Z inio—Have you seen the posters and flyers and bookmarks around the library for Zinio? What is it? Awarded Best New Database of 2012 by Library Journal, Zinio is the world’s largest newsstand, offering multi-user access to popular magazines.

In partnership with RBdigital from Recorded Books, the library has offered Zinio since the beginning of the summer. Through the library’s website www.wmlnj.org, Westfield patrons have unlimited simultaneous access to complete digital magazines, which can easily be viewed on any Internet-enabled device inside or outside of the library.

Zinio’s unique technology digitally recreates a magazine page for page, including full color pictures, intuitive navigation, key word article search and interactive elements such as audio and video.

Currently, Westfield has 24 magazines available through Zinio, including Newsweek, Cosmopolitan, Men’s Health, Ladies Home Journal, O, Readers Digest, Esquire, Popular Science, Kiplinger’s Personal Finance and Rolling Stone.

Library Director Phil Israel said, “We are thrilled to be offering Zinio to our patrons as it is revolutionizing reading. There are no holds, no waiting, and no checkout periods. Readers can move seamlessly within each publication page between text, interactive graphics, animated illustrations, videos and much more.”

You can access Zinio through PC’s, MAC’s, iPhones, iPads, Androids, Kindle Fire/FireHD, Nook HD/HD+, and Blackberry Playbook.

To access Zinio, visit the library’s website, click on the “Digital Access” link followed by “Download Magazines,” or go to http://www.wmlnj.org/ziniomagazines.asp. If you need help setting up an account, visit the Circulation or Reference desks. It’s time to start reading all of your favorite magazines anytime, anywhere!
**Computer Classes**

**BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE**

Must have mouse and typing skills

Genealogical Resources on the Internet
**Wednesday, October 9**
**10:00—11:15 am**

If you have always wanted to research your family tree or find information on your ancestors, this is the class for you! This workshop focuses on using our databases Heritage Quest Online and Ancestry.com.

Microsoft Outlook 2007
**Saturday, November 2**
**1:30—3:30 pm**

Microsoft Outlook is a sometimes overlooked part of the MS Office software suite. Not to be confused with Outlook.com which is found on the internet, MS Outlook controls the deluge of e-mail, appointments and contacts, and helps you manage your time and tasks more effectively. Class is taught by Karen Camden.

**ADVANCED**

Ready to bump up your skills to the next level? Keyboard, mouse, copy and paste skills are strictly required!

**Advanced Word 2007 Part 1**
**Monday, September 30**
**7:00—8:30 pm**

Learn about page layouts, illustrations and text features, quick parts, autotext and other auto features in Part 1 of this class, which will be taught by Karen Camden.

**Advanced Word 2007 Part 2**
**Wednesday, October 23**
**7:00—8:30 pm**

Karen Camden continues Advanced Word 2007. This class will cover creating templates, mailing labels, envelopes, forms and text boxes.

**Photo Editing with Gimp**
**Thursday, September 26**
**2:00—3:30 pm**

Want to learn how to bring out the best in your digital photographs? Want to learn how to get rid of ugly intrusions in your landscapes? You’ll learn how in this class on the photo editing tool GIMP. GIMP (GNU Image Manipulation Program) is a free program similar to Photoshop and Lightroom. It offers hundreds of ways to improve photographs to give your pics that professional look. You are welcome to bring your own computer, but you must have GIMP already loaded on it.

**Introducing Prezi!**
**Thursday, November 14**
**7:00—8:30 pm**

If you want to enhance your presentations (or help your children enhance theirs), then this class is for you! Prezi is a program that lets you dynamically present information. Rather than a flat slideshow, Prezi lets you zoom, spin, and travel through presentations. Prezi is a free cloud-based (ie, web based) program.

Sign up online at www.wmlnj.org
The Third Annual Children’s Book Sale Begins October 3

The Friends of the Westfield Memorial Library will hold their third Children’s Book Sale during the first week of October. Donations will be accepted:

- **Tuesday, October 1**  2 pm to 7 pm
- **Wednesday, October 2**  10 am to 3 pm

Items that will be accepted for donation include hardcover and paperback children’s and young adult books as well as DVDs. NO magazines, textbooks, encyclopedias, games, records, or VHS tapes will be accepted.

Hours for the sale are as follows:

**Thursday and Friday, October 3 and 4:** 11 am to 8 pm

**Saturday, October 5:** “Bag Day”  10 am to 1 pm

All items not sold at the conclusion of the sale will be donated to worthy causes that benefit children in need of books. The Friends look forward to another very successful and enjoyable sale! If you have questions or would like to volunteer, contact: jtasoff527@gmail.com.

The Anne and Lee Hale Speaker Series Continues

**Martin Robins**
**Wednesday, September 11**
7:00 pm
“New York Direct”

**David Aaron**
**Wednesday, November 6**
7:00 pm
“The Big Band Era—Glen, Tommy, Jimmy, Benny”

The focus of the Anne and Lee Hale Speaker Series is to feature “the Westfield connection,” presenting topics relevant to our town and/or speakers who are or have been Westfield residents. The series was originally established to honor Anne Hale, and her husband’s name was added in 2013 when he passed away. Lee was the series’ creator and its guiding force. The Thomas Glasser Foundation funds the series with grants.

Join The Friends Annual Field Trip!

Another great trip to NYC is planned for October 15. The day will begin with a visit to an iconic New York landmark, Lincoln Center, where we will be guided through a behind-the-scenes look at this showplace for the performing arts. Following, we’ll enjoy a delightful three-course lunch at the very popular and upbeat Atlantic Grill. Our trip will conclude with a visit to the New York Historical Society for a guided tour of its new and highly anticipated exhibition, “The Armory Show at 100.” There are many other exhibits to choose from as well. If interested in joining the group, contact Barbara Uhr at bwbuhr@comcast.net by September 16.
Adult Programs for the Fall

Raconteur Radio Presents
“The Great Gatsby”
Saturday, September 7
at 2:00 pm

An exciting, live rendition of the F. Scott Fitzgerald classic tale of wealth and power in the 1920s! Raconteur Ventures is a peripatetic, incorporeal extension of the brick and mortar Raconteur, a now defunct bookstore and performance venue in Metuchen, NJ. The Raconteur (2004 - 2012) has been called a “literary center of gravity,” an “avant-garde cultural center,” and a “family friendly guerilla street-theater emporium” by The New York Times, an “amazing” and “incredible institution” by The Huffington Post, a “literary sanctuary” by the London Guardian, a “literary landmark” by Time Out New York, and a “marvelous museum of oddities” by The Star Ledger. Known for its accomplished and eclectic programming, The Raconteur hosted free weekly events (author signings, film screenings, staged readings, live music) and organized oddball literary happenings that ranged from Manhattan pub crawls and arm wrestling tournaments to motorcycle rides and beard growing contests.

Listen to Matt Daniel, Composer and Musician
on Wednesday, September 18 at 7:00 pm

Matt Daniels is an immensely talented musician with a high-energy repertoire that includes his original compositions written in different styles including jazz, Latin, blues and Rock 'n' Roll. Matt calls his program the “Ultimate Eclectic Experience” because it transforms the musical experience, giving the listener more ways to relate to and understand the music, and making the performance a more personal, interactive experience. Do you want to have an unforgettable experience? Then join Matt Daniel to witness a composer at work. His performance integrates nearly all genres of music, artfully decorated with his own touch. Don’t forget to sign up so that you don’t miss this experience!
Meet Author Bill Foley of Westfield and Hear Him Discuss the Writing and Publishing Process of “The Entitled” on Saturday, September 21 at 2:00 pm

Westfield resident and former Superintendent of Schools, Bill Foley, will present his book, “The Entitled.” He will also discuss the writing and publishing process.

Carter and Jill Burton and their teenage daughter Melissa live comfortably in the upscale suburb of Excelsior, where prosperity is a birthright and opportunity abounds. Carter Burton moves effortlessly from a Yale degree and business school to become a master of the universe on Wall Street. Along the way he woos Jill, who becomes the architect of their perfect life. At first, happiness comes easily, like hanging bulbs on a Christmas tree: the sprawling mansion, the country club membership, and a daughter destined for the Ivy Leagues. But this sunny screenplay is rudely interrupted when Carter’s fortunes are hammered by the recession and a near fatal automobile accident with his daughter. He finds himself on life support at the firm—and alcohol at home—as he searches for the one big deal that will make everything right once again. With both substance and style, this novel follows the Burtons as each family member’s odyssey tests the limits of love, trust, and their dreams for a perfect life. The Entitled really delivers, aiming both barrels at the thin veneer of social status, wealth, and privilege. (from amazon.com)

The Christopher Dean Band Returns to the Library
Wednesday, September 25 at 7:00 pm

Christopher Dean is a NJ native who has resided in Freemansburg, PA for the past six years. He has been touring since 1997 fulltime as a traveling blues/soul musician. He started playing guitar at age 15 and studied various styles of blues and soul guitar after high school. Early influences include Charlie Patton, BB King and Magic Sam. He has recorded two highly acclaimed blues CDs with Big Jack: “All The Way Back” and “Roots Stew.” He also recorded several CDs since then including: “Three Times A Fool,” “Where I Need To Be” and “What I Need.” The band covers everything from Marvin Gaye, Chuck Berry, Al Green, Kool and The Gang to BB King. You must sign up for tonight’s show!
Even More Adult Programs

Listen to Jazz Singer Rosalind Grant
Wednesday, October 9 at 7:00 pm

Talented musician and performer Rosalind Grant has performed in a number of venues around New Jersey including the Crossroads Restaurant and Jazz Club, Garwood, NJ; Pleasantdale Presbyterian Church, West Orange, NJ; Jazz Vespers, West Orange, NJ; and the Priory Restaurant and Jazz Club, Newark, NJ. Make sure you sign up for this evening’s show!

Learn New Job Search Skills
For the 40+ Worker on Tuesday, October 15 at 6:30 pm
(note early start time)

This workshop, Job Search Skills for the Age 40+ Worker, looks at the statistics facing the older worker and evaluates the skills and competencies needed to change the word “Discourage” to “Encourage.”

This hands-on session targets the age 40+ employee looking to change careers, jobs or re-enter the workforce. The topics presented in the session include, Motivation, Career and Transferable Skills Assessment, choosing the appropriate resume format, and examining a job description for key job skills and matches. The session also reviews networking, interviewing and follow-up activities for a successful job search strategy. We will also discuss technological advancements in job search strategies and workshop participants will leave with a number of valuable resources.

(See page 8 for more workshops related to successful job hunting.)

This workshop will be taught by Nancy Anderson, President of Blackbird Learning Associates, a job search training company. Nancy has over 25 years experience in Human Resources, Learning and Development, and Relationship Management in the pharmaceutical, finance and insurance industries. In her career Nancy has led the training projects for many high-profile company initiatives. She has worked for Johnson & Johnson, the CIT Group, The Bank of New York and the Chubb Group of Insurance Companies. During her career, she has trained thousands of domestic and international employees. Nancy is the author of “Job Search for Moms,” published in 2010. She is currently working on her second job search book and anticipates a 2013 release.
Even More Adult Programs

“The Nature of the Meadowlands” with Author/Photographer Jim Wright on Thursday, October 17 at 7:00 pm

A question and answer session and book signing will follow the talk.

Author/photographer Jim Wright will discuss the amazing environmental revival of the Meadowlands. Once the home of pig farms and orphan landfills, it is now an eco-tourism destination. Jim will show some of his book’s acclaimed nature photography and archival images. Jim maintains the Meadowlands Nature blog (meadowblog.net) for The New Jersey Meadowlands Commission. He is the birding columnist for The Record of North Jersey, and the author of three other large-format books, “Hawk Mountain,” “Jungle of the Maya,” and “In the Presence of Nature.”

Control Your Clutter!
Saturday, October 19 at 1:30 pm

Cut out the clutter in your life! Instructor Karen Camden will help you organize your life by defining your habits, eliminating time wasters, and setting goals and priorities. Each student will be asked to fill out a clutter control worksheet. (Although Karen teaches computer classes at the library, this is not a computer class.)

New Jersey in Ruins
Tuesday, October 22 at 7:00 pm

Join Professor Richard Veit of Monmouth University as he surveys the field of archeology in New Jersey. Learn about exciting archeological projects all over the Garden State and how these projects have expanded our understanding of the Lenape, colonial settlement, the American Revolution, and beyond.
Managing Holiday Stress and Caregiving  
Tuesday, October 29 at 7:00 pm

The holidays are a busy time of year. All the hustle and bustle of activities and celebration can create stress for people with dementia and their caregivers. This session offers practical tips for balancing seasonal traditions and caregiving. The presentation includes ways to involve the person with dementia in the festivities, preparing family members for holiday gifts and guidelines for decorating safely.

Amy Matthews from the NJ chapter of the Alzheimer's Association will speak. She will set aside 30 minutes after her presentation for questions and discussion. Take the time to come to this program and you’ll get the help you need.

How to Create a Winning LinkedIn Profile  
Saturday, November 2 at 10:00 am to 12 pm or  
Wednesday, November 13 at 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm **  
**(Note early start time)**

Most employers automatically turn to LinkedIn to research potential job candidates and a recent poll said that 89% of companies plan to recruit through LinkedIn. If you don’t have a LinkedIn profile, you will miss out on some valuable job search opportunities. This fast-paced program takes you through the steps needed to design a strong, complete, “All Star” LinkedIn profile. You will create an accounting of your work experience including a Summary Statement, Experience, Skills, Education and Outside Activities. You will also learn the technique needed to be seen on the first three pages of a LinkedIn People Search. This is a hands-on class, taught by Nancy Anderson, President of Blackbird Learning Associates, a job search training company. You must register for this class as seating is limited. You may bring your own laptop or tablet, but please let us know if you need to use one of ours. **November 13 is a repeat of November 2, so please do not sign up twice.**
Other Programs at the Library

The Foreign Film Festival Fires Up in the Fall!
Mondays at 2:00 and 6:30 pm

We don’t have the titles yet but save these dates:

- October 21
- November 4
- December 9

“Monday Afternoons at the Opera”—
Hosted by the Westfield Adult School
A Five-Session Class from 1:00 to 2:30 pm

- September 23
- September 30
- October 28
- November 18
- November 25

Contact the Westfield Adult School to register. Call 908.232.4050, or send an e-mail to adultschool@westfieldnj.com.

...and another class hosted by The Westfield Adult School:
“iPad for Beginners”
Tuesdays, November 12 and November 19 at 7:00 to 8:30 pm

Contact the Westfield Adult School to register. Call 908.232.4050, or send an e-mail to adultschool@westfieldnj.com.

Have you seen our newly designed website?
It’s even better than it was and even easier to navigate.
Visit www.wmlnj.org
TGIF! Fridays: An Exciting Series of Programs for Adults
Movies, Music and More—All Free
Light refreshments served. All programs begin at 1:30 p.m.
A fun way to socialize and make new friends.
No registration necessary. For further information about TGIF programs, please call the Reference Department at 908.789.4090, X 7950.

GENE KELLY
September 6
Explore the life and career of this outstanding dancer and actor.

FRIDA KAHLO
September 13
Learn about her paintings, her marriage to Diego Rivera, and her fascinating lifestyle.

JUDY GARLAND
September 20
Celebrate the life, music and films of this well-known entertainer.

CLASSIC MOVIE WEEK: “LOVE IS A MANY-SPLENDORED THING”
September 27
Starring William Holden and Jennifer Jones

NO TGIF! (Children’s Book Sale)
October 4

HOLLYWOOD’S LEADING LADIES
October 11
Examine the life and works of some of the great American female stars.

CHARLES AND ANNE LINDBERGH
October 18
Explore the life, trials and controversies of this American couple.

CLASSIC MOVIE WEEK: “SOMEBWHERE IN TIME”
October 25
Starring Christopher Reeve and Jane Seymour

VICTOR BORGE
November 1
Enjoy the music and comedy of this talented performer.

JOHN STEINBECK
November 8
Learn about the life and works of this Nobel and Pulitzer Prize winning author.

CLASSIC MOVIE WEEK: “42nd STREET”
November 15
Starring Warner Baxter and Bebe Daniels

JOHN F. KENNEDY
November 22
Explore the life and presidency of JFK on the 50th Anniversary of his assassination.

NO TGIF—NOVEMBER 29
HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!
Monthly LEGO Club
Use your imagination to create wonderful Lego structures!
Open to children in grades 1 through 5 (No kindergarten).
Dates: Wednesdays, September 11, October 9, November 13, December 4
OR
Thursdays, September 19, October 17, November 21, December 12
Time: 6:30-7:30 pm
Open to full-service Westfield Library card holders only.
Parents/guardians remain in the library during program.
Sign-ups begin one month prior to each session
Use the child's card to sign up online.
Children may attend ONE session per month. If you register for both Wednesday and Thursday in the same month, you will be deleted. If you have any questions, please call 908.789.4090, ext. 3

Family Music Program
Join the harmonious duo of Sister Sing/Sister String for an interactive concert featuring modern and classic children’s music.
Date: Saturday, September 21
Time: 10:30-11:15 am
All Ages
Open to full-service Westfield Library card holders only.
Registration required for all children/adults attending the program.
Online registration begins on August 19.

Potions – A Halloween Adventure
See how Halloween comes to life, as Science and Storytelling are recklessly mixed together! Learn how showers of smoke-filled bubbles, buckets of fog and popping potions are created by using the two “coolest” things in the world - dry ice and imagination.
Presented by Sciencetellers.
Date: Saturday, October 19
Time: 10:30-11:15 am
Ages: 5 years and older
Open to full-service Westfield Library card holders only. Please use child’s library card to register.
Registration begins on September 9.

It’s Pumpkin Time!
Join Marigold Mike as he tells us all about our favorite orange gourd - followed by a painting project where each child takes home their own painted Jack-o-Lantern!
Date: Saturday, October 26
Time: 10:30-11:30 am
Ages: 3 years and older
Open to full-service Westfield Library card holders only.
Registration required.
Please use child’s library card to register.
Registration begins on September 9.

Fit4Kids
The Healthiest Show on Earth! Join Muscle Man Mike & Soccer Sue for an afternoon of magic, music and exercise fun while learning the importance of health and fitness.
Date: Saturday, November 9
Time: 2:00-2:45 pm
Ages: 3 years old and up
Open to full-service Westfield Library card holders only.
Registration required.
Please use child’s library card to register.
Registration begins on October 1.

Mysteries of the Library Magic Show
Join magician Mark Zacharia as we explore why the library really is the most magical place on earth!
Date: Saturday, November 23
Time: 10:30-11:15 am
Ages: 4 years old and up
Registration required.
Please use child’s library card to register.
Registration begins on October 1.

Grupo ñ Spanish-Language Storytime
Spanish language storytime for families with children. All stories, songs and activities are in Spanish; no English is spoken.
Dates: Sundays, September 29, October 20, November 17, December 15
Time: 3:00-3:45 pm
Ages: 6 and younger
Open to the public.
For the enjoyment of all, children MUST be the correct age for the program they attend and have a full-service Westfield Memorial Library card in their name. Any questions, please ask a Youth Services Librarian.

**Fun for 4’s & 5’s Storytime**
Stories, crafts, and fun. Attend either in the morning or afternoon.

**Dates:** Tuesdays, September 24 – October 29
**Times:** 10:30-11:00 am **OR** 1:00-1:30 pm
**Ages:** 4 & 5 years old
Child attends program without parent or caregiver.
No pre-registration required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

**Time for 3’s Storytime**
Stories, songs, rhymes and more.

**Dates:** Wednesdays, September 25 – October 30
**Time:** 10:30-11:00 am
**Age:** 3 years old
Parent or caregiver attends with child.
No pre-registration required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

**2’s on Thursday Storytime**
Stories, songs, finger plays and movement activities.

**Dates:** Thursdays, September 26 – October 31
**Time:** 10:30-10:50 am
**Age:** 2 years old
Parent or caregiver attends with child.
No pre-registration required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

**Playgroup for Babies**
Come for a Lapsit story and stay for Playgroup! Moms, dads, caregivers and babies 0-23 months are invited to socialize and interact in our program room. We’ll provide playmats, board books and simple toys.

**Dates:** Fridays, October 11 – November 1
**Time:** 10:00-10:45 am
**Ages:** 0-23 months old
Parent or caregiver attends with child.
No pre-registration required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

**Chess Club for Kids**
Chess sets provided for children to play each other. No age requirement, but children must know how the chess pieces move.

**Dates:** Fridays, October 4, November 1, December 6
**Time:** 3:45-4:45 pm
No pre-registration required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

**Yoga Tales**
Come learn the practice of yoga, and basic yoga poses, through storytelling. Certified yoga instructor Gabriela Chabrier will lead children in an exciting afternoon of dancing and yoga!

**Dates:** Wednesdays, October 9, 23 and 30
**Time:** 4:00-4:30 pm
**Ages:** 5 years and older
Registration required.
Child must register for EACH session.
**Online Registration begins on September 9.**

**Zumba Fun!**
This modified version of Zumba is designed specifically for children, to help improve motor coordination and listening skills. Join certified Zumba instructor, Andrea Lawson, for this high-energy dance activity featuring Latin music. Wear comfortable clothes and sneakers.

**Dates:** Wednesdays, November 6, 13 and 20
**Time:** 10:30-11:00 am
**Ages:** 2-5 years old
No pre-registration required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

**Yoga Storytime**
Yoga comes to life as we read simple stories and act them out in yoga poses. Hop like a frog, slither like a snake, and roar like a lion! Presented by Certified Yoga Instructor Gabriela Chabrier.

**Dates:** Thursdays, November 7, 14 and 21
**Time:** 10:30-11:00 am
**Ages:** 2-5 years old
Registration required.
Child must register for EACH session.
**Online Registration begins on October 7.**