



August Calendar of Events @ your library

Most events require pre-registration. For information or to register for Adult Programs call 201-420-2347, email reference@hoboken.bccls.org, or sign up on Eventbrite. For information about Children or Teen Programs call 201-420-2348. **For the latest info see our website at <http://hobokenlibrary.org/>**

Children's Programs

Aug 5 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for infants to 2 years 5 months.

Aug 6 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for ages 2 years 6 months and up.

Aug 7 @ 10:30 AM Yoga Story for 4 years and up.

Aug 12 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for infants to 2 years 5 months.

Aug 13 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for ages 2 years 6 months and up.

Aug 13 @ 1:30 PM Summer Reading Party for summer reading participants who have read 5 hours or more and their siblings.

Aug 14 @ 10:30 AM Yoga Story for ages 4 and up.

Aug 19 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for infants to 2 years 5 months.

Aug 20 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for ages 2 years 6 months and up.

Aug 20 @ 2 PM Sparkling Shells for ages 4 years and up.

Aug 20 @ 3:30 AM Reading Dogs for kids in kindergarten and up.

Aug 26 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for infants to 2 years 5 months.

Aug 27 @ 10:30 AM Story Time in the Park for ages 2 years 6 months and up.

Events for Teens (grades 6-12)

Tuesdays @ 4 PM Dungeons & Dragons.

Fridays @ 3 PM Video Game Time.

Aug 9 @ 2 PM 3D Bookmark Program.

Aug 23 @ 2 PM Summer Reading Party, Movie, and Prize Giveaway for all Summer Readers.

Adult Program

Aug 5 @ 6 PM Intro to Word Pt 1.

Aug 6 @ 6 PM Spanish Language Computer Basics.

Aug 7 @ 6 PM 3D Printed Cookie Cutters.

Aug 11 @ 6 PM Art Gallery Reception.

Aug 12 @ 6 PM Intro to Word Pt 2.

Aug 13 @ 6 PM Online Job Searching.

Aug 16 @ 2 PM Open Mic/Big (F)unk.

Aug 18 @ 6 PM Virginia Woolf's *Orlando* Book Discussion.

Aug 19 @ 6 PM Computer Q&A.

Aug 20 @ 5:30 PM Movie Screening.

Aug 21 @ 6 PM Mixed Media Painting.

Aug 26 @ 6 PM Button Creation.

Aug 27 @ 6 PM 3D Printing Basics.

Aug 28 @ 6:30 PM Endangered NJ.

August Library Hours

Monday
10:00 AM—8:00 PM

Tuesday—Thursday
9:00 AM—8:00 PM

Friday
9:00 AM—5:00 PM

Saturday
10:00 AM—5:00 PM

Sunday
11:00 AM—2:00 PM

Children's and YA Room Hours

Monday
10:00 AM—6:00 PM

Tuesday & Thursday
9:00 AM—8:00 PM

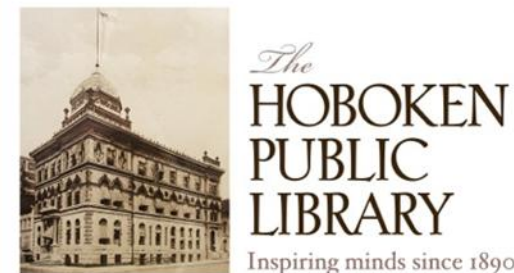
Wednesday
9:00 AM—6:00 PM

Friday
9:00 AM—5:00 PM

Saturday
10:00 AM—5:00 PM

Sunday
11:00 AM—2:00 PM

The Library will be closed for:
Labor Day Weekend
Sunday 8/31/14 &
Monday 9/1/14



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HPL's New Creation Space!

The Library is opening its brand new makerspace – The Hoboken Creation Space! Makerspaces are places where creativity and learning are fostered through the availability of tools, technology, and training. Our Creation Space will feature both specific classes and projects for kids, teens, and adults. The space will also be open once a month for anyone to come and use any of the tools! Here are some of the things our space will have available: 3D Printer, 3D scanner, Laptops with CAD software, Arduino starter kits, Makey Makey kits, and a VEX Robotics kit. There will be a Photography Station, SLR digital camera, green screen, lighting, inkjet printer, and a laptop with Adobe Creative Suite. A Music Recording Station will include a midi keyboard, microphones, mixer, and a Macbook Pro with GarageBand to record your songs and music. Button Makers are available for designing and making your own pin buttons. **See inside for Makerspace Programs & other August Events!**

The Newsletter of the Hoboken Public Library

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Celebrate Summer Reading @ HPL!

Come Read with Us:

Adult Summer Reading

Summer reading for Adult Hoboken Public Library Library Cardholders runs until August 30! There are weekly prize drawings for all participants as well as three special gifts for the Hoboken residents that read the most. There will be a special end-of-summer party on September 10 for all adult readers who participated with food, mocktails, and music.

Spark A Reaction:

Teen Summer Reading

Hoboken teens in grades 6-12 can participate in this year's Summer Reading Challenge through August 18. Whoever reads the most will win prizes! All participants receive candy! You can design

your own 3D bookmarks on August 9 at 3 PM! Everyone is invited to the party on Saturday, August 23 at 1 PM. Sign up now at the Teen Room.

Fizz, Boom, Read!:

Summer Reading for Kids

Children in grades 1-5 with a Hoboken Resident Library card can join us for Summer Reading until August 9. Family members can track books read to children ages 2-5. Summer readers who have read five hours or more can join us on August 13 at 1:30 PM for the Science Circus and enjoy treats from Rita's! Siblings are welcome. Summer Reading is supported by HPL, the Friend's of the Library, and NJ State Library. Looking for reading recommenda-

tions? Check out *The Children's Literature Comprehensive Database* on our resource page: hoboken.bccls.org/html/database.htm CLCD contains a variety of information about children's books, video and audio recordings, and other children-focused media including reviews of thousands of children's books, ranging from baby board books to novels and nonfiction for young adults. It also includes information about awards, honors, and prizes given to specific books.

Sparkling Shells

On August 20 at 2 PM, children ages 4 and up can decorate shells fit for a mermaid. Eventbrite tickets required.



August Computer Classes at Hoboken Public Library



Introduction to Microsoft Word

Those interested in learning how to use Microsoft Word for reports, letters, and more can join us for Word pt. 1 on Tuesday, August 5 at 6 PM and Word pt. 2 on Tuesday, August 12 at 6 PM.

Online Job Searching

On Wednesday, August 13 at 6 PM, explore different job searching websites, resume builders, professional networking sites, and other resources for online job searching. Learn strategies and best practices.

Spanish Computer Class – PC Basics

Spanish speakers join us on Wednesday, August 6th at 6 PM for an introductory computer class.

RSVP at 201-420-2347 or on Eventbrite.

August Hoboken Public Library Creation Space Programs

Make 3D Printed Cookie Cutters

On Thursday, August 7 at 6 PM, participants will learn some basic 3D design with easy to use software. They will then get a chance to print their own custom designed cookie cutters to take home. *Note:* 3D printing takes time to complete, so participants will pick up their cookie cutters starting two days after the class at the Reference Desk.

Create Pin Back Buttons

On Tuesday, August 26 at 6 PM, design your own personalized button and then get the chance to make the button to take home! You can include anything in your buttons – family photos, inspirational quotes, etc. Bring your photos to the class (digitally) or whatever else you want and make some buttons.



Basics of 3D Printing and CAD

On Wednesday, August 27 at 6 PM, attendees will be introduced to 3D printing and using CAD design software. They will use the free, online software Tinkercad to design their own 3D bookmarks. Attendees will pick up their custom designed 3D bookmarks beginning two days after the class at the Reference Desk.

Tenaflly Nature Center Presents: Endangered New Jersey



On Thursday, August 28 at 6:30 PM, learn about the major factors that threaten animals with endangerment and extinction worldwide. Through use of

artifacts and live animals, participants will learn the status of select native New Jersey fauna. Activities are designed to raise awareness of New Jersey's over 60 endangered species, and inspire participants to practice

how they can help prevent threats to local wildlife. Attendees will get to see several LIVE endangered animals, including an owl, a snake, an amphibian, and more! A great program for families and adults.

Don't Know Anything About Computers?: Open Q&A Time

Just bought a computer or tablet and aren't sure what to do next? Don't panic, stop by the Hoboken Public Library and ask whatever basic question you have! Staff will be on hand to

help answer your questions. We will also have some laptops, tablets, and eReaders available for you to practice with – or bring your own! Beginners are encouraged to drop by for help

on Tuesday, August 19 at 6 PM! Please RSVP.

Free Movie Screening

Join us on Wednesday, Aug. 20 at 5:30 PM! Call 201-420-2347 for details.



August Art at the Hoboken Public Library

August Art Gallery

Dennis English is a 14 year Hoboken resident, formerly of Austin, Texas, who has enjoyed painting and sketching since childhood. His theme for the August show is Shapes and Colors. His art is influenced by some of his interests, which include, design, sailing, the sea, and outdoor sports. His still lifes

and his patterns are drawn from objects and shapes that seem to surround us daily. He also gets inspired by the colors, tones and hues in Nature and manmade items, as well. The choice of size and perspective present the viewer a different way to see and interpret life and objects that are all around us. He will have a reception on August 11 at 6 PM.

Mixed Media Painting

On Thursday, August 21 at 6 PM, participants will be taught a unique approach to making a painting with acrylics and color pencils. Participants will learn the basics of creating a fine art mixed media painting. Teaching our workshop will be Frank Pariso, a Hoboken based illustrator and the co-founder of Hobeauxken Art.

Join us for Book Discussions Online and at the Library

Online Book Club

The Hoboken Public Library is launching an Online Book Club that meets right on our Facebook page! The first meeting is Wednesday, August 13 at 8-9PM. Log on to Facebook that

night and tell us about your favorite book from this summer.

Any questions? Email reference@hoboken.bccls.org.

Science Fiction and Fantasy Book Discussion @ HPL

Join us for a book discussion at

of Virginia Woolf's Orlando on August 18 at 6 PM. We'll also talk about our favorite authors and books. We meet in third floor activity room. Email hplwriters@gmail.com to be added to our mailing list.



Park Bench Poetry with Special Guest Big Fun(k)

On Saturday, August 16 at 2 PM, share your spoken word with Hoboken Public Library's monthly open mic and join us for a very special live performance

from the fusion funk-jazz group Big Fun(k). Jazztimes gave their debut album the following praise: *Big Fun(k) is a synchronized rhythm machine. Not that it sounds mechanical; rather,*

each player primarily emphasizes rhythm, and all the parts interconnect—drum backbeats, bass grooves, keyboard riffs and colors and (mostly) pentatonic tenor saxophone figures.