Registration for the following programs and activities is now underway.

On Tuesday, March 3rd, come and enjoy a special concert with Ian Gallagher, Irish singer and musician. Gallagher will entertain us with favorite Irish classics, new songs, and stories about the history of Ireland and the works being performed. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, this Tuesday Talks for Seniors presentation begins at 1:30 p.m. and is open to residents of all communities. Please call ahead to reserve your seat!

Our weekly Mahjong Meet-up has made the library the place to be on Wednesday afternoons! Borough residents and their guests are invited to come and join Linda Graham for some friendly games of Mahjong every Wednesday from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Beginners are welcome.

Claire Houghton-Kiel is available Thursday evenings to share her expertise on “all things tech.” Reserve a time slot (7:30 or 8:15 p.m.) and a date for your personal one-on-one instruction. Funding for Tech Talk is provided by the Friends of the Library. Classes are free to members of Friends; there is a nominal registration fee for nonmembers.

The Books ‘n’ Bites book club will meet Tuesday, March 10th at 1:30 p.m. All are welcome to join us as we snack and chat about The Dutch House by Ann Patchett. “Miss Susan” will moderate the discussion. Refreshments will be served.

Walk ‘n’ Talk is back! Join “Miss Susan” on Wednesday, March 18th for a guided interior tour of historic Ringwood Manor. We’ll meet at the library at 9:30 a.m. and then caravan to Ringwood Manor, 1304 Sloatsburg Road, Ringwood for a private 90 minute tour beginning at 10:30 a.m. The tour will cover the history of the house, its owners, and the interior furnishings on the first and second floors. Please wear sturdy sneakers or walking shoes. Water and a snack will be provided. Walk ‘n’ Talk is co-hosted by the Friends and the Library Board of Trustees.

A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood will be shown on Tuesday, March 24th at 1:30 p.m. When journalist Lloyd Vogel is assigned to write a profile of Fred Rogers, the creator and star of the successful children’s program Mister Rogers Neighborhood, the tables are turned and interviewer becomes the interviewee. Nominated for an Oscar for Best Supporting Actor, Tom Hanks portrayal of Fred Rogers is inspiring! The film runs 109 minutes and is rated PG. A Movies Worth Watching presentation, this event is sponsored by the Friends. Refreshments will be served.

The Friends of the Library Executive Board will meet on Tuesday, March 24th at 1:30 p.m. All members are welcome to attend.

Borough residents are invited to make wooden spoon bunnies with Miss Ro and the Crafty Ladies on Tuesday, March 31st at 1:30 p.m. All supplies will be provided.

For more information or to register for any of the above programs, call 973-427-6213, ext. 5 or e-mail serico@northhaledonlibrary.org.
Registration for Borough children is underway. Registration for non-residents begins Friday, February 28th.

MORNING PROGRAMS (10:00 a.m. start-time)

For Babies:
Baby Play Time for children ages 12–23 months (and a parent/caregiver) will be held Mondays, March 2nd – April 6th. Baby Play Time features a story, musical activities, and time to socialize and play with our toys.

For Toddlers:
Toddler Story Time for two year-olds (and a parent/caregiver) will be held Wednesdays, March 4th – April 8th. Toddler Story Time includes stories, songs, a simple craft, and time to socialize and play with our toys.

For Preschoolers:
Preschool Story Time for children ages 3-5 (and a parent/caregiver) will be held Fridays, March 6th – April 10th. Picture book stories, songs, games, and a craft will help your child develop physical, cognitive, and social skills necessary for a successful experience when starting school.

AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS (3:30 p.m. start-time)

For Children in Grades K-2
Birds will be the focus of Miss Donna’s Super Science class on Friday, March 13th. After listening to a story, participants will perform experiments with beaks and feathers and then make a bird feeder to take home!

After-School Story & Craft Time will be held Friday, March 20th and will feature a craft and stories about Spring.

For Children in Grades K & Up
The Lego Club will meet on Friday, March 6th. No registration is required for this activity. Children are invited to just stop in for an afternoon of creative fun!

For Children in Grades 3 - 5
A Super Science class will be held on Friday, March 27th. Students will design and build a roller coaster from drinking straws!

For more information or to register for children’s programs, call Miss Donna, Children's Services Specialist, at 973-427-6213, ext. 3 or e-mail dooner@northhaledonlibrary.org.