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MOUNT VERNON PUBLIC LIBRARY TO HOST COLLAGE WORKSHOPS THREE HANDS-ON PROJECTS TO RESULT IN UNIQUE MURALS

Mount Vernon, New York – The Mount Vernon Public Library welcomes Westchester-based artist Pamela Tucker who will conduct a series of three **free** collage workshops celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month, American quilts and African ceremonial textiles. The workshops have been funded by a generous grant from ArtsWestchester.

Participants will be guided through three art making experiences where they draw or paint on theme-based paper “tiles.” There is no pre-registration necessary and participants spend as much time as they need to complete their “tile.”

Materials for all three workshops will be supplied.

The first workshop, ***Paint Fiesta***, celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month, will be held on Saturday October 6 from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm in the Children’s Room. Children ages 5-12, their parents and/or caregivers are invited to attend.

The second workshop focuses on collage quilting and will take place on Wednesday, November 7 at 10:00 am to 12:30 pm. This workshop will be held in the Doric hallway of the library. Seniors and adults are encouraged to attend this creative program.

The third and final collage workshop, focusing on African ceremonial textiles, will be held on Thursday, December 6 from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Children’s Room.

Upon completion of the three workshops, Ms. Tucker will collage the “tiles” into a unique multi-artist, multi-paneled one-of-a kind collage. The completed collage will be on display at the library and all who participated in creating the artwork will be invited to a reception. The time and location of the exhibit will be announced at a future date.

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No registration is necessary. Mark your calendar for one workshop or all three! Stop by for a few minutes, take a seat, join the fun and let those creative juices flow!

For further information, please call Cathy Webb, Community Outreach (914) 668-1840 x236.

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