

The Newsletter of the Hoboken Public Library

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80's Movie Month at the Hoboken Public Library

This month the library pays tribute to the 1980's with hilarious comedies from the decade of big shoulder pads and even bigger hair. Whether you remember these films fondly or you want to see why they are considered comedy classics, come to this free series.

On Tuesday, August 3 at 2:00 PM join us for the Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin, and Dolly Parton hit, Nine to Five. Then on Tuesday, August 10 at 6:00 PM come see the Rodney Dangerfield classic, Easy Money. On August 17 at 6:00

PM we will be showing the rockumentary parody This Is SpinalTap! On August 24 at 2:00 PM come out of the Summer heat for Strange Brew. Finally we finish up our film series on August 31 at 2:00 PM with John Candy's hilarious Uncle Buck.

Book Art

In honor of Summer reading our two Picturing America pieces for the month of August will be reproductions of book artwork including N.C. Wyeth cover illustration for James Fenimore Cooper's Last of the Mohicans and American Flamingo one of 435 hand-colored engravings that make up John James Audubon's Birds of America.

Special Splashing Summer Events @ Your Library

Open-Mic

On Saturday, August 14 at 2:00 PM join us in Church Square Park for poetry and music! Adults and teens bring your poetry. Sign up will begin at 1:45 PM. The talented Mary Jennings will open the event.

Senior Computer Basics Course at Fox Hills

Matt Latham will teach a computer course for Seniors at the Fox Hill's Computer Lab on August 18 at 10 AM. This class will introduce students to the basics of computer use. Please RSVP with Health and Human Services who are cosponsoring the event: 201-420-2012.

Reading Dogs

Sofie and Sheffield, the library's reading dogs, will be at the library August 18 at 3:00 PM for children in kindergarten to second grade.

Call to make a "poochy appointment" at 201-420-2348.

Timeline New Jersey Join Photographer Walter Choroszewski on August 24 at 6:30 PM for pictures and a lecture on the history of NJ starting all the way at the primeval dawn. He will highlight many NJ "firsts".

Summer Reading Honors Awards for Kids

On August 26 at 1:00 PM children that read the most, read the best, and all registered Summer Readers can celebrate their accomplishments. Prizes will be awarded and snacks will be provided.

Case of the Mutating Hand On August 26 at 2 PM children can enjoy this mystery meets science in a tale in which a pirate is stopped with Water for Chocolate. inventive magic.

Managing Your Debt

Chris Dlugozima from GreenPath will be hosting a "Managing Your Debt" seminar on Tuesday, August 31 at 6:00 PM. Whether your debt is large or small learn helpful hints in how to become more financially stable.

Teen End of Summer Party and Reading Honors

The Young Adult Department will celebrate this summer's top readers on August 19 at 6 PM with a pizza party complete with prizes for all participants and grand prizes for those who read the most. BYO CDs.

Like Water for Chocolate **Book Discussion**

On August 25 at 2 PM join us for a book discussion of Laura Esquivel's beautiful magical realism classic Like

Adult Books to Water Your Mind @ the Library



Eternal on the Water / Joseph Monninger. FIC MONNINGER

A Glass of Water / Jimmy Santiago Baca. FIC BACA

To Heaven by Water / Justin Cartwright. FIC CARTWRIGHT

Black Water Rising / Attica Locke. FIC LOCKE

Death by Water / Kerry Greenwood. FIC GREENWOOD

Water: The Epic Struggle for Wealth, Power, and Civilization / Steven Solomon, 553.7 SOL

Unquenchable: America's Water Crisis and What to Do About It / Robert Glennon. 363.6 GLE

The Blue Death : Disease. Disaster and the Water We Drink / Robert Morris 614.4 MOR



Adult computer tutorials and events require pre-registration. Priority is given to Hoboken and Hudson County residents. For information call 201-420-2347 or email hobkref@bccls.org to register. Weather permitting Stories in the Park will be held in the gazebo in Church Square Park; if rain or extreme heat occurs they will be held inside the library. Children Craft programs and Reading to the Dogs is limited; make sure to sign up early. Participants should have their own library cards. For information call 201-420-2348. The Stories in the Park and teen events do not require registration and are open to everyone. For the latest information see our website at http://hoboken.bccls.org/

Summer Reading continues through August!!! Kids, signup to participate at the Children's Desk! Teens fill out a bookmark for the 1st summer book you read to enrol!!

Children's Programs

August 3 @ 10:30 Stories in the Park- for infants to age 30 months.

August 4 @ 10:30 Stories in the Park – for children ages of 31 months to 5 yrs.

August 10 @ 10:30 Stories in the Parkfor infants to age 30 months.

August 11 @ 10:30 Stories in the Park – for children ages of 31 months to 5 yrs.

August 11 @ 2:00 Sparkling Seashells – for children ages 3–9 years.

August 17 @ 10:30 Stories in the Parkfor infants to age 30 months.

August 18 @ 10:30 Stories in the Park – for children ages of 31 months to 5 yrs.

August 18 @ 3:00 Reading Dogs – for children in Kindergarten to Grade 2.

August 24 @ 10:30 Stories in the Parkfor infants to age 30 months.

August 25 @ 10:30 Stories in the Park – for children ages of 31 months to 5 yrs.

August 26 @ 1:00 Honor Awards— a special program for our Summer Readers.

August 26 @ 2:00 The Case of the Mutating Hand-family entertainment for children of all ages.

August 31 @ 10:30 Stories in the Parkfor infants to age 30 months.

Events for Young Adults

Thursdays @ 3:00-Play Station 2 sports and music game time-For patrons, grades 6-12.

August 19 @ 6 Teen Honor Awards—for Summer readers in grades 6-12.

Adult Special Program

August 5 @ 6:00 pm-Writing Critique Group.

August 14 @ 2:00 PM— Open Mike in the Park with music by Mary Jennings.

August 24 at 6:30 PM — Timeline NJ with Photographer Walter Choroszewski.

August 25 @ 2:00 PM Like Water for Chocolate Book Discussion.

August 31 @ 6:00 PM Managing Your Debt Seminar.

80's Comedy Film Series for Adults August 3 @ 2:00 PM-Nine to Five.

August 10 @ 6:00 PM-Easy Money.

August 17 @ 6:00 PM- This is Spinal Tap.

August 24 @ 2:00 PM- Strange Brew.

August 31 @ 2:00 PM- Uncle Buck.

Computer Tutorials for Adults Call 201-420-2347 for more information .

Senior Events

August 18th @ 10:00 AM-Basic Computer Class for Seniors at the Fox Hills Computer Lab. Please RSVP with Health and Human Services who are cosponsoring the event: 201-420-2012.

Library August Hours Monday

10:00 am-8:00 pm

Tuesday—Thursday 9:00 am—8:00 pm

Friday 9:00 am—5:00 pm

Saturday 8/7& 8/14 10:00 am—5:00 pm

Sunday & Saturday 8/21 & 8/28
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Make Waves this Summer and Read!

