



The Anniversary of Jamestown

May 14th is the 400th anniversary of the founding of Jamestown, the first permanent English settlement in North America. To commemorate this, the Library will display items relevant to the history and important people involved in its creation as well as the world events in 1607. The Display will be in the second floor vestibule throughout May.

Books on Jamestown:
Pocahontas by Paula Gurn Allen

Jamestown, 1607 by Michael L. Cooper

Jamestown Colony by Frank E. Grizzard, Jr. and D. Boyd Smith

The Birth of Black America by Tim Hashaw

Captain John Smith by Thomas and Dorothy Hoobler

A Land as God Made It by James Horn

Jamestown, the Buried Truth by William M. Kelso

Love and Hate in Jamestown by David A. Price

Jamestown: a novel by Matthew Sharpe

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

Rosewood and Rhythm World Jazz Trio

On May 4th from 2:00-3:00 we will be hosting Jeff Ausfahl's World Jazz Trio, Rosewood and Rhythm. They transform classical guitar, cello and percussion into a unique and exotic Latin American influenced experience. Jeff Ausfahl is an Argentinean American who sings in English, Portuguese, and Spanish. This presentation is specially timed so that



seniors and other residents who can not typically join us for our evening programs may attend.

Bugtown Follies

On May 5th at 2:00 children will be delighted by Bugtown Follies with Puppeteer Robert Rogers. Master of Ceremo-

nies Bugsby Berkeley, a grasshopper, and his friends acrobatic ants, tap dancing



spiders, and beautiful butterflies will provide an entertaining performance. This event is sponsored by Friends of the Hoboken Public Library.

Getting Your Writing Published

On May 8th from 6:30-7:30 Paulo Corso will be giving a talk on how to write and get

your short stories published. She is the author of Giovanna's 86 Circles, which was a John Gardner Fiction Book Award Finalist. She has an article on this topic published in Writer's Digest. She will share insight from her own experience as well as tips from editors, agents, and other authors.

Positive Strategies for Autistic Adults

On May 16th from 6:30-7:30 the library will be featuring a program on Autistic Adults. Zosia Zaks is the author of Life and Love: Positive Strategies for Autistic Adults. She will be discussing her book which provides suggestions for handling common challenges that autistic adults face. Those who are autistic as well as their family and friends will find this program informative.

Christopher Paolini's Inheritance Trilogy for Teens

In May, the YA Department highlights Christopher Paolini's Inheritance Trilogy. Teens, have you read Eragon and Eldest? Are you anxiously awaiting the third book? Join us for the following programs: Thursdays, May 10th & May 17th at 6 pm, discuss the books and test your knowledge. Take

quizzes, play online games, try your hand at an Eragon crossword puzzle, draw your favorite characters from either book, and share ideas about what you'd like to see happen in book three. Thursdays, May 24th & May 31st at 6 p.m. watch and discuss the movie, Eragon. Watch Eragon and

tell us what you think. Does the movie do the book justice? Why or why not? Are the characters how you pictured them while you were reading? Why do you think they made the changes in the story that they did? We'll be watching over two weeks so we can stop it often and talk.



Calendar of Events

May 2007 @your library

Computer tutorials require pre-registration. Priority is given to Hoboken and Hudson County residents. For information call 201-420-2347 to set up a time convenient for you. Weekday children's programs are open to the 1st 15 Hoboken resident children who show a parent's Hoboken Library card with a Hoboken address on the day the program meets. For information call 201-420-2348. Unless announced, Saturday programs and adult special events do not require registration and are open to everyone.

May Events for Teens

Thursday is teen night at the library. Teens in grades 6-12th join us for:

May 10th & May 17th at 6pm. Discuss the Inheritance Trilogy and test your knowledge.

May 24th & May 31st at 6p.m. Watch and discuss the movie, Eragon.

Children's Programs

May 1 @ 10:30 Toddler time 1- for children ages 19 to 30 months.

May 2 @ 10:30 Toddler time 2 – for children 31 months to 4 yrs of age.

May 5 @ 2:00 Bugtown Follies – family entertainment.

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

May 9 @ 10:30 Toddler time 2 – for children ages of 31 months to 4yrs.

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

May 16 @ 10:30 Toddler time 2 – for children ages 31 months to 4 yrs.

May 21 @ 11 Baby & Me– for children 6 to 18 months.

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

May 23 @ 10:30 Toddler time 2 – for children ages 31 months and 4 yrs.

May 29 @ 10:30 Toddler time 1- for children ages 19 to 30 months.

May 30 @ 10:30 Toddler time 2 – for children ages 31 months and 4 yrs.

Adult Special Program

May 4th, at 2:00
Rosewood and Rhythm Jazz Trio.

May 8th, at 6:00
Getting Your Writing Published Lecture.

May 16th, at 6:30
Positive Strategies for Autistic Adults.

Computer Tutorials for Adults
Call 201-420-2347 for more info.

Computer Basics
Learn mouse use and basics of using Windows based programs.

Internet Basics
Learn the basics of Internet Explorer.

Advanced Searching
Different types of search engines will be discussed with a focus on Google.

Email Basics
Get a free Yahoo email account and learn email basics.

Microsoft Word Basics
Learn Word Basics such as how to save and print a document.

Resume Writing
Learn to create or improve resumes.

Library Catalog Basics
Learn how to search for items in the catalog and how to request items.

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 and YA 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:
May 26th- May 28th for
Memorial Day.
Have a Safe and Happy Holiday!**