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#### Hours

Monday - Thursday

10am - 9pm

Friday & Saturday

10am - 5pm

Sunday

Noon - 5pm

Don't wait  
for your ship  
to come in –  
swim out  
to it.

~Author Unknown



# Newsletter

## Library Funding Update

Thanks to the efforts of 1000's of library lovers across the state, a portion of library funding that was cut in the original budget has been restored.

While we do not yet know how

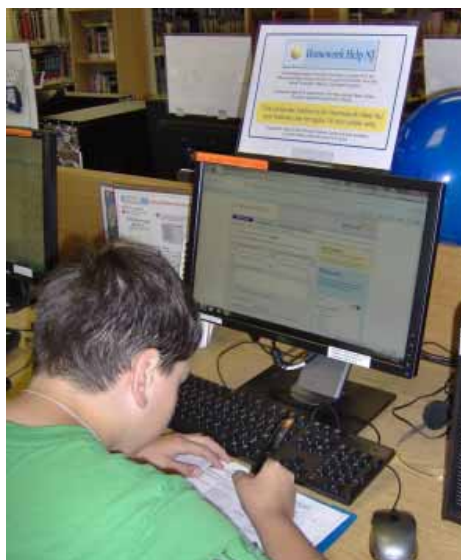


this restoration of some funds will affect statewide library services, this DOES represent a significant victory and NJLA is grateful to all library advocates throughout the state.

## Heggan Library awarded grant

The library has been awarded a \$1,200 grant from the New Jersey State Library to purchase a computer station dedicated to Homework Help NJ. The money is part of a grant to the New Jersey State Library from the Gates Foundation Staying Connected program.

The Heggan Library is one of 10 libraries in the state to be awarded this grant. The library has consistently posted one of the ten highest in-library usage rates of Homework Help NJ and Adult Career Center.



*Johnpaul Ferraiolo gets online tutoring from Homework Help NJ on the new computer purchased with a grant from the NJ State Library.*

Homework Help NJ provides free one-on-one online tutoring from Tutor.com for students in kindergarten through college. This service is available everyday from 2:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

The Adult Career Center offers job seekers and adult learners customized help and resources to meet their needs in conducting a job search, writing a resume, preparing for the GED or other tests, or going back to school.

Homework Help NJ and Adult Career Center is supported by the New Jersey State Library through a generous grant from PSE&G.

Library customers can access the Homework Help NJ and Adult Career Center from within the library or from home with a library card. To access from home, go to the library website, [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org), and click on the Homework Help NJ icon on the library homepage.



Find us on  
**Facebook**

The library's Facebook page is up and running. You can check it out by going to the library's homepage and clicking on the Facebook link. If you are already a Facebook member, become the library's "friend" by clicking on "like."

## Kid's Corner

Kids can make a splash at the library during July.

There is even a special program just for toddlers.

On Thursday, July 8, Mr. Malcolm will be here to present "Finding Nemo."

July 13-15 will be full of pirate fun. On Wednesday, July 14, Piccirillo Scienctelling will present "Pirates: The Curse of the Mutating Hand."

Shark Week is sure to be fun with shark stories, crafts, and special guests.

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.



## Shark Week

@your library

July 26-30

### Shark Story & Craft

Monday, July 26

### Make a Fish

Tuesday, July 27

### Shark Story & Craft

Wednesday, July 28

### The Shark Man

Thursday, July 29

### Meet Finley from the Riversharks

Thursday, July 29

### Shark Artifacts Walk-Through

Thursday, July 29

Please check the calendar at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) for program times and registration information.

## CATCH THE WAVE



## PROGRAMS FOR TEENS

For teens in grades 6-12

### TEEN PHOTO CUBE

JULY 9 • 10:30 AM

### TEEN ORIGAMI

JULY 12 • 2:00 PM

### TEEN ANKLE BRACELET

JULY 16 • 10:30 AM

### TEEN BLUE JEAN BLING

JULY 30 • 10:30 AM

All supplies and snacks will be provided.  
Advance online registration is required.  
All participants must be Margaret Heggan Library cardholders.

## Win a Shark Kite

Kids ages 3-11, enter to win one of two shark kites. Entries will be located on the calendar in the library. Contest begins on July 19. Drawing on July 29th at 1:00 p.m.



## July Library Displays



### Main Display Case

Summer Reading Craft Display

### Main Display

Summer Reading

### Adult Display

Interior Decoration

Animal Biography

### Check-Out Desk Display

Make a Splash



## TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Washington Township teens are invited to join the Teen Advisory Group that is forming at the library. The first meeting will be held in the library on Wednesday, July 14 at 2:00 p.m.

The Teen Advisory Group (TAG) will meet once a month for about one to two hours. TAG members will be able to help plan library programs, suggest and review teen materials, decorate children's and teen areas, etc. They can also help with the planning of the new teen area in the new library. Snacks will be served during the meetings.

Please call Theresa Doyle at 856-589-3334 x16 for information about joining this group.

## TEEN BOOK CLUB

### GRADES 6-12

Earn a chance to win a \$25 Barnes & Noble gift card. Every time you read 3 books, you can fill out an entry form and place it in the box on the check-out desk. Entry forms can be found at the check-out desk and at other areas throughout the library.

This session will run from June 1st to August 31st.

## 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.

*July 19th*  
***Split Second***  
by David Baldacci

*August 16th*  
***Postmortem***  
by Patricia Cornwell

*September 20th*  
***In the Woods***  
by Tana French

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.

*July 1st*  
***South of Broad***  
by Pat Conroy

*August 5th*  
***Stones into Schools***  
by Greg Mortenson

*September 2nd*  
***People of the Book***  
by Geraldine Brooks

Please register online or call the library for more information.

## Creating Basic Spreadsheets in Microsoft Excel



**Friday, July 23**  
**9:00 a.m.**

Learn some basic spreadsheet terminology and features of Microsoft Excel. You must be comfortable using a mouse!

**Class sizes are limited and open to Heggan Library cardholders only. Advance online registration is required. Go to the calendar at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) to register.**

## Planting the Garden for Butterflies and Hummingbirds Naturally



**Tuesday, July 13**  
**7:00 p.m.**

This seminar will be presented by Lorraine Kiefer of Triple Oaks Nursery in Franklinville. Lorraine is a garden writer, floral designer and professional horticulturist.

There will be plenty of hand-outs and door prizes. Plants and books will be on sale at the end of the program.

Advance online registration is required. Registration is open to all. Please go to the calendar at [www.hegganlibrary.org](http://www.hegganlibrary.org) to register.

## Planning for Long Term Care

**Tuesday, August 24 • 10:30 a.m.**

*Hosted by Gina Swetra and Joe Tortis of First Financial Group*

Join us for an informative educational seminar. You'll learn more about long term care, how much it can cost, if your other insurance will cover it, and what you can do to prepare.

Advance online registration is required. Please go to the calendar on the library website to register.

## The Pine Barrens Up Close and Natural

**Monday, August 23**  
**7:00 p.m.**

Watch a movie from the Pinelands Preservation Alliance and experience a breathtaking introduction to the region's fascinating natural history, plants and wildlife.

This program is open to all. Advance online registration is required. Please go to the library website to register.

### Wednesday, July 7 • 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.

The writers group meets in the library on the first Wednesday of each month. Registration is open to all. Go to the calendar on the library website to register.


## Library Plans Move Along



*The Library Board of Trustees will be selecting a construction company in July to do the renovations for the new library.*

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@ the Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 <h2>Shark Week</h2> <p>July 26-30</p>				<p>1</p> <p><b>Sand Sculpting</b> 10:15am or 11:00am ages 3-6 &amp; caregiver</p> <p><b>Book Group</b> 1:30pm</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p>
<p>4</p> <p><b>4th of July</b> Closed</p>	<p>5</p> <p><b>Rainbow Fish</b> 11:00am or 1:00pm ages 3-6 &amp; caregiver</p>	<p>6</p> <p><b>CD Fish Craft</b> 11:00am or 1:00pm ages 7-11</p>	<p>7</p> <p><b>Tummy Yummies</b> 12:00pm or 1:00pm ages 3-6 &amp; caregiver</p> <p><b>Writers Group</b> 6:30pm</p>	<p>8</p> <p><b>Mr. Malcolm presents "Finding Nemo"</b> 10:30am ages 3-6</p>	<p>9</p> <p><b>Teen Photo Cube</b> 10:30am grades 6-12</p>	<p>10</p>
<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <p><b>Teen Origami</b> 2:00pm grades 6-12</p>	<p>13</p> <p><b>Pirate Story &amp; Craft</b> 10:15am or 11:00am ages 3-6 &amp; caregiver</p> <p><b>Planting the Garden for Butterflies and Hummingbirds</b> 7:00pm</p>	<p>14</p> <p><b>Piccirillo Sciencetelling</b> 9:30am ages 4-12 &amp; caregiver</p> <p><b>TAG</b> 2:00pm grades 6-12</p>	<p>15</p> <p><b>Toddler Day Parachute Fun</b> 10:15am age 2 &amp; caregiver</p> <p><b>Pirate Story &amp; Craft</b> 1:00pm ages 3-6 &amp; caregiver</p> <p><b>Friends Meeting</b> 7:00pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p><b>Teen Ankle Bracelet</b> 10:30am grades 6-12</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>18</p>	<p>19</p> <p><b>Mystery Book Group</b> 7:00pm</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p> <p><b>Trustees Meeting</b> 7:00pm</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p><b>Creating Basic Spreadsheets in Microsoft Excel</b> 9:00am</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <p><b>Shark Story &amp; Craft</b> 11:00am or 1:00pm ages 3-6 &amp; caregiver</p>	<p>27</p> <p><b>Make a Fish</b> 10:30am - 1:00pm ages 3 &amp; up <i>No registration needed!</i></p> <p><b>Online registration for August child and teen programs begins at 10:00am</b></p>	<p>28</p> <p><b>Shark Story &amp; Craft</b> 10:15am or 11:00am ages 3-6 &amp; caregiver</p>	<p>29</p> <p><b>The Shark Man</b> 10:15am ages 7-11</p> <p><b>Shark Artifacts Walk-Through</b> 11:00am - 12:00pm ages 3 &amp; up w/caregiver <i>No registration needed!</i></p>	<p>30</p> <p><b>Teen Blue Jean Bling</b> 10:30am grades 6-12</p>	<p>31</p>

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