Library Programs to Assist Job-Seekers

The library has several programs planned to help job-seekers during tough economic times. From resumes to interviews to career choices, the library has something to assist all job seekers.

Business trainer and consultant Bob Marino will be in the library on Wed., October 13th to present “The Perfect Resume.” Learn how the resume has changed, and how to organize your resume, cover letter and references.

Mr. Marino will return on Monday, October 25, to present “Exploring New Career Options.” This program is designed to assist the experienced professional in exploring new career options and marketing his/her abilities in today’s work environment.

In addition to a September 29th Job Search webinar, two more webinars presented by Tutor.com are planned.

On October 27th, the library will host “Write a Resume that Gets the Job.” This webinar will be presented by resume and career expert Barbara Safani. Learn how to create a powerful, effective resume that gets attention. Barbara Safani will present another webinar on Wednesday, December 1, called “Learn How to Interview Like a Pro.” Learn how to ace your job interview.

These programs are free and open to everyone. Online registration is required. Go to the calendar on the library website for information and to register.

20 Libraries – 20 Years of Service

This year, twenty area libraries are celebrating twenty years of sharing resources. LOGIN, the Libraries of Gloucester and Salem Information Network, will officially recognize this milestone with a reception and presentation on October 6, 2010.

The LOGIN consortium allows a cardholder to borrow materials from member libraries. When area libraries started to use online databases, several forward-thinking library directors established a partnership to share materials. By 1991, twelve libraries in the county used this cost-effective means of providing service to their customers.

It became apparent in 2004 that a new consortium including all of the Gloucester County municipal libraries and Salem Community College would be very beneficial. Members now include the libraries of Gloucester County College, Gloucester County Institute of Technology, Salem Community College, Deptford, Franklin, Monroe Township, Newfield, Paulsboro, Pitman, Washington Township, Wenonah, West Deptford, Westville, and Woodbury and the branches of the Gloucester County Library in East Greenwich, Glassboro, Gibbstown, Logan, Mullica Hill, and Swedesboro.

Everyone is invited to join other library enthusiasts to enjoy some music, refreshments and special presentations from 4-7pm on October 6 at the new Monroe Township Library at 713 Marsha Avenue in Williamstown.

“My mother and my father were illiterate immigrants from Russia. When I was a child, they were constantly amazed that I could go to a building and take a book on any subject. They couldn’t believe this access to knowledge we have here in America. They couldn’t believe that it was free.”

~Kirk Douglas
Kid’s Corner
Mr. Malcolm will be in the library on October 11 to present “Scooby Doo” for kids ages 3-6.
There will be a Halloween Early Bird and parade on the 27th.
Mrs. Alexander also has fall and Halloween Make & Takes and Halloween Bingo planned.
Please see the calendar on page 4 for program times, dates, and ages.
Go to the calendar on our website to register for these programs.

TRY THESE BOOKS
Finding something that teens enjoy reading is hard. Vampire books have been popular, but if you’re tired of vampires, here are some books about zombies and werewolves.

I Kissed a Zombie, and I Liked It
Adam Selzer
Zombie Queen of Newbury High
Amanda Ashby
Zombie Blondes
Brian James
Raised by Wolves
Jennifer Lynn Barnes
Sisters Red
Jackson Pearce
Claire de Lune
Christine Johnson
Hell’s Heroes
Kelley Armstrong
Death’s Shadow
Death’s Calling
Wolf Island
Demon Apocalypse
Darren Shan
The Reckoning
Kelsey Armstrong
Never Cry Werewolf
Heather Davis
Liar
Justine Larbalestier
Dead is a State of Mind
Marlene Perez
Tantalize
Cynthia Leitich Smith
By These Ten Bones
Clare B. Dunkle
Red Rider’s Hood
Neal Shusterman
Resurrection
Prey
Wounded
Stephen Cole
Blood and Chocolate
Annette Curtis Klause
The Bloodling
Patricia Windsor

ART IN HISTORY
Pottery Session for grades 4 to 8
Thursday, October 21
4:30-6:00 p.m.
Learn about history and create a piece of pottery from a selection of several different projects.
Advance online registration is required.

We Made a Splash this Summer!
This summer the library saw increased participation in its summer reading programs.
43 kids participated in the Junior Book Club, reading 430 books with a total of 37,547 pages.
78 teens read 234 books for a total of 61,176 pages.
1,696 kids, ages 3-11, and caregivers made a splash and attended 56 children’s programs this summer.
Teens caught the wave at the library.
44 teens in grades 6-12 attended programs.

TEENS
Read something recently that you loved or hated?
Write a review and share your opinion with other teens.
Read reviews by other teens.
Each time you submit a book review on the library’s website, you will be entered into a drawing for a $10 Barnes & Noble gift card.
Just go to the library’s website, www.hegganlibrary.org and click on the Teen Zone book on the left hand side. Then click on Submit or Read in the Teen Review box.

TEENS
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Teen Read Week Contest
Teens in grades 6-12 are encouraged to enter a drawing for a gift bag filled with bookmarks, candy, a book light, and a $10 Barnes & Noble gift card.
Entry forms are available on the Teen Display.
Contest runs October 1-23.
Demystifying the Library

This is the second in a series to demystify the library.

Who are the librarians and what do they do?

A librarian is a professional with a Masters Degree in Library and Information Science. The library has 5 full-time librarians.

Kim Rinaldi is the Library Director. In addition to ordering all of the adult fiction books, she is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the library. She oversees the budget and staff, as well as working with the Board of Trustees. Right now, she has the added responsibility of planning for the library’s move to the new building.

Debra Rosner is the Circulation Librarian. She oversees the staff that work behind the check-out desk, as well as keeping track of the library’s circulation statistics, cardholders, and fines. She also orders all of the adult DVDs and audiobooks.

Deborah Riether is the Reference Librarian. She can usually be found behind the Reference Desk in the back of the library, where she can assist in finding information about anything. She keeps the materials in the reference department current and maintains and updates the computers. She is also responsible for the databases that are available and computer classes.

TR Salvadori is the Technical Services Librarian. He orders non-fiction materials, catalogs materials, and oversees the book processing department.

Theresa Doyle is the Youth Services Librarian. She orders all of the materials in the library for children—preschool through young adult. She also holds programs for teens and oversees the Teen Advisory Group.

Book Discussion Groups

The library offers two book discussion groups each month. Both book discussion groups are open to everyone.

Mystery Book Group

The Mystery Book Group meets in the library on the third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

October 18th The Vanished Man by Jeffery Deaver

November 15th What the Dead Know by Laura Lippman

Please register online or contact Rose DeCicco, 856-881-8490, for information.

Adult Book Group

The Adult Book Group meets on the first Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m.

October 7th Betsy Ross by Marla Miller

November 4th The Same Sweet Girls by Cassandra King

Please register online or call the library for more information.

Reference Appointments

Now Available @ your library

Do you need to upload your resume to a career website? Would you like to learn some Microsoft Word or Excel tips? Beginning in October, the library will offer reference appointments with a professional librarian for patrons needing individualized assistance. Hour-long appointments will be offered on Friday mornings. Please call Deborah Riether at 856-589-3334 to schedule yours today.

UPCOMING ADULT PROGRAMS

Presentation & Book Signing
A Beachcomber’s Odyssey by S. Deacon Ritterbush
Saturday, October 2 • 2:00 p.m.

Coffee: Should it be Your Mug of Choice?
Monday, October 4 • 7:00 p.m.

The Perfect Resume
Wednesday, October 13 • 6:30 p.m.

Exploring New Career Options
Monday, October 25 • 6:30 p.m.

Free Resume Webinar
Wednesday, October 27 • 3:00 p.m.

Is Chocolate the New Health Food?
Wednesday, October 27 • 7:00 p.m.

Antique & Vintage Purses, Millinery, and Footwear
Monday, November 8 • 7:00 p.m.

Afternoon Tea Seminar
Tuesday, November 16 • 1:00 p.m.

These programs are open to everyone. Advance online registration is required. Please go to the calendar at www.hegganlibrary.org for more information and to register.

Using Web-Based Email

Friday, October 29 • 9:00 am

Learn about free web-based email. Participants will sign up for a Yahoo! email account. You must be comfortable using a mouse.

Class sizes are limited and open to Heggan Library cardholders only. Registration is accepted in person or by phone, 589-3334, x 22.

National Friends of Libraries Week

October 17-23

The Friends of the Library support the library through fundraising, book sales, and other activities. Thanks to a generous donation from the Friends, the library was able to have a successful summer reading program and provide many programs for adults.

Meets on the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

The Writers Group is a group of amateur writers who seek to improve their writing skills, socialize, and learn about the experiences of others.

Registration is open to all. Go to the calendar on the library website to register.
# Library Calendar

## October 2010

@ the Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library

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