The Westfield Memorial Library is proud to announce that it now offers streaming video. This means that patrons can instantly download videos from the library’s collection on most mobile and desktop devices, anytime, anywhere, for free.

“Our streaming video service is secure and will significantly extend the reach of the library’s digital collection,” said Library Director, Phil Israel. “We are very excited to be able to offer our patrons an even faster way of downloading movies from the library’s ever-expanding online collection of videos. They’ll be able to watch movies from the library whenever and wherever they want.”

The library’s online collection has also been upgraded to include many more recent titles. Some of the new titles include *My Week with Marilyn*, *Silver Linings Playbook*, *Jingo Unchained*, *The Iron Lady*, *Lawless*, and more.

Users may browse the video selection on the library’s website and borrow up to five titles at a time with a valid library card. All videos will automatically expire at the end of a lending period, which is usually 7 days, so there are no late fees. Visit the library’s website at [www.wmlnj.org](http://www.wmlnj.org), click on the Digital Access link, and then select “Download Movies.” For the App visit, [www.wmlnj.org/libraryappplace.asp](http://www.wmlnj.org/libraryappplace.asp).
**News From Around the Library**

**Westfield Memorial Library Foundation Donates Funds for Library Teen Zone Furniture**

Recently the Foundation donated the funds to pay for much needed new furniture in the Teen Zone. Highly durable and constructed of a new, sustainable material that is called coated foam, the furniture is comfortable and easy to clean. Foundation President Roger Sullivan said, “Director Phil Israel indicated that after Hurricane Sandy and a particularly harsh winter, library usage increased substantially, thus the furniture was in dire need of replacement.” The Westfield Memorial Library Foundation seeks to provide long-term support for the library through a variety of fundraising strategies. More information at wmlfoundation.org.

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**Coming soon…
Library Receives Donation to Fund New Chinese Book Collection**

Thanks to a generous donation by Westfield resident William Chen, and made possible through William’s friend Lei Zhou, the library will soon present a new Chinese Language collection. We will have about 125 books that reflect current and classic Fiction, Mystery, and Non-Fiction titles. Fiction will include some of the best-selling authors in China, such as Yan Geling and Mo Yan. You’ll also be able to borrow books on Chinese history, politics, medicine, and biography. Look for the popular New York Times best-seller, *Steve Jobs* by Walter Isaacson in Chinese, as well as the *Game of Thrones* trilogy by George R.R. Martin. The collection will be at the top of the stairs on the second floor, outside the Reference Office.

We will also offer a large collection of various Chinese Language ebooks, to satisfy those devoted to their e-readers and iPads. They’ll have similar themes such as Fiction and Mystery, cooking and health.

**The Adult Summer Reading Club Begins!
June 30 through August 22**

What could be more fun on a lazy summer afternoon than reading a great book? Reading for the chance to win prizes, of course. All you have to do is sign up at the Circulation Desk and then submit an entry form anytime you check out a book. We’ll have tons of terrific book lists to inspire you. And, to whet your appetite, the July and August Grand Prizes will be $50 gift certificates to Theresa’s Restaurant and the Turning Point. We also have eight weekly prizes of $25 gift certificates to the Town Book Store. Join us!
The Annual Book Sale Raises over $15,000

The Friends of the Westfield Memorial Library wish to thank all the supporters of their annual Book Sale. Many devoted volunteers worked tirelessly for two weeks to make this sale a success. The Westfield Board of Education donated the use of tables for the display of books, and the Westfield Department of Public Works transported tables and bookcases to and from the sale. The Westfield Memorial Library provided their meeting room for the event, and the library staff supported the Friends in every way. Special thanks to all the youth volunteers who gave back to their community.

Last but not least, the Friends thank the members of the community who donated books and who shopped at the sale in support of their library. No books were discarded: all leftovers were sent to various charities.

Read on for News about the Children’s Book Sale from October 23 to 25

Plans for this fall’s annual Children’s (and young adults’) Book Sale are in the works! As in the past, the Friends will sell a wide assortment of fiction and non-fiction books at truly bargain prices, provided everyone starts saving hardcover and paperback books to donate! Donation days will be October 21 and 22 and sale days will run from October 23 through the 25. For more information, contact Judy Tasoff at jtasoff527@gmail.com to volunteer.

More News from the Friends

The Gaston Award Committee is pleased to announce that our 36th Kenneth S. Gaston Award recipient is Alice Dillon. Alice was Friends’ Board Secretary from 1983-1985, in charge of the library’s Display Case from 1985-89, on the Awards Committee in 2008, Hospitality Chair in 2009, Sharing the Warmth participant in 2011 and 2012, and Special Projects Chairperson into the present, including researching and implementing insurance coverage for the Friends Group, all Friends’ 40th Anniversary activities and programs and annual Black History Month events. The Friends will present Alice with the Gaston Award at the June Board Meeting.

The Metropolitan Opera Series continues into the 2014-15 season, with a new option this year to share a subscription with one or more friends. The season will have seven evening performances (November 12: Aida; December 31: The Merry Widow; January 21: La Traviata; February 18: Iolanta; March 11: Les Contes D’Hoffmann; April 22: Don Carlo; May 6: Un Ballo In Maschera). For more information visit www.wmlnj.org, click on the Friends tab, and then Opera Trips, or contact Ulf Dolling at uhdoll@aol.com or call 908.654.5737.

Become a Friend and support the library and special programs, such as the Museum Pass. Membership forms are available at the Circulation Desk or online.
Philomena  July 14
Language: English
Running Time: 98 minutes

When she became pregnant as a teenager in Ireland in 1952, Philomena Lee (Judi Dench) was sent to the convent to be looked after as a fallen woman. She cared for her baby for three years until the Church took him from her and sold him, like countless others, to America for adoption. Coerced into signing a document promising never to attempt to see her child again, she nonetheless spent the next fifty years secretly searching for him, unaware that he was searching for her from across the Atlantic.

Son of the Bride  June 23
Language: Spanish
Running Time: 123 minutes

This magnificent Argentinean film centers on Rafael (Ricardo Darín), a restaurateur whose life is becoming a knot of stress and failing relationships. When his father, Nino (Héctor Alterio), decides that after 44 years of marriage he wants to give his wife, Norma (Norma Aleandro), the church wedding she always wanted, Rafael scoffs; Norma has advanced Alzheimer's and doesn't recognize where she is or who's around her. After Rafael has a heart attack, he realizes he has to change his life--but when he makes changes, he discovers how much of his life he'd been taking for granted, and that he may have cast aside the very things he seeks. Son of the Bride is smartly and richly written, directed with generosity and precision, and full of astonishingly full performances.

Barbara  July 21
Language: German
Running Time: 105 minutes

East Germany, 1980.

Barbara Wolff is a young doctor who has applied for an exit visa from the GDR and, as punishment, has been transferred from her prestigious post in Berlin to a small pediatric hospital in the country. She must weigh her absolute dedication to her patients against a potential escape to the West, and her newfound attraction to a doctor in whom she sees a kindred spirit.
The Hunt is a disturbing depiction of how a lie is taken as truth when gossip, doubt and malice are allowed to flourish and ignite a witch-hunt that soon threatens to destroy an innocent man's life. Lucas is just starting to get his life back together after losing his job and facing a difficult divorce, when his life is shattered by an untruthful remark throwing his small community into a collective state of hysteria. As the lie spreads, Lucas is forced to fight a lonely battle for his life and dignity.

As part of a rehabilitative prison program, inmates at a high-security prison in Rome prepare for a public performance of Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar." As they rehearse, the prisoners, many of whom are long termers and lifers for serious crimes, find that the classic play has both a striking resonance and contrast to their confined lives.

The first film led by a female director and set entirely in Saudi Arabia, Wadjda tells the story of a ten-year-old girl who challenges her country's traditions. Captivated by a green bike that she desperately wants, Wadjda embarks upon some money making schemes of her own that fail. So she enters her school’s Koran memorization contest to win the prize money. This is unheard of for a mere girl …
Adult Programs for the Summer

Celebrate the Fabulous Fifties with Linda Ipanema on Wednesday, June 4 at 7:00 pm

Take a musical journey through the Fabulous Fifties, and the songs and singers that made them so fabulous! Linda Ipanema and husband Stan Edwards present this tribute to the wonderful singers and songs of this decade. More than a tribute, Linda and Stan undercut nostalgia sentimentality with raucous comedy and irreverence. This husband and wife duo, despite being opposites, complement each other with their talents. You'll be up singing, dancing and clapping through the entire performance to the songs of yesterday, including “Music, Music, Music”; “Mambo Italiano”; “Heart of My Heart”; “Sincerely; I'm Yours”; “Chances Are” and “Rock Around the Clock.”

Linda has been in show business most of her life. In addition to stage Broadway musicals, she has appeared in leading films, such as A Bronx Tale, The Pope of Greenwich Village, Once Upon a Time in America, and in hit TV shows, such as Law & Order. Linda packed the house the last time she was at the library, so don’t forget to sign up!

Come Hear the Tribute to Les Paul and Mary Ford on Wednesday, June 11 at 7:00 pm

Tom Doyle and Sandy Cory perform a Les Paul/Mary Ford Tribute on guitars, percussion, flute and vocals. In addition to playing their great hits, Tom gives a captivating, yet entertaining talk about the father of electric guitar and pioneer of sound on sound recording and over dubbing.

He worked with Les Paul for over 40 years as his sound performance engineer/guitarist in NYC and was a close confidant. Tom had great compassion for Les Paul and was an integral part and true friend to those in the Les Paul world. Tom and Mary are connected with the Les Paul Foundation and Mahwah Museum of NJ. They were also the opening act at the Iridium Jazz Club in New York City on Broadway after Les's passing. Remember to register!
More Adult Programs for the Summer

Learn How to Protect Yourself Online
Saturday, June 14 at 10:30 am

Save time, money and stress! Learn how to keep yourself and your computer safe and secure! This program covers various security topics, including how to:

- Recognize email scams that try to steal your personal information
- Determine if clicking on a link may lead to downloading a virus
- Decide if a website is safe
- Create strong passwords
- Remember your passwords without using a “Post It” on your computer!

Debra Price is part of a team of cyber security professionals who provide presentations for the (ISC)2 Safe and Secure Online program. Debra has spent 15 years in Internet Security at AT&T, producing services to keep Enterprise customers secure. She earned her CISSP (Certified Systems Security Professional) through the International Information Systems Security Certification Consortium in 2004. Debra remains an active member in the Information Systems Security Association.

Julia Child says, “Bon Appétit”: A Play
On Wednesday, June 18 at 7:00 pm

Open to the public but you must register for this performance online at www.wmlnj.org and click on Calendar, or call 908.789.40490 ext 0.

Introducing, Julia Child! A lively one-woman play brings this fascinating chef and cooking pioneer to life. Performer Linda Kenyon has a wealth of experience on stage, in television, and in performance. She has performed for the Virginia Shakespeare Company, the Maryland Renaissance Festival, and the Washington Stage Guild. She has brought other outstanding women to life, including Eleanor Roosevelt and Babe Didrikson Zaharias. Don’t miss her and don’t forget to register!
The Final Word on Adult Programs!

**It’s summertime...which means Shakespeare in the Library!**

New Jersey Shakespeare Theatre’s Next Stage Ensemble Presents
“A Midsummer Night’s Dream” on Wednesday, July 9 at 7:00 pm
And Another Fantastic Show To Be Announced
on Wednesday, August 6 at 7:00 pm

The Shakespeare Theatre of New Jersey is one of the leading Shakespeare theatres in the nation, serving 100,000 adults and children annually. It is New Jersey's only professional theatre company dedicated to Shakespeare's canon and other classic masterworks. Through its productions and education programs, the company strives to illuminate the universal and lasting relevance of the classics. Note: You must register for these programs. Register online by visiting [www.wmlnj.org](http://www.wmlnj.org), clicking on Calendar, and then finding the dates, or call 908.789.4090 ext 0. MURAL cardholders must wait until July 2 and July 30 respectively to register, provided seats are still available.

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"While You Were Away"
Songs of World War II
By Diane Cypkin
On Wednesday, July 23 at 7:00 pm

In Commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of D-Day, Professor Diane Cypkin sings “Don’t Sit Under the Apple Tree (With Anyone Else But Me),” “You’ll Never Know,” “I’ll Walk Alone,” “Chattanooga Choo Choo,” “The Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy,”—just some of the many incomparable love songs exceptionally popular during World War II. Why were they so popular? Who wrote, played, and sang them? What made them unforgettable both on the fighting and home front?

This one woman concert/lecture delves into it all and in the process reveals how the “Spirit” of the time was uplifted by these songs . . . to hope for a time of peace and an end to a terrible war. Dr. Cypkin, an Award-Winning Professor of Communications, has for many years published studies on the words that moved us during the war—words in speeches, at rallies, of songs. She wowed the library with her Yiddish/English presentation on Molly Picon in 2012. Open to the public, but you must sign up.

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Come Hear Caryn Lin Play on
Wednesday, July 30 at 7:00 pm

Caryn Lin plays her electric violins and uses sound effects and looping to create short, on-the-spot recording of her violin, voice and percussion. Layers of sound over deceptively simple melodies result in music that is both other-worldly and totally catchy, mesmerizing and unique. Eclectic, New Age and World!
**NO TGIF—June 6**

**TRAVEL: SCOTLAND: THE BEAUTY AND THE MAJESTY**  
*June 13*  
Explore Scotland in this in-depth look at the people, places, and legends that make up this country.

**THE BRONTE SISTERS**  
*June 20*  
Learn about the lives of Charlotte, Emily and Anne Bronte.

**CLASSIC MOVIE WEEK: “DIAL M FOR MURDER”**  
*June 27*  
Starring Grace Kelly, Robert Cummings and Ray Milland.

**NO TGIF—July 4**

**RED SKELETON: A COMEDY SCRAPBOOK**  
*July 11*  
Red Skelton’s career is explored from vaudeville, radio shows, film and television. Includes highlights of his classic TV characters.

**BROADWAY’S LOST TREASURES**  
*July 18*  
A one-of-a-kind compilation of Broadway showstoppers, performed by original cast members, televised on the Tony Awards between 1967 and 1986.

**CLASSIC MOVIE WEEK: “A DAY AT THE RACES”**  
*July 25*  
Starring the Marx Brothers.

**TRAVEL: VOLCANO ABOVE THE CLOUDS; KILIMANJARO AFRICA’S TALLEST MOUNTAIN**  
*August 1*  
200 miles south of the equator, Kilimanjaro has both equatorial and arctic conditions. Five distinct climatic zones inhabit the slopes of this 19,340-foot peak. Atop, a geologist takes viewers back to the dawn of time when the continent of Africa split.

**AUDREY HEPBURN REMEMBERED**  
*August 8*  
From the star herself we learn of her career, and the family and friendships that were her priority. Clips from her different movies are featured.

**AUGUST 15—NO TGIF**

**AUGUST 22—NO TGIF**

**AUGUST 29—NO TGIF**

Have a great Labor Day weekend! See you September 5!

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**Please Note:** All programs are videos or lectures unless otherwise noted. Weekly topics are subject to change.
Summer Reading Clubs for Kids of All Ages!

Summer Reading Club for Children in Preschool through Grade 5

The Westfield Memorial Library invites children to join our 2014 Summer Reading Program, “Fizz, Boom, Read!” This club is designed to include children of all ages and reading abilities, and features fun prizes and recommended booklists for each grade. We also have a Listening Club, for those children not yet reading on their own. Additionally, we offer a variety of special programs, activities and events for all ages. Registration for Fizz, Boom, Read! is open to full-service Westfield Library cardholders starting June 23 and continuing through August 16. For more information, check our website at www.wmlnj.org, or call the Youth Services Department at 908.789.4090, option 3.

Summer Reading Program For Teens Entering 6-12th Grade

The Westfield Memorial Library is pleased to announce an Online Summer Reading Program designed specifically for teens. The Club takes place from June 23 to August 16. Any teen entering grades 6-12 who is a full service library cardholder can join the club via the library’s website.

All eligible participants must register online. Registration begins on June 23 and can be done from any Internet-ready computer, including those located in the library. Prizes include a free one night rental from the library’s DVD collection, a $5 gift card from Cold Stone Creamery or Starbucks, and a new hardcover book. Check our website www.wmlnj.org for more information.

And now... A Really Special Summer Program for Kids

Summer Science Fair on Thursday, July 31
At 6:30 to 8:00 pm All Ages

Calling all budding scientists and curious kids! Spark your imagination and learn something fun and interesting along the way. Create an experiment at home, then present the results at the Science Fair. Awards will be given to all participants. You can work on your own or as part of a group. To participate, you must complete and submit a registration form, available at the Children’s Reference Desk starting June 23.
Dragons & Dreams
Celebrate the beginning of our summer reading program with this fabulous program presented by Sciencetellers. Enjoy this spectacular adventure and be swept away to a world where dragons are real and dreams come true. This story features interactive science experiments with dry ice, flash paper, exploding bottles, and much more.

**Date:** Thursday, June 26  
**Time:** 3:00 – 4:00 pm  
**Ages:** 5 years & up  
**Required Online Registration begins June 1.**

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:** Mondays, July 7, 14, 21, 28  
**Time:** 7:00 – 7:45 pm  
**All ages**  
**No pre-registration required.**  
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

Music, Movement, Songs, Fun!
Join Sister Sing/Sister String for a fun-filled musical morning. Dance and sing along with this fabulous duo as they present classic children’s songs.

**Dates:** Tuesdays, July 8, 15, 22, 29  
**Time:** 10:30 – 11:00 am  
**Ages:** 2 and up  
Parent or caregiver attends with child.  
No pre-registration required.  
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

Jester Jim
With nothing more than a trunk full of props, Jester Jim will have you cracking up in your seat.  

**Juggling, balancing, beatboxing, and comedy -- this family show is packed with fun and excitement.**

**Dates:** Tuesday, July 8  
**Time:** 7:00 – 8:00 pm  
**All Ages**  
**Required Online Registration for children and adults begins June 1.**

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.

**Date:** Wednesday, July 9, 16, 23, 30  
**Time:** 10:00 – 10:30 am  
**Ages:** 2-4 years old  
Parent or caregiver attends with child  
**Required Online Registration begins June 1.**  
**Child must register for EACH session.**

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 morning of dancing and yoga!

**Dates:** Wednesdays, July 9, 16, 23, 30  
**Time:** 11:00 – 11:30 am  
**Ages:** 5 years and older  
**Required Online Registration begins June 1.**  
**Child must register for EACH session.**

Feeling Crafty?
Enjoy a story and then create a special craft centered around our Fizz, Boom, Read! Summer Reading Club theme.

**Date:** Thursdays, July 10, 17, 24, 31  
**Time:** 10:30 – 11:15 am  
**Ages:** 4 and up  
**Required Online Registration begins June 1.**  
**Child must register for EACH session.**
Afternoon LEGO Club
Use your imagination to create awesome LEGO structures.
**Date:** Wednesdays, July 9, 16, 23, 30
**Time:** 3:00 – 4:00 pm
**Grades:** K through 5
No Pre-Registration Required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.
**Child MUST be in grades K through 5 and have a full-service Westfield library card in his/her own name.**

Fizz, Boom, Fun! Afternoon Crafts
Join us for a fabulous afternoon of scientific crafts as we build alka-seltzer rockets, mini volcanoes, giant bubble wands and more.
**Date:** Thursday, July 17 (rain date Thursday, July 24)
**Time:** 2:00 – 3:30 pm
**All Ages**
Parent or caregiver attends with child.
**Required Online Registration begins June 1.**

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, July 11, 18, 25 and August 1
**Time:** 10:00 am
**Ages:** 0 – 23 months
Parent or caregiver attends with child.
No pre-registration required.
Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.

Science Fair
Spark your imagination and learn something fun and interesting along the way! Register with us, create an experiment at home, then display your results at our Science Fair. Individual or group projects welcome!
**Date:** Thursday, July 31
**Time:** 6:30 – 8:00 pm
**All Ages**
**In order to participate, you must complete and submit a registration form.**

Code for Fun!
Join us for a fun-filled workshop on creative problem solving!
With the help of the Angry Birds and the Plants vs. Zombies crew, kids will be introduced to the basics of computer coding. You will help the Angry Bird catch the naughty pig by programming with colorful blocks of code that you snap together.
No prior programming knowledge is needed.
Presented by the Westfield High School Robotics Club.
**Date:** Wednesday, July 16
**Time:** 7:00 – 8:30 pm
**Age Group: 4th, 5th & 6th Grades**
**Required Online Registration begins June 1 – class size is limited, so register early.**

Memorial Pool Story Time
Free admittance to the pool story time (no swimming) with your full-service Library card. If you aren’t a member of the Westfield Memorial Pool, there’s a $6 entrance fee, per person, if you plan to swim. Parent or caregiver must accompany child.
**Dates:** Fridays, August 1, 8, 15, 22
**Time:** 3:00 – 3:30 pm
**All Ages**
**Required Online Registration begins July 1.**

It’s Movie Time
Take a break from the August heat with a cool movie. These animated versions of picture books are the perfect way to start your day. Parent or caregiver attends with child.
**Dates:** Tuesdays, August 5, 12, 19, 26
**Time:** 10:30 – 11:00 am
**All Ages**
No pre-registration required. Please sign in at the Youth Services desk when you arrive.