

The Newsletter of the Hoboken Public Library

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Teen Corner

Teens! Keep your Thursdays open. The Hoboken Library will be hosting two weekly programs for students entering 6th through 12th grade.

Beginning July 8th The Young Adult Summer Book Discussion Club will meet at 2 pm on Thursdays to discuss great new books. Our first book will be The Earth. My Butt, and Other Big Round Things by Carolyn Mackler. Stop by The YA department to sign up and borrow your copy. There will be snacks, giveaways and an end of summer pizza party for members on August 26th with a raffle for a great prize.

Also on July 8th, we will host our first weekly Open Mike Night for Teens at 6 pm. Show off your talent!! Do you play music, perform in poetry jams, sing, dance, rap, perform scenes or comedy? Here's your chance for an audience! Come join us and bring your friends to help increase the applause. Active participants (those we see on a regular basis) are eligible to join the end of summer pizza party and raffle

Children's Programs Mean Summer Fun at the Library

July 5th begins our Summer Reading Program, *Discover New Trails*. Hoboken students in Grades 1 to 5 are encouraged to read books on trails, travel and transportation. For every book read, you will receive an entry into a raffle for a Spectacular Surprise Gift!

Participants are invited to join us every Friday at 11:00 a. m. where they will meet with us to tell about the books they've read, watch a film, do a craft or just sit and read.

On August 30, we will host a Pizza Party for all participants! Prizes, entertainment and fun will be had by all. So please come to the Children's room or call 201-420-2348 to register.

Other events include:

July 30 at 2:30, Arthur Kurzweil will perform magic at our *Discover New Trails Magic Show* which is open to all.

August 30, we will host an *End of the Summer Party* for the general public featuring the story of Aladdin's lamp performed by Encore Inc.

Another great way to entertain the kids during your summer travels, is to take advantage of our expanding collection of Read-a-Longs found in the Children's Room.

New Evening Program!

Beginning July 5th, we will be offering Evening Story-Time at the River. 3-6 year olds and their caregivers are invited to bring their blankets and bedtime snacks to the climbing rock at Stevens Park on Mondays at 7 pm to hear wonderful stories. Stevens Park is located on Hudson Street between 4th and 5th Streets. Please note: on rainy evenings the program will be cancelled

Travel Books at the Library

Try these exciting series!

Fodor's See it

Barcelona France Italy London New York City Scotland Spain Michelin Green Guide...

Greece Sicily Belgium New York City

The East

Great American Drives of...

The West

Fodor's Citypack... London Munich San Francisco Tokyo



Calendar of Events July, 2004 @your library

Children's Programming requires advanced registration. Please call 201-420-2348 **Young Adult Program requiring advanced registration. Please call 201-420-2348 If a program isn't starred it is open to all.

Thursday, July 1

Friday, July 2

Monday, July 5 CLOSED

Tuesday, July 6 10:30 am Stories in the Park Discover New Trails reading program begins

Wednesday, July 7 10:30 am Craft Time

Thursday, July 8 2:00 pm Coloring Hour 2:00 pm YA Summer Book Discussion 10:30 am Craft Time Group-The Earth, My Butt, and Other Big Round Things** 6:00 pm-YA Open Mike Night **

Friday, July 9 2:30 pm Video

Monday, July 12

Tuesday, July 13 10:30 am Stories in the Park 6:00 pm—Adult Program: Informational Seminar on the Walk for Breast Cancer. Interested in participating? Come to this free program.

Wednesday, July 14 10:30 am Craft Time

Thursday, July 15 2:00 pm Coloring Hour

Friday, July 16 2:30 pm Video

Monday, July 19

Tuesday, July 20 10:30 am Stories in the Park

Wednesday, July 21 10:30 am Craft Time

Thursday, July 22 2:00 pm Coloring Hour Friday, July 23 2:30 pm Video

Monday, July, 26

Tuesday, July 27 10:30 am Stories in the Park

Wednesday, July 28

Thursday, July 29 2:00 pm Coloring Hour

Friday, July 30 2:30 pm Video

Call the Children's Room to confirm registration for each of these programs.



Our Website

Did you know that you can access our website 24/7? Long on to www.bccls.org/hoboken and you can renew your books, browse our catalog, or reserve books and other items! In addition, you can use your library card to conduct research at home. Follow the link to Catalog and Databases, and you'll be able to access:

Infotrac: Connect to a database of fulltext articles on business, health and general reference, and literary criticism topics

Proquest: Magazines and Newspapers in Full Text, including the NY Times Historical databse

Country Watch: International news and geopolitical information on the 192 countries of the world.

Library Hours

Monday 10:00 am-8:00 pm

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am-8:00 pm

Wednesday & Friday 9:00 am—5:00 pm

Saturday—Sunday Closed