



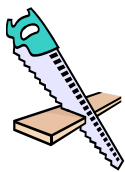
HAVERSTRAW KING'S DAUGHTERS PUBLIC LIBRARY

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THANK YOU TO OUR POLL WATCHERS

THANK YOU to the following people who generously volunteered their time as **poll watchers**: Bernadette Abbatecola, Kharvina Billie, Kristy Blaise, Joanne Hauptman, Pat Hill, Laura Hooghuis, Charles Martoni, Maureen Phillips, Ellen Ratisher, Dan Seltzer, and Holly Stobo.



VILLAGE RENOVATION PROJECT CONTINUES

The historic Village library building will be receiving an exterior face lift. Thanks to a grant from New York State Library Construction, portions of the exterior brick will be repaired and the building will get new storm windows. This project will increase the building's energy efficiency. We hope to go out for bids and begin the project in late August. We are now in the process of submitting another grant request to replace the brick walkway and the handicapped accessible ramp to the rear door. The grant application is due in July and we would be notified of an award in early 2009.

2008 -2009 Library Budget Approved

The Haverstraw King's Daughters Public Library budget was approved by the voters on Thursday, June 5 by a vote of 133 yes to 55 no. On behalf of the Board of Trustees and staff, we want to thank you, our community, for your continued support for library service in Haverstraw. The library Staff Association is to be commended for the financial sacrifices made in support of the budget. The library budget for 2008-2009 is \$4,836,742.

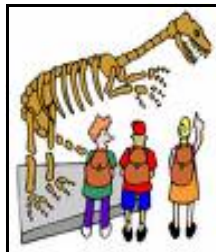
Library Trustees Tom Casey and Pat Soto were reelected to the Board for five-year terms. Current members serving on the Board are: Thomas F. X. Casey, Stephen Cobb, Richard Freeman, Gail Kaiser, Bernadette (Bonnie) Koop, Patricia Soto, and Karen Weaver. Election of new officers will be held at the July meeting. These Board members serve as volunteers.

For those library district residents who do not use the library I suggest you give us a try. We have something here for everyone. The Library's mission is to provide the community with educational, cultural, recreational, and entertainment resources through its collection of materials, programs and other resources that it makes available. We want you to get value for your library tax support. This newsletter provides information on our collections, programs, and other activities, and financial information.

I am very proud to serve as Director of HKDPL, and want to thank the community, staff, and Board of Trustees for the opportunity to do so. As always you can contact me with questions and comments.

Joanne Sininsky, Director

New At HKDPL - Museum Passes!



The Library has recently taken out memberships at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, allowing us to lend a pass which will admit 2 adults and their children under the age of 16, and the American Museum of Natural History, allowing us to lend a pass admitting 2 adults and 4 children under 18. We anticipate having these available by August 1st. Each pass will be available to HKDPL cardholders in good standing at the Circulation Desk on a first-come, first-

served basis, with no reserves allowed. It can be checked out for two days, and extended use fees will apply if it is not returned on time. We are looking into the possibility of taking out memberships at other museums which would allow us to circulate a pass. This is another way we are proving to you that your Library card is the smartest card in your wallet!

Holiday Closings

We are closed Friday, July 4th and Labor Day weekend, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, August 30th, 31st, & September 1st

ADULT PROGRAMS*



SUMMER MOVIE SERIES

Films That Should Have Won the Oscar, But Didn't
Mondays, 1:30 pm & 6:30 pm

- July 7 City Lights (1931) Starring Charlie Chaplain
 July 14 Citizen Kane (1941) Starring Orson Welles
 July 21 Double Indemnity (1944) Starring Fred McMurray
 July 28 High Noon (1952) Starring Gary Cooper
 August 4 Night of the Hunter (1955) Directed by Charles Laughton
 August 11 Touch of Evil (1958) Directed by Orson Welles
 August 18 Mean Streets (1973) Directed by Martin Scorsese
 August 25 L.A. Confidential (1997) Starring Russell Crowe

Annual Summer Blood Drive

Wednesday, July 10, 1 pm - 6:30 pm

Donate and save a life! Appointments preferred but walk-ins are welcome. Call Karen Romaner at 786-3800 ext. 23 for more information. In partnership with Hudson Valley Blood Services.

Summer Entertaining with Tea Sandwiches and Punches

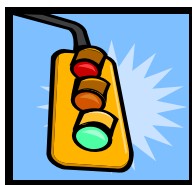
Tuesday, July 15, 6:30 pm



Kim Hendrickson, author of Tastefully Small: Finger Sandwiches (due out in August), walks you through the basics of party sandwich making. Plan on tasting 4 finger sandwiches and 2 punches. Registration begins June 2 for HKDPL cardholders and July 3 for the general public.

5 Hour Pre-Licensing Course for Drivers

Saturday, July 19 and August 16, 10:15 am - 3 pm



Presented by West Rock Driving School. NYS Law requires all applicants for a driver's license to complete this course. Learner's Permit Required. No registration. \$40 fee payable at the door.

8 Hour AARP Defensive Driving Class

Tuesday & Thursday, July 28 & July 31, 5 pm - 9 pm

For drivers 50 and older. Must attend both sessions to receive credit. **In-person registration** begins June 18 for HKDPL cardholders and July 18 for the general public. A \$10 check payable to AARP is due at registration.

BUS TRIP - Yankee Stadium and Arthur Avenue

Tuesday, August 12, 9 am

The tour of Yankee Stadium includes visits to the dugout, field, press box, and Monument Park, with lunch at Emilia's Restaurant. \$72 for HKDPL cardholders and \$77 for all others. Space is limited. Call Karen Romaner at 786-3800 ext. 23 for more information.



Vegetarian Cooking with Shawn Hubbell

Tuesday, August 12, 6:30 pm



Summer is the perfect time to enjoy vegetables from your garden, and Shawn will teach you how to cook them. **Registration required.** Registration begins July 7 for HKDPL cardholders and July 31 for all others. Space is limited.

Six Hour Defensive Driving Class

Wednesday, August 20 & August 27, 5:45 pm - 8:45 pm

Sponsored by Liberty Mutual Insurance. Must attend both sessions must to receive credit. **In-person registration.** A \$23 check payable to IAN PRASTIEN is due at registration.

Upcoming Programs

The Chrysler Building - A History; Eight Part Mediation Series

JUST FOR SENIORS

Matter of Balance

Wednesdays, 11 am - 1 pm

July 9, 16, 23, & 30 and August 6, 13, 20 & 27

In partnership with the Rockland County Department of Health, HKDPL is holding a **free** fall-prevention program for Senior Citizens. Learn how to reduce the risk of falling at home, how to set realistic goals to increase activity, and how to exercise to increase strength and balance. **Advance registration required.** Call Barbara Plasker at the Department of Health at 364-2501, or Karen Romaner at HKDPL at 786-3800 ext. 23.

Wii Bowling

Thursdays, July 3 and August 7

Why should the kids have all the fun? Join us for our monthly Nintendo Wii bowling club.



ADULT SERVICES

Attention Senior Artists!



Spend the summer expressing your creativity, and show it off at our first **Senior Art Show in October**. Adults age 55 and over are invited to display one painting, drawing, or photograph in our art gallery. Pieces must be framed and ready for hanging. Please bring your artwork to Karen Romaner in the Adult Services Dept. on September 25 between 10 am and 5:30 pm. Attach a 3 x 5 index card to the back of your work with the following: name, phone, title of piece, medium, and whether or not you want your contact information published in our program (indicate "publish" or "private"). There will be a Senior Artist Reception in our Community Room on October 2 at 1:00 pm.

Career Updates



Whether you are looking for your first job or a new career, stop in and check out the resources available at both locations of HKDPL. We have recently updated our collection of Civil Service test prep books, as well as our books on resumes and interviewing. Also in the Career collection you'll find ideas for career changers, suggestions for career paths based on individual interests and prep materials for various job-related tests, including nursing and some computer certifications. Let HKDPL help you on your way!

Improve Your Crafting Skills

Are you interested in learning to knit or crochet? Would you like to know how to decorate your table with elegantly folded napkins or flower arrangements? Are you willing to share your craft skills with others? The library is planning to form a craft circle for beginners and experts, and would like to hear from interested patrons. Please call Vivien at 429-3445 or Karen at 786-3800.

Mejore su habilidad en Artes Manuales



¿Está usted interesado en tejer o croché?
¿Quiere aprender a decorar su mesa con servilletas elegantes y arreglos florales? ¿Quiere compartir su arte con otras personas? La Biblioteca está planeando en formar un círculo de artes manuales para los principiantes y los expertos, y nos gustaría saber de aquellas personas que estén interesadas. Favor de llamar al teléfono 429-3445 o 786-3800.

Remember - It's Not Just For Kids!!



This year's Adult Reading Experience is not just a summer fling -- we will continue it into the fall if there is enough interest. Adult reading program registration begins Monday, June 23rd. To register, you need to select a user name and password if you are going to log your reading on a computer, either from home or in the Library. If you signed up last year, you may keep last year's information - just tell us. If you haven't yet become computer-literate with Wilma's classes, you can register at the Adult Reference Desk. Reporting on the books you've read or listened to starts Friday, June 27th. We will have reporting slips available at the reference desk as well. The program is open to patrons ages 18 and over. Prize winners will be chosen at random during the course of the summer and fall.

¡¡Recuerde - No Es Solo Para Niños!!

Este año la experiencia de la lectura adulta no es solamente provisional – si hay bastante interés continuaremos durante el otoño. La matrícula para el programa de lectura de adultos comienza lunes, junio 23. Para inscribirse, necesita seleccionar nombre de usuario y contraseña si es que decide abrir su sesión de lectura en una computadora, bien sea desde su casa o en la Biblioteca. Si se registró en el programa el año pasado, puede usar la misma información solo tiene que informarnos. Si todavía no sabe cómo usar la computadora y necesita ayuda, puede registrarse con las clases de Willma en el Escritorio Adulto de Referencia. Puede informarnos sobre los libros que ha leído o escuchado comenzando el viernes 27 de junio. También tendremos en el Escritorio de Referencia formularios para anotar lo que ha leído. El programa es para personas de 18 años en adelante. Los ganadores serán seleccionados por sorteo durante el curso del verano y otoño.

Feel Like Learning Something New?



Those lazy summer days are great for taking up a new craft or learning a new skill. Check out your Library and see what we've got on knitting, cake decorating, flower arranging, stenciling, faux-finish painting, and much more. If all that sounds like it's only for ladies, you can also take a look at materials on how to use various power tools, build backyard structures, create with wood or concrete, and tie flies. Remember -- whatever you're looking for, your library is the place to go.

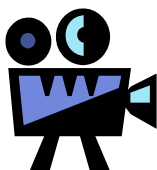
New For The Summer



IN OUR ART GALLERY Participants in the Creative Arts and Recreation Department at Camp Venture exhibit their ceramics and paintings. The department opened two years ago, and this exhibit is part of their travelling art gallery.

Movies

- Before the Devil Knows You're Dead
- Bucket List
- Charlie Wilson's War
- Final Season
- Grace is Gone
- Great Debaters
- I'm Not There
- Juno
- Lions For Lambs
- Mad Money
- Nanking
- National Treasure 2
- Over Her Dead Body
- P.S. I Love You
- Rambo
- Savages
- Semi-Pro
- There Will Be Blood
- Foreign Films
- Adam's Apple (Danish)
- Batad (Tagalog)
- Chak de! India (Hindi)
- Diving Bell and the Butterfly (French)
- Orphanage (Spanish)



Music

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| Mindi Abair | <u>Stars</u> |
| Clay Aiken | <u>On My Way Here</u> |
| B – 52s | <u>Funplex</u> |
| Erykah Badu | <u>New Amerykah</u> |
| Chet Baker | <u>Chet For Lovers</u> |
| Sarah Bareilles | <u>Little Voice</u> |
| <u>Best of The Ventures</u> | |
| Ernest Bloch | <u>Piano Quintets</u> |
| Sheryl Crow | <u>Detours</u> |
| Def Leppard | <u>Songs From the Sparkle Lounge</u> |
| Neil Diamond | <u>Home Before Dark</u> |
| High Kings | <u>High Kings</u> |
| Angelique Kidjo | <u>Djin Djin</u> |
| <u>Now That's What I Call The 80's</u> | |
| Sergey Prokofiev | <u>Alexander Nevsky</u> |
| Puppini Sister | <u>Rise & Fall of Ruby Woo</u> |
| R.E.M. | <u>Accelerate</u> |
| Franz Schubert | <u>Trout Quintet</u> |
| Soweto Gospel Choir | <u>African Spirit</u> |
| George Strait | <u>Troubadour</u> |
| Joan Tower | <u>Made in America</u> |
| Phil Woods | <u>American Songbook</u> |
| Yardbirds | <u>Ultimate</u> |

Look for the Soundtrack CDs below the Music DVDs. Opera is now by the windows, behind Classical.

BOOKS

July Fiction

- Fractured -- Karin Slaughter
- Just Too Good To Be True -- E. Lynn Harris
- Rules of Deception -- Christopher Reich
- Swan Peak -- James Lee Burke
- Tribute -- Nora Roberts

July Non-Fiction

- Rome 1960: the Olympics That Changed the World -- David Maraniss

August Fiction

- Being Elizabeth -- Barbara Taylor Bradford
- Death's Half Acre -- Margaret Maron
- Devil Bones -- Kathy Reichs
- Fade Away -- Harlan Coben
- Legally Dead -- Edna Buchanan

August Non-Fiction

- Money and the Law of Attraction -- Esther Hicks



A Change in Change

When you come to the Library to pay extended use fees or for lost items, please pay with bills not larger than \$20, or by check. We cannot make change for the photocopiers or vending machines. Our public photocopiers do accept singles and five-dollar bills, and will return your change in coins after a copy or copies are made. Printing accounts for the public computers can be as large as \$50, so if you print often, you might deposit \$5 or \$10. This will remain in your account indefinitely, for printing from the public computers in this building. Funds can be added to your printing account at either reference desk, or at the mid-level computer assistant desk. Thanks!

Guitar Hero III

Tournament Monday,
July 14 @ 4:30 at our
Village branch library.
Unleash your inner rock
legend!

Adobe Illustrator

Thursday, July 17 @
5:30 p.m. Discover new
ways to use color, work
faster with new drawing
tools.

Writer's Workshop

Paola Corso, award-
winning author and poet
will teach creative writing
on Thursday, July 24
@ 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

FREE PSAT, SAT or ACT

with Kaplan Test Prep
Saturday, July 26 @
10:00 a.m.

Kaplan Seminar

Thursday, August 7
@4:30p.m. Review your
scores and learn success-
ful test-taking strategies.

Meet Author David

Levithan Tuesday, July 22
5:30 - 8:30pm at the
Suffern Library. *FREE*
PIZZA. Pick up your
tickets at HKDPL.

All programs are for those
entering grades 6 - 12.

**Loud Noises****@ the Library**

Friday, July 11th
6:00 - 10:30 p.m. \$8
Performances by:
Silence the Feedback,
DayBreakRiot,
Snagged,
The Night is Over,
Knight's Apocalypse,
Anchor's Up
& others.

**Manga Drawing
Contest**

Read a graphic novel or
other book; draw
inspiration from it to
create an original
Manga drawing. You
may use our Manga
Studio software or draw
freehand.
7/1- 8/15

Prizes to top 3!!!

Pizza Party! Prizes!

Thursday, August 5
@ 6:00 p.m.
By Invitation only!
Followed by a
performance of
**Laughter is the Best
Medicine!**
@ 6:30 p.m.

Help us out this summer!
Volunteer at the Library.
Earn an invitation to our
End-of-Summer Pizza
Party by doing any of the
following:

Book Buddy – read with
a younger child. Mondays
7:00 - 8:00pm

Crafters -

Thursdays @ 4:00 p.m.

Games referee -

Fridays @ 4:00p.m.

Show Stoppers -

Wednesdays @ 7:00p.m.

**Volunteer Sign-up
begins** Monday,
June 23rd.

**Earn Community Service
hours!**

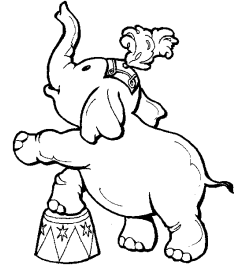
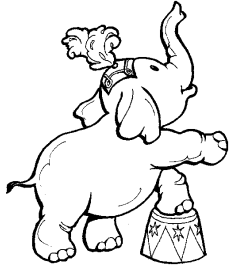
READ! Fill in quick
reading reviews

**Enter raffles to win gift
cards as you read this
summer!!**

TRANSFORM
YOURSELF
READ

YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAMS

STEP RIGHT UP!



Summer Reading Club 2008!

June 30 - August 13, 2008, for ages 5 and up.

Open to children residing in the North Rockland School District.

Bring your Library card with you when you register.

Sign up begins Monday, June 30.

Tickets for shows will be in your weekly loot bag. Get your loot bag by logging three books or 75 pages for the week.

Programs and shows are age appropriate for Reading Club Members.



UNDER THE BIG TOP!



Main Library Shows!

Wednesdays at 7:00pm

July 9: LOU DEL BIANCO
Storyteller!

July 16: SPRING VALLEY PUPPET
THEATER Jack & the Beanstalk!

July 23: BOB CONRAD
Magic Show!

July 30: JOE FISCHER
Magic Show!

August 6: TOM GARDNER
Music of the Uncle Brothers!



Village Branch Shows!

Wednesdays at 4:00pm

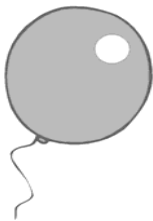
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July 16: JEFF BOYER
Fun with Energy!

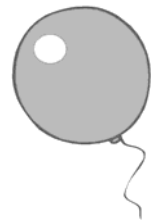
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Magic Show!

July 30: JOE FISCHER
Magic Show!

August 6: KAREN CAPORALE
Kids' Costumed Capers!



ON THE MIDWAY!



Programs and shows are age appropriate for Reading Club

Book Buddies

In the Main Library

Mondays, 7:00pm

We'll team you up for an hour of reading fun!

Games Day!

In the Main Library and Village Branch

Fridays, 4:00pm

Carnival games, board games and more!

Circus Crafts!

In the Main Library and Village Branch

Thursdays, 4:00pm



Youth Services Programs - Main Library

Featured Programs

Please Register at the Youth Services Desk



Guys Read!

Registration begins in July for guys going into grades 3 - 5. Tuesdays, July 15 & August 5, 4:30 - 5:30 pm. Have a snack while we read a Time Warp Trio book by Jon Scieszka and create something fun!

Wii Junior Baseball League

Batter up!

Limited registration begins August 1 for HKDPL cardholders and August 15 for everyone else.

Black Sash Confidence Course

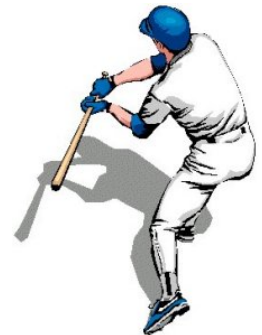
Tuesday, August 19 at 4:30 pm

Join SiHing Mike Reynolds of Romains Kung in a course designed to teach children to deal with bullying in a non-violent manner. Check out this innovative workshop on the 3 Steps to Building Confidence and developing a Black Sash attitude. Children and their parents will benefit from this course while having fun.



Part 1 - Grades 1- 3
Tuesday, August 26
3:00 - 6:00 pm

Part 2 - Grades 4- 5
Thursday, August 28
3:00 - 6:00 pm



Weekly Programs

Kinderkids Storytime

July 1 - August 5

For children 5 years old or entering kindergarten

Tuesdays at 11 am or 2 pm.

Registration for Library District Residents begins June 23. Stories and fun crafts just for kids in Kindergarten!



Preschool Storytime

Ages 3 - 5

Tuesdays at 7:00 pm, or Wednesdays at 10:30 am, or Thursdays at 10:30am, or Thursdays at 7:00pm

July 1 - August 7

Limited registration for Library District Residents only begins June 23.

Stories, Songs & Silliness

For walkers up to age 3 and their caregivers.

Mondays at 7:00 pm
June 30 - August 4

No registration, just come on in!



Movie & Popcorn

Grades K- 5. Families Welcome.

Wednesday, July 2 at 6:00 pm
Thursday, July 3 at 6:00 pm
Thursday, July 17 at 6:00 pm
Thursday, July 24 at 6:00 pm



Thursday, August 7 at 6:00 pm
Thursday, August 14 at 3:00 pm
Tuesday, August 19 at 6:00 pm
Thursday, August 21 at 3:00 pm
Come watch a movie and enjoy free popcorn!

Friday Music & Fun

Ages 2- 5 and their caregivers

Fridays at 10:30 am Ticket Required.

Marcia the Moose - July 11

Surprise Guest!- July 18

Debbie Gulino - August 8

Jeffrey Friedberg - July 25 & August 15

Mr. Kurt - August 1

Mr. Burr - August 22 & 29

Limited seating, get your tickets when you check out 2 children's books.



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Our Mission Statement
The Haverstraw King's Daughters Public Library's mission is to provide the community with educational, cultural, recreational, and entertainment resources through its collection of materials, programs, and other resources that it makes available.

LIBRARY HOURS

Rosman Center

Monday-Thursday 10am-9pm
Friday 10am-5:30pm
Saturday 10am-5pm
Closed Sunday, June 15 - August 31

Village Library

Monday Noon-8pm
Tuesday-Thursday 10am-6pm
Friday 10am-5:30pm
Saturday 10am-5pm
Sunday Closed

BOARD MEETINGS

2nd Tuesday of the month, 7:30 pm

Youth Services Programs - Village Branch

Weekly Programs

Featured Programs

Preschool Storytime

Ages 3- 5

**Fridays at 10:30 am
July 11 - August 8**

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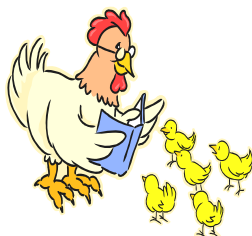
Stories, Songs & Silliness

For walkers up to age 3 and their caregivers.

Tuesdays at 10:30 am

July 1 - August 5

A storytime for our littlest patrons. No registration, just come on in!

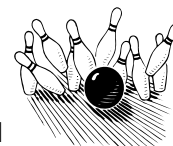


Wii Junior Bowling League

Grades 1- 5

**Wednesday, August 27
2:00 - 5:00 pm**

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Movie & Popcorn

Grades K- 5. Families Welcome!

Monday, July 21 at 5:30 pm

Monday, August 18 at 5:30 pm

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