

AUGUST BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Nonfiction Addiction

August 18 • 10:00 am

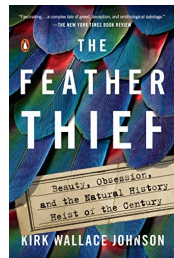
Greenlights

By Matthew McConaughey

Murder and Mayhem

A True Crime Book Group

August 23 • 7:00 pm



The Feather Thief

By Kirk Wallace Johnson

If you have any questions, contact
Reference Librarian Jenn at
jmentzer@hegganlibrary.org or
856-589-3334 ext. 204.

Catch Up with the Classics

August 16 • 7:00 pm

This month's selection is:

Their Eyes Were Watching God

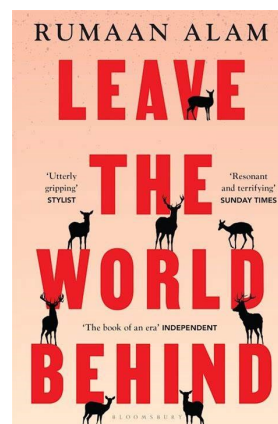
By Zora Neale Hurston

Novel Mornings

August 4 • 11:30 am

Leave the World Behind

By Rumaan Alam



MYSTERY BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

August 15 • 6:30 pm

The August reading selection is:

The Wife Between Us

by Greer Hendricks &
Sarah Pekkanen

Please contact Elizabeth Sands
at
easands08080@gmail.com for
more information.

INFORMATION FOR BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Advance registration is
required.

Register via the online event
calendar
(www.hegganlibrary.org).

Knitting and Crocheting Basics

August 6 & 13 at 2:00 pm



Do you want to learn how to knit or
crochet? Join us for a beginner's class with
volunteer Flora Bacchues. Please bring a
skein of yarn and a set of size 8 knitting
needles and/or an H or I crochet hook. This
program is open to everyone ages 18 and
up. Advance online or phone registration is
required.

Pathfinder: A Pen and Paper RPG Adventure

August 22 at 6:30 pm

Are you ready for an adventure? Come join the Heggan
Adventurers Guild and embark on missions and journeys into
the vast unknown!

We will be hosting a Pathfinder (2e) pen and paper role playing
game at the library. We will handle all of the preparation, so
you do not need any manuals or dice in order to participate,
just your imagination! Make your own character or use one of
our premade adventurers.

Newcomers welcome! Adventures are episodic, you can drop
in for any session! This program will be held both in person and
virtually on Zoom. Open to adult cardholders only. Advance
registration required.

DIRECTOR'S CORNER

Our website was updated to include frequently asked questions and answers. You can access the list by visiting www.hegganlibrary.org, clicking on *About* and choosing *Frequently Asked Questions*. If there is something that you need to know about the library that is not answered on our website, an email can be sent to admin@hegganlibrary.org with your question. Here are some samples of our frequently asked questions and the answers provided:

How is the library funded?

Of the 2022 operating budget, 95.84% of revenue derives from a dedicated tax paid by Washington Township residents. A total of 2.69% of revenue derives from other sources, including fees, fines, and donations. A total of 1.45% of revenue is aid provided by the state of New Jersey.

I would like to make a monetary donation to the library. Is that possible?

Yes, monetary donations to the library are accepted. Many people choose to donate funds to the library in honor or in memory of a loved one, and the funds are used to purchase books for the library collection.

I would like to provide feedback about my visit to the library, library services, and/or about a library staff member. How can I do that?

There is a comment card box at the front of the library that you may use to submit a comment, or you may send an email to admin@hegganlibrary.org

I would like to display something in the library. Who should I contact?

The library has a glass case across from the reference desk available for displaying collections. There is a bulletin board in the front hallway, and only library staff members are permitted to hang materials from nonprofit groups with priority to those in Washington Township. Space is limited and materials may be denied based on the size of the flyer. We also have an art gallery in the front hallway. To inquire about displaying items, flyers, or artwork, please contact Stephanie Kolodziej at pr@hegganlibrary.org or at 856-589-3334 extension 220.

How many items can I borrow at a time?

There is no limit to most item types in the collection. Museum passes are limited to one at a time.

Does the library offer free public Wi-Fi?

Yes, the library offers free public Wi-Fi 24/7, accessible both inside the library and outside in the library parking lot.

I am a K-12 educator in Washington Township and I would like information about your resources. Who can contact?

Please send an email to admin@hegganlibrary.org and specify the name of the school.

Are you accepting book donations, and if so, where should I put them?

The Friends of the Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library accept donations of books in good condition in the two maroon bins directly outside of the Friends' bookstore. If the bins are full or the library is closed, donations may be left in the blue bins in the far corner of our parking lot. The donations placed in the outside bins are not accessed by the Friends of the Library. Instead, they are sold and the library receives payment for the sales.

Sheila Mikkelsen
Library Director

ART AT THE LIBRARY: COMIC ART
THE POWER OF THE PANEL
Monday, August 29 • 6:30



Our Comic and Cartoon class concludes with an exploration of the humble panel. This simple frame can prove to be one of your most powerful narrative tools if used wisely. Learn how to compose a panel, how to choose the size of your panel, and how to optimize your use of the “white space.”

The program will be held in person. Open to adult cardholders. Advance online registration is required.

COMPUTER CLASS

Introduction to HTML

Monday, August 1

6:30 - 8:00 pm

Learn basic website coding in our introduction to HTML, one of the most elementary scripting languages in web design. Learn how to embed images, create hyperlinks, create tables and more!

Open to adult cardholders only.

This program will be presented both in person and virtually on Zoom.

Advance registration is required. Register online or call the library for more information.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Friends of the Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library will be held Tuesday, August 16 at 4pm in the meeting room of the
Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library,
606 Delsea Drive, Sewell, NJ 08080.

BOOK BUNDLES FOR ADULTS

Stop by the Reference Desk to pick up a pre-selected bag of four books.

The following book bundles will be available for check out:

- Historical Fiction
- Fiction Beach Reads
- Literary Fiction
- Cozy Mystery
- Non-Fiction

Book Bundles can be borrowed by Heggan cardholders for three weeks with two renewals.



NEW JERSEY WRITERS RESOURCE GROUP

August 9 & 23 • 6:30 pm

Please contact
Laura Kaighn at ladyhawkestorytelling@comcast.net for information.



606 Delsea Drive
Sewell, NJ 08080
Phone: 856-589-3334
www.hegganlibrary.org

Library Hours:
Monday -Thursday
10:00 am - 9:00 pm
Friday & Saturday
10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Sunday
1:00 pm -5:00 pm
The virtual library is always open.



August 9 is
National Book
Lovers Day!

Celebrate by
reading a book.

HEGGAN HAPPENINGS

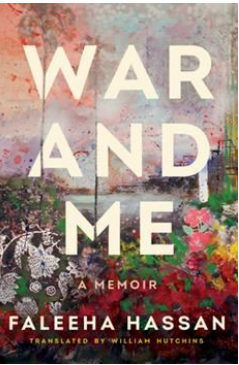
MARGARET E. HEGGAN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER



AUTHOR VISIT AND RAFFLE

AUGUST 25 at 7:00pm

Pulitzer Prize nominated, Washington Township resident, Faleeha Hassan, will be at the library to discuss her new memoir, *War and Me*.



An intimate memoir about coming of age in a tight-knit working-class family during Iraq's seemingly endless series of wars.

Advance phone or online registration is required.



Enter the raffle inside the library for a chance to win a copy of
War and Me: A Memoir.

Per our Rules of Conduct:

If Gloucester County reaches the CDC's orange zone for COVID cases, which is reflective of high transmission, masks will be required in the building.