



Huntingdon Valley Library



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Huntingdon Valley Library Newsletter September 29, 2019

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Library Hours

Mon.-Th. 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

Annual membership \$15. Perk:
 Museum passes!
 Newest: **Elmwood Park Zoo**

Nov 12 Tour of the Museum of the American Revolution

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

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Visit our Website
 Learn more online at:
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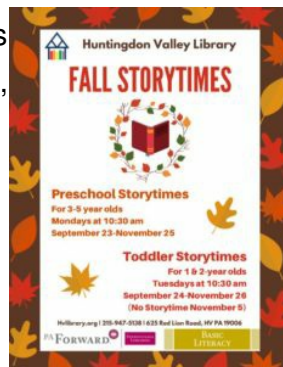
[Calendar of Events](#)

Saturday, September 28

- **Crafty Morning for Families: SQUIRRELS!** - 10:30 to Noon in the Children's Department, Drop-in. Make your own squirrels and nut hidey-holes using natural, gathered objects.

Monday, September 30

- **Preschool Storytime** - 10:30 am. Join Miss Beth for stories, songs, movement activities, and a craft to encourage pre-reading skills. For ages 3-6 with caregiver.
- **Friends Book Room** closed today.
- **Library Yoga** - 10:30 am. Drop in with Theresa Landolfi, \$7 in the Community Room.
- **Knitting Club** - 3:30 pm in the Friends Learning Lab. All levels welcome.
- **Afternoon Yoga Class** - 4:30 pm. \$7 Drop in, also with Theresa.



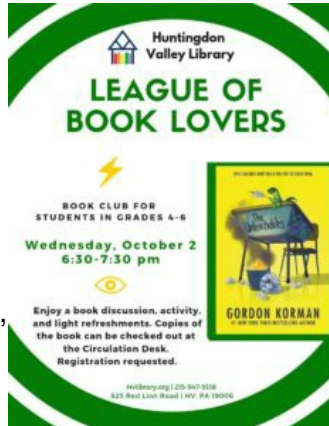
Tuesday, October 1

- **Chair Massage Class** - 10:15 am \$7 Drop in with Madeline

- **Chair Yoga Class** - 10:15 am \$7 Drop in with Nadene.
- **Friends Book Room OPEN** today!
- **Toddler Storytime** - 10:30 am. Join Miss Vanessa for short stories, songs, fingerplays, and movement activities to reinforce early language learning. For ages 1 & 2 with caregiver.
- **Community Calendar**:**
HVAA Chess Club - 7:30 pm. Learn more about the [Huntingdon Valley Chess Society Juniors](#). Member's only, visit Web site for registration details.

Wednesday, October 2

- **Community Calendar:**
Coffee with a Cop - 8 - 10 am at Be Well Bakery. Join your neighbors, Lower Moreland Township Police Officers and deputies for coffee and conversation. [Learn more...](#)
- **Library Yoga** - 10:30 am. With Theresa, drop in, \$7.
- **Student Tutors** - 4:30 pm
- **League of Book Lovers** - 6:30 pm. We will discuss humorous contemporary fiction novel *The Unteachables* by best-selling author Gordon Korman. [For grades 4-6, please register.](#)

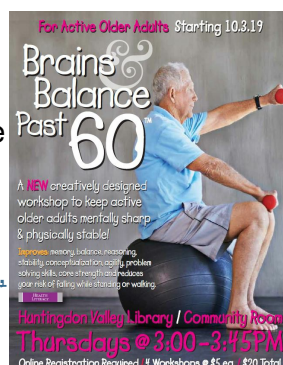


Thursday, October 3

- **Tai Chi** - 11 am with Michael, \$7 drop in.
- **Friends of HV Library Meeting** - 12:30 pm
 Membership meeting followed by:
 - [Craft Roadshow](#) with special guest and local artist, [Annina King](#).



- **Brains and Balance Past 60** - 3-3:45 pm, Community Room. Brains and Balance Past 60 is a new workshop designed for the unique needs of active older adults who know the importance of staying mentally sharp and physically stable. [Register today, \\$5 per class, 4 classes in all.](#)
 Instructor: Bob Fischer



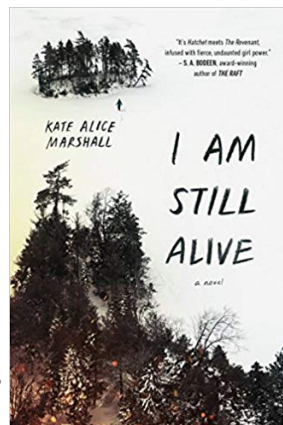
- **Fans of Foreign Film** - 4 pm. *The Eagle Huntress*. [Film listing through December now available.](#)
- **Discovering Dinosaurs** - 7-7:45 pm in the Community Room. Join us for a special presentation on dinosaurs by The Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University's Academy on the Go! [Learn more...](#)
- **Community Forum for the new Library Strategic Plan** - 7 pm in the Friends Learning Lab. What do you think is great about the library? What might the library do to better serve your needs and encourage you to use the library more? Share your answers with the Board of Trustees! [Learn more and RSVP.](#)

Friday, October 4

- **Friday Movies** - 11 am. *Tolkien* (2019). *Tolkien* explores the formative years of the renowned author's life as he finds friendship, courage and inspiration among a fellow group of writers and artists at school. Their brotherhood strengthens as they grow up and weather love and loss together, including Tolkien's tumultuous courtship of his beloved Edith Bratt, until the outbreak of the First World War which threatens to tear their fellowship apart. All of these experiences would later inspire Tolkien to write his famous Middle-earth novels. PG-13, 111 minutes.



- **YA Book Club** - 3:30 pm. At our first young adult book club of the fall, we will be discussing *I Am Still Alive* by Kate Alice Marshall (thriller, publisher recommended age 12-18). [Learn more and register today!](#)



Saturday, October 5

- **Rhythm Babies** - 10:15 am. Join us for this lively 45-minute monthly class for you and your little loves! [Please register.](#)
- **Community Calendar:**

Food Truck Festival for LM High School PTA - 12-3:30 pm in the High School parking lot.

What's "Community Calendar**"? At the 9/23 [Community Forum](#), the participants discussed the need for a joint or shared calendar for the Library, Lower Moreland Township, and School District. Until such a thing exists, you can quickly access all three calendars from hvlibrary.org and we will do our best to highlight events in our weekly calendar. [Share YOUR ideas on Oct. 3.](#) - Sharon

NOTICE:

[Library Board Vacancy](#) - **Make an impact in your community**
- open to all Lower Moreland residents.

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News and Notes



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Director's Corner

As mentioned above, we had our first [Community Focus Group](#) on September 23 and a small, but fantastic, group of library supporters met with Board members to discuss the library's future. I've read the notes - they came up with some **great ideas**:

- What if we checked out **instruments**?
- What if we made the children's department **computer-free**?
- What if we had **Open Houses** a few times a year?
- What if we added fun, **funky furniture** for the teens?



You are invited to the second Focus Group on [Thursday, October 3](#) at 7 pm in the Friends Learning Lab. [Please RSVP.](#)



OCTOBER CALENDAR NOW OUT!

[October Calendar \(.pdf\)](#)

Lower Moreland Township and the **Huntingdon Valley Library**
present:

Movie Night Under the Stars

Movie night wraps up a whole **day of community fun** on October 12, which begins in the morning with [Huntingdon Valley Fire Company's Fire Prevention & Township Open House](#).

Bring your blankets and lawn chairs for an outdoor viewing of [The Lego Movie 2: The Second Part](#) on a **25-foot screen!**

Huntingdon Valley Library 

MOVIE NIGHT
UNDER THE STARS

Sponsored by Lower Moreland Township

   Giant 25-foot Screen! Popcorn!

SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 12
7 PM
LIBRARY LAWN

(RAIN LOCATION:
RED LION GYM)

 **Free & open to all!**



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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, October 10 at 7:30 pm. Open to all.

Visit the [Donate page](#).

Donate
today!

Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

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:

[Elmwood Zoo!!](#)



The pass arrived and Tetjana cataloged it, so it is ready to be used! Pass allows entry for 2 adults and 6 children.

Next Meeting:

- **Thur., October 3 at 12:30 pm. [Craft Roadshow](#) with special guest and local artist, [Annina King](#).**



Fundraisers and Events:

- **Book Bundles**
 - \$1 bundles of books
 - Book shelves by the front entrance are restocked weekly!
- **NYC Bus Trip on Oct. 23**

- **NEW - Museum of the American Revolution Tour on November 12.**

Take the train down to the city. Cost includes entry, a short film, and self-guided tour,

PLUS a lunch & lecture

"**Revolutionary Women.**" This fundraiser supports the Library's Wish List. \$45 per person.

RSVP by October 17 at the Friends Station. **Sign up Today!**



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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