

The Newsletter of the Hoboken Public Library



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Women Science Fiction Authors

In the Garden of Iden
By Kage Baker

Silent Partner by Leigh Brackett

The Best of C. L. Moore edited by Lester del Rey

The Left hand of Darkness by Ursula Le Guin

WolfBlade by Jennifer Fallon

Skin Folk by Nalo Hopkinson

Beast Master's Circus by Andre Norton

The Female Man by Joanna Russ



Frankenstein by Mary W. Shelley

Amber and Ashes by Margaret Weis

To Say Nothing of the Dog By Connie Willis

Here's What's Happening in March @ Your Library

Fairytale Castle Puppet Show

Delightful, sophisticated and entertaining, the Fairytale Castle Puppet Theatre performs a show of three Fairytales: Rumpelstiltskin, Rapunzel, and Sleeping Beauty. Saturday, March 4th at 2:00 p.m. Program is sponsored by the "Friends of the Library."

Tarantella

On March 6, from 6 PM to 7 PM join us for a lecture and demonstration of Italian dancing. D'Italia! Italian American Entertainment founder and director, Marylou "Mariuccia" Romano will provide an informative and entertaining program. There will be a special focus on women's dances in honor of Women's History Month.

Financial Management Seminar for Women Women of all ages will be

interested in this workshop held on March 9 at 6:00 in the second floor Reading Room. The workshop is designed to invoke financial confidence by providing money management and investment strategies that regardless of economic level or financial skill you can begin implemeing. Attendees will be given a take home workbook to review topics discussed. This valuable resource contains nearly 150 pages of financial strategies, worksheets, and selfanalysis quizzes. Call 718-836-2974 or email rajorge@ft.newyorklife.com to register.

Librarian Poets

On Thursday March 23rd at 6:30 PM, Ona Gritz, the Young Adult Librarian, and Aimee Sefczek, the Reference Librarian, will be reading their poetry. Aimee

Sefczek received her Masters of Fine Arts in Creative Writing from Emerson College in Boston. OnaGritz's chapbook of poems, *Left Standing*, was recently published by Finishing Line Press. Ona's poetry has been published in numerous anthologies and journals, including Literary Mama.

March Women's History Month Display

If you think the science fiction and fantasy genres are only written by men, for men; boy are you mistaken! For the month of March the Library's display will celebrate Women's History Month by showcasing the women of science fiction and fantasy. Learn about authors such as Andre Norton, Ann McCaffrey, Octavia Butler, Ursula Le Guin, Katharine Burdekin, and Helen Hope Mirrlees, and Lvnn Abbev.

A Message from the New Head of Reference

Please allow me to introduce myself. My name is Samuel Latini, and I'm the new Supervising Librarian of the Reference Department. My background includes working at the East Brunswick Public Library on the Information Technology staff, and the Elizabeth Public Library as a Reference Librarian.

My first job as a professional librarian was here at the Hoboken Public Library from 1985 to 1987. I look forward to serving the community and helping the library grow.





Calendar of Events March 2006 @your library

Computer classes require pre-registration. Priority is given to Hoboken and Hudson County residents. For information call 201-420-2347. All weekly children's programs are open to Hoboken resident children and require <u>pre-registration</u>. Registration includes proof of residency and age. For information call 201-420-2348. Unless announced, Saturday programs and adult special events do not require registration and are open to everyone.

Computer classes for Adults @ the Library in March

3/7 & 3/9 3-4 PM Computer Basics

3/14 3-4 PM Internet Basics

3/16 3-4 PM Advanced Searching

3/21 3-4 PM Email Basics

3/23 3-4 PM Microsoft Word Basics

3/28 3-4 PM Resume Writing

3/30 3-4 PM Library Catalog Basics

<u>Special Events for Adults in March</u> 3/6 6-7 PM –Italian Dance Program

3/9 6 PM - Financial Management for Women

3/23 - 6:30-7 PM- Poetry Reading

Events for Teens in March

The Hoboken Public Library Teen Advisory Board will continue to hold regular Thursday meetings at 6 p.m.



Happy St. Patrick's Day!

Children's Programs

Toddler Time-Stories, songs, and easy crafts for children 19 months to 4th birthday Tuesdays and Wednesdays10:30 am

Book Club-After school readings, discussions and crafts for children 8 to 10 years of age Tuesdays 3:00

Baby and Me-Stories, rhymes, and finger play for babies 6 to 18 months

3/1 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/4 2:00 PM Fairytale Castle Puppet Show

3/7 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/7 3:00 PM Book Club

3/8 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/14 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/14 3:00 PM Book Club

3/15 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/21 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/21 3:00 PM Book Club

3/22 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/27 11:00 AM Baby and Me

3/28 10:30 AM Toddler Time

3/28 3:00 PM Book Club

3/29 10:30 AM Toddler Time

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 Closed

Children's Room Hours

Monday

10:00 am—5:00 pm

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am—8:00 pm

Wednesday & Friday 9:00 am—5:00 pm

Saturday

10:00 am—5:00 pm

Sunday Closed

