

FALL

For Adults

2023



WORKSHOPS



CORN HUSK DOLL WORKSHOP

Explore the folktale and hobby of the corn husk doll, a traditional craft shared by Native American and colonist families. Learn how corn husk dolls were created and craft your own figure using corn husks and other materials—perfect for decorating your Thanksgiving table!



BEAD WEAVING WORKSHOP

Taking inspiration from wampum beads created from Long Island beaches, join us for this workshop to discover the history of this ancient craft and its role for Indigenous Long Islanders. Create a woven beaded accessory of your own.



NEEDLE FELTING WORKSHOP

Did you know whalers often carved knitting needles and sewing tools out of whalebone for their wives and loved ones? See examples from our collection and learn about the history of wool crafting. Create an adorable needle-felted ocean animal. **In Person Only.**

Invite us over! Our hands-on programs explore stories above and below the waves combining culture, science, history, and art.

LECTURES



WHALING ON LONG ISLAND

Did you know that after farming, whaling was Long Island's first industry? Travel back through time and explore our Island's long & complex history through the golden age of whaling, and the way the industry shaped our communities.

NEW!



GENDER AT SEA

Join us for a talk exploring the intricacies of 19th century gender norms among the crews of whaling ships - as well as the unconventional. Discover hidden stories of women secretly dressed as male mariners, as well as surprising tales of sailors who posed as gals for lighthearted entertainment for their crewmembers when crossing the equator!



INSIDE THE MIND OF A WHALE

In this fascinating talk, find out what researchers have uncovered about whales and dolphins' thinking and their amazing behaviors in the wild which set them apart, including sophisticated memory skills, tool use, societal structures, and unique dialects.

NEW!



UNITY ON THE HIGH SEAS

Travel back through time and explore our Island's long and complex history of whaling - the nation's first integrated industry. Discover how people of diverse races, backgrounds, and countries came together to chase Earth's leviathans in Long Island's greatest story!

COST IN PERSON

\$325 | \$300 for add'l same program on same day. Mileage charge for 15+ miles.

- Workshops are 45 min. Lectures 1 hr.
- Materials for up to 25 participants are included for crafts.

ONLINE

LIVE VIRTUAL \$275, includes 15 craft kits. Add'l kits \$5.

PRE-RECORDED \$200, includes 15 kits. Add'l kits \$5.

Kits are picked up from Museum, or shipped to library for \$30 flat fee.

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PROGRAMS AVAILABLE 3 WAYS:

- IN-PERSON
- LIVE VIRTUAL WITH CRAFT KIT
- PRE-RECORDED WITH CRAFT KIT

