



## COMMUNITY EVENTS JANUARY 9, 2016–JANUARY 17

We'd also suggest as excellent sources of information *The Record Review*, *The Bedford-Katonah Patch*, <http://patch.com/new-york/bedford>; *The Bedford Daily Voice*, <http://bedford.dailyvoice.com/events>; *All About Bedford*, <https://www.allaboutbedford.com/> as well as the websites of each of the organizations mentioned. Please also check the Recreation and Parks Department on the Town's website for programs and activities. Please send an e-mail at [supervisor@bedfordny.gov](mailto:supervisor@bedfordny.gov) to let us know your thoughts about our continuing to provide this information.

### **Saturday, January 9**

**Bedford Hills Free Library**, *Read to Ozzy the Dog*, 10:15 AM - 11:15 AM, Children learning to read are invited to share a few pages from a favorite book or show their favorite illustrations to Ozzy, a certified Therapy Dog accompanied by his owner and great listener, Anna Moser.

**Katonah Village Library**, *Tech Help*, Saturday and Sunday Afternoons; Please call the library in advance to reserve your free, one-on-one lessons for computer, ipad, e-reader, or 3D printing. 232-3508

### **Sunday, January 10**

**Katonah Village Library**, *January is Board Game Month! Come and Play! Fun for all ages!* Sunday, January 10, 1:30 to 3:30pm; Friday, January 15, 7 to 9pm; Saturday, January 23, 1:30 to 3:30pm; Friday, January 29, 7 to 9pm

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### **Monday, January 11**

**Bedford Free Library**, 32 Village Green, [www.bedfordfreelibrary.org](http://www.bedfordfreelibrary.org); 234-3570, *Build With Legos*, This 4 week series of Legos Building is for Grades K-4. All Legos are supplied - thank you Nicole Levy. Do NOT bring your own Legos - bring a camera! Your creations will be displayed in the Library - not taken home. No registration required. Mondays, January 11, 25, February 1, 8

### **Tuesday, January 12**

**Bedford Free Library**, *Farm Share Delivery*, Tuesday, January 12 - June 28, 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm We have invited Field Goods to bring its produce delivery service to the Library! We think it is a great way to support wellness, our local farms and the environment. Field Goods delivers on Tuesdays, 3:00-6:00. *Here's how it works*: Field Goods subscribers receive 5-8 different types of fruit and vegetables each week, selected by Field Goods and sourced from over 80 small farms. Delivery is year-round. During the winter months, subscribers receive greenhouse and flash-frozen produce (frozen at its peak freshness), root vegetables and herbs. Field Goods also offers fresh artisan bread, pasta and cheese, maple syrup, crème fraiche and lots of other "extras." Subscriptions

start at \$17.50 depending on the size. One dollar of the fee goes to the Library. Click here to [ORDER](#), search under Public for Bedford Free Library and you're off and running.

**Bedford Hills Free Library**, *Laptime for Pipsqueaks*, 10:30 AM - 11:30, Ages: 6 months to 18 months

*Lap-time with Rachel Izes*, Read More Threes & fours, 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM , Ages: 3 & 4 year olds, Stories with Vicki Kriegeskotte, Older Kids Only K-Gr. 2

**Katonah Village Library**, *Great Decisions*, Tuesday, January 12, 10:15am to 12:15pm, *The Future of American Foreign Policy*.

*Read with Daniel and his dog Dari!*, Tuesdays, Jan 12, 19, 26; 4:30 to 5:15 pm; Have your beginning reader practice aloud while reading to the adorable Dari. This is a drop-in program for students in Kindergarten and up. Children must be accompanied by an adult. For more information please call 914.232.1233

*Meditation*, Tuesday, January 12, noon to 1pm; Wednesday, January 13, 6pm to 7pm; Deirdre Breen will guide the group in meditation.

### **Wednesday, January 13**

**Bedford Free Library**, *Knitting for Adults* , 11:15 am - 12:15 pm, This program is for knitters of all abilities. The group meets every other Wednesday at 11:15-12:15. Beginners are very welcome. Supplies will be provided for your first project. Questions: contact Margaret at [mescott@wlsmail.org](mailto:mescott@wlsmail.org) or call (914) 234-3570. [Adult Knitters flier](#)

[Knitwits – knitting for kids](#) , 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm, This popular program is for grades 4 & up. The winter session will run every other Wednesday from January 13 – March 23.

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**Bedford Hills Free Library**, Stories with Sally Sills, Older Kids Only K-Gr. 2, 4:30pm - 5:30pm, Ages: Kindergarten - 2nd grade

**Complete Streets Orientation & Training**, 10 am – 12 noon, 9:30 a.m. Danish and Coffee, Open & Free to All Westchester Municipal Employees & Volunteers, Bedford Town Hall, Court Room, 321 Bedford Road, Bedford Hills. This inter-municipal training will provide an overview of the Complete Streets approach and will identify implementation steps and funding options that can help communities to build a healthy and sustainable transportation network. Presented by the Tri-State Transportation Campaign, Hosted by the Town of Bedford and Sponsored by Sustainable Westchester, Inc. For more information <http://sustainablewestchester.org/community-toolkits/complete-streets-toolkit> or (917) 767-7698. To sign up for the free workshop, go to: <https://completestreetworkshop3.eventbrite.com>

**Katonah Village Library**, *World Affairs Book Group*, January 13, 10:15am to 12:15pm, *Red Notice: A True Story of High Finance, Murder, and One Man's Fight for Justice*

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### **Thursday, January 14**

**Bedford Free Library**, 32 Village Green, [www.bedfordfreelibrary.org](http://www.bedfordfreelibrary.org); 234-3570, *Alexander Technique Introductory Workshop with Eve Silver*, This technique is an educational, practical approach for improving mental and physical well being. It teaches us how to recapture the ease and freedom of movement we enjoyed as young children. Check out Eve's website at [www.evesilverat.com](http://www.evesilverat.com). Call the Library to register. 1:00pm-2:00pm

**Katonah Village Library, Great Courses**, *The Foundations of Western Civilization*, 12:15pm, Thursdays 10am to 12:15pm, [12 weeks], Began Thursday January 7, the Katonah Village Library will offer a highly-acclaimed series of video lectures on the development of western history and thought by Professor Thomas Noble of the University of Notre Dame. The subjects range from the Sumerians of 3,000BC to the European Renaissance 4,600 years later. Presented in the library's lower level Garden Room from 10am to 12:15pm, each week's session will include four 30-minute video presentations and a 15 minute intermission. The library's Great Courses series is curated by Harry Stanton. This course is part of the Great Courses series of CDs and DVDs that are available from the library.

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**Bedford Free Library**, 32 Village Green, [www.bedfordfreelibrary.org](http://www.bedfordfreelibrary.org); 234-3570, "**Improve Your Critical and Creative Thinking**" Start the New Year right with a Dr. DiYanni mini course on thinking. Join us for two interactive presentations/workshops in which we explore these mutually reinforcing approaches to improved thinking practices. Wednesdays, January 20th & 27th, 7:30pm-9:00pm. Registration required. *Build With Legos*, This 4 week series of Legos Building is for Grades K-4. All Legos are supplied - thank you Nicole Levy. Do NOT bring your own Legos - bring a camera! Your creations will be displayed in the Library - not taken home. No registration required. Mondays, January 11, 25, February 1, 8.

**Science Meets Crafts, Join us in making Winter Scenes!** Using craft paper, crayons and Epsom salts, snow will magically appear to create your unique Winter Scene. Registration required 914-234-3570. Wednesday, January 20, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm. Grades 3-5

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**Bedford Chamber Concerts**, All Concerts start promptly at 8:00pm, Delicious refreshments are always offered at Intermission: December 9: *Bach: Brandenburg Concertos (complete; March 16: Anthony Newman performing an all-Bach program for keyboard: Goldberg Variations / Italian Concerto / Chromatic Fantasia*; April 20: *Beethoven: Archduke Trio, Beethoven: Symphony no.7\**; May 11: *Vivaldi: The Four Seasons, Vivaldi: Concerto for Two Violins (RV522)*. Call 914-522-5150 for reservations or click on [Buy Tickets](#) to purchase tickets now! You can now pay by credit card, as well as by check, at the door. St. Matthews Episcopal Church - Fellowship Hall, 382 Cantitoe St., Bedford

**Bedford Hills Lions Club**, Meetings the first Wednesday of every month. Bedford Hills Community House, 7:00 pm. Join us!

**Bedford Village Lions Club**, Meetings 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of every month. 7:00 pm at Ristorante Lucia in Bedford Village. Join us!

#### **Bedford Free Library,**

*Stories, Songs and Surprises*, Tuesdays at 2:00-2:30 and Thursdays at 11:15-11:45; Fun for preschoolers ages 2-5 with an adult. Different theme each time. No registration.

*Fall Programs for Adults*, This fall the library is offering several programs for adults. Space is limited so call to register! [Fiction Writing](#); [Tinted Drawing Workshop](#); [Adult Knitting](#); [Coffee and Book Klatch](#)

[Book Groups for Grade 6 and up](#), Wednesday, November 18 - December 31, 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm, Interested in being in a Book Group? Maureen McManus, YA Librarian, currently has the following groups: Grade 6 girls; Grade 7 boys; Grade 9 boys. They meet once a month in the Library after school. If your age group isn't here, and you are interested in starting a new group, contact Maureen at [mcm Manus@wlsmail.org](mailto:mcm Manus@wlsmail.org)

#### **John Jay Homestead, [John Jay Lecture - SongwritingWith:Soldiers - the Civil War Diaries of Our Time](#)**,

January 21, 2016 6:15 pm–8:30 pm, **Darden Smith and Mary Judd**, *Songwriting With: Soldiers—the Civil War Diaries of Our Time*. Songwriting With: Soldiers pairs active duty and veteran service members with professional songwriters to produce songs about their experiences. The evening will include a performance as well as information about the program. Darden Smith, Creative Director, is a singer-songwriter based in Austin, Texas, who founded the program after performing in a military hospital in Germany in 2012; Mary Judd is an educator and the program's Executive Director.

All lectures take place in the Iselin Wing at John Jay Homestead. Registration and refreshments begin at 6:15 pm. Lectures begin at 7 pm. \$20 for members, \$25 for non-members. Limited free seating is available for students.

**KVIS Katonah Inspired Presents**, *Breath Movement and Meditation Classes* taught by Deirdre Breen and visiting instructors from local yoga studios. Wednesday evenings, 6-7 pm. Tuesdays, 12-1 pm. Participants will need to bring a mat, large towel, and water. We greatly encourage you to sign up ahead of time by calling the library, or by [email](#). You are also welcome to drop in. Call Maura Rosenthal at 914-232-3508 for more information. Suggested \$10 donation.

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*Harmonize This!* Join this choral group based on harmony and fun. Thursday evenings. 7 to 8pm, beginning in mid-January. More details to follow.

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**Katonah Museum of Art**, In the Project Gallery to – January 24, 2016, [View images from this exhibition](#)

*The Print Sale has arrived!* Visit our benefit pop up shop featuring contemporary editions by Louise Bourgeois, Stanley Whitney, Kiki Smith, and many more. Curated by Robin Simon of [Robin Simon Appraisals](#), the sale selection also includes photography and prints by artists of the [Katonah Museum Artist Association \(KMAA\)](#) - a great way to support and learn more about the work of artists in our local community. Every sale benefits exhibition and education programs at the museum. Alison Elizabeth Taylor, *Schilderachtig*, 2013; Screenprint, archival ink jet, collage, with wood veneer and glitter, 28.5 x 22.5 inches, Edition of 30 Courtesy Lower East Side Printshop

*Aaron Curry - UGLY MESS*, on South Lawn, to - June 19, 2016, [View images from this exhibition](#)

Los Angeles-based artist Aaron Curry fuses his interests in the sculptures of Modernist artists such as Pablo Picasso, Henry Moore, and Alexander Calder with his personal experiences of 1980's mass media, and skating and graffiti culture. Composed of intersecting planes of aluminum painted with bright colors in a cartoon-like manner, *UGLY MESS* is an abstract, surreal sculpture that operates on the boundaries between Modern and contemporary, painting and sculpture, the geometric and figuration.

Organized by Katonah Museum of Art Associate Curator, Elizabeth Rooklidge.

**Little Joe's Coffee & Books**, 25 Katonah Avenue, Katonah, <http://www.littlejoesbooks.com/>

**Boredom Buster Preschool Story Time.** Tuesdays at 11am. Come in for a book, a craft, a visit. We'll be doing something new every week and encourage you to bring your little ones in for the fun!

*After-school Story Time.* Thursdays at 4:30pm. Join us for a few stories and an easy after-school social time. Books chosen may be best for ages 3+, but all are welcome. *Sunday Funday.* Sundays at 11am. Bring your munchkins for a visit and a story. Great for working parents!

**Rotary Club of Bedford**, *Weekly Meetings*, Monday nights 6-8 pm. Dinner fee is 20\$. The meetings are held at the Bedford Presbyterian Church located at The Village Green (Rt. 22 & Rt. 172) Bedford, NY 10506. For more information call (914)234-3672.

**Temple Shaaray Tefila**, *Blooming Babies*, Parents/Caregivers and their newborns through 22 months are welcome to drop-in for this free year round class. Arts & crafts, music and movement are included. Every

Wednesday at 9:30pm, 89 Baldwin Road, Bedford Corners, NY 10528 [shaaraytefila.org](http://shaaraytefila.org)  
Hudson Valley/Rockland/Westchester, NY Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association, The Alzheimer's Association, the world's leading voluntary health organization in Alzheimer's care, support and research, is conducting an ongoing caregiver support group at Temple Shaaray Tefila located in Bedford Corners. **The group meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month** from 11:00am – 12:30pm and is open to anyone who is caring for someone with Alzheimer's disease or related disorder. There is no charge to attend. To learn more visit [www.alz.org/hudsonvalley](http://www.alz.org/hudsonvalley) or call 1-800-272-3900.

**Women's Civic Club of Katonah Thrift Shop**, Knitters and Crocheters, Mondays at 2:00 pm. Mahjong Tuesdays at 1:00 pm, or Wednesdays at 10:00 am. Poker will be played the first Thursday of the month at noon.

*The Town of Bedford is pleased to provide this free listing of community events and other offerings in our community. We hope that this service is helpful to our residents, businesses and visitors. Civic groups, not-for-profit and charitable organizations are welcome to submit announcements for inclusion in the calendar to [CommunityCalendar@bedfordny.gov](mailto:CommunityCalendar@bedfordny.gov). Please submit your announcement by Thursday noon and include your contact information. Please note that the Town reserves the right to decline submissions promoting commercial, political, religious or private activities. We also are not responsible for inaccurate information, including but not limited to incorrect dates, times, and locations, posted in the calendar. Please refer to the Town's website for official announcements and notices. Thank you!*