



## Huntingdon Valley Library Newsletter - Dec. 24, 2017

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### [2017 Annual Appeal - Donate Today!](#)

As the year comes to end, please consider a donation today!

### Holiday Hours:

- **Closed** Sunday, December 24 and Monday, December 25.
- **Closed** Sunday, December 31 and Monday, January 1
- **Closed:** Thur., Jan. 4 for **Staff In-Service** (details below)

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### [Calendar of Events](#)

**Sunday, December 24 - Library Closed**

**Monday, December 25 - Library Closed**

**Wednesday, December 27**

- **Library Yoga** - 10:30 to 11:45 am. Beginner yoga with Theresa Landolfi. \$7 drop in. Max class size: 20.

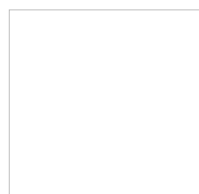
**Thursday, December 28**

- **Family Craft** - 11 am. Drop into the Friends Learning Lab to make something fun for the winter season! All ages welcome.
- **Learn to Code Club Fall 2017 Session** - 4:30 to 6 pm. 4:30 to 6 pm. For students grades 3-5. Learn how to program with Dash and Dot robots. Registration required.



**Friday, December 29**

- **Friday Movie** - 11 am. *Kedi*. A profile of an ancient city and its "unique" people, seen through the eyes of the most mysterious and beloved



### Library Hours

Mon.-Thurs. 10 am to 9 pm

Friday 10 am to 5 pm

Saturday 10 am to 5 pm

Sunday 1 pm to 5 pm

### Friends Fundraisers



**Mah Jongg**  
and  
**Canasta** at  
**12:30 pm** in the  
Community Room.  
Mah Jongg on  
Mondays. Canasta on  
Tuesdays and Canasta  
Lessons and play on  
Wednesdays.

Parking is limited.  
Please carpool.

[Get Involved.](#)

### Visit our Website

Learn more online at:

[www.hvlibrary.org](http://www.hvlibrary.org)

2017 Annual  
Appeal

Huntingdon  
Valley  
Library

animal humans have ever-known "The Cat."

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Runtime: 79 minutes.

- **Family Flick: *Ice Age*** - 2 pm. **Popcorn** will be served! Set against the onslaught of the ice age - and a world filled with wonder and danger -- the story revolves around three unforgettable characters: a woolly mammoth, a saber-toothed tiger, and a sloth, who unite to return a human baby to his tribe. Rated PG for mild peril.

Runtime: 81 minutes.

### Saturday, December 30

- **Happy New Year Storytime** - 11 am in the Children's Department. Ring in the New Year with Miss Meg with stories, songs, and a craft.

Huntingdon Valley Library | 625 Red Lion Road



Join us for a "Happy New Year" themed storytime!

Saturday  
December 30th  
11am  
All ages welcome!

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### [Calendar of Events](#)

### [January Calendar \(sneak peek\)](#)



Our Vision:  
Huntingdon Valley Library is a forward-thinking essential center of learning and community.

### 2017 Fall Appeal

Number of donors: 120

Total Gifts: \$6,792

### 2016 Architect Appeal

Goal: \$30,000

Number of donors: 183

Event sponsors: 8

Total Raised: \$15,478

**THANK YOU SO MUCH!**

### News and Notes



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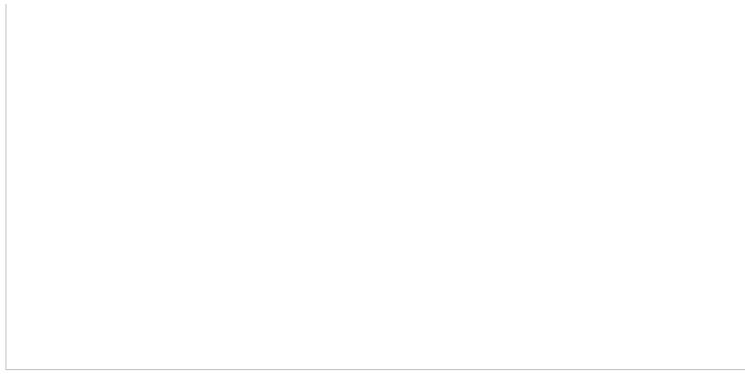
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### Director's Corner

**NOTICE:** The Library will be closed **Thursday, January 4** for **staff training**. We will receive active shooter training from our friends at the Lower Moreland Police Department and autism awareness training from a representative of the Lower Moreland Township School District. Thank you for your understanding.

### Coming in 2018:

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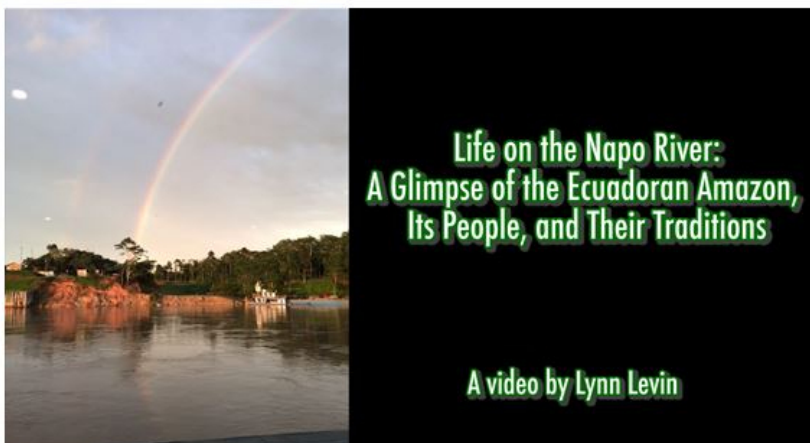
[Learn more](#) about this exciting new addition to our digital collection, made possible through the generous support of the Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library! Everything new and cool comes to us because of the Friends. Thank you!

**Upcoming Events** - mark your calendar...

- [\*Life on the Napo River: A Glimpse of the Ecuadoran Amazon, Its People, and Their Traditions.\*](#) A video documentary by Lynn Levin.  
Sunday, January 7 at 1 pm.

This video documentary presents footage of the rushing Napo River and spellbinding accounts by members of two indigenous tribes, who recount key moments of cultural transition and narratives of traditional life. The Napo River is a tributary of the Amazon, and the video includes images of the dense rainforest, monkeys, birds, bats, piranha, other wildlife. Also pictured are scenes from a traditional community and a river port town, places which capture the intermingling of the old and new. Filmed in 2017, the documentary includes details about headshrinking, plus stories of missionaries and shamans. This 35-minute video documentary is written, narrated, filmed, produced, and directed by Drexel adjunct associate professor of English Lynn Levin. "A very thought-provoking piece and well executed" - Ira M. Taffer, Ph.D.

## Life on the Napo River



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- **Introductory Tai Chi** - Thursday, January 11 at 11 am - First class is FREE. Come and experience the gentle, healing movements of the ancient Chinese art of Tai Chi Qigong. These easy movements help to promote energy, good health and well being. [RSVP to show interest](#). \$7.
  - **Marshmallow Party** - Wed., January 24 at 4 pm. Join us for marshmallow sculpture, games and hot chocolate! Ages 6 and up. Please register.

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## Get Involved

**Board Contact Information:** [Board of Trustees](#)

**Minutes** are available online: [Minutes Archive](#)

**Next Regular Meeting** is **Thursday, January 11** at 7:30 pm.

Visit the [Donate page](#) to Support Your Library.

**Donate  
today!**

## Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

[www.hvlibrary.org/friends](http://www.hvlibrary.org/friends)

Thank you for renewing your Membership to the Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library. A copy of the 2017 Newsletter is [available on the Web](#). The 2018 Newsletter is coming soon!

## Meeting Speakers:

- January 11 - **TechnoTalk** - Sharon will walk you through using the new **hoopla** streaming service and share the new **Libby** app for accessing e-books from OverDrive! Bring your library card and device (and Amazon.com password for a Kindle book).
- February - **Zumba!**
- March - Speaker from **Pearl S. Buck International**
- April - **Meditation** and Mindfulness with Pura Vida

## Fundraisers and Events:

**Book Club** - Members of the book discussion group do not have to be members of the Friends. We meet the third Thursday of each month at 12:30. eBook editions available through [OverDrive](#) to Huntingdon Valley borrowers.

- **Upcoming Book Club titles** listed at the [Friends Page](#).

The Friends also provide [museum passes](#) as a **membership benefit**.

Coming soon: new [Museum of the American Revolution](#)

- [Glencairn Museum](#)
  - [University of Pennsylvania Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology](#)
  - [Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts](#)
  - [Academy of Natural Sciences](#)
  - [Morris Arboretum](#)
  - [Simeone Automotive Museum](#)
  - [Bucks County Children's Museum](#)
  - [Moravian Tile Works](#)
  - [National Constitution Center - NEW](#)
  - [Museum of the American Revolution](#)
- NEW

## CHECK OUT A MUSEUM PASS!!

### Passes Available For:

Glencairn Museum  
University of Pennsylvania Museum of  
Archaeology and Anthropology  
Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts  
Academy of Natural Sciences  
Morris Arboretum  
Simeone Automotive Museum  
Bucks County Children's Museum  
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### Coming soon:

Museum of American Revolution

GLENCAIRN  
MUSEUM



SIMEONE FOUNDATION  
AUTOMOTIVE MUSEUM



Passes may be borrowed by members of the Friends of  
HV Library. Membership is \$10.



### Friends Fundraiser Corner

Stop by today to sign up for an upcoming **Friends of the Library Fundraiser**. Proceeds support the Library's Wish List.

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