



October Calendar of Events

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

Children's Programs

Oct 1 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 2 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years.

Oct 3 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 3 @ 3:30 AM Book Buddies - Fluent volunteers (8 yrs and up) read to non-readers.

Oct 5 @ 2:00 PM and 3:00 PM Fitness for Kids- Family Program (EventBrite tickets required).

Oct 8 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 9 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years.

Oct 10 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 10 @ 3:30 AM Book Buddies - Fluent volunteers (8 yrs and up) read to non-readers.

Oct 15 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 16 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years.

Oct 16 @ 10:30 AM Reading Dogs- for kids in Kindergarten and up.

Oct 17 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 17 @ 3:30 AM Book Buddies - Fluent volunteers (8 yrs and up) read to non-readers.

Oct 22 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 23 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years.

Oct 24 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 24 @ 3:30 AM Book Buddies - Fluent volunteers (8 yrs and up) read to non-readers.

Oct 29 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 30 @ 10:30 AM Older Kids- for ages 2 years 6 months to 4 years.

Oct 31 @ 10:30 AM and 11:30 AM Tiny Tots- for infants 6 months to 2 1/2 months.

Oct 31 @ 3:30 AM Book Buddies - Fluent volunteers (8 yrs and up) read to non-readers.

Events for Teens (grades 6-12)

Every Monday @ 4PM-Digital Photography.

Every Tuesdays @ 4 PM- Dungeons & Dragons.

Every Thursday @ 5 PM-Art Workshop.

Every Friday @ 3:00 PM-Video Game Time.

Adult Program

Oct 1 & Oct 8 @ 6:00 PM-Microsoft Excel Basics.

Oct 9 @ 6:00 PM- Cover Letter Basics.

Oct 15 @ 6:00 PM- Intro to Buying a Computer or Tablet.

Oct 16 @ 6:00 PM-Meditation Workshop.

Oct 17 @ 6:00 PM- SCORE: Internet Marketing.

Oct 19 @ 2:00 PM- Open Mic.

Oct 21 @ 6:00 PM- Moms' Writing Workshop.

Oct 21 @ 6:30 -Art Reception.

Oct 22 & Oct 29 @ 2:00 PM- Computer Basics.

Oct 23 @ 6:00 PM- Alexander Technique Workshop.

Oct 29 @ 5:00 PM- *Great Gatsby* Film Screening.

Oct 30 @ 6:00 PM- Cheese Tasting.

Fall 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 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

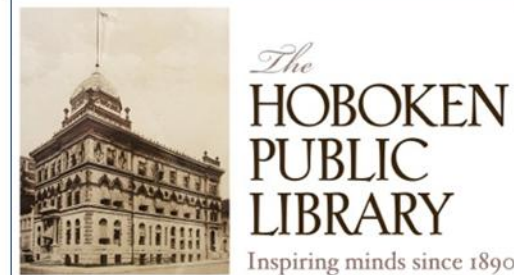
Saturday

10:00 AM—5:00 PM

Sunday

11:00 AM-2 PM

**The library will be closed on
Columbus Day, October 14.**



The Newsletter of the Hoboken
Public Library

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Hoboken Public Library's 123rd Birthday!

October 2013

YA Weekly Events

Teen Art Classes

Mondays at 4 PM, teens can learn about Digital Photography. Thursdays at 3:30 PM, teens create collages & more!

Teen Game Times

On Tuesdays at 4 PM, teens can role play Dungeons and Dragons. Fridays at 3 PM teens can play videogames.

To learn about Children's Weekly Programs please see the next page.

Hispanic Heritage Month

Hispanic Heritage Month is observed from September 15 to October 15. This year the library is celebrating with a delicious display of information and books about the cooking and cuisine of Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America in the second floor gallery. For Spanish speakers, the library offers a variety of resources including Spanish language books, magazines, databases, and more. To learn about all that we have to offer in Spanish go to: <http://hoboken.bccls.org/html/espanol.htm>.

October Events @ the Hoboken Public Library

Fitness for Kids

On Saturday October 5 at 2 and 3 PM, Super Sal and Muscle Mike will have kids moving, playing, and learning about great health habits. Learn about getting tickets and more on the next page.

Reading Dogs

On Wednesday, Oct. 16 at 3:30 PM, kids in kindergarten and up can reserve a spot to practice reading to a therapy dog.

Reducing Stress Through Meditation

On Wednesday, October 16 at 7:00pm, learn the extraordinary effect of meditation and simple, yet powerful techniques.

SCORE: Internet Marketing

On Thursday, October 17 at 6:00pm, join us for a presentation for small businesses on how Internet marketing works, what avenues are available, and how to best maximize the marketing potential of the Internet.

Park Bench Open Mic

On Saturday, October 19 at 2:00pm, join us for the last Open Mic of the season, featuring a musical performance by Catherine Lena Sephani.

Moms' Writing Workshop

On October 21 at 6pm, join us for a creative writing workshop specifically for moms wishing to get their parenting experiences on the page artfully.

Alexander Technique

On Wednesday, October 23 at 6:00pm, join us at the library for a unique program, which teaches people how to stop using unnecessary levels of muscular & mental tension during everyday activities.

Movie screening

On Tuesday, October 29 at 5:00pm, join us for the movie adaptation of a literary masterpiece, *The Great Gatsby*.

Italian Cheese Tasting

On Wednesday, October 30 at 6:00 PM, learn more about Italian Cheese from Victoria Alcala, proprietor of the Cheese and Wine Store in Hoboken, and taste some delicious samples.

Computer and Career Workshops @ the Library

On October 1 at 6:00 pm and October 8 at 6 pm, join us for a two part class on **Microsoft Excel**. On October 15 at 6:00 pm, join us for **Intro to Buying a Computer or Tablet** covering a comparison of brands and types and a breakdown of

the best devices for particular uses. Those new to computing will want to attend a 2 part **PC Computer Basics** class on October 22 at 2:00 pm and October 29 at 2:00 pm. Spanish Speakers can join us for a **Spanish language**

Email Basics Class on Wednesday, October 2 at 6:00 pm. On Wednesday, October 9 at 6 pm, learn **Cover Letter Basics** as part of your job search. **Please RSVP at 201-420-2347.**

Fall Storytimes for Kids at the Library!

Weekly programs are limited to Hoboken children with library cards. Get your child's free library card before the first program. Children's library cards are available with a parent or guardian's proof of residence (picture I.D.); the child must accompany the adult to apply for a card. **Tiny Tots:** Ages 6 months to 2 years 5 months. On Tuesday at 10:30 AM, Tuesdays at 11:30

AM, Thursdays at 10:30 AM or Thursdays at 11:30 AM. (30 min) join us for simple stories, songs, and finger games for parents, caregivers, and the children they love. Children may attend only one session per week. All Tiny Tots Story Times will require a ticket for each child. Twenty tickets will be issued for each program. Tickets are available starting at 1 PM the day before

the program. Child must have a library card and ticket with them to attend the program. Tickets are available through Eventbrite online or ask for assistance at the children's department desk. **Older Kids:** Ages 2 ½ years to 4 years. Wednesday at 10:30 AM. Stories, songs, and crafts for older children, parents, and caregivers. At this time tickets are not required.

Practice Your Reading with Book Buddies and Reading Dogs.

Book Buddies: Thursdays at 3:30 PM. Fluent volunteers will read to non-readers. Emergent readers who would like to practice reading can bring a book or select a library book and read to an older "Book Buddy." Make

your child's Buddy Appt., either as a reader or a listener by calling 201-420-2348. Readers must be at least 8 and good readers. **Reading Dogs:** Kindergarten and up who can read. The third Wednesday, of the

month @ 3:30 PM. Slots available beginning at 3:30 pm. Children get 10-15 minutes to read aloud to a trained therapy dog. Pick from a library books or bring your own book. Call to reserve a "poochie appointment."

Saturday Family Programs at the Hoboken Public Library.

Tickets for these programs will be available on Eventbrite. Please reserve a ticket for all your family members. Tickets will be collected at the door. If you find you cannot

attend, please cancel your tickets so others can attend. There are two sessions of most programs so that all can attend. Stroller rules apply whenever there is a pro-

gram. All Family Programs are funded by the Friends of the Hoboken Public Library. On Saturday, Oct. 5 at 2 and 3 PM the library will feature Fit for Kid-Super Sal and Muscle Mike.

Learn to Relax with Meditation & the Alexander Technique

Experiencing stress in your life? Visit the library for these unique programs.

Reducing Stress Through Meditation

On Wednesday, October 16th at 7:00pm, join Jim Rose, retired senior executive of Johnson & Johnson, as he discusses the extraordinary effect of meditation to reduce stress-related responses, improve concentration,

enhance clarity of thought and mental equilibrium. Rose has been a student of meditation for over 30 years.

Alexander Technique

Wednesday, October 23rd at 6:00pm, join us at the library for a unique program providing an introduction to The Alexander Technique with instructor, Morgan Rysdon.

The Alexander Technique is for

those seeking to improve their movement, posture, and quality of life. Benefits can include stress reduction, greater balance and mobility, improved breathing capacity, improved pain management skills, and a deepened awareness of the connections between our physical, mental, emotional, and energetic selves.

Encaustic-The Ancient Medium: A Contemporary Show by Leslie Rubman

Born and raised in New York City, exposed to the city's creative blur from birth, Leslie Rubman took her first art class at 43. As a self-taught, mixed media artist Leslie Rubman collects materials and techniques every-

where she goes. Encaustic is composed of molten beeswax and resin. Encaustic technique dates back to the 5th century BC; from the ancient Greek enkaustikos, which means "to heat." Most of the pieces in this

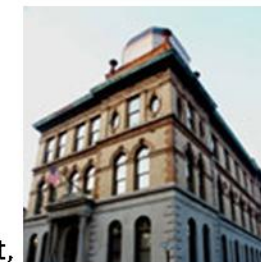
show use the natural tone on the surface over solvent dyed papers and Xeroxes of paper acrylic paintings. Learn more about the technique and meet the artist at a reception on October 21 at 6:30 PM.



Happy 123rd Birthday Hoboken Public Library!

On October 2, 2013 the Library turns 123! The current Hoboken Public Library Building turned 116 this year. HPL opened on October 2, 1890 in the basement of the Second National

Bank Building with 3,500 volumes on the shelves. The library soon outgrew the Second National Bank basement and architect,



Albert Beyer designed the new building. On April 1, 1897 the old library closed and on April 5, 1897 the new building opened.