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Teen Summer Reading Club

The Summer Reading Club for Teens (entering 6th-10th grade) will meet Thursdays at 6 pm starting in July. Have you seen/read I Was a Teenage Drama Queen, Holes, or Ella Enchanted? How do the movies compare to the novels that inspired them? You can be the judge during our book discussion/movie nights!

Teen Review Newsletter

Do you enjoy reading and have opinions about books you’ve read? Starting in July the Young Adult Room will begin putting together a Teen Review Newsletter with book reviews written by teens. If you are a teen entering 6th-12th grade and are interested in sharing your opinions about books our first meeting will be on Thursday July 7th at 4 PM.

Here’s What’s Happening in July @ Your Library

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July History Display

For the month of July we will be celebrating Hoboken’s Sesquicentennial with a look at the Hoboken Public Library’s history in display cases in vestibule on the second floor near the reference area. The building dates back to 1897, but before this the library was housed in the basement of the Second National Bank in 1890. In the display you can see photographs from the 20’s and 30’s of how the library appeared in years past. One of our pictures from our history photo collection is a signed picture of Thomas Hatfield, the Public Library’s first librarian, which was taken by Hoboken native, Dorthea Lange. Also you can view what the library could have looked like in sketches done by architects for the planned building, as well as preliminary blue prints for the library’s interior. We hope you enjoy the display.

Summer Reading Club for Children @ the Library

The Hoboken Public Library’s summer reading club will be beginning July 5th. If you like fantasy, you’ll love reading books in our summer reading club. Our theme is Dragons, Dreams and Daring deeds. Children entering first to fifth grade may join and receive prizes for the books they read, with a Grand Prize for the Hoboken reader of the most books. So Join up!

REMEMBER!
YOU
HAVE
TO BE
IN IT
TO WIN
IT!!!!
All Children's and Young Adult’s Programs require advanced registration unless otherwise stated. Please call 201-420-2348 to register.

**Wednesday, July 6**
10:30 FUN CRAFT PROGRAM for children ages 3 to 6.

**Thursday, July 7**
2:30 VIDEO DAY for children ages 5-9. Age appropriate videos to be shown.
6:00 SUMMER TEEN READING CLUB for teens entering 6th-10th grade.
4:00 TEEN BOOK REVIEW MEETINGS for teens entering 6th-12th grade.

**Monday, July 11**
2:00 -3:00 p.m. ARTS AND CREATIVITY for children ages 5-8

**Tuesday, July 12**
10:30 STORIES IN THE PARK - at 10:30 for children ages 2-6. Meet in the Gazebo of Church Square Park (across from the library).

**Thursday, July 14**
2:30 VIDEO DAY for children ages 5-9. Age appropriate videos to be shown.
6:00 SUMMER TEEN READING CLUB for teens entering 6th-10th grade.
4:00 TEEN BOOK REVIEW MEETINGS for teens entering 6th-12th grade.

**Monday, July 18**
2:00 -3:00 p.m. ARTS AND CREATIVITY for children ages 5-8

**Tuesday, July 19**
10:30 STORIES IN THE PARK for children ages 2-6. Meet in the Gazebo of Church Square Park

**Wednesday, July 20**
10:30 CRAFT PROGRAM for children ages 3 to 6.

**Thursday, July 21**
2:30 VIDEO DAY for children ages 5-9. Age appropriate videos to be shown.
6:00 SUMMER TEEN READING CLUB for teens entering 6th-10th grade.
4:00 TEEN BOOK REVIEW MEETINGS for teens entering 6th-12th grade.

**Monday, July 25**
2:00 -3:00 p.m. ARTS AND CREATIVITY for children ages 5-8

**Tuesday, July 26**
10:30 STORIES IN THE PARK - at 10:30 for children ages 2-6. Meet in the Gazebo of Church Square Park (across from the library).
1:30 MOTHER GOOSE TAKES FLIGHT - rhymes, songs, and stories for children 2 to 8.

**Wednesday, July 27**
10:30 CRAFT PROGRAM for children ages 3 to 6.

**Thursday, July 28**
2:30 VIDEO DAY for children ages 5-9. Age appropriate videos to be shown.
6:00 SUMMER TEEN READING CLUB for teens entering 6th-10th grade.
4:00 TEEN BOOK REVIEW MEETINGS for teens entering 6th-12th grade.

**SUMMER CRAFTS FOR PRE-TEENS AND TEENS**
Entering 4th-8th grade. Call to register and learn specific dates.

Questions? Call 201-420-2348 or visit the Children's and Young Adult's sections of the library (500 Park Avenue - top floor)

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**Monday**
10:00 am—5:00 pm

**Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday**
9:00 am—5:00 pm

**Thursday**
9:00 am—8:00 pm

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Closed

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Have a Happy Independence Day!