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**The Bronx Council on the Arts and the Huntington Free Library present
Holiday Ornaments with Gail Sharbaan on Saturday, November 19, 12:30-3:00pm
A Free Family-Friendly Craft Workshop at Huntington Free Library**

(Bronx, NY – November 4, 2011) The Bronx Council on the Arts (BCA) and the Huntington Free Library (HFL) continue their 2011-2012 family-friendly craft workshop series on Saturday, November 19 at Westchester Square's Huntington Free Library with a pre-holiday afternoon creating ***Holiday Ornaments with Gail Sharbaan.***



Create your own holiday ornaments! Plenty of glitter, glue and cheer available. Please bring family, friends and the desire to be creative. The workshop runs from 12:30-3:00pm. Admission is free and all are welcome. The Huntington Free Library is located at 9 Westchester Square (next to the Apple Savings Bank). This workshop is free and open to the public. All are welcome.



Holiday Ornaments with Gail Sharbaan 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 21, 2012 at the Huntington Free Library.

Gail Sharbaan teaches crafting and creative writing to youths and adults at various community-based programs in the Bronx. Her artwork has been featured in exhibitions both locally and internationally. Through her work, Gail inspires artists of all ages and abilities to explore various materials and processes of creativity. She is the author of a collection of short stories entitled, "Tales from the Streets" and has also contributed to various anthologies and publications.

The family craft workshop series continues on December 17th as BCA presents ***Holiday Bling with Lis Ortiz.*** Create original and personalized jewelry – a perfect last-minute gift for yourself or for someone special. Supplies will be provided, but you are encouraged bring beads you'd like to recycle. See you then!

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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