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### DIY: Recycled Sculpture Art

In December's installment of our Hoboken Do-It-Yourself program series, local artist Jordan Andre De Liso will teach two hands-on programs on creating homemade sculptures using recycled materials. Each student will work with materials provided and create an art piece during the class. There will be two classes suited for individuals of different skill levels.

On Wednesday, December 7th at 6:00pm, class #1 will cover an introduction to materials, strategies, mechanics and assembly followed by a hands-on creation workshop.

On Wednesday, December 14th at 6:00pm, class #2 will cover perspectives of found object art, a continuation of the previous class' lessons and another creation workshop. Hand tools will be used in this class, so it is recommended for those over 18 years of age. Space is limited so please RSVP at 201-420-2347 or [hobkref@bccls.org](mailto:hobkref@bccls.org).



## See What's Happening @ Your Library!

### Writing Critique Group

On Thursday, December 1 at 6:00 PM, bring your fiction, poetry, or nonfiction pieces and receive constructive input on your writing from other writers. All prose pieces or excerpts should be no more than seven pages double spaced in Times New Roman. Critique group members should email their pieces the Monday before the meeting date. If you are interested in joining the group contact Aimee at [hobkref@bccls.org](mailto:hobkref@bccls.org).

### Music for the Season

On Saturday, December 3 at 2:00 PM, Robin Greenstein and Cecilia Kirtland will perform a multi-cultural musical celebration of the winter holidays including Christmas, Hanukkah and Kwanzaa. No preregistration required. Sponsored by the Friends of Hoboken Public Library.

### Pretzel Kids

On Thursday, December 8 at 3:15 PM, have your kids sample yoga with Lisa Ushero-ovich from Mimikids Yoga. Kids 3 to 6 years are welcome. On Thursday, December 22 at 3:15 we are featuring a program for older children ages 7 to 9 years. This class replaces after school storytimes for those weeks. Registration is required.

### Super 8 Screening

On Tuesday, December 13 at 2:00 PM, join us for J. J. Abrams' *Super 8*. Part monster movie and part coming of age tale, it will have you enthralled.

### Book Discussion

On Wednesday, December 14 at 2:00 PM take the opportunity to talk with other readers about your most recent and favorite reads in a special holiday session of our month-

ly book discussion. Join us to discover other books you might enjoy sampling or would be great for literary gift giving this holiday season.

### Stories & Santa

On Thursday, December 15 at 3:15 PM, get in the holiday spirit with stories with Miss Lois and special guest, Santa!

### Music Together

On December 29 at 10:30 AM, infants to children age 4 can enjoy music and movement with Stearns Matthews.

### December Art Display

In December the library will feature modern art and still lifes of Hoboken artist Lloyd Hazel in our gallery. Lloyd Hazel (aka Hoeltzel) studied art at Tulane University, Tres Rios Art School in Sao Paulo, Brazil, and the School of Visual Arts in New York City.

## Computer Classes @ the Hoboken Public Library

This month the Hoboken Library is offering three computer classes for beginners.  
**Basics of Buying a Computer**

On Tuesday, December 6th at 6:00pm, library staff will review the basics of buying a personal computer for first timers. Comparisons of the components, prices and for-

mats will be covered. Also, a comparison of desktops, laptops and new technologies like tablets will be discussed.

### Internet Basics

On Tuesday, December 13th at 6:00pm, learn the basics of getting online and exploring the internet.

### Resume Workshop

On Tuesday, December 20th at 2:00pm, learn helpful tips to improve your resume.

Registration is required and space is limited. Please call 201-420-2347 or stop by the second floor reference desk to register for a class.



# December Calendar of Events



**Adult computer classes and events require pre-registration. Priority is given to Hoboken and Hudson County residents. For information or to register call 201-420-2347. Weekday toddler programs are open to the 1st 15 Hoboken resident children who show a Hoboken Library card with a Hoboken address on the day the program meets. Kids story times have a limit of 20 children. Children may only attend one Toddler Time per week and, if less than 5 people register, the program will be cancelled. For information call 201-420-2348. Unless announced, Saturday children's programs and teen events do not require registration and are open to everyone. For the latest information see our website at <http://hoboken.bccls.org/>**

## Children's Programs

**Dec 1 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 1 @ 3:15 PM After School Storytime-** for children ages 4 to 6 yrs.

**Dec 3 @ 2:00 PM Music for the Season –** Saturday Family Program.

**Dec 6 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 7 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 2 –** for children ages 31 months to 4yrs.

**Dec 7 @ 3:15 PM Special Needs Storytime-** for children with developmental delays and other special needs.

**Dec 8 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 8 @ 3:15 PM Yoga-** for children ages 3 to 6 yrs.

**Dec 12 @ 11:00 AM Baby & Me-** for children 6 to 18 months.

**Dec 13 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 14 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 2 –** for children ages 31 months to 4yrs.

**Dec 15 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 15 @ 3:15 PM Stories and Santa-** for children of all ages.

**Dec 20 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 21 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 2 –** for children ages 31 months to 4yrs.

**Dec 21 @ 3 PM Reading Dogs –** for children ages 31 months to 4yrs.

**Dec 22 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 22 @ 3:15 PM Yoga-** for children ages 7 to 9 yrs.

**Dec 27 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 1-** for children ages 19 to 30 months.

**Dec 28 @ 10:30 AM Toddler time 2 –** for children ages 31 months to 4yrs.

**Dec 29 @ 10:30 AM Music Together-** for children ages infant to 4 years.

**Dec 29 @ 3:15 PM After School Storytime-** for children ages 4 to 6 yrs.

## Events for Teens (grades 6-12)

**Mondays @ 5:00 PM-**Digital Photography and Film Workshop.

**Every Friday @ 3:00-**PlayStation 2, Xbox, and Wii sports and music game time.

## Adult Special Program

**Dec 1 @ 6:00 PM—**Writers Group.

**Dec 6 @ 6:00 PM–** Basics of Buying a Computer.

**Dec 7 @ 6:00 PM–** DIY Recycled Sculpture Art Workshop Part I.

**Dec 13 @ 2:00 PM—***Super 8* Screening.

**Dec 13 @ 6:00 PM–** Internet Basics Class.

**Dec 14 @ 2:00 PM–** Book Discussion.

**Dec 14 @ 2:00 PM-**DIY Recycled Sculpture Art Workshop Part II.

**Dec 20 @ 2:00 PM–** Resume Workshop.



## **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—2:00 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—2:00 pm

**The library will be closed for Christmas Weekend:  
Saturday 12/24/11,  
Sunday 12/25/11,  
& Monday 12/26/11  
New Years: Friday 12/30/11,  
Saturday 12/31/11,  
Sunday 1/1/12, &  
Monday 1/2/12**

