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New Hours

(beginning September 2)

Monday - Thursday
10 am - 9 pm

Friday & Saturday
10 am - 5 pm

Sunday
12-5

The library will be open until 9:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and will again be open on Sundays beginning September 7.

“There
is no
knowledge
that is not
power.”

~Ralph Waldo Emerson

Heggan Happenings

MARGARET E. HEGGAN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

Coming Soon! Funding Information Network

The Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library is pleased to announce that it has been accepted to become a member of the Funding Information Network (FIN) of the Foundation Center.

The library will soon have an outstanding collection of print materials for nonprofit organizations related to philanthropy and grant writing, as well as access to databases, including *The Foundation Directory Online Professional*, *Foundation Grants to Individuals Online* and *Philanthropy In/Sight*, for researching grants. These resources will be a great asset to all nonprofit organizations in the area.

Check our website, www.hegganlibrary.org to see when the materials will be available.

The library will also offer ongoing training for grant seekers. These workshops will

be for nonprofit organizations who are seeking additional funds.

The Funding Information Network is a network of libraries, community foundations, and other nonprofit resource centers that can be found across the U.S. and around the world. Network partners provide a core collection of Foundation Center publications and a variety of supplementary materials and services in areas useful to grant seekers. Established in 1956, the Foundation Center is the leading source of information about philanthropy worldwide.

Go Back to School with the Most Important School Supply

September is Library Card Sign-Up Month, a time to remind parents, teachers, and children that a library card is the most important school supply of all.

Studies show that children who are read to in the home, and who use the library, perform better in school and are more likely to continue to use the library as a source of lifelong learning.



The library works to ensure that materials are available for students' research projects and homework assignments. The library's Reference Librarians are always available to help with research. The library also has many databases available at the library or from home with a library card.

And, the library is open evenings and weekends, when school libraries are closed.

Banned Books Week September 21–27



Banned Books Week is an annual event celebrating the freedom to read. Typically held during the last week of September, it highlights the value of free and open access to information.

Banned Books Week was launched in 1982 in response to a sudden surge in the number of challenges to books in schools, bookstores and libraries. Challenges are an attempt to remove material from the curriculum or library, thereby restricting the access of others. As such, they are a threat to freedom of speech and choice.

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Kid's Corner

Fireman Dan will be here on the 24th to read a story and share his fire truck with the children.



A new book club for children in grades 1-5 has started. The American Girl Book Club will meet once a month to discuss an American Girl book, enjoy a snack and make a craft.

There are also plenty of Baby Time Rhymes, Toddler Time, Puzzle Play, Legos, Book Buddies, a PJ Story Time and other fun activities planned.

Don't forget to reserve your time slot to read to a therapy dog or cat during the S.M.I.L.E. program on the 4th and 18th.

Reserve your spot at the Check-Out Desk in the library.

Advance registration is required for children's programs.

Registration is limited to Heggan Library cardholders. To register, go to **EVENTS** at www.hegganlibrary.org.

Tween Cooking Club

For ages 9-12

September 22 • 4:15 p.m.

To register, go to **EVENTS** at www.hegganlibrary.org.

Children's & Teen's BOOK SALE

September 12, 13 & 14
during regular library hours

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library



The Friends of the Library accept book donations to sell in their bookstore.

American Girl Book Club

for children in grades 1-5

Join us for this Book Club to discuss books, enjoy a snack and make a craft.

September 17 • 6:30 p.m.
Molly Learns a Lesson

New Magazines

In the coming months, the library will be adding more magazines to our collection. Magazines (except for current issue) may be checked out of the library.

Look for:

Antiques Roadshow Insider
Architectural Digest • Atlantic
Brides • Car and Driver
Christianity Today
Cook's Illustrated • Eating Well
Family Tree Magazine
Harper's Magazine
HGTV Magazine • Horticulture
Make: Technology on Your Time
Moment • More Magazine
Mother Jones
National Geographic Traveler
New Yorker • Old House Journal
Organic Gardening • Outdoor Life
Out's Advocate • Psychology Today
Quiltmaker • Saveur
Scholastic Parent & Child
Town & Country
Traditional Home • TV Guide
Working Mother • Writer's Digest

Red Cross Blood Drive

@ the Margaret Heggan Library

Monday, October 6
2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Appointments are preferred.
Please call **1-800 Red Cross** or
sign up at redcrossblood.org
and enter sponsor code
Margaret E. Heggan

Game Night @ the Library

for adults 18+

Join us for our inaugural session
Monday, September 22, 6:30 p.m.

Mobile Open House

Monday, September 15
6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Bring your e-reader, tablet, or mobile device along with any of your questions for our expert staff to answer.

COMPUTER & TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

Intro to Mouse and Keyboard

Wednesday, September 3 • 10 a.m.

Intro to Windows Navigation

Wednesday, September 10 • 10 a.m.

Intro to Microsoft Word

Wednesday, September 17 • 10 a.m.

Intro to the Internet

Wednesday, September 23 • 10 a.m.

10:00 a.m. classes are workshops and meet in the Computer Lab.

Intro to Microsoft Excel

Wednesday, September 8 • 7 p.m.

Open Source Seminar

Monday, September 24 • 7 p.m.

7:00 p.m. classes are lectures and meet in the Meeting Room.

Advance online or phone registration is required. Patrons must have a Heggan Library card at the time they sign up.

Please go to **EVENTS** at www.hegganlibrary.org or call 856-589-3334 to register.

NJ Writers Resource Group

Aspiring writers ages 16 and up are invited to come and write, share, and be inspired. The NJ Writers Resource Group meets on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Please see the calendar on page 4 for dates and times.

New Book Discussion Groups at the Library

Starting in October, the library will offer two new book discussion groups.

Popular adult fiction will be discussed during "Novel Mornings." This group will meet one Thursday morning each month at 10:30 a.m. *Room* by Emma Donoghue will be the first book discussed on October 16.

"Catch Up on the Classics" will meet one Tuesday each month at 7:00 p.m. On October 21, *Frankenstein* by Mary Shelley will be discussed. In the following months, *The Scarlet Letter* and *A Christmas Carol* will be discussed.

The Mystery Book Discussion Group will continue to meet one Monday each month at 6:30 p.m. On October 20, they will discuss *Woman in Black* by Susan Hill.

Join us for one, two or all three of these book discussion groups to discover a new favorite, remember a classic and meet people in your community who share a love of literature.

These book discussions are free and open to everyone. Advance online or phone registration is required. Go to EVENTS at www.hegganlibrary.org or call 856-589-3334 to register.

Mystery Book Discussion Group

The Mystery Book Discussion Group meets in the library on the third Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

September 15

The Hot Rock

by Donald E. Westlake

October 20

Woman in Black

by Susan Hill

Please register online or contact Rose DeCicco, 856-881-8490 or rdecicco1@yahoo.com.



Director's Corner

The end of September will mark my six-month anniversary of being the Library Director, and I want to share with you some positive changes that have been made at the library so far:

Since July 1, we stopped charging for movies.

Evening hours have been extended until 9:00 p.m. on Monday through Thursday.

People have said that we do not offer enough evening programs, and they have been increased for all ages.

Trained therapy dogs now visit on the first and third Thursday of each month, allowing children to practice reading to a captive audience.

Every staff member wears a nametag that is visible to the public in order to improve customer service.

Multiple copies of fiction books on the *New York Times* bestseller list are now available.

Based on requests, we are now offering a send-only fax service for \$1.00 per page.

Enjoy our new puppet theater along with various animal puppets in the children's library.

Research shows that people are likely to borrow materials if they are displayed face-out. Thanks to the generosity of the Friends of the Library, we purchased two new display units for this purpose, including six cubes and an octagonal unit that is perfect for browsing our new books!



The octagonal display unit purchased by the Friends.

Adult Programs

Flappers

Women of the 1920s

September 11 • 7:00 p.m.

South Jersey Ghost Research

October 1 • 7:00 p.m.

Memories in Music

October 7 • 6:30 p.m.

Reiki: What's Is It All About?

October 9 • 6:30 p.m.

The Frontmobile

October 27 • 7:00 p.m.

The Perfect Resume

October 29 • 6:30 p.m.

Interview Tips

October 30 • 6:30 p.m.

These programs are free and open to everyone. Advance online or phone registration is required. Please go to EVENTS at www.hegganlibrary.org to register online.

Adult Programs with the Reference Librarian

Librarian by Appointment

September 9, 23 and 30,
and October 7

5:30, 6:30 or 7:30 p.m.

Ancestry.com Basics

September 16 • 7:00 p.m.

These programs are free and open to Heggan Library card holders only. Advance online or phone registration is required. Please go to EVENTS at www.hegganlibrary.org to register online.

September 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Labor Day Closed	2	3 Mouse & Keyboard 10:00am	4 Toddler Time 10:15am age 2 & caregiver Baby Time Rhymes 11:00am 6-23 mo. & caregiver S.M.I.L.E. 6:30pm-7:30pm	5	6 Coupon Exchange 10:00am- 1:00pm
7 Open 12-5	8 Toddler Time 10:15am age 2 & caregiver Baby Time Rhymes 11:00am 6-23 mo. & caregiver R U Curious 1:15 pm age 3-6 Intro to Excel 7:00pm	9 Book Buddies 10:15am or 1:15pm age 3-5 Puzzle Play 11:00am age 2 & up Librarian by Appt. 5:30pm, 6:30pm, or 7:30pm Writers Group 6:00pm	10 Windows Navigation 10:00am Book Buddies 10:15am age 3-5 Puzzle Play 11:00am age 2 & up Lego League 4:15pm age 7-11	11 Toddler Time 10:15am age 2 & caregiver Baby Time Rhymes 11:00am 6-23 mo. & caregiver Like 2 Learn 1:15pm age 3-6 & caregiver Flappers 7:00pm	12 Tummy Yummies 10:15am, 11:00am, or 1:15pm age 3-6 & caregiver Children's & Teen's Book Sale	13 Coupon Exchange 10:00am- 1:00pm Make & Take Turtle Craft 10:30am or 11:15pm age 3-6 & caregiver
14 Open 12-5 Children's & Teen's Book Sale	15 Toddler Time 10:15am age 2 & caregiver Baby Time Rhymes 11:00am 6-23 mo. & caregiver Like 2 Learn 1:15pm age 3-6 & caregiver Mobile Open House 6:00pm-8:30pm Mystery Book Group 6:30pm	16 Book Buddies 10:15am or 1:15pm age 3-5 Puzzle Play 11:00am age 2 & up Toddler Art 4:15pm age 2-3 & caregiver Ancestry.com Basics 7:00pm	17 Microsoft Word 10:00am Book Buddies 10:15am age 3-5 Block Party 11:00am age 1-3 & caregiver Legos 4:15pm age 5&6 American Girl Book Club 6:30pm grades 1-5 Board of Trustees 6:30pm	18 Toddler Time 10:15am age 2 & caregiver Baby Time Rhymes 11:00am 6-23 mo. & caregiver Dress to Mess 4:15pm age 3-6 & caregiver S.M.I.L.E. 6:30pm-7:30pm	19	20 Coupon Exchange 10:00am- 1:00pm
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