

The Newsletter of the Hoboken Public Library



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Reach for the Stars in our November Book Reviews

Dark Lord: The Rise of Darth Vader

If you have just seen the movie Star Wars: Revenge of the Sith on DVD and wondered what happened after Anakin became Darth Vader then James Luceno's Dark Lord: The Rise of Darth Vader will hopefully answer your questions. Set after the events of the last movie the Republic has collapsed, the Empire has begun, and the Emperor has a plan for his new enforcer, find any resistance and crush it. This will lead Darth Vader to discover his true power while destroying the last of the Jedi he once called his comrades. It will be out in late November.

The Joiner King

Troy Denning continues the adventures of the Star Wars Universe in his new book. The Joiner King. The first in a new series set 5 years after the bestselling New Jedi Order series Denning's tale begins with Jedi Master Luke Skywalker receiving news that a number of Jedi have disappeared into the Unknown Regions and that they are interfering in a Chiss border dispute. He follows and finds a new species that wishes all Force users to join their colony

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

Ellen Burmeister Book Signing for What Have I Done?

On Friday, November 4, 2005 at 1:00 PM in the second floor Reading Room Ellen Burmeister will be signing copies of her novelette, What Have I Done, which is set during World War II and chronicles one drafted soldier and his family's experience. Burmeister spent much of her childhood in Hoboken and was inspired by her own experience of World War II to write this fictional story.

Special Craft Event For Teens

The Hoboken Public Library Teen Advisory Board presents a craft program for teens. Join us on Thursday, November 17th at 6 pm to make unique friendship bracelets and glow-in-the-dark lanyards. Don't know how? We'll teach you. For teens in grades 6-12.

Cat Therapy Program

Join us on November 17 from 6-7 for a program on dealing with your cat's emotional and behavioral problems. Carole Wilbourn, known as the Cat Therapist, is a well known author, columnist, and speaker. Her talk will include a



question and answer session where you can ask

her about problems you may be encountering with your own pet.

Holiday Songs

Welcome in the Holiday season on November 30 at 6:30

with songs performed by Phillip Lester.
Lester is a classical guitarist. Included in his performance will be historical information about composers and interesting facts about holiday classics.

November History Display

To celebrate the 150th Anniversary the November display will focus on Hoboken when it was known primarily as a resort area. Prior to its becoming a city in 1855 Hoboken was seen primarily as the country and a place for the people of New York to come on a Sunday afternoon. We will focus on such places as the River Walk, The Elysian Fields, and Sybil's Cave, as well as the history of the area during that time. It is located on the second floor.

Financial Management Workshop for Women: Taking Control



Women of all ages will be interested in this

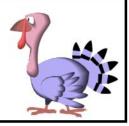
workshop held on November 15th at 6:00 in the second floor Reading Room. The workshop is designed to invoke financial confidence by providing money management and investment strate-

gies that regardless of economic level or financial skill you can begin implementing.

Learn to: Establish a workable budget Plan for retirement Choose the best investment for growth Cut taxes Protect your family in the event of a loss/disability.

Attendees will be given a take home workbook to review topics discussed. This valuable resource contains nearly 150 pages of financial strategies, worksheets, and self-analysis quizzes. Call 718-836-2974 or email rajorge@ft.newyorklife.com to register.

Calendar of Events



Computer classes require pre-registration. Priority is given to Hoboken and Hudson County residents. For information call 201-420-2347. All 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 November

11/1 & 11/3 3-4 PM Computer Basics

11/15 3-4 PM Internet Basics

11/17 3-4 PM Advanced Searching

11/22 3-4 PM Email Basics

11/24 3-4 PM Microsoft Word Basics

11/29 3-4 PM Resume Writing

12/1 3-4 PM Library Catalog Basics

Call the reference dept. to register @ 201-420-2347.

Special Events for Adults in Nov.

11/4 1-3 PM - Ellen Burmeister Book Signing for *What Have I Done?*

11/15 6-7:30 PM –Financial Management Workshop for Women (Please call 718-836-2974 or email rajorge@ft.newyorklife.com to register)

11/17 6-7 PM -Cat Therapy Program

11/30 6:30-7:30 PM- Holiday Songs

Events for Teens in November

11/3 6 PM Teen Advisory Board Meeting (new members always welcome)

11/10 6 PM Teen Advisory Board

11/17 6 PM Craft Program for Teens in grades 6-12

11/24 6 PM Teen Advisory Board Meeting

Children's Programs in Nov.

Tuesday, 11/1 @ 10:30 a.m. Toddler Time –ages 19 months to 3rd birthday.

Wednesday, 11/2 @ 10:30 a.m. Story/Craft-ages 3 to 5 years old.

Saturday, 11/5 @ 2:00 p.m. Big Jeff- Song and Music entertainment

Wednesday, 11/9 @ 10:30 a.m. Story/Craft-ages 3 to 5 years old.

Tuesday, 11/15 @ 10:30 a.m. Toddler Time –ages 19 months to 3rd birthday.

Wednesday, 11/16 @ 10:30 a.m.- Story/Craft-ages 3 to 5 years old.

Tuesday, 11/22 @ 10:30 a.m. Toddler Time –ages 19 months to 3rd birthday.

Wednesday, 11/23 @ 10:30 a.m. Story/Craft-ages 3 to 5 years old.

Monday, 11/28 @ 11:00 a.m. Baby & Me-ages 6 to 18 months.

Tuesday, 11/29 @ 10:30 a.m. Toddler Time –ages 19 months to 3rd birthday.

Wednesday, 11/30 @ 10:30 a.m. Story/Craft-ages 3 to 5 years old.

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

The Library will be closed: 11/8 for Election Day 11/11 for Veteran's Day 11/24-11/27 for Thanksgiving

Happy Chanksgiving!