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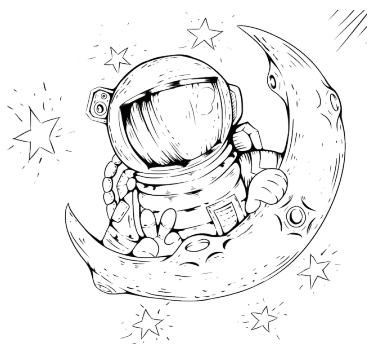
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Monday - Thursday  
10 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
Friday & Saturday  
10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
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*“Shoot for  
the moon;  
you might  
get there.”*

– Buzz Aldrin



# Heggan Happenings

MARGARET E. HEGGAN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

## Special Children's Events in July

Join us for two special presentations at the Edelman Planetarium in Glassboro just for Margaret Heggan Library children and their families and caregivers!

### One World, One Sky: Big Bird's Adventure

July 3 • 6:00 pm

Suitable for all ages; best for ages 4-8

### The Magic Tree House: Space Mission

July 24 • 2:00 pm

Suitable for all ages; best for ages 5-10

Transportation is not provided, but the programs are free! Meet at the Edelman Planetarium. **Registration is necessary.**

### Philadelphia Zoo on Wheels

July 18 • 2:00 pm

Designed for early learners ages 3-8  
Join us as we discover **Fur, Feathers, Scales and Skin**, and learn all about birds, mammals, and reptiles when the Philadelphia Zoo on Wheels visits the library.

### Moon Celebration

July 20 • 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Moon Landing with fun activities for all ages. **No registration required.**

### Messy Art Mondays

July 1 and 15 • 2:00 p.m.

Children ages 3-6 and a parent or caregiver are invited to come on in, get messy, and make some art.

### STEAM Storytime

July 5 and 19 • 2:00 pm

Children entering grades 1-2 in the fall are invited to join us for these stories that spark our curiosity, and engage our minds. Come take part in fun science and art-based activities.

### Create and Make: DIY Book Bag

July 12 • 2:00 pm

### Create and Make: Galaxy Jars

July 26 • 2:00 pm

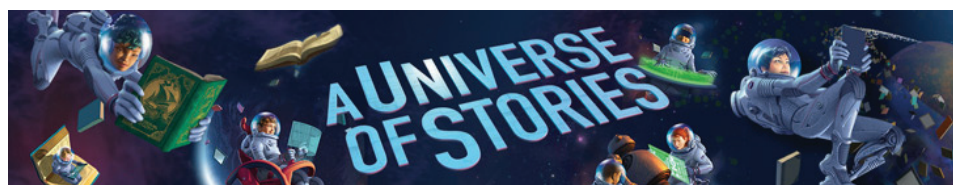
Children who will be entering grades 3-5 in the fall are invited to join us for these Create and Make sessions.

### Book It! Storytime

July 24 and 31 • 10:15 am

Please join us for special storytimes for ages 3-6 with our friends from the Washington Township Police Department!

**Unless noted, advance registration is necessary for children's programs and is limited to Heggan Library cardholders only. Please call 856-589-3334 or register online at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org).**



## KIDS' CORNER

**Join us at the Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library for our Summer Reading Club and Read and Bead Program!**

This year, we'll have two different Summer Reading logs. The Read-to-Me log is aimed at preschool and younger children, and is the right choice if your little one isn't reading on his/her own yet. The Reader's Log is for those children who can read on their own, and are in grades K-5. Both are filled with fun activities; fill out a reading log and return it to the library for special prizes!

What are the prizes, you ask? Children ages 3 and older can sign up for a Summer Reading log, and receive a Summer Reading necklace or keychain, and special tag. Choose from 4 different tag designs, and earn beads for your necklace when you hand in your reading log, and by attending events at the library! Special events will reward you with a special bead! Trade in your solid colored beads for fancier beads! Add to your necklace all summer long!

Many activities are planned in July. Please visit our website or pick up a calendar in the Children's Library.



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



## TEEN & TWEEN CUISINE

Wednesday, July 17

5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Learn to make delicious dishes and scrumptious snacks during this hands-on cooking experience!

Come join Danielle Aran, Dietitian from Bottino's ShopRite, for a tasty and healthy workshop on cooking.

Teen & Tween Cuisine is open to Heggan Library cardholder Teens and Tweens only. Advance registration is required. Please go to [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) to register.



**THE TEEN  
ADVISORY BOARD**  
@ Margaret E. Heggan Free  
Public Library presents:

## TAB GAME TIME

Tuesday, July 30

6:00-8:00 p.m.

Tetris and SEGA's Puyo Puyo combine to make a fun, fast-paced party game time!

TAB Game Night is open to Heggan Library cardholder Teens only. Advance registration is required. Please go to [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) to register.

## YA Summer Challenge

**Pick up a challenge board in the Teen Area of the library. Return completed boards to the library for a chance to win a prize.**

## S.M.I.L.E.

The pets from FURever as Friends will be here on Thursday, July 18, at 6:30 p.m. for a "Dog Days of Summer Party" and to listen to children read.

**No library card necessary. Please call or visit the library to reserve your spot.**



**THE TEEN  
ADVISORY BOARD**  
@ Margaret E. Heggan Free  
Public Library presents:



The UN-program

Tuesday, July 23 • 6:00 p.m.

**By Teens, for Teens—  
Teens Supporting Teens**

The Margaret Heggan Library offers a safe place for teens to just be!

**No Pressure—No Stress—Just Talk  
... and snacks!**

Heggan Library cardholder Teens only. Registration required.

## SPACE CRAFTS

for Teens & Tweens

Let your space adventures begin! Join your friends for fun and creative projects throughout July and August! Check the library website calendar for dates and times.



## CHAPTER CHAT

**Teen Book Discussion Group**

July 19

*The True Meaning of Smekday*  
by Adam Rex

August 9

*Cinder* by Marissa Meyer

August 23

*Off Planet* by Aileen Erin

This group meets at 2:00 p.m. to discuss popular YA fiction.

These discussions are open to Heggan Library cardholder Teens only. Advance registration is required.

## Minecraft Night

July 15 • 6:30 p.m.

**Let's Build a Moon Base!**

For all ages. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Open to Heggan Library cardholders only. Advance registration required.

## COMIC LAB

**Monday, August 5 • 6:00 p.m.**

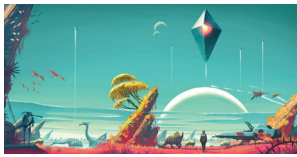
*Learn how to create a comic book from start to finish.*

For all ages. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Open to Heggan Library cardholders only. Advance registration required.

## Video Game Night @ the Library

**Monday, July 22 • 6:30 p.m.**

**Let's Play No Man's Sky!**



Get ready for the ultimate journey, beyond the horizon and through the star ocean into the unknown depths beyond their light.

**No Man's Sky is rated by the ESRB as T for Teen for fantasy violence.**

Video Game Night is open to adults and children. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Open to Heggan Library cardholders only. Advance registration is required.

Please call the library or go to Programs and Events at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) to register.

## TEENS' HEALTHY CHOICES TIMELY NEW VIDEO SERIES!

Teens' Healthy Choices was just added to the Health Reference Center database available through the library's website.

In this series, teens speak to teens about health issues, substance abuse, social pressure, and more. The videos are hosted by a teen narrator and feature teens discussing situations based on real-life occurrences and events in the news.

Some of the first videos include:

- Alcohol's Strain on the Brain
- How Technology Messes with Your Sleep
- Steroids and PEDs: A Losing Formula
- Study Drugs: Brain Boost or Epic Fail?
- Weeding through the Facts on Weed



## Friends help the Library "Go Green"

The Friends of the Margaret Heggan Library is a volunteer organization dedicated to providing funding and assistance to the library.

This spring, the Friends undertook a project to add landscaping and irrigation to the area around the sign at the front (Delsea Drive) entrance to the building and along the front of the building. Work was held up temporarily as a mother duck, named Margaret by library staff, located



her nest in the area. Now that the ducklings have hatched and Margaret has moved her family away, the shrubs and perennial flowers have been planted and water is available to keep them going during the summer so library patrons can enjoy this addition to the grounds.

In another 'green' concept, the Friends will also be assisting the library to replace interior lighting with LED bulbs, saving both energy and dollars.

The jewelry sale run by the Friends in May was very successful, earning \$1600 in profit for the 3 day event. All dollars will be used to assist the library.

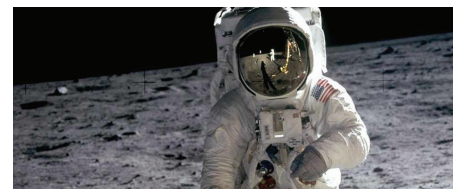
Please visit the Friends website, [www.hegganlibraryfriends.org](http://www.hegganlibraryfriends.org), for more information about the Friends.

If you would like to join the Friends, membership brochures are available in the library and on the website.

## DIRECTOR'S CORNER

I am pleased to announce that there will be a new smiling face at our circulation desk to assist our patrons! Rebecca Topper has been promoted to the position of PT Library Assistant. Rebecca started working at the library as a PT Library Shelver in January 2019. She graduated with honors from Washington Township High School and recently earned a Bachelor of Music in Performance – Instrumental from Rowan University. Rebecca is beginning work on a graduate degree in library science at a local university in the fall.

*Sheila Mikkelsen*



## Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Moon Landing!

July 20th marks 50 years since the first moon landing.

Just in time to celebrate this historic anniversary, new and updated articles from the latest edition of the *Human Spaceflight* series have been added to Science Online.

Other topics covered include early human spaceflight, early space stations, the Mercury Project, human expeditions to Mars, living in space, space shuttles, space-traveling animals, the Apollo Project, the Gemini Project, and the International Space Station.

Science Online is available through the library's website in Facts on File.



## PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

### Windows 10 File Navigation and Management

Tuesday, July 9 • 6:30 p.m.

### Ten Ancient Sites that Might be Stargates, Portals, and Wormholes

Thursday, July 11 • 7:00 p.m.

### Write-In

### NJ Writers Resource Group

Saturday, July 13 • 1:00–4:00 p.m.

### Knitting and Crocheting Basics

Saturday, July 20 • 2:00 p.m.

### Video Game Night:

### Let's Play No Man's Sky!

Monday, July 22 • 6:30 p.m.

### Islam 101:

### Basic Beliefs and Facts of Islam

Wednesday, July 24 • 7:00 p.m.

### Comic Lab

Monday, August 5 • 6:00 p.m.

### Knitting and Crocheting Basics

Saturday, August 10 • 2:00 p.m.

### Secret Philadelphia

Monday, August 12 • 7:00 p.m.

### Tribute to the Music of the 1960s Folk Era with Charlie Zahm

Wednesday, August 28 • 7:00 p.m.

### Write-In

### NJ Writers Resource Group

Saturday, August 31 • 1:00–4:00 p.m.

These events are free and open to everyone, unless otherwise noted. Advance online or phone registration is required. Please go to [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) or call the library to register.

## WRITERS GROUP & BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

### NJ Writers Resource Group

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

### Write-In

Saturday, July 13 and August 31

1:00–4:00 p.m.

Join other word-loving adults (ages 16+) for an afternoon of writing, sharing, inspiration, and support. Bring a writing project.

Avoid home distractions.

### Novel Mornings

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

### July 11

*Stones from the River* by Ursula Hegi

### August 1

*Saturday* by Ian McEwan

### Mystery Book Discussion

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

### July 15

*The Affair* by Lee Child

### August 19

*The Silent Corner* by Dean Koontz

### Catch Up with the Classics

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

### July 16

*Death Comes for the Archbishop*  
by Willa Cather

### August 27

*Mansfield Park* by Jane Austen

These events are free and open to everyone. 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.

## COMPUTER AND TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

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## A UNIVERSE OF STORIES



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