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Fall Programs for Teens

Fall Young Adult programs are starting! Here is a list that includes our new programs and returning favorites.

The Teen Advisory Committee meets on the first Thursday of every month.

The Poetry Workshop returns on the second Thursday of every month. Share your writing with others, receive feedback, and offer suggestions to other young poets. Learn about publishing opportunities and participate in readings.

The Artist Forum will hold its first meeting this month on Oct. 21st and will continue to meet on the third Thursday of each month. Meet other young artists and writers, discuss your work, develop collaborative projects, plan and create art to be showcased at the library.

Film Night returns on the fourth Thursday of the month. Relax with friends and enjoy a good flick!

Teen Advisory Committee Forming

On Thursday, October 7th, we will host our first meeting of the Hoboken Public Library Teen Advisory Board. Participation by young adults, ages 11-17, is welcomed. The group will meet monthly to discuss ways to enhance library services for teens and children, plan special events, design displays, read book reviews, and help their library be a vibrant resource and community center for their peers. Participants will have the option to receive volunteer or community service

credit for their involvement. Enrollment for the committee is ongoing. We will meet on the first Thursday of every month at 6 PM on the third floor of the library. Ask for the Young Adult Librarian.

This month, we will focus on creating a Haunted Library and a Halloween event for children. Teen Advisors will organize the program, plan activities, and make a shopping list for haunted decorations. Please join us—snacks will be served.

Library Fundraiser Tickets Still Available

Tickets are available for the Library's Fundraising Dinner which will be held at Amanda's on Wednesday, October 13th at 7:00 PM. Tickets are \$100.00. For more information please stop at the Circulation Desk. All proceeds will go to the Hoboken Public Library Improvement Project.



Frightfully Good Books



Brimstone

By Douglas Preston

The Other Side

By Denice Jones

Black Hope Horror

By Ben Williams

Treasure Box

By Orson Scott Card

Madeleine's Ghost

By Robert Girardi

Haunting of Hill House

By Shirley Jackson

The Dark

By James Herbert

Something Wicked This Way Comes

By Ray Bradbury

Calendar of Events

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Children's Programming requires advanced registration. Please call 201-420-2348

**Young Adult Program requiring advanced registration. Please call 201-420-2348

Friday, Oct. 1

Monday, Oct. 4

Tuesday, Oct. 5
10:30 am Toddler Time

Wednesday, Oct. 6
10:30 am Story/Craft Time

Thursday, Oct. 7
6:00 pm—Teen Advisory Committee

Friday, Oct. 8

Saturday, Oct. 9

Monday, Oct. 11
CLOSED

Tuesday, Oct. 12
10:30 am Toddler Time

Wednesday, Oct. 13
10:30 am Story/Craft Time
7:00 pm—Library Fundraiser at
Amanda's

Thursday, Oct. 14

Friday, Oct. 15

Saturday, Oct. 16

Monday, Oct. 18

Tuesday, Oct. 19
10:30 am Toddler Time
3:30 pm Story time for ages 3-8

Wednesday, Oct. 20
10:30 am Story/Craft Time

Thursday, Oct. 21

Friday, Oct. 22
Saturday, Oct. 23

Monday, Oct., 25
11:00 am Baby & Me

Tuesday, Oct. 26
10:30 am Toddler Time
3:30 pm Story time for ages 3-8

Wednesday, Oct. 27
10:30 am Story/Craft Time

Thursday, Oct. 28

Friday, Oct. 29

Saturday, Oct. 30

Call the Children's Room to confirm
registration for each of these programs.

Have a Happy Halloween!



Halloween Statistics

In the United States, the first recorded instance of a modern Halloween celebration occurred in Anoka, Minn., in 1921.

There are 36.8 million Trick or Treaters out annually.

Annual candy consumption in the US is 25 pounds per person.

Jack O' Lanterns and Pies—
805.3 million pounds of pumpkins are grown annually in the US.

Scary Place Names:
Transylvania County, NC
Tombstone, AZ
Cape Fear, NC
Pumpkin Center, NC
Skull Creek Township, NE

All information from the US Census Bureau

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