Meet Luz, our sewing instructor! Luz has offered sewing instruction during our annual Makers Days and will finally join us, monthly, for sewing classes in the 2nd floor World Language Room. Sewing machines, fabrics and threads will be available. Attendees should bring their own scissors and needles.

All ages are welcome, but children 10 or under must be accompanied by an adult. Class sizes are limited, so please call ahead to register!

**First Class: Monday, October 21 @ 5:30 pm**

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**Free One-on-One Tech Help**

Starting October 2

**Mondays 2-4 pm | Tuesdays 10am-12 pm**

**Thursdays 10am-12pm**

@ the 2nd floor Computer Help Desk

Need help connecting to our WiFi or a mobile hotspot? Having problems sending attachments or opening attachments? Wondering how to use those pictures on your phone? Want help viewing our online magazines? We’re here to help!

No appointment necessary, just stop by during Tech Time hours.

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Main @ 2 pm

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Main @ 2pm
Minecraft (for Kids)
Elmora @ 11 am

EPL Branch Programs

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP
A book discussion group will be held at the Elmora Branch on Thursday, October 10th at 9:45am.

Elmora Branch
740 W. Grand St.
(908) 353-4820

Friday
Oct. 25
Elmora Branch
740 W. Grand St.
Elizabeth, 07202

10:00am - 12:00pm
Come visit the Aging Services Kiosk, speak to our specialist and get answers to your questions about:

- Pharmaceutical Assistance
- Home Energy Assistance
- Cooling Assistance
- Home Care
- Home Delivered Meals
- Medicaid Eligibility
- Social Security
- Caregiver Relief Programs
- Transportation
- And more!

Elmora’s Autumn Harvest Party
Wednesday, October 30 (6 PM)

Let’s Celebrate the Autumn Harvest! Join us for stories, games, crafts, & more!

Elmora Branch Library
740 W. Grand St.
908-353-4820

BOO! THE HALLOWEEN EXTRAVAGANZA

E-Port Branch
102-110 Third St.
908-289-9032
LaCorte Branch
418-424 Palmer St.
(908) 469-1866

Wednesday
Oct 30
4pm

Join us for a Scary Story Time! Enjoy Ghoulish Treats! Dress in your Halloween Costume Best! Please register by calling the phone numbers provided.

Thursday
Oct 31
6:30pm

Happy Halloween
**Children’s Programs**

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**Program Descriptions October 2019**

**Baby & Me**
For children 3 years of age and younger.

**Family Game Night**
All ages.

**Library Bingo**
All ages.

**Tween Zone**
For those between the ages of 10-12.

**Draw Anime Today**
Students in grades 4-6.

**Book Bingo**
All ages.

**Halloween & Harvest Party**
All ages.

**Fudge Bunch Book Club**
For kids in 3rd - 5th grade. Registration required.

**Remarkable Raptors**

Wednesday, October 9th
2PM
4th Floor Auditorium

Meet a live hawk and owl, and discover how amazing birds of prey (Raptors) are. Discover what specifically makes a bird a raptor while learning about both diurnal and nocturnal adaptations and how they utilize their senses to locate and obtain their prey. Good for all ages! No registration required.

Baby and Me is for parents, caregivers, and babies! Learn rhymes, songs, and fingerplays together.

Join us to play free board games for kids of all ages!

Test your navigation and research skills with a fun game! Prizes will be awarded to those who complete the activity! Starts 10/1 and ends 10/25.

Join us for fun crafts!

Learn how to draw your favorite anime characters!

Come play Bingo and win books as prizes!

Celebrate Halloween and the Harvest with us! There will be games, prizes, and candy.

For kids in 3rd - 5th grade. Registration required.

11 South Broad St.
(908) 354-6060
www.elizpl.org
**Teen Programs**

**ELMORA BRANCH LIBRARY COMMUNITY GARDEN**

*Maintain & Harvest the Garden:*
- Monday, Oct. 7: 4pm—6pm
- Wednesday, Oct. 16: 5:30pm—7pm
- Monday, Oct. 21: 4pm—6pm
- Monday, Oct. 28: 4pm—6pm

Ages 12—19

Space is limited. To Register, email Tracy Robinson: trobison@elizpl.org

The Elmora Branch Community Garden is located at 740 W. Grand St. in Elizabeth, NJ

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**BE FIERCE!**

Saturday, October 12, 2019
1pm - 4pm
ages 12-19

Darrell Thorne (see right!) will be here to teach us how a *look* & a lip sync can transform your self-esteem.

Also featuring Music Therapist, Sheila Shidnia, MA MT-BC!

~ QUEEN ~

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**HALLOWEEN PARTY!**

Saturday, October 26
2pm - 4pm

Costume contest - live music
Games - prizes - snacks

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**THINK YOU KNOW HALLOWEEN THEN, JOIN US FOR OLD HALLOW’S EVE TRIVIA NIGHT!**

From fun facts to creepy truths, put your knowledge to the test by answering questions to win a prize!

Have snacks and learn a little more about your favourite day!

Dressing up is not required but very encouraged!

**OCTOBER 30, 2019**
5PM - 7 30PM
AGES 12 - 19
NO REGISTRATION

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11 S. Broad St.
3rd floor/Large Classroom
908.354.6060
www.elizpl.org
Kathy Jackson, Fitness Instructor at the Gateway Family YMCA, leads this FREE and FUN exercise class for anyone over 14!

Main Library—4th fl. Auditorium
Wed. Oct 2, 9, & 30
Chair Aerobics
5:30pm-6pm
Chair Yoga
6:15-6:45pm

Let's Get Moving!
CHAIR AEROBICS & CHAIR YOGA

Brainfuse
Monday, October 7 | 7PM
Learn how to use your library card to get FREE online tutoring, resume help, and test study guides!

Online Learning
Saturday, November 2 | 2PM
Discover FREE websites you can use to learn coding, computer skills, and even college-level courses!

3rd Floor Computer Lab
Elizabeth Public Library
11 S. Broad St., Elizabeth, NJ
908-354-6060 X7223

DE-STIGMATING MENTAL ILLNESS

1 in 5 Americans will suffer from some form of mental illness at some point of their lives.

THE NJ MENTAL HEALTH PLAYERS
OCTOBER 16 7PM
FREE TO THE PUBLIC

A state-wide community education program that delivers dynamic interactive presentations to audiences about mental illness and addiction challenges in an effort to increase education and awareness, decrease stigma and break the silence.

Elizabeth Public Library presents our
2019 Fall Concert Series

Saturday
October 5
@ 2pm
Tango Vivo
Live Music, Tango Dancers, and Singer

Saturday
October 19
@ 2pm
Raíces
Cultural Center Ensemble
Orishas: Forces of Nature in Song, Dance, & Drum

All ages are welcome at these FREE Interactive concerts!
Join us for a luncheon after each performance.
13 S. Broad Street, Elizabeth, NJ 07202
Made possible by funds from the Union County Office of Cultural & Heritage Affairs, a partner of the New Jersey State Council on the Arts.
Adult Programs

Join Us for a Discussion of

Sandeep Jauhar

First Meeting:
Monday, October 21 @ 6:30pm
Pick up your free copy! We’ll learn about the story and start reading.

Save the Dates for Future Meetings:
Monday, November 18 @ 6:30pm
Monday, December 16 @ 6:30pm

Registration Required!
Call (908) 962-5639
or email elizpublib@gmail.com

Local History

Four Centuries in a Weekend
Oct 19 & 20
Sat & Sun
12—5 pm

EXPLORE LOCAL HISTORY
Get your passport stamped at the Library

Remember to visit Elizabeth’s other historic sites:
Boxwood Hall       First Presbyterian Church
Nathaniel Bonnell Homestead & Belcher-Ogden Mansion

The Library will be closed on Monday, October 14, in Observance of Columbus Day/Indigenous People's Day.

Getting ready to earn your HS Diploma? Elizabeth Public Library is a TASC test site.
Mondays at 10 am; Wednesdays at 6 pm
### Main Computer Classes

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