



# November Calendar of Events @ your library



Most events require pre-registration. For information or to register for Adult Programs call 201-420-2347 or email [reference@hoboken.bccls.org](mailto:reference@hoboken.bccls.org). For information about Children or Teen Programs call 201-420-2348. Sign up on Eventbrite. For the latest info see our website at [hoboken-library.org](http://hoboken-library.org) Every Monday Open Maker Space Time 1 PM-7 PM! Open Tech 1-3 PM!

## Children's and Family Programs

**Nov 2, 9, 16, & 30 @ 3:15 PM** Block Party for ages 4+.

**Nov 4 @ 1 & 2 PM** Family Funday.

**Nov 5 @ 1:30 PM** Story Time at the Hoboken Fire Department Museum (213 Bloomfield St) for ages 2-5.

**Nov 6 & 20 @ 11 AM** Pop-Up Story Time (124 Grand St) for 2 1/2+.

**Nov 6 @ 3:15 PM** Urban Jungle Play for preschoolers

**Nov 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 28, & 30 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM** Tiny Tots Story Time for ages 6 mos. to 2 1/2.

**Nov 7 @ 4:15 PM** Yoga Story Time for 4+.

**Nov 8, 15, 22, & 29 10:30 AM** Mrs. M's Story Time for ages 2 1/2+.

**Nov 10 @ 10:30 AM** Music Demo for kids and teens.

**Nov 10 @ 2 PM** Game Day.

**Nov 13 & 27 @ 3:15 PM** STEAM Projects for ages 5+.

**Nov 17 @ 3:15 PM** Cooks & Books for ages 4+.

**Nov 28 @ 4:30 PM** Sensory Story Time and Craft for children ages 4+ with developmental disabilities.

**Nov 29 @ 3:30 PM** Lego Social Skills Building Group for children ages 3-4 with developmental disabilities.

**Nov 29 @ 4:30 PM** Sensory Story Time and Craft for children ages 5-9 with developmental disabilities.

## Events for Teens (grades 6-12)

**Fridays @ 3 PM** Video Game Time.

**Nov 2 @ 4 PM** Picasso Found Object Sculptures.

**Nov 5 @ 10:30 AM** HPL Art Show Celebration.

**Nov 9 @ 1:30-3:30 PM** School's Out Hangout.

## Adult Programs

**Nov 1, 8, 15, & 29 @ 10 AM** Art Program.

**Nov 2 @ 6:30 PM** SEEDS (221 Jackson St.)

**Nov 7 @ 9:30 AM** Knitting Program.

**Nov 7 @ 6 PM** Life Story Workshop.

**Nov 9 @ 7 PM** Transgender Panel.

**Nov 11 @ Noon** WWI 100th Anniversary Movie Screening.

**Nov 14 @ 6:30 PM** Mile Square City Readers Discussion.

**Nov 15 @ 6 PM** Zentangle.

**Nov 15 @ 7 PM** Book Discussion at Little City Books (100 Bloomfield St)

**Nov 16 @ 6:30 PM** Japanese CinFest.

**Nov 18 @ 10 :30 AM** Drag Queen Story Time.

**Nov 20 @ 6:30 PM** Writer's Group.

**Nov 20 @ 2:30 PM** Arthurian Extravaganza Pt 1 Animated Movie.

**@ 3:30 PM Pt 2 Adult Movie**

**@ 6 PM** *The Once and Future King* Book Discussion.

**Nov 21 @ 6 PM** Climate Mobilization

**Nov 28 @ 6:30 PM** Workplace Advocacy.

**Nov 30 @ 6 PM** Creatures of the Dark.

## Friends of the Library ESL Classes

Wednesdays at 6:30 PM (No ESL on Nov 22). Demo of the library's online language software on Nov 29.

## Main Branch (500 Park Ave)

### Library Hours

Monday  
10:00 AM—8:00 PM  
Tuesday—Wednesday  
9:00 AM—8:00 PM  
Thursday  
9:00 AM—9:00 PM  
Friday  
9:00 AM—5:00 PM  
Saturday  
10:00 AM—5:00 PM  
Sunday  
10:00 AM—3:00 PM

## Main Branch (500 Park Ave)

### Children's and YA Room Hours

Monday  
10:00 AM—6:00 PM  
Tuesday  
9:00 AM—8:00 PM  
Wednesday  
9:00 AM—6:00 PM  
Thursday  
9:00 AM—8:00 PM  
Friday  
9:00 AM—5:00 PM  
Saturday  
10:00 AM—5:00 PM  
Sunday  
10:00 AM—3:00 PM

## Pop-Up Branch (124 Grand St) Hours

Monday  
10:00 AM—8:00 PM  
Wednesday  
9:00 AM—8:00 PM  
Saturday  
10:00 AM—5:00 PM

## Thanksgiving Holiday Closings

Early Closing 4 PM: Wed, 11/22/17

Full Day Closed: Thurs, 11/23/17



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## New Jersey SEEDS

On Thursday November 2 at 6:30 PM at the Monroe Gardens community room, 221 Jackson St, in partnership with the Hoboken Housing Authority, the Library is pleased to present New Jersey SEEDS, an educational nonprofit that works with high-achieving 7th grade students from low-income families. SEEDS ([www.njseeds.org](http://www.njseeds.org)) provides free academic programming, before helping students to enroll in the top selective high schools.

## Transgender Awareness, Panel Discussion

On Thursday November 9 at 7 PM the library will host a transgender awareness program.

The topics that will be covered are ways to be more welcoming and inclusive of Transgender People, the meaning of transgender and non-binary, how sexual orientation is different from gender identity, why trans equality is important, how to treat everyone with respect, and how to be an ally.

The program will be moderated by Michael Billy, Executive Director of Hudson Pride Connection located in Jersey City. Other Special Guests include: Seth Raniess, Ajani Walden, Christine Hamlett, Jules Weiss and Alexis Smith. All are welcome.

## Makerspace and Science Events at HPL

### Makerspace Open Use Time

On Mondays 1 PM to 7 PM our Makerspace will be open with many of the tools and equipment available for use. No appointment or registration required! A staff member will be present to assist. Those under the age of 13 need to be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Between 1 PM and 3 PM as part of our Makerspace we will have Open Tech Time. Bring your technology or computer question.

### Bugs On the Go

On Saturday November 4 at 1 PM, join us for an introduc-

tion to arthropods and insects through a variety of live arthropods as well as pinned specimens. Participants will gain an understanding of the structure, characteristics, and basic needs of organisms and will investigate the diversity of life. This program requires a free ticket for each child, which can be reserved the day prior to the program on Eventbrite. Please bring the ticket(s) on the day of the program (either in print or on your mobile device). Tickets are only needed for child attendees.

### STEAM for Kids

On Monday November 13 and 27 at 3:15 PM there will be S.T.E.A.M. inspired projects for ages 5+ during our regular scheduled open Makerspace time. November 13 join us for Turkey Time, and November 27 for the Science of Butter.

### Creatures Of The Night

On Thursday November 30 at 6 PM explore the creepy, crawly animals of the night with Tenafly Nature Center's Animal Ambassadors of the dark! Adults and families with children 4+ can come to explore nocturnal creatures and their habits.

## Get the Help You Need at the Hoboken Public Library

### Social Worker Intern at HPL

Social Workers are an increasingly frequent presence at public libraries to answer patron questions that go beyond the librarians' areas of expertise. Rutgers University's School of Social Work places their students to intern at New Jersey public libraries for

fieldwork. The Hoboken Public Library's Social Work Intern Sade Coleman can connect you to a variety of services for all ages, such as immigration support and referrals for affordable housing and health services. Sade is at the Library on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 AM to 6 PM.

### Workplace Advocacy:

#### Standing Up For Yourself

On Tuesday November 28 at 6 PM, learn to communicate effectively and persuasively and stand up for yourself at your workplace. This event is led by Diane Rubino, who teaches communications at NYU and Columbia University.



# Get Creative at the Hoboken Public Library

## Morning Art Classes

On Wednesdays November 1, 8, 15, and 29 at 10 AM Art teacher, Liz Cohen Ndyoe will hold a new series of drawing classes focusing on portraiture.

## Evening Crocheting with Lisa Barnes

In this 4-week beginner level crochet class Mondays October 30, November 6, 13, 20, you will learn to make fingerless mitts, a striped hat, and a zig-zag cow! You will also learn crochet basics like how to hold a crochet hook and make a foundation! You must attend all four sessions if you want to complete your project.

## Picasso and Found Object Sculpture

On Thursday November 2 at 4 PM, kids and teens ages 10+ will learn about Pablo Picasso's sculpture technique and create their own artwork using a variety of materials such as wood, fabric and wire. Materials are limited so please register on Eventbrite.

## Hoboken Public Library Art Show

Hoboken's kids and teens are talented! Sunday November 5 10:30 AM join us in celebrating the young artists' works that will be on display all month long.

## Zentangle

Wednesday November 15 at 6 PM, learn the art of Zentangle which combines art and meditation to make beautiful images. Part of our Wellness Wednesday series with City of Hoboken. First come first serve.

## Climate Mobilization

Tuesday November 21 at 6 PM, come find creative solutions for what you can do to care for the environment.

# Create Writing and Music at the Hoboken Public Library

## Then, Now, and Forever Workshop

On Tuesday November 7 at 6 PM, this workshop taught by an award-winning communications specialist is a crash course on how to easily outline your entire life story in 2 hours. Each attendee is given a workbook in which to document their life story. First come first serve. 12 max.

## Bluthner Music Demo

The Bluthner School of Music will be in the library on Friday November 10 at 10:30 AM, teaching free demo classes for children and teens interested in playing the piano, cello, and violin.

## Writer's Group

Join the Hoboken Public Libraries new

writers group on Monday November 20 at 6:30 PM and discuss your work in a friendly and constructive atmosphere. All types of creative writing are welcome. Please submit any pieces for consideration at the next weeks meeting by noon on Friday November 10 to hplwriters@gmail.com.

# Fun and Gaming for Teens and Kids at the Hoboken Public Library

## Urban Jungle Play : Harvest Demo

On Monday November 6 at 3:15 PM, Join us for a special preschool aged harvest themed lesson provided by Urban Jungle Play.

## Block Party

Do you love Lego bricks? Come build

with us on Thursdays from 3:15-4:15 PM. For children ages 4+ (younger siblings are welcome).

## School's Out Hangout for Teens

On Thursday November 9, 1:30-3:30 PM, drop by the Teen Room with your friends for crafts, games, and a movie.

## Video Gaming

November Fridays at 3 PM, teens can kick off the weekend with some gaming!

## Game Day

On Friday November 10 at 2 PM, kids drop in today and play some games from our new board game collection.

# Children's Story Times at the Hoboken Public Library

## Story Time at the Fire Department Museum at 213 Bloomfield St.

On Sunday November 5 at 1:30 PM, children ages 2-5 can hear stories and songs about city life.

## Pop-Up Story Time

On Monday November 6 and 20 at 11:00 AM, join us in our new Pop-Up Library location at 124 Grand Street for a very special story time for ages 2 ½+.

## Tiny Tots Story Time

On Tuesday at 10:30 & 11:30 AM and Thursday at 10:30 & 11:30 AM, simple stories, songs, and games for children

for children ages 6 mos. to 2 ½ and a caregiver. Program requires a free Eventbrite ticket for each child, reserved the day prior. Please bring the child's library card (not parents') and the Eventbrite ticket. Limit of one story time per week.

## Yoga Story Time

On Tuesday November 7 at 4:15 PM, join Carolyn Brush for a special story time that includes yoga poses and puppets! Story time is for children age 4+. Eventbrite ticket required.

## Mrs. M's Story Time

On Wednesdays at 10:30 AM, story and craft time for children ages 2 ½+. No ticket required.

## Cooks and Books

On Friday November 17 at 3:15 PM, Budding Top Chefs ages 4+ learn easy food preparation with Dietician Elisabeth Holtzer from Hoboken Shoprite. Eventbrite ticket required.

## Drag Queen Story Hour

Join us for a special family story time for ages 3-8 with Harmonica Sunbeam Saturday November 18 at 10:30 AM.

# Movies and Book Discussions at the Hoboken Public Library

## WWI 100th Anniversary

Saturday November 11 at 12 PM will be a Steven Spielberg's *War Horse* screening in honor of WWI.

## Mile Square City Readers Book Club

On Tuesday November 14 at 6:30 PM the Mile Square City Readers will discuss *Crazy Rich Asians* by Kevin Kwan.

## Lady Memoir Book Club at Little City Books

On Wednesday November 15 at 7 PM we will discuss Gabrielle Union's *We're Going to Need More Wine*.

## New York Japanese CinFest

Thursday November 16 at 6:30 PM join us for the screening of *The Shining*

## Star of Losers Everywhere.

## King Arthur Extravaganza

Monday November 27 at 2 PM we will screen an animated film, and children can decorate their own bejeweled crowns. At 3:30 PM watch an adult dramatization. Discuss *The Once and Future King* by T.H. White at 6 PM.

# Programs for Children with Developmental Disabilities at HPL

## Sensory Story Time

On Tuesday November 28 at 4:30 PM this story time is designed for children ages 4+ with autism spectrum disorders, sensory integration issues, and other developmental disabilities. Join us for stories, songs, and hands-on

activities. Requires a free Eventbrite ticket for each child.

## Lego Social Skills Building Groups

Is your child on the Autism Spectrum or have another special needs challenge? On Wednesday November 29 at

3:30 PM for ages 3-4 and 4:30 PM for ages 5-9 join us for a special LEGO club for building and making new friends. This program requires a free ticket for each child, which can be reserved the day prior to the program on Eventbrite.