Fri.**  4:15-5:15 pm  
Dec. 6  
Jan. 3  
Feb. 7  
Mar. 6  
* Registration began Nov. 21 for the Dec. session.

**Book Chats @ Us – Grades 1 and 2**
Come join us for a fun and exciting program which includes a book chat, story, activity, and a snack.  Children will need to read the specific book prior to the program.  Books will be available at the Circulation Desk upon request.  
**Sun.**  3:00-3:45 pm  
Dec. 8  
**There Was an Old Pirate Who Swallowed a Fish**  
by Jennifer Ward  
Jan. 5  
**Look Out Jack! The Giant is Back**  
by Tom Birdseye  
Feb. 2  
**Goldilocks and the Three Martians**  
by Stu Smith  
Mar. 1  
**The Day the Crayons Quit**  
by Drew Daywalt  
* Registration began Nov. 15 for the Dec. session.

**Crafts for Kindergartners and 1st Graders**
Let your child’s imaginations soar.  A creative project will be completed.  
**Tues.**  4:15-5:00 pm  
Dec. 10  
Jan. 14  
Feb. 4  
Mar. 3  
* Registration began Nov. 27 for the Dec. session.

**LEGO Creations – Grades 2 and Up**
We’ll supply the Lego’s, you supply the creativity.  Join us to freely imagine and build to your heart’s content.  Participants will have pictures of their creations displayed on our website.  
**Wed.**  4:15-5:15 pm  
Dec. 11  
Jan. 15  
Feb. 5  
Mar. 4  
* Registration begins Dec. 2 for the Dec. sessions.
BOOK BUDDIES – KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 4
Children in grades Kindergarten through Fourth Grade will have the opportunity to read and be read to by our teen volunteers. There will be a wide variety of books to choose from, or you may bring a favorite book from home. Refreshments will be served.
Sat. 2:00-2:45 pm
Dec. 14
Jan. 11
Feb. 8
Mar. 7
* Registration begins Dec. 4 for the Dec. session.

BUDDY GAME DAY – KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 4
Join us for an afternoon of fun, playing board games with our teen volunteers. An assortment of games will be available to choose from and refreshments will be served.
Sun. 2:00-2:45 pm
Dec. 15
Jan. 12
Feb. 9
Mar. 8
* Registration begins Dec. 5 for the Dec. session.

BACON CHEDDAR BISCUITS – GRADES 1 THROUGH 4
Children will make the recipe at the library and bring them home to bake. These biscuits are great to stuff with scrambled eggs or enjoy with soup or salad.
Fri. 4-15-6:15 pm
Dec. 20
Registration begins Dec. 10.

SNOWFLAKE FRAME – KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 4
Each child will get to paint their own frame in light blue or white. After the paint dries, participants will get to glue the snowflakes onto the frame to create their own winter wonderland. Dress for a mess.
Fri. 1:30-2:30 pm
OR
3:00-4:00 pm
Dec. 27
Registration begins Dec. 16.

MARIO KART TOURNAMENT – GRADES 4 AND UP
Kids will get to race against their friends in a tournament by playing Mario Kart 8.
Sun. 7:00-8:15 pm
Dec. 29
* Registration begins Dec. 18

SKETCH AND STRETCH – GRADES 2 THROUGH GRADE 4
Children will explore various yoga activities and painting techniques. Each participant will leave this program with a completed painted canvas. Please wear comfortable clothes.
Sat. 3:00-4:00 pm
Jan. 18
Feb. 15
* Registration begins Jan. 8 for the Jan. session.

SNOWMAN CANVAS – KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 4
Use paint, pom-poms, and ribbon to create a one of a kind snowman canvas. Dress for a mess.
Mon. 1:30-2:30 pm
OR
3:00-4:00 pm
Jan. 20
Registration begins Jan. 7.

SUPER TYING CHALLENGE – GRADES 2 THROUGH 4
Children will put their tying skills to the test! Using different keyboarding programs they will expand their keyboarding skills and have fun trying to “out type” each other.
Wed. 4-15-6:15 pm
Jan. 22
Registration begins Jan. 13.

DIGITAL ARTIST – GRADES 3 AND UP
Children will explore different types of digital art websites and create their own masterpieces. Some projects will be printed out depending on the website the child uses.
Wed. 4:15-6:15 pm
Feb. 19
Registration begins Feb. 6.

BEARY CUTE SNACK PLATE – KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 2*
Children will get to create a colorful plate using a cute bear, tinsel stars, snowflakes, and tissue paper in a whimsical collage. Plate is food safe. Dress for a mess. * If the child is in 2nd grade and would like to sign up for the 1:30pm BEARY CUTE SNACK PLATE and 3pm GLOWING FAIRY HOUSE class, you may register for the Beary Cute Snack Plate class and be on the waiting list for the Glowing Fairy House program.
Thurs. 1:30-2:30 pm
Feb. 20
Registration begins Feb. 11.

GLOWING FAIRY HOUSE – GRADES 2* THROUGH 4
Design a magical fairy house using a soda bottle, paint, moss, wire, beads, and then add a battery tea light at the end. Dress for a mess. * If the child is in 2nd grade and would like to sign up for the 1:30pm BEARY CUTE SNACK PLATE and 3pm GLOWING FAIRY HOUSE class, you may register for the Glowing Fairy House class and be on the waiting list for the Beary Cute Snack Plate.
Thurs. 3:00-4:00 pm
Feb. 20
Registration begins Feb. 11.

NO BAKE LEMON BARS – GRADES 1 THROUGH 4
Make the recipe at the library and take it home to chill. Everyone will leave with a covered tin to transport their dessert home in.
Fri. 4-15-6:15 pm
Feb. 28
Registration begins Feb. 18.

SNOWY OWLS ON CANVAS – KINDERGARTEN AND UP
As a family, paint a canvas with winter trees, then learn how to create a family of snow burlap owls to perch on the branches. Dress for a mess.
Sun. 3:00-4:00 pm
Dec. 29
Registration begins Dec. 18.

FAMILY CANVAS – KINDERGARTEN AND UP
As a family, create a scene of handprint painted owls sitting on branches on a canvas. Dress for a mess.
Sun. 3:00-4:00 pm
Feb. 16
Registration begins Feb. 5.

FAMILY TINKER TIME – KINDERGARTEN AND UP
Tinkering is about learning through play. As a family, you will get to learn by playing with different STEAM tools to create something unique.
Fri. 2:00-3:00 pm
Feb. 23
Registration begins Feb. 13.
**Snow Better Time to Read**

Winter Reading Program - Monday, January 20 - Saturday, February 29

"Snow Better Time to Read"

Ages Birth through Grade 12
With winter in full blast, there is no better time to check out everything Family Center has to offer. Of course we have books, but we are so much more. Sign up for our “Snow Better Time to Read” Winter Reading Program and receive our game board. Completing the fun activities will allow you to sample a variety of Family Center’s offerings. Everyone who finishes the game board will receive a prize. Prizes may be claimed starting Monday, February 3. All prizes must be picked up by Saturday, February 29. In person registration in Family Center begins on Monday, January 20, 2020.

**for tweens & teens . . . www.poblib.org**

* @ the POB Public Library: December 2019 - January - February 2020
  * Heather Greco, Young Adult Librarian
  * TWEEN AND TEENS PROGRAMS
  * ONLINE REGISTRATION BEGINS DEC. 4. CHECK DATES-AT-A-GLANCE.
  * Each child MUST have their own library card.

**Sea Glass Votive – Grades 5 through 12**
Tweens and teens will learn a special painting technique to transform ordinary glass to look like sea glass. Each participant will leave with one glass votive.
Sun. 7:00-8:00 pm
Dec. 1
Registration began Nov. 18.

**Jumbo Cookie Decorating – Grades 5 through 12**
Tweens and teens will decorate an 8 inch round jumbo cookie in a theme of their choice. Each cookie will go home in a bakery box and will serve 4-6 people.
Sun 7:00-8:15 pm
Dec. 8
Registration began Nov. 25.

**Cupcake Bar – Grades 5 through 12**
Tweens and teens will decorate three cupcakes from an assembly line format. Participants will be able to select from assorted pastry bags filled with colored frostings, candies, sprinkles, and cookie pieces. All cupcakes will go home in a bakery box.
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Dec. 29
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**THE LEGO NINJAGO MOVIE – RATED PG, 101 MINUTES**
Ordinary teenagers by day, six young ninjas turn into gifted warriors at night, defending their island home from evil villains and monsters.
Fri. 6:45 pm
Mar. 13

**THE LEGO MOVIE 2: THE SECOND PART – RATED PG, 106 MINUTES**
The citizens are facing a huge new threat: Lego Duplo invaders from outer space, wrecking everything faster than they can rebuild.
Mon. 2:00 pm
Feb. 17

**THE KID WHO WOULD BE KING – RATED PG, 120 MINUTES**
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Fri. 6:45 pm
Jan. 17

**A Best Served Cold – Fun with Gourmet Sandwiches – Grades 5 through 12**
Gourmet grilled cheese sandwiches using fresh vegetables, fresh mozzarella, and special sauces.
Sun. 7:00-8:00 pm
Jan. 5
Registration begins Dec. 17.

**Roly Poly Snowman Glass – Grades 5 through 12**
There’s a chill in the air, but tweens and teens can warm up to this decorative painted glass made with special glass paints and silvery yarn for extra pizzazz!
Mon. 7:00-8:00 pm
Dec. 30
Registration begins Dec. 13.

**Melt It! – Grades 5 through 12**
Tweens and teens will create their own gourmet grilled cheese sandwiches using fresh vegetables, fresh mozzarella, and special sauces.
Sun. 7:00-8:00 pm
Dec. 29
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**The Second Part**
Tweens and teens will learn a special painting format. Participants will be able to select from assorted pastry bags filled with colored frostings, candies, sprinkles, and cookie pieces. All cupcakes will go home in a bakery box.
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FAMILY CENTER “DATES AT A GLANCE” - DECEMBER 2019 • JANUARY • FEBRUARY 2020

**DECEMBER**
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- **Sea Glass Votive**
- **Baby And Me**
- **Play Hooray Family (Tues.)**
- **Molly Mouse Storytime**
- **Minecraft Mania**
- **Crafts For Hospitalized Kids**
- **Book Chats I’ Us**
- **Jumbo Cookie Decorating**
- **Music For Aardvarks (Mon.)**
- **Preschool Crafts**
- **Crafts for K & 1st**
- **Spunky Little Monkey Storytime**
- **Lego Creations**
- **Kidnastics (Thurs.)**
- **Maker Space**
- **Play Hooray Family (Sat.)**
- **Book Buddies**
- **Buddy Game Day**
- **Playdate @ The Library**
- **The Nutcracker & T**
- **Cupcake Bar**
- **Music For**
- **Bacon Cheddar Biscuits**
- **A Time For Kids, Inc.**
- **Little Listeners Storytime**
- **Maker Space**
- **Bacon Cheddar Biscuits**
- **Music For Aardvarks (Sat.)**
- **Rock The Block**
- **A Time For Kids, Inc. (Winter) (Thurs.)**
- **Cupcake Bar**
- **Snowflake Frame**
- **The Nutcracker & The Four Realms Movie**
- **Kidnastics (Sat.)**
- **Maker Space**
- **Family Snowy Owls On Canvas**
- **Mario Kart Tourna**
- **Roly Poly Snowman Glass**

**JANUARY**
- **Minecraft Mania**
- **Kidnastics (Sat.)**
- **Meals On Wheels Placemats**
- **Book Chats I’ Us**
- **Melt It!**
- **Full STEAM Ahead**
- **Baby And Me**
- **Play Hooray Family (Tues)**
- **Sesame Street Storytime**
- **Maker Space**
- **Music For Aardvarks (Sat.)**
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- **Rock The Block**
- **A Time For Kids, Inc. (Winter) (Thurs.)**
- **Cupcake Bar**
- **Wooden Book Box ?**
- **The Lego Ninjago Movie**
- **Kidnastics (Sat.)**
- **Maker Space**
- **Family Snowy Owls On Canvas**
- **Mario Kart Tourna**
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**FEBRUARY**
- **Book Chats I’ Us**
- **Conversational Heart Cookies**
- **Preschool Crafts**
- **Crafts for K & 1st**
- **Baby And Me**
- **Playful Penguin Storytime**
- **Lego Creations**
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- **Lego Creations**
- **Playdate @ The Library**
- **The Lego Ninjago Movie: The Second Part movie**
- **Bubble-Mania: Comedy ... With A Twist**
- **Molly Mouse Storytime**
- **Digital Art**
- **Beary Cute Snack Plate**
- **Glowing Fairy House**
- **Woody Box Book ?**
- **Rainbow Fish Musical**
- **Maker Space**
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- **Wooden Plank Painting**
- **Playdate @ The Library**
- **Baby & Me**
- **Play Hooray Family (Tues)**
- **Dara’s Musical Storytime**
- **Kidnastics (Thurs.)**
- **No Bake Lemon Bars**

**MARCH**
- **Book Chats I’ Us**
- **Inked Feather Tray**
- **Preschool Crafts**
- **Crafts for K & 1st**
- **Lego Creations**
- **Celebrate Dr. Seuss Storytime**
- **Minecraft Mania**
- **Book Buddies**
- **Buddy Game Day**
- **Baby And Me**
- **Play Hooray Family (Sat.)**
- **Little Listeners Storytime**
- **The Lego Ninja Movie**
- **Kidnastics (Sat.)**
- **Happy Pie Day**

**General Program Guidelines**

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- Registration for all programs is age specific.
- Preference is given to Plainview-Old Bethpage School District residents.
- POB Library Card numbers are required at the time of registration. If you register for someone other than your child, you must have that person’s card number as well.
- All programs begin on time. After 10 minutes NO ONE WILL BE ADMITTED.
- See DATES AT A GLANCE for program registration dates.
- An accompanying adult must remain in the Library while the child is attending the program. For safety reasons, we cannot leave the program to escort your child to the restroom.
- THE 3 STRIKE RULE: Please call 938-0077 X 237 to cancel if your child is unable to attend a Family Center program. Any family that fails to cancel two times will receive a warning letter. When this happens a third time, the family will be placed on a waiting list for any program they register for during a 3-month period.
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Library Hours
Mon. - Fri., 9:00 am to 9:00 pm
Sat., 9:30 am - 5:30 pm
Sun., 1:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Board of Trustees Meetings
Wed., December 18, 6:30 pm
Wed., January 15, 6:30 pm
Wed., February 19, 6:30 pm

Library Closings
Tues., December 24, 1:00 pm, Christmas Eve
Wed., December 25, Christmas Day
Tues., December 31, 5:00 pm, New Year’s Eve
Wed., January 1, New Year’s Day

Before venturing out in bad weather, be sure to check announcements of closings on our website at www.poblib.org, on our Facebook page, or phone us at (516) 938-0077

The Library will close when conditions are considered hazardous for patrons and staff.

AARP SMART DRIVER COURSE
$20 per person, 50+ who are AARP members, $25 per person, 50+ non-AARP members.
• Thursday, December 19 at 9:30 am - 5:00 pm
  Registration is on-going; space permitting.
• Thursday, January 9 at 9:30 am - 5:00 pm
  Registration for POB residents begins Thursday, December 12. Open to all; space permitting, Thursday, December 19.
• Thursday, February 13 at 9:30 pm - 5:00 pm
  Registration for POB residents begins Thursday, January 9. Open to all; space permitting, Thursday, January 16.
  Tuesday, March 17 AND Thursday, March 19 at 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm *You MUST Attend Both Classes
  Registration for POB residents begins Thursday, February 6. Open to all; space permitting, Thursday, February 13.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING
$35 per person.
• Wednesday, December 4 & Thursday, December 5 at 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm *You MUST Attend Both Classes
  Registration is open to all and begins Friday, November 8.
• Wednesday, February 26 & Thursday, February 27 at 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm *You MUST Attend Both Classes
  Registration is open to all and begins Friday, January 17.

Cool Apps for Android Devices - Lecture with Sharper Training Solutions
• Thursday, December 19 at 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
  Learn how to use apps that will make you more productive on your Android device. With thousands of apps out there you might be asking yourself, “How do I find ones that are useful?” “Where do I find them?” “How do I search for free apps?” Come to this class - discover apps you can’t live without. Bring your device or just come and listen. There is no fee or registration for this class.

Windows File and Folder Management - Hands-On with Sharper Training Solutions
• Thursday, January 23 at 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
  Organize your computer! This hands-on class provides an understanding of the Windows File Management structure including drives, folders and files. Create folders, copy/move files and delete folders and files. Prerequisites: Computer Kindergarten and Computer First Grade or equivalent. Registration for POB residents begins Thursday, December 19. Open to all; space permitting, Thursday, December 26. There is no fee for this class and is limited to 24 adults.

Introduction to the iCloud - Lecture with Sharper Training Solutions
• Thursday, February 27 at 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
  Learn all about iCloud Storage on you iPhone or iPad. In this class, bring your device and we will discuss iCloud Back-up, iCloud Drive, Photo Library, what it means and how to use all their features. There is no fee or registration for this class.

Exercise your brain with a puzzle. Wednesday, January 29 is National Puzzle Day. Whether it’s a crossword, jigsaw, trivia, word searches, brain teasers or Suduku, puzzles put our minds to work. Studies have found that when we work on a jigsaw puzzle, we use both sides of the brain, spending time daily working on puzzles improves memory. Stop by and check out our display of puzzles!