

August 2017

# Heggan Happenings

MARGARET E. HEGGAN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER



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Monday - Thursday  
10 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Friday & Saturday  
10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday  
1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

“Follow your  
dreams and  
use your  
natural-born  
talents and  
skills to make  
this a better  
world for  
tomorrow.”

~Paul Watson

## Truck Night!



## KIDS' CORNER

Children ages 6–10 can **Build with Us** on Friday, August 4 and Friday, August 11, at 2:15 p.m.

Join us for an **Indoor Camping Storytime** on Sunday, August 13 at 1:30, 2:30, or 3:30 p.m.

This program is for children ages 3–6 and their caregivers.



Children who will be entering kindergarten in the fall can join us for a **Say Hello to Kindergarten Storytime Celebration** on Wednesday, August 16 at 6:30 p.m.

We will close out our Summer Reading Program on Thursday, August 17, with a **Jesse Rivera Concert** at 10:30 a.m. for ages 2 and up.

Mrs. Kramer has many more activities planned throughout the month. Please check our website or pick up a calendar in the library to see all the events.

**Unless noted, advance online registration is required for children's programs and is limited to Heggan Library cardholders. To register, go to Programs and Events at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org).**

## BUILD A BETTER BRAIN WITH BOOKS

Don't forget to turn in your Reading Logs by August 18th, to be entered into a drawing on August 21st for a special grand prize.

Say good-bye to a summer of fun at our closing concert featuring **Jesse Rivera**

**Thursday, August 17  
10:30 a.m.**

Enjoy singing along in both Spanish and English in this multicultural performance showcasing guitar and vocals.

For Heggan Library cardholders ages 2 and up and a caregiver. Advance online registration required.

## BUILD A BETTER WORLD

### Summer Storytime Big Kid Edition

Attention kids between the ages of 6 and 10: we have a storytime just for you!

Join us in the Children's Library at 10:15 a.m. for stories and a themed craft on the following dates:  
Wednesdays,  
August 2 and 9.

These programs are open to Heggan Library cardholders ages 6–10. Advance online or phone registration is required.

## Minecraft Night

August 14 & 21 • 6:30 p.m.

**Let's Quest**

September 18 • 6:30 p.m.

**Let's Build a School!**

For all ages. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Advance registration required.



## August Teen/Tween Activities

**Marshmallow Missile Madness**  
August 3 • 2:30 p.m.

in the meeting room

Build a marshmallow shooter or a catapult using our directions, or design your own! Prizes for farthest shot, most creative, and more.

**MakerCamp Mondays:  
Build A Better Locker**  
August 7, 14, & 21 • 3:00 p.m.  
in the teen area

Personalize your school locker with DIY crafts featuring duct tape, magnets, and common household or craft items.

**Build a Better World by Upcycling**  
August 17 • 3:00 p.m.

in the teen area

Please bring a t-shirt that you can cut up. We will teach you how to re-fashion your old t-shirt into a tote bag, bracelets/wristbands, or a completely different shirt.

**No sewing required!**

These programs are open to Heggan Library cardholders ages 11–18. Advance online or phone registration is required.



**Ahoy Mateys!**

Join us in September for  
**Sea Dog Pirate Performance**  
September 10 • 1:30 p.m.  
**Teen & Tween Cooking Club**  
**Talk Like a Pirate Day Edition!**  
September 19 • 6:30 p.m.

These programs are open to Heggan Library cardholders ages 11–18. Advance online or phone registration is required.



## Video Game Night @ the Library



Monday, August 28 • 6:30 p.m.

### 2nd Annual Super Smash Brothers Summer Tournament

*Super Smash Brothers WiiU is rated E10 for Everyone 10 and up by the ESRB for cartoon violence, comic mischief, and mild suggestive themes.*

Monday, September 25 • 6:30 p.m.  
**Punch-Out!!**

Video Game Night is open to everyone—adults and children.

Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Advance online or phone registration is required. Please call the library or go to Programs and Events at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) to register.

## Comic Jam

Monday, August 7 • 6:00 p.m.

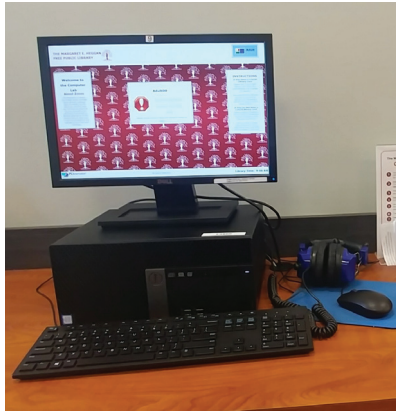
Our theme for this session will be Super Heroes! Create your own super hero or heroine and have them save the day!

You will be given some tools and a challenge guiding you through the process from brainstorming to printing, all in a single sitting!



This workshop is open to all ages. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Advance online or phone registration is required. Please go to Programs and Events at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) or call the library to register.

## DIRECTOR'S CORNER



Thanks to the generosity of the Friends of the Library, we were able to purchase two chairs for librarians at the reference desk and two additional computers for the computer lab. We will also be adding shelving in staff areas. We are grateful that the Friends agreed to fund these projects, totaling \$2540.

Please consider joining the Friends of the Library today!

Visit [www.hegganlibraryfriends.org](http://www.hegganlibraryfriends.org) for more information about the group and to access a membership application.

*Sheila Mikkelsen*



Congratulations to Patty Gallagher, part-time Library Shelver who began working at the library in March 2017 and was promoted to PT Library Assistant in July. Patty was recently given the Caught in the Act award for the time span of April through June 2017. Patty was nominated for the award by her co-worker. Patty went out of her way to assist a library patron who needed help. The Caught in the Act award is financially sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

*Sheila Mikkelsen*

## Red Cross Blood Drive

August 14 • 2 - 7 p.m.

Appointments are preferred.  
Please call **1-800 Red Cross**  
or sign up online at  
[redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org). Enter sponsor  
code **Margaret E. Heggan**.

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## PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Windows 10 File Navigation  
and Management

Tuesday, August 1 • 6:30 p.m.

Knitting and Crocheting Basics

Saturdays, August 5 and 26 • 2:00 p.m.

Comic Jam

Monday, August 7 • 6:00 p.m.

Librarian by Appointment

Tuesday, August 8 • 7:00 p.m.

Build a Better Pickle

Thursday, August 10 • 7:00 p.m.

NJ Writers Resource Group Write-In

Saturday, August 12 • 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

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Monday, August 28 • 6:30 p.m.

Autumn Colors: Adult Coloring Group

Tuesday, August 29 • 7:00 p.m.

Knitting and Crocheting Basics

Saturday, September 2 • 2:00 p.m.

Introduction to YouTube Lecture

Monday, September 11 • 6:30 p.m.

Bad Art Night: Collages

Thursday, September 14 • 7:00 p.m.

George W. Smalley Reports

the Battle of Antietam

Thursday, September 21 • 7:00 p.m.

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Punch-Out!!

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Tuesday, September 26 • 5:30 or 6:30 p.m.

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## WRITERS GROUP

Write-In

Saturday, August 12 • 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

NJ Writers Resource Group

meets on the second and fourth Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Aspiring writers ages 16 and up are invited to come and write, share and be inspired.

## BOOK DISCUSSIONS

**NEW** For the Love of Nonfiction

meets quarterly at 7:00 p.m. to discuss nonfiction.

August 1

*The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*

by Rebecca Skloot

Novel Mornings

meets one Thursday each month at 11:30 a.m.

August 3

*And the Mountains Echoed*

by Khaled Hosseini

September 7

*A Man Called Ove* by Fredrik Backman

Mystery Book Discussion

meets on the third Monday at 6:30 p.m.

August 21

*Guilt by Association* by Marsha Clark

September 18

*Career of Evil* by Robert Galbraith

Catch Up with the Classics

meets one Tuesday each month at 7:00 p.m.

August 15

*Gulliver's Travels* by Jonathan Swift

September 19

*Pride and Prejudice* by Jane Austen

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