



50 Years and Looking Forward

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**The Bronx Council on the Arts and the Huntington Free Library present
A “Journal Making” Workshop on Saturday, January 19, 2013 from 12:30-3:00pm
A Free, Family-Friendly Craft Workshop at Huntington Free Library**

(Bronx, NY – December 27, 2012) The Bronx Council on the Arts (BCA) and the Huntington Free Library (HFL) present a family-friendly, hands-on “Journal Making” craft workshop with Lis Ortiz on Saturday, January 19, 2013 from 12:30 to 3:00 pm at the Huntington Free Library (9 Westchester Square, next to the Apple Savings Bank). This workshop is free and open to the public. All are welcome.

New Year, New Beginnings...

Join artisan Lis Ortiz who will help you create your own handmade personal journal to capture your new year's thoughts, hopes and dreams. Journals will be made of recycled items, so please feel free to bring images, fabric and/or items to make yours extra special!

Note: This workshop is labor intensive so it is imperative to arrive on time so that you can leave with a completed piece. Please bring family, friends and the desire to be creative. See you then! Reserve your seat at <http://1192013journalmaking.eventbrite.com/#>.



Journal Making with Lis Ortiz is part of the free series of Third Saturday Family Craft Workshops presented by the Bronx Council on the Arts and the Huntington Free Library through April 20, 2013 at the Huntington Free Library.

The family craft workshop series continues on February 16th, from 12:30-3:00pm, when BCA presents *Puppet Making with Lucrecia Novoa*. Have a fun-filled afternoon with puppet maker Lucrecia Novoa who will help you create a small puppet that you will be proud to display.

Admission to all workshops is free, but space is limited. For information, call 718-931-9500 x33 or 718-829-7770, or visit www.bronxarts.org.

Directions: The Huntington Free Library is located at 9 Westchester Square (next to the Apple Savings Bank) in the Bronx and can be reached by the #6 subway and BX 4, 21, 31, 40 and 42 buses. All destinations are to Westchester Square. For additional directions or information, call 718-829-7770.

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