



Huntingdon Valley Library Newsletter - Mar. 11, 2018

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[Calendar of Events](#)

Sunday, March 11

- **Used Book Sale Extended!** The Friends Used Book Room will be open from 1 to 5 pm in the lower level of the library. Stop by for some bargain hunting on great books for all ages!

Monday, March 12

- **Preschool Storytime** - On break until March 19.
- **Sit 'N Knit** - 3 pm. Knitters are welcome to join the group.
- **Library LEGO Club** - 4:15 to 5:15 pm. Children in grades K-2 are invited to come play, build, and engineer with LEGO bricks. [More info about LEGO Clubs in 2018.](#)
- **Super Sitter Babysitting Course** - 6:30 pm. Full.

Tuesday, March 13

- **Toddler Storytime** - On break until March 20.
- **Drop-in Craft** - 3 to 5 pm. Drop-in to celebrate Youth Art Month! We supply the materials, you bring the ideas. All ages welcome. Program held in Children's Department.

Wednesday, March 14

- **Library Yoga** - 10:30 am. Beginner yoga with Theresa Landolfi. \$7 drop in. Max class size: 20.
- **Tutoring** - 4:30 pm. LMHS students tutor students in grades 3 to 10, who need help with schoolwork in various subjects. Register at: <https://sites.google.com/site/hvltutoring/>.
- **Library LEGO Club** - 6 to 7 pm. Children in grades 3 to 5. Registration is required.

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.

[March Book Sale](#) -

Member's Only Preview on
Tuesday, March 6. Sale
open daily from March 7-
10.

[Kremps Flower Arranging Workshop](#) - Wednesday,

April 11 for \$30. Bring your
shears and closed-toe
shoes to Kremps to learn
how to make your own
beautiful flower
arrangement.

[New York City](#)

[Bus Trip](#) - Wednesday,

May 2. A SECOND BUS
has been added and sign-
up is open now. Only \$42
for a fun trip to Time
Square. Leaving from the
Library's auxiliary and
lower parking lot. Price
includes driver tip and light
snacks.

Thursday, March 15

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- **State Representative Tom Murt** - 10 to 11 am. State Representative Tom Murt's staff will be in the Library for constituent visits.
- **Mother Goose Time** - 10:30 to 11 am. Rhythm, rhyme and movement for babies up to 18 months with a caregiver.
- **Introduction to Tai Chi** - 11 am, Community Room. Classes are \$7 per session with instructor Michael McCormack.
- **Friends Book Club** - 12:30 to 3:30 pm. Join the Friends Book Club to discuss: *Commonwealth* by Ann Patchett. All are welcome.
- **Learn to Code Club** - 3:30 to 5 pm. Community Room. Students grades 6-8 learn how to program **Dash and Dot** robots. [Registration is required.](#)
- **Traditional Irish Music with Ian Gallagher** - 7 pm in the Community Room (2nd Floor). Free and open to all.

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Learn more online at:
www.hvlibrary.org

Huntingdon Valley Library | 625 Red Lion Road

Irish Music

Thur., March 15 at 7 pm
Admission Free | 2nd Floor

Ian Gallagher, Irish singer and musician, will be performing some of your favorite Irish classics, as well as some you may have never heard of before! This is a very interactive concert, so be prepared to have fun as Ian talks with the audience about the history of Ireland and the songs being performed.



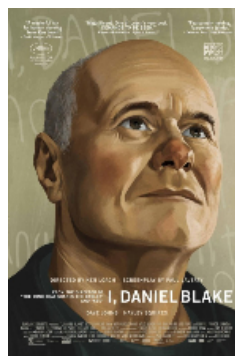
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Friday, March 16

- **Block Play Party** - 10:30 to 11:30 am. Drop in at the Children's Department for our monthly Block Play Party. Open to children ages 2 to 5 years.
- **Friday Movie** - 11 am - *I, Daniel Blake* - Family secrets, lies, high drama and generations of contemporary history unspool in this international story that begins with World War II and concludes with an emotional 21st-century family reunion. Rated R for language - Runtime 100 minutes. Movies are free and open to the public.



Sunday, March 18

- **ACT Test review class with Blitz Tutoring** - 1 pm. Students will receive personal attention, take a complete practice exam, and benefit from thorough question review in a small group setting. Registration required. Cost of the class is \$50 and includes a binder with prep materials and a practice test. Payment can be made by check or cash at the library. You

Payment can be made by check or cash at the library. You can also [pay online using PayPal](#) (choose ACT Class from the drop-down menu at the bottom of the page). Open to students in grades 9-12. Spaces available!

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Staff in-service March 28 - Library open 2 -9 pm

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Director's Corner

I want to thank **Steve Woerner** and his hard-working crew from the **Lower Moreland Township Public Works Department**. Not only do they plow our parking lots and snow-blow our sidewalks, but they help with electrical repairs, moving tables and chairs for us, and they cordon off areas for the Egg Hunt every year. Kelly helps us book the gym for BINGO nights, too. In the summer, they weed our gardens, mow our lawns, trim our trees, and neuter the occasional walnut tree. Who knew you could even do that?? After all of the recent snow, I am so grateful we could quickly re-open the Library and be here as a Community warming and recharging station with free wifi. As one of the unfortunate citizens without power, I appreciated coming in with my book before my shift and warming up in Anna's corner.

I also want to **thank my staff** for clearing off cars and digging out driveways so they could get here and open the Library, so I could sit and read that book!

Keep up the good work.

Library **BINGO!**

Saturday, April 14

Red Lion Gym

National Library Week

\$25 in advance, \$30 at the door

[On-line sales](#) or at the Circ. Desk

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RAFFLE BASKETS **50/50 RAFFLE**

12 GAMES!

BAKE SALE **FREE DABBERS**

CASH PRIZES

Saturday, April 14 at 1pm
Where: Red Lion Gym
\$25/ticket \$30/ticket at the door

Live DJ | Cash Prizes | Raffles

50/50 | Free Dabbers

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Get Involved

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

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

Next Regular Meeting is Thursday, April 12 at 7:30 pm.

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



Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

www.hvlibrary.org/friends

Thank you for renewing your Membership to the Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library.

Note that dues have been increased slightly to \$15, but did you know that the average cost of a museum pass is \$106? A bargain.

Meeting Speakers:

- April - **Meditation** and Mindfulness with Pura Vida

Family Museum Passes

Do you enjoy spending the day at a museum? Check out a

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The Friends are a non-profit volunteer group who know that libraries are essential to the educational and cultural spirit of the community. The Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library work to direct attention to the library and to add the strength that the donors do not carry - the resources for additional programming, updated equipment, and support for various reading programs for all ages. This supports the library from books to CARE4U! Our library is the cornerstone of the community and provides opportunities for all to engage in the joy of life-long learning.

Our Executive Board Members are: Dan Bernick, Linda Brown, Ann Gordinow, Cheryl Levine, Amber Pritchett, Marjorie Rubin, Kenna Scherwin, Fran Spiller, Michael Wilmann, Louise Winkler and Jack Zick.

We welcome potential community members to our meetings on the first Thursday of the month at 12:30 PM (September through March). Sponsoring programs are presented after the Friends meeting. You do not have to be a Friend to attend Friends events and meetings.

2018 US

- January 11 - Lunch to the Executive Library Team
- February 1 - Dinner for all donors with Kelly Hildebrand
- March 1 - Movie Time from Post Box International
- April 1 - Meditations and Mindfulness in Pura Vida
- April 1 - 2018
- May 7 - Pot Luck Lunch

How often do programs and appearances in the library are supported by the library's group. If you cannot come to the different meetings you can still become a sponsor of the library by becoming a Friend with your own deductible donation a minimum of \$25. Our membership year runs January 1st to December 31st.

Friends' Goals for the Library 2017?

Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library (HVFL) raise funds to purchase books, audio, technology and programs for children and adults. Learning to Read, Mountain States Library Trustee, Friends' contribution in 2016 covered the 40% of the Silver Budget for materials, 100% for the Computer Reading Program, and 100% for technology including open public computers and the One and Done tables needed for our new reading club. Huntingdon Valley Library volunteers perform from fundraising events.

During the past year, the Friends have donated funds to purchase the following items for the library:

- DVDs, eBooks, Playsets, audiobooks, CDs
- Large Print Books
- Year Cards
- Computers
- Mountain Passes
- Art Materials Larkspur
- PA System
- Loungers
- Adult and Children's Programs, including "What a Show-off - Young Author's Club"
- 100 High Speedbooks which create audiobooks
- Movie Larkspur and Book Mail program
- Computer Reading program for all ages
- Journals and Young Adult Reading materials
- Travel Guide, Art Guides and Young Adult Books
- Books

We raised funds for the Library through:

- Annual membership dues to the Organization
- Attendance at Friends' events and meetings
- One and Done Sales and Donations
- Donations to the Book Sale and Prizes
- Donations One and Done
- Casino and TSA Tuggs
- New York Big Top, Charleston Tea
- Autumn Teas
- Views of the Valley
- Flower arranging program with Kasey Finzer
- Friends Tea
- Concessions at Library Programs.

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museum pass - a benefit of membership to the Friends!

[Details and the full list of active passes.](#)

Fundraisers and Events:

- **Spring Tea** on Thursday, March 22 at 12:30 pm. Not only will they have the BEST scones in Philadelphia, but also tea, sandwiches and a fashion show featuring locals Designs by Karen and The Mens & Boys Store. Sold Out!
- **Kremps Flower Arranging Workshop** - Wednesday, April 11 for \$30. Bring your shears and closed-toe shoes to Kremps to learn how to make your own beautiful flower arrangement.
- **New York City Bus Trip** - Wednesday, May 2. A SECOND BUS has been added and sign-up is open now. Only \$42 for a fun trip to Time Square. Leaving from the Library's auxiliary and lower parking lot.

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](#).



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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