



Huntingdon Valley Library Newsletter - Dec. 4, 2016

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NEW: [Fundraiser Survey](#). (Director's Corner for details).

Upcoming Events:

- **Friends Holiday Book and White Elephant Sale** - Mon., Dec. 5 from 10 am to 5 pm. Lower level.
- **Preschool Storytime** - Mon., Dec. 5 at 10:30 am for 3,4 & 5 yr olds.
- **Computer Help Desk** - Mon., Dec. 5 from 12 to 1:30 pm. Drop in and get computer help.
- **Sit N Knit** - Mon., Dec. 5 at 4 pm.
- **Library Evening Yoga** - Mon., Dec 5 at 6 pm in the Community Room with Theresa Landolfi.
- **Friends Holiday Book Sale** - Tues., Dec. 6, 10-5.
- **Toddler Storytime**- Tues., Dec. 6 at 10:30 am for 1 & 2 yr. olds.
- **Library Morning Yoga** - Wed., Dec. 7 at 10:30 am in Community Room with Theresa Landolfi.
- **Mock Caldecott Book Party** - Wed., Dec. 7 at 6 pm. Every year, the Caldecott Medal is awarded by the American Library Association to the most distinguished picture book for children. **Families are invited** to examine a selection of Caldecott contenders and **vote** in a Huntingdon Valley Library Caldecott competition.
- **Friends Holiday Book Sale** - Thur., Dec. 8, 5-9 pm.
- **Washington Crossing Historic Park "Ten Crucial Days"** - Thurs., Dec. 8 at 6:30 pm. Local History and Local Tourism combined! Learn more about

**Mock Caldecott
Book Party**
Wednesday, December 7
6:00 pm



TEN CRUCIAL DAYS
presented by Thomas Maddock,
Washington Crossing Historic Park



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 -

Monday 11:30 to
3:30 pm.

Canasta -

Tuesday 11:30 &
Wednesday at
12:00 pm

\$2 | Community
Room

**Parking in the
Lower Level.**

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Learn more online at:

www.hvlibrary.org

Washington's daring Christmas crossing of the Delaware River in 1776 and the 500 acre park established in 1917. The Friends of the Library will draw the winners for the Basket of Books and Blizzard of Prizes raffle.

Thursday, December 8
at 6:30 pm | Community Room
Learn more about the 500-acre park and the period from December 25, 1776 through January 3, 1777 in which the Continental Army won its first three significant victories. Thomas will be in full Colonial kit.
Sponsored by the Friends of Huntington Valley Library
Join us for the Friends Basket of Books raffle drawing!

- **Board of Trustees Meeting** - Thurs., Dec. 8 at 7:30 pm in the Friends Learning Lab. This meeting is open to the public.
- **Friday Movies** - Fri., Dec. 9 at 11 am.
Mustang. When 5 orphan girls are seen innocently playing with boys on a beach, their scandalized conservative guardians confine them while forced marriages are arranged. PG-13 (for mature thematic material, sexual content) Runtime 1 hour 37 minutes. Free and open to all.
- **Rhythm Babies Music Class** - Sat., Dec. 10 from 10:30 to 11:00 am. Join us in a lively 45-minute monthly class for you and your little loves! Rhythm Babies is designed to improve young children's auditory senses, cognitive, and musical skills through singing, rhythm, and creative movement activities. Children of all ages welcome. [5 spaces available.](#)

[Visit our Calendar of Events](#) or print out the [December Calendar](#)

News and Notes



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Director's Corner

Did you come to hear **Valerie, Lisa, or Larry** at Philmont Country Club? Maybe you joined us at **Simpatico** for good food and delicious wine? These are just some of the events organized by the Board of Trustees to raise funds in support of the Library's vision and [Strategic Plan](#).

As we prepare for 2017 events, **we want to hear from you!** What kinds of events would you attend in support of the Library? Who would you like to see - more authors, like Lisa Scottoline or maybe a historian or successful restaurant owner would be more to your liking? Now is your chance to share your feedback. Paper copies will be available at the circulation desk.

[HV Library Board Fundraiser Survey](#)

Thank you for your generous (and tax-deductible) gifts in support of the 2016 Annual Appeal. This beautiful building has served the community well for the last 20 years and it's time to give it some much-needed care and attention.

So, Every dollar [you give](#) in response to the **[2016 Annual Appeal](#)** will go towards hiring an **architect** to help us plan for **interior renovations**. Thank you!

Did you know? The portion of the library that houses the Friends Learning Lab, staff work spaces, and Community Room are from a 1916 addition to the Red Lion School, while the newer portion is from 1995.

2016 Annual Appeal

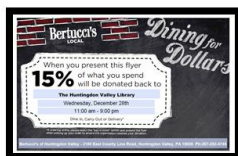
Huntingdon Valley Library



Upcoming Events:

Huntingdon Valley Library | 625 Red Lion Road

Dining for Dollars



Wednesday, December 28
from 11 am to 9 pm at
Bertucci's of Huntingdon Valley

Grab some friends and family and join us at Bertucci's for great food and a kid's craft! With a Dining for Dollars flyer, 15% of what you spend will be donated back to the Library!

Dine In, Carry Out or Delivery.

Bertucci's of Huntingdon Valley | 2190 East County Line Rd |
Huntingdon Valley, PA | 267-282-4746
(215) 947-5138 | www.hvlibrary.org

Get Involved

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

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

Regular Meeting is Thursday, December 8 at 7:30 pm.

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Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

www.hvlibrary.org/friends

For review and comment by the Friends Membership

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Basket of Books and Blizzard of Prizes Raffle!



Tickets on sale now - **\$1 or 6 for \$5**. Purchase your chance to win and win big at the Circulation desk. [More information and a sample of the Prize List online.](#)

Meetings:

- **January 5** Sharon Rogin, Chocolate Creations. A chocolate making demonstration.
- **February 2** - Orchard Artworks from Bryn Athyn. A presentation on the history of this local artists' cooperative. Includes a show and tell from the Artworks.
- **March 2** - **Settlement Music School**. Learn more about Mary Louise Curtis Bok (daughter of the founder of the Curtis Publishing Company in Phila) who founded the Curtis Institute and also was a benefactor to the early Settlement Music School.

Upcoming Events:

- **Holiday Book Sale and White Elephant Sale** - December 5 from 10-5, Dec. 6 from 10-5 and Dec. 8 from 5-9
- **Ceramics Workshop** December 8 at 1 pm - Sign up at the Friends Station. Only \$25.



- **Used Book Sale** March 21-25, 2017
- **March 30 Tea Party!**
- **Lunch and Tour of Chocolatrum**
- **NYC Bus Trip** on May 3 - tickets for BOTH BUSES will be available starting February 1. Price is \$40 (tip not included).

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.

- **January 19:**
The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah
- **February 16:**
Dr. Mutter's Marvels: A True Tale of Intrigue and Innovation at the Dawn of Modern Medicine by Cristin O'Keefe Aptowicz
- **March 16:**
The Rent Collector by Camron Wright
- **April 20:**
Flight of Dreams by Ariel Lawhon

More information about upcoming Friends events is available at the [Friends Page](#), including the [2016 Newsletter!](#)



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

- [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 - NEW](#)
- [Moravian Tile Works - NEW](#)



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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