July 2022

# HEGGAN HAPPENINGS

### CHILDREN'S EDITION



#### Oceans of Possibilities Art Exhibition!

Children ages 10 and under are invited to pick up an 8"x 8" canvas and acrylic paint in the children's library. Bring it home, and unleash your creative spirit by making an "Oceans of Possibilities" themed painting!

Bring your finished painting back to the library by July 22<sup>nd</sup>. Paintings will be displayed as they are received, so you are welcome to bring your painting back earlier than July 22<sup>nd</sup> – but July 22<sup>nd</sup> will be the last day we can accept any submissions. We will display all returned paintings in the hallway to the meeting room throughout the months of July and August.

Join us on August 27<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm for an Exhibition Closing Party. Participants and their caregivers will be invited to pick up their paintings, and enjoy some light refreshments as well!

Open to Heggan cardholders only while supplies last.

#### **LEGO CLUB**

July 6 & 20

2:00 pm

Please join us for LEGO Club!

This is a 1-hour LEGO program for ages 7 – 10 and their caregivers.

#### **MESSY ART**

July 13 & 27

2:00 pm

Please join us for Messy Art!

This is a 1-hour family art program for ages 3 - 10 and their caregivers.

Register online, or call the children's library at 856-589-3334, ext. 223 for all programs. Please register using your child's name and age.

Registration for programs is restricted to Heggan cardholders only unless otherwise indicated.

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.

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## **STORYTIME FUN!**

#### PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Tuesdays 10:30 am

(ages 3 - 5 years and their caregivers)

This storytime session is filled with songs, stories, and general silliness.

Preschool Storytime is designed to boost your child's early literacy skills while having lots of fun!



### MOTHER GOOSE ON THE LOOSE

Mondays 10:30 am

(ages 6 -23 months and their caregivers)

11:30 am

(ages 24-36 months and their caregivers)

This is a fun-filled

twenty-five-minute interactive session that uses rhymes, songs, musical instruments and more to stimulate the learning process of babies and toddlers.

Register online, or call the children's library at 856-589-3334 ext. 223. Please register using your child's name and age. Registration is restricted to Heggan cardholders for the above programs.

#### SUMMER STEM: OVER THE OCEAN

July 13 at 6:00 pm

Please join us for Summer STEM:

#### **Over the Ocean**

Registration is restricted to Heggan cardholders only, and advance registration is required. Call the children's library at 856-589-3334 ext. 223 for details.

This is a 30-minute interactive Storytime and STEM program for grades K-2 and their caregivers.

### READ TO A CERTIFIED THERAPY ANIMAL!

Certified therapy animals provided by **FURever as Friends** will be in the library from

6:30 to 7:30 pm • July 7 & 21

Visit or call the Children's Library at 856-589-3334 ext. 223 to reserve your spot.



#### SUMMER STEM: FLOAT YOUR BOAT

July 27 at 5:00 pm

Please join us for Summer STEM:

#### **Float Your Boat**

Registration is restricted to Heggan cardholders only, and advance registration is required. Call the children's library at 856-589-3334 ext. 223 for details.

This is a 45-minute interactive Storytime and STEM program for grades 3-5 and their caregivers.

#### Paint Your Own Pottery: Sea Creatures!

#### July 16 at 11:00 am

Presented in partnership with Fahrenheit Ceramic Studio in Pitman, children ages 5-10 are invited to paint their very own sea creature! We'll provide all the materials and supplies; you supply the creativity! Painted pieces will be taken to the studio for firing and picked up at the library the following week.

Please note: younger attendees will require assistance from their parents/caregivers for this craft.

Advance registration is required; this event is limited to Heggan Library cardholders.