



# Huntingdon Valley Library



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## Huntingdon Valley Library Newsletter December 22, 2019

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### Library Hours

Closed Monday, Dec. 16  
 Tue.-Th. 10 am to 9 pm  
 Friday 10 am to 5 pm  
 Saturday 10 am to 5 pm  
 Sunday 1 pm to 5 pm

### Holiday Closings:

Dec. 24 and 25  
 Dec. 31 and Jan. 1

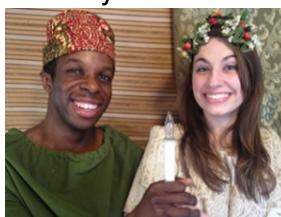
### Calendar of Events

#### Saturday, December 21

- **Holidays Around the World -**

**Bright Star Touring Theatre** - 2 pm in the Community Room.

Join Nick and Joy in their quest to make it home for the holidays. Their journey brings much more than they ever imagined! The traditions and holidays which abound throughout winter are celebrated in this show. From Kwanzaa to Christmas to The Festival of Lights, this unique production offers people a look into the celebrations that occur around the globe during this special time of year. Audience volunteers help to bring in the Chinese New Year with a colorful dragon, while the Lohri festival brings to the stage colorful costumes and stories from India.



Audience: Kindergarten and higher.

**[Registration is requested - learn more and sign up today!](#)**

#### Monday, December 23

- **Library Yoga** - 10:30 am with Theresa, \$7 drop-in.
- **Knitting Club** - 3:30 pm for all levels. All ages and all experience

### Friends

### Fundraisers

Annual membership \$15. Perk:  
Museum passes!

New Pass: Mutter Museum

Reminder: Parking is available  
in the Lower and Auxiliary lots.

### Get Involved

#### Visit our Website

Learn more online at:

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

levels are welcome. New knitters please come to exchange ideas and receive help.

## Tuesday, December 24

- **Closed**

## Wednesday, December 25

- **Closed**

## Thursday, December 26

- **Tai Chi** - 11 am on our new floors! \$7, drop-in.
- **Winter Crafternoon** - 2 to 4 pm. Drop in to the Children's Area to make some winter crafts! All ages and abilities welcome.



## Friday, December 27

- **Chess Club for Adults** - 10 am. Stop by and play a game of chess! If you are a novice, learn the rules and strategies. If you love the game, meet new opponents. We provide the board and pieces, you meet new people.
- **Friday Movie** - 11 am. *Where did you go? Bernadette* (2019). Former architect Bernadette Fox seems to have it all -- a beautiful home in Seattle, a successful and loving husband, and a brilliant teenage daughter who's about to attend boarding school. When Bernadette suddenly disappears without a trace, her concerned family sets off on an exciting adventure to solve the mystery of where she might have gone. PG-13, 104 minutes. Free and Open to all in Community Room.
- **Family Movie Matinee** - 2 pm. Relax with a family matinee showing of *Toy Story 4*. Enjoy some popcorn on us and/or bring some snacks from home! In the Community Room.

When a new toy called "Forky" joins Woody and the gang, a road trip alongside old and new friends reveals how big the world can be for a toy. Stars: Tom Hanks, Tim Allen, Annie Potts, Tony

Hale. Rated G. 1 hr, 40 minutes.





## News and Notes



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## Director's Corner

### Construction News:

It took all day Monday, plus most of Tuesday to install the new hallway flooring and it is fabulous!!! It looks great and it is soft, quiet, and clean. We rearranged some furniture to create a little bistro area.



The next big change coming is new furniture in Anna's Corner. A beautiful new couch and chairs will be delivered soon. The **Friends of Huntingdon Valley** provided an unexpected **\$10,000** gift to purchase this and more furniture for the teen and children's area. We can't wait for the egg chairs to get here! It's been a whirlwind of wonderful with new floors, new furniture, and a new paint job in the hallway (soon).

Thank you, again, to the Township and Steve for making the floors and new paint happen and to the Friends for the new seating.

We still need to renovate, but this will help get us through the next few years while we raise funds and solve the "parking problem."



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**January 2020 Calendar of Events** now [available for download](#) or visit our [Web site for details!](#)

**Friday Movies:**

- Jan. 3 – *Downton Abbey: The Movie* (2019)
- Jan. 10 – *Ad Astra* (2019)
- Jan. 17 – *The Bookshop* (2018)
- Jan. 24 – *Judy* (2019)
- Jan. 31 – *The Biggest Little Farm* (2019)

**Fans of Foreign Films:**

- January 16 at 4 pm – *The Farewell* (2019)
- January 23 at 4 pm – *Kinky Boots* (2005)
- January 30 at 4 pm – *The Wedding Plan* (2015)

Mah Jongg resumes Monday, January 6, Tuesday Canasta resumes January 14, and Wednesday Canasta resumes January 8. The Community Room is in use on January 7.

**Book Clubs:**

- Tuesday, January 14 at 6:30 pm with Pam – reading **Loving Frank** by Nancy Horan
- Thursday, January 16 at 12:30 pm with the Friends – **The Alice Network**
- **For Kids:** League of Book Lovers on Wednesday, January 15 at 6:30 pm will read [The Iron Trial](#) (first book in the *Magisterium* series) by Holly Black and Cassandra Clare.

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**Get Involved**

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

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

**Next Regular Meeting** of the Board is on **Thursday, January 9 at 7:30 pm.** Open to all.

Visit the [Donate page](#).

**Donate  
today!**

## Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

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

[Read the 2019 Friends Newsletter \(.pdf\)](#)

Join and support this amazing group who support the Library! Membership for the calendar year is only \$15.



### Family Museum Passes - a benefit of

membership:

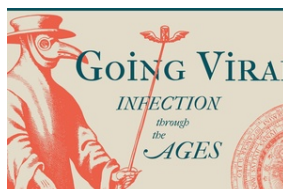
Do you enjoy spending the day at a museum?

[Details and the full list of museum passes available to active Friends members.](#)

**Newest** pass for 2019 (coming in December):

### Mütter Museum

*of the College of  
Physicians of Philadelphia*



Pass allows entry for 4 people. [Learn more.](#)

**Next Meeting:**

- **Thur., January 2** - Pilates with June Hines

**Fundraisers and Events:**

- **Book Bundles**



- \$1 bundles of books
- Book shelves by the front entrance are restocked weekly!
- Watch for the special **Red Cart sales!**

**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. The [2019- 2020 Book List available now!](#)

**Friends Book Club 2019-2020**

August 14, 2019 Sharon Active Adults Friends Edit Post



Join this lively discussion group on the third Thursday of each month at 12:30 pm. Members of the book discussion group do not have to be members of the Friends. These titles were selected by a vote of the group. September 19: The Last Days of Night by Graham Moore The author of The Sherlockian (2010) presents another twisty historical [...]

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**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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