

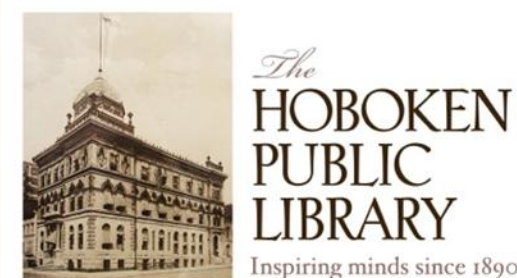


December Calendar of Events



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 Dec 2 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 3 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years. Dec 4 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 4 @ 3:30 PM and 4 PM Book Buddies - Volunteers (8 yrs-teens read to non-readers). Dec 6 @ 11:00 AM Magic Workshop- for ages 8-14 years. Dec 6 @ 2:00 PM Holiday Magic- Family Program. Dec 9 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 10 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years. Dec 11 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 11 @ 3:30 PM and 4 PM Book Buddies - Volunteers (8 yrs-teens read to non-readers). Dec 16 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 17 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years. Dec 17 @ 3:30 PM Santa Story Time and at 4:00 PM Pictures with Santa. Dec 18 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 18 @ 3:30 PM and 4 PM Book Buddies - Volunteers (8 yrs-teens read to non-readers). Dec 23 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for	infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 24 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years. Dec 30 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 years. Dec 31 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years. Events for Teens (grades 6-12) Fridays @ 3:30 PM Video Game Time. Dec 3 @ 3:30 PM Sound Camp: Garage Band Basics. Dec 17 @ 3:30 PM Video Game Coding w/ Scratch. Dec 20 @ 3:30 PM Movie Screening for Teens. Adult Programs Dec 3 @ 6:30 PM Interactive Mango Demo. Dec 9 @ 6 PM Cookie Exchange Program. Dec 10 @ 6 PM Movie Screening. Dec 12 @ 2 PM Magnet Making Program. Dec 15 @ 6 PM Book Discussion. Dec 17 @ 6:00 PM Tech Q&A Time. Dec 18 @ 7:30 PM Genealogy Every Monday Open Creation Space Time 1 PM-7PM for All Ages!	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—2:00 PM 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—2:00 PM Staff Development Day Closed 12/5/14 Christmas Early Closing (4 PM): Wednesday 12/24/14 Closed Full Day: 12/25/14 New Year's Early Closing (4 PM): Wednesday 12/31/14 Closed Full Day: 1/1/15
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December Creation Space Programs

Holiday Magnets

On December 12 between 2-4:30 PM, come and learn how to make magnets using our magnet maker. We will have predone templates or bring a digital photo with you to upload from your phone or flash drive. Great for gifts! The first magnet is free. There will be a small charge for any additional magnets made.



share.

Also, there will be some holiday cookies to decorate!



Please disclose any food allergy information.

Open Creation Space Time

The Creation Space will be open on Mondays from 1-7 PM, with all of the tools and equipment including a 3D Printer, 3D Scanner, a variety of kits, Button/Magnet Makers, a Photography Station and a Music Recording Station are available for use. No registration required! Those under 13 need to be accompanied by an adult.

Holiday Cookie Exchange

On December 9 at 6 PM, bring your best holiday cookie recipe for the Hoboken Public Library's Creation Space's First Holiday Cookie Swap!

Make sure to bring one to two dozen of your cookies to

Maker Events Just for Teens

Sound Camp: Garage Band Basics

On December 3 at 3:30 PM, collaborate with other teens to create a song using our recording studio. You don't have to be musician or own an instrument to have fun learning the basics of recording music.



Video Game Coding with Scratch

Want to create your own game? This is the program for you! On December 17 at 3:30 PM, teens will learn the basics of computer programming while flexing their creative muscles to build their own unique online video game.

Advanced Genealogical Research with Randi Koenig

On December 18 7:30-8:30 PM, Randi Koenig will return to the library to provide a second workshop on genealogy research. Part one in November provided an introduction to genealogical research and information on where to begin. Part two is

an advanced look at genealogy research that will focus on working with common names and review of various historical documents. Randi Koenig is a professional genealogist with over 15 years international experience. See what inter-

esting and surprising details, you can learn how to find to share around the holiday table!

Patrons have access to Ancestry in the Library on the library's computers or from their own Wi-Fi enabled devices!

Hoboken Public Library Year in Review

This was an exciting year at HPL! Children's events continued to be popular and weekly storytimes and Saturday programs were expanded due to popular demand. This year saw the debut of the library's monthly Science Fiction and Fantasy Book Discussion. For Woman's History Month the library hosted a Round Table Brunch where published authors gave encourage-

ment and insight to aspiring mom writers. In September, the library debuted its Creation Space, a makerspace that allows all of ages of Hobokenites to explore Science and their Creativity with a photo station, 3D Printer, music recording station, and more. Sixty people attend the opening event and the Open Mondays and scheduled Monthly events continue to be popu-

lar. In November the library hosted its first ever Murder Mystery night for those who participated in our canned food drive. The library debuted new services including online magazine access through Zinio and an AWE Learning Station in the childrens department with educational games and homework tools. Our edevice lending service was also expanded.

Hoboken Public Library Annual Appeal

The Hoboken Public Library needs your financial support! We're growing and going strong, but we need your help to continue our progress!

Please join the Hoboken Public

Library Foundation's mission to help this magnificent institution grow and become the hub of learning and social interaction in our community.

You can make your tax-

deductible donation by mail by filling out the form found at the circulation desk. You can also go to www.hobokenlibrary.org for a payment form or click on the Donate Button to use PayPal.

Don't Know Anything about Computers: Open Tech Time @ HPL

Come in for our open tech time on Wednesday, December 17 at 6 PM. Whether you have just bought a new computer or are trying to learn how to use a photoshop for the first time, our

knowledgeable reference staff will help answer your technology related questions. You will also have the opportunity to check out the library's tablets and ereaders; a great opportuni-

ty if you are planning to give or will be receiving a device as a gift during the holidays. HPL resident card holders can borrow one of our tablets or ereaders for even more practice with the devices.



CUBA THROUGH OUR EYES in 2009, 2010, & 2012

While traveling through Cuba during the years 2009, 2010, and 2012, photographer Katya Diez Presilla and Laura Knittel took a series of photographs highlighting what they thought would be great to share once they returned to America. The

Join us for Art and Movie Screenings at the Library



images include children from the countryside and the cities of Havana and Santiago; various animals; food; vintage automobiles; special places where Ernest Hemingway spent some of his time; and of course images that show off the natural beauty of such a complex country. So stop by and "visit Cuba" in the library's 2nd floor art gallery space. The show will be up for

the whole month of December.

Movie Screenings

The Hoboken Public Library will be hosting two movie screenings. Adults can join us for a special French Cult Classic film on December 10 at 6 PM. Call 201-420-2347 for details. On December 20 at 3:30 PM there will be a movie screening for Teens in grades 6-12. Call 201-420-2348 for more details.

Mango Languages Demonstration at the Hoboken Public Library

There will be a special presentation about Mango Languages for members of the libraries ESL Discussion Group on December 3 at 6:30 PM. Please call to RSVP at 201-420-2347, if you are not already part of the ESL

group since space will be limited. Learn more about how Mango allows users with Hoboken Public Library Cards to take part in online language learning through their home computers. English speakers also have the

opportunity to learn a variety of languages. Little Pim is specially geared towards young children. To access Mango go to the library's webpage hobokenlibrary.org and scroll to the bottom of the page.

Special Holiday Themed Sci-Fi and Fantasy Book Discussion

On Monday, December 15 at 6 PM, join us for a discussion of Terry Pratchett's *Hogfather*! Enjoy Pratchett's funny tale of Discworld's version of Santa. Along with the book discussion

we will discuss our favorite authors and books and decide on the works we will be reading in the new year. If you are a long time fan or a newbie to the genre, we would love to hear your

ideas. If you can't make the meeting, but would like to stay informed about what books we are reading, email to hplwriters@gmail.com and ask to be added to our mailing list.